

KRWG-TV
Quarterly Program Topic Report

July-September

2019

KRWG-TV is the PBS station located in Las Cruces, New Mexico. We are licensed by New Mexico State University and our offices are located on NMSU's Las Cruces campus. KRWG-TV is proud to be the only television station in southern New Mexico. We also provide unique services in the El Paso, Texas/Las Cruces, New Mexico service area.

Through meetings with citizens and community leaders, partnerships with area newspapers and other organizations, and extensive production of news and public affairs programming, the staff of KRWG-TV has determined the following issues are of primary importance to our coverage area:

Health/Welfare/Safety – While the over-all crime rate is no higher than the national average, poverty and a higher than average teenage population contribute to a gang and crime problem. Poverty also results in health and welfare issues including an above average social services caseload and a high number of welfare cases handled by the local hospital.

Culture – The mix of Hispanic/Native American/ and Anglo cultures provide many positive attributes to life in southern New Mexico. Cultural and historical understanding is of great importance.

Business - With an above-average unemployment rate and a below-average income level, the status of the business/agricultural community in southern New Mexico is crucial. Concern over the constant issue of defense spending at the federal level is ongoing in this area due to the presence of several military and NASA installations. Dona Ana County is also actively seeking new businesses and a strong infrastructure exists near the Santa Teresa Border Crossing to boost border trade.

Politics/Public Affairs – Southern New Mexico and the United States have a wide variety of contentious political issues that are of constant interest to the citizens of the involved communities.

Education – With a constantly growing population of children, many of whom use Spanish as their primary language, the school systems in the KRWG-TV viewing area are constantly trying to provide facilities and teachers to meet this growing school age population with limited funds. New Mexico is one of the poorest per-capita states in the nation, which results in a chronic shortage of funds for local education.

Water/Environment – KRWG-TV is located in a desert with two major sources of water: the Rio Grande River and an aquifer that supplies

drinking water to Las Cruces and surrounding areas in the Mesilla Valley. Water is the lifeblood of the region and conflicts are escalating over the requirements of a growing urban population and agriculture.

HEALTH / WELFARE / SAFETY

Beyond Borders: Undocumented Mexican Americans

Sunday at 5pm, 9/8 (60min)

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Everyone's Business: Protecting Our Children

Saturday at 5pm, 7/6 & Sunday at 11am, 7/7 (60min)

The cost of child maltreatment and neglect is enormous to both our government and society. Thousands of children grow through adulthood with the effects of trauma touching every aspect of their lives and often repeat the cycle with their own children. This campaign focuses on FIVE SOLUTIONS that will save millions of dollars and thousands of young lives in New Mexico.

Ripples of Columbine

Thursday at 9pm, 8/1 & Friday at 3am, 8/2 (30min)

In the 20 years since the mass shooting at Columbine High School, survivors have been on a journey of recovery. Hear, in their own voices, how the events of that day continue to ripple, even now, in their lives and the lives of their families. Learn what they want others to know about the journey and how to keep going. And while they continue to deal with both physical and psychological scars, theirs is a message of hope.

Lesons of Columbine

Thursday at 9pm, 8/8; Friday at 3am, 8/9 (30min)

After the Parkland school shooting, some wondered if anything had changed since Columbine. Much has. We follow the story of a SWAT team member who had to make the horrible decision to either save 60 kids hiding in the Columbine High School choir office, or go rescue one person who was bleeding to death. What was learned at Columbine helped save lives seven years later when a gunman entered another Colorado school. The same SWAT officer was there. And he trained school leaders across the nation. The lessons failed at Parkland. But they worked last year when the SWAT officer's own daughter found herself trapped in the Thousand Oaks, CA, Borderline Bar & Grill by a gunman who killed 12 as she texted with her dad while hiding in the attic.

Conversations of Columbine

Thursday at 9pm, 8/15; Friday at 3am, 8/16 (30min)

The gunmen behind at least 40 other mass shootings have said they were inspired by Columbine. Each time a mass shooting happens, Americans take to their corners on gun control and mental health. We talk to two brothers, both trauma surgeons who specialize in gun wounds. They also each own guns and shoot together regularly for sport. But even they have wound up on opposite sides of the gun control debate, showing how informed, rational people can have differing views. We delve into the data on school shootings to learn what's true and what's not. We meet the psychologist who reluctantly became perhaps the country's leading expert on school shooters, who describes what we've learned about preventing them. And we meet a school shooter who represents the majority of school shooters: not on a rampage, but a reaction.

World Without Cancer: The Real Promise of Prevention with Margaret I. Cuomo, MD

Sunday at 930am, 8/18 & Saturday, 8/24 at 330pm (90min)

Margaret I. Cuomo, M.D. is a board certified radiologist, teaching professional, and national advocate for the prevention of cancer, heart disease and diabetes. In the program **A WORLD WITHOUT CANCER: THE REAL PROMISE OF PREVENTION WITH MARGARET I. CUOMO, MD**, she discusses the 10 actionable lifestyle changes that individuals can do every day to lower the risk of cancer, and other life threatening diseases, while improving quality of life. In addition to interviews with medical professionals, physicians, and nutritionists from top medical organizations and schools, **A WORLD WITHOUT CANCER** also features documentarian Ken Burns and singer/songwriter Valerie Simpson discussing firsthand how cancer has impacted their lives.

Five Dreamers

Thursday at 730pm, 8/15; Friday at 130am, 8/16; Sunday at 5pm, 9/15 (30min)

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3 Steps to Pain-Free Living

Sunday at 11am, 8/18; Thursday at 7pm, 8/22; Friday at 1am, 8/23; Saturday at 8am, 8/24 (90min)

Eliminate the root cause of many painful conditions with this easy to follow plan from neuromuscular therapist, yoga instructor and pain specialist Lee Albert, who teaches five simple exercises to correct muscle imbalance.

Ecosense for Living

Saturdays at 1230pm ended 7/13 (30min)

Thought-provoking series of eco-topics ranging from reconnecting kids to nature, green jobs, and healthy lifestyles limiting the impacts of toxins on our home and bodies. The series aims to empower viewers with practical solutions geared toward saving money, treading lighter on the planet, and improving quality of life.

VAPE

Thursday at 7pm, 9/12; Friday at 1am, 9/13; Saturday at 5pm, 9/14 & Sunday at 11am, 9/15 (60min)

“VAPE” is centered around a documentary program regarding the use of E-cigarettes especially in the youth community so parents, educators and juveniles understand the spectrum of health issues and dangers associated with these products. Because the number of youth users is rising dramatically, the program helps explain the product and its various uses including for nicotine and cannabis consumption. Communities, parents, and, most importantly, teen peers will learn the current facts around this kind of ingestion.

Not-Dying Girl

Sunday at 130pm, 7/28 (30min)

Discover the emotional story of Lauren McCullough, a star high school athlete who was diagnosed with Ewing’s Sarcoma and spent her time spreading awareness about the cancer and completing inspiring bucket-list items.

Forever Young-Baby Boomers

Sunday at 130pm, 7/21 (30min)

Examine the medical and social challenges facing the baby boomer generation and discover new ways they're sustaining their health and well-being.

Keto Diet with Dr. Josh Axe

Saturday at 230pm, 8/17, Thursday at 830pm, 8/22, Friday at 230am, 8/23 & Sunday at 130pm, 8/25 (90min)

In his familiar upbeat style, Dr. Axe puts his own fresh spin on the widely successful and well-researched keto diet. Unlike many fad diets that come and go with very limited rates of long-term success, the ketogenic diet (or “keto diet”) has been practiced for more than nine decades and is based upon a solid understanding of physiology and nutrition science. The program showcases delicious food and recipe options. It includes a demonstration of how to make Dr. Axe’s preferred keto-friendly, gut-healing smoothie recipe. Dr. Axe clearly outlines the great benefits of the keto diet beyond fasting and weight loss: reduced risk for type 2 diabetes, reduced risk of heart disease, resistance to brain and neurological disorders, and more.

Feel Better Fast and Make It Last with Daniel Amen, MD

Saturday at 930am, 8/17; Thursday at 10pm, 8/22; Friday at 4am, 8/23 and Sunday at 930am, 8/25 (90min)

In this program, Feel Better Fast and Make It Last, neuroscientist, psychiatrist, and 10-time New York Times bestselling author Dr. Daniel Amen will show you how to boost your mood and overcome anxiety and worry by giving you 7 simple brain-based strategies to feel better fast and make it last. Nearly all of us have felt anxious, sad, exhausted, or hopeless at some point in life ... or we know someone who has. You are not alone. According to the National Institutes of Mental Health, 51% of the US population will have a mental illness at some point in their lives. Anxiety disorders are the most common, followed by depression, ADHD and addictions. It's more normal to have a problem than not to have one. Many people want to get help, but feel embarrassed or

ashamed, because of the stigma attached to mental health issues, so they end up suffering in silence or overeat, use alcohol, or rush to take the latest medications to try to make themselves feel better fast, but it often doesn't last. Feel Better Fast and Make It Last will show viewers the strategies taught to patients at Amen Clinics, where they have one of the highest published success rates for people who suffer from anxiety, depression, addictions and grief. The program set contains many time pieces to highlight to viewers that many of the techniques Dr. Amen will share literally take just a few minutes or even less.

Feel Better with Pressure Point Therapy

Saturday at 12pm, 8/17; Saturday at 1230pm, 8/24 and Sunday at 12am, 8/25 (60min)

In the first-ever pledge special on Pressure Points Therapy, Dr. Michael Pinkus (D.C.) empowers viewers to take pain relief into their own hands. Over the years, Dr. Pinkus has found a way to make Eastern medicine practices easy to understand and accessible to the layperson. Comparing Asian acupuncture charts to Western nerve charts of the body, Dr. Pinkus cross referenced which nerve pathways were involved with the ancient acupressure points. Where did the nerve travel to? What area of the body did it control or influence? Which organs were influenced by these points and how did this correspond to the nerve pathways in the body? From these observations and many years of hands-on application as a successful Doctor of Chiropractic, he derived this technique which he coined "Pressure Point Therapy." Pressure Point Therapy with Dr. Michael Pinkus (wt.) is a lecture format special that will show viewers how they can apply these techniques in their daily lives.

Innovations in Medicine

Sundays at 1pm except 8/18 & 8/25 (30min)

Innovations in Medicine is a fast paced 30-minute program exploring the latest breakthroughs in research and treatment from some of the top medical and scientific centers in the United States. The show has visited such highly regarded facilities as the Salk Institute, UCLA Medical Center, Texas Orthopedic Center and Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center and the American Federation of AIDS Research in New York City. Each episode focuses on the hot health topics of the day such as stem cell research, biologics, cancer and even the common cold. In depth interviews on location with the physicians, Nobel Prize Winning scientists and patients sharing their stories, and successes are featured. This 13-part series is topic driven with emphasis, for example, on obesity, sleep, sports medicine, cancer breakthroughs, plastic surgery and newest ways to stop back pain. Using the latest graphics and animations, Innovations in Medicine explores the new horizons in medicine and offers answers and hope to the diseases and conditions that affect.

Wai Lana Yoga

Monday-Friday at 630am beginning July 1st ended 9/10 (30min)

Instructor Wai Lana's approach to the ancient science of yoga targets overall health by focusing not only on the body, but also on the mind and spirit.

Wai Lana Yoga For A Vetter Life & A Better World

Saturday 8/17 & Sunday 8/25 at 8am (90min)

WAI LANA YOGA: FOR A BETTER LIFE & A BETTER WORLD reveals how the principles and practices of yoga can vastly improve our lives and the world we live in. True yoga embodies humility and respect for others and has the power to transform our world into a more peaceful, harmonious place. Wai Lana, host of the series, Wai Lana Yoga, shares the ancient secrets of yoga while revealing the many wonderful benefits of a yoga practice for people of all ages-from children to the elderly. It consistently proves to be an extraordinary means for achieving physical, mental, and spiritual well-being.

Happy Yoga with Sarah Starr

Monday-Friday at 630am beginning September 11th (30min)

"Happy Yoga with Sarah Starr" is a T.V. program designed to inspire others to greater health and well-being through a rejuvenating chair yoga practice, all while featuring the beauty of Mother Nature. The chair replaces the yoga mat and becomes an extension of your body allowing you to take advantage of yoga's benefits, relaxing your body and mind, boosting your fitness, flexibility and improving your overall well-being from the ease of a chair.

CLASSICAL STRETCH: The Esmonde Technique

Monday-Friday at 6am began 7/25 and ended 9/4 (30min)

CLASSICAL STRETCH: THE ESMONDE TECHNIQUE focuses on overall wellness and physical fitness. This series, hosted by Miranda Esmonde-White, features a graceful, fluid and controlled method of stretching the entire body. It combines yoga, tai chi, Pilates and ballet techniques, plus specific movements and stretches that reach muscles and ligaments not normally targeted in the average fitness program. The movements, designed in consultation with a physician and a physiotherapist, are simple, safe, effective and appropriate for all ages and fitness levels.

CLASSICAL STRETCH: By Eccentrics

Monday-Friday at 6am ended 7/24; began again 9/5 (30min)

Created, produced and hosted by former professional ballerina Miranda Esmonde-White, the continuing series CLASSICAL STRETCH: BY ESSETRICS helps people of all ages and fitness levels rebalance their bodies, increase mobility and keep joints healthy and pain-free. Based on the fitness technique Eccentrics, developed by Miranda, each 30-minute episode features a full-body workout with dynamic strengthening and stretching exercises: all-standing, all-floor or all-barre. In CLASSICAL STRETCH: BY ESSETRICS XI, participants will notice an immediate increase in flexibility and a release of tension in their muscles after each episode-improving their posture and range of motion. Stress is released and aches and pains are soothed through the gradual unlocking of the entire body.

Gutbliss with Dr. Robynne Chutkan

Sunday at 8am, 8/18 & Saturday at 930am, 8/24 (90min)

Discover how true health begins in the gut with this groundbreaking guide to digestive wellness. Clearer skin, better mood, more energy and even a decreased risk for diseases like obesity and diabetes are all possible when you achieve a healthy gut.

Healthy Minds with Dr. Jeffrey Borenstein

Sundays at 130pm except 8/18 & 8/25 (30min)

One in five people has a diagnosable mental disorder. For many families, the fear and shame associated with a diagnosis of mental illness can lead to isolation and suffering in silence. HEALTHY MINDS the Emmy nominated, award-winning series, once again, aims to educate the public about psychiatric conditions which affect so many people. The series humanizes mental health conditions through inspiring personal stories and interviews with leading researchers and experts, who provide the latest information about diagnosis and treatment. As Dr. Borenstein explains, "Everyone is touched by psychiatric conditions, either themselves or a loved one. Our goal is to share cutting edge information from experts along with personal experiences from people who have overcome psychiatric conditions. Now, more than ever, it is important to reduce stigma and encourage people who have a psychiatric condition not to suffer in silence but to seek help. I want people to know that with help, there is hope."

Second Opinion

Sundays at 130pm ended 7/14 (30min)

Fast-paced and provocative, SECOND OPINION focuses on health literacy in an engaging, entertaining and accessible way. The long-running series engages a panel of medical professionals and lay people in honest, in-depth discussions about complex health issues and life-changing medical decisions. Host Dr. Peter Salgo, who maintains a full-time practice at Columbia University Medical Center in New York City, presents intriguing, real-life medical cases to professionals representing a variety of specialties. As the experts grapple with the diagnosis and treatment options, viewers gain an understanding of doctors' decision-making process. This season, topics include: psoriasis, chronic pain management, medical radiation, pituitary gland tumor, living with Alzheimer's, pneumonia, autism and more.

