



## Wyoming Section Society for Range Management



*Spring Issue 2018*

### Message from the President

Welcome to spring Range Nerds!

Hopefully the winter has treated you well. There are a few things that I would like to cover this quarter.

First, is that the International Meeting in Sparks, NV was a great meeting (although I didn't get to attend it all). Several of the Wyoming members were able to attend. In addition, several of our council members attended a meeting with the Editor in Chief of *Rangelands*, along with members of the *Rangelands* steering committee and members of the Utah Section to discuss a response to the letter our Section submitted regarding an article published in the August 2017 issue of *Rangelands* (Carter et al.). Our message was well received! As a result of this, the Wyoming Section has submitted a rebuttal in the form of a Letter to the Editor, addressing the issues that were brought up in our original letter; while the Utah section will be submitting their own rebuttal in the form of a Viewpoint Article, addressing the data issues in the article. While the article is still accessible for viewing, our hopes are that with these rebuttals, the issues within will be addressed and use of the article will be limited. Also at the annual meeting we were given a chalk board that with the hashtag WE ARE RANGELANDS to pass around the state as a social media campaign. All you need to do is snap a picture of you doing range work, upload it to social media with #respectontherange and pass it on the next person.

Second, the Wyoming Section Council met on March 2<sup>nd</sup> with a full plate. Items of discussion were the upcoming 2020 International Meeting being hosted jointly between the WY and CO Sections. The planning crew are still/always looking for volunteers for the various committees, contact Chuck Butterfield if you are interested. Also on the agenda was our committee structure, which is addressed in further detail in the newsletter. A big item of discussion was... we have a new website!! [www.wyomingrangelands.org](http://www.wyomingrangelands.org) is up and running, please go and check it out! If you need anything posted to the website, Bree Lind is the person you want to talk to. Don't forget about the WY Section Facebook page either. We are all over the web these days! The winds of change are blowing and we are moving in the right direction.

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**Wyoming Section  
Society for Range Management**



Our next council meeting is scheduled for May 8<sup>th</sup> at 2pm, this will be a conference/video call. Call in information will be available soon. If you would like something on the agenda, or simply like to call in let me know.

Clay Wood is actively putting together this year's Section Meeting. This year the meeting will be held in Sheridan, and the tentative dates are October 9-11<sup>th</sup> mark your calendars! Along with that, your submissions for awards at the section meeting will go through Mae Smith. I know there are many deserving folks out there, so please get your submissions in.

And finally, WyRED is fast approaching, the dates are June 4-8, 2018. This year it will be held in Fremont County just outside of Lander. Also, there is going to be a couple of field days to expand on our ESD discussions, which are tentatively scheduled for May 10<sup>th</sup> in the Big Horn Basin and May 31<sup>st</sup> in the Wind River Basin (weather permitting). Go to the website or contact Marji Patz for more info on all these events.

And, as always, if there is anything that your council can do for you please don't hesitate to contact us!

Happy Clipping,  
Bryan

**USDA – NRCS Powell Soil Survey Office is hosting two field days for Ecological Site Field Application.**

**These field days will be held on May 10<sup>th</sup> in the Big Horn Basin and May 31<sup>st</sup> in the Wind River Basin.**

**For more information contact Marji Patz at the following information:**

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**Specific information will be published via a rangeflash.**

## Wyoming Medusahead/Ventenata Field Tour 9am-4pm June 19, 2018 in Sheridan, WY

Please save the date so you can join the Northeast Wyoming Invasive Grasses Working Group for our second annual “Medusa-nata” tour and educational day. We will visit sites where we are actively managing these weeds, discuss the most current scientific research, and actively participate in breakout groups to discuss management scenarios.

Updated details and registration information can be found at:

<https://www.scweeds.com/invasive-annual-grasses>

**Lunch will be provided!**



### June 19, 2018 NEWIGWG “Medusa-nata” Field Tour Agenda

- 8:30 AM – Welcome, Logistics, NEWIGWG Update
- 9:00 AM – State of the Science on Ventenata Management, Dr. Timothy Prather, University of Idaho,
- 9:45 AM – Lessons from the Cache Valley Medusahead Task Force
- 10:30 AM – Depart from Sheridan Research and Extension Center
- 11:00 AM – Early Creek Medusahead Site
- 11:45 AM – Tour multi-invader site that was treated October 2017
- 12:30 PM – Catered lunch in the field
- 1:30 PM – Aerial herbicide application demonstration
- 2:00 PM – Side-by-side herbicide comparison for ventenata management
- 4:00 PM – Adjourn

### Monday June 18 Optional Pre-Tour and Cookout

Tour of the Sheridan Research and Extension Center, with an emphasis on ongoing weed science and rangeland restoration programs.

