

KRCL Issues and Programs List 4th Quarter 2025

Issue key words	Show Title	Date	Duration	Description
Arts & Culture	RadioACTIVE	9/1/25	60 minutes	Live Homegrown Music Retrospective: Tonight on the show we celebrate the last six months of live music of Radioactive with a retrospective show. We hear from the audio engineering team and the Radioactive team on some of their favorite artists to come through KRCL's doors.
Health, education	RadioACTIVE	9/2/25	60 minutes	Roundtable Tuesday Explores the Changing Rx Cannabis Landscape in UT, US. Christine Stenquist of Rooted: Stories of Plant Medicine, People, and Progress, introduces us to Blake Smith of Zion Medicinal. Teachers are in the first month of school and still need help with classroom supplies. IncludEd United reports back on wishlists.
Politics, environment, social issues	RadioACTIVE	9/3/25	60 minutes	Hollins, Escamilla on the State's Choice of SLC's West Side for New Homeless Campus. Plus, Get to the River Festival 2025, Salty Jams for GSL, Take a Hike, and one final preview of the 36th Annual YWCA LeaderLuncheon.
Education, social issues, journalism	RadioACTIVE	9/4/25	60 minutes	Voices Amplified with Rising Journalists from the University of Utah. Tune in to hear from The Daily Utah Chronicle's Can of Worms podcast host about Great Saltair. Editors at Prodigal Press on the need for an underground media collective in Utah Valley. An insider's look at online sports gambling in Utah. Stay until the end to hear what has been bringing these students to their 'happy place.'
Arts & Culture, agriculture	RadioACTIVE	9/5/25	60 minutes	Muskies Live+Livestreamed on Punk Rock Farmer Friday. More true tales of the agrihood with Aldine, KRCL's Punk Rock Farmer. You can always count on homegrown food and homegrown music. Tonight, Muskies, a 'pike psych' band from Ogden. Plus, Native Seed Swap and Plant Fest, SL Mag's annual farm-to-glass cocktail contest, Slow Food Utah's 'Snail of Approval' and Skywatcher Leo T!
Arts & Culture, social issues, politics	RadioACTIVE	9/8/25	60 minutes	Voces en Bloom Artists + Music. RadioACTIVE Pop previews Voces en Bloom, which celebrates the rich musical talents and cultural heritage of our Spanish-speaking community with performances by national and local Latino musicians. Get a preview of the 2025 Utah LGBTQ+ Summit, Expo and Job Fair. Plus, GM Gavin Dahl on KRCL's finances after losing CPB funding.
Arts & Culture, health, social issues, environment	RadioACTIVE	9/9/25	60 minutes	Wake the Lake Mural Party + 40 Years of Voices + Cannabis Research in Zion. Voices for Utah Children is getting ready to celebrate 40 years and 40 champions. RadioACTIVE and Voices highlight changemakers who have made a lasting difference for Utah's kids. SLC Arts Council is ready to unveil a Wake the Lake mural by Trevor Dahl in Rose Park. Rooted: Stories of Plant Medicine, People, and Progress, with Christine Stenquist and Valerie Ahanonu, Center for Medical Cannabis Research.

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Religion, Health, Outdoors, arts & culture	RadioACTIVE	9/10/25	60 minutes	First-Ever Teen Saint, aka 'God's Influencer,' Inspires Utah Catholic Youth. Utah Catholic Youth ready to celebrate the first teen saint. RadioACTIVE follows up with Father Gustavo Vidal and youth leader Mike Edwards. Utah author, trial attorney and environmental activist Danny Quintana on his new book, This Will Work. RadioACTIVE's Take a Hike Gets to the River. Plus, Rallies and Resources with Salt Lake AIDS Walk, Intermountain Hoop Dance Competition, Salt Lake Speaks: Feelings of Fall, and Drive Electric Month.
Education, social issues, politics, crime, journalism, arts & culture	RadioACTIVE	9/11/25	60 minutes	U Students Talk Open-Carry on Campus in Wake of Kirk Assassination at UVU. RadioACTIVE passes the mic to Voices Amplified, a new generation of journalists from the University of Utah. Tonight: Students discuss their perspective and reporting process concerning open-carry on campus, where security is being increased in the wake of yesterday's assassination of Charlie Kirk at UVU. The Other Side Donuts taste-test and check-in. Plus, homegrown music from The Hit.
Arts & culture, agriculture, economic development, astronomy and skylore	RadioACTIVE	9/12/25	60 minutes	Punk Rock Farmer on the Road @ Mestizo Coffee House for Radiothon-Eve. Una taza mas as we celebrate the community gathering spot that Mestizo has been for over 17 years. It will be closing at the end of the month, so we need to discuss the future of the West Side, which may hinge on the ambitious Rio Grande Plan. More true tales of the agrihood with Aldine, KRCL's Punk Rock Farmer, and Sunwork Honey and Garden Giveaway. Plus, Skywatcher Leo T and homegrown music from CHAC XOL. See you there!
Community radio, social issues, arts & culture	RadioACTIVE	9/15/25	60 minutes	RadioACTIVE + Artes de Mexico en Utah = Challenge Match for Good. Call or click to support community radio and another nonprofit up to good trouble for the community
Community radio, social issues	RadioACTIVE	9/16/25	60 minutes	RadioACTIVE + Special Olympics Utah = Challenge Match for Good. Call or click to support community radio and another nonprofit up to good trouble for the community
Community radio, social issues	RadioACTIVE	9/17/25	60 minutes	RadioACTIVE + Wasatch Adaptive Sports = Challenge Match for Good. Call or click now to support community radio and another nonprofit up to good trouble for the community
Community radio, social issues	RadioACTIVE	9/18/25	60 minutes	RadioACTIVE + Canyonlands Field Institute = Challenge Match for Good. Call 801-359-9191 during the show or click now to support community radio and another nonprofit up to good trouble for the community
Community radio, social issues, agriculture	RadioACTIVE	9/19/25	60 minutes	RadioACTIVE + Red Butte Garden = Challenge Match for Good. Click now to support community radio and another nonprofit up to good trouble for the community

