

# WORT 89.9 FM

Volunteer-Powered Listener-Sponsored Community Radio

## “Her Turn” Shares Collective Wisdom at WAM

Members of the “Her Turn” Radio Collective presented a workshop entitled “A Show of One’s Own: Bringing Exclusively Feminist Perspectives to the Airwaves” at the second annual “Women and the Media: Taking Our Place in the Public Conversation” (WAM) conference held at MIT in Cambridge, MA, March 18-20.

“Our workshop focused on writing for feminist radio, gathering news stories from the mainstream media and other sources, and shaping them into a feminist radio program,” says “Her Turn” volunteer **Jill Hopke**. Co-facilitator **Arlene Zaucha** adds, “We passed out mainstream news articles and discussed how to include a feminist perspective.”

“Her Turn” volunteers also discussed the benefits of a collective structure. “The show has been run collectively since its beginning in 1976,” says Arlene. “Everyone learns and takes turns doing each of the jobs – producing, writing, editing, and engineering. This gives us

flexibility and staying power.” Hundreds of women have worked on the show. “Although we can always do better, the collective is pretty diverse in terms of our ages, ethnicities, and sexual orientations.”

They also stressed why a program like “Her Turn” is important even within an alternative media outlet like WORT. “Women’s voices and concerns continue to be underrepresented throughout the media. It’s absolutely critical that stations like WORT include explicitly feminist programming,” says Arlene. She feels hopeful about feminist news and women in media. “There was a lot of energy at WAM. Women are speaking up and getting the truth out, spurring the activism we so badly need. “Her Turn” and WORT are an important part of that fight.”

“Her Turn” airs on Sundays from 11 to 11:30 a.m., followed by “Her Infinity Variety” from 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m.

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## WORT Mission Statement

**WORT-FM** is a non-commercial, listener-sponsored, member-controlled community radio station broadcasting to south-central Wisconsin. WORT volunteers and staff shall provide quality programming and services to a broad spectrum of the community through:

- promotion of communication, education, entertainment, and understanding by providing a forum for both the discussion of public issues, and the expansion of musical and cultural experience;
- facilitation of community expression and provision of community access to the airwaves for the purpose of sharing music, culture, news and information;
- challenge of the cultural and intellectual assumptions of our listeners through unique and diverse programming;
- orientation towards the audience with concern for those under-represented by other media.

**WORT** shall be committed to radio programming with a human perspective, respecting all peoples and their environments.

## Board of Directors

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6/22/05, 7/27/05, 8/24/05, 9/28/05

Board meetings are held at 6:00 p.m. at the WORT studios and are open to the public.

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# "IT CAME FROM BELOW THE RADAR"

