RADIO 1190 AIR BOARD

November 3, 2026

FALL 2026 WRAP-UP (CONTENT/EVENTS)

- Chancellor's welcome banquet
- So many orientation events (CMDI fair, transfer student luncheon, campus tabling)
- Wattage Week Sep. 28 to Oct. 3
- CU Culture Crawl 3-5 pm Sep. 30
- Shine on Norlin 150th event Oct. 1
- Buffs on Tap for Alumni Association Oct. 2
- Homecoming Tailgate for Alumni Association Oct. 3

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- CMDI Dean's Advisory Board tour Oct. 3
- Museum of Boulder public tour (more to come in the spring)
- CU Art Museum Halloween gala Oct. 29
- Three Radio 1190 Presents shows! (Fox Theatre, Meow Wolf, Bluebird)
- 68 shows in Ticket Club this fall
- 6 regional/national awards for student content so far this fall (lots more applications out now)
- 71 live DJ shows on our fall schedule, plus faculty podcasts, News Team, and specials like Mindful Moments

FALL 2026 WRAP-UP (TECHNICAL)

- Gamow EAS project is done!
- FM translator requests on track to be filed when window opens 11/4
- Marshall transmitter upgrade in progress
- Working on main meeting space audio upgrade to include on-air sound in meeting area
- Unexpected detour: OIT networking issues with air chain signal
- Reality check: live band build-out vs bringing translators online

CURRICULAR UPDATES

- CMDI practicum is live in the course catalog for Spring 2027!
  - CMDI 3910-802 for News Team participation
  - 1 credit hour, repeatable for up to 6 semesters
  - Open to all — counts as core for CMDI, elective for everyone else
  - News Team attendance, 3 submitted stories, 1 "team-building" project
  - Iris is instructor (for now)
- Undergoing final curricular review: 1-credit CMDI "Audio Story Lab" practical skills elective
  - 5-week course taught by adjunct faculty (strong candidate identified)
  - Basic audio production/narrative storytelling
  - Open to all — counts as core for CMDI, elective for everyone else

FALL FINANCES UPDATE

- Fall Wattage Week was our best yet! 128 donors
  - We'll have to order more thank-you gifts next time … we nearly ran out
- Spring Wattage Week set for March 29-April 3
- Making an ask to some beloved previous donors for in-studio capability acceleration / translator build-out funding … cross your fingers
- Rian is cultivating underwriter prospect lists
  - Note: this more of a goodwill activity than a revenue stream, but we're still excited

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES & EVENTS

- Rocky Mountain Community Radio conference Nov. 11-13 (station tours)
- "Storytelling is a Superpower!" talk 5pm Thurs Nov. 19 in CASE E351 (please join us!)
- Silent disco at CU Museum of Natural History Thurs Dec. 3
- Sundance x News Team x Colorado media collabs in the works — watch this space
- DJ for TEDxCU Sat Apr. 11
- Major involvement across campus for Admitted Students Day Apr. 11
- Save the date! Radio Prom is Thurs Apr. 15

QUESTIONS/COMMENTS?