Pseudomonas flourescens MB906 plots (applied Fall 2015)

Esplanade at various spring timings for cheatgrass control (applied Spring 2016)

Esplanade and Method for reseeding of native perennial grasses (initiated Spring 2016)

Evaluation of various herbicides for bulbous bluegrass management (applied Spring 2017; Spring 2018)

Chronic herbicide toxicity for Canada thistle management (Various timings in 2017)

NEW Native Plants – A cooperative program for developing, evaluating, and increasing native plant materials for northeast Wyoming

BURGERS, ETC. AT HISTORIC WYARNO EXPERIMENT FARM



## **WY Section SRM Working Groups: Together is Better**

By WY Section Council

Greetings SRM Members!

First and foremost, ***thank you*** for volunteering for the positions you help with or lead for the WY SRM! The WY Section would not function without individuals who are passionate about rangelands that are also willing to contribute towards betterment of the Section as well as working together towards Range Management awesomeness across the state!

Member participation has been a recent topic of discussion at both the state and parent society level. Wyoming SRM Council Members have looked into various ways to encourage participation among members as well as to enhance the efficiency of our current volunteers serving on various committees. Since those discussions, the Council has assigned committees to “working groups”. This is looked at as an opportunity to address concerns expressed among section members as to how the WY Section will accomplish current tasks and efficiently function with a reduced amount of memberships and seeming reduction of members who are active in day-to-day Section operations. One would suggest that *creativity* and *excitement* for what the committees are charged with may increase when the amount of “one-man committees” is reduced and we encourage one another to work together a little more.

Our Wyoming Section has approximately 22 committees; few of these being run by a team, thus many are run by one person. In some cases, existing committees acting as sub-committees could potentially have greater function and interaction among many members. The idea behind this “restructure” is to promote interaction and cohesion of WY Section Members, by assigning committees to a “working group”.

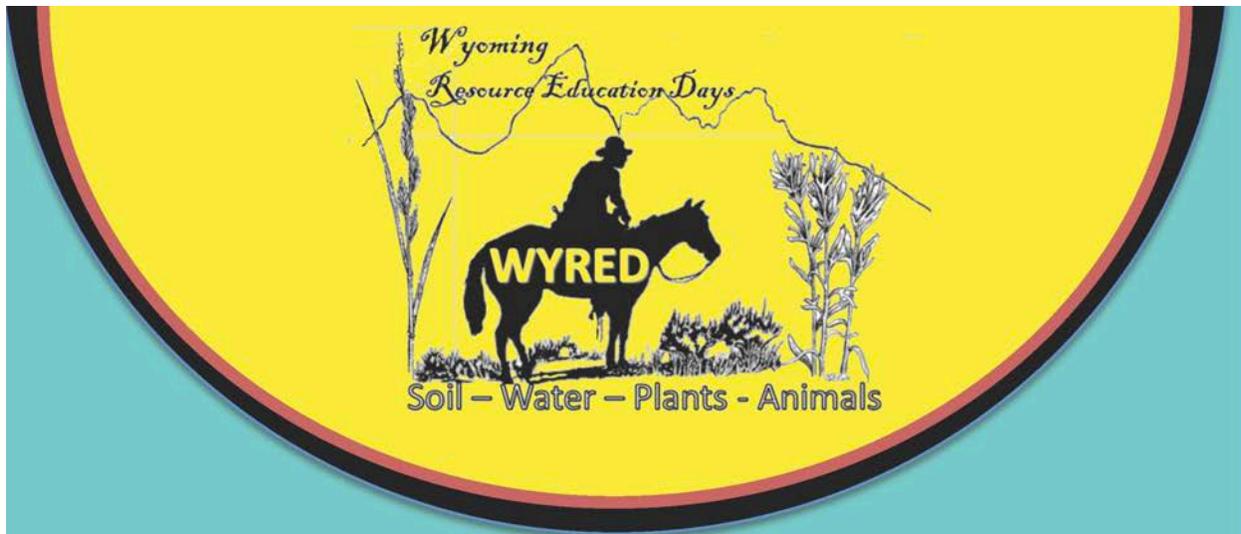
### 1) Executive Council

- a. Annual Meeting (planning, etc)
  - i. Council members would have supporting roles
  - ii. Chair ***Clay Wood (Incoming President)***
- b. Awards
  - i. Awards are voted on by council, that’s why it’s here
  - ii. Chair ***Mae Smith (Past President)***
- c. Budget & Financials
  - i. This also gets voted on by council and is ultimately council’s responsibility
  - ii. Chair ***Martin Curry/Blaine Horn***

