

## Quarterly Issues Programming Report

Quarter 2  
April 1 - July 10, 2023

90.5 KCSU-FM, Fort Collins, Colorado

### Rocky Mountain Review

"Rocky Mountain Review" is KCSU's news and public affairs show that airs **twice** per day on Tuesdays and Thursdays between 4:00 pm and 5:00 pm and again between 11:00 pm and 12:00 am when the university is in session. The show is also rebroadcast early the following morning during the "KCSU Podcast Corner" program on Wednesdays and Fridays, between 6:00 am and 7:00 am.

The show covers campus, local, and national events, music, entertainment, and environmental news through a local lens. The show also includes interviews and feature pieces created by hosts Portia Cook and Lee Zimpel, highlighting local community members, businesses, and events.

All episodes are approximately 18-60 minutes in length.

"Rocky Mountain Review" air dates:

1. April 4, 2023
2. April 6, 2023
3. April 12, 2023
4. April 13, 2023
5. April 18, 2023
6. April 20, 2023
7. April 25, 2023
8. April 27, 2023
9. May 2, 2023
10. May 7, 2023

### **Examples of episode content on "Rocky Mountain Review."**

**April 4, 2023: "CSUPD advisory board, safe exchange zone, Fools Fest delayed."**

**Description:** In this episode of the Rocky Mountain Review, Lee Zimpel covers campus news with information on how to get your voice heard by the Colorado State Police Department as a member in the new Ram Police Advisory Board. Portia Cook goes over local news on Fort Collins Police Services designating a new "safe exchange zone" to help buyers and sellers stay safe using services like Facebook Marketplace or Craigslist. Portia Cook reviews music/entertainment events news on the postponement of KCSU's Fools Fest due to high winds. Lee Zimpel goes over national news as regions in the South and Midwest faced deadly storms,

spawning dozens of tornadoes across the country. Eliza Drotar covers the CSU sports report, and to conclude today's episode, Portia Cook delivers the week's weather forecast.

**April 6, 2023: "ASCSU election results, 93-year-old local missing, gender-affirming care bans."**

**Description:** In this episode of the Rocky Mountain Review, Lee Zimpel goes over campus news with results of the ASCSU election race that ended after controversy gripped multiple campaigns. Portia Cook covers local news on the Larimer County Sheriff's Office asking the community for help in locating a missing and endangered 93-year-old local. Cook then reviews music and entertainment news on an upcoming family friendly Easter event. Lee Zimpel covers national news on the two most recent states to have joined several others across the country that have signed into law bans that prohibit transgender minors from receiving gender-affirming healthcare. Eliza Drotar brings the CSU sports report, and to conclude today's episode, Portia Cook delivers the weekend weather forecast.

**April 20, 2023: "CSU bison conservation, teacher arrested for child sex abuse, and ICWA."**

**Description:** In this episode of the Rocky Mountain Review, Lee Zimpel goes over CSU's role in bison conservation in Native American lands across the country in campus news. Portia Cook covers local news with information on a Poudre Valley School District middle school teacher who was arrested for child sex abuse. Then, KCSU's Podcast Director Erin Fuller sits down with two social work majors to discuss the Indian Child Welfare Act (ICWA). Lee Zimpel covers national news on the three separate cases that happened over the span of six days, where people were shot from accidentally showing up in the wrong places. To conclude today's episode, Portia Cook delivers the weekend weather forecast.

**April 25, 2023: " Abortion protests on the Plaza, Divest CSU, former CSU coach allegations."**

**Description:** In this episode of the Rocky Mountain Review, Lee Zimpel reports campus news on a former CSU football coach who is now facing multiple allegations of secretly filming women. Portia Cook covers local news with information on how Fort Collins community members are coming together to protect Larimer County Sheriff Office deputies. Then, Portia Cook takes to the LSC Plaza to speak with both pro-life and pro-choice activists in the wake of abortion protests on campus. Two members of activist campaign Divest CSU speak about their mission and hopes for environmental justice at CSU in an interview with Lee Zimpel. Eliza Drotar delivers the CSU sports report. To conclude today's episode, Portia Cook outlines the rest of the week's weather forecast.

**Total Duration: 11 hours 02 minutes 05 seconds**

## **KCSU Sports**

"KCSU Sports" is a local podcast hosted by Euan Peart and Eliza Drotar. The podcast discusses all things local sports with highlights on CSU athletics.

All episodes are approximately 20-45 minutes in length.

### **“KCSU Sports” Airdates:**

1. April 15, 2023

### **Examples of episode content on "KCSU Sports"**

#### **February 12, 2023: "KCSU’s Sports Director Talks About CSU Sports Dominating in March Recap"**

**Description:** In this episode of "KCSU Sports," hosts Euan Peart and co-host Eliza Drotar KCSU's Sports Director go over a myriad of topics ranging from golf to basketball.

**Total Duration: 0 hour 18 minutes 01 seconds**

## **KCSU Music**

"KCSU Music" is a local podcast hosted by Brigid Bandel and Bailey Liverman. The podcast discusses music-related topics, from local artists to national headliners. Each episode highlights interviews with local musicians, artists, and performers.

All episodes are approximately 15-40 minutes in length.

### **“KCSU Music” Airdates:**

1. April 24th, 2023

### **Examples of episode content on "KCSU Music."**

#### **April 24, 2023: "March Recap: Boygenius, “Daisy Jones and the Six”, Morgan Wallen, “Swarm”, and Drake Drama at Lollapalooza"**

Music Directors Brigid and Bailey recap music events, talking about their favorite albums, singles, and pop culture moments for the month of March.

**Total Duration: 0 hour 33 minutes 29 seconds**