

NEWS TALK KVNU ISSUES LIST

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The station is locally owned (Sun Valley Radio, Inc.), locally operated and involved in the community we serve. It is the valley's tradition station of local news, information, entertainment, public service and involvement in the everyday lives of the people who live in the area. We are in our 82nd year of providing News-Talk-Sports programming for Logan, Cache County, Northern Utah, Southern Idaho and Western Wyoming.

NewsTalk KVNU carries more than six hours of local news, local events, agriculture, business, local news and sports talk, and features each day. We also program a variety of national talk programs; Rush Limbaugh, Dave Ramsey, Sean Hannity, George Noory, This Morning with Gordon Deal, Dr. Sanjay Gupta, Talk Radio Countdown, Handel On The Law, Kim Komando, Glen Beck, The Travel Show, Music and the Spoken Word, and History of the Saints. Each hour, at the top of the hour, features ABC Information News, keeping listeners informed of national and world news.

During each broadcast day, NewsTalk 610 KVNU maintains a thorough group of local public service announcements on happenings and events. They are used on a rotating basis, both recorded and ad-libbed by our news anchors. Weekdays at 6:27 a.m., 8:27 a.m. and 9:27 a.m. we feature special local people, events, activities and things going on or coming up that day or night.

Most hours of the broadcast day include at least a two-minute newscast near the bottom of the hour covering local, state and regional news. It is anchored by KVNU News anchors and other on-air News hosts.

The KVNU Morning News, with Al Lewis, Craig Hislop, and Will Feelright is local and live each morning, running wall to wall with local news, talk, weather and information, from 6 to 10 a.m. each day.

Our local talk show, For The People, a locally produced, news and issues talk show in the 4 to 6 pm hour weeknights. It is hosted by Jason Williams and Bill Walter, Monday through Friday afternoons.

We also address the specifically outlined issues at any opportunity on our NewsTalk 610 KVNU Local Newscasts.

HUMANITY AND BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF ALL

4/3/2020 Hour 2: Movies that are being pushed back because of the coronavirus outbreak

4/10/2020 Hour 1: Highlights from the Utah Health Department's Friday press conference and how social media is keeping people connected during self-isolation

5/1/2020 Hour 1: Trying to follow health restrictions and yet still be able to get out of the house and socialize

5/8/2020 Hour 1: How the coronavirus has fueled conspiracy theory's

5/18/2020 Hour 2: BRHD coronavirus situation report -- People turn to local news more in health crisis -- Mask wearing and the "shopping cart" analogy

5/29/2020 Hour 2: The long term impact of COVID-19 on movie productions

6/15/2020 Hour 2: Nibley City Mayor Shawn Dustin on Heritage Days

Reimagined, flag contest -- National group running term limit ads in Utah races

6/19/2020 Hour 1: The difference between social media and the news media

6/23/2020 Hour 2: Blacksmith Fork Assisted Living hosting drive-by graduation for 92 yr resident receiving GED -- Utah Auditor higher ed fee report

6/26/2020 Hour 1: How social media causes demand for some items even during the pandemic

TRANSPORTATION

5/19/2020 Hour 2: Gas prices going up and Kaysville mayor continuing to support country concert

6/3/2020 Hour 2: Coronavirus Task Force update -- Statewide spike alarms health officials -- Tourism dependent counties ask for aid

ECONOMICS

4/7/2020 Hour 2: Gov. Herbert and statewide chamber CEO Derek Miller -- Anxiety and pandemics -- Providence City updates proposed general plan

4/23/2020 Hour 1: Coronavirus task force update -- Utah lawmakers shield businesses from COVID-19 lawsuits

4/23/2020 Hour 2: Cache Valley Bank's George Daines and Craig Maughan -- Mitt Romney host Q&A with Utah AP Government students

4/28/2020 Hour 1: Coronavirus task force update -- No new cases in Northern Utah -- What does the Governor's "soft reopening" mean for businesses?

4/30/2020 Hour 2: Fawn Zwickel, author of From Omaha to Nuremberg -- Logan bioscience company joins coronavirus fight -- Cache Chamber offers re-open guidance

5/4/2020 Hour 2: CDC says human waste could be earliest COVID-19 outbreak indicator -- Utah AG's Banjo surveillance scandal widens -- Star Wars Day virtual...

