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GENERALLY SPEAKING

It's finally here. This month, our country officially turns 250 years old. Milestones always make me reflective, and this is a big one. I've been thinking a lot about the idea of America – what it means to me, what it means in our shared imagination, and what it will mean in the future. I hope and believe Americans across the country are engaging in similar contemplation. We share this place at a consequential time in history, and it's an important moment to look both backward and forward with clear eyes and curiosity.



Rachel Knight,
General Manager

Like so many folks across the country, I started my commemoration of this milestone in the fall with *The American Revolution*. If you missed it – or parts of it – it's worth revisiting. As always, Ken Burns and team bring the story to life with the perspectives and experiences of so many individuals who lived through the war that led to America. The series has been a meaningful point of connection and conversation for families and communities across the country. You can stream the entire series online now.

Throughout this year and continuing into this month, PBS has delivered a slate of programs that explore and examine the country's first 250 years, culminating in a holiday weekend of programming that celebrates this milestone, including *A Capitol Fourth* and *America Made in Virginia: 250 Years Together*.

Thank you for supporting public television and helping make possible programs that bring our communities and country together to reflect on our shared and ongoing commitment to form a more perfect union.

Rachel Knight, General Manager



A Capitol Fourth: 250th Weekend Celebration

7 p.m. and 8:30 p.m. Friday, July 3, and 9 p.m. Saturday, July 4

America's National Independence Day celebration honors our country's birthday with an all-star salute. This top-rated extravaganza features coverage from 20 cameras positioned around Washington, D.C., ensuring viewers are front and center for the greatest display of fireworks in the nation.

America Made in Virginia: 250 Years Together

7 p.m. and 10:30 p.m. Saturday, July 4

A star-filled tribute to America's semiquincentennial, set in the revolutionary capital of Colonial Williamsburg. Blending live performances, music, historical interpretation, impactful narration, and large-scale visual spectacle, the broadcast creates an inspiring national event that connects the nation's founding directly to the present day.

Designed as both a celebration and a unifying national moment, it offers a heartfelt and powerful reflection that honors the past, engages the present, and inspires a season of civic renewal — all from the place where the path to independence truly began.





The American Southwest

9 p.m. Wednesday, July 8

From the Rockies to scorching deserts and iconic landscapes, the mighty Colorado River sustains wildlife and communities. Uncover the region's deep cultural history and the urgent fight to protect its future. Narrated by Quannah Chasinghorse.



JFK: American Experience

8 p.m. Friday, July 10 and

8 p.m. Friday, July 17

Beyond the glamour, behind the charm, lies the true story of JFK. This two-part documentary lays out the trials and triumphs Kennedy experienced during his lifetime through film footage and interviews with experts, Kennedy insiders, and members of the Kennedy family.



Once Upon a Time in Space

Tuesdays at 8 p.m. starting July 14

Drawing on intimate, unseen archive and powerful first-hand testimony, this landmark four-part series tells the human stories behind our quest to explore space, offering a unique perspective on our changing world and where we are headed.

Chasing the Moon: American Experience

8 p.m. Friday, July 24 and

8 p.m. Friday, July 31

Explore the early days of the space race, the struggle to catch up with the Soviet Union and the enormous stakes in the quest to reach the moon, revealing both the breathtaking failures and successes of the developing U.S. space program.



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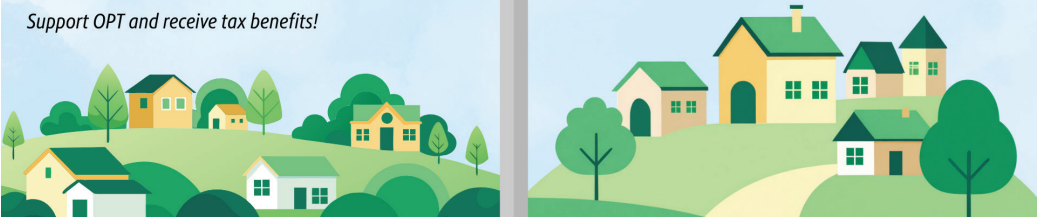
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The American Southwest

From the snowclad Rockies to the scorching Mojave Desert, the Colorado River nourishes wildlife and sculpts the legendary landscapes of the American Southwest. Narrated by Quannah Chasinghorse, *The American Southwest* follows the river's journey to sustain society and the natural world... through the lens of bugling elk, dam-building beavers, Mojave rattlesnakes, and the region's most fascinating wild characters.



