



Quarterly Issues/Programs List
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The following report is representative of responsive broadcasts during the period of April 1, 2009, to June 30, 2009, which have provided KVOA's most significant treatment of community issues as indicated by community leaders throughout the area. The responsive broadcasts are exclusive of NBC network news and public affairs programs that may also deal with these problems on a national basis. Issues addressed and that are important to the Tucson community include Border/Immigration, Community, Consumer, Crime & Law Enforcement, Economy, Education, Environment, Health and Safety issues

ISSUE	PROGRAM	DATE	TIME	PARTICIPANTS	SUMMARY OF DISCUSSION
Border/ Immigration	Impact	4/12/09	6a-630a	Lt. George Anderson from Arizona Department of Public Safety	The Department of Public Safety is continuing to battle drug, human and weapons smuggling along highways in Arizona. Lt. Anderson discussed some of the types of seizures and arrests that take place on a weekly basis. The department is also seeing an increase in the number of stash houses here in Southern Arizona. We also discussed how officers are upping their efforts to combat the increase in border violence.
Border/ Immigration	News 4 @ 6	4/29/09	6:02:55 to 6:04:31		Concern over the Swine Flu outbreak is also affecting local law enforcement. Rangers at the Coronado National Memorial are trying to protect themselves from the flu. They patrol 4,750 acres of federal land bordering Mexico. Rangers are prepared to isolate immigrants showing flu-like symptoms who sneak across the border to protect themselves, visitors and staff from being exposed.
Border/ Immigration	News 4 @ 5	5/1/09	5:01:42 to 5:03:43		A park in downtown Tucson packed with people Friday, 5/1. An estimated 600 community members rallied to demand rights for illegal immigrants. The message they are trying to send out to the community is that immigrant rights are human rights. Worker's rights are human rights. Everybody deserves equal opportunity, equal treatment in schools, in human rights, in every aspect of society. Not everyone agrees. No comprehensive immigration reform, no rewarding illegals for coming here illegally, no perks, no benefits. Send them home. If they want to come here, they can do it right and we'd be happy to accept them.
Border/ Immigration	News 4 @ 6	5/7/09	6:00:30 to 6:02:59		With the temperatures reaching the century mark, Border Patrol Agents are preparing to handle heat related problems of illegal border crossers coming thru the treacherous Sonoran Desert. The Border Patrol Search Trama and Rescue Team, known as Borstar, has already rescued 121 people this year. This time last year, they were at 142. Total rescue for 2008, 459.
Border/ Immigration	News 4 @ Noon	6/4/09	12:00:35 to 12:02:20		A three day conference in Tucson as law enforcement talk about safety of residents in the United States and safety of residents in Mexico. It's the Police International Sonora Arizona Conference, and Homeland Security Secretary, former Arizona Governor, Janet Napolitano was there. She spoke about protecting and securing the border, announcing a 60M grant called Operation Stone Garden, and the State of Arizona will get nearly 13M. Our state receives the second largest amount of money in the nation. Texas receives more, and California is third.

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Community	Impact	4/5/09	6a-630a	Roger Allen, Trina Mickels	The Desert Readers of Tucson deliver music and reading to people in elderly communities such as nursing homes and assisted living homes. They've impacted the lives of countless senior citizens and bring joy, laughter and love in a unique and refreshing way.
Community	News 4 @ 4	4/1/09	4:50:40 to 4:54:25	Lindsey Rietzsch, Author	Do you want to catch those lost butterflies in your marriage? Then start dating your spouse. There are probably lots of reasons why you can't; we're too busy, have to take the kids to their activities, we don't have money to go on a date, too tired. But there's a big reason why you should, to recapture those feelings you thought were long gone. Lindsey Rietzsch wrote a book called "How to Date Your Spouse" and she spoke about what inspired her to write this book.
Community	News 4 @ 4	4/2/09	4:50:00 to 4:52:55	Steve Dell, Animal Behaviorist - Bark Busters	Getting a puppy for the family is a big responsibility. There's lots of things to consider other than breed. This is a long term commitment that requires some serious homework. Steve Dell, Animal Behaviorist, spoke about how buying a puppy that's been taken away from the litter too soon can harm their development.
Community	Tucson Today 5a to 7a	4/2/09	6:02:45 to 6:04:40		Today, you can donate to the Community Food Bank as part of a "Stuff the Bus" campaign on the University of Arizona Campus. As the state cuts back, the Food Bank is looking for more community help.
Community	News 4 @ Noon	4/3/09	12:02:30 to 12:05:05		April 3rd was the start of the SAHBA Spring Home Show at the Tucson Convention Center. With more people keeping their houses, instead of selling, this should couldn't come at a better time. Nationwide, historically low mortgage rates and deep discounts mean seeing some of the most affordable prices in decades. According to the National Association of Realtors, sales contracts for previously occupied homes rose more than 2% in February. Existing home sales rose more than 5%. That's the largest increase in nearly 6 years. Sales of new homes also jumped nearly 5%.
Community	News 4 @ 10	4/4/09	10:03:44 to 10:05:43		The Community Food Bank of Tucson could really use our assistance. It's not just during the holiday season, people need help year round. During the month of February, the Food Bank says demand at its warehouse was up 24% over that same time lat year. The organization, badly in need of donated, non-perishable food items. Sat., 4/4, local businesses held a food drive to bring in the goods.
Community	News 4 @ 10	4/6/09	9:59:50 to 10:04:02		Finally after days of unconfirmed reports, different candidate names, it's finally put to rest. Tuesday, 4/7, Sean Miller will be introduced by the University of Arizona, the man who will take on the legacy of the Wildcat Basketball program.
Community	News 4 @ 6	4/7/09	5:59:39 to 6:01:24		The Tucson City Council voted on fired the City Manager on 4/7. This wasn't the first time the City Manager has been in the hot seat. A very public debate over his job performance was held last year, but City Council members decided to keep him on the payroll. The Deputy Manager will be acting City Manager. He has served as an Interim City Manager before. The Council could appoint a new permanent replacement at any time, they just have to do it at one of their meetings.
Community	News 4 @ 4	4/8/09	4:02:19 to 4:04:04		There are about 2,100 homeless children in Pima County and people are getting together to help some of them, and homeless adults as well. They remodeled four homes owned by the charity "The Giving Tree." The goal of the remodel was to restore hope for homeless children and adults.
Community	News 4 @ 4	4/9/09	4:51:00 to 4:54:10	Craig Wisnom, Bogutz & Gordon P.C.	Craig Wisnom, Bogutz& Gordon P.C., spoke about tax benefits for older adults.

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Community	News 4 @ 6	4/10/09	6:00:17 to 6:02:33		Residents in a midtown neighborhood are frustrated with the area trash, theft and vandalism. Problems, they say, are being caused by a local church that's trying to help people out. Neighbors say they support the outreach program at the South Side Presbyterian Church but they're concerned about the resulting trash, drinking and loitering problems. They want something done about it. Church officials say the program is making a difference, and they recognize the neighborhood's concerns and are working to help fix them. They recently started a trash pick-up program. And they are also going door to door to talk to neighbors.
Community	News 4 @ 5:30	4/11/09	5:31:32 to 5:33:29		Programs for at-risk youth could be in jeopardy, if the non-profit organization does not meet its financial goals. In these tough economic times, The Boys and Girls Club is in desperate need of donations. Already, the club has eliminated 22 staffing positions among its six Tucson locations. And, its cut its hours from six hours to four hours a day. The Boys of Girls Club of Tucson will survive the economic crisis but they need help by volunteers and donations.
Community	News 4 @ 10	4/13/09	9:59:52 to 10:02:06		With little money in the bank, and a 5.2M budget deficit, the Town of Oro Valley's been preparing to cut 31 positions, including 6 police officers. That's triggered a barrage of radio ads, paid for, by the Oro Valley Police Officers Association, which resulted in some developments at the town council meeting. The Police Chief crunched the numbers and came up with a plan that would prevent layoffs. Instead of cutting programs, they looked at cutting operation and maintenance cuts to the budget to avoid the layoffs. Still, the council has to weigh all of it's options when it comes to balancing the budget. The council hasn't said yet if they will accept the alternative budget.
Community	News 4 @ 4	4/13/09	4:37:35 to 4:41:10	Cindy Parseghian, President of the Ara Parseghian Medical Research Foundation	One of the most well known fundraisers in Tucson kicked off Friday, 4/17. The Fourteen Annual "One More Victory Ara" Celebrity Golf and Gala weekend being held at La Paloma Resort. An army of volunteers and the Parseghian Family are dedicated to finding a cure for the Neimann Pick Type C disease. A disease that took the lives of three of the four Parseghian children. Cindy Parseghian, mother of those children, and the President of the Ara Parseghian Medical Research Foundation discussed this event.
Community	News 4 @ 4	4/14/09	4:25:22 to 4:28:52	Dr. Jeffrey Dozoretz, Child and Family Resources	Everyday 4 children die in the U.S. because of abuse or neglect, most of them babies or toddlers. 36% of women and 14% of men in prison were abused as children. 1/3 of abused and neglected children will abuse their own children. April is Child Abuse Prevention Month. Dr. Jeffrey Dozoretz, from Child and Family Resources, explains why people abuse children.
Community	News 4 @ 4	4/14/09	4:51:15 to 4:54:40	Bonnie Kampa and Sandi Brickley, Interfaith Community Services	For the last 24 years, The Interfaith Community Services Organization, a non-profit made up of 45 member faith communities and more than 600 volunteers has been "filling the gap" for seniors, the disabled and families in financial need. Bonnie Kampa and Sandi Brickley, from Interfaith Community Services, spoke about the organization and the more than 45,000 services they provide a year to over 24,000 disadvantaged and disabled people.
Community	News 4 @ 4	4/15/09	4:24:21 to 4:27:46	Melissa Nagin, Camp Wildcat	The weekend of 4/18, Camp Wildcat is holding its fundraiser. This organization is a student run, non-profit group at the U of A, devoted to improving the lives of Tucson's financially, mentally and physically disadvantaged youth. Melissa Nagin, from Camp Wildcat, shared some of the auctions items, the information you need to attend. The auction took place at the Student Union and the money raised will help out their programs.

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Community	News 4 @ 6	4/16/09	6:09:56 to 6:12:18		Pennies! They can't buy much in the United States but they can work wonders far, far away. In the Middle East, kids are relying on the penny to get an education, and two boys in Tucson are trying to collect as many pennies as they can to help out. One penny will buy a pencil, 2 pennies buys an eraser, 15 pennies buys a notebook and 600 dollars pays one teacher's salary for an entire year. They're hoping others will be inspired to do the same. The boys have raised 2K so far.
Community	News 4 @ 4	4/16/09	4:49:00 to 4:52:30	Carol Cullivan, Development Director for the Southern Arizona Koman Group, and Christel Chadoin-Connell, who benefited from Koman Services	Thousands of people got together April 19th, for the 11th Annual Susan G. Komen Race for the Cure. The goal is to raise money to provide vital breast health resources to members of our community. Carol Cullivan, Development Director for the Southern Arizona Koman Group, and Christel Chadoin-Connell, who benefited from Koman Services, spoke about the race.
Community	News 4 @ 10	4/17/09	9:59:52 to 10:02:17		Rush hours are very heavy on I-10 between Avra Valley and Cortaro Roads. Always congested, and there isn't any way to access homes and businesses in Marana except the Avra Valley and Cortaro Road exits. The State Transportation Board announced the approval of the Twin Peaks Interchange. It'll be located between the Avra Valley and Cortaro Road interchanges, and will extend west of Twin Peaks Road, East from Continental Ranch to Camino de Manana, East of I-10. Voters approved this project two years ago. This will help ease congestion in these areas.
Community	News 4 @ 6	4/17/09	5:58:35 to 6:00:47		Vets 4 Vets, a group that helps thousands of Iraq and Afghanistan war veterans is now in need of its own help. The Veteran Peer Support Group will shut down June 30th because funding has simply run out. They've helped thousands of returning war veterans nationwide adjust back to civilian life, and deal with post traumatic stress disorder.
Community	News 4 @ 10	4/20/09	10:00:01 to 10:02:21		The Board of Supervisors will vote on whether to approve charges and fees for the County's Parks and Recreation Department. This is a push to hit their budget's bottom line. If the Board of Supervisors decides to approve the fees, programs and activities, that have never cost participants a dime will require cash. Everything from sports programs to daycare looking to tack on fees. This is a daunting notion to Tucsonans already strapped for cash.
Community	News 4 @ 6	4/20/09	6:09:32 to 6:12:06		With temperatures pushing into the 90's, more people will be heading to the pools. And that raises the question, when should children learn to swim? One group teaches infants, while others say that's too young. The program "Infant Swimming Resource" believes the sooner a child learns to swim the safer, teaching children as young as six months. They say classes are an extra measure of protection, and cited hundreds of documented cases of kids using their techniques. However, the American Academy of Pediatrics recommends no swim classes until age 4. They worry infant classes give a false sense of security and believe arm's length supervision is best.
Community	News 4 @ 10	4/21/09	9:59:58 to 10:02:50		Months of back and forth talks, over Tucson's city budget have reached a critical point, and not only is there a tentative money plan, there is also a new City Manager. The council gave Interim City Manager, Mike Letcher, the permanent position. Letcher has been a major player in putting together the city's budget plan. Numbers have been thrown back and forth, for months. Their bottom line, figuring out how to make up for a projected 30M deficit. And finally a very detailed proposed plan has been prepared. Council members said it was a lot to absorb and have some tough decisions ahead of them.

