

Quarterly Programming and Issues Report KCMP KMSE KZIO 2018 Q2

Category	Title	Date Aired	Time Aired	Duration	Description
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Remembering Edwin Starr	4/2/2018	7:44 AM	4:34	The Beach Boys recorded a single that got around; Fleetwood Mac had a No. 1 album; Nirvana recorded in Wisconsin; Gnarl's Barkley charted with downloads; and Edwin Starr passed away, today in Music History.
Lifestyle	Dan Auerbach and the Easy Eye Sound Revue perform in The Current's studio	4/3/2018	5:30 PM	25:40	Ahead of their show at the Palace Theatre, Dan Auerbach and the Easy Eye Sound Revue stopped by The Current to play four songs.
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Happy Birthday to Sebastian Bach	4/3/2018	7:48 AM	5:11	Elvis Presley played on TV; The Marcellas and later, the Temptations, had memorable No. 1 hits; the nascent Sex Pistols opened for Joe Strummer's earlier band; a British music magazine apologized to Morrissey; and Sebastian Bach was born, Today in Music History.
Local arts and culture	New Hot track: Soccer Mommy	4/3/2018	7:33 AM	3:41	New Hot track: Soccer Mommy
Local arts and culture	Rock and Roll Book Club: 'Lemon Jail: On the Road with the Replacements'	4/4/2018	8:35 AM	8:03	Bill Sullivan was a Replacements roadie for years, and his new book 'Lemon Jail' has all the crazy stories you'd expect.
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Remembering MLK through an all-star rock session	4/4/2018	7:45 AM	5:57	The Beatles held the charts hostage; musicians honored Martin Luther King; Wayne's World went to No. 1 and therefore 'Bohemian Rhapsody' climbed the charts again; and a pack of stars did an all-night rock session in honor of MLK, Today in Music History.
Local arts and culture	Derrick Stevens on MLK50	4/4/2018	7:30 AM	5:06	Derrick Stevens on MLK50
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Happy Birthday, Paula Cole	4/5/2018	7:46 AM	4:20	The world united around a single song; R.E.M played their first gig; Kurt Cobain died; and Paula Cole was born, Today in Music History.
Lifestyle	Annie Baxter on Water Month	4/5/2018	7:05 AM	8:55	Annie Baxter on Water Month
Lifestyle	MN Roller Girls on weekend bout	4/5/2018	8:30 AM	4:25	MN Roller Girls on weekend bout
Lifestyle	Lucy Dacus performs in The Current's studio	4/5/2018	12:20 PM	23:55	Lucy Dacus headlined the 7th St Entry on April 4, and the afternoon of the show, she brought her band into The Current's studio to play songs from Historian.
Lifestyle	Margaret Glaspy performs in The Current's studio	4/5/2018	3:00 PM	19:11	In town for a show at First Avenue, Glaspy, along with guitarist Julian Lage, stopped in The Current studio for a session hosted by Mary Lucia.
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Remembering Tammy Wynette	4/6/2018	7:43 AM	4:37	Elvis signed a contract with a film studio; the Beatles got started on 'Revolver'; Simon and Garfunkel had a No. 1 album; ABBA became European stars overnight; and Tammy Wynette passed away, Today in Music History.
Lifestyle	Movie Mister - A Quiet Place	4/6/2018	8:33 AM	5:58	Movie Mister - A Quiet Place
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Remembering Dave Prater	4/9/2018	7:47 AM	2:48	The Righteous Brothers topped the charts; Macca released a big hit; Abba got their first U.S. No. 1; David Bowie had a No. 1 hit in both the U.S. and U.K.; and Dave Prater passed away, Today in Music History.
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Remembering Little Eva	4/10/2018	7:45 AM	5:17	Marvin Gaye recorded a hit; Jim Morrison pulled out all the stops in Boston; Peter Dinklage came alive in the album charts; Kate Bush was awarded a CBE; and Little Eva passed away, Today in Music History.
Local arts and culture	New Hot - Langhorne Slim - Life is Confusing	4/10/2018	7:35 AM	2:39	New Hot - Langhorne Slim - Life is Confusing
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Remembering Stuart Adamson on his birthday	4/11/2018	7:48 AM	4:15	James Brown entered the charts for the first time; Pearl Jam played for SNL; Dylan made his New York debut; and Stuart Adamson was born, Today in Music History.
Lifestyle	Todd Smith on MN Wild poss in playoffs	4/11/2018	7:30 AM	6:30	Todd Smith on MN Wild poss in playoffs
Local arts and culture	Rock and Roll Book Club: 'Lighters in the Sky: The All-Time Greatest Concerts 1960-2	4/11/2018	8:36 AM	9:00	In 'Lighters in the Sky,' music writer Corbin Reiff describes one iconic concert from almost every year of the rock era.
