

Locally.

BBC Points West reporters should accompany camera operators whilst conducting News reports out in the field and not the present system of filming news items and then voice overs added back at the BBC studios.

General.

Most of us fear hospitals so I suggest no syringes and blood be shown on any local news report. It does not help the blood transfusion service when we continually see syringes and blood in news reports.

Transport stories. When aeroplanes and trains stories are shown current models should be shown in the case of trains 43125 or it's allocated name and with aeroplanes G-???? It makes the item interactive without too much effort.

Message Boards.

There should be an extension of the opening times similar to the joint radio output we have for the west of England that takes place between 7.00 p.m. and 10.00 p.m. Monday to Friday.

Traffic Reports.

Do the presenters who comment about the traffic have awareness of the area? I do not know which is south bound, north bound, west bound or east bound when driving around the region, so why do road traffic presenters keep on about the direction? Speed of traffic in most large towns is approximately eleven miles p.h. so I get annoyed when radio traffic reporters state traffic speeds are down to 20 m.p.h. I do not want to know what is happening on the M.4 between junctions 4 and 1 whilst I am in Bristol.

I would like a message board for local events

BBC Sport.

Whilst conducting live reports from football grounds I would like to see a picture of the clock to prove it is live.

I would like BBC Sport on Saturday afternoons to be able to have its own local slot starting at 16.30 p.m. the same as BBC Wales and BBC Scotland. When the Saturday afternoon Sports slot is being broadcast, I would like graphics of the attendance scores and if the BBC so desires a picture of the reporter. I do not need a picture of the local footballer to be shown, as I know what he looks like. This would assist those in the community who have hearing difficulties, which, I am led to believe, is now classified as a language. Can the BBC place radio frequency boards similar to what is advertised at the local football grounds on the approaches to the City of Bristol?

Ceefax.

All Ceefax stories should contain the email address of the compiler of the story, similar to what is done in high quality newspapers. This would improve standards and grammar of the ceefax stories. I do not like the corruption of Gloucestershire, Wiltshire and Somerset to Glos, Wilts and Soms.

Early morning radio shows (and I refer to the 5.00 a.m. starts).

Radio presenters should give out a hot line telephone number so that listeners can be encouraged to ring in with any news stories that have occurred in their area overnight.

I do not like to have to pay to visit the stand where BBC points west are broadcasting from and I refer to events like the Bath & West show

I would like all Bristol City and Bristol home football matches to be broadcast LIVE on Radio Bristol

The local radio BBC stations should be broadcast on freeview and/or the sky platform. BBC Radio Bristol and Radio Glostershire are currently broadcast on Bristol's local cable company Telewest

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