Currently popular with Passport:

- Call the Midwife
- National Memorial Day Concert
- Murder in the Mountains

Expiring soon from Passport:

- America Reframed: Any Given Day (*expires July 7*)
- The White House: Inside Story (*expires July 13*)
- POV: Winter's Yearning (*expires July 25*)

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Alma's Way – Alma in Oz: The Musical!

Alma visits an Oz version of the Bronx. She meets familiar friends on a quest to have their questions answered by the Rubber Band Wizard.



JULY WEEKDAYS

* Note: The information below represents the weekday schedule for July 20-24.
Programming from 2:00 – 5:00 p.m. changes from week to week.

For up-to-the-minute program information, go to www.optv.org/tv-schedule

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
5:30	Classical Stretch				
6:00	Sit and Be Fit				
6:30	Weather Hunters				
7:00	Lyla in the Loop				
7:30	Carl the Collector				
8:00	Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood				
8:30	Phoebe & Jay				
9:00	Sesame Street				
9:30	Work it Out Wombats!				
10:00	Donkey Hodie				
10:30	Rosie's Rules				
11:00	Elinor Wonders Why				
11:30	Alma's Way				
12:00	Molly of Denali				
12:30	Xavier Riddle and the Secret Museum				
1:00	Baking with Julia				
1:30	Ask This Old House				
2:00	Bookish	Bookish	Trouble with Maggie Cole	Trouble with Maggie Cole	Trouble with Maggie Cole
2:30					
3:00	Antiques Roadshow	Finding Your Roots	Nature	Henry David Thoreau	Pati Jinich Explores Panama
3:30					
4:00	Antiques Roadshow	Once Upon a Time in Space	NOVA	Henry David Thoreau	Pati Jinich Explores Panama
4:30					
5:00	BBC News The Context				
5:30	BBC News America				
6:00	PBS News Hour				

1 Wednesday

EVENING

7:00 NOVA

Athens: Birth of Democracy

Archaeologists investigate the dramatic origins of democracy in ancient Greece 2,500 years ago.

8:00 NOVA

Revolutionary War Weapons

Discover the hidden history of the Revolutionary War.

9:00 The Kimberley:

Australia's Wild West Into the Fire

10:00 Amanpour & Company

11:00 NOVA

Athens: Birth of Democracy

2 Thursday

EVENING

7:00 This Old House

7:30 Ask This Old House

8:00 Missouri! A Bicentennial Celebration lp

10:00 Amanpour & Company

11:00 This Old House

11:30 Ask This Old House

3 Friday

EVENING

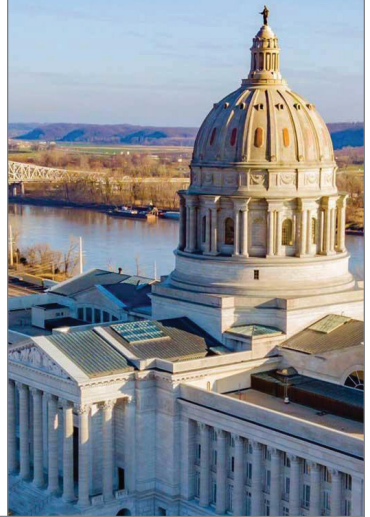
7:00 A Capitol Fourth: 250th Weekend Celebration

A national celebration of our country's 250th birthday live from the U.S. Capitol on July 3rd, 2026.

8 p.m. Thursday, July 2

Missouri! A Bicentennial Celebration lp

Enjoy this warm tribute to the Show-Me State and its people. This historical documentary is a sweeping snapshot of Missouri's statehood, from its early territory days to the pivotal role it played during the Civil War. Told through historians, rich narration, and abundant archival images.



8:00 A Capitol Fourth: 250th Weekend Celebration

10:00 Amanpour & Company

11:00 Washington Week with the Atlantic

11:30 Firing Line with Margaret Hoover

4 Saturday

MORNING

6:00 Happy Yoga

6:30 Yoga in Practice

7:00 Yoga in Practice

7:30 J Schwanke's Life in Bloom

8:00 Quilting Arts

8:30 Quilting Arts

9:00 Fons & Porter's Love of Quilting

9:30 Best of Sewing with Nancy

10:00 Best of the Joy of Painting

10:30 Missouri: A Bicentennial Celebration lp

AFTERNOON

12:30 The Shot Heard 'round The World: The Coming of the American Revolution

Explore how the culture of the original thirteen American colonies evolved over time.