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Remembering Josephine Baker	4/12/2018	7:50 AM	4:00	Ringo Starr and Keith Moon took their turn on the big screen; David Bowie announced his second career retirement; The 5th Dimension started a run at No. 1; and Josephine Baker passed away, Today in Music History.
Local arts and culture	Weekend gig list	4/12/2018	7:37 AM	4:54	Weekend gig list
Lifestyle	Mayor Carter on State of the City Summit	4/12/2018	7:00 AM	8:43	Mayor Carter on State of the City Summit
Local arts and culture	Ellen Stanley on MN Music Coalition	4/12/2018	8:30 AM	6:27	Ellen Stanley on MN Music Coalition
Lifestyle	Durand Jones and the Indications stop by The Current's studios	4/12/2018	11:30 AM	24:16	Although the singing career of Durand Jones began somewhat reluctantly, soul-music outfit Durand Jones and the Indications are now in it for the long haul.
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Pixies return to the stage at the Fine Line	4/13/2018	7:46 AM	6:30	Bobby Goldsboro tugged heartstrings all the way to No. 1; Elton John and Paul McCartney had the No. 1 single and album, respectively; Al Green was born; and the Pixies returned to the stage at the Fine Line, Today in Music History.
Local arts and culture	Nora McInerney on TTFA Life	4/13/2018	9:04 AM	10:20	Nora McInerney on TTFA Life
Local arts and culture	Movie Mister on Beirut	4/13/2018	8:34 AM	5:23	Movie Mister on Beirut
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Happy Birthday, Dave Pirner	4/16/2018	7:47 AM	4:26	Buddy Holly's first single was released; a Led Zeppelin got a gold record; Hutch from Starsky and Hutch had a big hit; Kiss put the makeup back on; composer Henry Mancini was born; and Dave Pirner was born, Today in Music History.
Local arts and culture	New Hot - Dream Wife "Let's Make Out"	4/17/2018	7:36 AM	2:25	New Hot - Dream Wife "Let's Make Out"
Music History and Education	Happy Birthday, Liz Phair.	4/17/2018	7:46 AM	5:27	Happy Birthday, Liz Phair.
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Public Enemy was inducted into the Rock Hall	4/18/2018	7:47 AM	4:44	Michael Jackson got surgery, John Lennon released a cover, 19-year-old Declan McManus played his first show, and Public Enemy was inducted into the Rock Hall, Today in Music History.
Local arts and culture	Shelby J. on Celebration 2018 Prince events	4/18/2018	7:30 AM	8:26	Shelby J. on Celebration 2018 Prince events
Local arts and culture	Rock and Roll Book Club: Two Prince associates share their memories	4/18/2018	8:34 AM	8:25	Rock and Roll Book Club: Two Prince associates share their memories
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Patti Smith released "Because The Night"	4/19/2018	7:50 AM	2:31	Simon and Garfunkel reunited; Madison Square Garden didn't know Young from Dylan; Patti Smith put out her biggest hit; and Bernie Worrell was born, Today in Music History.
Local arts and culture	Megan Mullally / Nancy and Beth	4/19/2018	8:30 AM	4:39	Megan Mullally / Nancy and Beth
Local arts and culture	Weekend gig list	4/19/2018	7:36 AM	5:31	Weekend gig list

Lifestyle	L7 stop by The Current Studio	4/19/2018	5:30 PM	21:26	In town for a show at First Avenue in Minneapolis, L7 — guitarist and lead vocalist Sparks, along with bassist Jennifer Finch, guitarist Suzi Gardner and drummer Demetra Plakas — stopped at The Current for a session hosted by Mary Lucia.
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: 'American Idiot' opens on Broadway	4/20/2018	7:47 AM	6:14	Today in Music History: 'American Idiot' opens on Broadway
Lifestyle	Movie Mister and Anna Reed on I Feel Pretty	4/20/2018	8:32 AM	7:57	Movie Mister and Anna Reed on I Feel Pretty
Lifestyle	Lord Huron performs in The Current studio	4/22/2018	1:30 PM	19:19	Before their show at the Palace Theatre, Schneider, along with bandmates Misty Boyce (keys, vocals), Miguel Briseño (bass), Brandon Walters (guitar, vocals), Tom Renaud (guitar, vocals) and Mary Barry (drums), visited The Current for a session hosted by Sean McPherson.
Lifestyle	Phoebe Bridgers stops by The Current's studios	4/23/2018	11:30 AM	25:08	In town for a sold-out show at the Turf Club, Bridgers and her band & stopped at The Current for a session hosted by Jade.
Music History and Education	The Rolling Stones released 'Sticky Fingers'; the Ramones released their debut album	4/23/2018	7:42 AM	5:23	The Rolling Stones released 'Sticky Fingers'; the Ramones released their debut album; David Gedge of the Wedding Present gets some birthday presents; Roy Orbison was born; and Johnny Thunders of The New York Dolls passed away, Today in Music History.