May 31 through June 10

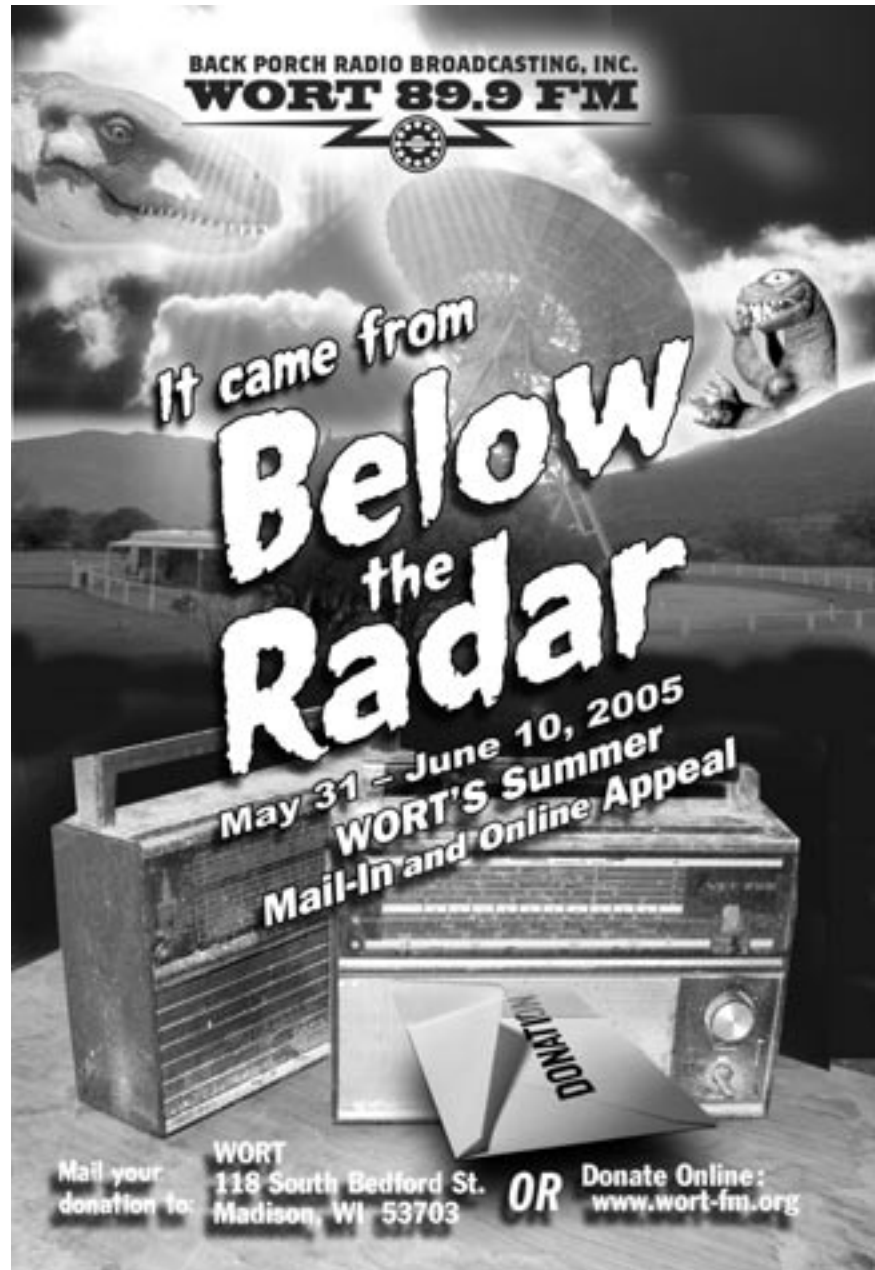
WORT-FM's popular spring appeal returns in a sequel that will sound a lot like WORT on any other week of the year—full of uninterrupted music, news, and public affairs programming. The "It Came From Below the Radar," no-call appeal takes place May 31 to June 10, 2005.

During a traditional pledge drive, on-air volunteers break from programming and ask listeners to call in their pledges of support. But during this appeal, the station will instead run brief, pre-recorded, announcements asking listeners to support WORT 89.9 FM by contributing on the station's web site or by mail.

This innovative approach garnered WORT a Golden Reel Award ("Award of Special Merit") from the National Federation of Community Broadcasters for announcements produced for the June 2004 "Below the Radar" campaign.

"This gives listeners a great new way to support the station," says John Kraniak, listener-sponsor development director. "Last year WORT supporters overwhelmingly endorsed this new fundraising idea. The web makes it so easy to do. It's simple for the listener and provides us with automated data entry. Best of all, it's a pledge drive with limited interruptions to our fantastic programs."

As always, WORT welcomes contributions of any amount. WORT depends on listener support for over



60 percent of its entire budget. WORT fundraising lets listeners join the WORT community—wherever they live.

Those interested in pledging their support should visit the station's web site ([www.wort-fm.org](http://www.wort-fm.org)) or mail contributions to WORT 89.9 FM, 118 S. Bedford St, Madison, WI 53703 between May 31 and June 10.