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Government, elections, arts & culture	RadioACTIVE	9/22/25	60 minutes	RadioACTIVE Pop, Pop Culture + Free Speech. RadioACTIVE Pop! with Olivia Jaramillo talks pop culture, music and society. Tonight: Artist Scott Perry on his latest 100 Days of Pop Culture Icons. Fair maps with the League of Women Voters of Utah and Better Boundaries. Plus, Olivia, Connor and Lara talk free speech online vs IRL.
Government, elections, arts & culture, health	RadioACTIVE	9/23/25	60 minutes	Roundtable Tuesday 'Elevates' the Conversation. Fair maps, lawmakers and power with Elevate Utah, trying to save Utah with a whiteboard and a dream. Plus, Hoodah Festival; Rooted, Salt Baked City and Canna FanFest; and live, homegrown music from Kate MacLeod.
Arts & culture, environment, health, outdoors	RadioACTIVE	9/24/25	60 minutes	Wake the Lake with Plan-B's 'Just Add Water' - a World Premiere. From Bomba Marile and SanArte Cultura, the transformative healing space in Puerto Rico, RadioACTIVE talks health and wellness through music and dance. Dr. Eddie Holloway on MAHA, misinformation and what's headed our way for cold and flu season. Plus, Take a Hike with RadioACTIVE's Valene MC and hiking expert Ashley Brown, author of Urban Trails SLC.
Education, social issues, free speech, arts & culture	RadioACTIVE	9/25/25	60 minutes	Rising Journalists Celebrate 1A Day. A Voices Amplified Takeover. University of Utah rising journalists bring you the latest from college media as well as student views on issues of the day. Tonight: First Amendment Day. First anniversary of HB261, Utah's DEI ban on college campuses. SLC looks to clamp down on underground clubs, featuring electronic house music, alcohol and unruly guests. Plus, Let Me Explain: Real Housewives of SLC, Season 6.
Arts & culture, agriculture, education, astronomy and skystore	RadioACTIVE	9/26/25	60 minutes	Punk Rock Farmer Kicks off with Music from Montana's Charlie Apple. Then, Aldine's Urban Farm Report with farm-to-table Chef Jean Mendieta of Proyecto Xilonen, Wise Traditions Conference, and Roots Charter High Fall Fest. Plus, SkyWatcher Leo T and The Ogdenite!
Arts & culture, environment, free speech	RadioACTIVE	9/29/25	60 minutes	RadioACTIVE Pop + Dear Everything, a Musical Uprising for the Earth. Playwright V, formerly Eve Ensler, is headed to SLC with her latest work, including a local youth choir backing up the cast. No Kings organizers in Logan and Utah County. Plus, Rico Brand founder Jorge Fiero on the origin of one of his favorite dips -- it's all in the family, of course.
Government, civic engagement, health, veterans	RadioACTIVE	9/30/25	60 minutes	Use Your Words. Roundtable Tuesday with Risshan Leak on the different ways to approach change, from in the streets to peaceful dialogue. Find out about the next No Kings National Day of Protest, as well as meet some of the folks behind the new Turn Toward Coalition. Plus, veteran Drew Howells joins Christine Stenquist for more in our Rooted series.

