



2013 Annual Report

Educate
Involve
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Radio
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Education

Prairie Public Broadcasting, Inc.

(Fiscal Year 2013 began October 1, 2012, and ended September 30, 2013.)



Prairie Public Broadcasting
provides quality radio,
television, and public media
services that educate,
involve, and inspire the
people of the prairie region.

Prairie Public Broadcasting is a trusted public media service dedicated to building an exciting and productive future for our region and its people by offering a window on the world and creating a forum for discussion of important issues.

When you support Prairie Public, your contribution goes to work to make great television and radio programs happen. It works to secure the very best of PBS and NPR programming, along with high-quality, original productions created to meet your interests and needs.

Individual and community support is a crucial part of Prairie Public's success, and this annual report celebrates our dedicated partners and contributors.



Prairie Public is a member of the Public Broadcasting Service, a private, nonprofit corporation that provides quality television programming and related services.



Prairie Public is a member of NPR, a privately supported, nonprofit membership organization that serves its audience in partnership with independently operated, noncommercial public radio stations.

50 Years ... A Million Thanks

Prairie Public has reached an important milestone. Fifty years ago, in 1964, KFME Channel 13 sent our first public broadcasting signals across these prairies.



Since then, the core mission—education—hasn't changed, but it certainly has expanded and has become more sophisticated.

It's a wondrous mechanism, this thing we call public media. It's a physical network, of course, of brick and mortar and towers and cameras and microphones. But the concept of public media depends on individuals who watch, listen, talk about it, and are inspired by it. I wish I could meet and thank each one of you—in part because I'm grateful for your support and in part because people who appreciate public broadcasting are inherently interesting.

Many have supported us with membership contributions. Those members were vital 50 years ago, they made our growth possible over these last 50 years, and they continue to be crucial today. We are so fortunate to live in a region where lifelong learning and community participation are valued and celebrated.

Over the years, hundreds of board members have helped to shape policy and have selflessly given their professional time. Thousands of teachers have used our resources and have passed along the love of learning to new generations of public broadcasting fans. I thank them for their dedication and for sharing their skills with us.

Our state and federal lawmakers and leaders in the business world have been generous in their support of public broadcasting, and I thank them for

recognizing the importance of making educational programs accessible to everyone. Prairie Public has also been fortunate to build partnerships with arts and cultural organizations that enhance our outreach and provide content for our programming.

The leaders who built our network deserve acknowledgement. For instance, Dr. Ted Donat and his group of like-minded partners who formed the North Central Educational Television Association—the organization that worked diligently to bring educational television to our region.

And Clair Tetterer, who was Prairie Public's first general manager—the sole employee in those early months. During his tenure, he grew the staff to 16 positions and oversaw production of Prairie Public's first instructional programs.

Dennis Falk was Prairie Public's general manager from 1971 until his death in 1993, and he made a huge impact on the organization and on North Dakota. He received the North Dakota Broadcasting Association's highest honor, the Pioneer Award, for his role in the statewide television and radio network and for his accomplishments in the public broadcasting industry.

Thanks are due to many—you are the 'public' that makes public broadcasting possible. It is with gratitude that we are celebrating this milestone. Join me in looking toward a bright future in the next 50 years.

With thanks,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'John Harris', with a stylized flourish at the end.

John Harris
Prairie Public
President & CEO

Prairie Public is committed to respect for the individual and our audience, to lifelong learning, civil discourse, and our regional identity. Those who work at Prairie Public take pride in our programming and our service, expressing it through honesty and accuracy, a strong work ethic, teamwork, workplace diversity, effective stewardship of gifts and talents, and good humor.

“Nothing else compares to the quality and variety of programming that Prairie Public offers.” *A viewer in Mandan, ND*

2013 Television Productions

- A Conversation with ND U.S. Senator Kent Conrad
- Face to Face: MN 7th District U.S. Congressional Debate
- Face To Face: ND Gubernatorial Debate
- Face to Face: ND U.S. Congressional Debate
- Face to Face: ND U.S. Senate Debate
- Fargo Film Festival Preview Show 2013
- I Am A Person
- Kent Conrad on the Senate Floor
- Louise Erdrich ND 2013 Roughrider Award Ceremony
- Minot Rebuilding Dreams
- Minot Rebuilding Dreams Update
- Mother Nature in Charge: Devils Lake the Dilemma
- Mother Nature in Charge: Devils Lake Life Stories
- North Dakota Legislative Review 2013
- North Dakota State of the State 2013 Governor Address and Democrat Response
- Painting with Paulson: Beyond the Canvas
- Uganda: Sustainable Tourism



The Prairie Public broadcasting region was Lawrence Welk’s boyhood home, and his “champagne music” variety show still draws large audiences on Sunday evenings. Today, musicians of all stripes can reach large audiences from the Prairie Public stage with **Prairie Musicians**. Classical, blues, rock, country, and reggae are all represented in the popular series, now in its third season.