- 2) Student Activities Working Group (**BJ Bender- Council Liaison**)
  - a. High School Youth Forum **Shari Meeks**
  - b. Plant ID Exam **Dan Rodgers**
  - c. URME **Justin Derner, Mae Smith, Jessica Crowder**
  - d. Range Cup **Brian & Rachel Mealor**
  - e. Student Speaking **Jim Waggoner**
  - f. Scholarships **Dan Rodgers**
  - g. WYRED (Sub-Committee for sure) **Marji Patz, Mae Smith, Martin Curry, Rex Lockman, Brian Mealor, Rachel Mealor, Jake Powell, Will Rose**
- 3) Outreach, Info & Education Working Group (**Bree Lind- Council Liaison**)
  - a. Trainings & Events (ESD, Range School, booths, etc) **Bryan Christensen,**
  - b. Newsletter (publishing) **Brian Sebade**
  - c. Website (function, maintenance, etc) **Bree Lind, Mae Smith**
  - d. Producer Affairs **Joe Budd**
  - e. YPC **Vacant**
- 4) SRM Operations Working Group (**Shari Meeks- Council Liaison**)
  - a. Fundraising **Clay Wood**
  - b. Handbook **John Likins**
  - c. Historian/Archive **Mike Smith**
  - d. Membership **Chuck Butterfield**
  - e. Nominations **Terry Booth**

It is highly recommended for Working Groups to meet on a quarterly basis (more or less often as needed) and update the council with meeting notes/minutes. Anticipate a call from your council liaison as we look forward to meeting and helping each other achieve the goals and objectives of the tasks set before us.

Please feel free to send comments or concerns to your Council Representative. We look forward to working together and fulfilling our call to SRM Awesomeness!



**NEW DATES!!! JUNE 5<sup>th</sup>-7<sup>th</sup>**

**Where: CWC Sinks Canyon Center-  
Lander, WY**

The WyRED Newsletter includes a Registration for the camp as well as UW Continuing Education Credits & PTSB Credits Registration. We will be sending it out within the next couple of weeks. Please get with me if you have any questions. Briar Harris 307-787-3070

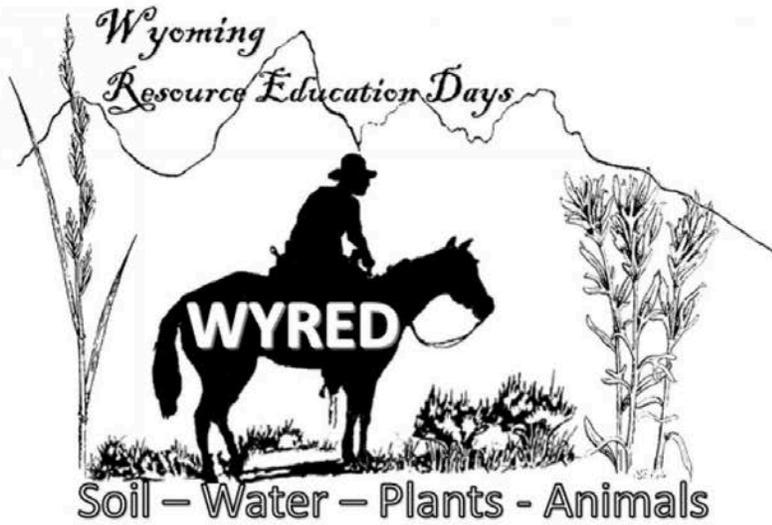




*Early Registration:*  
May 18th, 2018

*Late Registration:*  
June 4th, 2018

June 5 - June 7



## Wyoming Resource Education Days

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The Wyoming Section Society for Range Management (WY SRM), continues the traditions of WyRED at locations that provide education, relaxation and FUN! 2018 is a step into an updated and improved camp; the Conservation Districts across Central Wyoming and WY SRM have teamed up to celebrate 23 years on **June 5-7, 2018 at Sink's Canyon.**

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WY SRM held the first Range Camp in 1976 at Tensleep, WY. Range camp changed its name to WYRED-Wyoming Youth Resource Education Days, in 1996 at Buffalo, WY. WYRED has occurred every year since.