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Public lands, environment, free speech, outdoors, health	RadioACTIVE	10/1/25	60 minutes	Climb, Rally, Explore: Public Lands in Focus. Toya Eastman, National Team Manager, USA Climbing, a featured speaker at Friday's Land We Share, a Utah Public Lands Summit. Check in with the No Kings! Rally organizers. Every Kid Outdoors shares their mission of getting children and their families connected into nature and community. Then, Valene MC signs off with Radioactive and shares her hiking adventure Ashley Brown, and their hike of the week.
Education, journalism, outdoors, arts & culture	RadioACTIVE	10/2/25	60 minutes	Celebrating Fall with Outdoor Recreation. A Voices Amplified takeover. Rising journalists from the University of Utah bring you the latest from college media as well as issues they're talking about right now. Tonight: Wasatch managing editor, Aidan Cooley, recommends fall hikes and other outdoor activities. Claire's is closing as well as SLCC's Community Writing Center, so what will this mean for Utahns? To close, Let Me Explain: Dancing With The Stars and the ballroom dance scene in Utah.
Arts & Culture, agriculture, astronomy	RadioACTIVE	10/3/25	60 minutes	Spirit Farm's Indigenous regenerative intelligence and the Punk Rock Farmer. Spirit Farm's James and Joyce Skeet share their 'Indigenous regenerative intelligence' approach to the land. Al and Joseph Lofthouse share the harvest. Plus, Craftoberfest, Skywatcher Leo T, and the homegrown music (by way of Brazil) of Brazuca Band.
Workers rights, arts & culture, mental health	RadioACTIVE	10/6/25	60 minutes	RadioACTIVE Pop + Activism and events for the LGBTQ community and beyond. SunTrapp Workers Unite share their unionization journey so far. Plus we hear about Halloween events from the Utah Pride Center, ENOUGH! Plays to End Gun Violence with Rowland Hall students, and Joselyn Romero on therapy options for LGBTQ+ folks.
Arts & culture, pet health, health	RadioACTIVE	10/7/25	60 minutes	Things That Go Bump in the Night. Roundtable Tuesday with Risshan Leak brings you stories of things that go bump in the night with Lianna Manibog of The Threadwork Collective. National Pet Wellness Month with Operation Pawpulation. Plus, Salt Lake Harm Reduction Project and the success of its naloxey-boxey program, and OFOAM's Dia de los Muertos.
Arts & culture, nonprofits, environment, free speech	RadioACTIVE	10/8/25	60 minutes	Rallies and Resources, from Festival of Books to Mouse to GSL Dust to No Kings in Moab. Nick @ 6 digs into Indie Pitch, where Shark Tank meets grantmaking. A twist on typical grant processes, funding decisions will be made by a ranked-choice community vote, conducted in real time. Plus, Indigenous Art Market & Festival, Mouse, & Great Salt Lake Dust Report, No Kings in Moab.

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Education, journalism, sports, arts & culture, history	RadioACTIVE	10/9/25	60 minutes	Voices Amplified Goes Deep Into Ute Sports Territory + More. A Voices Amplified Takeover by rising journalists bringing you the latest from college media as well as issues they're talking about right now. Tonight, a deep dive into UoU sports with Daily Utah Chronicle writer John Leone, a look into the history of Ogden's historic 25th street with Weber State photographer Gavin Olson and preservationist and former KRCL guest Steve Jones, and the hosts of local music podcast Fishboat on their new favorite Utah artists.
Arts & culture, agriculture, environment, astronomy	RadioACTIVE	10/10/25	60 minutes	Punk Rock Farmer Friday with The Glitter Bombs, Red Acre Center, Five Fingers Farms + More. Aldine, KRCL's Punk Rock Farmer, brings you more true tales of the agrihood with Red Acre Center, Five Fingers Farm, and Millcreek Harvest Market. Plus, Watershed Stories, Skywatcher Leo T, and homegrown music from The Glitter Bombs.
Arts & culture, film, music	RadioACTIVE	10/13/25	60 minutes	Blood and Myth, a Storyteller Q&A. Valene MC attended high school with Iñupiaq writer and musician James Dommek Jr., whose new true-crime series, Blood and Myth, is now streaming on Hulu. It's based on his podcast Midnight Son, a real-life mystery that pits Native American folklore against the US justice system. Plus, Meet the DJ with Leah Swenson, co-host of KRCL's Living the Circle of Life.
Arts & culture, community engagement, health	RadioACTIVE	10/14/25	60 minutes	Roundtable Tuesday with Mexican-American Artist Behind 'Coyotek'. Coyotek, a mashup of borders, immigration policy, and tech in photographs, videos, and live performances, is on display at the Gittens Gallery. RadioACTIVE talks with celebrated Mexican-American artist Jorge Rojas about his work building bridges of understanding between cultures. Plus, Project Rainbow, Utah Pacific Islander Health Coalition, and the Utah Film Center.
Environment, politics, sports,	RadioACTIVE	10/15/25	60 minutes	Save Our Canyons, Amos Guiora, and the Winning Touchdown in the 1978 UoU vs BYU Game. There are no words, says Israeli-American Professor Amos Guiora, on the return of the remaining hostages. RadioACTIVE talks with him about the fragile peace recently negotiated by the Trump Administration. Plus, Save Our Canyons is ready to Pray for Snow, the nonprofit's annual Ullr Ball. BONUS: Former UoU Football Player Frank Henry looks back on his winning catch to beat BYU in 1978.
Education, journalism, urban agriculture, arts & culture	RadioACTIVE	10/16/25	60 minutes	Voices Amplified: Rose Park, Southern Utah, and Ghostly Plain -- Oh, My! The new Southern Utah Tribune, community gardens and outdoor classrooms in Rose Park, and paranormal activities in Salt Lake. Plus, Let Me Explain, the AI version.