When Governor Jack Dalrymple named award-winning author and Wahpeton-native **Louise Erdrich** as the 39th recipient of the North Dakota Theodore Roosevelt Rough Rider Award, the state’s highest commendation for its citizens, Prairie Public was there with cameras rolling—chronicling one of the important events that make our region special.

Ongoing Series

- Painting with Paulson, Season Fourteen
- Prairie Mosaic, Season Four
- Prairie Musicians, Season Three
- Prairie Pulse, Season Eleven

Television



In their own homes and workplaces, and in their own voices, people with developmental disabilities share their joys and frustrations, and they explore what is possible, with **I Am A Person**. The documentary reviews the historical context of institution reformation, and it builds awareness about how we all contribute to our communities through our work and social capital.

The 2011 flood in Minot, North Dakota, was devastating, and Prairie Public aided in the city's recovery with **Minot: Rebuilding Dreams**. Devils Lake area residents' lives and homes have been torn apart by the expanding lake. **Mother Nature in Charge: Devils Lake Life Stories** and **Mother Nature in Charge: Devils Lake the Dilemma** helped the area's frustrated residents to find solutions to their watery plights.

2013 Television Awards

TELLY AWARDS

Silver Award Documentary

Key Ingredients

**Mother Nature in Charge:
Devils Lake The Dilemma**

Bronze Award Documentary

I Am A Person

**Mother Nature In Charge:
Devils Lake Life Stories
When They Were Kings:
The NDSU/UND Rivalry**

*Bronze Award Cultural
Documentary*

**At Home in Russia,
At Home on the Prairie**

*Bronze Award Sports
Documentary*

**When They Were Kings:
The NDSU/UND Rivalry**

*Bronze Award Social
Responsibility Documentary*

I Am A Person

Key Ingredients

**Mother Nature In Charge:
Devils Lake Life Stories**

*Bronze Award Informational
Documentary*

**Mother Nature In Charge:
Devils Lake Life Stories
Mother Nature In Charge:
Devils Lake the Dilemma**

AURORA AWARDS

*Platinum Best of Show Nature/
Environment Documentary*

**Global Energy and Carbon:
Tracking Our Footprint**

*Platinum Best of Show Nature/
Environment Documentary*

America's Grasslands

*Platinum Best of Show
Historical Documentary*

**At Home in Russia,
At Home On the Prairie**

Television

“Prairie Public practices great journalism and makes an important contribution to our state.”

A listener in Ashley, ND



Black Gold Boom: How Oil Changed North Dakota radio reports and the nine-chapter interactive online documentary “Rough Ride” go into the man camps, travel the crowded highways, talk with the workers who miss their families, report on the crucial issues, and welcome discussion about the local and national impacts of the region’s rush to drill. The award-winning project is produced by independent producer Todd Melby with an award from Localore.

Doug Hamilton and Ashley Thornberg contribute to the public radio tradition of providing the highest quality news and entertainment programming with Prairie Public’s statewide public affairs radio show, **Main Street**. And listeners choose Prairie Public for reliable and thorough reports from the news team staff of Todd McDonald, Danielle Webster, and news director Dave Thompson.

Radio

Listeners say that Scott Prebys “is a treasure” on the radio dial with **Prebys on Classics**. Scott’s knowledge was invaluable as he served as music expert during a 2013 Blue Danube River Cruise hosted by Prairie Public. Here, he and director of radio Bill Thomas (right) paused for a photo op with the European landscape as a backdrop.



Prairie Public’s special projects take the time to delve into stories with personal details that go beyond sound bites and headlines. The voices of new Americans explore global relationships, ancestral traditions, and stereotypes with **New American Stories**. And student voices—not a reporter—provide the insights for **Stand Up ND: How to Stop Bullying**.