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Youth and Adults alike can attend the 3 day long camp that focuses on all aspects of natural resource (range) management. Professionals/experts volunteer from across Wyoming to teach about plant identification and anatomy, soils, wildlife and resource management, water/hydrology, GPS and map skills, and much more. The week is spent on the ground working with local ranches and seeing best management practices (conservation) at work.

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WYRED is hosted in a different area of the state each year. Moving the camp provides a wide range of experiences and exposes participants to different vegetation and resource concerns that exist across the great state of Wyoming

2019—SE—Lingle/Wheatland Area

2020—SW—Evanston Area



June 5—June 7, 2018



# Sinks Canyon Center

## We Welcome You

Sinks Canyon Center is a multi-use educational and recreational center located in the foothills of the Wind River Mountains. It's a living and learning facility for Outdoor Education students and is open to the community. Our grounds feature hiking/mountain biking trails and a mountain bike skills area available to the public. We also host educational field days for local schools, youth

summer camps and rent out space for weddings, reunions, business training and retreats.



# WY SRM

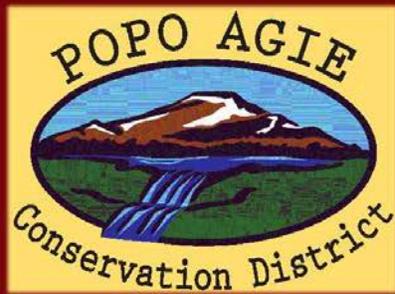


The Society for Range Management (SRM) was founded in 1948 as an international society. As the parent society grew, states started to develop local “chapters”. In 1973, Wyoming formed an official corporation/non-profit organization recognized as Wyoming Section, Society for Range Management. The Society as a whole is a professional organization composed of individuals with common interest in the study, management and rational use of rangeland and related ecosystems. The Society’s objectives are:

- ◇ to properly take care of the basic rangeland resources of soil, plants and water;
- ◇ to develop an understanding of range ecosystems and of the principles applicable to the management of range resources;
- ◇ to assist all who work with range resources to keep abreast of new findings and techniques in the science and art of range management;
- ◇ to improve the effectiveness of range management to obtain from range resources to products and values necessary for man’s welfare
- ◇ to create a public appreciation of economic and social benefits to be obtained from the range environment;
- ◇ to promote professional development of its members.

<p><b>WY SRM OFFICERS</b></p>	 <p>Bryan Christensen President, WyRED Committee</p>	 <p>Clay Wood President-Elect</p>	 <p>Marji Patz Sec. / Treasurer WyRED Committee Chairman</p>												
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## POPO AGIE CONSERVATION DISTRICT



Popo Agie Conservation District serves its members as outlined in their mission statement. "To plan for, protect, manage, and utilize the natural resources within the boundaries of the Popo Agie Conservation District through application of sound ecological, financial, and cooperative management principles that will sustain the quality of life and the natural resources for future generations to enjoy."

Some of the programs that they offer to their community are outlined below.

**Education:** Education is one of the main services we offer. We can come to your classroom and teach or provide you with resources to utilize yourself. We have those really cool rubber animal tracks, rock and mineral collections, CDs, games, and more. You really need to stop in and take a look at all of the things available.

**Trees:** One of the main things we do is make available conservation grade trees for wind brakes and living snow fences. We can help you design a wind break or help you choose what variety of trees and shrubs will work best for your soil type. Our demo garden will allow you to see some of the plants first hand so stop by our office to see some of the choices.

**Soils:** Soils affect many areas of our lives. From growing our food to supporting the foundations of our homes. Let us help you get to know your soils! NRCS Web Soil Survey is a great tool for learning about area soils.

**Water:** It goes without saying that water is one of the most precious resources in our District. PACD monitors bacterial levels on the Middle Fork of the Popo Agie during the summer recreation season. We also offer free rural well water testing events at least once a year.

**Garden Expo:** This FREE annual event features a trade show and educational workshops. Over 1500 people attend. Vendor booths display the latest and greatest offering of information, products, and services. Barnyard & Backyard workshops run throughout the day and are designed to address interests from small acreage landowners to backyard gardeners to outdoor enthusiasts. Attendees can enter a drawing for a balled and bur lapped tree and gift baskets.