2:30 Crossroads of a Nation: Missouri's Indelible Role in American History

This is part one of a three-part docuseries that traces Missouri's role in U.S. history.

3:30 Crossroads of a Nation: Missouri's Rhythm, Roads & Roots

4:30 Crossroads of a Nation: Missouri's Rifts, Roads and Civil Rights

Trace Missouri's complex transformation from a battleground to a keystone state.

5:30 Celebration at the Station 2026

EVENING

7:00 **America Made in Virginia: 250 Years Together**
Colonial Williamsburg's 250th gala features stars, music, and drones to honor America's journey.

9:00 **A Capitol Fourth: 250th Weekend Celebration**

10:30 **America Made in Virginia: 250 Years Together**

5 Sunday

MORNING

6:00 **Wild Kratts**

6:30 **Weather Hunters**

7:00 **Lyla in the Loop**

7:30 **Carl the Collector**

8:00 **Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood**

8:30 **Phoebe & Jay**

9:00 **Sesame Street**

9:30 **Work it Out Wombats!**

10:00 **Donkey Hodie**

10:30 **Rosie's Rules**

11:00 **Firing Line with Margaret Hoover**

11:30 **Live from the LBJ Library with Mark Updegrove**

AFTERNOON

12:00 **GZERO World with Ian Bremmer**

12:30 **Washington Week with the Atlantic**

1:00 **Samantha Brown's Places to Love**

1:30 **OzarksWatch Video Magazine** lp
National Scenic Riverways Show #1

2:00 **OzarksWatch Video Magazine** lp
Ozark National Scenic Riverways: Hidden Pleasures

2:30 **Weekends with Yankee**

3:00 **Culture Quest**

4:00 **Chihuly in the Hotshop**

5:00 **George Washington's Mount Vernon: Preserving The Legacy**

5:30 **Compass Points from PBS News**

6:00 **The Puzzle Lady Episode 3**

EVENING

7:00 **Patience The Timetable**
After witnessing her father's murder, an autistic girl leads Patience to uncover the truth.

8:00 **Grantchester on Masterpiece Season 11, Episode 4**
A trip to reconcile with his mother turns deadly, leaving Alphy as the prime suspect.

9:00 **Downton Abbey Season 2 on Masterpiece Part Four**
In the climactic battle of the war, Matthew and William go over the top to an uncertain fate.

10:00 **Murder in the Mountains Rotten Eggs**

11:00 **Patience The Timetable**

6 Monday

EVENING

7:00 **Antiques Roadshow Springs Preserve, Hour Three**
Head to the Mohave Desert in search of marvels at Springs Preserve in Las Vegas.

4 p.m. Sunday, July 5



Chihuly in the Hotshop

Follow Chihuly and his teams as they create magnificent pieces of glass art before an appreciative audience in the museum's state-of-the-art hotshop. Their work revisits 13 of Chihuly's best known series and offers viewers an intimate look at the challenging process involved in creating a work of art in glass.

8:00 Antiques Roadshow
Living History Farms,
Hour One
 Visit Living History Farms for treasures and a top \$75,000 to \$125,000 find.

9:00 Independent Lens
True North: Canadian Myths and Black Power
 True North revisits 1968 Montreal where Black liberation movements converged at the Congress of Black Writer

10:30 Amanpour & Company

11:30 Antiques Roadshow
Springs Preserve,
Hour Three

7 Tuesday

EVENING

7:00 Finding Your Roots
Family: Lost and Found
 DNA is used to solve mysteries for actor Joe Manganiello and football star Tony Gonzalez.

8:00 Breaking the Deadlock
How to Fix an Election

9:00 8 Days: to the Moon and Back
 The first moon landing is recreated with mission audio, astronaut conversations, footage, and CGI.

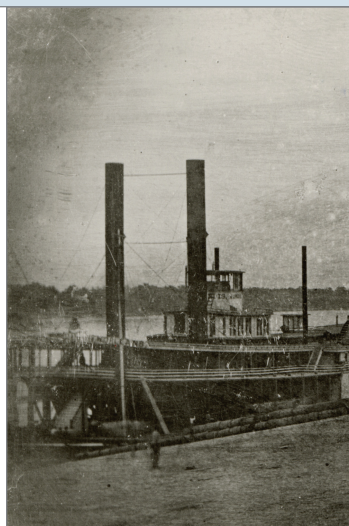
10:30 Amanpour & Company

11:30 Finding Your Roots
Family: Lost and Found

8 p.m. Thursday, July 9

Crossroads of a Nation: Missouri's Indelible Role in American History

From the region's indigenous cultures up to the brink of Civil War, this film traces Missouri's indelible — and undeniable — mark on American history, which helped shape the nation into what it is today.