CULTURE

Head of Joaquin Murrieta

Sunday at 5pm, 9/22 (30min)

For over a decade filmmaker John J. Valadez searched for the remains of Joaquin Murrieta, a legendary Mexican outlaw who blazed a trail of revenge across California until he was caught and decapitated in the summer of 1853. A hundred and sixty-two years later Valadez believes he has the head. So he embarks on a quixotic, cross-country road trip through history, myth and memory to bury the fabled head of Joaquin Murrieta. Along the way he discovers chilling parallels with his own family story and eventually realizes that the head he will bury is only symbolic. And yet its power as a metaphor remains. Using new ground breaking scholarship and working with a team of leading historians from across the country, The Head of Joaquin Murrieta provides a dissenting view of American history from a decidedly Chicano perspective. Deeply personal, irreverent and entertaining, the film tears open a painful and long ignored historical trauma that has never been explored on American television: the lynching of Mexican Americans in the west.

Beyond La Bamba

Sunday at 530pm, 9/22 (30min)

Through the compelling story of a young musician who leaves home to follow his dreams, Mexico's 300-year-old son jarocho tradition comes vividly to life in Beyond La Bamba. From the rural roots of Veracruz to the urban rhythms of the Midwest, a family of iconic musicians forges a new life but remains true to their music.

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Voces on PBS: Adios Amor - The Search for Maria Moreno #302

Friday at 9pm, 9/20 & Saturday at 3am, 9/21

Discover the true story behind the 1918 massacre of 15 Mexican men in this tiny border town. The film asks what led to the events of that fateful night and reveals the tensions that still remain along the border a century later.

Voces on PBS: Porvenir, Texas #303

Friday at 9pm, 9/27 & Saturday at 3am, 9/28

See how the discovery of lost photographs sparks the search for a hero that history forgot - Maria Moreno, an eloquent migrant mother of 12 who became an outspoken leader for farmworker rights. Her legacy was buried - until now.

Re-Evolution: The Cuban Dream

Sunday at 5pm, 9/15

Diving into the streets of Havana, RE-EVOLUTION: THE CUBAN DREAM introduces a social worker, an ethnographer, and three artists. Their stories provide unique perspectives on how Cuba is shaped by an ongoing culture of revolution that is more nuanced than meets the eye. This program is the first in an eventual four-part series which will explore pillars of Cuban society that are drastically evolving today.

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Platicas

Sundays at 1030pm ended 7/28; Sundays at 430am ended 7/29 (30min)

Produced by PRC Productions, in association with the Mesquite Historic Preservation Society, Pláticas presents the real stories of the pioneers who established the Mesilla Valley, told by those who lived it and their descendants who carry on the oral tradition. Broken into twelve segments of approximately 27 minutes, each episode introduces a different story, told through interviews, pictures and, where possible, archival film footage.

New Mexico Colores!

Sundays at 10pm beginning 7/14 except 8/18, 8/25, 9/8, 9/15 & 9/22; Mondays at 4am beginning 7/15 except 8/19, 8/26, 9/9, 9/16 & 9/23 (30min)

¡COLORES! is a weekly art series with stories devoted to the creative spirit. The series features local and national stories about film, visual and performing arts, theater, photography, literature, painting, sculpture, poetry and dance.

NEWSMAKERS

Thursdays at 7pm except 7/4, 8/22 & 9/12; Fridays at 1am except; Saturdays at 5pm except 7/6, 8/24 & 9/14; Sundays at 1130am except 7/7, 8/25 & 9/15 (30min)

NEWSMAKERS: the region's in-depth source for news from New Mexico and Texas. Every week, Newsmakers features the people, issues, and events that shape our community. Shows in September will focus on our region's role in the future of energy; the new Las Cruces Convention Center; and how New Mexico State University is engaging the scientists of the future by reaching out to area students.

7/11

Ron Stallworth

On this episode of Newsmakers, Michael Hernandez speaks with retired police detective and author Ron Stallworth, who details his experiences of infiltrating the Ku Klux Klan in the late 1970s in his book "Black Klansman"

7/18

Space exploration in New Mexico

This week on Newsmakers, as we approach the 50th anniversary of the moon landing...we'll take a look at space exploration in New Mexico. Spaceport America is the site of an annual rocket competition among University students from across the globe. Plus...we'll learn about the history of the land that would eventually become the White Sands Test Facility.

7/25

Las Cruces Sister Cities Program; WSMR Missile Park Museum

This episode features a variety of field reports, including a look at the Las Cruces Sister Cities program and a visit to White Sands Missile Range; near the WSMR Museum is a missile park displaying a variety of missiles and rockets tested at White Sands.

8/1

Dr. Karen Trujillo

This week on Newsmakers, Fred Martino interviews former New Mexico Education Secretary Dr. Karen Trujillo. They discuss the challenges facing New Mexico as it tries to improve education in the state.

8/8

Immigration

This episode of Newsmakers takes us to a naturalization ceremony at the Las Cruces Convention Center, where nearly 200 people became U.S. citizens. Also: a report on a class at New Mexico State University that draws students from across the country to work for immigrant rights on the border.

8/15

Governor Michelle Lujan Grisham (D) New Mexico

This week on Newsmakers, Fred Martino interviews New Mexico Governor Michelle Lujan Grisham (D) from the Roundhouse in Santa Fe.

8/29

Brian Blalock

This week on Newsmakers, Fred Martino sits down for an in depth conversation with the Secretary of New Mexico CYFD Brian Blalock.

9/5

Best of Living Here - Events

This week on Newsmakers: The Best of Living Here, featuring a look at some events during the year from Saturday's Farmers and Crafts market in downtown Las Cruces, to the Experimental Aircraft Association that tries to take advantage of the weather all year long, to the Gila River festival that preserves the natural beauty of the area, and finally when summers cools down we heat up with the Hatch Chile festival.

9/19

Best of Living Here – Natural Wonders

This week on Newsmakers: The Best of Living Here, featuring a look at some natural wonders in Southern New Mexico that are only a few miles outside of Las Cruces from the Chihuahuan Desert to an incredible view of Sandhill cranes who stop near Hatch on their way South, to the first dam built on the Rio Grande in Leasburg Dam State Park, and an orchard that grows a variety of apples in the Mesilla Valley to a museum in downtown Las Cruces that focuses on a variety of indigenous animals and fossils.

9/26

Best of Living Here – Historic Places

This week on Newsmakers: The Best of Living Here, featuring a look at some historic places to visit in southern New Mexico. We visit Lake Valley just south of Hillsboro, and the historic Rio Grande Theatre in downtown Las Cruces. We traveled to Truth or

Consequences to explore a forty-year old historical collection of Sierra County and in Silver City we visit a Victorian style home turned into the city's museum and finally we admire a remarkable collection of automobiles in an airplane hangar in Santa Teresa.

NEW MEXICO IN FOCUS

Sundays at Noon; except 8/18 & 8/25 (60min)

7/7

Host:

Gene Grant

Correspondents:

Russell Contreras

Khalil Ekulona

Megan Kamerick

Guests:

Michael Bird, Past President, American Public Health Association

Todd Greentree, National Security Advisor

Merlinda Chavez, Co-Founder, Rio Grande Heat Football Team

Kimberlee “Kap’n Krush” Haines, Participant, Duke City Roller Derby

Danni Nava, Team Assistant, Rio Grande Heat Football Team

****No Line Opinion Panel This Week****

This week on New Mexico in Focus, correspondent Megan Kamerick sits down with a groundbreaking local figure in the field of public health. Michael Bird is a regular contributor on our Line opinion panel segments. But he is also a former president of the American Public Health Association, the first Native American to ever hold the position. Bird talks about his decades working on issues like health care administration and policy, as well as closing the gap on health disparities for Native Americans.

NMIF continues to look at all aspects of the current migrant crisis facing our state and country. This includes the mass exodus of people from Central American countries ravaged by civil wars, including El Salvador. Correspondent Russell Contreras looks into that turbulent history and how it is shaping the crisis we see today with Todd Greentree, a National Security Advisor and former political officer at the U.S. Embassy in El Salvador.

This week, the U.S. Women’s National Soccer Team will compete for World Cup glory in France. The team’s success is a source of great pride, but it’s just one example of the way female athletes are competing at the highest levels. Here in New Mexico, that can also include sports you might not think about, like full contact football and roller derby.

Correspondent Khalil Ekulona talks with local athletes to find out why they're drawn to these more violent games, and what the community can do to better support these sports.

7/14

Host:

Gene Grant

Correspondent:

Laura Paskus

Studio Guest:

Sen. Tom Udall, (D) New Mexico

Field Guests:

Laurel Ladwig, graduate student, UNM Geography and Environmental Studies

Judith Phillips, garden designer

Stuart Ashman, CEO, International Folk Art Market

Sandy Wylie, Associate Director, International Folk Art Market

Line Panelists:

Merritt Allen, Vox Optima LLC

Stephanie Maez, ProgressNow New Mexico

Kristelle Siarza, Siarza Social Digital

Harry Van Buren, UNM Anderson School of Management

This week on New Mexico in Focus, environmental correspondent Laura Paskus speaks with outgoing Senator Tom Udall about the struggle for action on climate change during his final 18 months in the U.S. Senate. Paskus also takes viewers along for this month's installment of Our Land, as she examines the effort to build a network of backyard wildlife sanctuaries across New Mexico's urban landscape. The spaces can create a surprisingly serene refuge for animals and people.

NMIF travels to Santa Fe to look at the work being done by hordes of volunteers at this weekend's International Folk Art Market. Many of those who work at the event are participating in "volunteerism," where people make their vacation plans based on a volunteer opportunity. The market counts nearly 1,800 people as volunteers.

Gene Grant and the Line opinion panelists delve into wealthy financier and alleged sex trafficker Jeffrey Epstein's New Mexico connections and the broader issue of human trafficking in our state. The group also looks at how to balance the economic benefits of nuclear waste storage and fossil fuel extraction with protecting New Mexico's land and citizens. The Line's final topic is the lawsuit brought by some former employees of Meow Wolf, accusing the creative arts collective of gender discrimination.

7/21

Host:

Gene Grant

Correspondents:

Antonia Gonzales
Megan Kamerick

Studio Guests:

Nikki Nojima Louis, New Mexico Japanese American Citizens League
Maya Salganek, interstitial producer, “Molly of Denali”

Line Panelists:

Michael Bird, public health consultant
Jeffrey Candelaria, Konnection Now & KKOB
Inez Russell Gomez, Santa Fe New Mexican
Mary T. Torres, attorney

This week on New Mexico in Focus, correspondent Megan Kamerick sits down with Nikki Nojima Louis, who was among 120,000 Japanese Americans incarcerated in camps across the West during World War II. Nojima Louis now lives in Albuquerque and works with the New Mexico Japanese American Citizens League, creating plays based on the oral histories of people like her who were imprisoned. Recently she joined a protest with other internment survivors at Fort Sill in Oklahoma where Japanese men were interned during the war. There are plans to use the site to house young migrants crossing the Mexican border.

Correspondent Antonia Gonzales talks with producer Maya Salganek about “Molly of Denali,” a new PBS KIDS series that tells the story of a 10-year-old Alaska Native girl. The show weaves together literacy skills and Native values. It’s the first nationally distributed children’s television series to feature a Native American lead character. Salganek was born and raised in Santa Fe.

Gene Grant and the Line opinion panelists discuss the Chile war heating up between Colorado and New Mexico. The group also looks at Governor Lujan Grisham’s appointment of a task force to work on cannabis legalization, as well as proposed changes to the state’s medical marijuana program. The Line’s final topic is on Attorney General Hector Balderas’ push to change the state’s sex offender laws in the wake of the Jeffrey Epstein scandal.

7/28

Host:

Gene Grant

Correspondents:

Antonia Gonzales
Megan Kamerick

Studio Guests:

Cheyenne Antonio, Coalition to Stop Violence Against Native Women
Christina Castro, Three Sisters Collective
Enrique Lamadrid, editor/author, “Nación Genízara”
Moises Gonzales, editor/author, “Nación Genízara”

Line Panelists:

Diane Denish, former NM lieutenant governor
Dave Mulryan, founder, Everybody Votes
Edmund E. Perea, attorney
H. Diane Snyder, former NM state senator

This week on New Mexico in Focus, correspondent Megan Kamerick talks with two scholars at the University of New Mexico about a delicate subject – slavery. Slavery was common in the Southwest, especially in our state. Native Americans were captured and sold to Hispanic families, a practice that continued up to and beyond the Civil War. They were called genízaros. Scholars Enrique Lamadrid and Moises Gonzales, editors and contributing authors of “Nación Genízara”, explain history’s impact on New Mexico’s identity.

Correspondent Antonia Gonzales sits down with Native women’s advocates Cheyenne Antonio and Christina Castro to talk about the **MMIW** – Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women and Girls – movement. The Urban Indian Health Institute pointed out in 2018 that New Mexico has the highest number of cases in the country. In June, a report by UNM’s Native American Budget and Policy Institute sought to better understand the issues here and gave advocates a way to keep the MMIW crisis in the news.

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8/4

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NMiF also airs a portion of KRWG-TV Director of Content Fred Martino's interview with ousted secretary Karen Trujillo. The two talk about Trujillo's vision for education reform and the timeline in which she hoped – and now the Lujan Grisham administration hopes – to achieve significant change in New Mexico's public schools.

Gene Grant and the Line opinion panelists discuss recent standardized test results showing less than a third of New Mexico public school students are proficient in reading and about one-fifth show math proficiency. The group also debates the best way to handle the ongoing migrant crisis at the border and examines a retelling of the history connected to the 50th Española Valley Fiesta.

8/11

Host:

Gene Grant

Correspondents:

Megan Kamerick

Laura Paskus

Studio Guest:

Janet Napolitano, former Homeland Security Secretary, author of "How Safe Are We?"

Field Guests:

Todd Schulke, co-founder, Center for Biological Diversity

Norman Gaume, retired director, New Mexico Interstate Stream Commission

Pete Domenici, Jr., attorney, New Mexico Central Arizona Project Entity

Line Panelists:

Lonna Atkeson, UNM Political Science professor

Eric Griego, former NM state senator

Sophie Martin, attorney
Kristelle Siarza, CEO, Siarza Social Digital

This week, New Mexico in Focus features an interview with Janet Napolitano, President Barack Obama's first Homeland Security Secretary. Napolitano argues that, since the terrorist attacks of 9/11, the United States needs to focus its attention and resources on actual threats to the country, instead of what she terms "security theater." She talked with NMIF Correspondent Megan Kamerick about what those threats are, and what they are not.

In this month's installment of Our Land, correspondent Laura Paskus travels to the remote Gila Wilderness for an in-depth report on the battle over the Gila River. Once again, a proposal for a diversion on the southwestern New Mexico waterway has people who live along the river – and those who have other interests – trying to either save the river or reroute its waters to serve agricultural and business purposes.

Gene Grant and The Line opinion panelists look at the sickening wave of mass shootings in El Paso, Dayton and elsewhere. They debate whether calling out domestic terrorism will force a change in the conversation. The Line also looks at transparency in matters concerning the Department of Public Safety under the state's former and current administrations. The Line's final topic concerns the disproportionately high rate of opioids dispensed by one drugstore in Española.

