

## All about Pioneer Radio

Pioneer Radio airs Mondays from 5:00 to 6:00 pm on CFRU 93.3 FM. It is produced by Kelly Hardcastle Jones with contributions from Mark Conrad, April Clyburne-Sherin and Margie Taylor. Each week we choose a theme, we talk about it, we ask you to talk about it, and we ask some experts to weigh in.

Since going on air in September 2010, we have tackled topics from the ridiculous to the sublime to the just plain intriguing. Friendship, for instance. What makes someone a good friend? What makes someone a bad friend? Do people who are like us always make the best kind of friends? Or revenge, a dish best served...how? What are some of the ways we have taken revenge, and is it ever justifiable?

Episode 31, which aired December 19, 2011, was about mortification. We featured stories of intense embarrassment and shame. We explored the evolutionary biology of embarrassment (both human and non-human – do dogs experience mortification?) We dissected the success and failure of practical jokes. And we aired three true stories of our hosts' most mortifying experiences.

### Kelly Hardcastle Jones

- Producer, Writer, Editor, Host – “Pioneer Radio”, CFRU 93.3 FM, Guelph ON (2010-present)
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- Board member – CFRU 93.3 FM (2010-2011)
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