5/19/2020 Hour 1: Logan City's plan to revitalize downtown and the Family Place continues to offer help for parents and children

5/26/2020 Hour 2: Two new Utah primary polls -- Census small business survival survey -- Sen. Romney; Time to get serious about China and cyber-security

6/10/2020 Hour 1: Cache County Council votes to relax coronavirus restrictions from yellow to green and highlights of the Utah rural gubernatorial debate

HEALTH ISSUES

4/1/2020 Hour 1: CVDaily and USU Stateman reporter Allison Berg on developing USU COVID-19 cases story -- "Repeat Grade" April Fool's joke angers Utah parents,...

4/2/2020 Hour 1: Highlights from Thursday's press conference at the Utah Capitol about the spread of COVID-19 throughout the state and the partnership with tech...

4/6/2020 Hour 1: Dr. Angela Dunn warns of scams, falsehoods surrounding Utah's COVID-19 response -- Google location data reveal where people are, and aren't staying...

4/15/2020 Hour 1: Coronavirus Task Force update -- New cases in Cache County -- Rep. Dan Johnson on special session, education impact

4/20/2020 Hour 1: Coronavirus task force update -- BRHD case update -- SLC protests draw criticism from health workers

4/22/2020 Hour 2: Coronavirus task force update -- KVNU's Craig Hislop on latest BRHD data -- Idaho Gov. Brad Little says opening up now is...

4/28/2020 Hour 2: The art of contact tracing in an epidemic -- Lt. Gov Spencer Cox on convention win and campaigning in a pandemic

5/5/2020 Hour 1: The importance of social distancing measures and wearing a mask during the COVID-19 pandemic

5/15/2020 Hour 1: The anxiety of COVID-19 health regulations and Kaysville mayor taking heat for country concert

5/20/2020 Hour 2: Coronavirus Task Force update -- Concern grows over Southern Utah test trends -- Lt. Gov candidate Karina Brown heads aid drive for...

6/5/2020 Hour 1: COVID-19 restrictions as number of cases increase and does the noise of politics turn people off

6/17/2020 Hour 2: Cache County Council South candidates Marc Ensign and Nolan Gunnell -- USU epidemiologist helping BRHD

6/18/2020 Hour 1: BRHD hiring to meet COVID-19 spike demand -- Smaller increase, but no cuts for education -- Senators debate "coughing on a cop"...

6/24/2020 Hour 1: Governor Herbert press conference on accelerated coronavirus spread

6/25/2020 Hour 1: New COVID-19 numbers reported from the Bear River Health Department, and policies and candidates listeners are supporting.

GOVERNMENT

4/1/2020 Hour 2: Gov. Herbert announces rent deferment, eviction freeze order - - Cache GOP chair Chris Booth on "virtual" conventions and app voting

4/2/2020 Hour 2: Utah Lt. Governor Spencer Cox about the Utah COVID-19 task force and where the Bermuda Triangle lore started

4/8/2020 Hour 2: Herbert announces travel declarations order ahead of Easter weekend -- USU College of Engineering teaming with volunteers for health worker PPE
4/16/2020 Hour 2: Republican candidate for Congress Bob Stevenson -- SDL flying NASA equipment remotely -- Athletics programs unsure about fall seasons
4/17/2020 Hour 1: Governor Gary Herbert unveils Utah Leads Together 2.0 plan the trending topics on social media
4/24/2020 Hour 1: Social media buzz about President Trump's possible COVID-19 treatments
5/7/2020 Hour 1: US Census regional manager Jerome Garza on Utah's high response rate -- Herbert responds to contract critics -- Cache Humane Society director...
5/11/2020 Hour 1: What issues are Utah voters most concerned with? -- Local company offers unique cleaning service -- Utah cities weigh investment in nuclear
5/27/2020 Hour 2: Utah Attorney General Sean Reyes
5/28/2020 Hour 2: Lt. Governor candidate and Congressman Rob Bishop -- Herbert takes heat for past pressure on candidate to drop out -- College towns...
6/4/2020 Hour 2: Campaigns see low attendance at in person events -- Senate District 25 debate highlights
6/15/2020 Hour 1: Record number of unaffiliated voters registering as Republicans for June 20 primary -- Almost half of CD1 voters are still undecided