Lifestyle	Calexico make a stop in The Current's studios	4/23/2018	3:30 PM	17:34	Much as the album has been described, today's conversation was also freewheeling, covering everything from Joey Burns' high school band names to his record collection to his fan letter to the Go-Go's.
Lifestyle	Bedouine performs in The Current studio	4/23/2018	7:01 PM	20:51	Now with a critically acclaimed debut album and a spot opening for Waxahatchee and Hurray For The Riff Raff, Bedouine stopped at The Current studio for a session hosted by Mark Wheat.
Lifestyle	Khruangbin perform in The Current studio	4/23/2018	11:05 PM	24:37	In St. Paul for a show at the Turf Club, Khruangbin stopped at The Current for a session hosted by David Safar.
Music History and Education	Bob Dylan gets \$50 for session work; Del Shannon had a hit with 'Runaway'; New Or	4/24/2018	7:47 AM	4:28	Bob Dylan gets \$50 for session work; Del Shannon had a hit with 'Runaway'; New Order began recording their first album; David Bowie and Iman got married; Ray Charles' version of 'Georgia On My Mind' was proclaimed the state song of Georgia, and Bowie married Iman, Today in Music History.
Local arts and culture	New Hot track of the week	4/24/2018	7:33 AM	2:23	New Hot track of the week
Local arts and culture	"Creative Quest" by Questlove	4/25/2018	8:33 AM	7:42	"Creative Quest" by Questlove
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Remembering Otis Spann	4/25/2018	7:44 AM	5:03	Today in Music History: Remembering Otis Spann
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Happy 80th birthday to Duane Eddy	4/26/2018	7:49 AM	2:02	Today in Music History: Happy 80th birthday to Duane Eddy
Local arts and culture	Mike Novitzki on Duluth Homegrown Festival	4/26/2018	8:32 AM	8:36	Mike Novitzki on Duluth Homegrown Festival
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Happy 70th birthday to Kate Pierson of The B-52's	4/27/2018	7:43 AM	6:10	Little Peggy March had a No. 1 hit at age 15; Ringo Starr got married; Oasis packed Man City's old ground; an iconic radio voice was born; Joe Cocker was feelin' alright on national television; and Kate Pierson, Today in Music History.
Lifestyle	Movie Maven on Avengers new movie	4/27/2018	8:31 AM	6:47	Movie Maven on Avengers new movie
Local arts and culture	Black-Eyed Snakes perform in The Current studio	4/29/2018	7:19 PM	23:06	Andrea Swensson and Mike Novitzki discuss with Black-Eyed Snakes how the band formed, what happens when seasons shift in Duluth, and how Sparhawk hears spirituality in music.
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Remembering Bobby Vee on his birthday	4/30/2018	7:41 AM	4:05	Elvis got the whole cell block dancing; The Young Rascals were lovin' it; The Who's Keith Moon probably didn't earn any hotel points; Michael Jackson and Eddie Van Halen paired up for a big hit; and Minnesota-based 1960s pop icon was born, Today in Music History.
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Minnesota man pretends to be David Gilmour	5/1/2018	7:44 AM	3:32	The Clash launched their first U.K. tour; The Stones released 'Brown Sugar'; the Carpenters performed in the White House; the man who immortalized the phrase 'who you gonna call?' was born; and a Minnesota man pretended to be David Gilmour at a hospital, Today in Music History.
Local arts and culture	New Hot track of the week: CHVRCHES featuring Matt Berninger of The National. It	5/1/2018	7:34 AM	2:27	Today in Music History: Minnesota man pretends to be David Gilmour
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Remembering Lesley Gore on her birthday	5/2/2018	7:43 AM	4:27	Lesley Gore was born; Keith Richards fell out of a coconut tree; The Who played without Keith Moon; Brian Wilson halted the production of Smile; and Michael Jackson pulled some jewelry store hijinks, Today in Music History.
Local arts and culture	Rock and Roll Book Club: Steven Hyden's 'Twilight of the Gods'	5/2/2018	8:31 AM	9:30	In 'Twilight of the Gods,' Steven Hyden writes a gen-X requiem for classic rock.
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Remembering James Brown on his birthday	5/3/2018	7:43 AM	5:29	Oasis got dissed by a bank; Metallica sent hate mail to Napster; the Godfather of Soul was born; and The Hollies recorded 'Carrie Anne', Today in Music History.
