



Boston's Independent News Radio

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Schedule provided by Boston's **Independent Media Center** at <http://Boston.IndyMedia.org>

Daily News: Democracy Now! every weekday, 12-1 p.m., 90.3 FM - WZBC ***Free Speech Radio News every weekday, 5:30 p.m., 88.1 FM - WMBR***

Independent and community-driven radio gives Boston a nexus for diverse information and perspectives unheard elsewhere in Boston area radio. The 88-92 FM stations are totally commercial-free. Most news listed here is free of underwriting announcements. Help **bring better news to Boston radio**: please call 617-338-0184. **E-mail** IMC-Boston-Office@IndyMedia.org.

Publish with Boston IMC's print, video, web, or radio working groups. See <http://Boston.IndyMedia.org>

These stations offer meaningful community participation in producing public affairs and news:

WMBR 88.1 FM (at MIT, Cambridge)

617-253-8810 during programs, <http://wmbr.mit.edu>. Contact Linda Pinkow, news@wmbr.mit.edu

WMFO 91.5 FM (at Tufts University, Medford)

617-627-3800 during programs, <http://wmfo.org>. Contact Dean Wallace wdeanwjr@yahoo.com

WZBC 90.3 FM (at Boston College, Newton)

617-552-3511 after programs, <http://wzbc.org> Contact John Grebe, JGrebe@IndyMedia.org

Allston-Brighton Free Radio 1630 AM in Allston-Brighton vicinity (low power "Part 15" broadcast)

<http://www.abfreeradio.org>. 617-254-2728 during broadcasts. In Allston Mall at 107 Brighton Av., Allston, MA

Use the list above to tune in these programs. Schedule ideas? Contact John Grebe, JGrebe@IndyMedia.org, 617-338-0184

Mondays

12 - 1 p.m. WZBC 90.3 FM: **Democracy Now!** daily news with Amy Goodman. Get involved: write News@WZBC.org

5:30 – 6 p.m. WMBR 88.1 FM: **Free Speech Radio News**: Excellent nightly newscast produced by reporters on strike from the Pacifica radio network. In-depth coverage you won't find anywhere else! Programs also available at <http://savepacificanet.net/strike/news/>

6 – 7:30 p.m. WMBR 88.1 FM: **Gendertalk**: Fresh, fun, open and honest explorations of gender, hosted by a transgender staff. News, information and exciting new voices that challenge traditional views of gender. Produced by Nancy Nangeroni, Gordene MacKenzie, Hal Fuller, Karen Larsen and Vicky Campisi. <http://gendertalk.com>

Tuesdays

7 - 9 a.m. WMFO 91.5 FM: **No U-turn Radio**: Hosted by Dean Wallace. Local progressive public affairs, substantive thought and analysis, featuring the very current voices of academics, grassroots activists, authors and social critics. Issues include: nuclear disarmament; foreign policy toward Colombia, East Timor, Iraq, and Chile; our role in global warming; alternatives to "the market"; water scarcity; sweatshop labor; biotechnology concerns; the demonization of children for problems of the adult world.

<http://nouturn.org>

SEEKING HELPERS: W. Dean Wallace Jr. Contact wdeanwjr@yahoo.com and Martin.Voelker@nouturn.org

9 a.m. - 12 p.m. WMFO 91.5 FM: **Promethean Commentary & Jazz**: Hank Faunce brings decades of experience with politics & dixie-land era jazz.

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NEW: 5 - 5:30 p.m. WMBR 88.1 FM: **Frustrated Democratic Tendencies** Hosted by: *Marcos*. Wouldn't it be great if political shows actually discussed important things? No polls, no pundits, no censorship – no discussions about political hairdos.

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Saturdays

11 a.m. - 1 p.m. WZBC 90.3 FM: **Sounds of Dissent**: John Grebe's interviews and reports excluded from the week's corporate media—live reports ranging from Boston to Beirut. Clarifies crucial information excluded from the corporate press. Locally and globally, people are making sounds of dissent, independent of profit and advertising-driven corporate bias. Contact john@SoundsOfDissent.org or call after the program from 1-2 p.m., 617-552-3511. (In Fall season this program often begins at 10 a.m. preceding a football broadcast.)

7 - 10 p.m. WZBC 90.3 FM: **Caribbean Forum**: Hosted by Joseph Pamphile & friends. Informs, educates & entertains a multi-lingual audience in English, French & Creole. A focus on Caribbean politics & culture & special reference to the causes of political & social unrest & economic disparities in Africa, Latin America & the Third World. Vital information to refugees from the Caribbean basin & bringing the latest in Caribbean news, music & information about relevant events in the Boston area. Contact JPamphile@partners.org

Sundays

6 - 10 a.m. WZBC 90.3 FM: **No-U-Turn Radio**: Stan Robinson, Richard Krasner and Sally Giacosanizio carry on the vibrant tradition that Martin Voelker began, airing the week's public affairs, with substantive analysis from Boston events on: foreign policy toward Colombia, East Timor, Iraq, Chile; our role in global warming; alternatives to "the market"; water scarcity; sweatshop labor; biotechnology; the demonization of children for problems of the adult world.

• National independent news programs *CounterSpin*, *Making Contact*, and *Alternative Radio* also heard Tuesday a.m. on 91.5 FM

CounterSpin. By Fairness and Accuracy in Reporting (FAIR). Exposes angles the major media missed. <http://fair.org/counterspin>

Making Contact. Weekly in-depth analysis that travels beyond the breaking news. <http://radioproject.org>

Alternative Radio: David Barsamian provides information, analyses and views that are frequently ignored or distorted in other media. Established in 1986, AR is dedicated to the founding principles of public broadcasting, which urge that programming serve as "a forum for controversy and debate," be diverse and "provide a voice for groups that may otherwise be unheard." <http://alternativeradio.org>

8 – 9:30 a.m. WMBR 88.1 FM: **Haiti Focus**: Jacques-Antoine Jean. Dedicated to the Haitian community, featuring music & news from Haiti. Interviews & reports on women, immigration laws, health care, education, politics & the current situation in Haiti. Haiti@wmb.org

9:30 – 11 a.m. WMBR 88.1 FM **Radio with a View**: hosted by David Goodman and Marc Stern. Economic democracy, human rights and other left-leaning ideals. Truth, reconciliation and music to get your mind and body in sync. Info: radioview@bigfoot.com

11 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. WMBR 88.1 FM: **What's Left?**: Hosted by Linda Pinkow. Art, activism and anarchy; an eclectic mix of music, news and commentary from a left perspective, covering peace and justice issues in an energetic and entertaining way, weaving live interviews and taped events with topical music and political art. Exploring revolutionary ideas and actions from Boston and the world. Info: news@wmb.mt.edu

6 - 8 p.m. WMFO 91.5 FM: **Anba Tonel Lakay**, Haitian community affairs, music, culture, politics, and news hosted by Yvon Lamour & Jean R. Boisrond. Contact ylamour@aol.com or 617-547-7268.