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Arts & culture, urban agriculture, environment, politics, free speech, astronomy	RadioACTIVE	10/17/25	60 minutes	Punk Rock Farmer + YardFarmer Daryl Lindsey + NoKingsDaySLC + Avallon. Aldine, KRCL's Punk Rock Farmer, brings you more true tales of the agrihood with YardFarmer Daryl Lindsey. Since opening for business, YardFarmer has designed more than 300 native, waterwise landscapes, saving over 10 million gallons of water. Organizers of tomorrow's #NoKings rally in SLC share their message and safety plan. Connor visits UMFA for a sneak peek of Nuestro pasado es presente/Our Past is Present. Plus, Skywatcher Leo T, and homegrown music from Avallon.
Arts & culture, history, crime	RadioACTIVE	10/20/25	60 minutes	RadioACTIVE Pop! Gets the Origin Story of 'Killer Mexican Food'. RadioACTIVE Pop! explores the legacy of Red Iguana founder Ramon Cardenas Sr., who recently passed at the age of 92. His daughter Lucy and her husband Bill now run the family-owned business and join us to talk about killer Mexican food, family and culture. Volunteers prepare for annual daffodil planting in memory of Utahns lost to gun violence. Plus, Voices from #NoKingsSLC, and musician Emily Hicks live in the studio.
Arts & culture, community service, health	RadioACTIVE	10/21/25	60 minutes	The Making of Queer Films, Stories. Utah Queer Film Festival is this weekend. Festival Director Cat Palmer and Utah Film Center's Russell Roots join Roundtable Tuesday with Rishan Leak to talk about this year's lineup of queer cinema from across the LGBTQIA+ spectrum. Rake Your Heart Out needs volunteers and homes for the annual event. Rooted meets #NoKings. Plus, a live music preview of the Tiny Porch 5th Anniversary Party at the Alliance Theatre in Trolley Square.
Community engagement, arts & culture	RadioACTIVE	10/22/25	60 minutes	Creative Ways to Build Community, from Quilts to Two Davids. The debut of 'Building Bridges Through Dialogue' with Doctors David Derezotes and David Parker. Women Building Peace on the nationwide spread of its Quilting for the Constitution: Peace by Piece campaign. And the latest Regional Roundup from the Rocky Mountain Community Radio coalition.
Education, journalism, politics, free speech, community radio	RadioACTIVE	10/23/25	60 minutes	Voices Amplified Reports on #NoKings Rally in DC. This week's Voices Amplified Student Takeover of RadioACTIVE brings you stories from emerging journalists at the University of Utah in partnership with Amplify Utah. Host Alina Walker and her team explore protest coverage from D.C., conflict reporting in Ukraine, KRCL's own community history, and the curious peace symbol known as the Portland Frog.

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Arts & culture, urban agriculture, environment, politics, free speech, astronomy	RadioACTive	10/24/25	60 minutes	Punk Rock Farmer + Agrihood Ecosystem + Homegrown Music of The Alpines. Aldine, KRCL's Punk Rock Farmer, brings you more true tales of the agrihood, which has been amplified by pop-up markets this season like Bohemian Bum Farmers Market and Extra Kitsch. Plus, one last Downtown SLC Farmers Market of summer season, Salt Lake Community Bail Fund Fall Fright, Skywatcher Leo T, and homegrown music from The Alpines.
Arts & culture, social issues	RadioACTive	10/27/25	60 minutes	RadioACTive Pop! with Mistress on the Mic + La Catrina of Dia de los Muertos. RadioACTive Pop! Meets Mistress on the Mic, a femdom in the local kink community working to bring our desires out of the shadows. Plus, La Catrina of Dia de los Muertos, and Jingle Mingle with the Food Justice Coalition.
Energy, social issues, mutual aid, elections, politics	RadioACTive	10/28/25	60 minutes	Power to the People, Always. Rocky Mountain Power customers set to rally against what they say are expensive fossil fuel plans. Community groups are stepping up as the Nov. 1 federal benefits cutoff approaches. Plus, the general election is one week away. League of Women Voters of Utah with an update on people power at the ballot box.
Arts & culture, social issues, crime	RadioACTive	10/29/25	60 minutes	Campaign to Heal the Music Scene, Exposed Storytelling to Heal the Heart. Heart Support, a campaign to heal the music scene, rolls out in Ogden, while Exposed Storytelling heads to SLC. The UoU Bystander Initiative on solutions to enabling culture within universities to 'rape by proxy' issues arising from the Pelicot case in France. BONUS: Homegrown music from singer-songwriter Emerson Peery.
Education, journalism, sports, arts & culture, history	RadioACTive	10/30/25	60 minutes	A Voices Amplified Takeover -- with Costumes! A Voices Amplified Takeover by rising journalists bringing you the latest from college media as well as student views on issues of the day. Paraclimbing athlete Brayden Butler on the challenges athletes face. The spooky spirit with reporters Bonnie Fox and Cambria Thorley as we debate Utah's best haunted attractions. Plus KRCL history with Ma Black of Nova FM. It's a Halloween-themed edition of the show -- costumes encouraged!
Arts & culture, urban agriculture, environment, astronomy	RadioACTive	10/31/25	60 minutes	Punk Rock Farmer Halloween with Homegrown Music, Garlic + More. Aldine, KRCL's Punk Rock Farmer, brings you more truly frightening tales of the agrihood on a special Halloween edition of RadioACTive: Siskiyou Seeds offers garlic planting tips for the Draculas in your life, homegrown music of Graveyard Violet, poet RJ Walker live-crafting spooky verse, a chance to volunteer in the agrihood, and Skywatcher Leo T.