Local arts and culture	Minnesota Monthly on their Music Issue	5/3/2018	7:00 AM	4:43	Minnesota Monthly on their Music Issue
Local arts and culture	Ben Kyle from Romantica on upcoming Fitz show	5/3/2018	8:30 AM	5:08	Ben Kyle from Romantica on upcoming Fitz show
Local arts and culture	Weekend gig list	5/3/2018	6:33 AM	4:09	Weekend gig list
Lifestyle	Tom Weber on Mental Health initiative	5/4/2018	7:07 AM	8:39	Tom Weber on Mental Health initiative
Lifestyle	Movie Mister on Tully	5/4/2018	8:31 AM	6:47	Movie Mister on Tully
Music History and Education	Music News: George Harrison's first electric guitar going up for auction	5/4/2018	7:44 AM	3:23	Today's top music news stories include George Harrison's first guitar going up for auction, Ric Ocasek splitting from Paulina Porizkova, and time for memorials to come down at George Michael's former homes.
Lifestyle	Naked Giants perform in The Current studio	5/4/2018	11:12 AM	22:25	In town for a show at the Turf Club in St. Paul, Naked Giants stopped at The Current for a session hosted by Jade.
Lifestyle	The Decemberists Live from The Palace Theatre	5/4/2018	9:00 PM	60:58	The Current airs The Decemberists' performance at the Palace Theatre.
Lifestyle	Trampled by Turtles Live From The Palace Theatre	5/5/2018	10:20 PM	60:00	The Current airs Trampled by Turtles performance at the Palace Theatre.
Local arts and culture	Roma Di Luna stop by The Current studio	5/6/2018	7:13 PM	22:29	Roma Di Luna sat down for an interview with Andrea Swensson that covered the band's sense of healing, Channy Leaneagh's "oldest and best friends," and Alexei Casselle's feeling that the band "would come together again."
Lifestyle	Dr. Dog Live from the Palace Theatre	5/6/2018	9:15 PM	1:44:01	The Current airs Dr. Dog's performance at the Palace Theatre.
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Style Council made their debut	5/7/2018	7:43 AM	3:06	Roma Di Luna sat down for an interview with Andrea Swensson that covered the band's sense of healing, Channy Leaneagh's "oldest and best friends," and Alexei Casselle's feeling that the band "would come together again."

Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Remembering Eddy Arnold	5/8/2018	7:43 AM	4:44	The Beatles released 'Let It Be'; John Sebastian had a hit from a TV show; 'Chariots of Fire' raced up the charts; a whole bunch of drummers celebrate birthdays; and Eddy Arnold passed away, Today in Music History.
Local arts and culture	New Hot track of the week: Childish Gambino "This is America"	5/8/2018	7:34 AM	2:31	New Hot track of the week: Childish Gambino "This is America"
Local arts and culture	Rock and Roll Book Club: Dave Grohl's mom meets her peers	5/9/2018	8:30 AM	6:45	In 'From Cradle to Stage,' Virginia Hanlon Grohl talks with some of her fellow rock-star moms.
Local arts and culture	Mason Jennings is out of the woods with new music	5/9/2018	7:30 AM	6:17	On Friday, May 11, Mason Jennings releases his new album, 'Songs From When We Met,' which was recorded in the woods near Eau Claire, Wis. Jennings, who describes it as an album about love and healing, stopped by The Current to talk to Brian Oake and Jill Riley about what inspired this output of new music.
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: MN department stores refused to stock 'Lovesexy'	5/9/2018	7:43 AM	4:19	Dave Gahan was born; The Beatles check out new artist Bob Dylan; Peter Gabriel released his first commercially successful album; Jimmy Page appeared on Saturday Night Live with P. Diddy; and Minnesota department stores refuse Prince, Today in Music History.
Lifestyle	Chuck Kanski on Rose event	5/9/2018	6:45 AM	5:20	Chuck Kanski on Rose event
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Weezer released 'The Blue Album'	5/10/2018	7:48 AM	4:39	Pet Shop Boys were No.1; Bono was born; The Turtles visited the White House; and Weezer released 'The Blue Album', Today in Music History.
Local arts and culture	Weekend gig list	5/10/2018	7:36 AM	6:24	Weekend gig list
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Remembering Bob Marley	5/11/2018	7:50 AM	2:37	Roger Miller sang about trailers for sale or rent; concert highlights from Woodstock comprised a triple album; Elvis and Led Zeppelin spent some quality time together; and Bob Marley passed away, Today in Music History.
Local arts and culture	John Maus stops by The Current's Studios	5/13/2018	7:19 PM	23:07	He grew up in Austin, Minnesota, and he's been back for about seven years. Recently, synthesizer icon John Maus stopped by The Current to perform "Episode," "Touchdown," "Pure Rockets," and "Quantum Leap."
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Bo Diddley released his debut single	5/14/2018	7:50 AM	3:20	Bo Diddley released his debut single; John Lennon and Paul McCartney appeared on NBC's 'The Tonight Show'; Brian Eno first heard Talking Heads; and Frank Sinatra passed away, Today in Music History.
