

KQYB-FM
 2016 1th Quarter Issues
 04/05/16

Description of issue	Program Segment	Date	Description of Program
1) Affording Outdoor Opportunities for the disabled members of our community	Phil & Jacklyn in the Morning	01/18/16 8:30AM	Pat Lemke from N.A.S.A promotes their mission of helping disabled members of the community enjoy recreational activities like hunting, fishing, golfing etc.
2) The importance of arts in the community - enrich the common good through actor based story telling.	Phil & Jacklyn in the Morning	02/02/16 9:00AM	Jeremy Swenson of the Commonweal Theater in Lanesboro, MN promotes the current season and the importance of supporting the arts in our community
3) Building a stronger community through youth programs, specifically helping girls build courage, confidence and character.	Phil & Jacklyn in the Morning	02/09/16 7:30AM	Sally Egan from the Badgerland Girls Scouts discusses their annual fundraiser and programs.
4) Building a stronger community through youth programs, specifically lower income/ troubled youth.	Phil & Jacklyn in the Morning	02/18/16 9:30AM	Dan Doodle of Big Brother's Big Sisters of the Coulee Region discusses their annual fundraiser and programs
5) Creating secondary educational opportunities for our area's youth.	Phil & Jacklyn in the Morning	03/03/16 9:30AM	John Reynold from the annual Forks and Corks Fundraiser. Proceeds benefit the Gemütlichkeit Foundation and their program to award scholarships at area high schools.
6) Helping disabled members of our community live full lives.	Phil & Jacklyn in the Morning	12/03/15 9:30AM	Kerri Gloede from Special Olympics of the Coulee Region discusses their programs and annual Polar Plunge fundraiser.

3 - News Subject: Mistakes in nomination papers forces candidates to run as write-ins

Date	Description
1/12	Joe Chilsen narrowly beat the deadline to file for reelection, but some of his papers weren't filled out properly. He might not be on the ballot.
1/13	The only candidate for mayor of Onalaska is Jack Pogreba. He questioned some nomination papers, and enough signatures were invalidated to put Chilsen below the requirement for filing. Pogreba says Chilsen has the right to run as a write-in. The challenge was filed less than an hour before the deadline.
1/19	The state elections agency is waiting for more information from the Onalaska city clerk to decide if Mayor Joe Chilsen can be listed on the ballot. Chilsen has ten days to reply to information provided by the clerk, and the review will be done quickly.
1/26	Under a ruling issued by the state Government Accountability Board, the Onalaska city clerk didn't violate any election laws in deciding Mayor Chilsen was eight names short of qualifying for the spring election. Mayor Chilson said he won't appeal that decision, and will decide if he'll run as a write-in.
2/3	A mistake kept Mayor Chilsen off the spring ballot, but he'll still run for another term as a write-in.
2/22	Election workers in Onalaska are expecting a lot of write-in votes. The mayor's position has a candidate running for reelection as a write-in, as will two candidates for school board.
3/22	Writing in frivolous names on a ballot won't get them counted. Poll workers stopped counting joke names a few elections ago. To get counted as a write-in for mayor, the candidate must be a "registered write-in."
3/29	By this time next week, the election will tell which of the three office-holders running as write-ins will get to keep their job.
3/30	At one time, the "city administrator" issue would have been the single biggest issue. Then errors in nomination papers kept Mayor Chilsen's name off the ballot. The "city administrator" should have been a referendum issue, not a council issue, according to Jack Pogreba.

4 - News Subject: LaCrosse hires "Parking Czar"

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1/21	The final numbers are in for 2015. The three parking ramps collected \$135,000 – \$27,000 above projections.
2/23	The ramps are already ahead of schedule in collecting fees for the year. January income was almost \$13,000. Monthly average is \$11,000.
2/25	The city has declared a "fee holiday" to accommodate the MOSES organic farming conference. Now through Sunday.
2/25	LaCrosse might need a new ticketing system for the ramps. The existing gates will not be collecting the hourly fees for a couple of months. Parking officials want to study ways to prevent vandalism. Some worry the city will be deprived of revenue.
3/14	Leaving a car in the parking ramps has become an ordeal for many people. Not something that fosters tourism when the gates don't work.
3/15	Don't look for Mayor Kabat to override alternate side parking rules just because weather is warm. He says March always has a snowstorm or two.
3/18	Some want to limit parking options in LaCrosse to encourage use of mass transit.
3/22	City council member Gary Padesky doesn't want the latest winter storm to derail a movement to end alternate side parking earlier in the year. A bill goes before the council next month.
3/23	Free parking everywhere is the problem for the business community. The ramps not charging means workers are taking up all the free spaces in the lower levels of the ramp, and visitors have to park higher up.

5 - News Subject: Combating local drug epidemic

Date	Description
1/20	Folks living in Houston County are taking advantage of new drug collection efforts. Thirty-two pounds of medications have been collected in the first few weeks.
1/22	Governor Walker may soon sign new bills requiring doctors to place drug-related information on a statewide registry. That can be used to track a person's past drug use.
1/28	Local campuses might be included in the drug drop-box program. UW Madison gets about 80 pounds of drugs every month.
2/3	One small town police department is looking for new ways to reduce drug addiction. Holmen is working on a program to provide therapy for drug users if they turn over drugs they're using now.
2/9	A new Congressional bill to provide emergency funding to fight heroin addiction meets the approval of Cheryl Hancock from the Coulee Council on Addictions.
2/10	Two people have been found dead in parking lots in the past three days. Doctors confirm there's a potent batch of heroin in the area causing that.
2/11	The county has waged a fight against heroin abuse for three years, but it's a hard fight to win. Several have been hospitalized recently after taking a new, potent variety of heroin.
2/23	Police won't say directly they want the needle exchange to shut down. Use of needles is blamed for many of those picked up by the fire department every day.
2/25	A public forum on drugs will be next week, featuring a WI family which has battled addiction.
2/28	More than 200 are signed up for a community forum on drugs tonight at the Riverfront Center.
2/29	The story of survival from addiction is hard to tell, but the Lybert family does it. They shared their story at the forum last night.
3/1	There have been illegal drug epidemics in the county before, but nothing like the meth and heroin one going on now.
3/4	Congress has been working on laws to tackle opioid addiction, now Representative Ron Kind is talking with officials to see what the feds can do to fight problems at the local level.
3/13	Spring is here, snow is gone, and the fire department is getting daily calls about used hypodermic needles.
3/14	Illegal drug use is getting the attention in the are, but the DA says the number of cases in court hasn't gone up much.
3/17	Scott Walker will sign a host of bills aimed at fighting drug addiction. They include criminalizing the use of masking agents, and many other things.
3/18	The fire department says LaCrosse has many more needles found in parks than other cities of a similar size.
3/24	The Lybert family's story was voted the best part of the recent forum on drug use.