

KVSC News Features

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Sept 1, Th	USCM: In today's Untold Story of Central Minnesota, we revisit KVSC's broadcast from the opening day of the 2022 Minnesota State Fair. You "fired radio on a stick" featured the sounds of the Fair and numerous interviews throughout the day with organizations whose presence at the fair is in itself a tradition.
Sept 2, F	Sidelines LIVE Sports Talk Show
Sept 5, M	Counter Stories: Our latest grab bag covers a variety of topics, but all with the theme of the lack of empathy and inhumane treating of people, including how a pastor in Alabama was arrested for watering his neighbor's flowers, the removal of encampments for the un-housed, and those who benefit for student loan forgiveness
Sept 6, T	Food Sleuth Radio: Did you know that the United Nations has declared a plastic pollution a global crisis? Food Sleuth Radio host and registered dietician, Melinda Hemmelgran, for her interview with Sarah King, Head of Greenpeace Canada's Oceans and Plastics campaign. King exposes the fossil fuel industry's dependence on plastic for profit, its connection to our global climate crisis and the myth of plastic recycling
Sept 7, W	Native Lights: Today the Native Lights crew will be chatting with State Representative and Entrepreneur Jamie Becker-Finn (Leech Lake). Recently she celebrated the opening of her coffee shop – Makwa Coffee. They talk with Jamie about how the first few weeks of Makwa Coffee has been, how she got the idea amidst the pandemic and how the community has supported Makwa so far.
Sept 8, Th	USCM: In today's Untold Story of Central Minnesota, Art & Cultural Heritage Producer Jeff Carmack visits the rehearsal for Back on Track, a GREAT Theatre Youth Mental Health project. With two of GREAT's most experienced directors and a mental health professional from CentraCAre, nine area students are collaborating and creating a unique performance that addresses mental health issues faced by kids today.
Sept 9, F	Sidelines LIVE Sports Talk Show
Sept 12, M	Education Series: A Principal's Vision The crew is joined by St. Paul Central's new principal Cherise Ayers, who plans on making Central work for everyone, where everyone thrives. As an alumnae herself, Ayers has returned with a vision cultivate a Central where everyone thrives. The theme this year: We're in this together. She takes her responsibly

	to the school, the community, parents and especially our children very seriously.
Sept 13, T	Counter Stories: Feeling Minnesotan Minnesota is known for its abundance of natural outdoor spaces, but not everyone feels safe, knowledgeable or comfortable utilizing these spaces. Camping and fishing are among the most popular outdoor activities of the crew and our special guest, Asha Shoffner, who organizes and leads outings by and for the BIPOC community.
Sept 14, F	Sidelines LIVE Sports Talk Show
Sept 19, M	Counter Stories: Many people see environmental work as conservation, protecting the natural spaces throughout this world. But that is only part of the larger environmental justice picture. Our guests Roxanne O'Brien and Justice Jones have been working in North Minneapolis to educate, empower and encourage urban residents to take a look at how things like air quality, water quality and green spaces effect their daily lives.
Sept 20, T	Native Lights: Today we chat with Corey Medina, a blues-rock artist from Shiprock, NM, and member of the Áshjǫ́hí clan of the Diné Nation. His band, Corey Medina & Brothers, has a reputation as an on-stage powerhouse, bringing its blues-tinged rock and roll to stages across Minnesota. Corey shares his experience moving to northern Minnesota a decade ago and talks about decolonizing his writing process during the recording of the new album Soak.
Sept 21, W	MN Native News Special Edition: COVID-19 Community Conversations: On today's show from Native Lights, Antony and Leah are joined by Dr. Angela Erdrich and Laz Carreon RN, from the Indian Health Board of Minneapolis, for a discussion about COVID as our communities prepare for back-to-school. We discuss vaccines for school-age children, Paxlovid, and what to do to prepare you and your family for a COVID infection. We also talk about making the most of your back-to-school clinic visits, figuring out if you can take Paxlovid for a covid infection, and the complications around testing and COVID precautions.
Sept 22, Th	USCM: In today's Untold Story of Central Minnesota, Arts & Cultural Heritage Producer Jeff Carmack pays homage and respect to Doctor Rex Veeder, who passes away on September 2 nd at a hospice in Arizona. A friends and mentor to numerous over his years with the SCSU English Department, Veeder's creativity brought science and art together in surprising and effective ways that not only changed lives, but also saved lives.
Sept 23, F	Sidelines LIVE Sports Talk Show
Sept 26, M	Counter Stories: Racism in Environmental Justice (pt2) Many people see environmental work as conservation, protecting the natural spaces throughout this world. But that is only part of the larger environmental justice picture. Counter Stories guests Roxanne O'Brien and Justice Jones

	<p>have been working in North Minneapolis to educate, empower and encourage urban residents to take a look at how things like air quality, water quality and green spaces effect their daily lives.</p>
Sept 27, T	<p>Native Lights: Today Leah and Cole from Native Lights chat with Dani Pieratos of Harvest Nation, an indoor CSA aeroponic farm concept in northern Minnesota. She hails from Lake Vermillion on the Bois Forte Band of Chippewa reservation. Dani is also the co-founder of Bois Forte Sovereignty & Sustainable Agriculture Community Group.</p> <p>Dani, and a community of people interested in food sovereignty, are planning to bring fresh food to the Bois Forte community year around using aeroponic indoor growing systems.</p>
Sept 28, W	<p>MN Native News Special Edition: COVID-19 Community Conversations</p> <p>Bivalent Basics: All About the Updated COVID Booster:</p> <p>On today’s show, Antony and Leah are joined by Laz Carreon RN, from the Indian Health Board of Minneapolis, for a discussion about the new COVID booster, which is a bivalent booster. Laz helps understand what “bivalent” means and other things to know to make an informed decision about getting boosted.</p>
Sept 29, Th	<p>USCM: In today’s Untold Story of Central Minnesota, Arts & Cultural Heritage producer Jeff Carmack takes us to Antarctica with KVSC Alumnus Tony Abfalter. The Director of Engineering for Leighton Broadcasting just recently returned from six months at the South Pole where he oversaw communication technology at McMurdo Station for the National Science Foundation base. Jeff and tony talk about the numerous places on earth where the weather reminds everyone daily that it’s not the heat (or lack thereof), the humidity!</p>
Sept 30, F	<p>Sidelines LIVE Sports Talk Show</p>