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Community	News 4 @ 4	4/21/09	4:50:05 to 4:53:55	Hailey Gibbons, Habitat for Humanity	Habitat for Humanity has been around for 33 years. In that time, more than 300,000 houses around the world have been built, providing more than 1.5M people in more than 3,000 communities with safe, decent, affordable shelter. Hailey Gibbons, from Habitat for Humanity Tucson, spoke more about this organization.
Community	News 4 @ 4	4/24/09	4:29:04 to 4:32:24	Mark Irvin, Co-founder of "The Event"	"The Event" was held Sunday, April 26, that benefited the Boys and Girls Club of Tucson. It was an evening gala celebrating the best in gourmet food, fine wine and spirits, a live celebrity auction and live entertainment. All the proceeds raised benefited the Boys and Girls Club of Tucson. Mark Irvin, one of "The Event" founders spoke more about this great event.
Community	One on One	4/26/09	630a-7a	Lee Cauble and Andre Wilson; Arizona Kidney Foundation	We discussed the amateur golf tournament that benefits the Arizona Kidney Foundation. It will held on Friday, May 1st, at the La Paloma Country Club. Funds raised provided for a variety of community outreach and education programs such as the Kidney Early Evaluation Program and "Know Your GFR" campaign. We also spoke about these programs and how fundraisers like these help.
Community	News 4 @ 4	4/27/09	4:43:42 to 4:46:57	Dr. Eric Schindler, Child Psychologist and CEO of Child and Family Resources	People have a lot to say about so called "Mega Families." America has an obsession with large families. From the Octomon, to reality shows like "17 Kids and Counting" and "Jon and Kate Plus Eight." Dr. Eric Schindler, Child Psychologist and CEO of Child and Family Resources, spoke about the challenges these families face.
Community	News 4 @ 4	4/27/09	4:49:57 to 4:53:12	Lucinda Esperanza, Author	Millions of families in this country struggle with drug addicted children. It can be a hopeless, helpless feeling filled with frustration and sadness. One Tucson mother wrote a book about her 33-year struggle with a son who battled addiction, and homelessness. Lucinda Esperanza shared her story with us.
Community	News 4 @ 4	4/29/09	4:19:49 to 4:23:19	Kimberly Schmitz, from the Metropolitan Tucson Convention Center and Business Bureau	One of the first things people tend to cut back on is entertainment, which can be expensive, a night on the town, dinner, movie tickets, especially for a family. But there are ways to get out and enjoy our city without spending a bundle, or even anything at all. Kimberly Schmitz, from the Metropolitan Tucson Convention Center and Business Bureau, knows and share with us some of her recommendations.
Community	News 4 @ 4	5/1/09	4:49:37 to 4:53:22	Jeff Dozoretz, Child Psychologist	Many adults are finding their relationship with their mothers is changing as they become the caregiver. Child Psychologist Jeff Dozoretz gave some advise on how to make this transition smoother, and explains what the sandwich generation is.
Community	One on One	5/3/09	630a-7a	Ciara Meyer - Assistant Director	The sole mission of Tu Nidito, the Tucson, Arizona 501 (c) (3) non-profit organization, is to provide individual, family and group support through emotional, educational, social and spiritual services to children and their families as they deal with serious illness and death. We discussed the service, in depth - and spotlight upcoming events along with the need for more volunteers in this tough economy.

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Community	News 4 @ 10	5/5/09	10:04:41 to 10:06:43		House Republicans introduced and gave preliminary approval to a bill which would essentially gut the city's ability to spend money associated with the Rio Nuevo Project. All the funds associated with the project could be severely limited. Important to point out that the Legislation was just introduced and likely will be changed in some manner before final approval. Also those involved in this bill want the hotel and convention to go up, they're pushing for remaining funds to be focused solely on the project. They don't want the city to have much of a say on the project at this point.
Community	Impact	5/10/09	6a-630a	Mike Furrier, The Centurions; Pamela Doherty, Caronelet Foundation CEO	Mike Furrier (the event chair with THE CENTURIONS) and Pamela Doherty (the CEO for CARONDELET FOUNDATION) spoke about the upcoming fundraising event for St. Mary's hospital. This is THE CENTURIONS 40th year of raising money for the hospital. More than 6-thousand people are expected at this year's fundraiser, out at TEP.
Community	News 4 @ 4	5/11/09	4:50:25 to 4:53:55	Tiana Ronstadt, Financial Advisor	When times are tough, charitable giving goes way down, and that's the case here in Pima County. In the past, Pima County has ranked near the top in giving, but with layoffs, foreclosures and a rollercoaster stock market many people have stopped giving. Tiana Ronstadt, a financial advisor, spoke about why that doesn't have to happen and ways that you can still contribute.
Community	Tucson Today 5a to 7a	5/11/09	6:00:40 to 6:02:25		For 25-years, the doors to Access Tucson have been open to the public to express their First Amendment rights across the airwaves. And for the first time, Access Tucson is shutting down for the month of June. All employees are having to take un-paid leave, and for those of you who watch programming on the three channels it oversees, expect reruns. The Executive Director says they've been anticipating the closure since the 10% non-governmental city funding cuts back in September. Meantime, he says the people at Access Tucson are doing everything they can to say on air permanently.
Community	News 4 @ 4	5/12/09	4:52:05 to 4:55:15	Craig Wisnom, Bogutz & Gordon P.C.	Craig Wisnom, Bogutz & Gordon P.C., spoke about the firearms laws for new or current Arizona owners.
Community	News 4 @ 4	5/13/09	4:13:31 to 4:23:51	Sean Miller, U of A Basketball Coach	Many are already looking ahead to next fall, and a new season of Wildcat basketball. The only one possibly filled with more anticipation than the fans and the players is the new head coach, Sean Miller. He was in the studio and spoke and the upcoming basketball season and his move to Tucson.
Community	News 4 @ 4	5/13/09	4:49:30 to 4:54:15	Jennifer English and Chef Michael McDermott	We are all trying to save money on our grocery bill. We're eating out less and cooking for our families more. The key is using everything in your refrigerator and pantry to make nutritious, varied meals that will save you a lot of money. Jennifer English and Chef Michael McDermott showed us how to make meals from what you have available in your own kitchen.
Community	News 4 @ 10	5/15/09	9:59:39 to 10:02:08		Arizona Attorney General Terry Goddard filed a lawsuit late Friday afternoon, 5/15, to try to prevent Gannett Corporation from closing the Tucson Citizen Newspaper. He says what the owners are doing is illegal, what Goddard is calling an anti-trust violation. He said the closure is a clever maneuver to increase profits for two companies. So after months of operating on a day to day basis, the questions about the future still lingers. Regardless of what happens, Tucson Citizen employees feel confident in the work they've done over the years.

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Community	News 4 @ 5	5/15/09	5:22:39 to 5:25:15		On June 12th, all TV signals will become digital. If you're watching television on a TV set connected to a rooftop antenna or a pair of rabbit ears, you need to do something now to avoid a blank screen. For most of us, not a problem, but for some, you'll need a converter box. Josh Benson showed how to set up a converter box.
Community	News 4 @ 4	5/15/09	4:30:32 to 4:33:57	Mike Furrier, The Centurions	Six thousand people are expected at the Tucson Electric Park for the Annual Centurion's Party on Saturday, May 16th. This is the group's 40th year raising funds for St. Mary's Hospital. Over the years, they have raised over 2M for various projects. Centurion Mike Furrier, spoke about the event.
Community	News 4 @ 4	5/15/09	4:41:25 to 4:44:30	Terrance Judge, FCC DTV/DMA Coordinator	Terrance Judge, FCC DTV/DMA Coordinator, discussed why the government is requiring the switch from analog signals to digital signals, which take place on June 12th.
Community	Impact	5/17/09	6a-630a	Sarah Jones, Emerge! CEO and President	We discussed the different services available to people, including shelters, programs, etc., and the affect of the recent budget cuts on the organization.
Community	News 4 @ 4	5/20/09	4:13:18 to 4:17:23	Donice Jones, FCC Representative	As you may have heard by now, the government mandated switch from analog signals to digital signals took place on June 12th. The switch was very confusing to our viewers so Donice Jones, from the FCC in Washington, spoke about why the government is requiring the switch and what you need to do to get your TV ready.
Community	News 4 @ 4	5/20/09	4:51:00 to 4:54:45	Kristen Metzger, Reid Park Zoo's Education Coordinator	Kristen Metzger, Reid Park Zoo's Education Coordinator, spoke about the venomous and non-venomous snakes, and also the zoo's summer camp program.
Community	News 4 @ 4	5/21/09	4:11:44 to 4:13:29		We are three weeks away from the big switch to digital TV. Most of the TV stations in the Tucson market held a DTV Mall event Thursday, 5/21, to assist and answer anyone's questions regarding the digital switch. The event was held at the Tucson Mall from 4p to 7p. In addition, the Tucson market stations participated in a nationwide soft analog test the same day.
Community	News 4 @ 4	5/21/09	4:22:59 to 4:26:59	Lizzie Schloss, U of A Career Services	How to find a better job... Many companies prescreen resumes so yours may never get to the right person. And the vast majority of jobs are never advertised on-line. Tap your network. Keep in touch with former colleagues and industry peers who will notify you about job leads before they go public. Offer to help others. Stay in regularly contact with your network so you're not asking for a new favor once every couple of years. Pass along on your tips. Leverage the blogosphere. Find blogs relevant to your industry and become a regular commenter. Promote your brand. Establish yourself as an expert in your industry. Volunteer your skills for a community project, participate in an online forum, create a website or write for an industry trade journal. Lizzie Schloss, from the U of A's Career Services discussed additional tips today's jobs.

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Community	One on One	5/24/09	630a-7a	Roy Tullgren, Gospel Rescue Mission Exec. Director; Angela Moore, homeless survivor and recovering drug addict	The show featured the Gospel Rescue Mission's brand new homeless shelter for women and children. The non-profit recently purchased a run-down motel along Tucson's Miracle Mile – thanks to a million dollar private grant, matched by more than a million in donations. The group is looking for community members to “adopt” rooms, by decorating and maintaining shelter rooms. We also focused on the revitalization of Miracle Mile, a second motel is also being renovated into low income, elderly housing by fall.
Community	News 4 @ 6	5/25/09	6:02:11 to 6:04:10		Some veterans are using this day to call attention to the need to construct a veteran's cemetery in Tucson. The proposed site sits just outside Davis Monthan Air Force Base near Kolb and Valencia Roads. However, the problem is the VA requires its cemeteries to be at least 75 miles apart. And the Tucson and Sierra Vista sites are a few miles closer.
Community	News 4 @ 4	5/26/09	4:11:03 to 4:21:23	Senator John McCain	Senator John McCain joined us in the studio and answered some viewer questions about passports, North Korea, mining, retiring, twitter...just to name a few.
Community	News 4 @ 4	5/26/09	4:46:25 to 4:49:40	Germer Townsend	The Youth Volunteer Corps is a 9-week summer program for kids 11 to 18 years old. They volunteer and work on projects for the community. Germer Townsend, spoke about the program.
Community	News 4 @ 10	5/27/09	10:00:05 to 10:01:59		Tucson City Council members are getting closer to passing a city budget for the next fiscal year. They were hammering out the details on May 27th. Proposed taxes and fees on utilities, home phones, cell phones and gym memberships. Also, big cuts to outside agencies like Child and Family Resources.
Community	News 4 @ 6	5/27/09	6:02:19 to 6:03:59		The Pima County Sports Authority is trying to keep spring training in Tucson. The community can't afford to lose that revenue so they organization's targeting a new team, the Baltimore Orioles. The Pima County Sports Authority is working on a short-term and long-term proposal to present to the Orioles.
Community	News 4 @ 10	5/28/09	10:01:25 to 10:03:35		Residents in Marana want to stop the construction of a cell phone tower they say would be smack dab in the middle of their neighborhood. Not only an inconvenient location but also a straight eye-sore. They tower would be disguised to look like a palm tree and would be located in the Continental Ranch neighborhood on the corner of Twin Peaks and Coachline Roads. Crown Communications is pushing for the tower but the residents are outright protesting it.
Community	News 4 @ 10	5/28/09	5:59:23 to 6:01:24		New travel took affect June 1st, requiring citizens to show a passport or passport card to get back into the U.S. by land or sea from Mexico, Canada, the Caribbean and Bermuda. The rule change was part of the "Western Hemisphere Travel Initiative." It's a 2004 law that's part of recommendations from the 911 Commission. The rules apply to everyone, including children. Right now, it takes between 4 and 6 weeks to get a passport or "trusted traveler card."
Community	News 4 @ 10	5/29/09	10:02:20 to 10:04:20		There have been major lines at Tucson Post Offices. People scrambling to apply for their passports. There was 8,000 different types of documents that can get you into the U.S. But on June 1st, you will need a passport or passport card to enter the U.S. That's reentry by land or sea from Mexico, Canada, the Caribbean and Bermuda. A very good reason to get moving on your application.

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Community	News 4 @ 6	5/29/09	5:59:44 to 6:01:39		Tucson residents are on "bear alert" after two black bears were spotted in a foothills neighborhood. Arizona Game and Fish officials say the area adjacent to the foothills off the Catalina Mountains is not typical bear country but the animals can cover vast distances in a short period of time.
Community	News 4 @ 4	5/29/09	4:42:00 to 4:45:20	Edie Jarolim	As the temperatures climb here in Southern Arizona, the cool pines up North sound better and better. If you've been waiting to take a road trip up to Arizona's White Mountains but don't want to leave your dog behind, don't! The White Mountains have lots of pet friendly accommodations guaranteed to please both you and your pet. Edie Jarolim, spoke about the accommodations the White Mountains has to offer.
Community	One on One	5/31/09	630a-7a	Patti Donahue, Author	Patti Donahue, a local author, discussed her book called Friends for Life. It is about coping with having a son in the Army in Iraq, and how the war brought several military families together.
Community	Impact	5/31/09	6a-630a	Pastor Zane Anderson, Pastor Jan Anderson from Victory Worship Center; Theresa Allison, running the mobile unit	Victory Worship Center, a church in Tucson, is raising money to provide free medical attention to anyone who needs it. They will fund a mobile medical clinic which can drive pretty much anywhere there's a need. A fund raiser held two weeks ago raised more than half of the 250K that is needed to finance this "hospital on wheels." And, no person regardless of their ability to pay will be refused.
Community	News 4 @ 6	6/2/09	6:00:32 to 6:03:01		If the Tucson City Council adopts the tentative budget this may change what folks pay for a hotel room in the Old Pueblo. This means hotel operators within the city are lobbying hard to convince the council to cancel the proposed increase in Tucson's bed tax. Right now, city hotels add more than 13% in taxes in feeds. The city figures the new tax will raise 1.8M per year in revenue. But hotel operators figure the tax will cost more than that in lost tourism.
Community	News 4 @ 10	6/4/09	9:59:47 to 10:01:40		City leader's offices were flooded with phone calls when they announced the cancellation of the fireworks. People asking how they can help. Due to generous donations from the community, Cox Communications, Tucson Electric Power, to name a few, the fireworks are back on!
Community	News 4 @ 4	6/5/09	4:42:21 to 4:45:56	Gil Velez, Child and Family Resources	Facebook and Myspace, what kid hasn't heard of these social networking sites. They have their positives and negatives, and many families are finding that they are facing new challenges that go with them. Gil Velez, from Child and Family Resources, spoke about how they can hurt, but also help your family life.
Community	News 4 @ 4	6/9/09	4:25:37 to 4:29:27	Joanie Mauger, President and CEO, Handi-Dogs	Handi-Dogs is an assisted dog training organization and is one of the oldest in the country. Initially it was founded as a pilot program in 1973 to teach people with disabilities how to train their dogs to become assistance dogs. Several decades later, it has grown and helped hundreds if not thousands of people. Joanie Mauger, President and CEO of Handi-Dogs spoke more about this organization.
Community	Tucson Today 5a to 7a	6/9/09	6:01:45 to 6:03:35		A big discussion in Tucson is what to do about the downtown development. A non-profit "Downtown Partnership" is heading up the project and has some big ideas for the "Old Pueblo." The group has been working on it for about 9 months and it includes everything from changing the land use code to improving parking and lighting. The major goal, of course, is to bring in investors.
Community	News 4 @ 10	6/10/09	10:07:17 to 10:08:48		if you are a "metro water customer" your bills are about to go up. Three dollars a month for homeowners. The fee was approved by the Board of Directors. It'll affect 18,000 homes, mostly in Northwest Tucson. The money will pay for the relocation of water lines for area road widening projects.