8 Wednesday

EVENING

7:00 Nature
Niagara Falls
 Visit this geological wonder and witness its stunning beauty and wildlife.

8:00 NOVA
Black Hole Apocalypse
 Join astrophysicist Janna Levin on a mind-blowing voyage to the frontiers of black hole science.

9:00 The American Southwest
 A wildlife movie that journeys down the Colorado River.

10:00 Amanpour & Company

11:00 Nature
Niagara Falls

9 Thursday

EVENING

7:00 This Old House
7:30 Ask This Old House

8:00 Crossroads of a Nation: Missouri's Indelible Role in American History

9:00 OzarksWatch Video Magazine 1p
Johnson's Shut-Ins State Park

9:30 OzarksWatch Video Magazine 1p
Elephant Rocks State Park

10:00 Amanpour & Company

11:00 This Old House

11:30 Ask This Old House

10 Friday

EVENING

7:00 Washington Week with the Atlantic

7:30 Firing Line with Margaret Hoover

8:00 JFK: American Experience
Part One
 John F. Kennedy's rise to power, from his birth to his election as president in 1960, is examined.

- 10:00 Amanpour & Company
- 11:00 Washington Week with the Atlantic
- 11:30 Firing Line with Margaret Hoover

11 Saturday

MORNING

- 6:00 Happy Yoga
- 6:30 Yoga in Practice
- 7:00 Yoga in Practice
- 7:30 J Schwanke's Life in Bloom
- 8:00 Quilting Arts
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- 9:00 Fons & Porter's Love of Quilting
- 9:30 Best of Sewing with Nancy
- 10:00 Best of the Joy of Painting
- 10:30 America's Test Kitchen
- 11:00 Lidia's Kitchen
- 11:30 Kitchen Curious with Vivian Howard

AFTERNOON

- 12:00 Volunteer Woodworker
- 12:30 This Old House
- 1:00 Ask This Old House
- 1:30 Woodsmith Shop
- 2:00 American Woodshop
- 2:30 Cook's Country
- 3:00 Christopher Kimball's Milk Street
- 3:30 Christina Cooks
- 4:00 Pati's Mexican Table
- 4:30 America's Test Kitchen
- 5:00 Tastemakers
- 5:30 Horizons from PBS News
- 6:00 Classic Gospel

EVENING

- 7:00 The Lawrence Welk Show
The French Show
- 8:00 Sherlock on Masterpiece
Season 1: A Study in Pink
- 9:30 Life of a Musician
- 10:00 Austin City Limits
Samara Joy

- 11:00 NOVA
Black Hole Apocalypse

12 Sunday

MORNING

- 6:00 Wild Kratts
- 6:30 Weather Hunters
- 7:00 Lyla in the Loop
- 7:30 Carl the Collector
- 8:00 Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood
- 8:30 Phoebe & Jay
- 9:00 Sesame Street
- 9:30 Work it Out Wombats!
- 10:00 Donkey Hodie
- 10:30 Rosie's Rules
- 11:00 Firing Line with Margaret Hoover
- 11:30 Live from the LBJ Library with Mark Updegrave

AFTERNOON

- 12:00 GZERO World with Ian Bremmer
- 12:30 Washington Week with the Atlantic
- 1:00 Samantha Brown's Places to Love
- 1:30 OzarksWatch Video Magazine lp
Johnson's Shut-Ins State Park
- 2:00 OzarksWatch Video Magazine lp
Elephant Rocks State Park
- 2:30 Weekends with Yankee
- 3:00 Culture Quest
- 4:00 Camp Ricstar
- 5:30 Compass Points from PBS News
- 6:00 The Puzzle Lady
Episode 4

4 p.m. Sunday, July 12



Camp Ricstar

On its 20th anniversary, this film explores the history and impact of a one-of-a-kind music therapy camp for people with disabilities. We follow eight spirited campers as they sing, dance, create, connect, and perform in a joyful showcase where every ability is celebrated center stage.