# Pulse of WORT

**WORT** was named “Best Independent Radio Station” in Clamor magazine’s 1st annual GOLDEN SOAPBOX awards, instituted to highlight “some of the most outstanding people, projects and organizations filling the void in the media landscape.”

Gracias for outstanding volunteer support of **WORT’s** “Airwaves and Liberty/Ondas y Libertad” winter pledge drive. Thanks to a strong community response and an improved on-line sign up page, 84% of all shifts for phone answerers were filled before the drive began. Special thanks to **Chris Hartley** (producer of Thursday’s “In Our Back Yard”) for volunteering for ten early morning shifts (7-9 a.m.) which are often difficult to fill. On-line signup for the fall drive’s phone answerers will begin in early August.



▲ Volunteer Chris Hartley,  
Early Riser/Phone Answerer Extraordinaire.

At **WORT’s** annual meeting on February 27, the membership voted in three Board members and approved a Bylaws amendment to allow eligible part-time employees to run for Participating Member

(volunteer) or Listener Sponsor seats. Thanks to outgoing Board members **Esty Dinur**, **Cindy Fesemyer** and **Jake Schutt**. Welcome to new members **Annie Courtney** (3 year term as Participating Member), **Tony Schaeve** (1 year term as Participating Member) and **Justin Richardson** (3 year term as Listener Sponsor).

Farewell to Public Relations intern **Alex Heusener** who returned to Germany in early March. We thank Alex for his outstanding service to the station from September through February and the instrumental role he played in completing the station’s first ever Marketing and Public Relations Plan. Welcome to new interns **Claire Hsu** (graduate student in Journalism) and Work Study Music Library Assistant **Amy Burger**.

In other **WORT** news, **Linda Wasson** (“Perpetual Notion Machine” volunteer now living in Korea) produced a one-hour special for PNM focusing on wildlife issues, including the plight of Asian bears. News volunteer **Lori Nitzel** (Monday sound board engineer and Labor Radio reporter) ran for Madison city council in the 15th district as a Progressive Dane and Green Party endorsed candidate. “A Public Affair” volunteer host **Mike Moon** traveled with the Coalition of Immokolee Workers on their 15-city national bus tour to raise awareness about the conditions of tomato pickers in Florida. On March 8 they announced a victory in their 4-year struggle, which included a new contract and pay raise. On behalf of Just Coffee, Mike also traveled to Guatemala and Chiapas, Mexico to meet with coffee and cocoa producers.

**WORT** mourns the loss of longtime Madison activist and “8 O’Clock Buzz” substitute host **Eugene Parks** who passed away in his home on February 28. At the citywide memorial service, fellow Buzz host **Stan Woodard** presented a certificate for a star that he and his wife Yolanda and the Madison branch of the NAACP had named in Park’s honor. Receiving the certificate on behalf of the Boys and Girls Club was **WORT** friend and supporter **David Giffey**.

“Democracy Now!” host **Amy Goodman** rallied a crowd of over 600 in support of adding Free Speech TV, the nation’s first full-time progressive television network to Charter Communications Inc.’s cable offerings. The March 5 event at Madison’s Barrymore Theatre was sponsored by **WORT**, WYOU, and the Madison Campaign for Free Speech on Cable TV. The Capital

Times was a media co-sponsor. The **WORT** board of directors voted at the February meeting to sign-on to the campaign to bring Free Speech TV to local cable. To request Free Speech TV, call Charter at 1-800-581-0081.

MAMA knows best! The Madison Area Music Awards named **WORT** as the People’s Choice for Best Local Music Radio Station. “Eight O’Clock Buzz” host **Tony Castañeda** and his band, the Tony Castaneda Jazz Sextet, won both the Latin Artist and Latin Album awards. Presenters at the March 26 Wisconsin Union Theater event included “Pastures of Plenty” host **John Fabke** and Music Programming Facilitator **Sybil Augustine**. “Something Wonderful” host **Ryan Parks** accepted the People’s Choice award on behalf of the station. Thanks, MAMA and Madison, for choosing **WORT**.