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Community	News 4 @ 5	6/11/09	5:08:19 to 5:10:15		Lizzie Bell's Blood Drive was held on Sunday, June 14th. With a pint of blood and a cheek swab, you have a chance to save her life. She has Diamond Blackfan Anemia, and is preparing for an upcoming bone marrow transplant.
Community	News 4 @ 4	6/11/09	4:18:58 to 4:22:38	Father Vicente Lopez, Executive Director for Patronato De Kino	A fundraiser was held on 6/13-14, to benefit a non-profit organization dedicated to keeping the memory of Father Eusebio Kino alive. Father Kino was a Jesuit Missionary who worked tirelessly to promote peace in Northern Sonora and Southern Arizona. In the late 1600's he established over 20 missions and vistas including the San Xavier Mission just South of Tucson. Father Vicente Lopez, Executive Director of the group, Patronato De Kino, spoke about the fundraisers.
Community	News 4 @ 10	6/12/09	10:06:44 to 10:08:55		Television as we've known it is officially dead. June 12th, was the switch from analog to digital. So, if you're watching us now, congratulations. You transitioned successfully. At KVOA, we turned off our analog signal at 11 am this morning. Calls came into the newsroom steadily all day. The most common questions were about converter boxes, and what to do when you have them. And if you still need help with the transition, the FCC's call center is up and running at 888.225.5322. The Best Buy Geek Squad is also available at 877.229.3889, and our KVOA Engineers are available to answer your questions during normal business hours.
Community	News 4 @ 4	6/12/09	4:41:21 to 4:44:36	Sandy Morse, Communications Consultant	Do you practice what you preach? Are the values you hold important, reflected in the way you communicate with your children, family and partner? Sandy Morse, Communications Consultant, spoke more about the subject.
Community	Impact	6/14/09	6a-630a	UA basketball star Joseph Blair and the Boys and Girls Club board president Julie Penny.	Joseph Blair and Julie Penny spoke about the Arizona Basketball Academy's 9th Annual Basketball Camp that started June 22nd. Joseph spoke about his career leading up to this point as well as his involvement in the camp. Julie spoke about the Boys & Girls club and how the kids benefit. We also discussed the fundraising events that are happening in the same time frame - a golf tournament and the Steak & Burger.
Community	News 4 @ 10	6/14/09	10:09:27 to 10:11:37		For the past decade the Greater Oro Valley Arts Council has partnered with the Town of Oro Valley to put on a 4th of July Celebration. Part of the event included a food drive. Enough to fill the Catalina Food Bank's pantries for a whole month. But this year, the tight economy forced sponsorships to back out so they had to cancel the event. But one local resort is stepping in to help. The Hilton Tucson El Conquistador is giving you a chance to win a 2 night stay. And all you have to do is donate goods. The two week food drive is taking the place of what used to happen in one day to help the Catalina Food Bank.
Community	News 4 @ 10	6/15/09	10:12:47 to 10:14:52		For years, local politicians have tried to revitalize downtown Tucson. Now, it appears, a long-time Tucson resident is tackling it on her own. She is drawing hundreds to the area every Monday night. The event is "Meet Me at Maynard's." The idea was Jannie Cox's. The purpose is to have a good time. Healthy, active people enjoying downtown Tucson, and spending some money, she's hopes, before going home. The 6 o'clock every Monday night run walk is her personal attempt to help revitalize downtown. She's mapped out a 3-mile route that will show the beautiful sights, the history of downtown, to show people what is downtown.

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Community	News 4 @ 4	6/17/09	4:48:54 to 4:52:14	Margarito Casillas , Child and Family Resources	With Father's Day, Sunday, June 21st, there are many families that celebrated this day apart. In this day of divorce and combined families, experts say it's important that both parents play a major role in their kids' lives. Margarito Casillas, from Child and Family Resources, spoke about the importance of fathers.
Community	News 4@ 4	6/18/09		Joseph Blair,	The Boys and Girls Club of Tucson provides a safe environment for our youth, and helps nurture the self-esteem, values and skills of our youth. Of course, the organization can't do this without your help. Every year, the Boys and Girls Club holds several fundraisers and Former U of A Wildcat, Joseph Blair, spoke about some of these fundraisers.
Community	News 4 @ 10	6/19/09	10:02:20 to 10:03:50		Spring training as we know it here in Tucson may be headed for a major makeover with News today that the Rockies and Diamondbacks have both formally expressed their intentions to terminate their agreements with the city and county respectively following the 2010 Spring Training season. According to the Tucson City Attorney's office there is nothing in the Rockies contract about having three teams here for them to stay. So if the Rockies leave the city before 2011, they'll be in default of their agreement. And the county has sent a letter to the White Sox stating that they would owe \$500,000 if the Diamondbacks are successful in terminating their lease.
Community	News 4 @ 10	6/20/09	10:09:29 to 10:11:02		Protesters rallied outside Reid Park Zoo in Tucson on June 20th. They claim elephants are suffering from poor care. The group "In Defense of Animals" says captivity does not equal elephant conservation. They want the elephants sent to sanctuaries so they can roam free in a more natural habitat. The zoo's curator of education says the elephants at Reid Park receive great care 24/7. They receive excellent nutrition and medical expertise, and the habitat is soon expanding to 3 acres from a 1/2 acre.
Community	Impact	6/21/09	6a-630a	George Yslava, Marketing; Ramon Moran Youth Director Specialist; Disiree Creitoff, Youth Director Specialist; Ivylize Valdillez, Member	We discussed the upcoming event called "Girl Power." How it empowers girls and with it's workshops, it will give them many opportunities to pursue different careers. We also discussed the important role the club plays in the community.
Community	News 4 @ 4	6/22/09	4:32:39 to 4:36:24	Lillian Lopez Grant, 12th Annual Dia De San Juan Fiesta Event Chair	Long before we measured dew points, had satellite pictures, and radar, tradition had the start of our monsoon beginning on the feast day of St. John the Baptist. Legend has it that on June 24, 1540, Spanish Explorer, Francisco Vasquez Coronado, stood on the banks of the parched riverbed and prayed for rain, and rain it did. And so he deemed that from that day forward the summer rains would begin on June 24th. The 12th Annual Dia De San Juan Fiesta will take place June 24th, and Lillian Lopez Grant, this year's event chair spoke more about the fiesta.
Community	News 4 @ 6	6/23/09	6:09:39 to 6:11:51		We're more than a week into the digital switch and we have already heard from viewers who love the crispness of the new digital signal. But there are some viewers in the northwest, and foothills having issues, trying to get the perfect signal. KVOA advised some possible fixes to get our channel.

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Community	News 4 @ 4	6/23/09	4:17:00 to 4:20:15	Karen Pomroy, President of Equine Voices; Jennifer Patton, Volunteer	Equine Voices Rescue and Sanctuary is an organization that helps rescue horses from slaughter. The mission of this program is to save premarin mares and foals from slaughter. Karen Pomroy, President of Equine Voices and Jennifer Patton, a volunteer at the organization, spoke more about the premarin mares.
Community	News 4 @ 4	6/25/09	4:13:14 to 4:16:39	Lou Liebau, Founder of The Tucson Canine Classic	Tucson has a new pet festival. Saturday, Jun 27th, The Tucson Canine Classic Fundraiser will be held at Brandi Fenton Park on the city's northside. Hundreds of pet owners walked or ran the course and raised money for FAIR, Foundation for Animals in Risk. Lou Liebau, the founder of Tucson Canine Classic spoke about the event.
Community	One on One	6/28/09	630a-7a	Nicolle Trudeau, Lutheran Social Services of the Southwest, Director of Tucson area Multi-Cultural Service; Edward Hakizimana, Refugee from Burundi; Sahra Hirsi, Refugee from Somalia	For years Tucson has resettled thousands of refugees from all over the world. We discussed resettlement programs in light of the recent crash that killed 6 refugees from Burundi and Congo, what impact the crash had on the African refugees, why they left their countries. We'll also discuss who pays for their resettlement in the US and what it's been like to move to Tucson. They also shared their reaction when some refer to them as illegal immigrants and help that's need from the community.
Community	Impact	6/28/09	6a-630a	Bill Petrella, Westin La Paloma General Manager; Kimberly Schmitz, MTCVB, Director of PR	We discussed the current state of tourism in Tucson, options for families looking to entertain on a budget and the current state and changes of the hotel industry.
Community	News 4 @ 4	6/30/09	4:18:38 to 4:24:11	Clarence "Scotty" Scotton, Cars4Vets	When veterans return from war, they sometimes have physical wounds along with frightening memories. No matter what they carry home, most need some type of assistance. One vet is making a difference in how other vets are getting along and getting around. Clarence "Scotty" Scotton, from Cars4Vets told us how he is making a difference.
Community	News 4 @ 4	6/30/09	4:50:01 to 4:53:11	Craig Wisnom, Bogutz & Gordon P.C.	Do you have your medical documents in order? Exactly what are they? Where should you keep them? Who should know about them? Craig Wisnom, Bogutz & Gordon, P.C. spoke about a living will.
Consumer	News 4 @ 4	4/6/09	4:44:06 to 4:47:16	Tiana Ronstadt, Financial Advisor	Spring break can be an expensive week. The kids are out of school, parents take time off of work, and then there's what to do? How about getting to know your backyard? Staycation...get to know your city and your own backyard. Tiana Ronstadt, financial consultant, shared some cost saving ideas to help you have fun without breaking the bank.
Consumer	News 4 @ 4	4/22/09	4:31:53 to 4:38:33	Jennifer English	Cooking meals for your family on a budget. It's a challenge but buying in bulk can save you in the long run. Especially when it comes to meat. Jennifer English shared more information about buying in bulk.

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Consumer	News 4 @ 10	4/23/09	10:09:47 to 10:14:30		In this tough economy, you may be dining out less. So you may want to be sure you're getting quality food at a fair price when you visit a restaurant. The News 4 Investigators got a tip from an ex-employee advising us that a Tucson restaurant was serving \$27.00 veal that wasn't veal. The Investigators visits the Italian restaurant on three separate occasions and ordered veal dishes to go. The dishes were tested at the U of A Meat Lab at the University of Arizona. The tests showed that none of the dishes were veal, they were pork. We spoke to the owner of the restaurant who claims the staff turnover causes mistakes, like the wrong meat being served. The Owner brought out a piece of pork and veal and showed us the difference. We took these two pieces of meat to have them tested. Before we got to the lab, the owner contacted us and said he was afraid he handed us a sample of pork by mistake. The owner insists that all of this was just an unfortunate coincidence.
Consumer	News 4 @ 10	4/27/09	10:12:15 to 10:14:38		KVOA gave you free advice with the top 4 ways you can makeover your finances. First, you need to have an appropriate budget in place so you have a handle on your expenses, then you build a cash reserve. Three, clear out your credit card debit. Pay the minimum amount on the lower interest cards, and put the bulk of everything else on the credit cards with the highest interest rate. And if credit cards are your weakness, cut them up. Last, create goals for yourself, and invest on a regular basis. Mutual funds are a really good choice because they have some advantages. It's not an easy process but patience is key.
Consumer	News 4 @ 5	4/27/09	5:13:38 to 5:16:00		Want free stuff? Use Freecycle. Freecycle is a gift network where you can give things away instead of throwing things away. As a result, we're keeping over 700 tons a day out of landfills. With one email, you can post an item for a local group, and within 24 hours, you get emails back. You pick whichever response you like best, and tell them to come by and pick up the item. This Tucson based website has gone global.... www.freecycle.com .
Consumer	News 4 @ 4	4/27/09	4:23:12 to 4:27:57	Jennifer Camano, Development Director at the Tucson Children's Museum	Everyone likes something free. There are many sites and attractions around Southern Arizona that are free. Hiking is one of the most popular outdoor activities in Southern Arizona, and one that you can do year-round, and with the entire family. There are hundreds of miles of trails, in one of the local national parks or surrounding mountains. The University of Arizona Campus has many things there to see, from the Center for Creative Photography, to the Flandrau Science Center and even some history at the Arizona Historical Society. Another place in Tucson are the many museums, most that won't cost you a dime. From rocks to the Toy Train Museum to the Tucson Museum of Art. One of the local museums that offer free admission at least one day a month is the Tucson Children's Museum. Jennifer Camano, the Development Director, spoke about a big free event coming up at the museum.
Consumer	News 4 @ 10	4/28/09	10:11:08 to 10:13:21		During these hard economic times, KVOA is showing people ways to save money. One way, is a free water inspection from Tucson Water. By appointment, an expert will come to your home and inspect your water lines, faucets, toilets, sprinkler systems etc to make sure you're not losing water.

