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## WGLT-89.1FM Week at a Glance

| Sunday                                    |          | Monday  | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday                            | Saturday       |                                    |  |
|---|----------|---|---------|-----------|----------|-----------------------------------|----------------|------------------------------------|--|
| Hearts of Space                           | 5:00 AM  | Morning Edition<br>with<br>Kevin Conlin and Bob Edwards                       |         |           |          |                                   | 5:00 AM        | State Week                         |  |
| Music for a New Day<br>with<br>John Konya | 6:00     |   |         |           |          |                                   | 6:00           | Crossroads                         |  |
| Sunday Concert                            | 8:00     | Classical and Contemporary Music<br>with<br>Eric Hradecky and Bruce Bergethon |         |           |          |                                   | 8:00           | Weekend Ed.<br>with<br>Scott Simon |  |
|   |          |   |         |           |          |                                   | 8:00           | Jazz Waves<br>with Bruce Bergethon |  |
|   | 12:00 PM |   |         |           |          |                                   | 12:00 PM       | Blues with<br>Marc Boon            |  |
| All Things Considered                     | 4:00     | All Things Considered<br>from<br>National Public Radio                        |         |           |          |                                   | 4:00           | All Things Considered              |  |
| Car Talk                                  | 5:00     |   |         |           |          |                                   | 5:00           | WGLT Local News                    |  |
| Past is...                                | 6:00     | Fresh Air with<br>Terry Gross   |         |           |          |                                   | 6:00           | Whad' Ya Know                      |  |
| State Week                                | 7:00     |   |         |           |          |                                   | 7:00           | Night Music                        |  |
| Night Music                               | 8:00     | Classical Music   |         |           |          | Night Music                       | 8:00           | Riders...                          |  |
|   | 9:00     |   |         |           |          | 9:00                              | Babbitt        |                                    |  |
|   | 10:00    | Night Music   |         |           |          |                                   | 10:00          | Sidran on Record                   |  |
|   | 11:00    |   |         |           |          |                                   | 10:00          | Le Jazz Club                       |  |
|   | 12:00 AM | New Sounds with<br>John Schaefer  |         |           |          | Rhythm and Blues<br>w/Frank Black | 11:00          | Afropop                            |  |
| New Sounds                                | 12:00 AM |   |         |           |          | 12:00 AM                          | Brazilian Hour |                                    |  |
|   |          |   |         |           |          |                                   | 12:00 AM       | Hearts of Space                    |  |

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Dear Friend of WGLT,

With hopes you enjoyed a memorable holiday season, WGLT joins in welcoming you to 1989. This promises to be a very interesting year at 89.1FM. As General Manager Ben Paxton indicated in our December program guide, the staff at WGLT has undertaken major reconsiderations of our program service during the last several months. For us it has been a sobering and exciting process which we expect to bear fruit this year. Stay tuned.

More immediately, and as you may have already noticed by the time you read this, the WGLT schedule has undergone some considerable changes as of this month. Two of our most recent additions to our Monday thru Friday service, Fresh Air and New Sounds appear at new times as of January 2. New Sounds moves to a midnight broadcast time, Sunday thru Thursday, and Fresh Air will follow, rather than precede, All Things Considered and the WGLT Evening News, at 6 pm. Please note that we have also decided to bring you the entire hour of Fresh Air, thanks to the many positive comments we have received about the half-hour version that debuted on WGLT in the fall.

Two of our weekend speciality shows -- Blues and New Age -- have also moved as of the first week of January. The (formerly) Sunday night blues programs with Frank Black and Marc Boon, two of our most popular offerings, will be coming your way on Friday night and Saturday afternoon, respectively. Music from the Hearts of Space and Music for a New Day will move from Saturday evening to early Sunday, as a peaceful way to wake up on a day of rest. In place of these shows Saturday at 5 pm is another unique public radio offering: Whad' Ya Know with Michael Feldman, moving over from Friday nights.

Following Whad' Ya Know on Saturday nights will be a number of new additions to WGLT's program service. At 7 pm we will bring you some of the inimitable Riders in the Sky blend of cowboy humor and western swing in a series called Riders Radio Theatre; at 7:30 pm an all-star cast of actors led by Ed Asner in a serialized dramatization of Babbitt. At 8 pm, we return to jazz with Sidran on Record at a new time, followed at 9 pm by Le Jazz Club from Paris, a series bringing you top American and European jazz ensembles recorded live on the Left Bank. Then, from 10 pm to midnight, is the best of contemporary world music -- Afropop at 10 pm and The Brazilian Hour at 11 pm.

Finally, we have made a few adjustments to our weekend news and information programs. So as to bring you earlier jazz on Saturday mornings, we will begin at 5 am with State Week in Review, continue with a new magazine program called Crossroads at 5:30 am, and air Weekend Edition from 6 to 8 am.

I know some of these changes will be disorienting at first, but we think they will make for better, more consistent listening in the long run. The accompanying chart outlines the new schedule in a more visual format which we hope you will find helpful. If you have questions or concerns about the reasoning behind the changes, I would be happy to discuss them with you at 438-8955 weekdays, or write to: WGLT, 310 Media Center, ISU, Normal, Il. 61761.

Bruce Bergethon, Program Director

P.S. -- Due to time constraints brought on by the holidays, we were unable to publish our usual program guide this month. But fear not! The regular program guide will return next month.