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Quarterly Listing of Community Issues and Programs/News Stories
October 1 through December 31, 2022

ISSUE #1: ELECTION 2022

Story Title: State and county candidates face off in Aspen and Glenwood Springs

Date: October 8, 2022

Time: Broadcast by Aspen Public Radio News between 7 a.m. and 9 a.m. during “Morning Edition” and between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. during “All Things Considered”

Duration: 9:02

Description: As Election Day approached, several state and county debates took place in the Roaring Fork Valley. Aspen held its traditional “Squirm Night” for Pitkin County commissioner and sheriff candidates and Glenwood Springs held its “Issues and Answers Night” for various state and county seats.

Reporter: Eleanor Bennett

Story Title: This election season, Snowmass Village candidates wonder how big is ‘just big enough’?

Date: October 12, 2022

Time: Broadcast by Aspen Public Radio News between 7 a.m. and 9 a.m. during “Morning Edition” and between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. during “All Things Considered”

Duration: 11:34

Description: Council, mayoral candidates weigh in on growth and small-town community character in the Town of Snowmass Village.

Reporter: Kaya Williams

Story Title: Snowmass “Squirm Night” forum puts candidates in the hot seat

Date: October 13, 2022

Time: Broadcast by Aspen Public Radio News between 7 a.m. and 9 a.m. during “Morning Edition” and between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. during “All Things Considered”

Duration: 2:32

Description: Candidates for Snowmass Village mayor and Town Council share their thoughts on the role of local government and community character.

Reporter: Halle Zander

Story Title: Campaigns heat up in final bid for the redrawn House District 57

Date: October 31, 2022

Time: Broadcast by Aspen Public Radio News between 7 a.m. and 9 a.m. during “Morning Edition” and between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. during “All Things Considered”

Duration: 13:31

Description: This election local voters are deciding between political newcomer and Democrat Elizabeth Velasco of Glenwood Springs and incumbent Republican Perry Will of New Castle for Colorado’s House District 57. The way the district was redrawn now favors Democrats, but that hasn’t stopped either candidate from getting out on the campaign trail.

Reporter: Eleanor Bennett

Story Title: Sheriff DiSalvo discusses his approach to law enforcement in Pitkin County

Date: November 1, 2022

Time: Broadcast by Aspen Public Radio News between 7 a.m. and 9 a.m. during “Morning Edition” and between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. during “All Things Considered”

Duration: 8:13

Description: Joe DiSalvo is seeking a fourth term as Pitkin County Sheriff. DiSalvo spoke with Aspen Public Radio’s Halle Zander in October about how he plans to approach the job in the next four years if he’s reelected.

Reporter: Halle Zander

Story Title: Buglione discusses platform in run for Pitkin County sheriff

Date: November 2, 2022

Time: Broadcast by Aspen Public Radio News between 7 a.m. and 9 a.m. during “Morning Edition” and between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. during “All Things Considered”

Duration: 5:14

Description: Michael Buglione is running for Pitkin County sheriff against three-term incumbent Joe DiSalvo. Buglione spoke with Aspen Public Radio’s Halle Zander in October about the four pillars that make up his platform.

Reporter: Halle Zander

Story Title: 3rd Congressional District candidates campaign in Roaring Fork Valley before Election Day

Date: November 6, 2022

Time: Broadcast by Aspen Public Radio News between 7 a.m. and 9 a.m. during “Morning Edition” and between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. during “All Things Considered”

Duration: 8:54

Description: U.S. Rep. Lauren Boebert, R-Colo., was in Basalt waving to drivers on Highway 82 on Friday, and former Aspen City Council member Adam Frisch met voters at a Mexican restaurant in Glenwood Springs. Both feel good about voters showing up for them on Election Day in the 3rd Congressional District race.

Reporter: Caroline Llanas

ISSUE #2: LATINO COMMUNITY

Story Title: Anderson Ranch strives for representation and sustainability with long-term Latinx arts programming

Date: October 17, 2022

Time: Broadcast by Aspen Public Radio News between 7 a.m. and 9 a.m. during “Morning Edition” and between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. during “All Things Considered”

Duration: 4:14

Description: Classroom curriculums, educator workshops and community celebrations are part of an expanded slate of programming at the long-standing arts hub in Snowmass Village.