8/18

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This week on New Mexico in Focus, senior producer Matt Grubs sits down for an in-depth conversation with Gov. Michelle Lujan Grisham about her ambitious goal of raising New Mexico's public education system to be the best in the country. Less than a month after firing her education secretary, the governor picked Ryan Stewart to lead the Public Education Department.

NMiF goes to Albuquerque's International District to see how neighbors working with the Nature Conservancy and Rocky Mountain Youth Corps have transformed a vacant dirt lot into a pop-up public park. Among the goals for the project are to build community and help add greenery to one of the hottest parts of New Mexico's biggest city.

Gene Grant and The Line opinion panelists debate the qualifications of Ryan Stewart as secretary-designate of New Mexico's Public Education Department. Gov. Lujan Grisham introduced Stewart on the first day of the new school year for much of the state. The Line also looks at the possibility of reshaping New Mexico's Public Regulation Commission, currently an elected body that regulates utilities, telecommunications, and motor carrier industries. In The Line's final topic, the panel will discuss the state's denial of Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) requests for New Mexico workforce records.

8/25

Host:

Gene Grant

Correspondents:

Antonia Gonzales

Laura Paskus

Field Guest:

Sec. Lynn Trujillo, New Mexico Department of Indian Affairs

Studio Guest:

Sec. James Kenney, New Mexico Environment Department

Line Panelists:

Adrian Carver, executive director, Equality New Mexico

Dede Feldman, former state senator

Dan Foley, former state representative

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This week on New Mexico in Focus, correspondent Antonia Gonzales goes to Sandia Pueblo for an interview with Sec. Lynn Trujillo of the New Mexico Department of Indian Affairs. Trujillo talks about tribal priorities on the state level, including big changes to education.

Correspondent Laura Paskus sits down with New Mexico Environment Department Sec. James Kenney to talk about PFAS, or toxic, human-made chemicals that have been found at U.S. military bases nationwide and around the world. Here in New Mexico, these chemicals have contaminated groundwater around Cannon and Holloman Air Force bases. Sec. Kenney discusses the danger of such contamination and what's being done about it.

Gene Grant and the Line opinion panel discuss the growing concern over a man who, while legally carrying a gun on his hip, has been harassing vendors and others on the Santa Fe Plaza, including asking them for proof of citizenship. The Line also looks at the return of men's soccer and men's and women's ski teams to UNM – but only as club sports. Gene Grant and panelists also talks about the push in New Mexico to legalize recreational cannabis, and how such legalization might affect patients who rely on medical cannabis.

9/1

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Jim Linnell, UNM Theatre Professor Emeritus, is the author of "Take It Lying Down: Finding My Feet After a Spinal Cord Injury." Linnell was six months from retirement as the dean of UNM's College of Fine Arts when he suffered a freak accident that left him almost totally paralyzed. In his book, and in his frank discussion with correspondent Megan Kamerick, he chronicles his struggle to regain independence as he looks back over his life and ponders his future.

Gene Grant and The Line opinion panel discuss Bernalillo County's passage of a new paid leave law and the Albuquerque City Council's look into whether a similar "leave for any reason" law would work for the city. The Line panelists also talk state spending, as New Mexico predicts another whopping surplus headed into the next fiscal year. The Line's final topic is the GOP's hope of flipping New Mexico from a blue to a red state in 2020.

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NEWS 22

Tuesday thru Thursdays at 6:30pm began 9/17 (30min)

Student produced nightly news show for Southern New Mexico and West Texas.

BUSINESS

Moneytrack: Money for Life

Sunday at 130pm, 8/18 & Saturday at 11am, 8/24 (90min)

In MONEYTRACK: MONEY FOR LIFE, Pam Krueger presents a "Money for Life Action Plan," which gives viewers a step-by-step strategy for building and maintaining a financially secure future for their retirement. Her co-host, comedian and actor Jack Gallagher (*Curb Your Enthusiasm*) lightens the mood and serves as the everyman, asking questions that are on the mind of the viewer. They also discuss the sweeping technological and regulatory changes that are currently taking place in the financial investment world. Throughout the program, interview segments are weaved in with some of the most trusted names in the field, such as: Lazetta Braxton, founder and CEO of Financial Fountains, Lou Harvey, CEO of Dalbar, and Knut Rostad, co-founder and chairman of the Committee for the Fiduciary Standard.

Democracy Now

M-F at 1pm (60min)

Democracy Now! is an award-winning, independent, noncommercial, nationally-distributed public television news hour. Produced each weekday, Democracy Now! is available for public television stations free of charge.

Nightly Business Report

Monday thru Friday at 630pm except 9/17-9/19, /24-9/26 (30min)

Every weeknight, the Emmy winning NIGHTLY BUSINESS REPORT delivers the day's essential business and economic news. Each lively half-hour combines trusted, credible and unbiased information and extensive financial market coverage with insightful features, analysis and commentaries by noted economists and business experts.

POLITICS / LOCAL PUBLIC AFFAIRS

Beyond Borders: Undocumented Mexican Americans

Sunday at 5pm, 9/8 (60min)

BEYOND BORDERS: Undocumented Mexican-Americans examines US policy decisions that triggered the rise of undocumented immigration in a deeply moving documentary program that explores the under-reported lives of Mexicans living and raising families in the United States. The film carefully explains the history of the relationship between the two countries - Mexico and America - some of which may be unfamiliar to viewers. In telling the stories of several undocumented Mexican-Americans, BEYOND BORDERS reveals the reasons why millions of Mexican workers have settled in the US over the past four decades instead of returning home. It also illuminates the remarkable networks that connect the film's characters with the families they left behind, and the very real human impact of the anti-immigration backlash now sweeping the country.

Everyone's Business: Protecting Our Children

Saturday at 5pm, 7/6 & Sunday at 11am, 7/7 (60min)

The cost of child maltreatment and neglect is enormous to both our government and society. Thousands of children grow through adulthood with the effects of trauma touching every aspect of their lives and often repeat the cycle with their own children. This campaign focuses on FIVE SOLUTIONS that will save millions of dollars and thousands of young lives in New Mexico.

Ripples of Columbine

Thursday at 9pm, 8/1 & Friday at 3am, 8/2 (30min)

In the 20 years since the mass shooting at Columbine High School, survivors have been on a journey of recovery. Hear, in their own voices, how the events of that day continue to ripple, even now, in their lives and the lives of their families. Learn what they want others to know about the journey and how to keep going. And while they continue to deal with both physical and psychological scars, theirs is a message of hope.

Lesons of Columbine

Thursday at 9pm, 8/8; Friday at 3am, 8/9 (30min)

After the Parkland school shooting, some wondered if anything had changed since Columbine. Much has. We follow the story of a SWAT team member who had to make the horrible decision to either save 60 kids hiding in the Columbine High School choir office, or go rescue one person who was bleeding to death. What was learned at Columbine helped save lives seven years later when a gunman entered another Colorado school. The same SWAT officer was there. And he trained school leaders across the nation. The lessons failed at Parkland. But they worked last year when the SWAT officer's own daughter found herself trapped in the Thousand Oaks, CA, Borderline Bar & Grill by a gunman who killed 12 as she texted with her dad while hiding in the attic.

Conversations of Columbine

Thursday at 9pm, 8/15; Friday at 3am, 8/16 (30min)

The gunmen behind at least 40 other mass shootings have said they were inspired by Columbine. Each time a mass shooting happens, Americans take to their corners on gun control and mental health. We talk to two brothers, both trauma surgeons who specialize in gun wounds. They also each own guns and shoot together regularly for sport. But even they have wound up on opposite sides of the gun control debate, showing how informed, rational people can have differing views. We delve into the data on school shootings to learn what's true and what's not. We meet the psychologist who reluctantly became perhaps the country's leading expert on school shooters, who describes what we've learned about preventing them. And we meet a school shooter who represents the majority of school shooters: not on a rampage, but a reaction.

Five Dreamers

Thursday at 730pm, 8/15; Friday at 130am, 8/16; Sunday at 5pm, 9/15 (30min)

"Five Dreamers," a new documentary produced by Dick Alweis, Laura Peniche, and Miranda Schubert, takes an in-depth look at the lives of five DACA recipients who are struggling to maintain a sense of normalcy in the wake of the fear of losing their DACA.

VAPE

Thursday at 7pm, 9/12; Friday at 1am, 9/13; Saturday at 5pm, 9/14 & Sunday at 11am, 9/15 (60min)

"VAPE" is centered around a documentary program regarding the use of E-cigarettes especially in the youth community so parents, educators and juveniles understand the spectrum of health issues and dangers associated with these products. Because the number of youth users is rising dramatically, the program helps explain the product and its various uses including for nicotine and cannabis consumption. Communities, parents, and, most importantly, teen peers will learn the current facts around this kind of ingestion.

Not-Dying Girl

Sunday at 130pm, 7/28 (30min)

Discover the emotional story of Lauren McCullough, a star high school athlete who was diagnosed with Ewing's Sarcoma and spent her time spreading awareness about the cancer and completing inspiring bucket-list items.

Robert Mueller Testifies: A PBS Newshour Special

Wednesday at 630am, 7/24 (7hrs)

Robert Mueller testifies before Congress about the Russia investigation.

Open Mind

Sundays at 1030am except 8/18 & 8/25 (30min)

A half hour weekly public affairs broadcast, THE OPEN MIND is a thoughtful excursion into the world of ideas, exploring issues of national and public concern with the most compelling minds of our times. Hosted by Alexander Heffner.

NEWSMAKERS

Thursdays at 7pm except 7/4, 8/22 & 9/12; Fridays at 1am except; Saturdays at 5pm except 7/6, 8/24 & 9/14; Sundays at 1130am except 7/7, 8/25 & 9/15 (30min)

NEWSMAKERS: the region's in-depth source for news from New Mexico and Texas. Every week, Newsmakers features the people, issues, and events that shape our community. Shows in September will focus on our region's role in the future of energy; the new Las Cruces Convention Center; and how New Mexico State University is engaging the scientists of the future by reaching out to area students.

7/11

Ron Stallworth

On this episode of Newsmakers, Michael Hernandez speaks with retired police detective and author Ron Stallworth, who details his experiences of infiltrating the Ku Klux Klan in the late 1970s in his book "Black Klansman"

7/18

Space exploration in New Mexico

This week on Newsmakers, as we approach the 50th anniversary of the moon landing...we'll take a look at space exploration in New Mexico. Spaceport America is the site of an annual rocket competition among University students from across the globe. Plus...we'll learn about the history of the land that would eventually become the White Sands Test Facility.

7/25

Las Cruces Sister Cities Program; WSMR Missile Park Museum

This episode features a variety of field reports, including a look at the Las Cruces Sister Cities program and a visit to White Sands Missile Range; near the WSMR Museum is a missile park displaying a variety of missiles and rockets tested at White Sands.

8/1

Dr. Karen Trujillo

This week on Newsmakers, Fred Martino interviews former New Mexico Education Secretary Dr. Karen Trujillo. They discuss the challenges facing New Mexico as it tries to improve education in the state.

8/8

Immigration

This episode of Newsmakers takes us to a naturalization ceremony at the Las Cruces Convention Center, where nearly 200 people became U.S. citizens. Also: a report on a class at New Mexico State University that draws students from across the country to work for immigrant rights on the border.

8/15

Governor Michelle Lujan Grisham (D) New Mexico

This week on Newsmakers, Fred Martino interviews New Mexico Governor Michelle Lujan Grisham (D) from the Roundhouse in Santa Fe.

8/29

Brian Blalock

This week on Newsmakers, Fred Martino sits down for an in depth conversation with the Secretary of New Mexico CYFD Brian Blalock.

9/5

Best of Living Here - Events

This week on Newsmakers: The Best of Living Here, featuring a look at some events during the year from Saturday's Farmers and Crafts market in downtown Las Cruces, to the Experimental Aircraft Association that tries to take advantage of the weather all year long, to the Gila River festival that preserves the natural beauty of the area, and finally when summers cools down we heat up with the Hatch Chile festival.

9/19

Best of Living Here – Natural Wonders

This week on Newsmakers: The Best of Living Here, featuring a look at some natural wonders in Southern New Mexico that are only a few miles outside of Las Cruces from the Chihuahuan Desert to an incredible view of Sandhill cranes who stop near Hatch on their way South, to the first dam built on the Rio Grande in Leasburg Dam State Park, and an orchard that grows a variety of apples in the Mesilla Valley to a museum in downtown Las Cruces that focuses on a variety of indigenous animals and fossils.

9/26

Best of Living Here – Historic Places

This week on Newsmakers: The Best of Living Here, featuring a look at some historic places to visit in southern New Mexico. We visit Lake Valley just south of Hillsboro, and the historic Rio Grande Theatre in downtown Las Cruces. We traveled to Truth or Consequences to explore a forty-year old historical collection of Sierra County and in Silver City we visit a Victorian style home turned into the city's museum and finally we admire a remarkable collection of automobiles in an airplane hangar in Santa Teresa.

FRONTERAS: A CHANGING AMERICA

Thursdays at 7pm except 7/4, 8/22 & 9/12; Fridays at 1am except; Saturdays at 5pm except 7/6, 8/24 & 9/14; Sundays at 1130am except 7/7, 8/25 & 9/15 (30min)

KRWG-TV's weekly program profiles the people and examines the issues in the region's Hispanic communities.

7/11

Jerry Pacheco

Fronteras host, Anthony Moreno has a discussion about the ongoing trade issues between President Trump and the country of Mexico. To explain these perspectives is Jerry Pacheco, President of the Border Industrial Association and Executive Director of the International Business Accelerator.

7/18

Grant for suicide prevention & AIDS – Norice Lee & Gena Trujillo

Fronteras host, Anthony Moreno has a discussion about a new grant that will give community health workers in the area training on suicide prevention and HIV / AIDS.

7/25

NM LULAC State Director - Dr. Juan García

Fronteras host Anthony Moreno has a discussion with the New Mexico LULAC State Director, Dr. Juan García. LULAC stands for the League of United Latin American Citizens.

8/1

Border Network for Human Rights Part 1 Fernando Garcia

Fronteras host Anthony Moreno has a two-part discussion with the Executive Director and Founder of the Border Network for Human Rights, Fernando Garcia. This is the first part of the discussion.

8/8

Border Network for Human Rights Part 2 Fernando Garcia

Fronteras host Anthony Moreno has a two-part discussion with the Executive Director and Founder of the Border Network for Human Rights, Fernando Garcia. This is the second part of the discussion.

8/29

Mayor of the City of Sunland Park - Javier Perea

Fronteras host Anthony Moreno has a discussion with the Mayor of Sunland Park, New Mexico Javier Perea. We get to learn from a Mayor of a border community on how immigration and border security policies have impacted their lives.

9/5

Paid leave in NM – Jacob Vigil

Fronteras host Anthony Moreno has a discussion with a research & policy analyst from New Mexico Voices for Children, Jacob Vigil on the case for paid leave in New Mexico.

9/19

"When a Woman Rises" - Dr. Christine Eber

Fronteras host Anthony Moreno has a discussion with author Dr. Christine Eber about her latest novel, "When a Women Rises."

9/26

"McCarthyism vs Clinton Jencks" – Raymond Caballero

Fronteras host Anthony Moreno has a discussion with author Raymond Caballero about his new book which highlights the life of labor organizer Clinton Jencks who lead the International Union of Mine, Mill and Smelter. The book is called "McCarthyism vs Clinton Jencks."