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Consumer	Tucson Today 5a to 7a	4/30/09	6:06:10 to 6:08:55		KVOA wanted to do something different during these difficult times we face. In an effort to help you overcome some of the financial challenges, the station launched a series of reports called "Show Me the Money." Every news cast, every day, the station focused on ways to help you make or save money. On April 30th, the station set up a phone book for people to call in for free financial advice. The phone lines were open from 6 to 8 am, 11:30 am to 1 pm, and from 4 pm to 7 pm.
Consumer	News 4 @ 10	5/1/09	10:10:55 to 10:15:06		Every day, in every newscast, we're trying to help you overcome some of the financial insecurities. Family travel doesn't have to break the bank, since there are freebies everywhere. When you add up the freebies it's a pretty good savings. Disneyland is offering you a free pass, for your birthday, to play at Disneyland Resort in California and Disney World in Florida. Military personnel, retired or active, get a 5-day free pass to Disney World in Florida called the Armed Forces Salute Ticket, or 3 day pass at the Disneyland in California. Alaska Airlines is flying kids 2 to 11 free to Disneyland with the purchase of an accompany adult ticket through June. SeaWorld in California is offering a 2nd visit free when you buy a single ticket...use it anytime before year's end. Military members get in SeaWorld for free along with up to three of their kids. Cruises are offering free amenities to fill their ships, to the Aston Hotel in Waikiki in Oahu where kids 12 and under can stay, play and eat for free. In an economy like this, freebies are yours for the taking but you need to shop around and be flexible.
Consumer	News 4 @ 4	5/4/09	4:25:30 to 4:29:50	Paula Taylor, is a former retail business owner and divisional sales manager of a clothing line	By now you've learned there are amazing deals to be had on the Internet. But with so many websites out there, how do you find the shopping deals you're looking for? Paula Taylor, is a former retail business owner and divisional sales manager of a clothing line. She's also an avid consignment shopper and deal finder. She spoke about how to find shopping deals and online shopping coupons.
Consumer	News 4 @ 12	5/4/09	12:12:06 to 12:14:46	Marci Goode, Business Owner and Parent	Marci Goode, business owner and parent, spoke about how to find the best deals for food/grocery coupons.
Consumer	News 4 @ 10	5/5/09	10:10:59 to 10:13:25		Would you surrender one of the most personal and intimate parts of your body for cash? Many women do by becoming egg donors. It's a controversial and invasive way to make money but that hasn't stopped some women from signing up to surrender their eggs. A 32-year-old Tucsonan sold her eggs for profit. She went to the World Egg Bank in Phoenix, where women are paid around 3K for their eggs. In this tough economy, the World Egg Bank in Phoenix says they get up to 400 calls per month from would-be egg donors and the numbers are growing, in this tough economy.
Consumer	News 4 @ 6	5/5/09	6:08:55 to 6:11:06		Record numbers of people are giving up their plasma, a safe and easy way to help make ends meet. We met with a Tucsonan downtown outside a plasma center downtown. She'll make about \$30.00 for about an hour of her time. The process is much like donating blood. She has been profiting from her plasma for a year and a half, and noticed a change in donors, form what some call the old stereotype. She's says she's not simply cashing-in on the plasma trend, but helping people whose lives can be saved or made better, in part, with her plasma.

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Consumer	News 4 @ 5	5/5/09	5:11:48 to 5:13:55		Trying to make extra cash? Try selling your hair. There are many websites out there that buy hair. A Tucsonan is selling her hair for \$800.00. Her husband lost his job in construction and her paycheck doesn't quite make ends meet so they've been struggling. The Hair Trader.com matches buyers and sellers. Hair is used for wigs, extensions and to even make dolls. The founder of this website says it was born of necessity. Prices are based on your hair's quality, length and color. And range from \$150 to over \$2000. So far, there have been 300 hits on her ad, and an offer for \$450. But she's holding out to get top dollar.
Consumer	News 4 @ 4	5/5/09	4:23:04 to 4:26:24	Patty Vallance, "First Rate Second Hand" Board of Directors member	Buying clothes can take a big bite out of your budget. But here are some places where you can get clothing bargains. The "First Rate Second Hand" thrift store is non for profit thrift shop sponsored by the Jewish Federation of Southern Arizona. Patty Vallance, a member of the Board of Directors that oversees store operations, along with some customers, staff and volunteers spoke about how affordable styles can be and show us some of the clothes that are available in the store.
Consumer	News 4 @ 10	5/6/09	10:11:32 to 10:13:53		The month of May is KVOA's "Show Me the Money" commitment to you. We are showing ways to save or make money. Do you ever wonder what to do with your outdated cell phones, or old computers taking up space? There are businesses out there that want to buy your used electronics, and you could get some big bucks. Computer Renaissance, a store in Tucson, that buys and sells used computers, will purchase your old computers depending on the condition it is in. If it is not good condition they'll recycle it for you free of charge. Or you can turn to the many websites out there to try and sell your equipment such as your old computers and cell phones.
Consumer	News 4 @ 6	5/6/09	6:07:35 to 6:10:21		Ways to find extra money... look inside your dresser drawers, jewelry boxes and other secret stashes for gold. More and more people are earning extra cash by selling their gold! KVOA took a borrowed stash of gold jewelry around town looking for prices that glitter! Gold is going about \$900 dollars an ounce. We took the jewelry to different pawn shops and jewelry stores around Tucson to see how much we could get for them. The best offer we received was from a pawn shop, the amount \$250.00. Don't jump at the first offer you get, shop around. You could get better offers.
Consumer	News 4 @ 4	5/6/09	4:47:49 to 4:54:40	Jennifer English	These days everyone's grocery bill is of concern, you want to make the most out of what's on sale. Jennifer English, told us the way to do this is with flavor, and Chef Michael McDermott gave us some tricks we can use.
Consumer	News 4 @ 10	5/7/09	10:01:43 to 10:03:06		Most of us turn our thermostat up when we're not home to save money, and that's a good idea. But then we come home and we quickly turn it down. But each degree below 78 degrees will increase your energy use and your bill. TEP officials recommend that you set your thermostat at 78 degrees in the summer, or at the highest comfortable temperature to minimize your costs. You should also keep exterior doors and windows closed while the air conditioner is on. You can also try using ceiling fans as an alternative to using your air conditioner if that's comfortable for you. With a swamp cooler, it's recommended that you replace the cooler pads at the beginning of each season to maximize its effectiveness. It's also important to clean and service your cooler annually. TEP also recommends using their online energy advisor to help cut costs.

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Consumer	News 4 @ 6	5/7/09	6:09:11 to 6:11:46		People who want something they can't get elsewhere get together and create a co-op to serve their needs. Back in the 70's, people who wanted natural foods formed the Food Conspiracy Co-op on 4th Avenue. Decades later it's still helping it's buyer members save money. People can save money in the bulk section because you are able to buy exactly what you need, be it 2 cups of flour or 25 pounds of flour. And like big super markets, this co-op has regular sales and coupons.
Consumer	News 4 @ 4	5/7/09	4:21:37 to 4:28:00		Each baby soils an estimated 6,000 diapers in the first 2 years of life. Thousands and thousands of dollars that end up in the county landfill unless you cozy up to the idea of cloth diapers. They may cost you more up front but in the long run, they save you a lot of money.
Consumer	News 4 @ 4	5/8/09	4:24:32 to 4:30:03	Reggie Kelley, Home Depot	As people look for ways to save money, some are taking free classes to learn how to do a project themselves rather than paying a pro to do it. Reggie Kelley, from the Home Depot, spoke about the free "How To Clinics" that are available at all Home Depot locations.
Consumer	News 4 @ 10	5/11/09	10:10:59 to 10:13:15		With the hurting economy some people are foregoing trips to the spa or hair salon. There are way to get luxury for less and you don't have to break the bank. At the Arizona Academy of Beauty, there are deals to be had. A hair cut is \$6.00, all over color is \$16.00 and a shampoo/blow dry is \$5.00. They offer competitive prices to be able to allow anybody in any economic situation to come in and have fabulous services at discounted prices. The possible drawback coming to a beauty college is that it can take the students a little more time, however, some clients feel it's well worth the savings. Also, the Aveda Institute of Tucson is a place for a relaxing spa experience. You can save up to 50% on the cost of services when you compare the prices to high end salons.
Consumer	News 4 @ 4	5/11/09	4:21:51 to 4:27:26	Dr. Jody Comstock, Dermatologist	How can you save on beauty products which can be very expensive? Many women swear by the old stand bys, like using Crisco as a moisturizer and oatmeal scrubs for facials. We found some that have been passed down for generations. Now, eggs, bananas, Crisco, Vaseline and many of the other "natural" or food products people use are much less expensive than those wrinkle creams at the department stores, but do they really work? Dr. Jody Comstock, Dermatologist, spoke about some of these at home beauty secrets.
Consumer	News 4 @ 10	5/12/09	10:11:28 to 10:13:41		One area you may think you can't make cuts, are in prescription medicines. It seems like the cost just keeps going up. But, Pima County's offering a free prescription discount card to help you save. People without insurance can use this card toward their prescriptions to save some money. If you have insurance, you can use it for prescription drugs your insurance doesn't cover. It even works for your pet's prescriptions. There is no eligibility requirement. There is no income verification. They don't care if you're a citizen or not. Just pick up the card. It doesn't get much easier than that.
Consumer	News 4 @ 5	5/12/09	5:12:59 to 5:16:03		To save you money, KVOA did a shopping comparison with Costco and the Dollar Tree store. The outcome, it all depends on what you're buying. The bottom line is to shop around for the great deals.

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Consumer	News 4 @ 4	5/12/09	4:26:43 to 4:31:13	Cheri Horbacz from Don't Borrow Trouble	We want to help you avoid bad financial decisions that can cost you a lot of money. The "Don't Borrow Trouble" Pima County campaign is the first comprehensive consumer awareness campaign of it's kind. The idea is to increase awareness about predatory lending practices and foreclosures prevention through education, outreach and referral to agencies that can help. Cheri Horbacz from Don't Borrow Trouble spoke about the campaign.
Consumer	News 4 @ 10	5/13/09	10:11:33 to 10:13:49		One "universal expense" is groceries an clipping coupons will save you money. KVOA spoke to a Tucsonan who uses coupons and shows us what Internet sites she uses and ways to save buy using coupons.
Consumer	News 4 @ 5	5/15/09	5:10:28 to 5:12:40		Spending a little now to main your car to save a lot later. Car repairs are almost never cheap. People are putting off repairs and ignoring the simple things that keep cars on the move. One thing you should keep up on your car is the oil change. Skipping them can cause problems down the road, worst case, an engine replacement which can cost you 5 to 6K. You may save a few dollars here and there by skipping fluid and filter changes but it will cost you in the end.
Consumer	News 4 @ 4	5/15/09	4:19:25 to 4:22:40	Kate Reynolds, also known as Hortense P. Tightwad, and with the website "Tucson on the Cheap"	With today's economy, we want to help you save money on your date. Kate Reynolds, also known as Hortense P. Tightwad, and with the website "Tucson on the Cheap" spoke about how you can save money on a date, and your ticket to the best freebies and deals around town.
Consumer	News 4 @ 4	5/22/09	4:51:30 to 4:54:45	Laura Pendleton-Miller, Financial Consultant	Investing is not in the forefront of most people's minds these days but financial experts say this is a good time to invest. It's certainly a good time to look at your portfolio and look beyond the standard stocks, bonds and cash. Laura Pendleton-Miller, Financial Consultant, spoke about alternative investments.
Consumer	News 4 @ 4	6/1/09	4:39:04 to 4:42:14	Tiana Ronstadt, Financial Advisor	Tiana Ronstadt, financial consultant, spoke about why it is important for you to shop locally. For example, when you shop locally owned businesses, your money is recirculated over and over and creates up to 75% more tax revenue to our community and state.
Consumer	News 4 @ 4	6/4/09	4:43:15 to 4:46:30	Laura Pendleton-Miller, Financial Consultant	If you depend on income from your investments to live on, you have taken a pretty big hit in the last few quarters as interest rates have gone down sharply. What's a saver and or investor to do to keep income constant? Laura Pendleton Miller, Financial Consultant, gave us some ideas.
Consumer	News 4 @ 4	6/8/09	4:43:38 to 4:46:53	Tiana Ronstadt, Financial Advisor	In May, President Obama authorized major changes to the way American credit card issuers do business. It's called the Credit Card Accountability, Responsibility and Disclosure Act, also known as CARD. Some of the changes will happen next year, others in the next 90 days. Tiana Ronstadt, a financial consultant, spoke about these changes.
Consumer	News 4 @ 4	6/16/09	4:48:20 to 4:51:35	Craig Wisnom, Bogutz & Gordon P.C.	Craig Wisnom, spoke about what you need to know about the standard real estate contract. There are so many things to consider. Did you know after signing a contract, for a house, it's nearly impossible for a buyer to sue the seller? Craig discussed these things and more.

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Consumer	News 4 @ 10	6/18/09	10:00:17 to 10:03:18		Gas prices have gone up 51 days straight now, and the annual summer price hike's about to take hold. The mostly commonly asked question is "Why do gas prices fluctuate like they do?" Prices always go up in the summer because people are traveling and oil prices are up. Crude's gone from almost \$34 to \$68 in the last 75 trading days. On the national scale, a gallon of unleaded is going for \$2.68 tonight. That's a \$1.39 less than last year's average. In Arizona, the average is \$2.65, one year ago it was \$4.08. It's now a \$1.43 less. In Tucson, a gallon is about \$2.46, a year ago we were paying \$1.37 more.
Consumer	News 4 @ 4	6/19/09	4:46:29 to 4:49:44	Laura Pendleton-Miller, Financial Consultant	We're all looking for ways to cut back during these tough financial times. Whether it's gas usage, taking fewer vacations or spending less on luxury items. Laura Pendleton-Miller, financial consultant, spoke about the best way to tackle your household budget.
Crime & Law Enforcement	News 4 @ 5	4/1/09	4:59:49 to 5:02:12		A major drug bust happened in a prominent Foothills neighborhood. Seven people are facing charges after a neighborhood watch team prompted authorities to keep watch on a home on Rudasill Road near 1st Avenue. On March 29th, Detectives seized 500 pounds of marijuana, almost a quarter of a million dollars in cash and five vehicles.
Crime & Law Enforcement	News 4 @ 6	4/13/09	6:06:12 to 6:08:10		The first round of Pima County's fixed, speed cameras started snapping pictures Monday, 4/13. Four locations are now active and six more cameras are scheduled to be turned on May 1st. County Supervisors approved the contract, back in January. The cameras were originally suppose to come on earlier in April but was delayed because of a power problem. Now through May 8th, if you are snapped going 11 miles over the speed limit, you'll be issued a warning. After May 8th, you'll get a ticket.
Crime & Law Enforcement	News 4 @ 4	4/13/09	4:05:58 to 4:07:38		What started out as a fun ride a few weeks ago turned into an expensive lesson for a group of bicyclists. They thought they were following the law instead they were sited for breaking it. A group of riders were pulled over by a Sheriff's Deputy on Madera Canyon Road because they weren't staying as far right as possible. The Sheriff's Department says it gets a lot of complaints about bike riders. The problem, riders and drivers don't always know the laws. Drivers are required to give bikes at least three feet of space, five is preferred. Bicyclists can ride no more than two abreast but if traffic is backing up behind them, they have to pull over. One of the cyclists thinks a warning would have been better, now it will be up to the courts to decide.
Crime & Law Enforcement	News 4 @ 5	4/14/09	5:01:15 to 5:03:18		Dozens of high-powered weapons have been found stashed in an east side storage unit, along with stolen property. Tucson Police say the people who put them there are linked to several violent crimes. Three people were all arrested over the weekend accused in a number of home invasions and armed robbery. Tucson police believe they have well over 100K in stolen property. One victim recovered some of his stolen items and is glad to know that the people police believe are responsible are off the streets. The victim also said the burglary has made him more aware of his surroundings.