# Camp Information

Wyoming Section of the Society for Range Management, WYSRM, is stepping up the challenge and scope of WyRED at locations that provide education, relaxation and fun. This year is top notch as we are teaming with Popo Agie Conservation District to continue the new and improved WyRED Camp and have up-to-date manuals with new digital formatting for ease!

**Dates:** June 5—7, 2018

**Place:** Sinks Canyon Center, Lander, WY

**Who can attend:** Youth who have completed the 8th grade-18 years. Adults are also encouraged to attend.

**Registration Fees:**

On or before May 18- \$200.00

After May 22 until June 5- \$225.00

**Included in Registration:**

Rangeland Manual  
Lodging  
Meals

**Each registrant is required to bring:**

Plant Press– See Page 6 for details  
Sleeping bag, Pillow  
Changes of clothing-dress in layers for varying temperatures.  
Personal supplies (towels, soap, shampoo, etc.)  
Sunscreen  
Hat, Rain coat  
Flashlight, knife (to cut samples)  
Water Bottle  
Backpack/Daypack  
Clipboard/Paper  
Pencils  
Calculator

## Camp Rules:

1. No smoking or chewing tobacco products, alcoholic beverages, illegal drugs, firearms, weapons or fireworks.
2. Campers must report to all activities unless excused by a chaperone.
3. Throwing objects that may cause bodily harm to another camper is strictly prohibited.
4. No pets allowed.
5. Cleanliness and respect for grounds and transportation are expected. If there is damage to camp property, responsible party will be expected to pay.
6. Any personal vehicles will remain in designated parking areas.
7. Camp curfew is 10:30 pm each night. Everyone is to remain in their lodging after this time.
8. Adult chaperones will be provided for each group of students. Contact Directors if a chaperone is not available. Respect for adult supervision is expected.
9. All campers and chaperones are to remain at the camp location for the duration of WyRED and may only leave when given permission by directors.

**If rules are violated campers will contact parental guardians for immediate dismissal.**

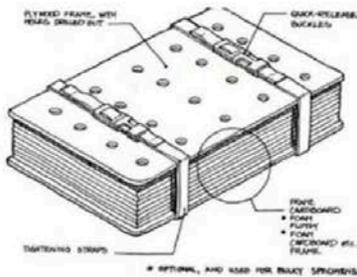
Successful learning and camping will be achieved if all rules are followed and order maintained.

These rules are in place for your protection and comply with public safety standards.

# Plant Presses

June 5—June 7, 2018

What is it? A plant press is to dry and press collected plant species to be mounted. The plant presses can be easily made with two pieces of plywood with holes drilled for ventilation, several pieces of cardboard and newspaper, bound with small ropes or straps. They should be at approximately 12" x 18" in size. The press should be big enough for about 50 plant specimens.



All camp participants will be expected to collect and label and turn in the plant press on Thursday for grading. **For 2018 we offer a second category for team or individuals to submit a second plant press in digital**

**format.** Using iPads or similar devices and the applications available, the same plant specimens will be required with labeling and locations provided. Each plant specimen will have a landscape view, and close up photos of identifying traits. This is to be completed in conjunction with the plant press for camp credit. They will be judged separately (independently of each other). All Camp participants will also be required to participate in the Range Judging Contest on Friday.



## Range Resources

### Websites

<http://uwyoextension.org/uwrange/>  
[www.webpages.uidaho.edu/what-is-range/quiz.htm](http://www.webpages.uidaho.edu/what-is-range/quiz.htm)  
[www.webpages.uidaho.edu/what-is-range/Tech-Clearinghouse/index.htm](http://www.webpages.uidaho.edu/what-is-range/Tech-Clearinghouse/index.htm)  
[www.rmh.uwyo.edu/](http://www.rmh.uwyo.edu/)  
<http://idranger.org/education/lessons-activities.htm>

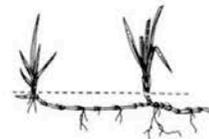
### Books

A Field Guide to Wyoming Grasses by Skinner  
 Sagebrush Country A Wildflowers Sanctuary by Taylor  
 Botany in a Day the Patterns Method of Plant Identification by Elpel  
 Plant Identification Terminology: An Illustrated Glossary by Harris & Harris  
 Rangeland Plants: Wyoming Tough by University of Wyoming B-1265



## Do You Know Your Roots?

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# Range & Land Judging Contest