2013 Radio Awards

SPJ SIGMA DELTA CHI AWARD

Best Specialized Journalism Site

Black Gold Boom: How Oil Changed North Dakota

AIR, Prairie Public, Zeega, and Producer Todd Melby

ONA ONLINE JOURNALISM AWARD

Black Gold Boom: How Oil Changed North Dakota

RTDNA REGIONAL MURROW AWARD

Black Gold Boom: How Oil Changed North Dakota

INTERNATIONAL BLUEGRASS ASSOCIATION

BROADCASTER OF THE YEAR NOMINATION

Red River Bluegrass Show

David Smith

NORTHWEST BROADCAST NEWS ASSOCIATION

Documentary/Special Award

Theodore Roosevelt and the Bull Moose Campaign of 1912

Meg Luther Lindholm, Producer

2013 Radio Special Projects

Black Gold Boom: How Oil Changed North Dakota

Dakota Air: The Radio Show Election Coverage and Debates

Face to Face: MN 7th District U.S. Congressional Debate

Face to Face: ND Gubernatorial Debate

Face to Face: ND U.S. Congressional Debate

Face to Face: ND U.S. Senate Debate

ND Department of Public Instruction Debate

ND Public Service Commissioner Debate

New American Stories

North Dakota Legislative Review 2013

Stand Up ND: How to Stop Bullying

Ongoing Series

Daily Newscasts and Reports

Dakota Datebook

Friday Night Swing

Into the Music with Mike Olson

The Jazz Junket

The Law of Jazz

A Little Night Music with Ted Quanrud

Main Street

Mike Olson’s Blues Cruise

Natural North Dakota

Notas Latinas

Plains Folk

Prebys on Classics

Travel Explorations

Why? Philosophical Discussions About Everyday Life

Radio

“Prairie Public’s education services staff is so knowledgeable, and the resources they offer are incredibly valuable in my classroom. Thank you!”

A teacher in Grand Forks, ND



A group of North Dakota students learned to report, problem-solve, and investigate—using journalism as a form of learning—with the **PBS NewsHour** Student Reporting Lab. The students from Turtle Mountain Community High School produced student-generated news video reports with mentoring from Prairie Public’s Main Street host Doug Hamilton, and with guidance from their chemistry and forensic teacher Renee Aalund.

Community partnerships are invaluable to Prairie Public’s educational mission. **Kind Hearted Woman**, the documentary portrait of an Oglala Sioux woman living on North Dakota’s Spirit Lake Reservation, sparked discussion about healing and change. Prairie Public partnered with Minnesota State University Moorhead to create a student and community outreach event that offered a safe place for discussion and resources to those in need of services.

Education



Education continues to be the cornerstone of Prairie Public's mission. Prairie Public's education services staff members help to prepare children for school with the **Ready To Learn** initiative; provide effective classroom and online materials to teachers with **PBS LearningMedia**, **Learn360**, and a wealth of other resources; and offer accredited professional development workshops to teachers who seek to expand their skills.

Every year, hundreds of young writers from the Prairie Public broadcast region submit stories to the **PBS Kids Go! Writers Contest**—and in 2013 two of our entrants won first place at the national level. Vivi A., a kindergarten student from Bemidji, MN, won at the national level for her story "Missing Pants," and Caleigh G., a third-grade student from Fargo, ND, won at the national level for her story "Prima Duckarina."

2013 Events and Education Services Activities

21st Century Community Learning Center Conference
 Arts Educators Minnesota Conference
 Becker County Museum Children's Storyland Exhibit Opening
 Between The Lions Preschool Curriculum Trainings
 Blue Danube River Cruise
 Communities Collaborative Brain Development Conference in Mahanomen
 Detroit Lakes SpringFest
 Downtown Abbey Tea Party
 Early Childhood & Mobile Lab Workshops (18)
 Education Resources Presentations at Colleges/Universities (4)
 K-12 School Workshops (17)
 Kind Hearted Woman Screening and Discussion
 Local Production Premiere Events
 Mid-Dakota Education Cooperative Cornerstones of Education Conference
 Midwest Kid Fest
 Mister Rogers' Neighborhood Sweater Drive
 Moorhead Public Library Rally for Learning
 Mr. Steve Performance at Streets Alive
 ND Association for the Education of Young Children Conference
 ND Association of Elementary School Principals Conference
 ND Association of School Principals Conference
 ND Association of Technology Leaders Fall Conference
 ND Association of Technology Leaders Spring Face2Face Tech Conference
 ND Counseling Association State Conference
 ND Council of Education Leaders Conference
 ND Council of Teachers of Mathematics
 ND Kindergarten Conference
 ND Music Educators Association Conference
 ND Reading Association Conference
 ND Science Teachers Association Conference
 ND Title 1, Special Education, and 21st CCLC Conference
 National Educational Telecommunications Association Conference
 Northern Plains Music Festival
 Painting with Paulson Demonstration and Workshop
 PBS Kids Go! Writers Contest
 PBS National Spring Conference
 PBS Resources for Teachers/PBSLM
 Perham Turtle Fest Parade
 Prairie Region Teacher Training Institute
 Public Media Day at the ND State Capitol
 Ready To Learn Transmedia Grant Mobile Lab
 Share A Story Family Literacy Events (8)
 Week of the Young Child Childcare Center Visits
 Whad'Ya Know? Live Broadcast
 White Earth Wired for Learning Family Literacy Event

Education

Prairie Public Broadcasting Boards 2012–2013

The Prairie Public Broadcasting family is fortunate to have dedicated, hardworking, and enthusiastic people to guide the organization and serve on its boards and advisory councils.

