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Legendary programmer and Minneapolis native **Dan Kieley** died last Sunday from a sudden cardiac arrest. He was at his home in Dallas with his son Joe, watching his favorite non-radio pastime, golf. The 51 year-old Kieley was a partner in **Snafu Consulting** with **Garry Leigh** and his son, **Joe Kieley**. Dan was **Brown Institute** grad, and began his broadcasting career in South Dakota. He came to national prominence programming stations like KKRC/Sioux Falls and KDWZ/Des Moines. His promotional prowess eventually landed him the Marketing Director's job for the **Dave Shakes** edition of B96/Chicago. He shifted back into programming at then rhythmic WLUM/Milwaukee. After exiting Milwaukee, he returned to Rapid City for 20 minutes before taking over KQKQ/Omaha programming. Within a couple of years, he landed what he always considered his "dream job", PD of hometown KDWB/Minneapolis. Then, LA beckoned and he moved westward to program KIIS where his legacy was cemented as he doubled the KIIS audience (12+) from 2.8 to 5.6 during his tenure. He exited KIIS – and radio – for a few months, then returned to what would ultimately be his last PD gig at CBS' KRBV/Dallas. While programming in the Midwest, Dan also served on the **Conclave's** early Advisory Board...a position he had to be given, after he "snuck" into the Advisors group photo during the 1984 Conclave Learning Conference! The Conclave is where many first met Dan, and it held a special place in his heart. Last year, while taking a break from his airchecking duties at the July Learning Conference, he admitted to his son Joe, "The Conclave may be the most important thing I've experienced in radio. It's a special place and I hope you keep coming here, just like I have over the years." Last Monday, with Joe's help and blessing, the Conclave created **The Dan Kieley Memorial Scholarship Fund**. For anyone wishing to memorialize Dan, contributions to the new Fund can be sent via check to The Conclave, 4517 Minnetonka

Bldv. #104, Minneapolis, MN 55416. Please note on the check that it's for the Dan Kieley Memorial Scholarship Fund. The money will help a deserving student further their career in broadcasting. Said Joe, "Dad was all about teaching and helping – and this Conclave scholarship is exactly what he would have wanted." Personal note: No one was as intuitively brilliant at programming than Dan. He knew his broadcast history, and applied those lessons daily. He took chances. On music. On air talent. On promotions. On himself. He took those chances and won, most of the time. His musical "discoveries" are still making hits today and radio professionals fortunate enough to be mentored by Dan are now at the helm of key stations across America. That's why, when a listener turns their radio on and tunes to any frequency...they will ALWAYS hear a bit of Dan Kieley. Thank you for coming our way, Kiels. You are already missed, big time.

It's **Entercom** vs. **Spitzer** now with the former coming out swinging against the payola lawsuit being brought against them by the **New York Attorney General**. An article by the **Wall Street Journal** states that the company's "motion asserts that the attorney general acted improperly in basing his suit on New York's consumer-protection laws." This makes Entercom the first company to resist Spitzer. Attorneys for the radio corporation insist that in order to properly file a suit under the consumer-protection laws, Spitzer must prove that "consumers were harmed as a result of material deception." Entercom is arguing that because radio is free to consumers, it is impossible to harm them. Spitzer's people responded saying, "We've made our arguments about how consumers are affected by this conduct. We'll let the court decide this case on its merits." The Journal says Spitzer is hoping for a \$20 million settlement from Entercom. The radio company had no comment.

A caller known as **Dennis the Dry Cleaner** dialed in to **ABC Talk WLS/Chicago** and told host **Roe Conn** that he had discussed details of the corruption case being waged against former Illinois Governor **George Ryan** with a female jury member. Law dictates that jurors are prohibited from this type of disclosure, and as a result the integrity of the trial has been called in to question. The tape of this call was subpoenaed for review. No details have been released, but it is known that the judge in the case, **Rebecca Pallmeyer**, met with Ryan's attorneys earlier this week. If this juror is released, it will be the third to go in this particular trial.



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The **Detroit News** has reported that WDET/Detroit GM **Michael Coleman** has pled not guilty to one count of embezzlement. He stands accused of accepting perks such as free food and drink while working as Deputy Director of **Michigan Public Media/Ann Arbor**. One former colleague of Coleman, **Jeremy Nordquist**, also pled not guilty to two counts of felony embezzlement and conspiracy, while **Justin Ebright** (former Dir./Development) pled no contest and will pay restitution. The Coleman/Nordquist hearing will take place on May 18. This is also the date on which Ebright will face sentencing.

Morning man **Dan Tooker** of **Journal Country KFDI/Wichita** will fly with listener **Lou Meier** to Mobile, AL next week to return a P.O.W./M.I.A. bracelet to the owner's family. Meier has had the band for more than three decades, and then last year discovered that the remains of owner Capt. **Richard C. Yeend, Jr.** had been found. Meier has made it his mission to return the bracelet to Yeend's surviving family. Tooker and morning cohorts **Jay** and **Cherish** will be on hand for a special ceremony in Alabama.

