News: a source-first weekly podcast briefing

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Today's top line (1 min)

• Rehearsal example: insert one verified headline and its publication date.

• State why it matters to your listeners without adding unsupported claims.

Headline rundown (3 min)

• Story A: [Verified headline, primary source URL, date].

• Story B: [Verified headline, primary source URL, date].

• Distinguish reported facts from commentary.

Main story (6 min)

• Explain what changed using the primary source.

• Give relevant context and identify what remains unknown.

• [QUOTE] Use only an exact, attributable excerpt you have permission to use.

• [UPDATE] Record corrections if the source changes.

What to watch (3 min)

• List confirmed upcoming dates; omit unverified schedules.

• Explain what evidence could change today's interpretation.

• Link the actual documents in the eventual show notes.

Sign-off (2 min)

• Recap the confirmed developments.

• Name the recording date and correction contact.

• [MUSIC] Close with your own show credits.