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Crime & Law Enforcement	News 4 @ 6	4/15/09	6:05:51 to 6:07:47		Home invasions are becoming more and more common but a recent one had a surprising twist. A home on Tucson's southside was invaded in broad daylight. Neighbors called 911. The family of the home were held captive as the home invaders ripped off nearly 150 pounds of marijuana. The victims in this case committed criminal activity and was arrested and will be prosecuted. The area has a neighborhood watch sign, and that neighborhood is safer today because they shut down a stash house.
Crime & Law Enforcement	News 4 @ 10	4/21/09	10:12:32 to 10:14:29		Some of the mail sent out and received by inmates at the Pima County Jail are being written in code. And it's up to jail personnel to intercept and decipher it. Some of the letters intercepted are written in Nahuatl, an ancient Aztec language used primarily by gang members. A sergeant at the jail has become an expert in Nahuatl and he's compiling a dictionary. Gang members use code talking about someone who may have snitched, who is no longer in good standing with the gang, and they send out letters out asking people to conduct a hit on these people or kill them. That's when Security Services comes in. For safety reasons, the sergeant declined to say how they target inmate mail for tighter scrutiny. But legal mail is considered privileged, therefore, they don't read legal mail.
Crime & Law Enforcement	News 4 @ 10	4/29/09	10:03:40 to 10:05:23		More than a half dozen University Medical Center employees are in danger of losing their jobs. The problems started Friday, April 29th, amid allegations that someone snapped inappropriate pictures of a hospital patient. Tucson Police are investigating this matter.
Crime & Law Enforcement	News 4 @ 10	5/1/09	10:01:38 to 10:03:52		Choosing the next person to head the Tucson Police Department has been quite a process. Finally, Assistant Chief Roberto Villasenor, was chosen to be Tucson's new Chief, and was presented to the City of Tucson. He was surrounded by members of the force, Mayor Bob Walkup and the former TPD Chief, turned Assistant City Manager, Richard Miranda.
Crime & Law Enforcement	News 4 @ 10	5/11/09	10:00:05 to 10:01:44		Six felony charges were filed against a border patrol gent pulled over in his patrol vehicle with a blood alcohol level, more than double the legal limit. The agent was pulled over in Casa Grande back in March and was just charged Friday, 5/11. He now faces a number of felony charges. If found guilty, the Border Patrol says it will take the appropriate steps which could include termination.
Crime & Law Enforcement	News 4 @ 6	5/11/09	5:59:19 to 6:01:24		The Butterfield Business Complex was vandalized and businesses were left high and dry. Back flow preventers were cut and stolen. These pipes are made of copper and brass. The plumbers making the repairs said the thieves knew what they were doing, they had the right tools to cut the pipes so they didn't damage the pipes they were stealing. To prevent this from happening again, a vandal cage will be installed. It will stop the people from stealing because they don't spend time breaking into the cage, it's easy to cut a copper line, it's not easy to break a lock into a cage. Business owners hope the thieves stop breaking the law.
Crime & Law Enforcement	News 4 @ 10	5/12/09	10:00:03 to 10:02:11		Law enforcement agencies across the country say sexual predators are shifting from the Internet to cell phones using text messages as bait. It's known as "sexting" and TPD detectives are now investigating their first case. A registered sex offender was arrested. He's accused of sending lewd text messages to a woman he thought was a teenager. Police say the tried to meet up with the her but the woman outsmarted him, handing the sexting over to police.

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Crime & Law Enforcement	News 4 @ 10	5/16/09	9:59:50 to 10:01:34		A middle school teacher in Tucson accused of having a sexual relationship with a 15-year old student was arraigned on two counts of sexual conduct with a minor. Police say suspicious messages on Facebook led them to the arrest.
Crime & Law Enforcement	News 4 @ 10	5/22/09	9:59:55 to 10:02:02		The Memorial Holiday weekend, DPS patrol cars have been stationed every 10 miles along I-10. This detail was implemented for one reason only, safety. Lots of people traveled I-10 this weekend to head to a Memorial Day destination. Troopers were lined up on the freeway looking for people breaking the law to keep the roads safe.
Crime & Law Enforcement	News 4 @ 5:30	5/24/09	5:40:34 to 5:42:30		Starting Monday, 5/25, lead foot drivers will be ticketed in parts of Pima County costing speeders a few hundred bucks. Ten speed cameras are going to start clicking and issuing tickets. Up until now, they've been going through a testing phase.
Crime & Law Enforcement	News 4 @ 10	6/5/09	9:59:52 to 10:01:52		When the sun goes down on the City of Tucson this summer, police will be searching for juveniles out past curfew. They say it's a proactive approach to first, prevent kids from being victims of crime, and secondly, to take away the opportunity that some of these juveniles might have committing crimes.
Crime & Law Enforcement	News 4 @ 10	6/8/09	10:11:02 to 10:13:00		Law enforcement has a new tool to help them fight crime...the Celle-brite Universal Forensic Extraction Device. The 4K piece of equipment has been in use over 4 months and has extracted information in about 100 cell phones. This tool extracts vital information from a suspect's cell phone, it also helps track movement, who've they been calling, and things of that nature. Celle-brite is just one of many state of the art pieces of equipment detectives are using. All in an effort to keep the public safe.
Crime & Law Enforcement	News 4 @ 4	6/15/09	4:49:03 to 4:52:43	Stew Grabel, Pima Council on Aging	Often, people of a certain age are targets in society. Criminals try scamming seniors because they assume they're ill-informed, or alone. Luckily, there are groups watching out for this segment of population in several ways and in several places. Stew Grabel, with the Pima Council on Aging, spoke more about this issue.
Crime & Law Enforcement	News 4 @ 10	6/17/09	9:59:48 to 10:02:24		Arizona is known for it's speed enforcement, red light cameras and our radar vans. Even AAA warns drivers passing through by highlighting Arizona on it's Trip-Tik maps, and there's even more, new red light camera technology being tested in town. This new technology is called "The Mobile Red Light Control Unit" and has the capability to turn any intersection into a photo enforced zone clocking speeders in the process. The tickets are being, however, the "lone" camera is set up at River Road and Oracle Road, doing side by side testing with the fixed cameras already in place at that intersection.

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Crime & Law Enforcement	News 4 @ 10	6/22/09	9:59:38 to 10:02:02		The Tanque Verde School District has put Superintendent, Albert Rogers, known as Tom, on paid administrative leave. He was arrested by undercover Immigration and Customs Enforcement agents in Yuma on Friday, June 19th. He'd reportedly signed up for a tour, that was to include sexual exploitation of 13 to 14-year-old boys in Mexico. Not only is he Tanque Verde's Superintendent, he's also an Associate Principal at Emily Gray Junior High. He is facing federal charges. These are allegations and he appeared in court for a hearing June 25th.
Economy	One on One	4/12/09	630a-7a	Danny Knee, Habitat for Humanity Deputy Director; Amanda Thomas, Habitat for Humanity Marketing Associate; Olivera Kintok, Homeowner	We discussed some new projects Habitat is working on and how the economy is impacting the organization. We also spoke to a new homeowner who has benefited from the organization.
Economy	One on One	4/19/09	630a-7a	Betty Villegas, Pima County Housing Program Manager; Evelia Martinez, Don't Borrow Trouble Crisis Hotline; Crise Poor, Housing Counselor at Family Housing Resources	We discuss the local resources for people trying to save their homes from foreclosure, how President Obama's economic stimulus package is helping, affordable housing programs offered by local government for low to moderate income homebuyers and scams to be aware of.
Economy	News 4 @ 4	4/1/09		Laura Pendleton-Miller, Financial Consultant	With all the economic gloom and doom we're bombarded with daily, the mark instability, unemployment, real estate values dropping and lack of consumer confidence, is there any reason to be optimistic in 2009? Laura Pendleton-Miller, financial consultant, spoke about long term optimism.
Economy	News 4 @ 10	4/8/09	9:59:50 to 10:02:26		Unemployment is soaring but a new social networking gig has popped up in Tucson..."Pink Slip Party." The Pink Slip party is a new way of networking, to get names and resumes out there...where employers and job-seekers mingle.
Economy	News 4 @ 4	4/14/09	4:42:30 to 4:45:45	Quincey Hobbs	Saving money is the name of the game these days. Lots of people are repairing rather than buying new. Are you thinking about buying a new computer because your old one is broken? Quincey Hobbs, shared tips on what you should look for in getting someone to fix your computer.
Economy	News 4 @ 10	4/15/09	10:11:44 to 10:14:14		Individuals and families who rent homes that are going into foreclosure are often the last to know. A Tucson family discovered their owner of their rental property has faced foreclosure by a taped letter to their door. They can not handle all the moving expenses if forced to move. A Tucson attorney with Southern Arizona Legal Aid is trying to help this family. Trouble is, nothing requires landlords or banks to give proper notice to tenants in these situations. There are several proposals in the state legislature right now that could force landlords facing foreclosure to give tenants at least 30-days notice. The lawyers says the chances of passing those measures are slim. As for the Tucson family, they've have found another place to live.

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Economy	Impact	4/26/09	6a-630a	Members from the Tucson Hispanic Chamber of Commerce: Ricardo Esquivel, Carmen Noriega, Laura Sepulveda, Veronica Caseres Roca	We discussed how the economy has affected Hispanic businesses, what the Chamber's doing to help those businesses, and how the Chamber's reaching out to non-Hispanic businesses to teach them how to reach out to the Hispanic market.
Economy	News 4 @ 10	4/28/09	9:59:53 to 10:02:25		The city is in the red, revenues are way down and cash is needed to keep things running. People want to comment on Tucson's proposed budget plan for next year. A slew of fees and taxes, on top of cuts. The City Manager presented a budget plan to the City Council the week of 4/20, which includes 17M in fees and taxes, like a 2% monthly rental tax. Also an increase in the public utility tax, and a hike in the hotel tax to \$2 per night. Many renters around Tucson are very angry that the city wants to squeeze more dollars out of the apartments where they dwell.
Economy	News 4 @ 10	5/18/09	10:11:43 to 10:14:00		In this economy, many people are losing their jobs and being forced to explore new careers. For some, it's time to get going on a life-long dream. Like in the beauty industry, where there are jobs. If you take a look at the industry, it might be a great move. The starting wage for someone fresh out of beauty school is 35K a year. Those in the know say the industry is somewhat recession proof. The state of the economy and its affect on their business was a topic of discussion at a hair show in April. People are still getting their hair done, just may be stretching their retouch from 6 weeks to 8 weeks. And of course, beauty school costs money, but financial aid is available for those who qualify.
Economy	News 4 @ 10	5/18/09	6:09:47 to 6:12:06		Last year nearly half of all US employers laid people off, this year 60% plan more cutbacks. If layoffs, restructuring and a foggy future at work have you rattled, try to take control of the things you can, and you have more control than you think. It's important for your own survival to do what you can instead of backing into a corner and waiting for the ax to fall. Experts say the key to weathering a crisis like this is to understand two things... there will always be layoffs and there are things you can control and things you can't. Whatever is going to happen is going to happen. Just be prepared the best you can and make yourself competitive.
Economy	News 4 @ 5	5/18/09	5:13:58 to 5:16:17		Pima County's unemployment rate is close to 7%. Hundreds of people have been handed pick slips since January but there is a silver lining. Some industries are hanging out help wanted signs. Raytheon, here in Tucson, says American Engineers are in demand. Target.com just opened it's fulfillment center off Rita Road. It will service the whole country, meaning they'll likely be hiring for the next couple of years. But there are industries that are hot. One is call centers. There are companies hiring in the Tucson area. One company is APAC. They are expanding and ready to hire. There are also various companies in the health care industry that have jobs posted, more than 100 positions. The mere fact that there are openings gives job seekers hope that they'll find one.
Economy	News 4 @ 4	5/18/09	4:21:29 to 4:25:59	Noreen Nelson, Retired Human Resources Manager	In this difficult economy, you may find it harder than ever to find a job. Noreen Nelson, retired Human Resources Manager, shared some tips on how to keep your job.

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Economy	News 4 @ 4	5/22/09	4:06:22 to 4:08:31		You have likely noticed that the price of gas creeping up at the pump. Even though it's well below last year's national average, in this recession, it doesn't take much to affect your wallet. Here in Arizona, the average price for a gallon of gas is \$2.13. In Tucson, we're paying the lowest in the state at \$2.06.
Economy	News 4 @ 4	5/22/09	4:23:41 to 4:26:56	Andrew Titche, Vice President of MEB Management Services	Andrew Titche, Vice President of MEB Management Services discussed how to save money on your rent... For example, working at rental properties in exchange for free rent, and what to do if you're having problems paying your rent.
Economy	News 4 @ 10	6/3/09	10:01:07 to 10:03:17		The city is scrapping this year's 4th of July celebrations due to the economy, including the main event, the fireworks. It saving the city up to 55K. Money that's not even there in the first place.
Economy	News 4 @ 10	6/9/09	9:59:55 to 10:02:21		The City Council approved a 1B plus budget which takes effect July 1st. We've seen weeks of back and forth negotiations, trying to erase Tucson's 68M shortfall due to the struggling economy. With people tightening their belts, less cash is coming into the city.
Economy	News 4 @10	6/10/09	10:00:17 to 10:02:27		Despite the tough economy, there's word on the street that a number of like-minded business owners are setting up shop in downtown Tucson. At least 7 restaurants, bars and markets have opened in the past year, and 7 more are expected this summer. In a few months, you'll be able to park your car downtown, and walk to a variety of these restaurants, bars and clubs that will be opening. The business owners aren't just creating a nightlife downtown, they're creating jobs, which in turn, could heat the economy back up.
Economy	News 4 @ 10	6/18/09	10:04:02 to 10:06:18		Another round of layoffs in Tucson's largest school district. A couple of months ago, TUSD cut teachers and other certified employees. Now, classified workers, including clerical staff are out of a job. 185 TUSD employees will get the pink slips. Some employees have union contracts with seniority rights, bumping rights and employment guarantees. As a result, people are being moved around. And for the first time, each school got to pick which positions it will cut.
Economy	News 4 @ 10	6/27/09	10:04:43 to 10:06:18		During these tough economic times, Foothills Mall in Tucson, is experimenting to bring in shoppers. They are trying to find ideas and ways to drive traffic into the mall. One experiment they have tried is displaying "live human beings" wearing the product, and it's working. It's bringing people in, and getting their attention. Customers are intrigued and the models are having fun.
Education	News 4 @ 10	4/1/09	10:02:46 to 10:05:13		The Feds released over a billion dollars in emergency education cash to Arizona. That money from one branch of the state's stimulus fund must be doled out for title-one, low income districts and special education. TUSD, Southern Arizona's largest district is happy to have its share of the cash but it's already been factored into the budget plans so it's not a boost. TUSD is still preparing for state-mandated cuts, upwards of 50 million dollars which brought pink slips to be handed out Friday, 4/3, under the assumption that the 50 million mark will hold. Layoffs that could be temporary.

