

MANSFIELD RADIO

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Introduction

What is a Public file?

The purpose of the Public File is to provide a snapshot of localness and musical output and acts as a signpost to features and characteristics of a station.

Mansfield Radio is the local radio station for Mansfield, Ashfield and Bolsover and every local commercial station across the UK has requirements in respect of its local content and music.

The Public File is designed to give you a better understanding of the radio station's output

The Public File is also available in hard copy by post upon request by any member of the public, and serves as one indicator of each station's output.

Comments on its contents should be made to the station or to the industry regulator Ofcom.

It's important to us, and Ofcom, that listeners understand how the radio station works and what output we promise to provide.

OFCOM

Ofcom, the Office of Communications, is the independent regulator and competition authority for the UK communications industries. They are responsible for television, radio, telecommunications and wireless communications services. Their website is www.ofcom.org.uk

SECTION 1: STATION FORMAT

1.1

Station Name	Mansfield Radio / Radio Mansfield
Licence Area	The Districts of Mansfield, Ashfield and Bolsover
Frequency	103.2 MHz
Hours Of Broadcast	24 hours a day, 7 days a week (programmes all locally made)

1.2 Definitions

Speech	Excludes advertising, trails, sponsor credits and the like and will be calculated over the period specified
Music	Percentages are calculated as a percentage of the local tracks broadcast in a specified period.
Peak time(s)	Refers to weekday breakfast and afternoon drive output, and weekend late breakfast.
Daytime	0600 to 1900 weekdays and 0800 to 1400 weekends
Locally Made	Refers to output produced and presented from within the licence area and must include peak time where required

1.3 Character of Service

“ A MUSIC AND INFORMATION STATION FOR 25 – 54 YEAR OLDS IN THE MANSFIELD AREA, HIGHLY FOCUSED ON LOCAL ISSUES.”

Office of Communications, March 2006

SECTION 2: PROGRAMMING

2.1 Current Programming Schedule

Monday – Thursday

Time	Title	Description	Status
00:00 – 07:00	Non Stop Music Through The Night	Non Stop Music / Ads	Automated
07:00 – 10:00	The Breakfast Show	Local / Presenter led , music, news, sport and traffic and travel updates.	Live
10:00 – 13:00	Mid Morning	Local /VT Presenter led , Music, news	Automated
13:00 – 18:00	Afternoon	Local / Presenter led , music, news, sport and traffic and travel updates. requests	Live
18:00 – 00:00	Evening	Non Stop Music / Ads	Automated

Friday

Time	Title	Description	Status
00:00 – 06:00	Non Stop Music Through The Night	Non Stop Music / Ads	Automated
06:00 – 10:00	The Breakfast Show	Local / Presenter led , music, news, sport and traffic and travel updates.	Live
10:00 – 13:00	Mid Morning	Local /VT Presenter led , Music, requests, news	Automated
13:00 – 18:00	Afternoon	Local / Presenter led , music, news, sport and traffic and travel updates.	Live
18:00 – 19:00	Evening	Local, Presenter TV	Live
19:00 – 22:00	80s School Reunion	VT Presenter Specialist Music	Automated
22:00 – 00:00	Evening	Non Stop Music / Ads	Automated

Saturday

Time	Title	Description	Status
00:00 – 07:00	Non Stop Music Through The Night	Non Stop Music / Ads	Automated
07:00 – 10:00	The Breakfast Show	Local / Presenter led , music, requests, news, sport and traffic and travel updates.	Live
10:00 – 12:00	Saturday Show	Local /Presenter led , Music, requests, news	VT
12:00 – 14:00	Saturday Show	Local/ Presenter led	VT
14:00 – 18:00	Saturday Show	Local /Presenter led , Music, requests, news,sport	Live
18:00 – 21:00	90s School Reunion	VT Presenter Specialist Music	Automated
21:00 – 00:00	Evening	Non Stop Music / Ads	Automated

10:00 – 13:00	Saturday Show	Local /Presenter led , Music, requests, news	Live
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Sunday

Time	Title	Description	Status
00:00 – 06:00	Non Stop Music Through The Night	Music & Ads	Automated
06:00 – 0800	Non Stop Music	Music & Ads	Automated
08:00 – 12:00	The Breakfast Show	Local / Presenter led , music, news, VT Automated	Automated
12:00 – 14:00	Sunday Show	Local / Presenter led , music, .VT	Automated
14:00 – 17:00	Sunday Afternoon	Local / Presenter , music VT	Automated
17:00 – 19:00	Juke Box Giants	Specialist Music Show 50s, 60s, 70s Local , Presenter	Automated
19:00 – 00:00	Evening	Non Stop Music	Automated

2.2 Local Programming

Mansfield Radio broadcasts locally produced programmes 24 hours a day. For recent examples of some of our programmes visit our website Mansfieldradio.co.uk. You can listen across the area on 103.2FM and also online via our website. Also check for new editions to our schedule which sometimes includes local motor sport, police and health programmes.

Note: Full programmes can not be placed on our website for music licensing reasons.