Local arts and culture	New Hot - Tracey Thorn "Queen"	5/15/2018	7:38 AM	3:48	New Hot - Tracey Thorn "Queen"
Music History and Education	Today in 1986, Run-DMC released their third album 'Raising Hell' featuring the group	5/15/2018	7:49 AM	4:02	Today in 1986, Run-DMC released their third album 'Raising Hell' featuring the groundbreaking rap reworking of "Walk This Way."
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: The Beach Boys released 'Pet Sounds'	5/16/2018	7:51 AM	5:19	The Beach Boys released 'Pet Sounds'; Patti Smith played music in the UK; Keith Richards had an accident; and Nirvana's Krist Novoselic and Janet Jackson were born, Today in Music History.
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Remembering Chris Cornell	5/17/2018	7:48 AM	4:44	Donna Summer and Chris Cornell passed away; Bob Dylan appeared at the first Monterey Folk Festival; Joni Mitchell covered Rolling Stone; and Josh Homme was born, Today in Music History.
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Remembering Ian Curtis	5/18/2018	7:43 AM	4:31	Ian Curtis died; Ray Stevens enjoyed a short 'streak' on the charts with a novelty song; Gary Busey played Buddy Holly in a popular film; the Ting Tings topped the British charts with 'That's Not My Name'; and Devo co-founder Mark Mothersbaugh was born in Akron, Ohio, Today in Music History.
Lifestyle	Movie Mister: Deadpool 2	5/18/2018	8:34 AM	8:02	Movie Mister: Deadpool 2
Lifestyle	Lake Street Dive perform in The Current studio	5/18/2018	3:30 PM	21:29	In town for a sold-out show at the Palace Theatre, Lake Street Dive — drummer Calabrese, vocalist Rachael Price, bassist Bridgette Kearney, keyboardist Akie Bemiss and guitarist Mike "McDuck" Olson — stopped at The Current's studio for a session hosted by Mac Wilson.
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Happy Birthday, Kevin Shields	5/21/2018	7:43 AM	4:18	Kevin Shields was born; Stevie Wonder recorded his second album; Dusty Springfield released a song that would be a hit; Elton John toured the Soviet Union; Joe Strummer got arrested in Germany; and Adele rolled to the top of the singles charts, Today in Music History.
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: 'Sticky Fingers' hit No. 1	5/22/2018	7:46 AM	3:55	Jerry Lee Lewis started an ill-fated U.K. tour; Paul McCartney had a 'silly' song go to No. 1; the Boss set a record for number of consecutive concerts at a single arena; and the Rolling Stones had an album that stuck at No. 1 for four weeks, Today in Music History.
Local arts and culture	New Hot: Manchester Orchestra "The Moth"	5/22/2018	7:32 AM	2:57	New Hot: Manchester Orchestra "The Moth"
Local arts and culture	Gary Louris on The Jayhawks' new single "Everybody knows"	5/22/2018	9:03 AM	10:20	Gary Louris on The Jayhawks' new single "Everybody knows"
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: The Grateful Dead performed at the Hollywood Rock Music	5/23/2018	7:42 AM	4:31	The Grateful Dead performed their first concert outside of North America, Smashing Pumpkins called it quits, Noel Gallagher walked out on Oasis, and The Beatles invented the music video, Today in Music History.
Local arts and culture	Rock and Roll Book Club: 'Gold Dust Woman: The Biography of Stevie Nicks'	5/23/2018	8:30 AM	9:23	As Stevie Nicks turns 70, her reputation as one of rock's true visionaries continues to rise. A recent biography provides a sympathetic, competent overview of her life and career.
Local arts and culture	Weekend gig list	5/24/2018	7:42 AM	3:52	Weekend gig list
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Happy Birthday, Rosanne Cash	5/24/2018	7:29 AM	4:19	Jazz great Duke Ellington passed away, Freddie Mercury was honored, and Rosanne Cash and Bob Dylan were born, Today in Music History.
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Happy 60th Birthday, Paul Weller	5/25/2018	7:42 AM	5:21	Paul Weller was born, The West Side Story soundtrack went No. 1, George Lucas' space opera Star Wars debuted in theaters, and The Hollies recorded "He Ain't Heavy, He's My Brother", Today in Music History.
Lifestyle	Movie Maven: Solo	5/25/2018	8:29 AM	5:52	Movie Maven: Solo
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Remembering Jeff Buckley, who disappeared today in 1997.	5/29/2018	7:44 AM	2:41	Ray Charles won a Grammy Award for Best Rhythm & Blues Recording; The Beach Boys started a two week run at No.1 on the U.S. singles chart with "Help Me Rhonda"; Elvis walked off stage; and Jeff Buckley went missing, Today in Music History.
Local arts and culture	New Hot: Courtney Barnett "Need a Little"	5/29/2018	7:32 AM	2:03	New Hot: Courtney Barnett "Need a Little"

Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Happy Birthday, Tom Morello	5/30/2018	7:44 AM	3:26	A Beastie Boy got arrested; Morrissey played his first solo gig in the U.S.; The Beatles began working on 'The White Album'; The Black Crowes' debut 'The Southern Harmony and Musical Companion'; and Tom Morello was born, Today in Music History.