Prairie Public Broadcasting Board of Directors

The Board of Directors is the governing body of the organization, and members are appointed to serve two three-year terms.

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The Television Community Advisory Board reviews the programming goals established and the services provided by Prairie Public and advises the Board of Directors whether the programming and other policies are meeting the specialized educational and cultural needs of the communities served.

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Radio Council

The Radio Council was established to allow the three partners in the service—Prairie Public, North Dakota State University, and University of North Dakota—to be informed about the network's progress and plans and to provide input to management.

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North Central Council for School Television

The NCCST works in partnership with Prairie Public to provide multimedia resources and professional development trainings for preK-12 educators and the families they serve.

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Prairie Public seeks enthusiastic, hard-working, dedicated people to serve on the Prairie Public Broadcasting boards. Anyone interested in serving is encouraged to inquire.

Prairie Public Broadcasting, Inc.
Annual Financial Report
for the Year Ending 9/30/13

	Television		Radio		<i>Total</i>
	<i>Amount</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Amount</i>	<i>%</i>	
Sources					
Membership	\$1,489,404	21%	\$469,884	28%	\$1,959,288
Underwriting	\$205,255	3%	\$211,550	13%	\$416,805
Corporation for Public Broadcasting ¹	\$1,104,032	15%	\$181,988	11%	\$1,286,020
Local Production Funding	\$670,059	9%	\$57,348	3%	\$727,407
State of North Dakota	\$438,171	6%	\$178,971	11%	\$617,142
State of Minnesota	\$618,793	9%	\$0	0%	\$618,793
Grants ¹	\$1,196,244	17%	\$67,732	4%	\$1,263,976
Fees, Rents	\$722,903	10%	\$239,983	15%	\$962,886
Charitable Gaming	\$519,191	7%	\$192,030	12%	\$711,221
Other	\$183,931	3%	\$45,500	3%	\$229,431
TOTAL SOURCES	\$7,147,983	100%	\$1,644,986	100%	\$8,792,969
Uses					
Programming & Production	\$2,702,988	40%	\$1,022,021	49%	\$3,725,009
Engineering	\$1,105,446	17%	\$289,191	14%	\$1,394,637
Administration	\$909,990	14%	\$336,572	16%	\$1,246,562
Fundraising	\$417,773	6%	\$85,350	4%	\$503,123
System Upgrade & Other	\$1,102,929	17%	\$216,117	10%	\$1,319,046
Change in Prairie Public Endowment	\$387,340	6%	\$143,263	7%	\$530,603
TOTAL USES	\$6,626,466	100%	\$2,092,514	100%	\$8,718,980
EXCESS (DEFICIT) SOURCES OVER USES	\$521,517		(\$447,528)		\$73,989

Financial data provided from Eide Bailly LLP audited financial statements of Prairie Public Broadcasting, Inc.

¹ Grants include unrestricted support for operations and grants for capital construction and equipment from the Public Broadcasting Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, and the City of Fargo. Grants for capital construction and equipment totaled \$1,003,923 for television.

Local support comprised of membership and underwriting is the largest source of unrestricted support for Prairie Public Broadcasting, Inc.

Investors Circle Support

Prairie Public Broadcasting gratefully thanks Investors Circle members, a dedicated group of donors who have made annual gifts of \$1,000 or more between October 1, 2012, and December 31, 2013.



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Anonymous, Winnipeg, MB (5)
Anonymous, Lake Park, MN
Anonymous, Lambert, MT
Anonymous, Bismarck, ND (2)
Anonymous, Dickinson, ND
Anonymous, Fargo, ND (2)
Anonymous, Grand Forks, ND (2)
Anonymous, Jamestown, ND (4)
Anonymous, Mandan, ND
Anonymous, Minot, ND (2)
Anonymous, Stanley, ND

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Visionary Circle honors those who have demonstrated visionary philanthropic leadership and cumulative lifetime annual giving of \$25,000 or more in support of Prairie Public's services. We are grateful for the steadfast, substantial commitment of these Visionary Circle members.



