



Boston's Independent News Radio

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

NEW time: *Democracy Now!* every weekday, 1-2 p.m., 90.3 FM - WZBC **Free Speech Radio News every weekday, 6 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 617-623-8IMC (-8462). **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 Chuck Rosina or Linda Pinkow, news@wmbr.mit.edu

WMFO 91.5 FM (at Tufts University, Medford)

617-627-3800 during programs, <http://wmfo.org> . Contact Martin Voelker, radio@nouturn.org

WZBC 90.3 FM (at Boston College, Newton)

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

Allston-Brighton Free Radio is heard in two ways aside from their Webcast from <http://www.abfreeradio.org>

1. on 1670 AM for those living in the Allston and Brighton neighborhoods (low power "Part 15" broadcast)

2. on WJIB 740 AM only on Saturdays from 9 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. during a slate of public affairs programs.

<http://www.abfreeradio.org> . Contact 617-254-2728. 451 Cambridge Street, Allston, MA 02134

Use the list above to tune in these programs. Schedule ideas? Contact John Grebe, JGrebe@IndyMedia.org, 617-623-8462

Mondays

1 - 2 p.m. WZBC 90.3 FM: **Democracy Now!** daily news with Amy Goodman. Get involved: write News@WZBC.org

6 - 6:30 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/>

6:30 - 8 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

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6:30 - 8 p.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

Wednesdays

8:00 **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>

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Thursdays

7 - 9 a.m. WMFO 91.5 FM: **No U-turn Radio**: Hosted by Martin Voelker. (Also *new* on WZBC Sun. 6-8 am) 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>

National independent news programs *CounterSpin*, *Making Contact*, and *Radio Nation* are also featured during 7-9 a.m.

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

Making Contact. Weekly investigative journalism and in-depth analysis that travels beyond the breaking news. Rarely heard voices focus on the human realities of politics and the creative ways people engage in hopeful democratic change. <http://radioproject.org>

Radio Nation offers interviews from *The Nation* magazine, the U.S.'s oldest news weekly. <http://radionation.org>

9 - 11 a.m. WMFO 91.5 FM: **Promethean Commentary & Jazz**: Hank Faunce's decades of experience with politics & dixie-land era jazz.

1 - 2 p.m. WZBC 90.3 FM: **Democracy Now!** daily news with Amy Goodman. Get involved: write News@WZBC.org

6 - 6:30 p.m. WMBR 88.1 FM: **Local News** and interviews hosted by Linda Pinkow and the News Department. Contact news@wmbr.mit.edu

Fridays

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6:30 - 8 p.m. WMBR 88.1 FM: **No Censorship Radio**: Hosted by Linda Pinkow and Chuck Rosina. 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@wmbr.mit.edu

Saturdays

12 noon - 2 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 JGrebe@TecsChange.org or call after the program from 2-3 p.m., 617-552-3511. (Program is sometimes pre-empted by Fall season football.)

6 - 9 p.m. WZBC 90.3 FM: **Caribbean Forum**: Hosted by Joseph Pamphile and friends. Informs, educates & entertains a multi-lingual audience in English, French, and Creole. A main focus on Caribbean politics and culture and special reference to the causes of political and social unrest and economic disparities in Africa, Latin America, and the Third World. Providing vital information to refugees from the Caribbean basin and bringing the latest in Caribbean news, music, and information about relevant events in the Boston area. Contact JPamphile@partners.org

9 p.m. - 12:30 a.m. WJIB 740 AM (commercial): **Allston-Brighton Free Radio**'s slate of public affairs. See abfreeradio.org for the schedule. Contact Stephen Provizer, improv@speakeasy.net, 617-232-3174

Sundays

6 - 8 a.m. WZBC 90.3 FM: **NEW! No-U-Turn Radio**: Martin Voelker airs the week's public affairs, with substantive analysis from Boston events on: foreign policy toward Colombia, East Timor, Iraq, and 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. See also Wed.-Thu. <http://nouturn.org>

8 - 10 a.m. WMBR 88.1 FM: **Haiti Focus**: Jacques-Antoine Jean. Dedicated to the Haitian community, featuring music and news from Haiti. Interviews and reports on women, immigration laws, health care, education, politics, and the current situation in Haiti. Haiti@wmbr.org

6 - 7 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.