▲ Leading physicist Brian Greene explains space, time, and the “new reality” to engineer Zeke Unterberg and interviewer Dennis Shaffer (not pictured). Greene visited **WORT** during his stop in Madison this March.



▲ Co-host Orlando Cabrera at the microphone during an episode of “La Junta.” (photo credit: Joeff Davis)

## See News Happening? Give us a Call!

**WORT-FM announces new News Reporting Hotline 608-441-0439**

Now **WORT** has yet another way for you to shape the sound of the station. Anyone who sees local news events or who has an idea for a show topic can call the brand new News Reporting Hotline – 608-441-0439.

“This will be a great asset for **WORT**,” said Nathan Moore, News and Public Affairs Facilitator. “We’ve got great reporters and producers, but we can’t be everywhere. So call us if you have a good story tip or if something big is happening.

“We’re also committed to covering stories underrepresented in other media. Call us with your show and story ideas. Tell us about issues that are important to you.”

# WAM Wows

Her Turners **Arlene Zaucha**, **Linda Alston**, **Jill Hopke**, and “Her Infinite Variety” Co-Host **Sue Goldwoman** share Women and the Media (WAM) conference highlights:

“Two hundred women working for change from low income women who are publishing their own newspaper to a 72 year-old who is starting a pirate radio station in her building.” — Arlene

“Interviews with former *Washington Post* reporter Jill Nelson and Daisy Hernández, a young, queer Latina activist and editor of *ColorLines*.” — Linda

“Marcia Diehl of the New Harmony Sisterhood Band, a pioneering group from the 1970s. She co-edited *All Our Lives: A Women’s Songbook* – the only published collection to feature several feminist musicians. A women’s studies classic, but out of print.” — Sue

“What WAM attendees are working on:  
Afghan Women’s Mission  
([www.afghanwomensmission.org](http://www.afghanwomensmission.org));  
Center for International Media Action  
([www.MediaActionCenter.org](http://www.MediaActionCenter.org));  
Center for New Words  
([www.centerfornewwords.org](http://www.centerfornewwords.org));  
*ColorLines* Magazine ([www.colorlines.com](http://www.colorlines.com));  
Media Tank ([www.mediatank.org](http://www.mediatank.org));  
Women’s E-Media Center  
([www.womensemedia.org](http://www.womensemedia.org));  
and Women In Media & News  
([www.WIMNOnline.org](http://www.WIMNOnline.org)).” — Jill

## New Shows Bridge Cultural Gaps

WORT has shaken things up on Sundays. On January 16, the station changed its Sunday lineup to better reflect the diverse community WORT serves. The schedule changes include more airtime for Hmong programming, a new children’s entertainment show, and an Arab-American cultural show.

“Hmong Radio” is now two hours long and can be heard 6-8 a.m. on Sunday morning, replacing the classical music show “Chamber Notes.” The Hmong community continues to grow in Dane County, and WORT is the only place where you can hear a show produced by and for Hmong-speakers.

The move opened an hour between 6-7 p.m. on Sunday which has been filled with two new programs – “Salamat” and “Pachyderm Parade.” These two new shows are also one-of-a-kind in Madison, helping WORT fulfill its mission to serve communities underrepresented in other media.

These days, most mainstream news about Arab-Americans and Muslims talks about terrorism in the same breath. “Salamat” is a refreshing change from that, serving as a cultural bridge instead.

Our new children’s show “Pachyderm Parade” fulfills one of the station’s most frequent programming requests from listeners. Kids’ music is its own unique genre, and you won’t hear it anywhere else on the radio.

WORT thanks **Paul Baker**, interim host of “Chamber Notes” who stepped in following the departure of **David Niergarth**. WORT listeners can continue to hear Baker when he substitute hosts the station’s other classical shows.

