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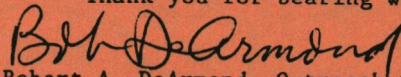
In this issue of The Arts on the Airwaves I want to tell you about a change which KUMD 103.3 FM is making to its ongoing coverage of the area arts scene.

As MORNING EDITION continues to grow and as KUMD increases its area news and information presence in the program we are finding that it is getting harder each month to maintain our strict scheduling of the arts modules. This and the fact that it is almost impossible to schedule anything a month in advance has caused us to make the following changes.

The art modules will still be aired at 6:20 and 7:50 a.m. or as close to it as possible. Now they will be aired on any week day that is appropriate and not just on Tuesdays and Thursdays as they are now. Plus KUMD will be doing more 'live' studio and telephone interviews pertaining to the arts. 'Live' interviews often have an 'air of excitement' which is hard to capture in a produced module. Such modules should be a welcome addition to our coverage.

What this means for you is that I will continue to tell you what features we hope to do each month but now I won't be telling you on which day they will be aired. I hope you have gotten into the habit of getting up with KUMD so that you won't miss any of our upcoming reports.

Thank you for bearing with us through these changes.



Robert A. DeArmond, Outreach Coordinator

THE MODULES FOR MARCH:

- Tuesday 3 - Featured is a short interview with Michael Garcia bringing our listeners an update on the Duluth Public Arts Commission.
- Wednesday 4 - Don Ness talks about his new variety show "Don Ness Show Off Duluth."
- Friday 6 - Singer/songwriter Kim Storm talks about her songs about women's healing, loving, living, and the politics of violence.
- Tuesday 10 - Michael Garcia will present a 'live' report on the outcome of the Duluth Public Arts Commission's Monday night Public Input Meeting.
- Thursday 12 - Featured will be Russell Packard, ethnic music specialist, or a report on Youth Art Month at the Depot.
- Featured will be the UMD Faculty Chamber Music Recital with Patricia Laliberte on piano, Marion Valasek on flute, and Raymond Comstock on violin.
 - Sr. Monica Laughlin will talk about her upcoming Faculty Recital at the College of St. Scholastica.
 - Featured will be an interview with James Stellmaker, Central High School Band Director, who was recently named Minnesota Jazz Educator of the Year.
 - The Iron Range Art Space members will talk about their upcoming exhibition at the Duluth Art Institute.

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