Reporter: Kaya Williams

Story Title: Pitkin County set to improve Spanish-language alerts

Date: October 24, 2022

Time: Broadcast by Aspen Public Radio News between 7 a.m. and 9 a.m. during “Morning Edition” and between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. during “All Things Considered”

Duration: 9:03

Description: The Pitkin Alert system run by Pitkin County’s dispatch center is a software that is used to notify residents directly during an emergency. But until now, it has only translated certain high-priority alerts in Spanish using Google Translate. This is the first story in a three-part series on Spanish-language emergency alerts in the Roaring Fork Valley’s three counties — Pitkin, Garfield and Eagle — and comparing what different agencies are offering.

Reporter: Halle Zander

Story Title: Spanish translations of emergency alerts in Garfield County have room to improve

Date: October 25, 2022

Time: Broadcast by Aspen Public Radio News between 7 a.m. and 9 a.m. during “Morning Edition” and between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. during “All Things Considered”

Duration: 10:43

Description: Efforts to provide Spanish-language alerts since the 2020 Grizzly Creek fire in Garfield County are underway, but the level of reliable and timely Spanish-language translations from local agencies during the next emergency could vary. This is the second story in a three-part series about Spanish-language emergency alerts in the Roaring Fork Valley’s three counties — Pitkin, Garfield, and Eagle — and comparing what different agencies are offering.

Reporter: Halle Zander

Story Title: Alerts in Spanish bigger priority for Eagle County after Lake Christine fire

Date: October 26, 2022

Time: Broadcast by Aspen Public Radio News between 7 a.m. and 9 a.m. during “Morning Edition” and between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. during “All Things Considered”

Duration: 9:07

Description: Rumors during the 2018 Lake Christine fire, which threatened Basalt and El Jebel, caused an unsafe environment for some Spanish speakers. Since then, Eagle County has devoted funding and a workforce to increase Spanish-language communication during emergencies. This is the final story in a three-part series about Spanish-language emergency alerts in the Roaring Fork Valley’s three counties — Pitkin, Garfield and Eagle — and comparing the level of communication services different agencies are offering.

Reporter: Halle Zander

Story Title: Halle Zander on the state of Spanish-language emergency alerts for wildfires in Roaring Fork Valley

Date: December 7, 2022

Time: Broadcast by Aspen Public Radio News between 7 a.m. and 9 a.m. during “Morning Edition” and between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. during “All Things Considered”

Duration: 9:04

Description: Halle Zander's three part series on emergency alerts looks at Pitkin, Eagle, and Garfield Counties and the work they're doing to make sure Spanish speakers in the valley have the information they need when an emergency strikes.

Reporter: Caroline Llanes

Story Title: ‘Newcomer’ students find a sense of home at The Art Base in Basalt

Date: December 7, 2022

Time: Broadcast by Aspen Public Radio News between 7 a.m. and 9 a.m. during “Morning Edition” and between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. during “All Things Considered”

Duration: 4:58

Description: A program for recently immigrated students at Basalt High School resumed at The Art Base this year after a pandemic hiatus. The students have designed little free libraries meant to resemble houses and represent a sense of “home” in the Roaring Fork Valley.

Reporter: Kaya Williams

Story Title: Jahir Rodas cuts his first Christmas tree and keeps his grandmother’s memory alive

Date: December 14, 2022

Time: Broadcast by Aspen Public Radio News between 7 a.m. and 9 a.m. during “Morning Edition” and between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. during “All Things Considered”

Duration: 5:38

Description: Local residents celebrated a traditional Mexican posada and cut down their own Christmas trees in the Thompson Divide area last Saturday. Reporter Eleanor Bennett spent the day with Vicky Rodas, who wanted to give her 10-year-old son, Jahir Rodas, the same experience her mother gave her growing up in Aguascalientes, Mexico.

Reporter: Eleanor Bennett

ISSUE #3: THE HUMAN-CAUSED CLIMATE CRISIS

Story Title: Local leaders from Aspen to Vail call for regional climate action

Date: October 5, 2022

Time: Broadcast by Aspen Public Radio News between 7 a.m. and 9 a.m. during “Morning Edition” and between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. during “All Things Considered”

Duration: 5:56

Description: From wildfires to drought and dwindling snowpack, local communities are facing the impacts of the human-caused climate crisis. Eight mayors and county commissioners from Aspen to Vail came together during a three-day United Nations convening last week to talk about solutions and the importance of regional collaboration.