## WISH LIST

WORT IS LOOKING FOR DONATIONS OF THE FOLLOWING ITEMS:

- **Computers:** 900 Mhz or better, PC only
- **Computer Monitors:** 17 inch or larger only
- **Laptops:** PC only, Pentium III or better

If you have one of these items, and you would like to donate to WORT, please call us at (608) 256-2001 and ask to speak with Norm or Tom.

**(Please don’t just drop them off at the station!)**

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
5 <b>OTHER VOICES</b> JESSICA COURTIER ANNA NEKOLA JOANNE POWERS LAURA DYER Women in world classical	<b>PROMENADE</b> SCOTT HERRICK Classical variety	<b>A MUSICAL OFFERING</b> ENA FOSHAY Piano, symphonic & choral	<b>VARIATIONS ON A THEME</b> JIM SCHWALL Late 19th & 20th Century	<b>FANTASIA</b> PERRY ALLAIRE Classical on a theme	<b>CRAZEOLGY</b>	<b>AFTER HOURS</b>
6 <b>WORLD BOOK OF RECORDS</b> TRACY DOREEN BEVERLY SEAVEY Folk from the world over	<b>PASTURES OF PLENTY</b> JOHN FABKE Traditional American folk	<b>BACK TO THE COUNTRY</b> BILL MALONE JEFF HICKEY Country music on a theme	<b>DIASPORA</b> TERRY O' Folk & international	<b>MUD ACRES</b> CHRIS POWERS Bluegrass & acoustic	<b>LOS MADRUGADORES</b> ARMANDO SANCHEZ Música y conversación en español	<b>HONG RADIO</b>
7 <b>E I G H T O ' C L O C K</b> STAN WOODARD JAN MIYASAKI TONY CASTANEDA	<b>PUBLIC AFFAIR</b>	<b>DEMOCRACY NOW!</b>	<b>FREE SPEECH RADIO NEWS</b>	<b>FREE SPEECH RADIO NEWS</b>	<b>THE DUSTIES STORM</b> LADY P 60s & 70s R&B	<b>MUSICA ANTIQUA</b> STEPHANIE ELKINS CAROL MOSESON JOHN BARKER Medieval & Renaissance
8 <b>ALL AROUND JAZZ</b> ALEX WILDING-WHITE Wide-ranging jazz	<b>THE BIG BEAT</b> MICHAEL KWAS Hard bop	<b>JOURNEYS INTO JAZZ</b> GARY ALDERMAN Swinging mainstream jazz	<b>JAZZ SOUNDS</b> JANE REYNOLDS Eclectic, adventurous jazz	<b>HOOTENANNY</b> DAVE ZERO New releases & local music	<b>ENTERTAINMENT</b> JOHN KRANIAK Vintage jazz and swing	<b>HER TURN</b>
9 <b>BBC NEWS</b>	<b>FREE SPEECH RADIO NEWS</b>	<b>BBC NEWS</b>	<b>BBC NEWS</b>	<b>FREE SPEECH RADIO NEWS</b>	<b>TROPICAL RIDDIMS</b> -FR.P- Reggae	<b>HER INFINITE VARIETY</b> SUE GOLDWOMON TARA AYRES Womyn's music
10 <b>FREE SPEECH RADIO NEWS IN OUR BACKYARD</b>	<b>EN NUESTRO PATIO</b>	<b>FREE SPEECH RADIO NEWS IN OUR BACKYARD - LOCAL NEWS</b>	<b>FREE SPEECH RADIO NEWS IN OUR BACKYARD - LOCAL NEWS</b>	<b>FREE SPEECH RADIO NEWS LABOR RADIO</b>	<b>PANAFRICA</b> LAURIE MLATAMOU DJ TRINI Music of Africa	<b>BETTER LIVING THROUGH SHOWTUNES - BRUCE WHEELER</b>