SECTION 3: MANSFIELD RADIO NEWS

3.1 Current News Schedule October 2026

Weekday

Time	News Content	Duration
07:00	Sky/IRN Local News	3.50mins
08:00	Sky/IRN Local News	3.50mins
09:00	Sky/IRN Local News	3.50mins
10:00	Sky/IRN Local News	3.50mins
11:00	Sky/IRN	2mins
12:00	Sky/IRN	2mins
13:00	Sky/IRN	3mins
14:00	Sky/IRN	2mins
15:00	Sky/IRN	2mins
16:00	Sky/IRN Local News	3.50mins
17:00	Sky/IRN Local News	3.50mins
18:00	Sky/IRN Local News	3.50mins

Saturday

Time	News Content	Duration
07:00	Sky/IRN Local News	3.50mins
08:00	Sky/IRN Local News	3.50mins
09:00	Sky/IRN Local News	3.50mins
10:00	Sky/IRN Local News	3.50mins

Sunday

Time	News Content	Duration
07:00	Sky/IRN Local News	3.50mins
08:00	Sky/IRN Local News	3.50mins
09:00	Sky/IRN Local News	3.50mins
10:00	Sky/IRN Local News	3.50mins

Sky/IRN news is played through out the rest of the time apart from on Saturday afternoons when doing live commentary of Mansfield Town away games.

3.2 News Content

Our weekday local bulletins provide a local news burst sourced locally. For recent examples of our local news coverage you can visit our website www.mansfieldradio.co.uk.

Mansfield Radio is part of the Independent Radio News Network and is licensed to use news material provided by the service and also run national news bulletins provided by IRN satellite feed. This is currently the Sky News service.

Traffic and Travel bulletins are provided between 6am – 10am and 3pm-6pm Monday to Friday with additional updates when needed though the day. We also provide a weekend travel service.

3.3 **The News Team**

We have 1 Broadcast Journalist in our team which is headed by Shaun Moore who works from home.

A number of other staff at Mansfield 103.2 are also trained to produce and read news bulletins.

You can contact our news team by phoning 01623 666020 or by emailing news@mansfieldradio.co.uk

To find out what the news team are currently working on visit the Mansfield Radio website – www.mansfieldradio.co.uk

SECTION 4 : MANSFIELD RADIO MUSIC / PLAYLIST

4.1 Music Sample

The music that Mansfield Radio plays is subject to the licence agreement set out by Ofcom. This can be found on their website www.ofcom.org.uk

Sample of music played 8am – 9am Sept 29th 2026

Groovejet	Spiller & Sophie Ellis Bextor
The Greatest	Sia & Kendrick Lamar
Love Sensation	Madonna & Kylie
The Flood	TakeThat
Everybody's Changing	Keane
The Powe	Snap
Pink Pony Club	Chappell Roan
A Bar Song (Topsy)	Shaboozy
Layla (Short Version)	Derek & The Dominos
Movin To The Sun	Hugel, Imael Angel, Ultra Nate

Sample hour of music played 2pm – 3pm Sept 29th 2016

Gangsta's Paradise	Coolio & L.A
Sexual Healing	Marvin Gaye
Something About The Way You Look Tonight	Elton John
Fast Car	Tracy Chapman
The Race	Yello
Bitter Sweet Symphony	The Verve
Passenger	Alex Warren
Lay It All On Me	Rudimental & Ed Sheeran
There She Goes	The La's
Choosin' Texas	Ella Langley

4.2 The Mansfield 103.2 Playlist

Currently Mansfield Radio has over 5000 songs on its music database with approximately 700 of those currently in regular rotation.

The new music is put onto our play list using a **CURRENTS** and **RECURRENTS** system.

CURRENTS are radio station's newest songs and at the moment there are 14 in rotation. The updated list can be found on our website – www.mansfieldradio.co.uk

RECURRENTS which mainly features big songs from the last 5 years has just over 250 in rotation.

We do allow listeners to request songs, most notably during our All Request Lunch sponsored feature that runs every weekday from 1pm –

2pm. See our schedule and show information on our webpage for more details.

SECTION 5 : RECENT PROGRAMME AND/OR NEWS HIGHLIGHTS

Mansfield Radio plays its part in the local community by helping out where it can.

We continue to run our annual Kings Mill Hospital Toy appeal which has raised over £20 thousand pounds for the local children's ward and remain committed to helping local charities where we can.

The radio station has twice been nominated in the Small Station of the Year category at the Arqiva Awards and was recently given a mayoral commendation by Mansfield District Council for it's fundraising work.

To find out more about other recent highlights and achievements visit our website – www.mansfieldradio.co.uk

SECTION 6 : HOW TO COMPLAIN

If you are a listener and you are unhappy with any part of our broadcasting you can make a formal complaint by either contacting the station direct or going through OFCOM

6.1 To The Radio Station

The best way to make a formal complaint directly to the radio station is to do so in writing to Mansfield Radio's Managing Director.

If you are upset about a particular presenter's conduct, programme (or part of a programme) or a news story please make it clear what time and date you were listening so we can also check back and listen to the output.

If you are concerned we are not meeting the conditions of our licence make sure you outline in which area.

Make sure your grievance/grievances are clear and concise.

Always provide your contact details so we can get back in touch with you. Please be assured we will treat all complaints very seriously.

We will endeavour to answer all written complaints within two weeks with our findings.

Our contact details can be found at the end of the public file, on our website or you can call us during office hours on (01623) 646666

If you would like to make a verbal complaint you can phone our office number and ask to speak to the Managing Director or Programme Director.

6.2 To The Office Of Communications (Ofcom)

Ofcom is the independent regulator and competition authority for the UK communications industries, with responsibilities across television, radio, telecommunications and wireless communications services.

If you want to complain about any part of Mansfield Radio's output or programming you can also do it through Ofcom.

To read more about the industry regulator and how to complain to them you can visit their website – www.ofcom.org.uk

or write to their head office:

Ofcom
Riverside House
2a Southwark Bridge Road
London
SE1 9HA

If you want advice or to complain to Ofcom by phone you can call 0300 123 3333 or 020 7981 3040. They are open Monday to Friday from 9am to 5pm.

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