## DATES:

Practice: Thurs. June 7, 2018

Contest: Thurs. June 7, 2018

Registration open until:

June 5, 2018

## TIMES:

Practice: Thurs. 8:00 pm–11:00 am

(Lunch Provided)

Contest: Thurs. 12:00 pm–4:00 pm

## DIVISIONS: (2018 graduates are eligible if 18 yrs.)

### INDIVIDUAL

- ⇒ Brush Popper: 9 yrs.– Under
- ⇒ Range Riders: 10 yrs.–13 yrs.
- ⇒ Open Youth: 15 yrs.–18 yrs.  
(may be FFA, 4-H, etc.)
- ⇒ Open Adults: 19 yrs.–over  
(non-professionals)
- ⇒ Open Professionals:  
Professional range personnel

### TEAMS

- ⇒ 4-H:  
members 14-18 yrs.
- ⇒ FFA:  
members 14-18 yrs.
- ⇒ Open Youth:  
15 yrs.–18 yrs.

## Competition Rules & Guidelines:

1. Teams will consist of four members at a maximum.
2. Team points will be scored from the high three members' individual scores.
3. FFA Chapters may enter more than one team.
4. The range plant identification, plant anatomy, and range management score are the contest scores used to determine team scores.
5. FFA team members must be at least 14 yrs. And no more than 18 yrs. By competition date. 2018 high school graduates are eligible.
6. FFA team members must be from the same chapter.
7. 4-H team members must be from the same state.
8. Team members must be designated at the beginning of practice on Thursday, June 7, 2018.



## *WyRED 2018 Schedule—TENTATIVE*

### Tuesday, June 5, 2018

8:00-9:00 am Registration  
 9-9:30 am Ice Breaker  
 9:30-11:45 am Ranch Plan  
 11:45-12:30 pm Lunch/Quiz  
 12:30-2:30 pm Rotation 1  
 2:30-3:30 pm Moth Boxes  
 3:30-5:30 pm Rotation 2  
 6:00-7 pm Dinner/Quiz  
 7-8:00 pm Range Pictionary

### Wednesday, June 6, 2018

7-8:00 am Breakfast/Quiz  
 8:00 am Ranch Tour  
 12:00 am Lunch - Plant  
 Press Due  
 1-6:00 pm Field Practice/  
 Rotations  
 6-7:00 pm Dinner  
 7:00-9 pm Plant Press

### Thursday, June 7, 2018

7-8:00 am Breakfast/Quiz  
 8-11:00 am Morning Practice  
 11-12:00 pm Lunch/Quiz  
 12-4:00 pm Contest  
 4-5:00 pm Light Dinner  
 5:00 pm Awards

\*\*We will have short fun activities to break up the educational sessions.\*\*

\*Please see camp rules and participation agreement on page 3. Each camper must bring a plant press to store and mount collected specimens. These presses can easily be made with two pieces of plywood and several pieces of card board, each 12" x 18" and bound together with small ropes. The press should be big enough for about 50 plant specimens. If completing an electronic press, it is still suggested that you present a plant press with the specimens harvested to do the electronic press. If with a team, this plant press can be completed as a team if accompanied by individual electronic plant collections.

## Wyoming Resource Education Days (WyRED)

June 5-7, 2018

## REGISTRATION FORM (not to be used for teacher credits)

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Chaperone or Adult Leader accompanying minors throughout the week\*\*\*: \_\_\_\_\_

Health form must be filled out and sent in with this application. SEE FORM ON THE REVERSE.

	On or Before May 18, 2018	After May 18, 2018**	Total
Pre-registration for WyRED camp, by May 18, 2018 (Includes: Range Camp and State Range Judging Program, meals and camp fee; applicant must have completed the 8 <sup>th</sup> grade)	\$200.00	\$225.00	_____
Pre-registration for State Range Judging Contest only (includes practice and Contest, Thursday With meals Thursday Breakfast and Lunch & Dinner plus 1 night lodging)	\$50.00	\$60.00	_____
		Total*	_____

**\*NOTE: Payment and registration prior to May 18th is important, however school vouchers will be accepted at registration time.****\*\*Registration closes June 4, 2018.\*\*****\*\*\* An adult chaperone must be present throughout the entire week of camp. If attending as an individual, or an advisor is not able to attend please contact the host Conservation District to make arrangement prior to attending camp.\*\*\***