EVENING

7:00 Patience
The Runes
Patience races to solve the murder of a Viking expert, and her relationship is in crisis.

8:00 Grantchester on Masterpiece
Season 11, Episode 5
Church corruption shakes Alphy's faith while Geordie's promotion strains his marriage.

9:00 Masterpiece Classic
Downton Abbey - Part 5
As the war nears its end, Downton's aristocrats and servants put their lives back together.

10:00 Murder in the Mountains
Break It Up

11:00 Patience
The Runes

13 Monday

EVENING

7:00 Antiques Roadshow
Living History Farms, Hour Two
A 1976 Marvel UK Super Spider-Man #175 cover art; a 1926 Rogers Hornsby sterling trophy; Winslow Homer watercolors circa 1879.

8:00 Antiques Roadshow
Living History Farms, Hour Three

9 p.m. Tuesday, July 14

When We Were Shuttle

A two-hour documentary that explores what NASA's space shuttle program meant to six exceptional men and women who worked behind the scenes to make it fly. Through their recollections and personal archives, the film examines some of the program's highs and its darkest hours.



9:00 Independent Lens
Flood
A filmmaker and her estranged father work to try to reconnect.

10:30 Amanpour & Company

11:30 Antiques Roadshow
Living History Farms, Hour Two

9:00 When We Were Shuttle
Explore what NASA's space shuttle program meant to six exceptional men and women.

11:00 Amanpour & Company

15 Wednesday

EVENING

7:00 Nature
Soul of the Ocean
Experience the soul of the ocean in a never-before-seen look at how life underwater co-exists.

8:00 NOVA
Black Hole Universe
Take a seat on the ultimate thrill ride to explore nature's strangest and most powerful objects.

9:00 Bugs That Rule the World
Insect Apocalypse
Scientists investigate the global insect "apocalypse".

14 Tuesday

EVENING

7:00 Finding Your Roots
Out of the Past
From the American Revolution to the Mayflower, Henry Louis Gates uncovers the roots of two actors.

8:00 Once Upon a Time in Space
America First
A pioneering class of astronauts is recruited by NASA to fly aboard its new Space Shuttle.

10:00 Amanpour & Company
11:00 Nature
Soul of the Ocean

16 Thursday

EVENING

7:00 This Old House
7:30 Ask This Old House
8:00 Crossroads of a Nation:
Missouri's Rifts,
Roads and Civil
Rights
9:00 OzarksWatch Video
Magazine lp
Harry S. Truman
Birthplace State
Historic Site & Prairie
State Park
9:30 OzarksWatch Video
Magazine lp
Ha Ha Tonka
State Park
10:00 Amanpour & Company
11:00 This Old House
11:30 Ask This Old House

17 Friday

EVENING

7:00 Washington Week
with the Atlantic

7:30 Firing Line with
Margaret Hoover
8:00 JFK: American
Experience
Part Two
John F. Kennedy's
successes and failures
in the White House
and his assassination
are explored.
10:00 Amanpour &
Company
11:00 Washington Week
with the Atlantic

18 Saturday

MORNING

6:00 Happy Yoga
6:30 Yoga in Practice
7:00 Yoga in Practice
7:30 J Schwanke's Life in
Bloom
8:00 Quilting Arts
8:30 Quilting Arts
9:00 Fons & Porter's
Love of Quilting
9:30 Best of Sewing with
Nancy

10:00 Best of the Joy
of Painting
10:30 America's Test
Kitchen
11:00 Lidia's Kitchen
11:30 Kitchen Curious with
Vivian Howard
AFTERNOON
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3:00 Christopher Kimball's
Milk Street
3:30 Christina Cooks
4:00 Pati's Mexican Table
4:30 America's Test Kitchen
5:00 Tastemakers
5:30 Horizons from PBS
News
6:00 Classic Gospel

EVENING

7:00 The Lawrence Welk
Show
Songs of the 70's
8:00 Sherlock on
Masterpiece
Season 1: The Blind
Banker
9:30 Life of a Musician
10:00 Austin City Limits
ACL Celebrates
Antone's & The Blues
11:00 NOVA
Black Hole Universe

8 p.m. Thursday, July 16



Crossroads of a Nation: Missouri's Rifts, Roads and Civil Rights

Traces the state's
complex transformation
from a battleground of
Civil War loyalties to a
keystone in America's
mid-century
modernization. Through
archival images and
expert commentary, the
film explores post-war
reconstruction across the
state.