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Social issues, politics, environment	RadioACTIVE	11/3/25	60 minutes	RadioACTIVE Pop! Asks What You Can Do for Your Community. With SNAP benefits in limbo, as many as 86,000 Utah households are now feeling the pinch of the federal government shutdown at the kitchen table. RadioACTIVE Pop! will have resources, food drives, and drop-off locations to share on the show tonight. Project Rainbow leaders and volunteers are getting ready for Transgender Awareness Week. Plus, Tree Utah needs volunteers for the 3rd annual Wuda Ogwa Restoration Project with the Northwestern Band of the Shoshone Nation.
Arts & culture, social issues, veterans, environment	RadioACTIVE	11/4/25	60 minutes	More Local, More Vocal with About Face, Diverted, Utah Film Center, Utahns Against Hunger + More. Adrian Rollins is a veteran, an anti-war activist, and a socialist. RadioACTIVE finds out why he started a local chapter of About Face, Veterans Against the War. Wake the GSL and KRCL's own Valene MC are back with Diverted: Indigenous Stewardship and Saving Great Salt Lake, which premieres this week. Plus, Adopt-A-Native-Elder, Utahns Against Hunger, Kurbasy at Kingsbury, and Vivaldi by Candlelight.
Social issues, politics, outdoors, health, arts & culture	RadioACTIVE	11/5/25	60 minutes	Fierce Urgency of Now with Neighborhood House + Kahve Cafe's Giving Table. As the federal shutdown continues and benefits are cut in part or whole, Utahns are stepping up to help. RadioACTIVE talks with Neighborhood House and Kahve Cafe about their work and how you can help. Plus, Every Kid Outdoors, Filméxico and more.
Education, journalism, social issues, technology, history	RadioACTIVE	11/6/25	60 minutes	Voices Amplified on SNAP Cuts + Food Drives on Campus, Tech Classroom Bans, KRCL Women DJs. Rising journalists at the University of Utah take over the show to discuss how the federal shutdown is hitting college students and what they're doing about it, technology in the college classroom, and KRCL history with Maggie Laun of Women Aloud.
Arts & culture, urban agriculture, astronomy	RadioACTIVE	11/7/25	60 minutes	Double-Dose of Homegrown Music on Punk Rock Farmer Friday. Aldine, KRCL's Punk Rock Farmer, brings you more true tales of the agrihood with Rose Park homesteader Jonathan K. Plus, Skywatcher Leo T and a double-dose of homegrown music with Robin Swann and the folks from HUM.
Health, social issues, arts & culture, environment	RadioACTIVE	11/10/25	60 minutes	Utah AIDS Foundation's 40th Anniversary and World AIDS Day. Red ribbons and putting an end to new HIV cases by 2030. RadioACTIVE Pop! talks with the UAF Legacy Health as the community-powered organization prepares to celebrate 40 years and World AIDs Day. Voices from Wuda Ogwa. Plus, Our Sacred Lake, and more Mysteries of the Ice Ages.

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Politics, veterans, arts & culture	RadioACTive	11/11/25	60 minutes	Defining Military Victory to Starting About Face SLC. Defining Military Victory with Professor Amos Guiora. Army sniper-turned-singer-songwriter Andrew Wiscombe shares a song and a call to veterans to reach out for help. And a Veterans Day conversation with Air Force veteran Adrian Rollins, an anti-war activist, socialist, and founder of a local chapter of About Face, Veterans Against the War.
Energy, politics, elections, business, arts & culture	RadioACTive	11/12/25	60 minutes	Who's Got a Need for Nuclear Speed? HEAL Utah is sounding the alarm on the state of Utah and Rocky Mountain Power's push for nuclear. Tribune Reporter Robert Gehrke on gerrymandering lawsuits and threats of judicial impeachment. Plus, The Business Voyage 2025, Utah Pacific Islander Health Week, and a song from Zaza for Transgender Awareness Week.
Education, journalism, history, arts & culture, sports	RadioACTive	11/13/25	60 minutes	Voices Amplified Passes the Mic to Women in Sports, Loud & Clear, KRCL History + More. Rising journalists at the University of Utah take over the show to sit down with Spy Hop Youth Radio, the hosts of KRCL's own Loud and Clear, discuss women working in sports, and talk KRCL history with Shannalee of Saturday Breakfast Jam. Plus, fresh and homegrown live music by Madz Smith.
Arts & culture, urban agriculture, astronomy	RadioACTive	11/14/25	60 minutes	Fresh & Homegrown -- It's Dad Bod on Punk Rock Farmer Friday. Punk Rock Farmer Friday shines a light on a new farm incubator program with James Loomis of Wasatch Community Gardens. The Downtown SLC Winter Farmers Market starts tomorrow at a new location. Lady Façade and Phoenix Park invite you to the inaugural Iconique Awards. Plus, Skywatcher Leo T, Friday Night Fall Out Cold Weather Drive, and the homegrown music of Dad Bod.
Arts & culture, social issues	RadioACTive	11/17/25	60 minutes	Homegrown, Live+Livestreamed Music with West Max. RadioACTive Pop's Olivia Jaramillo breaks down the zeitgeist. Plus, Love Your Block, USANA Kids Eat, more NHMU tickets, and the music of Max Young.
Business, arts & culture, health	RadioACTive	11/18/25	60 minutes	How to Keep It Local This Holiday Season. JUST ADDED: City Weekly's Best of Utah + Art Haus Market. Tuesday, Nov. 18: Shop Small Saturday is the alternative to corporate America's Black Friday or Cyber Monday. Roundtable Tuesday has you covered so you can keep it local this season, from Central City Gift Exchange to Maven District, Art Haus Christmas Market, and more. Plus, Art for the Recovery Community Seventh Annual Festival, and the Utah Filmmaker Showcase: There Was, There was Not.