11 <b>ACCESS HOUR</b>	<b>RADIO LITERATURE COUNTERSPIN</b>	<b>QUERY - LOCAL LG/B/T THIS WAY OUT</b>	<b>MAKING CONTACT SCIENCE/HEALTHWRITERS</b>	<b>BLUES CRUISE</b> DAVE WATTS	<b>LA JUNTA</b> RICARDO GONZALEZ AGUSTIN OLVERA ORLANDO CABRERA Salsa & Latin Jazz	<b>ON THE HORIZON</b> FORD BLACKWELL DAN TALMO PAUL NOVAK World Music
12 <b>SOMETHING WONDERFUL</b> RYAN PARKS Electronic dance music	<b>THE ORIGINAL WILSON BROTHERS</b> JIM & TED WILSON New release rock	<b>GUILTY PLEASURES</b> CASEY FOX Vinyl gestalt	<b>PSYCHOACOUSTICS</b> REV. VELVETEEN AND CREW Head trip through the decades	<b>FRIDAY ON MY MIND</b> BETH, HARRY RAG, JAKE, SCOTT, SARATKE, DAVE, THE WALKIN' DOCTOR New & archival rock	<b>I LIKE IT LIKE THAT</b> ROCKIN' JOHN McDONALD Rock'n'roll oldies	<b>THIRD WORLD VIEW</b>
1 <b>MOSH PIT</b> MATT MYERS Metal	<b>LEOPARD PRINT LOUNGE</b> JENNI SCHWANER LADD Garage & indie rock worldwide	<b>ROCK LATINO</b> Latin and Iberian rock, ska and hip hop	<b>MONSTER CRAWFISH ROADRALLY EXTRAVAGANZA</b> MIKE HEMINGER AND JEFFERSON Indie, surf, R&B, obscurities	<b>BELOW THE RADAR</b> Experimental & spoken word	<b>TWO FOR THE BLUES</b> DAVE LEUCINGER ART SCHUNA	<b>SALAMAT</b>
2 <b>ROLLING WITH SCISSORS</b> LUCAS, PRINCE OF DARKNESS 3 dark hours of pain	<b>KOSMIK RADIATION</b> DAVE 3000 Psych & Prog Sounds	<b>WHATEVER</b> ANDY & DOUG Eclectic mix of rock'n'roll	<b>SHOWROOM LUGNUTS</b> SWICKAPE It's bar time, Madison...	<b>CRAZEOLGY</b> UNCLE LARRY Jazz recorded on this date in history	<b>UNIVERSAL SOUL EXPLOSION</b> GAVIN Mastermixes	<b>PACHYDERM PARADE</b>
3 <b>PHIL LIVE ON THE AIR</b> Live concerts & recorded rarities	<b>PHIL LIVE ON THE AIR</b> Live concerts & recorded rarities	<b>PHIL LIVE ON THE AIR</b> Live concerts & recorded rarities	<b>PHIL LIVE ON THE AIR</b> Live concerts & recorded rarities	<b>CRAZEOLGY</b> UNCLE LARRY Jazz recorded on this date in history	<b>AFTER HOURS</b> MUSTAFA Rap & Soul	<b>BEST OF GOSPEL</b> JONNIE O.
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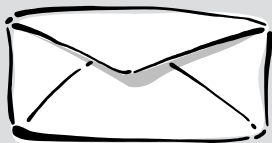
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## Carpe Diem for \$500:

