

WIDE-LP program and social media changes since Nov. 13, 2024

A number of new artists and musicals were added to the lists in Our Music Library. Humanism Today on Mondays has repeated many old programs due to a lack of new programs from the podcasters who have given us permission to broadcast. Programs by the Humanist Union of Madison have been recorded and broadcast. With speaker permission, a number of programs carried on Zoom from the Free Congregation of Sauk County have been recorded and broadcast.

Before the end of 2024 I started posting coming talk show info to a new Bluesky account for the station in addition to Facebook. At the end of last year I discontinued the use of "X" (formerly Twitter) for this purpose. We may wish to reconsider the use of Facebook in light of the whistleblower revelations about Meta, in the book *Careless People* by Sarah Wynn-Williams, for example.

New programs have included *Sounds From The Bunker* by Andy Garst, starting in June, and *Reelin' In The Years*, starting in September, which join *Wandering Minstrels* as our only 3 music shows with DJs. Talks shows no longer being produced include *This Is Science* from the Union of Concerned Scientists and *Making Contact*, but in the latter case I am continuing weekly broadcasts for the rest of the year by using old shows created before our station went on the air.

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