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Education	News 4 @ 4	4/2/09	4:40:34 to 4:44:44	Dr. Kevin Leman, Child Psychologist and Author	The school year is almost over. What if your child hasn't done well this year? Should you consider summer school? Tutoring? Maybe even holding your child back for a year? Dr. Kevin Leman, Child Psychologist and Author, discussed things you can do when your child does not do well in school.
Education	News 4 @ 4	4/6/09	4:11:42 to 4:13:37		An innovative program which "pays" students for good grades and attendance will soon graduate it's first class of Rincon High School Seniors. Started two years ago "The First Job Project" provides a financial alternative to qualified students who need money to support family or save for college.
Education	News 4 @ 10	4/9/09	10:00:06 to 10:02:42		The Marana School Board gave it's final approval to terminate 133 employees. A similar move made by TUSD which let go of more than 600 people. In both cases, it's all about the budget. State mandated cuts forcing school districts to prepare for the worst. Until the Legislature passes it's budget, schools have to assume they're going to lose cash. Thirty certified teachers, 10 administrative workers and more than 90 support staff without a job next school year.
Education	News 4 @ 4	4/9/09	4:41:16 to 4:46:19	Valerie Cavazos	A new summer program is being launched to help students of all ages learn the new survival skills that are need to succeed in the hyper-competitive 21st century global economy. Valerie Cavazos spoke more about the program.
Education	News 4 @ 4	4/15/09	4:48:16 to 4:54:10	Jennifer English	From 4/15 to 6/2, you get a chance to cook with the masters. Tucson's premier chefs are offering hands on cooking classes. Jennifer English got a one-on-one opportunity with the chef from Acacia. The chef show us how to make an egg dish that works for breakfast, lunch or dinner.
Education	Tucson Today 5a to 7a	4/15/09	6:05:25 to 6:07:15		There is a lot of uncertainty handing over librarians within Arizona's School Districts. This is a direct result of pending state budget cuts. Come next year, some Southern Arizona schools won't have someone checking out books, or a place where students can get them. This has many librarians concerned. TUSD advised any librarian who has his/her highly qualified certifications will be used as a teacher, if there's room at any of the schools. If not, they will be pink slipped. The district also said if state budget cuts are less than expected, some of those positions could be called back.
Education	News 4 @ 10	4/16/09	9:59:50 to 10:02:19		Parents and administrators in the Tucson Unified School District met face to face. They spoke about the harsh realities almost every school faces in the upcoming school year. Layoffs and no money. TUSD has already pink slipped over 600 staff members.
Education	News 4 @ 4	4/23/09	4:41:43 to 4:46:30	Valerie Cavazos	How do we inspire the next generation of innovators? One study says we need to change the way we teach science in the classrooms. The National Academies of Science has called for a revolution in science education. Saying interactive, fun lessons should replace the dull memorization and testing that has driving students away from science. Valerie Cavazos went to a classroom where we saw teams of hands on kids.

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Education	News 4 @ 10	4/24/09	10:22:20 to 10:24:19		Some parents are angry with the Sunnyside School District on how they are handling its free laptop program. They say administrators are bending the rules letting dozens of students how don't meet the high-requirements to get one anyway. Students earn a laptop by keeping up their grades, making good attendance and participating in school activities. It's an incentive to keep kids in school. Area businesses like the idea, and covered the costs. The district is giving the freshman a chance to make up the missed attendance because freshman year is the critical time when they can set up the study habits they'll carry with them for years. Some students who got laptops says this doesn't bother them.
Education	News 4 @ 4	4/24/09	4:04:28 to 4:06:13		A bright spot in the economy. Someone anonymously donated 5M to Saint Augustine Catholic High School. Half will be used to build a new gym and wellness multipurpose room, the other half will go to academics.
Education	News 4 @ 10	4/29/09	10:11:00 to 10:13:59		Free college tuition. It's out there, you just have to look for it. You can find these scholarships by going to the University of Arizona's financial aid website, and click on "Find Scholarships" link, a whole list of options comes up. Such as the Tylenol scholarship for those pursuing a career in healthcare, life sciences or related fields to the Tall Clubs International scholarship for tall people. Women have to be at least 5'10" and men at least 6'2". Whether you're looking on independent search engines or on university websites, there's something for almost everyone.
Education	News 4 @ 6	4/30/09	6:01:07 to 6:03:21		Tuition is going up again for the University of Arizona students. Starting this Fall, U of A students will pay \$766 dollars more for in-state tuition, and \$966 dollars more for out of state tuition. The increases are called economic recovery surcharges. The university says it needs them to offset the legislature's cuts in state support. The fees are less than originally requested. They were reduced after Governor Janet Brewer promised to give universities a large share of Arizona's federal economic stimulus package.
Education	One on One	5/10/09	630a-7a	Erin DeConcini, Parent; Diana Williams, Parent; Kim Metz, Director of The Parent Connection	The Parent Connection is an organization that has been around since 1992 helping parents be better parents through support and education. It's open to all parents and serves all of Southern Arizona.
Education	One on One	5/17/09	630a-7a	Herb Stratford, Fox Theatre	The historic downtown Fox Theatre is again in transition, and looking for new ways to forge ahead and stay viable. The theatre is hosting a summer film series as part of the strategy to get back on it's feet. We spoke with Herb Stratford about all the changes in direction and management... and see where the Fox will eventually fit-in as a cornerstone of Rio Nuevo and a revitalized downtown!
Education	News 4 @ 6	5/19/09	5:58:42 to 6:00:54		A new program has launched in Southern Arizona. The goal, recruit, retain and reward K through 12 grade educators. It's called Tucson Values Teaches. The summer program is providing teachers with discount cards to help them through these times of uncertainty.
Education	News 4 @ 4	5/22/09	4:44:10 to 4:47:20	Leah Eckley, Child and Family Resources	Leah Eckley from Child and Family Resources discussed ways to make sure your kids don't forget all they learned during the school year.

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Education	News 4 @ 4	5/27/09	5:02:36 to 5:04:34		This school year's been tough for teachers across Arizona. Those with the Sunnyside School District spent the day packing up their classrooms, some not expecting to come back. In April, more than 100 teachers were told they may not have a job next year. Layoffs, in anticipating of a state mandated budget cut, upwards of 2M. It is possible, if the cuts are smaller, some teachers could be called back.
Education	News 4 @ 10	6/1/09	9:59:40 to 10:02:27		For months we have been talking about Arizona's budget. From Universities to K through 12 schools to state funded daycare centers, everyone has had to make tough decisions including massive layoffs. Nothing is set in stone yet but Governor Jan Brewer has released a plan that she says will cover Arizona's 4B budget shortfall. The Governor is pitching a 1% state sales tax increase for three years, cut education funding by 295M, but with help of federal stimulus the cut would be more like 73 million.
Education	News 4 @ 10	6/8/09	9:59:48 to 10:02:05		There's a big push in the works to stop the University of Arizona from consolidating its minority supports centers on campus. The goal is to save cash but minority groups say the budget burden shouldn't fall on them. The consolidation would put all identity groups on the 4th floor at the Student Union. And some students, staff and community members, say it's one size fits all model that just isn't right.
Education	News 4 @ 4	6/25/09	4:41:32 to 4:46:20	Valerie Cavazos	Succeeding in the 21st century work force requires the mandatory reading, writing and math skills, but it takes more, much more. Valerie Cavazos spoke about the "life skills" it takes.
Environment	News 4 @ 10	4/13/09	10:12:31 to 10:14:21		One of the most common questions we get with the digital switch is what to do with that TV that won't work. Several options are available for you. You can take your TV's, working and non-working, and computers to the Los Reales Landfill. Or, you can take them to Pima Computer Recycling. They refurbish the TV's they receive and give it to those less fortunate. And, if they can't fix it, they will have the TV's shipped to a place that will dispose of it properly.
Environment	News 4 @ 6	4/13/09	6:00:33 to 6:02:23		It is high season for rattlesnakes in Arizona. On Monday, 4/13, local fire department crews responded to 6 snake calls. Veterinarians say your pet's best chance of surviving a rattlesnake bite is to get a shot of antivenin. But that's a move owners make after a bite. The time it takes to get your dog to the vet could be a matter of life or death so some are considering a new rattlesnake vaccine that's hit the market and experts are giving this vaccine mixed reviews.
Environment	News 4 @ 4	4/13/09	4:46:31 to 4:49:46	Tiana Ronstadt, Financial Advisor	Have you ever figured out how much money you spend each week on bottle water, and thought about the damage the plastic does to the environment? If you did, you might rethink this little convenience. Tiana Ronstadt discussed the cost of water and what it's doing to our landfills. And also ways you can get filtered water without buying plastic bottle water.

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Environment	News 4 @ 6	4/14/09	6:09:49 to 6:11:26		In July, a new city ordinance will be in place requiring Tucson grocery stores to provide recycling for plastic grocery bags. While it's a step in the right direction, a group of 5th graders at Lineweaver Elementary are hard at work on their class project with a proposal of their own. An impact so big, they're taking the entire school year to work on it. It is called "Project Citizen," taking a community problem and coming up with a solution. Their solution to the plastic bag problem is either ban them or put a tax on them. They took this to the city counsel meeting in April with hopes it becomes a city ordinance.
Environment	News 4 @ 4	4/15/09	4:33:51 to 4:39:06	Debbie Mounce, Harlow Gardens	Herbs can be used for everything from flavoring your food to curing your flu to ridding your home of insects. Debbie Mounce from Harlow Gardens spoke more about herbs and how to grow them.
Environment	News 4 @ 5	4/16/09	5:02:41 to 5:04:39		Arizona's dry desert, a big concern as we head into the wildfire season. Since January, we've had at least 7 wildfires and brush fires that have burned acres of land and destroyed homes. The largest "Hog Fire" was in early March, near Douglas, in the Coronado National Forest. The "Hog Fire" was human caused destroying almost 17,000 acres. Three years of healthy monsoons gave us a lot of healthy vegetation that's now dried up, like rampant buffelgrass. Anyone who lives in fire prone areas must protect themselves by clearing out around the yard and removing buffelgrass. This will increase your own safety.
Environment	News 4 @ 4	4/20/09	4:18:29 to 4:21:39	Robert Stieve, Arizona Highways Editor	If hiking is your thing, Arizona is loaded with fabulous trails, and this is the time of year to get out and enjoy them. Arizona Highways Magazine features a hike of the month. Arizona Highways Editor, Robert Stieve, shared details of the hike of the month and also covered some other hiking trails.
Environment	News 4 @ 4	4/20/09	4:36:31 to 4:39:46	Cindy Nieves, Cosmetology Educator, Aveda Institute Tucson	The grand opening of the Aveda Institute Tucson was held on 4/20. It's a green cosmetology school. Aveda means all knowledge in sansri. The company has been around for 30 years, specializing in flower and plant based beauty products. Cindy Nieves, Cosmetology Educator at the institute, spoke more about this unique school.
Environment	News 4 @ 4	4/21/09	4:40:51 to 4:44:56	Michelle Donati, AAA	Did you know that nearly 99% of a vehicle battery can be recycled? A battery is made up of lead, plastic and sulfuric acid. All destructive elements if improperly handled. They can contaminate soil and ground water, explode in a fire or become a source of lead poisoning to humans and animals. But recycled, almost all of it's components can be reused to make a new battery. Michelle Donati from AAA, spoke about the Annual Great Battery Roundup, in support of Earth Day.
Environment	News 4 @ 10	4/22/09	10:06:37 to 10:08:18		The University of Arizona used Earth Day to announce a new solar project. Plans, that will change the U of A's skyline. In May, the U of A in conjunction with APS Energy Services will install solar panels on several rooftops. When all the panels are up and running, they'll provide 5 to 10% of the University's power.
Environment	Tucson Today 5a to 7a	4/22/09	6:34:10 to 6:36:10		Wed., 4/23, was Earth Day. There was a street-fair style block party on University promoting green items, activities, even jobs. Another event on the U of A campus, a campus walking tour brochure where you'll find different events happening for Earth Day.