### What are "flossing, taxes, and your will?"

That's easy, Alex, "Things you shouldn't put off." WORT can help you with two out of three. Your tax-deductible donations are always welcome, but did you know that you can include WORT in your will? It doesn't have to be a lot of money, but it does take a little planning – in advance. Please call Development Director John Kraniak for information and assistance at 256-2001 or [pledge@wort-fm.org](mailto:pledge@wort-fm.org).

## The Envelope Please!



**WORT depends on  
Listener-Sponsors for 63%  
of its annual budget.**

Please use the enclosed donation envelope to mail a check in support of community radio. All donations are fully tax deductible. Mail your envelope today and know you're making a difference.

## ACCESS HOUR SCHEDULE SPRING 2005

### Mondays, 7-8 p.m.

Put the community in community radio! Call 256-2001 to sign up to host an Access Hour. Remember, nothing succeeds like access!

- May 23** **Lori Nitzel** and **Julian Zelazny** host an enviradio segment on global climate change with two guests. They will cover local actions and national policies, taking into consideration the global impact of regulatory policies in the US.
- June 6** **Sherri Zelazny** and colleagues at the UW Madison Voice Clinic host a show about voice use and voice disorders.
- June 13** **Wayne Barrens** highlights media and education, exploring the messages we get and don't get, and ways to respond to them.
- June 27** **Elijah Dinur-Loranger** performs live experimental music on the fly with keyboard and laptop. He has been making music in this fashion for about seven years and will perform 30- to 60-minute compositions.

# Tee off!

## Friday, August 12 The Meadows of Sixmile Creek Waunakee

Support Community Shares of Wisconsin by spending a day on the greens. 9 a.m. registration. 10 a.m. shotgun start. Food after event. Prizes, prizes, and more prizes! All proceeds benefit the 60 non-profit organizations, including WORT, that comprise Community Shares. For information call Donna at (608) 577-7171 or e-mail her at [dcfisher@execpc.com](mailto:dcfisher@execpc.com).

## 11th Annual Golf Classic

Friday, August 12  
10 a.m.

Registration  
9 a.m.

The Meadows  
of Sixmile Creek,  
Waunakee





▲ "Panafrika" hosts Laurie Mlatawou and Katim fill out thank you letters to WORT donors during the pledge drive. (photo credit: Joeff Davis)



▲ The dean of WORT djs, Rockin' John McDonald, getting ready for another program of "I Like It Like That." (photo credit: Joeff Davis)

## Summer Book Club on "A Public Affair"

In coordination with A Room of One's Own bookstore, **Cheri Dubiel**, Thursday host of "A Public Affair," will host a Summer Book Club!

On the first Thursday of June, July and August, 2005 from Noon-1 p.m., Cheri will choose a book that will be available at A Room of One's Own and invite the author to be a guest on her program. You will read the book ahead of time (if you choose to) and call in to be part of the on-air discussion. And, if you want to discuss the book further, A Room of One's Own will host a follow-up discussion at 7:00 p.m. at the store.

Visit [www.wort-fm.org](http://www.wort-fm.org) or [www.roomofonesown.com](http://www.roomofonesown.com) for a complete list of Summer Book Club selections. Special thanks to A Room of One's Own!

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ages!

Madison Homebrewers and Tasters  
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"No Crap on Tap" beer garden with

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Enjoy food from around the world, arts and crafts,  
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(folk), Rising Gael (celtic), Caravan Gypsy Swing  
Ensemble (jazz), Supa Ranks and His Rock-Stone  
Highpower (Reggae), Mama Digdowns (New Orleans  
style blues) and Clear Blue Betty (rock).

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Stay tuned to 89.9 FM for more details.

The WORT Block Party is free and open to all. For more information, call 256-2001.

## Ah, summer, we've missed you so...

Warm weather. Birds  
singing. Boats paddling.  
Friends vacationing.  
WORT news producing.

That's right,  
news producing.

WORT's news department  
is looking for volunteers  
for this summer and  
beyond! Work on one or  
more of WORT's 15  
locally produced news and  
public affairs shows. Learn  
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make some great radio –  
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Interested?

Call Nathan at 256-2001  
to inquire about specific  
volunteer openings.

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Sunday  
May 22



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## Summer Fun!

Visit the WORT table at these events:

**6/11 & 6/12**

Marquette Waterfront Festival  
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**6/18**

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**7/23**

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**8/6**

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