POLITICS

4/7/2020 Hour 1: State Coronavirus Task Force press conference -- Cache County Exec. Craig Buttars on services, construction impacted by stay home directives
4/8/2020 Hour 1: Speak to the Mayor with Logan City Mayor Holly Daines -- Highlights from Senator Romney's virtual "townhall"
4/13/2020 Hour 2: Providence Mayor John Drew about the city's master plan and the US Attorney's Office filing fraud charges against top Utah officials
4/14/2020 Hour 2: Huntsman qualifies for ballot -- Gibson explains USU degree fib -- Pandemic hits small newspapers hard
4/15/2020 Hour 2: Sen. Lyle Hillyard on special session, budget changes -- Should universities refund tuition?
4/16/2020 Hour 1: Special session day one highlights -- Coronavirus task for update -- North Logan Mayor Dammon Cann on planning for recovery
4/21/2020 Hour 1: Coronavirus task force update -- BRHD caseload reduced -- Legislature announces agenda for special session, week two
4/21/2020 Hour 2: Sen. Lyle Hillyard on campaigning, education issues facing valley districts -- Lt. Governor candidate Karina Brown
4/22/2020 Hour 1: Speak to the Mayor with Logan Mayor Holly Daines -- Jake Talbot and Tami Olsen on Young Automotive Food Pantry Parade
4/27/2020 Hour 1: Coronavirus task force update -- BRHD epidemiologist on Cache Valley numbers -- Senate 25 Republican candidate Chris Wilson

4/30/2020 Hour 1: Coronavirus task force update -- BRHD reports fifth day with no new cases -- Republican First Congressional District candidate Blake Moore
5/6/2020 Hour 1: Coronavirus task force update -- BRHD reports two new COVID-19 cases -- Democratic candidate for Congress Jamie Cheek
5/7/2020 Hour 2: Coronavirus task force update -- Highlights from the SL Chamber gubernatorial debate
5/13/2020 Hour 1: Coronavirus Task Force update -- Democratic candidate for Congress Darren Perry
5/14/2020 Hour 1: County sends election guidance letters -- Lt. Governors office releases election security report -- Republican candidate Greg Hughes
5/20/2020 Hour 1: Speak to the Mayor with Logan City Mayor Holly Daines
5/28/2020 Hour 1: Coronavirus Task Force update -- BRHD reports 22 new cases in Cache Valley -- Cache GOP chair Chris Booth on upcoming virtual...
6/2/2020 Hour 2: Utah Senator Lyle Hillyard about the Utah Tax Reform and Black Lives Matter protests
6/8/2020 Hour 1: Cache County clerk Jill Zollinger -- Cache County Council South candidate Nolan Gunnell
6/9/2020 Hour 1: Employees protest in Logan over COVID-19 outbreak -- Cache County Council South candidate Marc Ensign
6/9/2020 Hour 2: Lt. Governor and gubernatorial candidate Spencer Cox -- Utah State Auditor John Dougall on AI and privacy commission
6/11/2020 Hour 1: Gov. Herbert announces statewide police reforms -- Republican candidate for Governor Greg Hughes
6/17/2020 Hour 1: Committee approves bill authorizing forced coronavirus testing for legislative debate -- BRHD update -- How much does Utah actually have in rainy...
6/18/2020 Hour 2: Republican candidate for Congress Bob Stevenson -- Nationwide coin shortage -- U.S. Senator Mike Lee
6/25/2020 Hour 2: Utah Incumbent Senator Lyle Hillyard and challenger Chris Wilson
6/30/2020 Hour 1: The impact undecided voters will have on the Utah Primary Election