19 Sunday

MORNING

6:00 Wild Kratts
6:30 Weather Hunters
7:00 Lyla in the Loop
7:30 Carl the Collector
8:00 Daniel Tiger's
Neighborhood

- 8:30 Phoebe & Jay
- 9:00 Sesame Street
- 9:30 Work it Out Wombats!
- 10:00 Donkey Hodie
- 10:30 Rosie's Rules
- 11:00 Firing Line with Margaret Hoover
- 11:30 Live from the LBJ Library with Mark Updegrave

AFTERNOON

- 12:00 GZERO World with Ian Bremmer
- 12:30 Washington Week with the Atlantic
- 1:00 Samantha Brown's Places to Love
- 1:30 OzarksWatch Video Magazine ^{lp} Harry S. Truman Birthplace State Historic Site & Prairie State Park
- 2:00 OzarksWatch Video Magazine ^{lp} Ha Ha Tonka State Park
- 2:30 Weekends with Yankee
- 3:00 Culture Quest
- 4:00 Pursuing Light: The Bill Strickland Story
- 5:30 Compass Points from PBS News
- 6:00 The Puzzle Lady Episode 5

EVENING

- 7:00 **Patience**
Paco's Revenge
Patience and Frankie solve crimes in York while navigating love and loss.

4 p.m. Sunday, July 19

Pursuing Light: The Bill Strickland Story

The documentary explores the life and impact of Bill Strickland, a Pittsburgh native whose vision for beauty, dignity, and high expectations reshaped education, workforce development, and community building — locally and far beyond.



- 8:00 **Grantchester on Masterpiece**
Season 11, Episode 6
Cathy's triumph at CeCe's turns dark when a club manager is found dead.
- 9:00 **Downton Abbey**
Season 2 on Masterpiece Part 6
- 11:00 **Murder in the Mountains**
Old Wounds

20 Monday

EVENING

- 7:00 **Antiques Roadshow**
Denver Botanic Gardens Chatfield Farms, Hour One
Discover delightful treasures at Denver Botanic Gardens Chatfield Farms!
- 8:00 **Antiques Roadshow**
Denver Botanic Gardens Chatfield Farms, Hour Two

- 9:00 **POV**
The Dating Game
Three bachelors tackle a dating coach's camp to find confidence and bridge their authentic selves.
- 10:30 **Amanpour & Company**
- 11:30 **Antiques Roadshow**
Denver Botanic Gardens Chatfield Farms, Hour One

21 Tuesday

EVENING

- 7:00 **Finding Your Roots**
Caribbean Roots
Henry Louis Gates, Jr. explores the Caribbean heritage of actor Liza Colon-Zayas.
- 8:00 **Once Upon a Time in Space**
The Russian Thing
When the Soviet Union falls, Russia welcomes U.S. astronauts to their space station Mir.

9:00 Space Chase USA
Explore the events that transformed Cocoa Beach, Florida into a center for the U.S. space program.

10:00 Amanpour & Company
11:00 Finding Your Roots
Caribbean Roots

22 Wednesday

EVENING

7:00 Nature
Big Little Journeys: Home
A baby turtle in Canada and a young bushbaby in South Africa search for a safe new home.

8:00 NOVA
Chasing Pluto
The New Horizons spacecraft will fly by and take the very first detailed images of Pluto.

9:00 Bugs That Rule the World
Lifegivers

10:00 Amanpour & Company
11:00 Nature
Big Little Journeys: Home

23 Thursday

EVENING

7:00 This Old House
7:30 Ask This Old House
8:00 Crossroads of a Nation: Missouri's Rhythm, Roads & Roots
9:00 OzarksWatch Video Magazine lp
Wilson's Creek 150th Anniversary

9:30 OzarksWatch Video Magazine lp
The Historic Ozark Mill at Finley Farms - Then and Now

10:00 Amanpour & Company
11:00 This Old House
11:30 Ask This Old House

24 Friday

EVENING

7:00 Washington Week with the Atlantic

7:30 Firing Line with Margaret Hoover
8:00 Chasing the Moon: American Experience
The early days of the space race and the struggle to catch up with the Soviet Union are explored.
10:00 Amanpour & Company
11:00 Washington Week with the Atlantic
11:30 Firing Line with Margaret Hoover

25 Saturday

MORNING

6:00 Happy Yoga
6:30 Yoga in Practice
7:00 Yoga in Practice
7:30 J Schwanke's Life in Bloom
8:00 Quilting Arts
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9:00 Fons & Porter's Love of Quilting
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3:00 Christopher Kimball's Milk Street

9 p.m. Wednesday, July 22



Bugs That Rule the World
Lifegivers

Dive into the colorful world of Earth's essential pollinators – bees, moths, and butterflies. Scientists and enthusiasts discuss life without these resilient creatures, whose impact goes far beyond their delicate appearance.