NEW MEXICO IN FOCUS

Sundays at Noon; except 8/18 & 8/25 (60min)

7/7

Host:

Gene Grant

Correspondents:

Russell Contreras

Khalil Ekulona

Megan Kamerick

Guests:

Michael Bird, Past President, American Public Health Association

Todd Greentree, National Security Advisor

Merlinda Chavez, Co-Founder, Rio Grande Heat Football Team

Kimberlee "Kap'n Krush" Haines, Participant, Duke City Roller Derby

Danni Nava, Team Assistant, Rio Grande Heat Football Team

****No Line Opinion Panel This Week****

This week on New Mexico in Focus, correspondent Megan Kamerick sits down with a groundbreaking local figure in the field of public health. Michael Bird is a regular contributor on our Line opinion panel segments. But he is also a former president of the American Public Health Association, the first Native American to ever hold the position. Bird talks about his decades working on issues like health care administration and policy, as well as closing the gap on health disparities for Native Americans.

NMiF continues to look at all aspects of the current migrant crisis facing our state and country. This includes the mass exodus of people from Central American countries

ravaged by civil wars, including El Salvador. Correspondent Russell Contreras looks into that turbulent history and how it is shaping the crisis we see today with Todd Greentree, a National Security Advisor and former political officer at the U.S. Embassy in El Salvador.

This week, the U.S. Women's National Soccer Team will compete for World Cup glory in France. The team's success is a source of great pride, but it's just one example of the way female athletes are competing at the highest levels. Here in New Mexico, that can also include sports you might not think about, like full contact football and roller derby. Correspondent Khalil Ekulona talks with local athletes to find out why they're drawn to these more violent games, and what the community can do to better support these sports.

7/14

Host:

Gene Grant

Correspondent:

Laura Paskus

Studio Guest:

Sen. Tom Udall, (D) New Mexico

Field Guests:

Laurel Ladwig, graduate student, UNM Geography and Environmental Studies
Judith Phillips, garden designer
Stuart Ashman, CEO, International Folk Art Market
Sandy Wylie, Associate Director, International Folk Art Market

Line Panelists:

Merritt Allen, Vox Optima LLC
Stephanie Maez, ProgressNow New Mexico
Kristelle Siarza, Siarza Social Digital
Harry Van Buren, UNM Anderson School of Management

This week on New Mexico in Focus, environmental correspondent Laura Paskus speaks with outgoing Senator Tom Udall about the struggle for action on climate change during his final 18 months in the U.S. Senate. Paskus also takes viewers along for this month's installment of Our Land, as she examines the effort to build a network of backyard wildlife sanctuaries across New Mexico's urban landscape. The spaces can create a surprisingly serene refuge for animals and people.

NMiF travels to Santa Fe to look at the work being done by hordes of volunteers at this weekend's International Folk Art Market. Many of those who work at the event are participating in "volunteerism," where people make their vacation plans based on a volunteer opportunity. The market counts nearly 1,800 people as volunteers.

Gene Grant and the Line opinion panelists delve into wealthy financier and alleged sex trafficker Jeffrey Epstein's New Mexico connections and the broader issue of human trafficking in our state. The group also looks at how to balance the economic benefits of nuclear waste storage and fossil fuel extraction with protecting New Mexico's land and citizens. The Line's final topic is the lawsuit brought by some former employees of Meow Wolf, accusing the creative arts collective of gender discrimination.

7/21

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Gene Grant

Correspondents:

Antonia Gonzales

Megan Kamerick

Studio Guests:

Nikki Nojima Louis, New Mexico Japanese American Citizens League

Maya Salganek, interstitial producer, "Molly of Denali"

Line Panelists:

Michael Bird, public health consultant

Jeffrey Candelaria, Konnection Now & KKOB

Inez Russell Gomez, Santa Fe New Mexican

Mary T. Torres, attorney

This week on New Mexico in Focus, correspondent Megan Kamerick sits down with Nikki Nojima Louis, who was among 120,000 Japanese Americans incarcerated in camps across the West during World War II. Nojima Louis now lives in Albuquerque and works with the New Mexico Japanese American Citizens League, creating plays based on the oral histories of people like her who were imprisoned. Recently she joined a protest with other internment survivors at Fort Sill in Oklahoma where Japanese men were interned during the war. There are plans to use the site to house young migrants crossing the Mexican border.

Correspondent Antonia Gonzales talks with producer Maya Salganek about "Molly of Denali," a new PBS KIDS series that tells the story of a 10-year-old Alaska Native girl. The show weaves together literacy skills and Native values. It's the first nationally distributed children's television series to feature a Native American lead character. Salganek was born and raised in Santa Fe.

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7/28

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Correspondents:

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Studio Guests:

Cheyenne Antonio, Coalition to Stop Violence Against Native Women

Christina Castro, Three Sisters Collective

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NMiF also airs a portion of KRWG-TV Director of Content Fred Martino's interview with ousted secretary Karen Trujillo. The two talk about Trujillo's vision for education reform and the timeline in which she hoped – and now the Lujan Grisham administration hopes – to achieve significant change in New Mexico's public schools.

Gene Grant and the Line opinion panelists discuss recent standardized test results showing less than a third of New Mexico public school students are proficient in reading and about one-fifth show math proficiency. The group also debates the best way to handle the ongoing migrant crisis at the border and examines a retelling of the history connected to the 50th Española Valley Fiesta.

8/11**Host:**

Gene Grant

Correspondents:

Megan Kamerick
Laura Paskus

Studio Guest:

Janet Napolitano, former Homeland Security Secretary, author of "How Safe Are We?"

Field Guests:

Todd Schulke, co-founder, Center for Biological Diversity
Norman Gaume, retired director, New Mexico Interstate Stream Commission
Pete Domenici, Jr., attorney, New Mexico Central Arizona Project Entity

Line Panelists:

Lonna Atkeson, UNM Political Science professor
Eric Griego, former NM state senator
Sophie Martin, attorney
Kristelle Siarza, CEO, Siarza Social Digital

This week, New Mexico in Focus features an interview with Janet Napolitano, President Barack Obama's first Homeland Security Secretary. Napolitano argues that, since the terrorist attacks of 9/11, the United States needs to focus its attention and resources on actual threats to the country, instead of what she terms "security theater." She talked with NMIF Correspondent Megan Kamerick about what those threats are, and what they are not.

In this month's installment of Our Land, correspondent Laura Paskus travels to the remote Gila Wilderness for an in-depth report on the battle over the Gila River. Once again, a proposal for a diversion on the southwestern New Mexico waterway has people who live along the river – and those who have other interests – trying to either save the river or reroute its waters to serve agricultural and business purposes.

Gene Grant and The Line opinion panelists look at the sickening wave of mass shootings in El Paso, Dayton and elsewhere. They debate whether calling out domestic terrorism will force a change in the conversation. The Line also looks at transparency in matters concerning the Department of Public Safety under the state's former and current administrations. The Line's final topic concerns the disproportionately high rate of opioids dispensed by one drugstore in Española.

8/18

Host:

Gene Grant

Correspondent:

Matt Grubs

Studio Guest:

Governor Michelle Lujan Grisham, (D) New Mexico

Line Panelists:

Merritt Allen, Vox Optima
Tom Garrity, The Garrity Group PR
Laura Sanchez-Rivét, Affirm

Harry Van Buren, UNM Anderson School of Management

This week on New Mexico in Focus, senior producer Matt Grubs sits down for an in-depth conversation with Gov. Michelle Lujan Grisham about her ambitious goal of raising New Mexico's public education system to be the best in the country. Less than a month after firing her education secretary, the governor picked Ryan Stewart to lead the Public Education Department.

NMiF goes to Albuquerque's International District to see how neighbors working with the Nature Conservancy and Rocky Mountain Youth Corps have transformed a vacant dirt lot into a pop-up public park. Among the goals for the project are to build community and help add greenery to one of the hottest parts of New Mexico's biggest city.

Gene Grant and The Line opinion panelists debate the qualifications of Ryan Stewart as secretary-designate of New Mexico's Public Education Department. Gov. Lujan Grisham introduced Stewart on the first day of the new school year for much of the state. The Line also looks at the possibility of reshaping New Mexico's Public Regulation Commission, currently an elected body that regulates utilities, telecommunications, and motor carrier industries. In The Line's final topic, the panel will discuss the state's denial of Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) requests for New Mexico workforce records.

8/25

Host:

Gene Grant

Correspondents:

Antonia Gonzales

Laura Paskus

Field Guest:

Sec. Lynn Trujillo, New Mexico Department of Indian Affairs

Studio Guest:

Sec. James Kenney, New Mexico Environment Department

Line Panelists:

Adrian Carver, executive director, Equality New Mexico

Dede Feldman, former state senator

Dan Foley, former state representative

H. Diane Snyder, former state senator

This week on New Mexico in Focus, correspondent Antonia Gonzales goes to Sandia Pueblo for an interview with Sec. Lynn Trujillo of the New Mexico Department of Indian Affairs. Trujillo talks about tribal priorities on the state level, including big changes to education.

Correspondent Laura Paskus sits down with New Mexico Environment Department Sec. James Kenney to talk about PFAS, or toxic, human-made chemicals that have been found at U.S. military bases nationwide and around the world. Here in New Mexico, these chemicals have contaminated groundwater around Cannon and Holloman Air Force bases. Sec. Kenney discusses the danger of such contamination and what's being done about it.

Gene Grant and the Line opinion panel discuss the growing concern over a man who, while legally carrying a gun on his hip, has been harassing vendors and others on the Santa Fe Plaza, including asking them for proof of citizenship. The Line also looks at the return of men's soccer and men's and women's ski teams to UNM – but only as club sports. Gene Grant and panelists also talk about the push in New Mexico to legalize recreational cannabis, and how such legalization might affect patients who rely on medical cannabis.

9/1

Host:

Gene Grant

Correspondent:

Megan Kamerick

Studio Guests:

Terri O'Hare, ADA advocate

Jim Linnell, UNM Theatre Professor Emeritus, author of "Take It Lying Down"

Line Panelists:

Janice Arnold-Jones, former NM state representative

Tom Garrity, The Garrity Group PR

Laura Sanchez-Rivét, Affirm

Cathryn McGill, NM Black Leadership Council

This week on New Mexico in Focus, host Gene Grant talks with ADA (Americans with Disabilities Act) advocate Terri O'Hare about what it's like to navigate Albuquerque as a person with a disability.

Jim Linnell, UNM Theatre Professor Emeritus, is the author of "Take It Lying Down: Finding My Feet After a Spinal Cord Injury." Linnell was six months from retirement as the dean of UNM's College of Fine Arts when he suffered a freak accident that left him almost totally paralyzed. In his book, and in his frank discussion with correspondent Megan Kamerick, he chronicles his struggle to regain independence as he looks back over his life and ponders his future.

Gene Grant and The Line opinion panel discuss Bernalillo County's passage of a new paid leave law and the Albuquerque City Council's look into whether a similar "leave for any reason" law would work for the city. The Line panelists also talk state spending, as

New Mexico predicts another whopping surplus headed into the next fiscal year. The Line's final topic is the GOP's hope of flipping New Mexico from a blue to a red state in 2020.

9/8

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Matt Grubs, NMiF Senior Producer

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Dr. Shawn Sidhu, UNM child and adolescent psychiatrist

David Tompkins, New Mexico Department of Health.

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EDUCATION**Beyond Borders: Undocumented Mexican Americans**

Sunday at 5pm, 9/8 (60min)

BEYOND BORDERS: Undocumented Mexican-Americans examines US policy decisions that triggered the rise of undocumented immigration in a deeply moving documentary program that explores the under-reported lives of Mexicans living and raising families in the United States. The film carefully explains the history of the relationship between the two countries - Mexico and America - some of which may be unfamiliar to viewers. In telling the stories of several undocumented Mexican-Americans, BEYOND BORDERS reveals the reasons why millions of Mexican workers have settled in the US over the past four decades instead of returning home. It also illuminates the remarkable networks that connect the film's characters with the families they left behind,

and the very real human impact of the anti-immigration backlash now sweeping the country.

Everyone's Business: Protecting Our Children

Saturday at 5pm, 7/6 & Sunday at 11am, 7/7 (60min)

The cost of child maltreatment and neglect is enormous to both our government and society. Thousands of children grow through adulthood with the effects of trauma touching every aspect of their lives and often repeat the cycle with their own children. This campaign focuses on FIVE SOLUTIONS that will save millions of dollars and thousands of young lives in New Mexico.

Ripples of Columbine

Thursday at 9pm, 8/1 & Friday at 3am, 8/2 (30min)

In the 20 years since the mass shooting at Columbine High School, survivors have been on a journey of recovery. Hear, in their own voices, how the events of that day continue to ripple, even now, in their lives and the lives of their families. Learn what they want others to know about the journey and how to keep going. And while they continue to deal with both physical and psychological scars, theirs is a message of hope.

Lessons of Columbine

Thursday at 9pm, 8/8; Friday at 3am, 8/9 (30min)

After the Parkland school shooting, some wondered if anything had changed since Columbine. Much has. We follow the story of a SWAT team member who had to make the horrible decision to either save 60 kids hiding in the Columbine High School choir office, or go rescue one person who was bleeding to death. What was learned at Columbine helped save lives seven years later when a gunman entered another Colorado school. The same SWAT officer was there. And he trained school leaders across the nation. The lessons failed at Parkland. But they worked last year when the SWAT officer's own daughter found herself trapped in the Thousand Oaks, CA, Borderline Bar & Grill by a gunman who killed 12 as she texted with her dad while hiding in the attic.

Conversations of Columbine

Thursday at 9pm, 8/15; Friday at 3am, 8/16 (30min)

The gunmen behind at least 40 other mass shootings have said they were inspired by Columbine. Each time a mass shooting happens, Americans take to their corners on gun control and mental health. We talk to two brothers, both trauma surgeons who specialize in gun wounds. They also each own guns and shoot together regularly for sport. But even they have wound up on opposite sides of the gun control debate, showing how informed, rational people can have differing views. We delve into the data on school shootings to learn what's true and what's not. We meet the psychologist who reluctantly became perhaps the country's leading expert on school shooters, who describes what we've learned about preventing them. And we meet a school shooter who represents the majority of school shooters: not on a rampage, but a reaction.

Five Dreamers

Thursday at 730pm, 8/15; Friday at 130am, 8/16; Sunday at 5pm, 9/15 (30min)
“Five Dreamers,” a new documentary produced by Dick Alweis, Laura Peniche, and Miranda Schubert, takes an in-depth look at the lives of five DACA recipients who are struggling to maintain a sense of normalcy in the wake of the fear of losing their DACA.

VAPE

Thursday at 7pm, 9/12; Friday at 1am, 9/13; Saturday at 5pm, 9/14 & Sunday at 11am, 9/15 (60min)

“VAPE” is centered around a documentary program regarding the use of E-cigarettes especially in the youth community so parents, educators and juveniles understand the spectrum of health issues and dangers associated with these products. Because the number of youth users is rising dramatically, the program helps explain the product and its various uses including for nicotine and cannabis consumption. Communities, parents, and, most importantly, teen peers will learn the current facts around this kind of ingestion.