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Arts & culture, environment, philanthropy	RadioACTIVE	11/19/25	60 minutes	RadioACTIVE Celebrates 2025 Utah Book Award Authors. Nick @ 6 talks with the Utah writers behind Wat Kept Playing (illustrated and Children Utah Great Reads Selection), Battletech: A Question of Survival (speculative fiction), Path of Light (memoir and Adult Utah Great Reads Selection), and Vengeance Is Mine: The Mountain Meadows Massacre and Its Aftermath (general non-fiction). Jack Stauss of Save Our Canyons on more trees, less SUVs in Big Cottonwood Canyon. Plus, Giving Tuesday Spotlight: Fit to Recover.
Sports, social issues, history, arts & culture	RadioACTIVE	11/20/25	60 minutes	Utah Women Navigate River Rafting, Climbing & Other 'Non-Traditional' Sports. A Voices Amplified Takeover by rising journalists bringing you the latest from college media as well as student views on issues of the day. Tonight: Women in alternative sports, such as river rafting and rock climbing, and the challenges they face in those spaces. KRCL History with Nick Burns, RadioACTIVE's longest-serving community co-host. Plus, Let Me Explain: Let. Fall. Breathe.
Arts & culture, urban agriculture, social issues, astronomy, natural history	RadioACTIVE	11/21/25	60 minutes	Punk Rock Farmer Friday Gets You Ready for the Holidays. Punk Rock Farmer Friday with more true tales of Christmas at The Kinlands with Farmer Luke, and Karl Ebeling of Eden Streets returns to relaunch more lives through farming. Plus, Shop Farmer Saturday, Lights On! at the Eccles, Skywatcher Leo T, and homegrown music from Mikael Lewis.
Arts & culture, social issues, natural history	RadioACTIVE	11/24/25	60 minutes	RadioACTIVE Pop! x Chef Bryan Woolley Pre-Game for TDay. Chef will have tips and tricks for the juiciest turkey. Sema Hadithi's Robert Burch on The Gullah Geechee: From the Lowcountry to Utah Tour. Three community groups that are feeding folks this holiday week. And one last Dino Doc + tickets to Mysteries of the Ice Ages @ NHMU.
Elections, politics, business, free speech, arts & culture	RadioACTIVE	11/25/25	60 minutes	Turf War or Tug of War? It's the Utah Way. Salt Lake Tribune Reporter Robert Gehrke with the latest political news. Shop Small Saturday, #WeAintBuyingAnything, #MassBlackout -- we talk options with Indivisible Utah County and Strike SLC. Plus, Meet the DJ: RadioACTIVE's Asha Pruitt talks with Bianca Velasquez, host of We Ride At Dawn, Sundays from 5-7 AM on KRCL.
Arts & culture	RadioACTIVE	11/26/25	60 minutes	RadioACTIVE, a Thanksgiving Eve Special. Neighbors, friends and family share their stories of holidays, travel, family dinners, and a playlist to match. Your storytellers? KRCL's Nick Burns, Morgan Keller, Michelle Otto, Shell Yeah, Rishan Leak, Skywatcher Leo T, Connor Estes, Val MC, Lara Jones, and Poet Jesse Parent.