## CONTEST REGISTRATION SECTION

RANGE JUDGING CONTEST DIVISIONS – indicate the division you will enter (Age after July 1, 2018)

INDIVIDUALS

Professional    Open Adult (19 &amp; over)    Open Youth (14-18)    Range Riders (10-13)    Brush Poppers (9 &amp; under)

TEAMS

4-H    FFA    Open Youth

Please list team member names:

## PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT

If an injury or illness develops during an activity or event, medical care will be provided and I will be notified as soon as possible. I understand that it is my responsibility to provide updates of health status, any changes in health conditions or medicinal needs prior to events in which this youth participates. I also authorize each of the following to occur: If an injury or other medical condition occurs or arises, I grant permission for medical treatment to be obtained for the youth and authorize the physician and/or the other medical staff to employ such diagnostic procedures and medical treatment as deemed necessary. - I authorize the release of any medical records necessary for treatment, referral, billing, or insurance purposes. - I give permission for this entire form to be photocopied. - I understand that I am financially responsible for any and all charges for any medical attention provided to the indicated youth. I agree that all activities and use of all facilities relating to participation in WyRED activities shall be undertaken at the sole risk of the youth/family. The WY SRM, its officers, representatives, volunteer leaders and youth shall not be liable for any claims, demands, injuries, damage, actions or causes of action, whatsoever, to me, my family, or my property arising out of or connected with participation in WyRED or the premises where the programs/events occur. I do hereby release, discharge, and hold harmless the WY SRM, its officers, representatives, volunteer leaders and youth from all such claims, demands, injuries, damage to person or property, actions or causes of action, including but not limited to all acts of active or passive negligence on the part of the WY SRM, its officers, representatives, volunteer leaders and youth. ***I have read, understand, and agree to the terms and conditions of this release, camp rules and conditions on page 3.***

***By signing, I am also indicating this was done freely and without inducement.***

Signatures:

Applicant \_\_\_\_\_ Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Make Checks Payable To:** Popo Agie Conservation District**Mail check to :** Popo Agie Conservation District ; % WyRED Registration; 221 S. 2nd Street Lander, WY 82520

Contact: Phone: (307) 332-3114 or Fax: (307) 3855 or Email District Manager: Kelsey Beck pacd.beck@gmail.com

Wyoming Resource Education Days (WyRED)

June 5-7, 2018

TEACHER CREDIT REGISTRATION FORM

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Health form must be filled out and sent in with this application. SEE FORM ON THE REVERSE.

Options	Credits	Description	Prices	Cost
Option #1	2 UW	Dates: June 5th 8:00 am- June 7th 5:00 pm	Early Registration May 18th- \$200 Late Registration June 1st- \$225	Early Reg. \$ _____ Late Reg. \$ _____
Option #2	2 PTSB	Dates: June 5th 8:00 am- June 7th 5:00 pm	Early Registration May 18th- \$200 Late Registration June 1st- \$225	Early Reg. \$ _____ Late Reg. \$ _____
			<i>Total</i>	

**\*NOTE: Payment and registration prior to May 18th is important, however school vouchers will be accepted at registration time.**

**\*\*Registration closes June 4, 2018.\*\***

CONTEST REGISTRATION SECTION

RANGE JUDGING CONTEST DIVISIONS – indicate the division you will enter (Age after July 1, 2018)

INDIVIDUALS

Professional      Open Adult (19 & over)      Open Youth (14-18)      Range Riders (10-13)      Brush Poppers (9 & under)

TEAMS

4-H                  FFA                  Open Youth

Please list team member names:

PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT

If an injury or illness develops during an activity or event, medical care will be provided and I will be notified as soon as possible. I understand that it is my responsibility to provide updates of health status, any changes in health conditions or medicinal needs prior to events in which this youth participates. I also authorize each of the following to occur: If an injury or other medical condition occurs or arises, I grant permission for medical treatment to be obtained for the youth and authorize the physician and/or the other medical staff to employ such diagnostic procedures and medical treatment as deemed necessary. - I authorize the release of any medical records necessary for treatment, referral, billing, or insurance purposes. - I give permission for this entire form to be photocopied. - I understand that I am financially responsible for any and all charges for any medical attention provided to the indicated youth. I agree that all activities and use of all facilities relating to participation in WyRED activities shall be undertaken at the sole risk of the youth/family. The WY SRM, its officers, representatives, volunteer leaders and youth shall not be liable for any claims, demands, injuries, damage, actions or causes of action, whatsoever, to me, my family, or my property arising out of or connected with participation in WyRED or the premises where the programs/events occur. I do hereby release, discharge, and hold harmless the WY SRM, its officers, representatives, volunteer leaders and youth from all such claims, demands, injuries, damage to person or property, actions or causes of action, including but not limited to all acts of active or passive negligence on the part of the WY SRM, its officers, representatives, volunteer leaders and youth. *I have read, understand, and agree to the terms and conditions of this release, camp rules and conditions on page 3.*