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Environment	News 4 @ 10	4/24/09	10:12:09 to 10:13:56		If you're planning a family trip or just looking for a weekend getaway, Southern Arizona is a great place for eco-tourism. Three places to visit, the first, Sonoita Vineyards. Here, you can get a tour of the vineyards and sample some wine. The Santa Rita Lodge in Madera Canyon is place for bird watching. And last, you can star watch at Kitt Peak. These are just a few options...so why leave Arizona?
Environment	News 4 @ 4	5/4/09	4:37:30 to 4:40:45	Marylee Pangman, Owner of The Contained Gardner	If you're like most people, the weekends are just not long enough to do all the gardening you'd like to do. And of course, there are always challenges with your outdoor space. Marylee Pangman, Owner of The Contained Gardner, spoke about a solution to these challenges, it's called the "Get Potted Lite!"
Environment	News 4 @ 4	5/5/09	4:34:04 to 4:39:16	Debbie Mounce, Harlow Gardens	Gardening can be a challenge in the summer hot months. What do you plant that can survive 100 degree weather? Debbie Mounce, from Harlow Gardens suggests cacti and shared some of her "How To" tips so that your hands survive the experience.
Environment	News 4 @ 10	5/8/09	9:59:50 to 10:01:42		Students at Secrist Middle School are in their 5th day without air conditioning. School officials say they're working to get the problem fixed. Students and parents are hoping it happens sooner rather than later. Especially since we are in triple digit temperatures.
Environment	News 4 @ 4	5/21/09	4:37:44 to 4:41:14	George Carpenter, Desert Museum	George Carpenter from the Desert Museum spoke about a couple of animals that come out during the monsoon season, a tarantula and a Sonoran desert toad.
Environment	News 4 @ 4	5/27/09	4:39:50 to 4:46:25	Jennifer English	The farm of the future is right here in Tucson...the University of Arizona's Controlled Environment Agricultural Center in the heart of the city. Jennifer English, took us to the cutting edge farm to look at how the food of the future is being grown.
Environment	News 4 @ 4	5/27/09	4:50:15 to 4:53:30	Jed Dodds, Reid Zoo Park Education Coordinator	Jed Dodds from Reid Zoo Park brought in and spoke about the "blue tongued skink" lizard from Australia.
Environment	News 4 @ 10	6/2/09	10:12:50 to 10:14:34		It's being called the greenest parking garage in America and it resides right here in Tucson. It's the downtown Pennington Street Garage. The parking log is made from an old building that was torn down. The parking lot holds around 750 cars and it is 100% solar powered. It protects your car and the planet.
Environment	News 4 @ 4	6/3/09	4:33:01 to 4:38:16	Debbie Mounce, Harlow Gardens	Many people choose the plants for their garden based on mostly color, some people are more concerned with fragrance, and yet others want to attract birds. Debbie Mounce, from Harlow Gardens, showed us what to plant if we want to see more hummingbirds.
Environment	News 4 @ 4	6/3/09	4:43:06 to 4:49:04	Jennifer English	Right in the middle of Tucson is the farm of the future. It's the U of A's Controlled Agricultural Center. It's been here for 40 years, researching ways to grow food that's bigger, better and more nutritious. Jennifer English took us there and showed us how lettuce is grown, and where you can buy this gorgeous produce.

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Environment	News 4 @ 10	6/10/09	10:13:10 to 10:15:05		Arizona is unofficially the solar capital of the world. But are we getting everything out of those solar panels? The University of Arizona is working to find that out using a TEP solar yard. They are conducting research to find the grade "A" solution to solar efficiency.
Environment	News 4 @ 4	6/10/09	4:40:33 to 4:46:35	Jennifer English	You would be amazed at the amount of water it takes to grow a head of lettuce. The U of A's Controlled Environment Agricultural Center is changing that. The cutting edge research lab is looking at ways to grow bigger, better and more nutritious produce while saving natural resources. Jennifer English, showed us Tucson's farm of the future and an award winning hydroponics garden.
Environment	News 4 @ 4	6/10/09	4:50:05 to 4:54:05	Jed Dodds, Reid Zoo Park Education Coordinator	Going to the zoo means seeing elephants, giraffes and lions. But as you well know, the zoo is made up of hundreds of different creatures, some as exotic as an anteater, others as simple as a chicken. Jed Dodds, from Reid Park Zoo, brought in a fancy red chicken and spoke about training.
Environment	News 4 @ 6	6/15/09	6:00:54 to 6:03:14		There were no storms in the forecast the week of 6/15, the start of the monsoon season. Still, officials want you to be prepared. There are tragic reminders of how dangerous and unpredictable a downpour can be. There was one storm-related death last year, and two deaths in 2007. One family spoke about their tragedy and hopes it serves as a warning for others.
Environment	News 4 @ 4	6/18/09	4:51:00 to 4:54:30	George Carpenter, Arizona-Sonora Desert Museum	George Carpenter, from the Arizona-Sonora Desert Museum, spoke about the barn owl. Animals are waiting for the summer rains, and they come out more looking for water. Many of them come out a night looking for a drink and a bite to eat, such as the barn owl.
Environment	News 4 @ 4	6/19/09	4:36:54 to 4:42:04	Debbie Mounce, Harlow Gardens	We don't all have the luxury of living in wide open spaces. Some of us have small yards, or less. Debbie Mounce, discussed how we can still have gardens in limited spaces.
Environment	News 4 @ 4	6/26/09	4:45:35 to 4:49:10	B.J. Cordova, Tucson Clean and Beautiful	Saturday, June 27th, Tucson Clean and Beautiful held an electronics recycling event at Reid Park that helped get rid of stuff you don't want, such as old TV's, phones, VCR's, anything with a power cord, and this event helped the environment as well. B.J. Cordova, from Tucson Clean and Beautiful, spoke about the event.
Environment	News 4 @ 4	6/30/09	4:42:51 to 4:46:06	George Carpenter, Desert Museum	Staying out of the heat. Desert critters seem to know that you either get out early in the morning or after the sun goes down during the summer. We humans need to pay attention to that too! George Carpenter from the Desert Museum spoke about brought in and spoke about two nocturnal animals, a western screech owl and a meerium's kangaroo.
Health	News 4 @ 10	4/1/09	10:12:17 to 10:14:48		One of the tiniest pets you can buy, might cause you some of the biggest problems! They're small turtles, inexpensive and popular among parents with small kids. And, they're easy to find, even though there's a federal ban on selling them, and they can spread Salmonella, a potentially deadly illness. The KVOA Investigators went shopping and show us the threat of these turtles.

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Health	News 4 @ 6	4/3/09	6:05:34 to 6:07:34		There's a new milestone in the heart transplant program at University Medical Center in Tucson. A Nevada man received a heart and kidney transplant on the same day. There are only two other people in the world that has ever had the same operation this man did.
Health	News 4 @ 4	4/3/09	4:28:11 to 4:31:16	Anita Kellman, Founder, Beat Cancer Boot Camp	Use every opportunity to exercise. Even a trip through the hardware store can provide some time for strengthening and toning muscles. Anita Kellman, founder of Beat Cancer Boot Camp, showed us how items you see on store shelves can be the gym equipment we need.
Health	News 4 @ 4	4/7/09	4:41:46 to 4:46:06	Rhonda Zwelling, Life and Health Coach	Are you stuck in a rut? Complacent in your complacency? Breaking out of it can be tricky. It can mean changing habits, making uncomfortable decisions and committing to doing things differently, but it can also be liberating, invigorating and you'll wonder why you didn't do it sooner. Rhonda Zwelling, a Life and Health Coach, discussed breaking out of a rut.
Health	News 4 @ 4	4/8/09	4:22:49 to 4:26:09	Dr. Tieraona Low Dog	Menopause is an inevitable part of a woman's experience, and many believe that hot flashes are equally inevitable. The discomfort of hot flashes, the embarrassment of being suddenly bathed in sweat, and the disturbance of sleep, all seen as a cross women just have to bear. Dr. Tieraona Low Dog discussed how hypnosis may help with hot flashes.
Health	News 4 @ 4	4/10/09	4:25:07 to 4:28:52	Dr. Lori Mackstaller, Sarver Heart Center	The fear of losing their jobs has Americans rushing to see their doctors and dentists before their insurance benefits run out. Doctors say this means a staggering increase in patients. Doctors and dentists say they usually see an end-of-the-year rush of patients but so far the rush hasn't stopped. Sometimes patients are in dire need of tests they can't afford so doctors are sending more and more patients to emergency rooms. This increase in patients is forcing doctors to make tough decisions. Dr. Lori Mackstaller spoke about these tough decisions.
Health	News 4 @ 4	4/10/09	4:50:35 to 4:54:50	Judith Schuler, M.S.	Downs Syndrome affects about one in every 800 babies. It's a condition in which extra genetic material causes delays in the way a child develops, both mentally and physically. Downs Syndrome can't be prevented, but it can be detected before a child is born. Judith Schuler, M.S., discussed an updated screening recommended for pregnant women.
Health	News 4 @ 4	4/16/09	4:22:19 to 4:25:34	Judith Schuler, M.S.	Over the past two decades an increasing number of mothers-to-be have arranged for a doula to be present during labor and delivery. Unlike a midwife who actually helps deliver the baby, a doula "mothers" the mother, taking care of her emotional needs throughout childbirth. Recent national surveys report that doulas participate in about 5 of every hundred births and that number is growing. Judith Schuler, M.S., explained what a doula is.
Health	News 4 @ 4	4/17/09	4:24:48 to 4:28:03	Dr. Lori Mackstaller, Sarver Heart Center	We all want our children to grow up healthily and live long lives but experts are saying that is not the health care system's responsibility. It's time for parents and schools to join in and demand better eating habits and more physical activity. Dr. Lori Mackstaller, from the Sarver Heart Institute, spoke about children's health.
Health	News 4 @ 4	4/17/09	4:40:46 to 4:44:24	Anita Kellman, Founder, Beat Cancer Boot Camp	No time to exercise? You can work out anywhere, anytime. Anita Kellman, spoke about the many opportunities you have to exercise.

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Health	News 4 @ 5:30	4/19/09	5:31:13 to 5:33:45		People of all ages converged at Reid Park Sunday, 4/19, to be a part of The Race for the Cure. The Race for the Cure is the largest fundraiser benefiting the Susan G. Komen Foundation. Money collected helps provide access, for women, to life-saving screening programs, education and treatment. Other funding supports "cancer research" programs.
Health	Impact	4/19/09	6a-630a	Kalyn Stith, 2009 Chair for Jubilee; Denis Cournoyer, Executive Director of the American Cancer Society	In 2008, one of out of every four people died of cancer. It's the second common cause of death. Heart disease is number one. We spoke about the importance of education and early detection. The American Cancer Society provides an invaluable service to the community by providing programs and information. An upcoming fundraiser Jubilee 2009 will provide the much needed funds to keep these programs going.
Health	News 4 @ 4	4/20/09	4:51:10 to 4:54:20	Dr. Jody Comstock, Dermatologist	One of the first places that we begin to see the aging process is around our eyes, the bags, the crowsfeet, the heavy lids, and the crepey skin. Dr. Jody Comstock spoke about these issues and what we can do about them.
Health	News 4 @ 4	4/23/09	4:50:30 to 4:53:40	Craig Wisnom, Bogutz & Gordon P.C.	If you're like most people, you are confused about federal and state health care options...Medicaid and Medicare, AHCCCS and ALTCS. Craig Wisnom, Bogutz & Gordon P.C. cleared up the confusion of the health care options and explained what they are.
Health	News 4 @ 10	4/24/09	9:59:49 to 10:02:45		Local health officials watch and worry as a frightening swine flu outbreak spreads south of the border. They are very concerned about this new strain of flu, the Swine Flu. The effort is to prevent a slow moving epidemic. There is an outbreak of the new flu in Mexico. The World Health Organization says it has killed at least 60 people. Eight people in the United States, in areas bordering Mexico have gotten sick with the same strain, none have died or become seriously ill. Though called Swine Flue, the new virus has genetic elements not just from pigs but from humans and birds. Scientists have always known that any new virus to which humans have no natural immunity holds the possibility of becoming a pandemic. There are no confirmed Swine Flu cases in Arizona right now. But because of our proximity to the border, Puma County Health Officials are carefully monitoring the situation.
Health	News 4 @ 10	4/29/09	9:59:55 to 10:03:40		Arizona has it's first confirmed case of the Swine Flu. An 8-year-old in Maricopa County. Samples from Pima County have been sent to the Centers for Disease Control for testing. The CDC says the outbreak has spread to 11 states including Arizona. Dozens of other possible cases are still being tested including 20 cases from Pima County. Here in Tucson, one of the places that are taking precautions is the University Medical Center. The hospital is masking patients before they walk through the door. It's a precaution that is happening in a number of places across Tucson.
Health	News 4 @ 10	5/3/09	10:02:44 to 10:04:49		Because cases of the this strain of Swine Flu have been mild, and are similar to seasonal flu, local school districts are not planning to shut down campuses at this time. Both the Marana and Tucson Unified School Districts are keeping a close eye on attendance trends as they keep their schools open.

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Health	Impact	5/3/09	6a-630a	Dr. Bob Dr. Bob Perlmutter from St. Joe's Hospital	Hospitalists are becoming a huge presence in how patients are being cared for, and treated, in hospitals today. We spoke about how to educate the public on the nature of the profession, what to expect upon admittance, and finally to explore the tremendous value they provide to the patient.
Health	News 4 @ 4	5/4/09	4:08:00 to 4:10:20		With more cases of the N1H1 virus confirmed in Pima County, more people are expected to have questions. Anticipating that, the County Health Department has opened a Call Center. You can call the Pima County Health Department hotline at 243-7808, Monday - Friday between 8:30 AM and 4:30 PM. The Tohono O'odham Nation also has a 24 hour hotline number, 1-877-606-9301.
Health	News 4 @ 4	5/7/09	4:51:15 to 4:55:15	Kim Talerico, Tihans Volunteer Coordinator	Every hour two teenagers become infected with HIV in this country. Here in Pima County, it's estimated that more than 6,500 people are living with the virus. The Tihan organization held a fundraiser for people with HIV/Aids here in Tucson with everything from food to medications. Kim Talerico, a Tihans Volunteer Coordinator spoke about the group and the fund raiser.
Health	News 4 @ 4	5/8/09	4:42:03 to 4:45:33	Dr. Lori Mackstaller, Sarver Heart Center	The H1N1 flu has consumed the headlines this week. This new virus was first detected in people in the U.S. last month, other countries including Mexico and Canada have reported cases of the H1N1 flu. This virus is spreading from person to person, probably in much the same way that regular seasonal flu spreads. Dr. Lori Mackstaller, spoke about the H1N1 flu.
Health	News 4 @ 4	5/19/09	4:22:26 to 4:27:47	Dr. Tieraona Low Dog	During this difficult economy, you may find it harder than ever to cope with challenges on the job. Both the stress we take with us when we go to work and the stress that awaits us on the job are on the rise. While some stress is a normal part of life, excessive stress interferes with productivity and reduces your physical and emotion health. Dr. Tieraona Low Dog, spoke about how to keep your stress under control.
Health	News 4 @ 10	5/20/09	10:03:41 to 10:04:40		A thirteen-year-old Tucson boy died of complications from the H1N1 flu virus. He passed away Friday. His family also infected but they have recovered except for one sibling who is currently hospitalized. The teenager previously attended a local middle school but hasn't been in class because of his illness for quite awhile. The Health Department says there are now 87 cases in Pima County. 452 cases statewide. The Tucson teen was the third person to die in Arizona infected with the flu strain.
Health	News 4 @ 4	5/26/09	4:28:10 to 4:31:30	Jim Morelli, a pharmacist, poison control specialist and author	The summer season's less than a month away and your health is a concern. The risk of dehydration, heat exhaustion, sun stroke, skin damage, and other related problems. Jim Morelli, a pharmacist and poison control specialist, discussed how to stay safe and healthy during the summer months.
Health	News 4 @ 4	5/28/09	4:28:00 to 4:31:30	Rhonda Zwelling, Life and Health Coach	Whether it's kids, work or just plain running around, it seems we don't get enough sleep. And add to that, mental fatigue. Rhonda Zwelling, Life and Health Coach, spoke about how to tackle mental fatigue.