- 3:30 Christina Cooks
- 4:00 Pati's Mexican Table
- 4:30 America's Test Kitchen
- 5:00 Sense of Community: Farming lp
- 5:30 Horizons from PBS News
- 6:00 Classic Gospel

EVENING

- 7:00 The Lawrence Welk Show
County Fair
- 8:00 Sherlock on Masterpiece
Season 1:
The Great Game
- 9:30 Life of a Musician
- 10:00 Austin City Limits
Charley Crockett/
Waxahatchee
- 11:00 NOVA
Chasing Pluto

26 Sunday

MORNING

- 6:00 Wild Kratts
- 6:30 Weather Hunters
- 7:00 Lyla in the Loop
- 7:30 Carl the Collector
- 8:00 Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood
- 8:30 Phoebe & Jay
- 9:00 Sesame Street
- 9:30 Work it Out Wombats!
- 10:00 Donkey Hodie
- 10:30 Rosie's Rules

- 11:00 Firing Line Special

AFTERNOON

- 12:00 GZERO World with Ian Bremmer
- 12:30 Washington Week with the Atlantic
- 1:00 Samantha Brown's Places to Love

5 p.m. Sunday, July 26



Sacred Ground with Tim Daly

Highlights the people who are working to fortify their neighborhoods, empower communities, and make the world a better place. Hosted by actor Tim Daly, the series includes interviews with experts in the climate sciences, and panel discussions with leading lights in the environmental movement.

- 1:30 OzarksWatch Video Magazine lp
Wilson's Creek 150th Anniversary

- 2:00 OzarksWatch Video Magazine lp
The Historic Ozark Mill at Finley Farms - Then and Now

- 2:30 Weekends with Yankee

- 3:00 Bright Spark: The Reconciliation of Trevor Southey

- 4:00 Double Take: The Art of Elizabeth King

- 5:00 Sacred Ground with Tim Daly

- 5:30 Compass Points from PBS News

- 6:00 The Puzzle Lady
Episode 6

EVENING

- 7:00 Patience
A Monk's Tale
Patience uncovers unholy secrets in the monastery.

- 8:00 Grantchester on Masterpiece

Season 11, Episode 7
As Alphy seeks redemption, a murder investigation spirals into a high-stakes siege.

- 9:00 Downton Abbey Season 2 on Masterpiece
Part Seven

- 11:00 Murder in the Mountains
In the Dungeon

27 Monday

EVENING

- 7:00 Informed Voter Coalition lp
Senate District 20
Voters in Southwest Missouri can learn about area candidates who will share their ideas and goals in brief conversations.

7:30 **Informed Voter Coalition** lp
Circuit Clerk

8:00 **Antiques Roadshow**
Maryland Zoo,
Hour One
View astonishing treasures from our Baltimore stop! One is \$350,000 - \$570,000!

9:00 **POV Placeholder**

10:30 **Amanpour & Company**

11:30 **Antiques Roadshow**
Denver Botanic Gardens Chatfield Farms, Hour Three

28 Tuesday

EVENING

7:00 **Finding Your Roots**
The Road We Took
Henry Louis Gates, Jr. maps the roots of actor Lizzie Caplan and comedian Hasan Minhaj.

8:00 **Once Upon a Time in Space**
Politics Always Wins

9:00 **NOVA**
Operation Space
Station: High-Risk
Build
Get a look at the most terrifying moments during construction of the International Space Station.

10:00 **Amanpour & Company**

11:00 **Finding Your Roots**
The Road We Took

29 Wednesday

EVENING

7:00 **Nature**
Big Little Journeys: Survival
A Taiwanese pangolin and a Brazilian lion tamarin family travel to a strange new world.

8:00 **NOVA**
Pluto and Beyond
The New Horizons spacecraft attempts to fly by Ultima Thule, an object four billion miles from Earth.