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Arts & culture, environment	RadioACTIVE	11/27/25	60 minutes	Part 2 of RadioACTIVE's Thanksgiving Special Starts with Aztec Blues. A brand new single from Utah's own CHAC XOL to start the show. Brad Parry, Tribal Council Vice Chairman of the Northwestern Band of the Shoshone Nation, on the Wuda Ogwa Cultural and Land Restoration Project. Envision Utah's Common Good Awards Spotlight on the Great Salt Lake Collaborative. Plus, LionFish shares Little Bird, a song for Bear.
Arts & culture	RadioACTIVE	11/28/25	60 minutes	Radioactive Local Music Celebration. We are celebrating Black Friday the only way we know how, by celebrating all things local! We hear from over a dozen live and local bands and artists that have played the KRCL Big Room this last year on Radioactive!
Arts & culture, philanthropy, journalism, social issues	RadioACTIVE	12/1/25	60 minutes	RadioACTIVE Pop x West High Chorale Live in Studio. Tomorrow is #GivingTuesday. RadioACTIVE Pop! gathers nonprofit newsrooms - Utah News Dispatch, Utah Investigative Journalism Project, and The Salt Lake Tribune - to talk about what they do and how you can help. Plus, a makeover for Out of the Blue, Women of the World Celebrates Success, FJC ready to Jingle and Mingle, and homegrown music from West High Chorale (they're headed to Carnegie Hall in 2026 and need your help to get there).
Social issues, food security, community radio	RadioACTIVE	12/2/25	60 minutes	Utah Food Bank Joins RadioACTIVE for #GivingTuesday. Day 1 of the KRCL Year-End Drive on RadioACTIVE, featuring Ginette Bott of the Utah Food Bank. For a donation of \$100 for a Gift for Good, a portion will go to the Utah Food Bank to provide up to 20 meals for Utahns facing hunger.
Community radio, history	RadioACTIVE	12/3/25	60 minutes	RadioACTIVE Celebrates KRCL's 46 Years of Good Trouble. Join Nick Burns, Lara Jones and Connor Estes to hear about the 50th Anniversary History Committee, some of the interviews and items they've collected, and how you can get involved.
Arts & culture, health, social issues, arts & culture, community radio	RadioACTIVE	12/4/25	60 minutes	RadioACTIVE with the Mindful Mosh Pit, Tower Theatre Reno + a Chalamet Christmas! RadioACTIVE x Voices Amplified. Join rising journalists of the University of Utah as they discuss mindfulness and music with Professor Phillip Bimstein, and check in on renovations at the Tower Theatre with the Tribune's Sean P. Means.
Arts & culture, urban agriculture, community radio	RadioACTIVE	12/5/25	60 minutes	Punk Rock Farmer Is Always Homegrown. Celebrate all things homegrown, from the farm to the concert stage, with us tonight. Plus, a surprise acoustic performance from Jim Bone and Fat Paw's Tim Wray. Thank you for supporting homegrown food and music!

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Arts & culture, social issues, politics	RadioACTIVE	12/8/25	60 minutes	RadioACTIVE Pop! + Yuletide Greetings From The Other Side. The Other Side Village is lighting up the west side with holiday cheer as it launches the nonprofit's First Annual Yuletide Holiday Market this weekend. TOSV will be on the show with all the details, as well as an update on the nonprofit's unique approach to ending homelessness. Plus, the People's Rally before tomorrow's Special Session of the Utah Legislature.
Arts & culture, sports, business	RadioACTIVE	12/9/25	60 minutes	Roller Derby Community's Give Back Bout, New Home Shout Out. Fresh off their hometown Brawlidays bout, Salt Lake Roller Derby is getting ready for Skates and Smiles. RadioACTIVE talks with Sir Hellton John and friends about this annual give-back bout. Plus, Rising Journalist Laney Hansen reports on ways to shop local this holiday season, and The Lord of Misrule Christmas Charity Show.
Military, journalism, politics, arts & culture, health	RadioACTIVE	12/10/25	60 minutes	Inkstick Media - 'They've told a judge that our reporting is, well, an existential threat.' Taylor Barnes, military-industrial complex reporter, on her ongoing quest to get public records about subsidies Utah granted Northrop Grumman. Plus, Sundance news, Special Session at The People's House, radon dangers, and the Utah premiere of Earth's Greatest Enemy.
Education, journalism, arts & culture	RadioACTIVE	12/11/25	60 minutes	That's a Wrap! Rising Journalists of Voices Amplified Share Favorite Moments. Tune in to hear about their plans for the future, one or two Let Me Explains, and their hopes (and fears) for the Fourth Estate. Plus, a playlist inspired by their work this semester.
Arts & culture, urban agriculture, astronomy	RadioACTIVE	12/12/25	60 minutes	The Caraways Kick Off Punk Rock Farmer Friday. Punk Rock Farmer Friday brings you more true tales of the agrihood with From the Ground Up, the 2026 Utah Farm and Food Conference, including Red Acre Center, Biodynamic Cowboy, New Mexico Spirit Farm, and Debunked by Nature author Mollie Engelhart. Plus, Skywatcher Leo T and homegrown music with The Caraways.
Arts & culture, social issues	RadioACTIVE	12/15/25	60 minutes	Top of the RadioACTIVE Pop!s. RadioACTIVE Pop!'s Olivia Jaramillo on the top pop culture stories of the year. Project Rainbow's Community Fund is now accepting ideas for 2026. Plus, Food Justice Coalition returns with one last way you can help put food on the tables of unhoused members of our community this year.
Arts & culture, politics, immigration, social issues	RadioACTIVE	12/16/25	60 minutes	From Hunger in SLC, to Immigrant Stories ... in Latvia. Roundtable Tuesday digs into hunger as a policy with folks from Crossroads Urban Center and Utahns Against Hunger. They'll share plans for the next legislative session and ways you can help. RadioACTIVE Dispatches Correspondent brings us an immigrant story ... from Latvia. Plus, Crossroads' Christmas Food Giveaway, and Ducks and Clucks has joined the ICE watch.

