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KXBS Bethalto, IL

KQBS Potosi, MO

This report is for Quarter 3, 2023

During the period, the above listed station has served the public interest by producing and broadcasting diverse content which addresses national, statewide, and regional issues.

Issues of Community Concern:

Nutrition

Employment

Work Stress

Drug Overdose/Addiction

Suicide Prevention

Mentorship

ISSUES	DATE	TIME	DURATION	DESCRIPTION
NUTRITION	07/18/23	12 PM - 3 PM	10 minutes	Mike Couchman collaborated with the audience on healthy eating during busy summer schedules. Listeners shared what works for them and how they navigated around foods that picky eaters/children tend to avoid
EMPLOYMENT	08/01/23	10 AM - 12 PM	7 minutes	Mike Couchman shared underrated jobs with listeners that make a big difference in our communities and used listeners as a resource to build a list of careers & opportunities worth exploring
WORK STRESS	08/14/23	BETWEEN 10:30-11p	6 minutes	Jordan shared a study from businessinsider.com that said 31% of Americans wouldn't use all of their allotted vacation time over the stress of losing their job or slowing down their work career; he took calls from listeners who shared that same mindset
DRUG OVERDOSE	08/31/23	8:30 AM	2 MINUTES	Ya Girl Nikki and NTEG talked about losing family members to drug overdose, today being National Overdose Awareness Day, & gave resources for the drug policy alliances https://drugpolicy.org/
ADDICTION	09/14/23	5AM TO 9AM CST	20 MINUTES	Ya Girl Nikki and NTEG talked about addictions for National Sober Day all day. They gave resources and tips and took suggestions from callers regarding addiction & healing. More info at https://www.gatewayfoundation.org/programs-services/clinical-services/coping-skills-therapy/
Suicide Prevention	9/1/23 - 9/30/23	daily announcements all month	6 hours (12 minutes/day X 30 days)	All DJs ran live and recorded announcements promoting the American Foundation for Suicide Prevention's Out of the Darkness walks in the St. Louis area. Listeners were invited to sign up for OOTD walks @ boostradio.com
Mentorship	9/1/23 - 9/21/23	daily announcements all month	2 hours (various one-minute announcements aired multiple times each day)	KXBS ran live and recorded announcements promoting Over the Edge, a fundraiser for Family Empowerment Centers. The announcements shared the mission of FEC: to mentor inner city youth, give them safe places to gather, education, and resources. Listeners were invited to join KXBS DJ Mike Couchman at an Over the Edge event by signing up @ boostradio.com