Platicas

Sundays at 1030pm ended 7/28; Sundays at 430am ended 7/29 (30min)

Produced by PRC Productions, in association with the Mesquite Historic Preservation Society, Pláticas presents the real stories of the pioneers who established the Mesilla Valley, told by those who lived it and their descendants who carry on the oral tradition. Broken into twelve segments of approximately 27 minutes, each episode introduces a different story, told through interviews, pictures and, where possible, archival film footage.

Ecosense for Living

Saturdays at 1230pm ended 7/13 (30min)

Thought-provoking series of eco-topics ranging from reconnecting kids to nature, green jobs, and healthy lifestyles limiting the impacts of toxins on our home and bodies. The series aims to empower viewers with practical solutions geared toward saving money, treading lighter on the planet, and improving quality of life.

New Mexico Colores!

Sundays at 10pm beginning 7/14 except 8/18, 8/25, 9/8, 9/15 & 9/22; Mondays at 4am beginning 7/15 except 8/19, 8/26, 9/9, 9/16 & 9/23 (30min)

¡COLORES! is a weekly art series with stories devoted to the creative spirit. The series features local and national stories about film, visual and performing arts, theater, photography, literature, painting, sculpture, poetry and dance.

KRWG Airdate and Time: *M-F at 3pm & M-F at 330pm (30min)*

Title: **ARTHUR** – This series is based on Marc Brown’s books. It shows how Arthur and his friends use effective, age-appropriate, problem-solving skills. Each episode consists of two independent stories focusing on themes and events central to children’s lives.

KRWG Airdate and Time: *Sundays at 730am (30min)*

Title: Cyberchase: Math rules in the animated adventure series CYBERCHASE. CYBERCHASE energizes kids ages eight to eleven with math power. Full of cyber-mysteries with eye-popping animation and a sly comic flair, the daily series features the voices of Christopher Lloyd and Gilbert Gottfried. CYBERCHASE sends the message that math is fun - it's about problem solving and, boy, does it come in handy. When the dastardly villain Hacker (Lloyd) launches a mad mission to conquer the virtual universe, Motherboard calls upon three earth kids for help. They are Jackie, Matt and Inez - the culturally diverse heroes of CYBERCHASE - who, along with the wise-cracking cyber-bird Digit (Gottfried), travel from their real-world realm to the colorful virtual vistas of cyberspace, where they vanquish the bad guys in an all-out battle of wits. Each episode takes the kids on a thrilling adventure driven by a different math concept - from tackling time in ancient Egyptian tombs to cracking codes in creepy caves or making sense of numbers in a fractured fairy tale world.

KRWG Airdate and Time: *Sundays at 7am; Monday – Friday at 1230pm (30min)*

Title: Cat in the Hat Knows All About That! – Coming to television for the first time ever in an animated series, The Cat in the Hat whisks preschoolers off on a voyage of scientific discovery. "The Cat in the Hat Knows a Lot About That!" features six-year-olds Sally & Nick, best friends and next door neighbors, who are transported on magical journeys to all corners of the globe where the natural world becomes their playground. With the Cat as their guide, his two energetic helpers, the zany duo, Thing One and Thing Two and the enigmatic Fish along for the ride, every outing becomes an unpredictable adventure. In each episode, Sally and Nick head off with the Cat in his one-of-a-kind custom vehicle, the Thinga-ma-jigger, a quintessentially Seussian contraption that instantly transforms from plane to boat to submarine with just a flick of the jigger-ma-whizzer or a honk of the shrinkamadoodle. They go everywhere from the ocean bottom, to a rainforest, or to the centre of a beehive. The Cat in the Hat "knows a lot" but he doesn't know everything making him the perfect guide for learning and fun.

KRWG Airdate and Time: *M-F at 830am ended 7/12; M-F at 9am beginning 7/16. except 7/17 & 7/19; Sundays at 630am (30min)*

Title: CURIOUS GEORGE - is an animated series based on the popular books by Margret and H.A. Rey. It airs daily on PBS KIDS aimed at preschool viewers (age's three to five); the goal of the series is to inspire children to explore science, engineering, and math in the world around them. And what better guide is there for this kind of exploration than the world's most curious monkey? George lives to find new things to discover, touch, spill, and chew. Everything is new to George and worth investigating. Of course, in George's hands — all four of them — investigation often leads to unintended consequences! Throughout George's adventures, he encounters and models basic concepts in each of the three content areas. (To learn more, read about the educational philosophy that drives the series.) While remaining true to the look and feel of the beloved books, the daily series expands George's world to include a host of colorful new characters and locales. Each episode features two animated stories followed by short live-action segments in which real kids investigate the ideas that George introduces in the stories. The series is narrated by Emmy award-winning actor William H. Macy. The

CURIOUS GEORGE series also aims to show parents and caregivers how to foster the development of science and math literacy in children. In addition to programming, the series is supported by a substantial educational outreach campaign that develops relevant materials and distributes them to librarians, teachers, community centers, and families. These materials offer activities designed to support and extend the learning objectives of the series.

KRWG Airdate and Time: *Wednesday at 9am, 7/17 (90min)*

Title: Curious George 3: Back to the Jungle - Curious George goes on an epic adventure to space that crash lands in the jungles of Africa leading to an unforgettable journey with some new animal friends.

KRWG Airdate and Time: *Monday – Friday at 9am ended 7/12; M-F at 930am beginning 7/15 except 7/17; Saturdays at 630am ended 7/14 (30min)*

Title: Let's Go Luna! - LET'S GO LUNA! is an informative, whimsical and visual animated series about a group of three children who learn about differences and similarities in their global community with the help of their friend, Luna the Moon. The children move around the world with their parents' traveling "Cirque-du-Soleil"-type circus and, at each stop, Luna helps them experience the language, music, and all around daily life of the local region through character driven hilarious fun adventures. Each child -- Leo, Carmen and Andy -- carries a special enthusiasm of food, music and art that Luna enriches through stories and visits to fantastic locations. Each day ends with Luna magically appearing back in the sky, while the kids return to their parents' circus, their heads swimming with the wonderful experience of global culture.

KRWG Airdate and Time: *Saturdays at 630am ended 7/13, M-F at 1030am ended 7/12; M-F at 1130am beginning 7/15 except 8/5 & 8/9 (30min)*

Title: Pinkalicious & Peterrific - Pinkalicious imagines creative possibilities everywhere she looks. Aimed at kids 3-5, PINKALICIOUS & PETERIFIC encourages viewers to engage in the creative arts and self-expression, including music, dance, theater and visual arts. Get creative with Pinkalicious, Peter and all their friends in Pinkville!

KRWG Airdate and Time: *Monday 8/5 & Friday 8/9 at 130am (60min)*

Title: Pinkalicious & Peterrific: A Pinkaperfect Birthday - It's the most pinkaperfect party ever! In this one-hour special, Pinkalicious gets her birthday wish and turns all of Pinkville pink. The special's visual arts curriculum, and the exploration of color, helps strengthen children's cognitive and emotional skills as they start the new school year.

KRWG Airdate and Time: *Saturdays at 730am beginning 7/20 (30min)*

Title: Kid Stew - KID STEW is a fast-paced, irreverent series by kids, about kids and for kids, encouraging their interest in art, music and reading — and filled with plenty of laughs. From a concept by James Patterson, the best-selling author of adult and children's books, season two of KID STEW follows the first season in featuring an engaging and diverse cast of real, relatable pre-teens in a variety of entertaining vignettes and sketches. Each episode includes original music videos, guest appearances by creative kids and adults, and delightful comedy bits. KID STEW showcases inspiring stories and segments,

celebrates imagination and fun, and encourages the exploration of books, music and the cultural arts.

KRWG Airdate and Time: *M-F at 830am beginning 7/16 except 7/19 (60min)*

Title: Molly of Denali - This series follows the adventures of Molly, a feisty and resourceful Alaska Native girl, as she helps her parents run the Denali Trading Post in their Alaskan village. Viewers are introduced to the rich history and modern-day experience of family life in the heart of the Alaskan tundra through the eyes of Molly, her parents, and her friends. Designed to help kids develop skills around informational text such as using a map and following an instruction manual, this is the first nationally distributed children's series in the U.S. to feature an Alaska Native lead character.

KRWG Airdate and Time: *Monday 7/15 & Friday 7/19 at 830am (60min)*

Title: Molly of Denali Premiere - The world premiere of the new PBS KIDS series, Molly of Denali! This series follows the adventures of Molly, a feisty and resourceful Alaska Native girl, as she helps her parents run the Denali Trading Post in their Alaskan village. Viewers are introduced to the rich history and modern-day experience of family life in the heart of the Alaskan tundra through the eyes of Molly, her parents, and her friends. Designed to help kids develop skills around informational text such as using a map and following an instruction manual, this is the first nationally distributed children's series in the U.S. to feature an Alaska Native lead character.

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Title: DANIEL TIGER'S NEIGHBORHOOD

Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood is a new, beautifully-textured animated series from PBS KIDS for preschoolers aged 2-4, based on the legacy of Fred Rogers. Its cast are the children of his original and much-loved Neighborhood of Make-Believe characters. A young Daniel Tiger is joined by his friends' O the Owl, Katerina Kittycat, Prince Wednesday and Miss Elaina. Together, through imagination, creativity and music they learn the key social skills necessary for school and for life.

Every Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood episode offers a parenting strategy. The clip below is from an episode about first experiences—a visit to the doctor and a 'look around' visit to school. The parenting strategy being modeled shows that by talking to children in advance about what to expect, parents can ease any apprehension they may be feeling. As in all Daniel stories, the strategy is offered as a musical 'jingle' – in this case “When we do something new, let's talk about what we'll do!”

Building on the landmark PBS series Mister Rogers' Neighborhood, **Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood** is a new series for a new generation of children. Launching in fall 2012 on PBS KIDS, the series tells engaging stories about the life of a preschooler and is accompanied by cross-platform games and activities for the very youngest children, together with online resources for parents and teachers. Daniel was developed by **The Fred Rogers Company**, and brings together a group of today's leading creators of children's media and educational technology. The series tells its engaging stories using

musical strategies grounded in Fred Rogers' landmark curriculum: its songs give parents and children a concrete way to practice important school-readiness skills together.

KRWG Airdate and Time: *Saturday at 6am; M-F at 12pm except 8/5 & 8/9 (30min)*

Title: **DINOSAUR TRAIN** - "Dinosaur Train" is an animated series for 3-to-6 year olds. The series features a curious young T-rex named Buddy who, together with his adopted Pteranodon family, takes the Dinosaur Train to meet, explore, and have adventures with all kinds of dinosaurs and prehistoric creatures.

KRWG Airdate and Time: *Saturdays at 7am (30min)*

Title: **MISTER ROGER'S NEIGHBORHOOD** – The soothing voice of Mr. Rogers continues to comfort children telling them that there will always be someone to take care of them and helping them feel good about themselves. Ages 2-5.

KRWG Airdate and Time: *Saturdays at 730am ended 7/13 (30min)*

Title: **Scigirls** – This series showcases bright, curious real girls putting science and engineering to work as they answer questions and make unexpected discoveries in the world around them.

KRWG Airdate and Time: *M-F at 730am begins 7/17 except 7/22 & 7/24; M-F at 8am ended 7/12; Sundays at 6am beginning 7/21 (30min)*

Title: **Nature Cat**– NATURE CAT follows Fred, a house cat who dreams of exploring the great outdoors. In each episode, once his family leaves for the day, Fred transforms into Nature Cat, "backyard explorer extraordinaire." Nature Cat can't wait to get outside for a day of backyard nature excursions and bravery, but there's one problem: He's still a house cat with no instincts for nature. Like many of today's kids, Nature Cat is eager and enthusiastic about outside activities, but is at times intimidated by them. With the help of his animal friends, Nature Cat embarks on action-packed adventures that include exciting missions full of nature investigation, "aha" discovery moments and humor, all while inspiring children to go outside and "play the show."

KRWG Airdate and Time: *M-F at 4pm; M-F at 430pm (30min)*

Title: **ODD SQUAD** – ODD SQUAD is a PBS KIDS live-action media property designed to help kids ages 5-8 learn math. The show focuses on two young agents, Olive and Otto, who are part of the Odd Squad, an agency whose mission is to come to the rescue whenever something unusual happens. A math concept is embedded in each of their cases, as Olive and Otto work together to problem-solve and save the day in each episode. ODD SQUAD is created by Tim McKeon (Foster's Home for Imaginary Friends, Adventure Time, The Electric Company) and Adam Peltzman (The Electric Company, The Backyardigans, Wallykazam!) and produced by Sinking Ship Entertainment and The Fred Rogers Company.

KRWG Airdate and Time: *M-F at 7am, except 7/5, 7/9 & 7/24 (30min)*

Title: **Ready Jet Go!** - READY JET GO! is a 3D animated series for 3-8 year-olds with a focus on astronomy, scientific exploration, innovation and invention, and Earth as it is affected by our solar system. The show is about two neighborhood kids-one with an all-

consuming drive for science fact and another with an overwhelming passion for science fiction. They both befriend the new kid on their street, Jet Propulsion, whose family happens to be aliens from Bortron 7. The comedy series teaches kids a variety of Earth science concepts (gravity, tides, moon phases, seasons) as well as an introductory explanation of innovation, astronomy, and our solar system.

KRWG Airdate and Time: *Friday 7/5, Tuesday 7/9 at 7am (60min)*

Title: Ready Jet Go!: One Small Step - In this special, Jet and his Boxwood Terrace friends learn all about Neil Armstrong and the Apollo Space Program as they embark on a sleeper on the Moon.

KRWG Airdate and Time: *M-F at 11am (30min)*

Title: SESAME STREET – SESAME STREET has garnered more than 100 awards, including 101 Emmys, two Peabodys, four Parents' Choice Awards and an Action for Children's Television Special Achievement Award. The series delivers academic and social education that prepares kids for grade school. Since its premiere, the show's base curriculum has been set by academic research on preschoolers. Encore episodes focus on music and art and how these tools can be used to develop the whole child - the cognitive, social, emotional and physical attributes. In addition, "Elmo's World," which looks at the world through the eyes of a three-year-old, continues as a featured segment. Themes include birthdays, pets, teeth, families, games and more. Ages 2-5.

KRWG Airdate and Time: *M-F at 1130 ended 7/12 (30min)*

Title: Splash and Bubbles- Splash and Bubbles is an animated preschool comedy inspiring kids to connect with and care about the ocean. Splash, Bubbles, and their Reef town friends share amazing adventures, meet new creatures, and explore the diversity and wonder of life in the ocean.

KRWG Airdate and Time: *M-F at 730am except 7/5, 7/9, 7/16, ended 7/16; M-F at 8am beginning 7/15 except 7/16 & 7/22 (30min)*

Title: Wild Kratts - "Wild Kratts" joins the adventures of Chris and Martin Kratt as they encounter incredible wild animals, combining science education with fun and adventure as the duo travels to animal habitats around the globe. Each adventure explores an age-appropriate science concept central to an animal's life and showcases a never-before-seen wildlife moment, all wrapped up in engaging stories of adventure, mystery, rescue, and the Kratt brothers' brand of laugh-out-loud-comedy that kids love. Real-life Chris and Martin introduce each "Wild Kratts" episode with a live action segment that imagines what it would be like to experience a never-before-seen wildlife moment, and asks, "What if...?" The Kratt brothers transition into animation and the adventure begins, bringing early-elementary school children into the secret lives of extraordinary creatures, many of which have never been animated before -- including Tiger quolls, Draco lizards, and Caracals!