Local arts and culture	Rock and Roll Book Club: Robert Hilburn's 'Paul Simon: The Life'	5/30/2018	8:30 AM	9:56	Paul Simon sat for over 100 hours of interviews for Robert Hilburn's new biography. Why didn't Simon just write a memoir himself? 'I'm not drawn to making big observations,' he told Hilburn.
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Death Cab For Cutie's 'Narrow Stairs' hits No. 1	5/31/2018	7:45 AM	3:56	Filming began on The Monkees first TV series; The BBC announced a ban on the Sex Pistols' "God Save The Queen"; The Theme From M*A*S*H* (Suicide Is Painless) was at No. 1; The Who performed the loudest concert in history; and D.M.C. was born, Today in Music History.
Local arts and culture	Weekend gig list	5/31/2018	7:31 AM	3:30	Weekend gig list
Lifestyle	Stephen Malkmus and the Jicks performs in The Current studio	5/31/2018	3:30 PM	20:21	Having released their latest album, Sparkle Hard, on May 18, Stephen Malkmus and the Jicks are in town to play a sold-out show at the Turf Club in St. Paul. Before the show, Malkmus and company stopped at The Current for a session hosted by Mary Lucia.
Lifestyle	Parquet Courts perform in The Current studio	5/31/2018	7:02 PM	11:39	In town for a show on Thursday night at the Fine Line in Minneapolis, Parquet Courts — Andrew Savage along with drummer Max Savage, bassist Sean Yeaton and guitarist Austin Brown — stopped at The Current studio for a session hosted by Mark Wheat.
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Happy Birthday, Brandi Carlile	6/1/2018	7:45 AM	4:39	The Stones kicked off their biggest U.S. tour to date; Prince and the Revolution had a No. 1 album; Vampire Weekend went to No. 1 in the album charts; Jack White got married in an exotic location; and Brandi Carlile was born, Today in Music History.
Lifestyle	Movie Mister on First Reformed	6/1/2018	8:31 AM	7:00	Movie Mister on First Reformed
Lifestyle	Field Report perform in The Current studio	6/2/2018	2:26 PM	25:01	Field Report visited St. Paul for a show at the Turf Club, but not before they stopped at The Current for a session hosted by Bill DeVille.
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: A 'Heartbreak Hotel' trifecta	6/4/2018	7:47 AM	1:44	Capitol Records was founded; the Monkees won an Emmy; the Stones earned royalties in Russia; Springsteen released 'Born in the U.S.A.'; and Elvis topped three charts simultaneously with 'Heartbreak Hotel', Today in Music History.
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: U2 plays Red Rocks	6/5/2018	7:48 AM	4:18	Today in 1983, during a 48-date North American tour, U2 played the show that was released as 'U2 Live At Red Rocks: Under A Blood Red Sky'.
Local arts and culture	New Hot - Gorillaz "Humanity"	6/5/2018	7:34 AM	3:06	New Hot - Gorillaz "Humanity"
Lifestyle	Eels perform in The Current studio	6/5/2018	3:32 PM	20:36	In town to play a show at First Avenue, E and The Chet (aka Jeff Lyster) of Eels stopped at The Current for a session hosted by Mary Lucia.
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Happy Birthday, Carl Barat	6/6/2018	7:46 AM	5:04	The Rolling Stones change a lyric for Robert Kennedy; The Beatles stepped into Abbey Road studios for the first time; Roy Orbison put out his first major hit; David Bowie released 'Ziggy Stardust'; and Carl Barat was born, Today in Music History.
Local arts and culture	Rock and Roll Book Club: Duncan Hannah's '20th Century Boy'	6/6/2018	8:34 AM	6:57	Duncan Hannah left Minnesota for New York in 1971. He kept diaries, now collected in '20th Century Boy,' that chronicled his interactions with the likes of Television, Talking Heads, and Nico.
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: The Sex Pistols mock the Queen	6/7/2018	7:45 AM	4:35	Radiohead's guitarist played too hard; The Who opened their rock opera; Bret Michaels had a run-in with his set; we remember Prince on an important occasion; and The Sex Pistols mock the Queen, Today in Music History.
Local arts and culture	Weekend gig list	6/7/2018	7:33 AM	4:14	Weekend gig list
Lifestyle	Caroline Rose performs in The Current studio	6/7/2018	11:19 AM	22:25	Caroline Rose stopped by The Current studio to perform a few tracks and chat with Jade ahead of her 7th Street Entry show in Minneapolis.
Music History and Education	60 Essential Prince Songs	6/7/2018	12:01 PM	5:49:00	In honor of this monumental anniversary, The Current is honoring Prince's life with a playlist of 60 Essential Prince Songs, hand-picked and hosted by our staff.