EDUCATION

4/6/2020 Hour 2: USU SBDC's Mike Young on small business resources, CARES Act provisions -- BRHD COVID-19 update -- USU ecology director to challenge Hillyard
4/9/2020 Hour 1: School shutdown stories with Spring Creek Assistant Principal Amanie Crosbie and Cache teachers Alison Ence and Jake Downs
4/14/2020 Hour 1: Herbert closes schools for school year -- Special session bills made public
5/11/2020 Hour 2: Coronavirus Task Force update -- BRHD adds 8 new cases in Monday report -- USU Small Satellite conference goes virtual
5/21/2020 Hour 2: Utah Board of Ed considering \$370B budget cut -- Lawmakers preview next COVID-19 special session

5/27/2020 Hour 1: BRHD reports largest COVID-19 single day increase -- USU announces in-person fall classes -- County seeking rural grants
6/1/2020 Hour 1: Gov. Herbert on weekend protests in Salt Lake City -- How USU plans to welcome students back -- Utah Debate Commission schedule
6/16/2020 Hour 1: Cache Schools survey parents and students on at home schooling -- Lawmakers debate forced COVID-19 testing for care facilities
6/16/2020 Hour 2: State Superintendent Syd Dickson and Education Advisor to Gov. Herbert Tami Pyfer on reopening schools and potential budget cuts
6/29/2020 Hour 2: Utah State Board of Education publishes "reopening" guide for schools -- State chamber president Derek Miller on Stay Safe Stay Open pledge

CRIME, FIRE, PUBLIC SAFETY AND LAW ENFORCEMENT

4/13/2020 Hour 1: Highlights from Monday's Utah Coronavirus Task Force press conference and the announcement that the text message travel declaration is being suspended.
4/29/2020 Hour 2: BRHD epidemiologist Angie White -- Utah Board of Education developer Sarah Young on the future of Utah classrooms
5/5/2020 Hour 2: Cache County Attorney James Swink about the local impact of COVID-19 on the court system
5/14/2020 Hour 2: Coronavirus Task Force update -- What does moving from moderate to low risk mean? -- First district candidate under fire for planned...
5/18/2020 Hour 1: Logan Police announce investigation after report officer shared photos of slain U of U student -- Lawmakers add incident to education committee...
5/21/2020 Hour 1: Republican candidate for Congress Bob Stevenson -- USU students launch petition to have Logan officer fired -- Herbert endorses Cox
5/26/2020 Hour 1: Latest Utah data show COVID-19 "plateau" holding steady -- Utah lawmakers announce artificial intelligence and crime prediction oversight bills
6/1/2020 Hour 2: BRHD's Lloyd Berentsen on valley spike in COVID-19 numbers -- Utah lawmakers debate budget cuts, rainy day funds
6/2/2020 Hour 1: Fire season in Utah and USU professor Christopher Terry about a local social media art auction
6/3/2020 Hour 1: BRHD caseload nearly doubles in one week -- Thousands of unaffiliated voters are registering GOP for primaries
6/22/2020 Hour 2: -- State health leaders urging Herbert to go back to "orange" -- Idaho reinstitutes some restrictions -- IRS buying cell phone tracking...
6/24/2020 Hour 2: Cache County Sheriff Chad Jensen -- Three state travel advisory includes Utah -- Will there be college sports?
6/29/2020 Hour 1: Utah Fire Authority reports 20 human caused wildfires -- National term limits org causes stir in Utah races

FAMILY AND SOCIAL ISSUES

4/3/2020 Hour 1: How the coronavirus outbreak is blurring the days for citizens and how people are trying to stay connected with family online
4/9/2020 Hour 2: Gov Herbert pleads with Utahns to stay home on Easter Weekend -- Cache Food Pantry's Matt Witaker -- Hillyard shares revenue projections

5/4/2020 Hour 1: Coronavirus task force update -- CAPSA service continues despite shutdown challenges -- Romney proposes "Patriot Pay"
6/8/2020 Hour 2: Cache Community Food Pantry's Matt Whittaker -- Republican candidate for Utah House 3 Mike Petersen
6/10/2020 Hour 2: Reaction to the decision of the Cache County Council to move from yellow to green coronavirus restrictions
6/12/2020 Hour 1: Retail data shows people returning to physical books in the pandemic -- Will 2020 lead to an art and pop culture "renaissance"?
6/22/2020 Hour 1: Primary election open lines -- What issues are voters paying attention to most?
6/23/2020 Hour 1: Primary election open lines -- State elections office registration switching numbers
6/30/2020 Hour 2: Media outlets file lawsuit against Utah County and suicide training in Bear Lake