KRWG Airdate and Time: *Tuesday, 7/16 & Monday 7/22 at 730am (60min)*

Title: Wild Kratts Alaska: Hero's Journey - Aviva announces she's one step closer to fixing the Time Trampoline with the invention of a Time Thruster. But before they can

check it out, it goes overboard and attaches onto a Sockeye salmon who is in the middle of the "Salmon Run". The Wild Kratt team is led on a wild chase, as they follow the salmon on this incredible and difficult journey - both battling the odds to reach their goals. Science Concept: Life cycles and ecosystems.

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NEWSMAKERS

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NEWSMAKERS: the region's in-depth source for news from New Mexico and Texas. Every week, Newsmakers features the people, issues, and events that shape our community. Shows in September will focus on our region's role in the future of energy; the new Las Cruces Convention Center; and how New Mexico State University is engaging the scientists of the future by reaching out to area students.

7/11

Ron Stallworth

On this episode of Newsmakers, Michael Hernandez speaks with retired police detective and author Ron Stallworth, who details his experiences of infiltrating the Ku Klux Klan in the late 1970s in his book "Black Klansman"

7/18

Space exploration in New Mexico

This week on Newsmakers, as we approach the 50th anniversary of the moon landing...we'll take a look at space exploration in New Mexico. Spaceport America is the site of an annual rocket competition among University students from across the globe. Plus...we'll learn about the history of the land that would eventually become the White Sands Test Facility.

7/25

Las Cruces Sister Cities Program; WSMR Missile Park Museum

This episode features a variety of field reports, including a look at the Las Cruces Sister Cities program and a visit to White Sands Missile Range; near the WSMR Museum is a missile park displaying a variety of missiles and rockets tested at White Sands.

8/1

Dr. Karen Trujillo

This week on Newsmakers, Fred Martino interviews former New Mexico Education Secretary Dr. Karen Trujillo. They discuss the challenges facing New Mexico as it tries to improve education in the state.

8/8

Immigration

This episode of Newsmakers takes us to a naturalization ceremony at the Las Cruces Convention Center, where nearly 200 people became U.S. citizens. Also: a report on a class at New Mexico State University that draws students from across the country to work for immigrant rights on the border.

8/15

Governor Michelle Lujan Grisham (D) New Mexico

This week on Newsmakers, Fred Martino interviews New Mexico Governor Michelle Lujan Grisham (D) from the Roundhouse in Santa Fe.

8/29

Brian Blalock

This week on Newsmakers, Fred Martino sits down for an in depth conversation with the Secretary of New Mexico CYFD Brian Blalock.

9/5

Best of Living Here - Events

This week on Newsmakers: The Best of Living Here, featuring a look at some events during the year from Saturday's Farmers and Crafts market in downtown Las Cruces, to the Experimental Aircraft Association that tries to take advantage of the weather all year long, to the Gila River festival that preserves the natural beauty of the area, and finally when summers cools down we heat up with the Hatch Chile festival.

9/19

Best of Living Here – Natural Wonders

This week on Newsmakers: The Best of Living Here, featuring a look at some natural wonders in Southern New Mexico that are only a few miles outside of Las Cruces from the Chihuahuan Desert to an incredible view of Sandhill cranes who stop near Hatch on their way South, to the first dam built on the Rio Grande in Leasburg Dam State Park, and an orchard that grows a variety of apples in the Mesilla Valley to a museum in downtown Las Cruces that focuses on a variety of indigenous animals and fossils.

9/26

Best of Living Here – Historic Places

This week on Newsmakers: The Best of Living Here, featuring a look at some historic places to visit in southern New Mexico. We visit Lake Valley just south of Hillsboro, and the historic Rio Grande Theatre in downtown Las Cruces. We traveled to Truth or Consequences to explore a forty-year old historical collection of Sierra County and in Silver City we visit a Victorian style home turned into the city's museum and finally we admire a remarkable collection of automobiles in an airplane hangar in Santa Teresa.

FRONTERAS: A CHANGING AMERICA

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KRWG-TV's weekly program profiles the people and examines the issues in the region's Hispanic communities.

7/11

Jerry Pacheco

Fronteras host, Anthony Moreno has a discussion about the ongoing trade issues between President Trump and the country of Mexico. To explain these perspectives is Jerry Pacheco, President of the Border Industrial Association and Executive Director of the International Business Accelerator.

7/18

Grant for suicide prevention & AIDS – Norice Lee & Gena Trujillo

Fronteras host, Anthony Moreno has a discussion about a new grant that will give community health workers in the area training on suicide prevention and HIV / AIDS.

7/25

NM LULAC State Director - Dr. Juan García

Fronteras host Anthony Moreno has a discussion with the New Mexico LULAC State Director, Dr. Juan García. LULAC stands for the League of United Latin American Citizens.

8/1

Border Network for Human Rights Part 1 Fernando Garcia

Fronteras host Anthony Moreno has a two-part discussion with the Executive Director and Founder of the Border Network for Human Rights, Fernando Garcia. This is the first part of the discussion.

8/8

Border Network for Human Rights Part 2 Fernando Garcia

Fronteras host Anthony Moreno has a two-part discussion with the Executive Director and Founder of the Border Network for Human Rights, Fernando Garcia. This is the second part of the discussion.

8/29

Mayor of the City of Sunland Park - Javier Perea

Fronteras host Anthony Moreno has a discussion with the Mayor of Sunland Park, New Mexico Javier Perea. We get to learn from a Mayor of a border community on how immigration and border security policies have impacted their lives.

9/5

Paid leave in NM – Jacob Vigil

Fronteras host Anthony Moreno has a discussion with a research & policy analyst from New Mexico Voices for Children, Jacob Vigil on the case for paid leave in New Mexico.

9/19

"When a Woman Rises" - Dr. Christine Eber

Fronteras host Anthony Moreno has a discussion with author Dr. Christine Eber about her latest novel, "When a Women Rises."

9/26

"McCarthyism vs Clinton Jencks" – Raymond Caballero

Fronteras host Anthony Moreno has a discussion with author Raymond Caballero about his new book which highlights the life of labor organizer Clinton Jencks who lead the International Union of Mine, Mill and Smelter. The book is called "McCarthyism vs Clinton Jencks."

NEW MEXICO IN FOCUS

Sundays at Noon; except 8/18 & 8/25 (60min)

7/7

Host:

Gene Grant

Correspondents:

Russell Contreras

Khalil Ekulona

Megan Kamerick

Guests:

Michael Bird, Past President, American Public Health Association

Todd Greentree, National Security Advisor

Merlinda Chavez, Co-Founder, Rio Grande Heat Football Team

Kimberlee "Kap'n Krush" Haines, Participant, Duke City Roller Derby

Danni Nava, Team Assistant, Rio Grande Heat Football Team

****No Line Opinion Panel This Week****

This week on New Mexico in Focus, correspondent Megan Kamerick sits down with a groundbreaking local figure in the field of public health. Michael Bird is a regular contributor on our Line opinion panel segments. But he is also a former president of the American Public Health Association, the first Native American to ever hold the position. Bird talks about his decades working on issues like health care administration and policy, as well as closing the gap on health disparities for Native Americans.

NMiF continues to look at all aspects of the current migrant crisis facing our state and country. This includes the mass exodus of people from Central American countries

ravaged by civil wars, including El Salvador. Correspondent Russell Contreras looks into that turbulent history and how it is shaping the crisis we see today with Todd Greentree, a National Security Advisor and former political officer at the U.S. Embassy in El Salvador.

This week, the U.S. Women's National Soccer Team will compete for World Cup glory in France. The team's success is a source of great pride, but it's just one example of the way female athletes are competing at the highest levels. Here in New Mexico, that can also include sports you might not think about, like full contact football and roller derby. Correspondent Khalil Ekulona talks with local athletes to find out why they're drawn to these more violent games, and what the community can do to better support these sports.

7/14

Host:

Gene Grant

Correspondent:

Laura Paskus

Studio Guest:

Sen. Tom Udall, (D) New Mexico

Field Guests:

Laurel Ladwig, graduate student, UNM Geography and Environmental Studies
Judith Phillips, garden designer
Stuart Ashman, CEO, International Folk Art Market
Sandy Wylie, Associate Director, International Folk Art Market

Line Panelists:

Merritt Allen, Vox Optima LLC
Stephanie Maez, ProgressNow New Mexico
Kristelle Siarza, Siarza Social Digital
Harry Van Buren, UNM Anderson School of Management

This week on New Mexico in Focus, environmental correspondent Laura Paskus speaks with outgoing Senator Tom Udall about the struggle for action on climate change during his final 18 months in the U.S. Senate. Paskus also takes viewers along for this month's installment of Our Land, as she examines the effort to build a network of backyard wildlife sanctuaries across New Mexico's urban landscape. The spaces can create a surprisingly serene refuge for animals and people.

NMiF travels to Santa Fe to look at the work being done by hordes of volunteers at this weekend's International Folk Art Market. Many of those who work at the event are participating in "volunteerism," where people make their vacation plans based on a volunteer opportunity. The market counts nearly 1,800 people as volunteers.

Gene Grant and the Line opinion panelists delve into wealthy financier and alleged sex trafficker Jeffrey Epstein's New Mexico connections and the broader issue of human trafficking in our state. The group also looks at how to balance the economic benefits of nuclear waste storage and fossil fuel extraction with protecting New Mexico's land and citizens. The Line's final topic is the lawsuit brought by some former employees of Meow Wolf, accusing the creative arts collective of gender discrimination.

7/21

Host:

Gene Grant

Correspondents:

Antonia Gonzales

Megan Kamerick

Studio Guests:

Nikki Nojima Louis, New Mexico Japanese American Citizens League

Maya Salganek, interstitial producer, "Molly of Denali"

Line Panelists:

Michael Bird, public health consultant

Jeffrey Candelaria, Konnection Now & KKOB

Inez Russell Gomez, Santa Fe New Mexican

Mary T. Torres, attorney

This week on New Mexico in Focus, correspondent Megan Kamerick sits down with Nikki Nojima Louis, who was among 120,000 Japanese Americans incarcerated in camps across the West during World War II. Nojima Louis now lives in Albuquerque and works with the New Mexico Japanese American Citizens League, creating plays based on the oral histories of people like her who were imprisoned. Recently she joined a protest with other internment survivors at Fort Sill in Oklahoma where Japanese men were interned during the war. There are plans to use the site to house young migrants crossing the Mexican border.

Correspondent Antonia Gonzales talks with producer Maya Salganek about "Molly of Denali," a new PBS KIDS series that tells the story of a 10-year-old Alaska Native girl. The show weaves together literacy skills and Native values. It's the first nationally distributed children's television series to feature a Native American lead character. Salganek was born and raised in Santa Fe.

Gene Grant and the Line opinion panelists discuss the chile war heating up between Colorado and New Mexico. The group also looks at Governor Lujan Grisham's appointment of a task force to work on cannabis legalization, as well as proposed changes to the state's medical marijuana program. The Line's final topic is on Attorney General Hector Balderas' push to change the state's sex offender laws in the wake of the Jeffrey Epstein scandal.

7/28

Host:

Gene Grant

Correspondents:

Antonia Gonzales

Megan Kamerick

Studio Guests:

Cheyenne Antonio, Coalition to Stop Violence Against Native Women

Christina Castro, Three Sisters Collective

Enrique Lamadrid, editor/author, “Nación Genízara”

Moises Gonzales, editor/author, “Nación Genízara”

Line Panelists:

Diane Denish, former NM lieutenant governor

Dave Mulryan, founder, Everybody Votes

Edmund E. Perea, attorney

H. Diane Snyder, former NM state senator

This week on New Mexico in Focus, correspondent Megan Kamerick talks with two scholars at the University of New Mexico about a delicate subject – slavery. Slavery was common in the Southwest, especially in our state. Native Americans were captured and sold to Hispanic families, a practice that continued up to and beyond the Civil War. They were called genizaros. Scholars Enrique Lamadrid and Moises Gonzales, editors and contributing authors of “Nación Genízara”, explain history’s impact on New Mexico’s identity.

Correspondent Antonia Gonzales sits down with Native women’s advocates Cheyenne Antonio and Christina Castro to talk about the **MMIW** – Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women and Girls – movement. The Urban Indian Health Institute pointed out in 2018 that New Mexico has the highest number of cases in the country. In June, a report by UNM’s Native American Budget and Policy Institute sought to better understand the issues here and gave advocates a way to keep the MMIW crisis in the news.

Gene Grant and the Line opinion panelists discuss the surprising firing of Public Education Secretary Karen Trujillo after only six months on the job. The group also debates the public’s right to know the details of the wrongful death lawsuit over the 2013 killing of 9-year-old Omaree Varela. The Line’s final topic concerns a lending program for municipal employees that provides a high-interest alternative to even higher-interest payday loans.

8/4

Host:

Gene Grant

Correspondents:

Matt Grubs
Fred Martino

Studio Guests:

Rep. Alonzo Baldonado (R), New Mexico House of Representatives
Sen. Mimi Stewart (D), New Mexico Senate

Line Panelists:

Michael Bird, public health consultant
Dan Foley, former state representative
Christine Sierra, UNM political science professor emerita
Harry Van Buren, UNM Anderson School of Management

This week on New Mexico in Focus, producer Matt Grubs sits down with Rep. Alonzo Baldonado and Sen. Mimi Stewart to discuss the aftermath of Gov. Michelle Lujan Grisham's recent dismissal of Public Education Secretary Karen Trujillo. Lawmakers from both parties have asked for a deeper explanation for her firing. Both Stewart and Baldonado sit on the Legislative Education Study Committee and give an assessment of the state of education.

NMiF also airs a portion of KRWG-TV Director of Content Fred Martino's interview with ousted secretary Karen Trujillo. The two talk about Trujillo's vision for education reform and the timeline in which she hoped – and now the Lujan Grisham administration hopes – to achieve significant change in New Mexico's public schools.

Gene Grant and the Line opinion panelists discuss recent standardized test results showing less than a third of New Mexico public school students are proficient in reading and about one-fifth show math proficiency. The group also debates the best way to handle the ongoing migrant crisis at the border and examines a retelling of the history connected to the 50th Española Valley Fiesta.

8/11**Host:**

Gene Grant

Correspondents:

Megan Kamerick
Laura Paskus

Studio Guest:

Janet Napolitano, former Homeland Security Secretary, author of "How Safe Are We?"

Field Guests:

Todd Schulke, co-founder, Center for Biological Diversity
Norman Gaume, retired director, New Mexico Interstate Stream Commission
Pete Domenici, Jr., attorney, New Mexico Central Arizona Project Entity

Line Panelists:

Lonna Atkeson, UNM Political Science professor
Eric Griego, former NM state senator
Sophie Martin, attorney
Kristelle Siarza, CEO, Siarza Social Digital

This week, New Mexico in Focus features an interview with Janet Napolitano, President Barack Obama's first Homeland Security Secretary. Napolitano argues that, since the terrorist attacks of 9/11, the United States needs to focus its attention and resources on actual threats to the country, instead of what she terms "security theater." She talked with NMIF Correspondent Megan Kamerick about what those threats are, and what they are not.

In this month's installment of Our Land, correspondent Laura Paskus travels to the remote Gila Wilderness for an in-depth report on the battle over the Gila River. Once again, a proposal for a diversion on the southwestern New Mexico waterway has people who live along the river – and those who have other interests – trying to either save the river or reroute its waters to serve agricultural and business purposes.