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Health	News 4 @ 4	6/1/09	4:48:40 to 4:55:15	Mary Alvarez; Dr. Jody Comstock	Many families in America have been touched by alcohol or drug abuse. 13M Americans are alcoholics, 20M Americans use marijuana. Millions more abuse cocaine, heroin, prescription drugs and meth. Many of these drug users are prominent citizens in our communities, they are business owners, doctors, civic leaders, parents and neighbors. Mary Alvarez is a mother of two, who shared her story with us in hopes to help others, and Dr. Jody Comstock, spoke about how she helped Mary.
Health	News 4 @ 4	6/5/09	4:25:47 to 4:29:12	Patricia Harmon, President and CEO, Sunstone Cancer Support Centers	Sunday, June 7th, is National Cancer Survivor's Day. Events are held in hundreds of communities throughout the world on this first Sunday in June. It's a symbolic event to show that life after a cancer diagnosis can be a reality. Patricia Harmon, President and CEO, of Sunstone Cancer Support Centers in Tucson and Yuma, spoke about National Cancer Survivors Day.
Health	News 4 @ 4	6/5/09	4:35:07 to 4:38:26	Anita Kellman, Founder, Beat Cancer Boot Camp	June traditionally kicks off the start of summer family vacations. And if you think that going on vacation means there is no time to exercise, wrong! Anita Kellman, showed us that working out can be done anytime, anywhere.
Health	News 4 @ 4	6/8/09	4:27:37 to 4:30:52	Dr. Lori Mackstaller, Sarver Heart Center	Colon Cancer, when detected in the early stages, is one of the most curable cancers. It is still the 2nd leading cause of cancer related deaths in the western world. Dr. Lori Mackstaller, from the Sarver Heart Center, spoke about colon cancer and what organs are involved.
Health	News 4 @ 4	6/10/09	4:23:36 to 4:27:21	Judith Schuler, M.S.	It's bad enough that you gain 20 to 30 lbs in pregnancy but then there is swelling to contend with...ankles and feet twice their size. Judi Schuler, M.S., spoke about this common problem.
Health	News 4 @ 4	6/11/09	4:29:53 to 4:33:23	Fabi Hirsch, from the Carondelet Aphasia Program, and Luanne Seykora, who suffers from Aphasia	June is national Aphasia Awareness month. Although more than 1M Americans struggle with the effects of Aphasia, very few people have ever heard of it. Part of the reason why is that folks who have it have a hard time talking about it, or anything else for that matter. Fabi Hirsch, from the Carondelet Aphasia Program, and Luanne Seykora, who suffers from Aphasia, spoke about Aphasia.
Health	News 4 @ 4	6/12/09	4:51:13 to 4:54:33	Dr. Gwen Maxell, Board Certified Plastic Surgeon	Do you have options when it comes to anesthesia? For many people, the greatest concern when it comes to surgery is anesthesia. This is because one of our greatest fears is to have no control while our lives are in the hands of others. Anesthesia has come a long way, and understanding your options can alleviate some of your fears. Dr. Gwen Maxwell, Board Certified Plastic Surgeon, discussed the types of anesthesia.

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Health	News 4 @ 10	6/12/09	10:07:05 to 10:09:33		The next time you're in the grocery store, check out the ingredients for some of your favorite foods. Chance are, they contain wheat, barley or rye, the protein known as gluten. KVOA spoke to a mother and daughter who have Celiac Disease and have to watch what they eat. Being Celiac doesn't mean you have to eat at home all the time. Local families are finding gluten-free items at Tucson restaurants like "Lotus Garden," "Pei Wei," "Outback Steakhouse" and "Eclectic Pizza."
Health	News 4 @ 4	6/17/09	4:20:22 to 4:23:52	Judith Schuler, M.S.	Judi Schuler, M.S, and Author spoke about nutrition during pregnancy and what you need to know about a vegetarian diet.
Health	News 4 @ 4	6/18/09	4:25:51 to 4:29:06	Rhonda Zwelling, Life and Health Coach	With the bad economy, there are financial stresses and a drop in our quality of life. You deal with disappointment which there seems to be a lot of these days. Rhonda Zwelling, a life and health coach, spoke about what we can do about it.
Health	News 4 @ 4	6/22/09	4:22:49 to 4:26:14	Dr. Lori Mackstaller, Sarver Heart Center	The American Cancer Society says that in 1965, 42% of adults smoked. Today, that number hovers around 22% nationally. Dr. Lori Mackstaller, from the Sarver Heart Institute, spoke about kicking the nicotine habit.
Health	News 4 @ 4	6/22/09	4:47:31 to 4:51:06	Dr. Jody Comstock, Dermatologist	Drugs and alcohol takes a toll on your skin and age it prematurely, but they also cause problems that require medical attention. Dr. Jody Comstock, Dermatologist, spoke about these problems.
Health	News 4 @ 6	6/23/09	5:59:07 to 6:01:02		Arizona's Healthcare Cost Containment System or AHCCCS wants to cut coverage because of the state budget. If the cuts are approved, starting January 1st, this would eliminate coverage for some lung, heart, liver, pancreatic and bone marrow transplants. A move some believe would have deadly consequences.
Health	News 4 @ 4	6/23/09	4:27:12 to 4:30:47	Amy Cojanis, Weight Watchers	Summertime is usually a more relaxed time of year, longer days, lighter clothes and vacations, all contribute to making summer many people's favorite season. Unfortunately, some popular summer foods, like ice cream, hot dogs and beer to name a few, can add up in calories and anxiety for weight conscious individuals. Amy Cojanis from Weight Watches, gave us some summer diet tips and tips for summer fare, fitness and weight control.
Health	News 4 @ 4	6/26/09	4:28:25 to 4:32:39	Anita Kellman, Founder, Beat Cancer Boot Camp	Getting off the couch and outside to exercise takes some discipline. If you think of exercise as something that can be done anywhere, anytime, it makes it a little more do-able. Anita Kellman, demonstrated a great ab exercise called "The Bicycle."

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Safety	One on One	4/5/09	630a-7a	Tom Thivener, Bicycle & Pedestrian Program Manager, Tucson Dept of Transportation, Donna Lewandowski, Safe Routes to School Coordinator, Pima County Dept of Transportation	We discuss Tucson & Pima County Bicycle Safety, Bicycle Safety Education, New Safety Programs and the future for bicycle safety.
Safety	News 4 @ 5	4/2/09	5:02:31 to 5:04:22		Rabies is running rampant in Pima County right now. More so than anywhere else in the state. According to the Arizona Department of Health Services, Pima County has 25 reported cases. Cochise County has at least 13 cases, while Santa Cruz has ten. Just last week, a vet and 2 Santa Cruz County Ranchers, were exposed to rabies, when they came in contact with a sick cow. So protecting yourself, and your pets is crucial right now.
Safety	News 4 @ 4	4/6/09	4:29:21 to 4:32:31	Sue Stensel, The Pima County Sheriff's Auxiliary Volunteers	Keeping our children healthy and safe is the priority of most parents. Most of us don't want to think about now knowing where our kids are, but did you know that a child goes missing every 50 seconds in the United States. That's more than 2,100 per day. There's an organization in Pima County that can help you if the unthinkable happens. It's called "Child ID" and Sue Stensel from the Pima County Sheriff's Auxiliary Volunteers spoke about it.
Safety	News 4 @ 6	4/8/09	10:09:34 to 10:11:22		Another influx of bees buzzing around the "Old Pueblo" and there's concern the situation will get worse before it gets better. The last reported bee attack happened in March. Three people ran into a swarm of bees at a midtown apartment complex. And today, there are a lot of calls coming to area bee exterminators. Best thing to do when you encounter a bee hive/bees is to call an exterminator for removal. The longer a bee hive is set, the more aggressive and dangerous bees become.
Safety	Tucson Today 5a to 7a	4/23/09	6:00:40 to 6:02:30		Parents and teachers of "Pistor" Middle School students want to apply for a federal grant that would make it easier for more kids to walk to school. Right now, many have to cross washes, and walk too close to vehicles in the areas with no sidewalks. Their goal is to fix up the areas students would use to get to school creating safe routes.
Safety	News 4 @ 10	5/4/09	10:01:28 to 10:03:28		Besides schools and hospitals taking extra precautions, restaurants in Tucson are doing everything in their power to prevent the spread of the H1N1 flu virus. Workers at Blanco Restaurant wash their hands in front of the manager, sign a board that gets turned in every night. Hand washing has always been important, however, with the Swine Flu, they're being extra careful. This is part of a new set of corporate procedures taking place at every Fox Restaurant.
Safety	Impact	5/24/09	6a-630a	Ken Drozd Warning Coordinator National Weather Service	We discuss how warnings are issued, the National Weather Service Spotter training, and how to get access to the National Weather Service information. Things to help the public stay safe during monsoon/storm season.
Safety	News 4 @ 12	5/27/09	12:01:10 to 12:02:45		The City of Tucson has opened all of its swimming pools with new drain covers. In December, a federal law went into effect requiring public pools and spas to have a system in place to cover drains. The goal is to stop people, mostly children, from getting trapped underwater by suction from the drain. The system must include an automatic shut-off or a special drain cover that prevents strong suction.

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Safety	Tucson Today 5a to 7a	6/5/09	6:00:40 to 6:02:10		The summer months are upon us and that means kids are out of school, and riding bikes, skate boards, even ATV's. Health Officials here in Tucson sent out warnings to parents to help keep your families safe.
Safety	One on One	6/14/09	630a-7a	Dr. Terence O'Keeffe - UMC Surgeon, Sam Criner - ATV Instructor/Drexel Heights Fire, Malaya Garcia - ATV Accident Victim, Sonya Garcia - Malaya's Mother	We discussed the importance of safety for people who use ATV's. Serious injuries stemming from ATV accidents have skyrocketed in the last few years. We spoke with an ATV instructor, someone who's survived a serious ATV accident and a surgeon who's done many surgeries on ATV accident victims.
Safety	News 4 @ 5	6/16/09	5:02:31 to 5:04:47		The City of Tucson is inspecting 138 parks with a fine tooth comb after two people were struck by electricity in less than a year. The latest incident happened June 6th, aft the Golf Links Sports Complex. A man was zapped while picking up softballs. We're told a worn out wiring system is to blame. Last July, an 8-year-old boy died after being electrocuted near Hi-Corbett field. Fractures in an underground electrical box were at fault.
Safety	One on One	6/21/09	630a-7a	Mary Snyder, CPR Instructor; Jesus Bernal, saved boy's life using CPR; Richard White, Executive Director of Southern AZ Chapter of Red Cross	We spoke to Jesus Bernal who saved a baby with CPR, and Mary Snyder, a CPR instructor, showed us how to perform CPR. On a holiday weekend not long ago, Jesus Bernal and his family were sunning themselves by the pool at the Westin La Paloma. Unbeknownst to them, a quiet disaster was happening nearby. A toddler had fallen into the pool and was slowly drowning. By the time someone discovered his body and cried out, the little boy was turning blue and he had stopped breathing. Jesus pulled the baby from the water and immediately performed CPR. He had recently re-certified his lifesaving skills, and he resuscitated the boy just as paramedics arrived. The child survived, and the mother is forever grateful to Jesus.
Safety	News 4 @ 6	6/24/09	6:10:26 to 6:12:06		The tires on your care are probably something you only think about when you get a flat. As the summer heats up, so do the number of tire blowouts on Arizona roads. It is something that is preventable. It is recommended that you check you tires once a month. This is a service that most repair shops do for free.

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Public Service Announcements (PSA's) also cover issues and problems in our area. The following list includes PSA's that KVOA aired extensively during the quarter with a minimum of 15 airings each:

CHILDREN/YOUTH

American for the Arts.ORG
 Teen Dating Violence
 TPD Curfew Ordinance
 Youth Reckless Drinking Prevention

EDUCATION

Booster Seat
 High School Dropout Prevention

Environment

Foundation for a Better Life

Government

Air Force
 Americorps
 U.S. Dept. of Energy

Growth/Community

DTV
 Food Bank
 United Way

Health

AI-Non
 American Red Cross
 Coalition to Prevent Deep-Vein Thrombosis
 Flu Prevention
 Nutrition Education
 Parseghian Foundation
 Susan G. Komen Cancer Foundation
 University of Arizona Mel & Enid Zuckerman College of Public Health

PROGRAM DESCRIPTIONS:

IMPACT:

A weekly half-hour public affairs program usually scheduled for Sundays at 6:00 AM. Produced by KVOA's News 4 Department featuring interviews with community leaders about local events.

NEWS 4 ONE ON ONE:

A weekly half-hour public affairs program usually scheduled for Sundays at 6:30 AM. Produced by KVOA's News 4 Department featuring interviews with community leaders and participants in local topical issues.

TUCSON TODAY (MORNINGS) AND NEWS 4

These titles of KVOA's live local newscasts which are regularly scheduled at these times: Monday-Fridays, 5:00 AM to 7:00 AM, 7:24 AM to 7:30 AM, 7:55 AM to 8:00 AM, 8:25 AM to 8:30 AM, 8:55 AM to 9:00 AM, 9:25 AM to 9:30 AM, 9:55 AM to 10:00 AM, 12:00 Noon to 12:30 PM, 4:00 PM to 5:00 PM, 5:00 PM to 5:30 PM, 6:00 PM to 6:30 PM, 10:00 PM to 10:30 PM. Saturdays, 5:30 PM to 6:00 PM, 10:00 PM to 10:30 PM. Sundays, 5:30 PM to 6:00 PM and 10:00 PM to 10:30 PM.