A Letter from the General Manager, Christina Kuzmych

The future of news was the topic of a recent Knight Foundation Forum. WPM streamed this online event February 26 and 27. At a time when trust in media declines and local newsrooms shrink, news becomes all the more important. Offered by Detroit Public TV, the program featured New York Times columnist David Brooks as key speaker...

In The Field With Melodie Edwards

Wyoming winters can be harsh, but they can’t keep our reporters out of the field. This month, Melodie Edwards worked on a report on ice fishing that took her to a frozen lake outside of Laramie, where she met with Guy Scarpelli to discuss the popular winter activity. Listen to the story in March on Open Spaces.

Wyoming Uranium Efforts On Here & Now

On February 18, Here & Now featured a report by Cooper McKim on a uranium company in Wyoming that is bringing back an old technology. Uranium is used as fuel for nuclear power plants. Wyoming is the largest source for uranium in the U.S. The weak prices have encouraged one large company to branch out to using an acid solution—a method shunned in the U.S. decades ago.

Rural School Gains National Attention

On February 25, Morning Edition started off with a quick report from Albany County. Albany County School District #1 reopen an isolated rural school to serve one kindergarten student in the next school year. Cozy Hollow School is about an hour north of Laramie, and is the second school in the county that has a 1-to-1 student to teacher ratio.

HumaNature Recognized As A Top Outdoor Podcast

In February, HumaNature was added to a list of Top Outdoor Podcasts. The Dyrt is a Portland, OR based group that serves as a resource for authentic camping info across the US. HumaNature was recognized for its complex stories and debates of humanity’s role in nature and ranked #13 on the list.

Edwards Energy Story Republished On ONE

On February 8, Only Natural Energy, an Italian energy magazine dedicated to educating citizens and electorate, republished a story on cloud seeding and dams. The report by Melodie Edwards focused on the efforts by the Wyoming Water Development Office to pursue the two options as drought becomes more prevalent in areas around the state.

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