# **Quarterly Issues Report**

July, August, September 2019

The following is a list of some of the more significant community issues addressed by radio station KPLN-FM for the quarter indicated.

Casey Paul Station Operator

Filed: 10/8/19

Program: The Morning Planet w/Casey & Sarah

Date Aired: 7/1/19
Time Aired: 6:50a
Duration: 3 minutes

Content:

With upcoming community fireworks shows in Billings and Laurel, Casey & Sarah discussed pet safety tips for the 4th of July.

**Pet Safety** 

Program: The Morning Planet w/Casey & Sarah

Date Aired: 7/2/19
Time Aired: 7:35a
Duration: 5 Minutes

Content:

Kent Kulesa of the Laurel Fire Department discussed the upcoming 4th of July celebration in Laurel and gave important 4th of July safety tips.

Fireworks safety

Pet safety

Program: The Morning Planet w/Casey & Sarah

Date Aired: 7/3/19
Time Aired: 7:35a
Duration: 4 minutes

Content:

Guin Ayers discussed what we can expect at this year's Relay For Life of Yellowstone County. Being a part of Relay For Life helps to fight cancer and support our community. Guin also talked about how money raised benefits those who are fighting cancer locally.

Cancer Research
Community

Program: The Morning Planet w/Casey & Sarah

Date Aired: 7/9/19
Time Aired: 8:35a
Duration: 4 minutes

Content:

Kim Kapalka discussed the Carbon County Arts Guild & Depot Gallery's annual fundraiser - Art In The Beartooths. The Carbon County Arts Guild is a non-profit organization that promotes regional arts in Carbon County.

Art Appreciation Educational Exhibits

Program: The Morning Planet w/Casey & Sarah

Date Aired: 7/12/19
Time Aired: 7:35a
Duration: 5 minutes

Content:

Guin Ayers and Relay For Life Chair Brian Brown discussed ways people could still support Relay For Life of Yellowstone County. Being a part of Relay For Life helps to fight cancer and support our community. Money raised benefits those who are fighting cancer locally, with wigs, rides to treatment, research, etc.

Cancer Research
Community

Program: The Morning Planet w/Casey & Sarah

Date Aired: 7/16/19
Time Aired: 8:35a
Duration: 4 minutes

Content:

Stephanie Elumbaugh discussed Rockin' Under The Big Sky, the annual fundraiser for the Adult Resource Alliance. The event supports services and programs for seniors across Yellowstone County.

**Senior Services** 

Program: The Morning Planet w/Casey & Sarah

Date Aired: 7/26/19

Time Aired: 7:35a

Duration: 4 minutes

Content:

Colleen Garrett of Cellular Plus discussed the Verizon-Cellular Plus Backpack To School program. Employees, customers, and vendor partners teamed up to give away free backpacks filled with school supplies to area kids.

#### **Educational Success**

Program: The Morning Planet w/Casey & Sarah

Date Aired: 7/29/19
Time Aired: 8:35a
Duration: 4 minutes

Content:

Cathy Cullen, Director of Development Services, & Lynette Kosovich, Rimrock CEO, discussed Rimrock Foundation's 5th Annual Pump N Run For Recovery. Rimrock is the leading addiction treatment recovery facility in the region. The event raised money to expand and improve the availability of prevention, treatment, and recovery services for those in need.

## **Addiction Treatment**

Program: The Morning Planet w/Casey & Sarah

Date Aired: 8/2/19
Time Aired: 7:35a
Duration: 4 minutes

Content:

Realtors Robin Hanel & Rachel Cox discussed the Quality Of Life Run, part of the Association of Billings Realtors Quality of Life program. The Quality Of Life Run benefits organizations that are working to improve the quality of life for Billings residents. This year's run benefitted Billings TrailNet.

Quality of Life

**Fitness** 

Program: The Morning Planet w/Casey & Sarah

Date Aired: 8/7/19
Time Aired: 7:35a
Duration: 4 minutes

Content:

Ashlie Tate of Ashlie Tate Photography discussed the SAP Project's upcoming Suicide Awareness & Prevention Fundraisers.

## **Suicide Awareness & Prevention**

Program: The Morning Planet w/Casey & Sarah

Date Aired: 8/13/19
Time Aired: 8:35a
Duration: 4 minutes

Content:

Karrie Owen of Boys & Girls Clubs of Yellowstone County discussed Gainan's Roses For Kids fundraiser. Boys & Girls Clubs surround members with positive role models. Over 725 kids per day are served through Boys & Girls Clubs of Yellowstone County. During the month of August, Gainan's Flowers offered discounted roses with a portion of the proceeds benefitting B&GC of YC.

**Empowering Kids Mentoring** 

Program: The Morning Planet w/Casey & Sarah

Date Aired: 8/28/19
Time Aired: 7:35a
Duration: 4 minutes

Content:

High School Senior/Laps 4 Life founder Jesse Dimich/Louvet discussed Laps 4 Life, a new fun run to benefit homeless high school students in Billings Public Schools

## **Teen Homelessness**

Program: The Morning Planet w/Casey & Sarah

Date Aired: 9/5/19
Time Aired: 8:35a
Duration: 4 minutes

Content:

RN Nikki Woods & Guin Ayers of Billings Clinic discussed the Billings Clinic Fun Run that will kick off the day's activities at Saturday Live. Saturday Live supports Billings Public Schools, the surrounding feeder schools, and the Education Foundation for Billings Public Schools.

Fitness Education Program: The Morning Planet w/Casey & Sarah

Date Aired: 9/6/19
Time Aired: 7:35a
Duration: 5 minutes

Content:

Joan Nye discussed this year's Yellowstone Valley Out Of The Darkness Walk. The walk supports the American Foundation for Suicide Prevention, a voluntary health organization, advocating for public policies in mental health.

**Suicide Prevention Mental Health** 

Program: The Morning Planet w/Casey & Sarah

Date Aired: 9/11/19
Time Aired: 7:35a
Duration: 4 minutes

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Duration: 4 minutes

Content:

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Food Assistance Teen Homelessness

Program: The Morning Planet w/Casey & Sarah

Date Aired: 9/19/19

Time Aired: **8:35a**Duration: **4 minutes** 

Content:

McCall Linke, Saturday Live Co-Chair, discussed Saturday Live 2019. Saturday Live supports Billings Public Schools, the surrounding feeder schools, and the Education Foundation for Billings Public Schools.

#### Education

Program: The Morning Planet w/Casey & Sarah

Date Aired: 9/20/19
Time Aired: 7:35a
Duration: 4 minutes

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Food Assistance Teen Homelessness

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Date Aired: 9/25/19
Time Aired: 7:35a
Duration: 4 minutes

Content:

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### Education

Program: The Morning Planet w/Casey & Sarah

Date Aired: 9/26/19
Time Aired: 7:35a
Duration: 4 minutes

Content:

Olivia & Deeana of Skyview High School Business Professionals of America discussed what their booths would feature at Saturday Live this year, and what the money raised at their

booth would be used for. Saturday Live supports Billings Public Schools, the surrounding feeder schools, and the Education Foundation for Billings Public Schools.

### Education

Program: The Morning Planet w/Casey & Sarah

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Duration: 4 minutes

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