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Happy Birthday, Nancy Sinatra	6/8/2018	7:42 AM	5:14	Deep Purple had their gear impounded by East German police; Zeppelin had a No. 1 album; Dolly Parton's "I Will Always Love You" was at No. 1 on the U.S. country charts; and Nancy Sinatra was born, Today in Music History.
Lifestyle	Movie Maven - Hereditary	6/8/2018	8:34 AM	6:05	Movie Maven - Hereditary
Lifestyle	Liz Phair Theft of the Dial	6/8/2018	11:13 AM	44:54	Phair is currently on tour in support of the rereleased Exile in Guyville, and before her show at the Turf Club in St. Paul, she stopped at The Current for a Theft of the Dial, taking over the airwaves from Jade.
Local arts and culture	Dwynell Roland performs in The Current studio	6/10/2018	7:13 PM	17:31	Dwynell Roland went through a lot between the releases of his project The Popular Nobody and latest album Young Roland. Two years and a break-up marked the gap — but the rapper has some great music to show for it.
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Bowie launches 'Space Oddity'	6/11/2018	7:42 AM	4:33	Hank Williams made his Grand Ole Opry debut; Joe Strummer and Topper Headon faced charges of stealing a pillowcase; the Sex Pistols dissed HRH on her Silver Jubilee; and David Bowie's 'Space Oddity' blasted off, Today in Music History.
Lifestyle	Okkervil River perform in the Current studio	6/11/2018	5:33 PM	22:57	In town for a show at the Turf Club in St. Paul, Okkervil River — comprising Sheff along with Cully Symington (percussion), Will Graefe (guitar), Sarah Pedinotti (keys) and Benjamin Lazar Davis (bass) — stopped at The Current for a session hosted by Mary Lucia.
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Remembering Brad Delp of Boston	6/12/2018	7:42 AM	6:17	The Stones released 'Satisfaction'; The Supremes achieved a milestone; Jerry Lee Lewis was shakin' his way up the charts; Price won a Webby; the soundtrack to Quentin Tarantino's 'Pulp Fiction' entered the Billboard Top 50; and Brad Delp was born, Today in Music History.
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Alanis Morissette released 'Jagged Little Pill'	6/13/2018	7:49 AM	4:54	Alanis Morissette released 'Jagged Little Pill'; The Stones introduced their newest member; The Beatles released their final single; and The Cars released 'Candy-O', Today in Music History.

Local arts and culture	Rock and Roll Book Club: 'The World's Greatest Music Festival Challenge'	6/13/2018	8:35 AM	9:22	The World's Greatest Music Festival Challenge' asks readers to find legendary artists hiding in illustrations of festivals like Woodstock, Newport, and Glastonbury.
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Patsy Cline tops the charts	6/14/2018	7:47 AM	4:32	Boy George was born; Paul McCartney wrote the most recorded song; Dylan recorded his electric sound; and Patsy Cline topped the charts, Today in Music History.
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: 'Sukiyaki' went No. 1	6/15/2018	7:44 AM	5:28	Kyu Sakamoto started a three-week run at No. 1 with "Sukiyaki,"; The Doors played in Minneapolis; Dire Straits topped the album charts; Nirvana released their debut album; the world said goodbye to Ella Fitzgerald; and the Beastie Boys hosted the Tibetan Freedom Concert, Today in Music History.
Lifestyle	Movie Mister on Won't You Be My Neighbor	6/15/2018	8:33 AM	8:51	Movie Mister on Won't You Be My Neighbor
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Fleetwood Mac goes No. 1 with 'Dreams'	6/18/2018	7:42 AM	3:02	Columbia Records started producing the LP; Abba performed for the King of Sweden and his soon-to-be queen; Fleetwood Mac hit No. 1 with 'Dreams'; and Sir Paul McCartney celebrates a birthday, Today in Music History.
Local arts and culture	New Hot - Ladytron "The Animals"	6/19/2018	7:34 AM	4:37	New Hot - Ladytron "The Animals"
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: 'The Rocky Horror Picture Show' opened in London	6/19/2018	7:46 AM	4:50	The Four Tops helped themselves to a No. 1 hit; Carole King continued a tapestry of hit singles; the 'Rocky Horror Picture Show' opened in London's West End; Prince began a string of 12 sold-out Wembley gigs; and singer-songwriter Nick Drake was born Today in Music History.
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Remembering Chet Atkins	6/20/2018	7:46 AM	5:31	Chet Atkins was born; David Bowie recorded "Space Oddity"; Neil Diamond appeared on the 20th anniversary show of American Bandstand; Brian Wilson and Lionel Richie were born; and Neil Young's "Cinnamon Girl" went Gold, Today in Music History.