Reporter: Eleanor Bennett

Story Title: The Aspen Space Station keeps the future in its orbit

Date: October 6, 2022

Time: Broadcast by Aspen Public Radio News between 7 a.m. and 9 a.m. during “Morning Edition” and between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. during “All Things Considered”

Duration: 6:47

Description: Art initiative uses out-there events and installations to communicate climate message.

Reporter: Kaya Williams

Story Title: Atlantic Aviation donates \$500,000 to help give flight to Coal Basin methane-mitigation project

Date: October 30, 2022

Time: Broadcast by Aspen Public Radio News between 7 a.m. and 9 a.m. during “Morning Edition” and between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. during “All Things Considered”

Duration: 1:24

Description: The Coal Basin methane-mitigation project aims to combat greenhouse gas emissions that have an outsized environmental impact in Pitkin County.

Reporter: Kaya Williams

Story Title: Aspen delegates advocate for climate action at COP27 in Egypt

Date: November 17, 2022

Time: Broadcast by Aspen Public Radio News between 7 a.m. and 9 a.m. during “Morning Edition” and between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. during “All Things Considered”

Duration: 12:44

Description: The world’s population reached 8 billion this week, just as the 27th annual United Nations climate summit was wrapping up in Sharm El-Sheikh, Egypt. Aspen Public Radio talked with local residents who have been attending COP27 over the past two weeks.

Reporter: Eleanor Bennett

Story Title: Photographer Tamara Susa exposing the impacts of climate change

Date: November 28, 2022

Time: Broadcast by Aspen Public Radio News between 7 a.m. and 9 a.m. during “Morning Edition” and between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. during “All Things Considered”

Duration: 7:16

Description: Tamara Susa’s “Disturbance” project began three summers ago as a way to explore the impacts of climate change through photography. About three dozen pieces from the project are now on display at the Red Brick Center for the Arts.

Reporter: Kaya Williams

ISSUE #4: LGBTQ+ AND GENDER

Story Title: With 'empathy and acceptance,' artists share stories of LGBTQ identity on the stage

Date: October 20, 2022

Time: Broadcast by Aspen Public Radio News between 7 a.m. and 9 a.m. during “Morning Edition” and between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. during “All Things Considered”

Duration: 4:58

Description: Seven local artists will share heartfelt, funny and often vulnerable stories for “A Green Bird on Orange Trees” this weekend at The Arts Campus at Willits.

Reporter: Kaya Williams

Story Title: Aspen students teach faculty about transgender support tactics while district efforts vary

Date: December 29, 2022

Time: Broadcast by Aspen Public Radio News between 7 a.m. and 9 a.m. during “Morning Edition” and between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. during “All Things Considered”

Duration: 5:12

Description: Students in the Aspen High School’s Gender and Sexuality Alliance developed a presentation for faculty with tips about how to support transgender students. They were inspired, in part, by the Roaring Fork School District’s recently adopted “gender expansive” toolkit.

Reporter: Halle Zander

ISSUE #5: COVID

Story Title: Caroline Llanes reflects on COVID reporting and future pandemic communications

Date: December 5, 2022

Time: Broadcast by Aspen Public Radio News between 7 a.m. and 9 a.m. during “Morning Edition” and between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. during “All Things Considered”

Duration: 7:47

Description: Since releasing a two-part series on public health strategies during COVID, Llanes is well-versed on the ways public health officials communicated with people on the Western Slope. Llanes speaks to All Things Considered Anchor Halle Zander about her reflections.

Reporter: Halle Zander

ISSUE #6: LAND AND WATER MANAGEMENT

Story Title: Working to see the forest for the trees: Logging project's 'messy phase' will give rise to diverse, healthy ecosystem

Date: December 5, 2022

Time: Broadcast by Aspen Public Radio News between 7 a.m. and 9 a.m. during “Morning Edition” and between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. during “All Things Considered”

Duration: 6:18

Description: A logging project about 40 miles from Basalt in the White River National Forest has various benefits for the forest ecosystem, according to the U.S. Forest Service.