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* Deceased

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Prairie Public Broadcasting extends special appreciation to members of the T. L. Donat Legacy Circle. Named for Dr. Ted Donat, Prairie Public's founder, the Legacy Circle provides an opportunity for donors to leave a thoughtful legacy to our region by making a provision for Prairie Public in their wills or through other estate gifts of \$25,000 or more.



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If you have provided for Prairie Public Broadcasting in your will or other estate plans, please let us know. By doing so, you will help us to plan for the future and will allow us to thank you for your outstanding commitment to the mission of public broadcasting.

Bequests

During fiscal year 2013, the following honored Prairie Public with gifts in their estates. With deep regard, we remember these friends for their special commitment to sustaining Prairie Public for future generations.

Estate of Alice L. Marks
Estate of Edith M. Sears
Estate of Grace K. Voss

Endowment: Funding the Future

Permanently Restricted Endowment Funds

Through endowed gifts from many sources, Prairie Public has established permanent endowment funds at the four institutions listed below. These professionally managed funds provide annual interest income that helps to ensure the future of Prairie Public and enhance the quality of programming, education services, and outreach it provides to those in our region.

Prairie Public recognizes these institutions for managing these funds and thanks all donors who have established or contributed to these endowed funds.

Endowment funds, as well as endowment gifts of \$25,000 or more, are listed below.

Bremer Trust

Prairie Public Broadcasting Permanent Endowment Fund:
Paul and Gail Ebeltoft

Fargo-Moorhead Area Foundation

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North Dakota Community Foundation

Bismarck Prairie Public Television Fund:
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Endowment Fund

Board-Directed Endowment Fund

This fund, established in fiscal year 2007, is comprised of unrestricted assets allocated to the fund in accordance with policies adopted by Prairie Public's board of directors. The fund provides long-term general support to meet the financial needs of Prairie Public, and is managed by Bremer Trust based upon the investment policies approved by Prairie Public's board of directors.

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Sponsor Support

Prairie Public thanks the following for investing \$1,000 or more in underwriting support for television and radio program services in fiscal year 2013.

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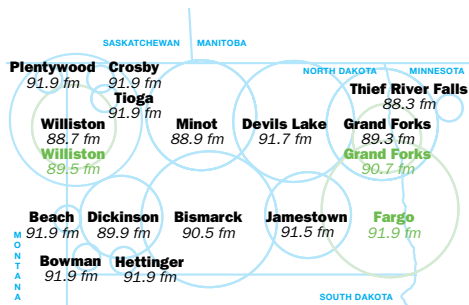
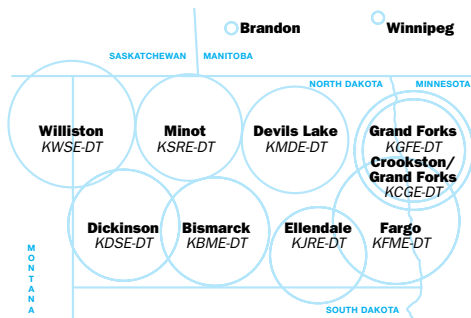
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Television

Bismarck	KBME-DT
Crookston/Grand Forks	KCGE-DT
Dickinson	KDSE-DT
Devils Lake	KMDE-DT
Ellendale	KJRE-DT
Fargo	KFME-DT
Grand Forks	KGFE-DT
Minot	KSRE-DT
Williston	KWSE-DT
Manitoba, Canada	Via cable

With additional digital capabilities, Prairie Public broadcasts four program streams. Viewers who use a rooftop antenna receive all four. Viewers who use cable, dish, or satellite services will receive Prairie Public's primary schedule, and one or more additional program streams.

- 1** **Prairie Public** Prairie Public's high-definition schedule.
- 2** **World** Nonfiction, science, nature, news, and public affairs programs.
- 3** **The MN Channel** Programs produced in and about North Dakota, Manitoba, Minnesota, and the region.
- 4** **Lifelong Learning** How-to, travel, cooking, and K-12 classroom programs.

Radio

Bismarck	90.5 fm
Beach	91.9 fm
Bowman	91.9 fm
Crosby	91.9 fm
Devils Lake	91.7 fm
Dickinson	89.9 fm
Fargo	91.9 fm
Grand Forks	89.3 fm
Grand Forks	90.7 fm
Hettinger	91.9 fm
Jamestown	91.5 fm
Minot	88.9 fm
Thief River Falls	88.3 fm
Tioga	91.9 fm
Williston	88.7 fm
Williston	89.5 fm
Plentywood MT	91.9 fm

Listeners can choose from two radio formats and can **access both** schedules with an HD radio, online at www.prairiepublic.org, or on their mobile device with the free Prairie Public radio app.

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