Gene Grant and The Line opinion panelists look at the sickening wave of mass shootings in El Paso, Dayton and elsewhere. They debate whether calling out domestic terrorism will force a change in the conversation. The Line also looks at transparency in matters concerning the Department of Public Safety under the state's former and current administrations. The Line's final topic concerns the disproportionately high rate of opioids dispensed by one drugstore in Española.

8/18

Host:

Gene Grant

Correspondent:

Matt Grubs

Studio Guest:

Governor Michelle Lujan Grisham, (D) New Mexico

Line Panelists:

Merritt Allen, Vox Optima
Tom Garrity, The Garrity Group PR
Laura Sanchez-Rivét, Affirm

Harry Van Buren, UNM Anderson School of Management

This week on New Mexico in Focus, senior producer Matt Grubs sits down for an in-depth conversation with Gov. Michelle Lujan Grisham about her ambitious goal of raising New Mexico's public education system to be the best in the country. Less than a month after firing her education secretary, the governor picked Ryan Stewart to lead the Public Education Department.

NMiF goes to Albuquerque's International District to see how neighbors working with the Nature Conservancy and Rocky Mountain Youth Corps have transformed a vacant dirt lot into a pop-up public park. Among the goals for the project are to build community and help add greenery to one of the hottest parts of New Mexico's biggest city.

Gene Grant and The Line opinion panelists debate the qualifications of Ryan Stewart as secretary-designate of New Mexico's Public Education Department. Gov. Lujan Grisham introduced Stewart on the first day of the new school year for much of the state. The Line also looks at the possibility of reshaping New Mexico's Public Regulation Commission, currently an elected body that regulates utilities, telecommunications, and motor carrier industries. In The Line's final topic, the panel will discuss the state's denial of Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) requests for New Mexico workforce records.

8/25

Host:

Gene Grant

Correspondents:

Antonia Gonzales

Laura Paskus

Field Guest:

Sec. Lynn Trujillo, New Mexico Department of Indian Affairs

Studio Guest:

Sec. James Kenney, New Mexico Environment Department

Line Panelists:

Adrian Carver, executive director, Equality New Mexico

Dede Feldman, former state senator

Dan Foley, former state representative

H. Diane Snyder, former state senator

This week on New Mexico in Focus, correspondent Antonia Gonzales goes to Sandia Pueblo for an interview with Sec. Lynn Trujillo of the New Mexico Department of Indian Affairs. Trujillo talks about tribal priorities on the state level, including big changes to education.

Correspondent Laura Paskus sits down with New Mexico Environment Department Sec. James Kenney to talk about PFAS, or toxic, human-made chemicals that have been found at U.S. military bases nationwide and around the world. Here in New Mexico, these chemicals have contaminated groundwater around Cannon and Holloman Air Force bases. Sec. Kenney discusses the danger of such contamination and what's being done about it.

Gene Grant and the Line opinion panel discuss the growing concern over a man who, while legally carrying a gun on his hip, has been harassing vendors and others on the Santa Fe Plaza, including asking them for proof of citizenship. The Line also looks at the return of men's soccer and men's and women's ski teams to UNM – but only as club sports. Gene Grant and panelists also talk about the push in New Mexico to legalize recreational cannabis, and how such legalization might affect patients who rely on medical cannabis.

9/1

Host:

Gene Grant

Correspondent:

Megan Kamerick

Studio Guests:

Terri O'Hare, ADA advocate

Jim Linnell, UNM Theatre Professor Emeritus, author of "Take It Lying Down"

Line Panelists:

Janice Arnold-Jones, former NM state representative

Tom Garrity, The Garrity Group PR

Laura Sanchez-Rivét, Affirm

Cathryn McGill, NM Black Leadership Council

This week on New Mexico in Focus, host Gene Grant talks with ADA (Americans with Disabilities Act) advocate Terri O'Hare about what it's like to navigate Albuquerque as a person with a disability.

Jim Linnell, UNM Theatre Professor Emeritus, is the author of "Take It Lying Down: Finding My Feet After a Spinal Cord Injury." Linnell was six months from retirement as the dean of UNM's College of Fine Arts when he suffered a freak accident that left him almost totally paralyzed. In his book, and in his frank discussion with correspondent Megan Kamerick, he chronicles his struggle to regain independence as he looks back over his life and ponders his future.

Gene Grant and The Line opinion panel discuss Bernalillo County's passage of a new paid leave law and the Albuquerque City Council's look into whether a similar "leave for any reason" law would work for the city. The Line panelists also talk state spending, as

New Mexico predicts another whopping surplus headed into the next fiscal year. The Line's final topic is the GOP's hope of flipping New Mexico from a blue to a red state in 2020.

9/8

Host:

Gene Grant

Correspondent:

Matt Grubs, NMiF Senior Producer

Studio Guests:

Shelley Mann-Lev, public health consultant

Dr. Shawn Sidhu, UNM child and adolescent psychiatrist

David Tompkins, New Mexico Department of Health.

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NEWS 22

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Student produced nightly news show for Southern New Mexico and West Texas.

WATER / ENVIRONMENT**Walk in the Park with Nick Molle: Birds Without Borders**

Sunday, 8/4 & 8/11 at 5pm (60min)

In the latest installment of A WALK IN THE PARK WITH NICK MOLLE, naturalist Nick Molle goes in search of four birds with the ability to thrive in two completely different ecosystems: Swainson's Thrush, Wilson's Warbler, the Yellow Warbler and the Western Tanager. Filmed on two continents, BIRDS WITHOUT BORDERS follows a project jointly administered by the "sister cities" of Estes Park in Rocky Mountain National Park and Monteverdi in Santa Elena Cloud Forest Reserve, that seeks to better understand the birds' life cycles through their migratory patterns. Molle ventures into the coniferous forests of the Rocky Mountains and the lush tropical environs of Costa Rica with research biologists, park personnel, natural-history experts and conservationists to track the birds, with the goal of defining exact flight patterns and documenting changes in

behavior. Along the way, they discuss the effect of environmental changes on the species, their unique partnership and the importance of shared conservation.

New Mexico Colores!

Sundays at 10pm beginning 7/14 except 8/18, 8/25, 9/8, 9/15 & 9/22; Mondays at 4am beginning 7/15 except 8/19, 8/26, 9/9, 9/16 & 9/23 (30min)

¡COLORES! is a weekly art series with stories devoted to the creative spirit. The series features local and national stories about film, visual and performing arts, theater, photography, literature, painting, sculpture, poetry and dance.

Platicas

Sundays at 1030pm ended 7/28; Sundays at 430am ended 7/29 (30min)

Produced by PRC Productions, in association with the Mesquite Historic Preservation Society, Pláticas presents the real stories of the pioneers who established the Mesilla Valley, told by those who lived it and their descendants who carry on the oral tradition. Broken into twelve segments of approximately 27 minutes, each episode introduces a different story, told through interviews, pictures and, where possible, archival film footage.

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**KRWG-FM Las Cruces, New Mexico
KRXG-FM Silver City, New Mexico
Quarterly Program Topic Report
Third Quarter, 2019**

Through meetings with local community leaders, review of area newspapers and other publications, and production of daily newscasts (Monday-Friday), the staff of KRWG-FM/KRXG-FM has determined that the following issues are of primary importance to the citizens within our coverage area:

1. *Arts, Entertainment, and Culture* – The mix of Hispanic/Native American/ and Anglo cultures provide many positive attributes to life in southern New Mexico. However, this same mix results in an on-going undercurrent of conflict among the cultures. Cultural and historical understanding is of on-going importance in this area. The area includes a diverse mix of arts and entertainment, including local musicians and performance venues and efforts to build a film industry.

2. *Business, Economic Development, Environment* - With an above-average unemployment rate and a below-average income level, the status of the business/agricultural community in southern New Mexico is an important issue. Concern over the constant issue of defense spending at the federal level is ongoing in this area due to the presence of several military and NASA installations. Dona Ana County is also actively seeking new businesses and a strong infrastructure exists near the Santa Teresa Border Crossing, which is also a source of news and related issues. Environmental concerns are often at odds with economic development pressures.

3. *Local Public Affairs and Education*– Southern New Mexico has very intensive governance and political issues that are of constant interest to the citizens of the involved communities, which include a variety of elected and appointed officials. The area is also making efforts to improve education and has a variety of elected school boards.

Stories placed in these three main categories are broadcast on local newscasts each weekday (Monday-Friday) at 645, 745, 845, 1644, 1744, and 1844.

Story descriptions and broadcast time(s) are listed on the upcoming pages by topic area.

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Date	Time(s) Aired	Title	Description	Duration
7/5/19	8:45, 18:44	Your Weekend Pulse	Fireworks, Science and art events at museums in town, and Rad Retrocade celebrates opening.	5:02
7/12/19	8:45, 18:44	Your Weekend Pulse	Moon landing events, yoga, and movies in park.	5:10
7/19/19	8:45, 18:44	Your Weekend Pulse	Ice Cream Sunday at Ranch and Heritage Museum and movies in the park preview.	4:18
7/26/19	8:45, 18:44	Your Weekend Pulse	Candle-making workshop, meet Obama staffer, and music and movies in the park.	4:03
8/2/19	8:45, 18:44	Your Weekend Pulse	Making a solar oven, kids expo, and crafts for kids.	4:59
8/23/19	8:45, 18:44	Your Weekend Pulse	Community appreciation day at Farm and Ranch museum, Mariachi Festival in Sunland Park, and learn about a pioneer in science at nature and science museum.	4:58
8/23/19	8:45, 18:44	Your Weekend Pulse	Birds of Prey info talk, super scientists at nature and science museum, and family freedomfest.	3:57
9/20/19	8:45, 18:44	Your Weekend Pulse	Picacho Mountain outdoor festival, Genealogy fair.	4:20
9/27/19	6:45,17:45	KRWG News	Southwest Festival of the Written Word	
9/27/19	8:45, 18:45	Your Weekend Pulse	Mesilla Valley Maze, Southern NM State Fair continues	4:40

9/30/19	6:45, 17:45	KRWG News	Anthony Moreno talked with former El Paso Mayor Ray Caballero about his book "McCarthyism Vs. Clinton Jencks"	5:32

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Date	Time(s) Aired	Title	Description	Duration
7/1	8:45, 18:44	Monday Business Watch	Cruces Creatives celebrates a year. And business news in Hemp industry.	5:15
7/8/19	8:45, 18:44	Monday Business Watch	Barricade Culture shop faces closure and a mercado to open downtown.	4:56
7/15/19	8:45, 18:44,	Monday Business Watch	NM Chile Wars, salsa-tequila-taco fest, and software adapting to names.	5:21
7/22/19	8:45, 18:44	Monday Business Watch	Local co-op is struggling and a new hotel opens in Las Cruces.	5:22
7/29/19	8:45, 18:44	Monday Business Watch	Mining proposal moves forward, fire insurance rates to go down, and a new restaurant downtown.	4:55

8/5/19	8:45, 18:44	Monday Business Watch	A Deming restaurant opens in Las Cruces, a ransomware attack on Gadsen ISD and cyber security talk.	4:35
8/12/19	8:45, 18:44	Monday Business Watch	Fundraising for El Paso victims, security at businesses, and NM Workforce Dept says no to ICE request for data.	5:21
8/19/19	6:45, 18:44	Monday Business Watch	Virgin Galactic shows off new digs.	4:29
8/26/19	8:45, 18:44	Monday Business Watch	VP Pence visits Permian Basin, City hires firm to look into Visit Las Cruces dealings with business and no profit, Las Cruces Symphony impact.	5:41
9/2/19	8:45; 18:44	Monday Business Watch	New restaurant receives beer and wine licence after heated debate due to the criminal record of an owner's husband.	5:16
9/9/19	8:45, 18:44	Monday Business Watch	Sears closing stores, new hemp rule opportunities.	4:46
9/16/19	8:45, 18:44	Monday Business Watch	Loans for solar, art gallery closing impacts hair salon.	4:55
9/23/19	8:45, 18:44	Monday Business Watch	Oil and Gas talks and free tuition in NM?	4:57
9/27/19	7:45, 16:45	Algernon D'Amassa	Commentary on youth fighting the climate crisis	3:15
9/30/19	8:45, 18:45	Monday Business Watch	Call center closing, telemedicine in Las Cruces and Peter Piper owner group buys Las Cruces Applebee's	3:45

3. Government, Community Affairs and Education– Southern New Mexico has very intensive governance and political issues that are of constant interest to the citizens of the involved communities, which include a variety of elected and appointed officials. The area is also making efforts to improve education and has a variety of elected school boards.

Date	Time(s) Aired	Title	Description	Duration
7/1/19	6:45, 17:44	Jerry Pacheco	More of a conversation on tariffs with Mexico.	4:39
7/1/19	7:45, 16:44	Dennis Delaney	Commentator weighs in on national debt.	3:05
7/2/19	8:45, 18:44	Science digest	Corn and our diet.	1:28
7/2/19	8:45, 18:44	Alamogordo NOW	NY Post running story on Otero County officials and "border crisis." County to get funding.	5:15
7/3/19	7:45, 16:44	Peter Goodman	Thoughts on Trump, Putin, and Democracy.	3:55
7/3/19	8:45, 18:44	Silver City Report	New Trapping laws, city makes moves on panhandling.	5:13
7/4/19	8:45, 18:44	Bulletin on the radio	Candidates announce campaigns for office, ranked choice voting, and art events.	5:09
7/8/19	6:45, 17:44	Sylvia Ullow NM In-Depth	At a recent meeting held in Dona Ana County, state lawmakers questioned some deputy secretaries from the New Mexico Public Education Department on progress in the wake of a ruling in a lawsuit that the state wasn't doing enough to fund education for at-risk students. Anthony Moreno speaks with Sylvia Ulloa with New Mexico In-Depth.	5:13
7/8/19	7:45, 16:44	Artists Protest at Border	Artists from around the country gathers on the U.S.-Mexico border over the weekend to protest conditions for asylum seekers and demand family reunification.	0:47
7/9/19	7:45, 16:44	Peter Goodman	Commentator shares thoughts on wildlife.	3:30
7/9/19	8:45, 18:44	Science digest	Importance of sleep is explored.	1:28

7/10/19	6:45, 17:44	“Weighing In”	Preview of play from No Strings Theatre Company.	4:56
7/10/19	7:45, 16:44	Algernon D’Ammassa	Commentator weighs in on Democratic President candidate debate.	2:56
7/10/19	8:45, 18:44	Silver City Report	A fire in Indian Hills, 6th Judicial DA denies filing motion that she can’t pay for a lawyer to defend her case. NM CAP Entity update, New surgeon at Gila Medical Center.	5:19
7/11/19	6:45, 17:44	WNMU museum turns 45	An update on events to honor the 45th year of the WNMU museum.	5:19
7/11/19	7:45, 16:44	Walt Rubel	Commentator weighs in on immigration.	3:33
7/11/19	8:45, 18:44	Las Cruces Bulletin	Las Cruces on ethics commission, youngest volunteer in town, and more pickleball courts wanted.	5:12
7/12/19	6:45, 17:44	Las Cruces Museum	Events celebrate moon landing.	4:50
7/12/19	7:45, 16:44	Algernon D’Ammassa	Commentator on impeachment history.	3:01
7/15/19	6:45, 17:44	Sylvia Ulloa 2	NM IN DEPTH Reporter updates on education meeting.	4:25
7/15/19	7:45, 16:44	Artifacts in Lincoln National Forest.	Volunteers join US Service officials to excavate artifacts.	5:24
7/16/19	7:45, 16:44	Dennis Delaney	Commentator shares thoughts on first nuclear bomb detonation.	3:25
7/16/19	8:45, 18:44	Science digest	Major storms and plants in our region.	1:29
7/16/19	8:45, 18:44	Alamogordo NOW	Moon landing, grand jury indicts former nursing home employee allegedly taking \$80,000 from older woman, and introduction to new staff member.	3:13
7/17/19	6:45, 17:44	Desert Exposure	Preview of July’s issue.	5:13
7/17/19	7:45, 16:44	Peter Goodman	Commentary on rural New Mexico.	3:40

