



Kevin Ryder Returns to Afternoons on 106.7 FM!

Description

Kevin Ryder is back on the air at KROQ-FM (106.7) for the afternoon drive. This is not an April Fools' joke.

Ryder worked at KROQ for over 30 years. He helped make it a famous radio station. He said, "It was a home for many listeners in Los Angeles. I am happy to be back."

Kevin Weatherly, who used to be Ryder's boss, is now back at KROQ. He left KROQ in 2019 but returned in 2022.

Ryder was fired from KROQ in March 2020. He had worked there for many years. After that, he worked at a rival station but was let go in September 2022.

When Ryder started his new show, he called KROQ by the wrong name, saying KLOS instead. He said it was strange to return to the place where he worked for so long.

Megan Holiday, who had the afternoon show before, will now have the evening show. Ryder is also writing a book about his time at KROQ.

Vocabulary List:

1. **Afternoon** /ˌæf.təˈnuːn/ (noun): The time of day between noon and evening.
2. **Drive** /draɪv/ (noun): A journey in a vehicle; often refers to work hours.
3. **Rival** /ˈraɪ.vəl/ (noun): A person or entity competing against another.
4. **Station** /ˈsteɪ.ʃən/ (noun): A place where radio or television broadcasts originate.
5. **Home** /hoʊm/ (noun): A place where one lives; a base of comfort and familiarity.
6. **Returned** /rɪˈtɜːrnt/ (verb): Came back; went back to a previous place or condition.

Comprehension Questions

Multiple Choice

1. How long did Kevin Ryder work at KROQ?

Option: Over 20 years

Option: Over 30 years



Option: Over 40 years

Option: Over 50 years

2. Who is back at KROQ along with Kevin Ryder?

Option: Megan Holiday

Option: Kevin Weatherly

Option: Adam Carolla

Option: Dr. Drew Pinsky

3. When was Kevin Weatherly back at KROQ?

Option: 2017

Option: 2019

Option: 2020

Option: 2022

4. What name did Kevin Ryder accidentally call KROQ when he started his new show?

Option: KISS

Option: KLOS

Option: KQED

Option: KCRW

5. Who will now have the evening show at KROQ?

Option: Kevin Weatherly

Option: Megan Holiday

Option: Adam Carolla

Option: Dr. Drew Pinsky

6. What is Kevin Ryder currently working on?

Option: A new radio show

Option: A reality TV show

Option: A book about his time at KROQ

Option: A music album

True-False

7. Kevin Ryder was fired from KROQ in 2018.

8. Kevin Weatherly left KROQ in 2019.



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9. Megan Holiday used to have the morning show at KROQ.
 10. Kevin Ryder called KROQ by the correct name when he started his new show.
 11. Kevin Weatherly returned to KROQ in 2021.
 12. Kevin Ryder never worked at any rival radio station after being fired from KROQ.

Gap-Fill

13. Kevin Ryder worked at KROQ for over _____ years.
14. Kevin Weatherly left KROQ in 2019 but returned in _____.
15. Kevin Ryder was fired from KROQ in March _____.
16. Kevin Ryder was let go from the rival station in September _____.
17. Megan Holiday will now have the _____ show at KROQ.
18. Kevin Ryder is currently writing a book about his time at _____.

Answer

Multiple Choice: 1. Over 30 years 2. Kevin Weatherly 3. 2022 4. KLOS 5. Megan Holiday 6. A book about his time at KROQ

True-False: 7. False 8. True 9. False 10. False 11. False 12. False

Gap-Fill: 13. 30 14. 2022 15. 2020 17. evening 18. KROQ

Vocabulary quizzes

Multiple Choice (Select the Correct answer for each question.)

1. Who is responsible for bringing the unique ideas to life?



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- Option: a) Journalist
Option: b) Creator
Option: c) Celebrity
Option: d) Critic
2. In what type of organization do teams compete against each other?
- Option: a) Studio
Option: b) Arena
Option: c) League
Option: d) Agency
3. What term describes a favorable or advantageous circumstance?
- Option: a) Event
Option: b) Chance
Option: c) Opportunity
Option: d) Adventure
4. What term refers to enhancing or bettering something?
- Option: a) Return
Option: b) Drive
Option: c) Success
Option: d) Improvement
5. What term means to assist or back someone or something?
- Option: a) Talent
Option: b) Rival
Option: c) Promotion
Option: d) Support
6. What term describes one's progression in work or professional life?
- Option: a) Station
Option: b) Home
Option: c) Career
Option: d) Drive
7. What term means to go back to a place or situation?
- Option: a) Returned
Option: b) Exciting
Option: c) Mixed
Option: d) Creator
8. Which profession involves researching and reporting news stories?
- Option: a) Unclear



- Option: b) Journalist
- Option: c) Box office
- Option: d) Adventure

9. Who is a famous person often recognized for their accomplishments?

- Option: a) Linked
- Option: b) Opportunity
- Option: c) Celebrity
- Option: d) Critics

10. Which term describes a variety of different elements combined together?

- Option: a) Diverse
- Option: b) Talent
- Option: c) Mixed
- Option: d) Success

Gap-Fill (Fill in the blanks with the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

11. The ancient civilization's _____ is still a topic of debate among historians.
12. The unexpected plot twist made the movie even more _____ to watch.
13. Hard work and determination are key factors in achieving _____ in any field.
14. The new restaurant received rave reviews from customers but faced harsh criticism from _____.
15. Employees who show exceptional skills often receive a _____ to a higher position within the company.
16. Let's meet for coffee in the late _____ around 3 p.m.
17. The talent show showcased a wide range of _____ from singing to dancing and comedy.
18. Effective marketing strategies can lead to a significant _____ in sales.



19. The community came together to _____ the family who lost their home in the fire.
20. She was offered the corner _____ with a view as a reward for her hard work.

Matching Sentences (Match each definition to the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

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| 21. The detective found clues that the suspect to the crime scene. |
| 22. Teams from different cities compete in the national to win the championship. |
| 23. Exploring the uncharted jungle was an exhilarating for the group of hikers. |
| 24. The talent helped the aspiring actress land her first major role in a blockbuster movie. |
| 25. The university prides itself on the of its student body representing over 50 different nationalities. |
| 26. Regular practice and dedication are key to showing in your skills over time. |
| 27. As a she traveled to war-torn countries to report on the social and political issues affecting the region. |
| 28. The movie broke all records at the and became the highest-grossing film of the year. |
| 29. After a long day at work she was glad to be back in her cozy apartment. |
| 30. The two companies have been fierce in the industry for years constantly competing for market dominance. |

Answer

Multiple Choice: 1. b) Creator 2. c) League 3. c) Opportunity 4. d) Improvement 5. d) Support 6. c) Career 7. a) Returned 8. b) Journalist 9. c) Celebrity 10. c) Mixed

Gap-Fill: 11. existence 12. exciting 13. success 14. critics 15. promotion 16. afternoon 17. talent 18. promotion 19. support 20. office

Matching sentence: 1. linked 2. league 3. adventure 4. agency 5. diversity 6. improvement 7. journalist 8. box office 9. home 10. rival

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