*By signing, I am also indicating this was done freely and without inducement.*

Signatures:

Applicant \_\_\_\_\_ Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Make Checks Payable To:** Popo Agie Conservation District

**Mail check to :** Popo Agie Conservation District ; % WyRED Registration; 221 S. 2nd Street Lander, WY 82520

Contact: Phone: (307) 332-3114 or Fax: (307) 332-3855 or Email District Manager: pacd.beck@gmail.com

**Wyoming Section Society for Range Management—WyRED Camp**

**Health Form**

**Contact Information:**

Participant's Name: (First) \_\_\_\_\_ (Last) \_\_\_\_\_ (MI) \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ (City) \_\_\_\_\_ (State) \_\_\_\_\_ (Zip code) \_\_\_\_\_

Participant's Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: \_\_\_\_\_

**EMERGENCY CONTACT:**

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Participant: \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Secondary Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**HEALTH INFORMATION:**

Does the participant have any known health concerns: (Asthma, Bronchitis, Diabetes, Fainting  
Spells, Heart Trouble, High Blood Pressure, Seizures, Others): \_\_\_\_\_

Does the Participant have any Allergies to DRUGs: \_\_\_\_\_

Does the Participant have any Allergies to FOODs: \_\_\_\_\_

Does the Participant have any Allergies or reactions to things in NATURE: (Bee Stings, Hay fever,  
Ivy/Sumac/Oak, Other): \_\_\_\_\_

Medications: Requires Medications (Please List all with dosages or state Does not Require):  
\_\_\_\_\_

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:** \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

# Outdoor Teacher Workshop 2018

Held in conjunction with WyRED 2018

*Learning is always fun when it is hands on but, to also do it outdoors....what could be better? This is a week long jam packed workshop covering topics such as plant anatomy, plant identification, soil basics, ecological sites, rangeland health and so much more. Join us for good company, great food and exceptional classes!*

<i>Options</i>	<i>Credits</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Cost</i>
<b>Option #1</b>	2 UW Credits	<b>Dates:</b> June 5th 8:00 am–June 7th 5:00 pm	Early Registration May 18th- \$200 Late Registration June 1st- \$225
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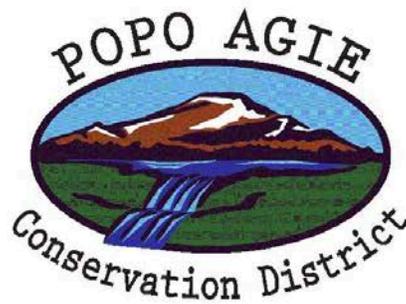
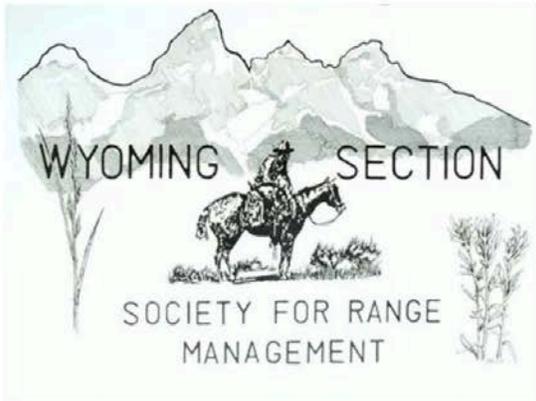
**Important Information:**

- All registrations include lodging and meals, and class materials.
- Participants who choose the UW Credits will be responsible for the \$50 per credit fee due to the University of Wyoming at the completion of the class.
- For registration forms please go to [www.aintacountycd.com](http://www.aintacountycd.com) under Education/Workshops/Teacher Workshops.

For questions please contact: Briar Harris 307-787-3070

**[bharris@bvea.net](mailto:bharris@bvea.net)**

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### Do You know Your Roots?

1. Stoloniferous Rhizome
2. Corm
3. Tuberous
4. Rhizome
5. Fibrous