OUTDOORS AND ENVIRONMENT

4/27/2020 Hour 2: Northern Utah State Park manager Chris Haramoto on state parks and social distancing -- Republican Attorney General candidate David Leavitt
5/8/2020 Hour 2: The popularity of drive-ins because of the coronavirus
5/12/2020 Hour 1: Great Salt Lake landfill fast tracked by lawmakers in financial trouble -- Sen. Lyle Hillyard on virtual town halls
5/13/2020 Hour 2: Gubernatorial candidates lay out recovery plans in debate -- Lawmakers prep for special session -- Wildfire assessment group warns of early wildfire...
6/4/2020 Hour 1: Coronavirus Task Force update: Utah spike continues -- Untended campfires worry state leaders -- Utah Senate president tests positive for COVID-19 antibodies

LOCAL EVENTS AND CULTURE

4/10/2020 Hour 2: Trolls World Tour online watch party and other video services that are offering programs for families that are self-quarantining
4/17/2020 Hour 2: Movies and videos that are seeing big streaming numbers online during the COVID-19 pandemic
4/20/2020 Hour 2: Cache GOP virtual convention results with Chair Chris Booth -- Brandon Douglas, Cache Cruise In president -- First district polls
4/24/2020 Hour 2: The impact of COVID-19 on Hollywood and the popularity of streaming services
4/29/2020 Hour 1: Coronavirus task force update -- Chambers publish COVID-19 guidelines -- Capt. Kip Sumner on HAFB F-35A Lightning II flyover for health workers
5/1/2020 Hour 2: FTP Movie Show about movies that might still be coming out this year despite the COVID-19 pandemic.
5/15/2020 Hour 2: FTP Movie Show about the possibility of theaters reopening and what academy award pictures have been a bomb
5/22/2020 Hour 1: How people are working from home and more businesses that are reopening

5/22/2020 Hour 2: How celebrities are still remaining in the spotlight through the COVID-19 pandemic

5/29/2020 Hour 1: More cancellations announced as Logan City pulls Pioneer Day plans

6/5/2020 Hour 2: Movies that have influenced the Black Lives Matter movement

6/11/2020 Hour 2: Coronavirus Task Force update -- Cache tourism director calls impact of coronavirus a disaster

6/12/2020 Hour 2: FTP Movie Show: Theater chains reveal re-opening schedule, restrictions -- What's on the small screen

6/19/2020 Hour 2: FTP Movie Show going back to the movie theaters

6/26/2020 Hour 2: FTP Movie Show talking about new movies that are being released on streaming platforms

Between April and June, KVNU was contacted multiple times by local law enforcement regarding road closures and severe traffic accidents.

5/6/2020 Hour 2: Should the names of businesses who ignored health guidelines be publicized? -- Hot Dogs and Hot Wheels cancelled -- Utah AG primary...

April 4 & 5, KVNU broadcast general conference for The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. The two hour general sessions aired at 10 a.m., 2 p.m., and 6 p.m. on Saturday, and 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. on Sunday.

KVNU also continued to offer tours and spoke to groups interested in radio. These groups included Boy Scouts of America, church and school organizations.

KVNU always runs extra commercials and announcements to help in this period promoting fundraisers and events. Some groups running schedules were Child and Family Support Center, Cache Valley for Hope, Alzheimer's Coalition, Sub for Santa, Common Ground Outdoor Adventures, Chamber of Commerce, and other local groups having fund raisers to help ailing or needy people in our valley.

We also have a web site www.kvnutalk.com and www.CacheValleyDaily.com which instantly updates news, especially local news, plus has local community events calendars, and free classified advertising, plus business links. We use social media sites Facebook, Twitter and our Commotion smart phone app to also inform listeners.

We all live in our community and we believe in promoting all the good events and activities that our listeners are involved in, or could get involved in.