7/17/19	8:45, 18:44	Silver City Report	Winefest, 45th anniversary of WNMU Museum, and aging in area is examined.	3:40
7/18/19	6:45, 17:44	Lerdo visits Las Cruces	Delegates from city in Durango visit Cruces to celebrate 30 years.	5:33
7/18/19	7:45, 16:44	Walt Rubel	Commentator weighs in on state settlement after 2013 medicaid freeze.	3:43
7/18/19	8:45, 18:44	Las Cruces Bulletin on the Radio	Southern NM connection to moon landing, motel blvd not renamed after Pat Garret, and leader of local arts organization is moving on.	5:08
7/19/19	6:45, 17:44	Clothing drive	Gospel Rescue School Clothing drive taking appointments.	4:54
7/19/19	7:45, 16:44	Algernon D'Ammassa	Commentator shares views on misspelled names.	2:59
7/22/19	6:45, 17:44	New Grant to help suicide prevnetion and HIV/AIDS education awarness	New grant awarded to Burrell College of Osteopathic medicine to focus on helping increase health education.	5:17
7/24/19	7:45, 16:44	Peter Goodman	Commentator weighs in on President Trump's comments about 4 Democratic Congresswomen.	3:40
7/24/19	8:45, 18:44	Silver City Report	New Memembers on Interstate Stream Commission and recap of the Silver City Clay Festival.	3:51
7/25/19	7:45, 16:44	Walt Rubel	Commentator shares thoughts on rules for NM State Senate committees.	3:20
7/25/19	8:45, 18:44	Las Cruces Bulletin	City councilor runs for mayor of Las Cruces, Violent crime is up, and a new art exhibit looks at orchards in area.	5:09
7/26/19	6:45, 17:44	Preview of Sierra County events	Main St. Truth or Consequences Exec. Director, Linda De Marino shares events in area.	4:50
7/26/19	7:45, 16:44	Algernon D'Ammassa	Commentator shares thoughts on parents considering how to help children become independent adults.	3:05
7/29/19	6:45, 17:44	New Grant on health education.	New grant aims to provide community health workers better resources for	4:55

			behavioral health and HIV/AIDS awareness.	
7/29/19	7:45, 16:44	Dr. Karen Trujillo part 1	Former NM Secretary of Education shares more on her firing.	5:15
7/30/19	7:45, 16:44	Dr. Karen Trujillo part 2	More of former NM Secretary of Education.	5:04
7/30/19	8:45, 18:44	Alamogordo NOW	City updates marijuana policy, back-to-school time, and bus funding available.	3:14
7/30/19	8:45, 18:44	Science Digest	Different definitions of space travel.	1:30
7/31/19	6:45, 17:44	Students and border issues	Students from area spend summer learning firsthand about issues at border.	5:15
7/31/19	7:45, 16:44	Peter Goodman	Jail diversion funding commentary.	3:20
7/31/19	8:45, 18:44	Silver City Report	Fundraising for homeowner who was forced out of damaged home after SWAT incident, city bans smoking in parks, mining company reports loss, and update on off-highway vehicles.	4:49
8/1/19	6:45, 17:44	Jeh Jonhson	Former Homeland Security Secretary speaks with former ambassador to South Africa, Delano Lewis on the "Left, Right, Forward Podcast."	5:10
8/1/19	7:45, 16:44	Walt Rubel	Commentary on Gila River Diversion Plan.	3:14
8/1/19	8:45, 18:44	Las Cruces Bulletin	A new theater company gets ready for it's first show, city has urban community garden, and betting on the future of cannabis.	5:14
8/2/19	6:45, 17:44	'Big Latch on"	Preview of event promoting the normalization of breastfeeding.	4:53
8/2/19	7:45, 16:44	Algernon D'Ammassa	Commentator shares thoughts on people in Puerto Rico standing for change.	3:07

8/5/19	6:45,7:45 17:44	El Paso Shooting Pt. 1	Fred Martino reports on the response from former El Paso Congressman Beto O'Rourke and El Paso Mayor Dee Margo to the shooting that killed 20 people at a Walmart.	:54
8/5/19	7:45, 16:44	El Paso Shooting Pt. 2	Fred Martino reports on the response from former El Paso Congressman Beto O'Rourke and Rep. Veronica Escobar to the shooting that killed 20 people at a Walmart.	:56
8/5/19	8:45, 18:44	El Paso Shooting Pt. 3	Fred Martino reports on the response from former El Paso Congressman Beto O'Rourke to the shooting that killed 20 people at a Walmart.	:58
8/5/19	6:45, 17:44	Fernando Garcia	An organization in the Borderlands has been working to educate communities so they understand their civil rights. Anthony Moreno speaks with Fernando Garcia, founding executive director of the Border Network for Human Rights about their mission.	4:21
8/6/19	6:45, 17:44	Migrant Care Funding	City of Las Cruces approves 500k more funding for migrant care.	:44
8/6/19	6:45, 17:44	Las Cruces Vigil	Community hosts vigil for lives loss in El Paso mass shooting.	4:57
8/6/19	8:45, 18:44	Alamo NOW	US Border Patrol checkpoints opening in Otero County, Lincoln County arrest with possible explosives, and drug treatment center closes.	3:43
8/7/19	6:45, 17:44	US Rep. Xochitl Torres Small	New Mexico Congresswoman shares views on gun safety legislation.	4:15
8/7/19	7:45, 16:44	Peter Goodman	Commentator shares thoughts on discussing religion.	3:41
8/7/19	8:45, 18:44	Silver City Report	Pay raises for Grant County employees, possible lawsuit from group claiming cattle damage in Gila, National Summit Day is celebrated, and a retired doctor creates a coloring book for migrants.	5:13

8/8/19	6:45, 17:44	Trump Protest rally	Hundreds rally against President's visit to El Paso after mass shooting.	4:13
8/8/19	7:45, 16:44	Walt Rubel	Commentator weighs in on firing of Dr. Karen Trujillo	3:27
8/8/19	8:45, 18:44	Sen. Tom Udall	Senator addresses possible gun legislation.	4:18
8/12/19	6:45, 17:44	Fernando Garcia	Founding Exec. Director of the Border Network for Human Rights on immigration.	5:02
8/12/19	7:45, 16:44	NM CaFE	Group speaks out against hate crimes and language.	5:20
8/13/19	7:45, 16:44	Economic outlook Las Cruces	City economists offer 2nd quarter update.	4:23
8/13/19	8:45, 18:44	Alamogordo NOW	School board member resigns, NASA engine tested at White Sands, Med center expansion, and trying tacos in the community.	4:23
8/13/19	8:45, 18:44	Science Digest	Volcanic rocks explored	1:30
8/14/19	6:45, 17:44	Miyagishima announces he is running	Las Cruces mayor seeks 4th term.	3:50
8/14/19	7:45, 16:44	Peter Goodman	Commentator shares thoughts on moving forward after El Paso shooting.	3:40
8/14/19	8:45, 18:44	Silver City Report	County Detention Center gets money for mental health, substance abuse services. More on recycling efforts, and news on two historic places to eat and drink.	5:33
8/15/19	6:45, 17:44	Party leaders in El Paso on Trump	Democratic and Republican party leaders share thoughts on Pres. Trump and his rhetoric.	4:59
8/15/19	7:45, 16:44	Walt Rubel	State Senator Mary Kay Papen has primary challengers.	3:30
8/15/19	8:45, 18:44	Bulletin on the radio	LCPS appoints interim superintendent, profile of a local artist who paints on black canvas, and a new club opens in town.	5:10

8/16/19	6:45, 17:44	El Paso heals	Volunteers come together with community to heal in El Paso after shootings.	5:03
8/16/19	7:45, 16:44	Algernon D'Amassa	Commentary on colorful book explaining border walls.	3:17
8/16/19	8:45, 18:44	"Power of Purse"	Preview of event and auction of purses for charity.	4:59
8/19/19	6:45, 17:455	Dr. Lara	Criminal Justice, Ethnic studies professor talks rhetoric surrounding Latinos.	4:29
8/19/19	7:45, 16:\$4	Gov. Lujan Grisham	Governor talks domestic terrorism, firearms.	5:23
8/20/19	7:45, 16:44	Gov. Lujan Grisham 2	Governor talks about task force examining legal recreational marijuana.	4:09
8/20/19	8:45, 18:44	Alamogordo NOW	VP Pence visits, city council looks at financial disclosures for elections, capital improvement projects, and school bus problems.	3:53
8/20/19	8:45, 18:44	Science Digest	A look at Great White Sharks.	1:29
8/21/19	7:45, 16:44	Peter Goodman	Commentator shares thoughts on county government.	3:21
8/21/19	8:45, 18:44	Silver City Report	NM CAP business plan, Hurley Pride no longer putting on events, social media policy at Cobre schools, new broadcasting of high school football games.	4:49
8/22/19	7:45, 16:44	Walt Rubel	Commentator weighs in on Greg Ewing LCPS Superintendent resigning and then placed on leave.	3:57
8/22/19	8:45, 18:44	Las Cruces Bulletin on the Radio	City stops using type of herbicide, more activity at Spaceport America, and a new bar opens on Picacho Ave.	5:12
8/23/19	6:45, 17:44	Franciscan Festival of Fine Arts preview	Event is the biggest fundraiser for Holy Cross Retreat Center and ministries.	4:58
8/23/19	7:45, 16:\$4	Algernon D'Amassa	Commentator shares thoughts on making it through times of mayhem.	2:58

8/26/19	6:45, 17:44	Dr. Juan Garcia	New LULAC New Mexico State Director	5:15
8/27/19	8:45, 18:44	Alamogordo NOW	School board appointment, local volunteers congratulated, and new library needed.	3:31
8/27/19	8:45, 18:44	Science Digest	Scientific discoveries.	1:26
8/28/19	7:45, 16:44	Peter Goodman	Commentary on leadership at LCPS	3:49
8/28/19	8:45, 18:44	Silver City Report	Medical Cannabis and schools, Gila Forest reminds guests on rules for visiting, and Buckhorn Opera House may stay open.	4:13
8/29/19	7:45, 16:44	Walt Rubel	Commentator weighs in on weeds and local government's best practices with desert environment.	3:36
8/29/19	8:45, 18:44	Bulletin on the Radio	Life and times of J-Paul Taylor, Preview of harvest wine festival, and food truck owners open new restaurant.	5:13
8/30/19	6:45, 17:44	Family Fiesta	Peace Lutheran Church offers fiesta to raise funds for refugee programs.	4:47
8/30/19	7:45, 16:44	Algernon D'Amassa	Commentator reflects on President Trump's latest international controversy.	3:15
9/2/19	6:45: 17:44	Dr. Juan Garcia	LULAC Director reflects on the need for diversity in higher education	3:57
9/3/19	8:45, 18:44	Science Digest	Look at a common protein.	1:28
9/4/19	7:45, 16:44	Peter Goodman	Commentator remembers a family pet.	3:38
9/4/19	8:45, 18:44	Silver City Report	College athlete drowning, candidates file, local community may purchase hall, and Hurley and water plans.	5:13
9/5/19	6:45, 17:44	Desert Exposure	Preview of latest issue.	5:07
9/5/19	7:45, 16:44	Walt Rubel	Commentary on this year's elections.	3:48

9/5/19	8:45, 18:44	Bulletin on the radio	Organ Mts. National Monument celebration, new gallery in Mesilla, and Pain Awareness Month.	5:11
9/6/19	7:45, 16:44	Pet leave	Hotel Tamaya Resort offering pet leave	1:50
9/9/19	6:45, 17:44	Javier Perea	Sunland Park mayor.	4:20
9/9/19	7:45, 17:44	AARP Protest	Local AARP Las Cruces members protest drug costs.	5:20
9/10/19	8:45, 18:44	Science Digest	Looks at memory.	1:28
9/11/19	6:45, 17:44	Water treatment	New Wastewater and water quality lab opens in Las Cruces	5:07
9/11/19	7:45, 16:44	Peter Goodman	Commentator shares thoughts on electing county officials	3:45
9/11/19	8:45, 18:44	Silver City Report	Silco Theatre new owners, storm water captures potential, local man runs for a cause.	5:22
9/12/19	6:45, 17:44	Climate Scientist	A climate scientist shares how Chihuahan desert landscape has changed.	3:25
9/12/19	7:45, 16:44	E-Cigarettes	NM Health officials try to curb vaping.	1:05
9/12/19	7:45, 16:44	Walt Rubel	Commentary on the need to re-evaluate after this 9/11.	3:18
9/12/19	8:45, 18:44	Las Cruces Bulletin	Number of people running for office, musical trio profile, and White Sands Missile Range's new leader commentary.	5;14
9/12/19	6:45, 17:44	La Posta	Restaurant celebrates 80 years.	4:23
9/16/19	6:45, 17:44	Jacob Vigil	Analyst shares info on NM Voices for children report.	4:50
9/17/19	7:45, 16:44	Indivisible Las Cruces	Groups across the country work against Trump policy.	1:02

9/17/19	8:45, 18:44	Alamogordo NOW	Suicide prevention events and a recap of 9-11 memorial events.	2:52
9/17/19	8:45, 18:44	Science Digest	Cholesterol.	1:31
9/18/19	6:45, 17:44	Dems debate	Reaction from the last Democratic debate.	5:35
9/18/19	7:45, 16:44	Peter Goodman	Commentator on Trump Sharpie weather map controversy.	3:39
9/18/19	8:45, 18:44	Silver City Report	Grant county commission supporting federal legislation protecting Gila, SF Rivers. And SC Town council passes Bee-keeping law.	5:06
9/19/19	7:45, 16:44	Walt Rubel	Commentator on Trump visit to NM.	3:30
9/19/19	7:45, 16:44	Texas Lawmakers	State lawmakers address mass shootings.	:46
9/19/19	8:45, 18:44	Las Cruces Bulletin	November election, Public art plan, new art gallery.	5:08
9/20/19	6:45, 17:44	Events in Sierra County	Preview of Sierra County and T or C events.	4:56
9/20/19	7:45, 16:44	Algernon D'Ammassa	Commentator on play for Adults.	3:18
9/23/19	6:45 17:44	NM Voices for Children Report	Low rate of workers in state with paid sick leave.	4:27
9/23/19	7:45, 16:44	Electoral College debate	Legal scholar calls system undemocratic.	4;\$6
9/24/19	8:45, 18:44	Alamogordo Now	Constitution Week events, local football team raises funds for youth, Holloman officials ask public to dine on base	2:38
9/24/19	8:45, 18:44	Science Digest	Heat trapped in the atmosphere	1:28
9/25/19	8:45, 18:44	Silver City Report	WNMU President gets contract extension and raise. Also, news regarding two school board candidates, and target practice in the Gila Forest is concerning residents.	5:08