Local arts and culture	Rock and Roll Book Club: 'David Bowie Made Me Gay'	6/20/2018	8:31 AM	8:12	Darryl W. Bullock's 'David Bowie Made Me Gay' chronicles the history of LGBT music in the recorded era. It's a must-read for music fans during Pride month.
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Happy Birthday, Lana Del Rey	6/21/2018	7:43 AM	3:58	Lana Del Rey was born; Jimmy Page made his live debut with The Yardbirds; it was the Summer of Love; Little Richard received a star on the Hollywood Walk of Fame; John Lee Hooker died; and Joey Molland was born, Today in Music History.
Lifestyle	Justin Levy on body positivity t shirts	6/21/2018	8:30 AM	4:35	Justin Levy on body positivity t shirts
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Happy Birthday, Cyndi Lauper	6/22/2018	7:41 AM	5:47	Judy Garland passed away; Billy Joel became the first rock artist to perform at Yankee Stadium; The Artist Formally Known As Prince announced he wanted to be known as Prince again; Cyndi Lauper was born; and Stevie Wonder entered the charts at age 13, Today in Music History.
Lifestyle	Euan Kerr on Jurassic World	6/22/2018	8:30 AM	6:19	Euan Kerr on Jurassic World
Local arts and culture	Louie Anderson pulls back the curtain on his creative projects	6/22/2018	7:00 AM	11:04	St. Paul native Louie Anderson is so busy -- with his hit series 'Baskets' on FX, with a new book, a new comedy special and a string of standup shows -- but he still found time to stop by Oake & Riley in the Morning to share some stories with Brian and Jill. 'It's a magnificent love and responsibility to make people laugh,' Anderson says.
Lifestyle	Frank Turner performs in The Current studio	6/22/2018	3:34 PM	21:20	Ahead of the show, Turner, along with his Sleeping Souls bandmate Matt Nasir, stopped in The Current studio for a session hosted by Mac Wilson.
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Happy Birthday, Tim Finn	6/25/2018	7:44 AM	4:00	Jackie Wilson kept on singing; Marvin Gaye has his third No. 1 single; 'Flashdance' hit No. 1 in the album charts; Prince released the 'Purple Rain' album; Debbie Gibson made chart history; Michael Jackson passed away; and Tim Finn was born, Today in Music History.
Lifestyle	Brooklyn's Bodega tear it up in The Current studio	6/25/2018	2:33 PM	21:49	The Brooklyn five-piece stopped into The Current's studio, where Mary Lucia welcomed them ahead of their show at the Turf Club in St. Paul.
Local arts and culture	New Hot - Amy Shark "I said hi"	6/26/2018	7:34 AM	2:01	New Hot - Amy Shark "I said hi"
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Happy birthday, Mick Jones	6/26/2018	7:42 AM	5:09	The U.S. version of 'A Hard Day's Night' was released; the Byrds hit No. 1 with a Bob Dylan cover; Elvis Presley played his final stage show; and Mick Jones of the Clash, Big Audio Dynamite and Carbon/Silicon turns 63, Today in Music History.
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Black Flag played their final gig	6/27/2018	7:45 AM	4:10	MCA bought Motown Records; The Who's bass player was chosen as the best; The Jackson 5 was at the top of the charts with "The Love You Save"; Black Flag played their final gig, and Bobby Womack passed away, Today in Music History.
Local arts and culture	Rock and Roll Book Club: Seymour Stein's 'Siren Song'	6/27/2018	8:30 AM	8:00	Seymour Stein's 'Siren Song' advertises itself as 'the autobiography of America's greatest living record man: spotter of rock talent from the Ramones to Madonna.'
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Radiohead hits No. 1 in the U.K. with 'OK Computer'	6/28/2018	7:47 AM	2:58	Radiohead were No. 1, Pink Floyd's 'Dark Side of the Moon' spent its 1056th week on the charts, Bowie's "Fame" was released Today in Music History.
Local arts and culture	Weekend gig list	6/28/2018	7:34 AM	5:56	Weekend gig list
Local arts and culture	Duluth Mayor Emily Larson on Rolling Stone article about Duluth	6/28/2018	8:30 AM	6:52	Duluth Mayor Emily Larson on Rolling Stone article about Duluth
Lifestyle	Sunflower Bean perform in The Current's studio	6/29/2018	3:31 PM	22:33	In between lovely, tight rock songs, Sunflower Bean talked with Mac Wilson about musical timelessness, Orson Welles, and the feeling that "every day is a crisis fest."
Music History and Education	Today in Music History: Remembering Little Eva	6/29/2018	7:44 AM	4:53	The Jimi Hendrix Experience played their final show together; Elton John crashed a concert in Oakland, Calif.; Bruce Springsteen kicked off a 15-month tour (and filmed a music video) in St. Paul, Minn.; and Little Eva was born, Today in Music History.
Lifestyle	Movie Maven - Damsel	6/29/2018	8:34 AM	6:13	Movie Maven - Damsel