The Conclave invites would-be last minute registrants for the 31st annual Learning Conference to take advantage of this last chance to save \$100! Lock-in your \$299 tuition rate by using the easy-to-use order form found at www.theconclave.com or by calling 952-927-4487 by this Saturday night. Starting April 16, tuition to "**Conclave 2006: Future Tense!**" will increase to \$399 – still a heckuva bargain (look what the OTHER conferences are charging!) The "Keeping It Real!" \$299 tuition rate is in honor of the Conclave's first announced keynote presenter, **Reverend Al Sharpton**, who will also broadcast "live" his 4 hour daily radio show, "Keeping It Real!" from the Conclave Learning Conference on Friday, July 14, 2006 at the Marriott City Centre in Downtown Minneapolis. Don't miss out on the learning and the fun...and save some money doing it! Register TODAY. For more information about the 2006 Learning Conference or any Conclave program, call 952-927-4487 or visit www.theconclave.com.

Salem Religion WYLL-Talk WIND/Chicago- Contemporary Christian WFZH-Religion WRDD/Milwaukee GM **David Santrella** is upped to VP/Chicago and Milwaukee clusters. Also, Salem/Colorado announces the promotion of former KQDS/Duluth **Brian Taylor** from GM to VP/GM of that cluster (Religion KRKS, Talk KNUS, and Talk KBJD).

Mike McConnell of **Clear Channel WLW/Cincinnati** has been offered a syndicated show to begin July 31st. He will maintain his duties hosting **Premiere Radio Networks'** "The Weekend with Mike McConnell".

Also in Cincy, **Radio One Urban WIZF** plans to jump from the 100.9 frequency it currently occupies to inhabit 101.1. The move comes as part of an agreement struck when Radio One purchased Country WIFE/Connersville, IN from **Rodgers Broadcasting**. That station will air on the 100.3 frequency approximately 50 miles east of Cincinnati.

North Dakota Public Radio announces the format flip of their Noncomm KDSU/Fargo from Classical to Adult Alternative/World Music/Jazz, featuring "roots, rock and jazz". This will air 9am-3pm weekdays.

Chicago Public Radio has chosen not to broadcast music programming on a second frequency as had been bandied about, opting instead to drop music altogether. WBEZ will make the jump to News-Talk and Public Affairs, but WBEW/Chesterton, IN and WBEQ/Morris, IL won't be picking up late nights for jazz and world music.

And not a Princess among them...



Stockinrock's recording artist Jon Patrick McClaren visited a couple Midwest hitmakers this week to share his new single "Princess" and compare hair styles.

Left: Jon and KWOA/Worthington's Tony Winter.

Right: KEEZ/Mankato's Miles Riker and Jon.



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Changes. Good Karma Broadcasting Top 40/Rhythmic WKPO/Madison announces a new morning line-up: **ST, Triple X and Melissa** will headline! ST is making the jump from nights, Triple X from middays, and Melissa from interning...**Macdonald Garber** T40 WKHQ/Northern Michigan welcomes **Dave B. Goode** on as MD/morning driver. He comes to them for a PD stint at **Summit City Radio** T40 WYLT & T40-Rhythmic WNHT/Ft. Wayne...**Ryan Dobry** exits afternoons at Country WLDR/Traverse City, MI...**EPIC**/Nashville VP of Promotions **Bill Macky** has left the building, stepping in to his vacant shoes will be **Columbia** Dir./Nat'l Promotions **Tom Moran**...**Clear Channel** Urban WKKV/Milwaukee, up **Sean Bowen** to Dir./Promotions.

This year's CRB Humanitarian Award recipient and K102/Minneapolis morning talent **John Hines** will be addressing the **Brown College** Spring Graduating Class at the Graduation ceremonies next Wednesday evening, April 19th. John is a 1971 graduate of the Broadcasting program at Brown.

This week, the Conclave announced that a talented group of industry trailblazers has accepted an invitation to join the **2006 Conclave Advisory Board**. They'll join current, respected professionals serving on the important Conclave committee that directs and assists the organization and its programs in keeping in step with the needs of the industry. Joining the Conclave Advisory Board are: **Lee Abrams**, VP and Chief Programming Officer/XM Radio (Washington, DC), **Mark Barron**, VP/Marketing BMI (New York, NY), **Mary Quass**, President/CEO, NRG/Waite Media (Cedar Rapids, IA), **Dave Sholin**, 2005 Rockwell Award winner & VP/Promotion – Adult Formats EMI Music Group (San Francisco, CA), and **Dan Vallie**, President/CEO Vallie-Richards Consulting (Alpharetta, GA). These leaders join the existing advisory board consisting of **Bob Catania**, Sr. VP/Promotion Chime Entertainment (Los Angeles, CA), **Rick Cummings**, President/Radio Emmis Broadcasting (Los Angeles, CA), **Joel**