Reporter: Caroline Llanes

Story Title: Native youths train with Aspen-based nonprofit to be the first to kayak the Klamath River after dam removal

Date: December 6, 2022

Time: Broadcast by Aspen Public Radio News between 7 a.m. and 9 a.m. during “Morning Edition” and between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. during “All Things Considered”

Duration: 9:18

Description: The largest dam-removal and river-restoration project in history was approved last month for the Klamath River along the California-Oregon border. A group of native youths are training with the Aspen-based nonprofit Ríos to Rivers to be the first to kayak down the free-flowing river.

Reporter: Eleanor Bennett

ISSUE #7: MOUNTAIN TOWN CULTURE

Story Title: Rocky Mountain hi: Country roads converge again for 'family reunion' at John Denver Celebration in Aspen

Date: October 12, 2022

Time: Broadcast by Aspen Public Radio News between 7 a.m. and 9 a.m. during “Morning Edition” and between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. during “All Things Considered”

Duration: 8:16

Description: The John Denver Celebration hit a 25-year milestone in Aspen this week — but the gathering could look different in the future as attendees get older and the hotel that hosts them changes hands.

Reporter: Kaya Williams

Story Title: Touching all the BASEs: Two outdoor adventurers are sure to go to extremes in their talk at Aspen Institute

Date: November 21, 2022

Time: Broadcast by Aspen Public Radio News between 7 a.m. and 9 a.m. during “Morning Edition” and between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. during “All Things Considered”

Duration: 8:03

Description: Climber and BASE jumper Steph Davis will speak with renowned mountaineer Reinhold Messner at the Aspen Institute on Wednesday night for a talk called “Mountain vs. Human Nature: Sustaining Alpinism as a Way of Life.”

Reporter: Kaya Williams

Story Title: In the silence of the forest, an artist’s installation spirals into contemplation

Date: November 29, 2022

Time: Broadcast by Aspen Public Radio News between 7 a.m. and 9 a.m. during “Morning Edition” and between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. during “All Things Considered”

Duration: 4:36

Description: Local artist Lara Whitley’s latest artwork encourages people to pause, reflect and meditate in the forest near Beyul Retreat in Meredith.

Reporter: Kaya Williams

Story Title: A Sister Cities exchange brings community together through art

Date: November 30, 2022

Time: Broadcast by Aspen Public Radio News between 7 a.m. and 9 a.m. during “Morning Edition” and between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. during “All Things Considered”

Duration: 4:46

Description: Artist Valeria Fiala wants her mural at the Red Brick Center for the Arts to represent the sense of community, connection and belonging that she’s felt here in Aspen while visiting on an exchange from Bariloche, Argentina.

Reporter: Kaya Williams

Story Title: ‘Gilded Mountain’ weaves local mining history into a coming-of-age tale

Date: December 1, 2022

Time: Broadcast by Aspen Public Radio News between 7 a.m. and 9 a.m. during “Morning Edition” and between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. during “All Things Considered”

Duration: 7:07

Description: After researching her family’s history, author Kate Manning found material for a story of romance, adventure and labor rights in a Colorado mining town.

Reporter: Kaya Williams

Story Title: Artist Jeffrey Gibson aims to ‘speak to the land’ — and listen to what it’s saying back, too

Date: December 9, 2022

Time: Broadcast by Aspen Public Radio News between 7 a.m. and 9 a.m. during “Morning Edition” and between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. during “All Things Considered”

Duration: 7:14

Description: Artist Jeffrey Gibson’s “The Spirits are Laughing” exhibition at The Aspen Art Museum explores an Indigenous kinship with the land through bright, bold mixed-media works.

Reporter: Kaya Williams

Story Title: Filmmaker and skier Chris Anthony is on a 'mission' to share the story of 10th Mountain Division troopers at Mt. Mangart

Date: December 13, 2022

Time: Broadcast by Aspen Public Radio News between 7 a.m. and 9 a.m. during “Morning Edition” and between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. during “All Things Considered”

Duration: 5:05

Description: Professional skier and filmmaker Chris Anthony spent nearly seven years researching and producing “Mission Mt. Mangart,” a documentary that tells the little-known story of a 10th Mountain Division ski race toward the end of World War II. Now, he’s taking the film on tour and stops at the Wheeler Opera House.

Reporter: Kaya Williams