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Arts & culture, social issues, environment, health	RadioACTIVE	12/17/25	60 minutes	A New Year + New Ways to Build Community. Instead of looking back, let's look ahead at ways to build community in the new year. Tonight, RadioACTIVE with Nick @ 6 brings you more third spaces to build community, like League of Utah Writers, Tell Yer Tale, and BookishSLC. New deal preserves farmland and water to help protect Great Salt Lake. And Salt Lake Harm Reduction brings receipts for 2025.
Social issues, health	RadioACTIVE	12/18/25	60 minutes	#DialogueDocs: Ground Rules for the Holiday Dinner Table. Processing anger in a productive way when the times say let 'er rip. Doctors David Derezotes and David Parker return with a reset for 2026, and an IG to match.
Arts & culture, urban agriculture, community, astronomy	RadioACTIVE	12/19/25	60 minutes	Punk Rock Farmer Friday Festivus 2025. First, homegrown music from Electricide, then more true tales (airing of grievances) of the agrihood with Wasatch Community Gardens, Rose Park Bee Club, and Urban Homesteaders Jonathan K and Kathy. Feats of strength (in space) with Skywatcher Leo T!
Environment, arts & culture	RadioACTIVE	12/22/25	60 minutes	From our friends at the podcast Stay Salty, Lakefacing Stories, we share 'Shifting Culture: Honoring Relationships at Pia Okwai.' Plus, RadioACTIVE's Connor Estes talks with Stay Salty Host Olivia Juarez and Amelia Diehl, producer/composer, about what's in store for Season 2.
Arts & culture, social issues, politics, food security	RadioACTIVE	12/23/25	60 minutes	Music Meets Activism with Leo, who's 13, a bass player and LGBTQ+ activist. Oh, and he's trans-masc. Tune in for Leo's playlist with songs about being trans and "just kind of what being trans feels like." Plus, voices from Saturday's Rally to Save NCAR in Colorado, as well as folks giving out Christmas dinner fixings earlier today.
Arts & culture	RadioACTIVE	12/24/25	60 minutes	Rebroadcast - RadioACTIVE Toast to the Season - Part 1. Stories of holidays past and present, new rituals, and a playlist to match.
Arts & culture	RadioACTIVE	12/25/25	60 minutes	Rebroadcast - RadioACTIVE Toast to the Season - Part 2. Grandma's life lessons and a Christmas watch, Kwanzaa in Ogden, and Music Meets the Holidays with Rabbi Hecht of Temple Har Shalom.
Arts & culture	RadioACTIVE	12/26/25	60 minutes	RadioACTIVE has a long history of supporting local, homegrown music on the show, and this year was no different! In fact, we broke our own record of artists on the show, with 53 unique artists coming on to play live during 2025! We want to say thank you to all the local artists who shared their hard work for listeners to enjoy. Tonight, RadioACTIVE Music Editor Connor Estes shares some of the 159 local and lives songs from 2025.
Arts & culture, history, social issues, health, journalism	RadioACTIVE	12/29/25	60 minutes	It's Radioactive Pop! Best of 2025, where we hand-picked some of our favorite conversations that happened here on Mondays. Red Iguana's Lucy Cardenas and Bill Coker pay tribute to her father, Don Ramon Cardenas, who passed away this year. West Max plays for us in the studio, UAF Legacy Health talks World AIDS Day, and local, nonprofit newsrooms on the future of the Fourth Estate.

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Social issues, politics, immigration, free speech	RadioACTIVE	12/30/25	60 minutes	Best of RadioACTIVE's Roundtable Tuesday with Rishan Leak. The roundtable is convened to talk about hunger as a policy choice with Crossroads Urban Center and Utahns Against Hunger. Both are getting ready for the Utah Legislature's general session in January, and you can join them! RadioACTIVE Dispatches Correspondent Tamrika Khvtisiashvili with an immigrant story ... from Latvia. Plus, Ducks and Clucks is watching the ducks and ICE.
Arts & culture, social issues, military, health	RadioACTIVE	12/31/25	60 minutes	Best of RadioACTIVE with Nick @ 6. Instead of looking back, RadioACTIVE looks ahead at ways to build community in the new year. We're talking third spaces with the League of Utah Writers, Tell Yer Tale, and BookishSLC. Taylor Barnes, military-industrial complex reporter, and her ongoing quest to get public records about the subsidies Utah granted to Northrop Grumman. And Salt Lake Harm Reduction brings receipts for 2025.