Denver, President and Publisher All Access Music Group (Malibu, CA), **Erica Farber**, Publisher & CEO Radio & Records (Los Angeles, CA), **Steve Goldstein**, Executive Vice President Saga Communications (Westport, CT), **David Haley**, VP Promotions Equity Music Group (Nashville, TN), **Michael McVay**, President McVay Media (Cleveland, OH), **Dan Halyburton**, Senior Vice President/GM- Group Operations Susquehanna Radio Corporation (Dallas, TX), **Rob Sisco**, President Nielsen Music COO Nielsen Retail Entertainment Information/REI (White Plains, NY) and **David "Doc" Wynter** Vice-President Urban Programming Clear Channel Radio (Miami, FL). Welcome, a – Board!

Tina Hamilton-Greer of **Molyneux Entertainment** has been named Dir./Marketing for **CBS Radio** Hot AC KYKY/St. Louis. Hamilton-Greer has spent time at **Cumulus**/Nashville, **The Nashville Scene** and **The Tennessean**. She is also known for her community involvement with organizations such as **The Boys & Girls Clubs**, **The March of Dimes**, and **Toys for Tots**.

Speedy recovery wishes go out to **Dave Broman** of **Citadel** Country WWKI/Kokomo, IN. Broman suffered a heart attack last Saturday (4/8). GM **Mike Christopher** reports that Dave is in stable condition.

Marshall "Eminem" Mathers protégée **Deshaun "Proof" Holton** of **D-12** was shot outside a Detroit club earlier this week. Holton, just 32 years old, was the best man in Mathers' January nuptials. This marks the first casualty, and the second incident with gunfire for **Em's Shady Records**. The first occurred on New Years Eve when **Obie Trice** was shot and injured.

Sympathy is extended to the friends and family of **Phil Stigleman** who passed away last Sunday at the age of 79. Stigleman had been a mainstay in the sportcasting arena of Richmond, IN, as the voice behind **Richmond High School** and **Earlham College** as well as others from 1961 through to his retirement from Talk WKBV in 1989.

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news, the radio voice of the Rhineland Hodags (high school football, basketball and hockey). Mail your cover letter, resume and air-check to PD **Miles Knuteson**, 38 West Davenport Street, Rhineland, WI 54501 or email mknuteson@gmail.com...**CBS Radio**T40 KMXV/Kansas City seeks Dir./Production with killer imaging skills; also must perform as parttime/swing air personality. T&R to **Mike Kennedy**, 4717 Grand Ave., Suite 600, Kansas City, MO 64112...**NRG** KQKQ/Omaha seeks midday talent who is great in a production room, and has great personal skills for live remotes and appearances, music scheduling experience is a plus too. T&R to PD **Nevin Dane**, 5011 Capitol Avenue, Omaha, NE or 68132job1@waitradio.com, subject line: Q Middays...**Haugo Broadcasting** Country KICK/Rapid City, SD seeks afternooner w/min. 2yrs FT exp, also Cool Edit Pro/Adobe Audition skills. T&R and references to **Chad Carlson**, Operations Manager, Haugo Broadcasting, 306 1/2 E. St. Joseph St., Rapid City, SD 57701...WLSL/Rhineland, WI seeks News and Sports Director. Duties include: morning news anchor; gathering and writing local news; and being the radio voice of the Rhineland Hodags (high school football, basketball and hockey). T&R to **Miles Knuteson**, B93 Radio, 38 West Davenport Street, Rhineland, WI 54501...**Regent** WWBN/Flint, MI seeks Promotions Director. Previous experience in radio required, previous experience in promotions is very helpful. Creativity, attention to detail and desire to work long hours are a must. T&R to or mail to **Brian Beddow**, Program Director, WWBN-FM, 3338 East Bristol Rd., Burton, MI 48529 or brian@banana1015.com...**Waitt Radio** /Omaha is looking for part-time weekend and fill-in talent for its AC Active format. Company provides network as well as customized local breaks for stations nationwide...and yes, weekends are live! Previous on-air experience required. T&R to **Jonathon Steele**, Waitt Radio Networks, 1000 N. 90th St., Suite 105 Omaha, NE 68114...WRST/Traverse City, MI seeks FT Morning Show Producer for a position that will include a voice tracked air shift, fill in live shifts and production. On air & production experience necessary. Send T&R to **Todd Martin**, Program Director, WSRT, 1020 Hastings Street, Traverse City, MI 49686 or email todd@1067wsrt.com...All positions listed in the **TATTLER** represent equal opportunities, and are provided free of charge by emailing claire@main-st.net. No calls unless otherwise specified.