9:00 **Bugs That Rule the World**
Eat Or Be Eaten
Uncover the ruthless world of insects.

10:00 **Amanpour & Company**

11:00 **Nature**
Big Little Journeys: Survival

30 Thursday

EVENING

7:00 **This Old House**

7:30 **Ask This Old House**

8:00 **Informed Voter Coalition** lp
Senate District 20

8:30 **Informed Voter Coalition** lp
Circuit Clerk

9:00 **OzarksWatch Video Magazine** lp

Let the Good Times Roll - Springfield's Historic Doling Park

9:30 **OzarksWatch Video Magazine** lp
Historic Timmons Temple-Then and Now

10:00 **Amanpour & Company**

11:00 **This Old House**

11:30 **Ask This Old House**

31 Friday

EVENING

7:00 **Washington Week with the Atlantic**

7:30 **Firing Line with Margaret Hoover**

8:00 **Chasing the Moon: American Experience**

10:00 **Amanpour & Company**

11:00 **Washington Week with the Atlantic**

11:30 **Firing Line with Margaret Hoover**

8 p.m. Tuesday, July 28



Once Upon a Time in Space

Politics Always Win

The Mir's reign in space comes to an end with the arrival of the International Space Station. A new dawn of co-operation awaits, offering hope for a divided world.



Sherlock on Masterpiece

Saturdays at 8 p.m. starting July 11

Sherlock Holmes stalks again in a thrilling contemporary version of the Victorian-era whodunits, starring Benedict Cumberbatch as the go-to consulting detective in 21st-century London, with Martin Freeman as his loyal friend, Dr. John Watson, and Rupert Graves as the long-suffering Inspector Lestrade.

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JULY PRIMETIME

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30
1	NOVA		NOVA		The Kimberley: Australia's Wild West		Amanpour & Company	
2	This Old House	Ask This Old House	Missouri! A Bicentennial Celebration				Amanpour & Company	
3	A Capitol Fourth: 250th Weekend Celebration			A Capitol Fourth: 250th Weekend Celebration			Amanpour & Company	
4	America Made In Virginia: 250 Years Together				A Capitol Fourth: 250th Weekend Celebration			250 Years Together
5	Patience		Grantchester on Masterpiece		Downton Abbey Season 2 on Masterpiece		Murder in the Mountains	
6	Antiques Roadshow		Antiques Roadshow		Independent Lens			Amanpour & Company
7	Finding Your Roots		Breaking The Deadlock		8 Days: to the Moon and Back			Amanpour & Company
8	Nature		NOVA		The American Southwest		Amanpour & Company	
9	This Old House	Ask This Old House	Crossroads of a Nation		OzarksWatch	OzarksWatch	Amanpour & Company	
10	Washington Week	Firing Line	JFK: American Experience				Amanpour & Company	
11	The Lawrence Welk Show		Sherlock on Masterpiece			Life of a Musician	Austin City Limits	
12	Patience		Grantchester on Masterpiece		Masterpiece Classic		Murder in the Mountains	
13	Antiques Roadshow		Antiques Roadshow		Independent Lens			Amanpour & Company
14	Finding Your Roots		Once Upon a Time in Space		When We Were Shuttle		Amanpour & Company	
15	Nature		NOVA		Bugs That Rule the World		Amanpour & Company	
16	This Old House	Ask This Old House	Crossroads of a Nation		OzarksWatch	OzarksWatch	Amanpour & Company	
17	Washington Week	Firing Line	JFK: American Experience				Amanpour & Company	
18	The Lawrence Welk Show		Sherlock on Masterpiece			Life of a Musician	Austin City Limits	
19	Patience		Grantchester on Masterpiece		Downton Abbey Season 2 on Masterpiece		Murder in the Mountains	
20	Antiques Roadshow		Antiques Roadshow		POV			Amanpour & Company
21	Finding Your Roots		Once Upon a Time in Space		Space Chase USA		Amanpour & Company	
22	Nature		NOVA		Bugs That Rule the World		Amanpour & Company	
23	This Old House	Ask This Old House	Crossroads of a Nation		OzarksWatch	OzarksWatch	Amanpour & Company	
24	Washington Week	Firing Line	Chasing the Moon: American Experience				Amanpour & Company	
25	The Lawrence Welk Show		Sherlock on Masterpiece			Life of a Musician	Austin City Limits	
26	Patience		Grantchester on Masterpiece		Downton Abbey Season 2 on Masterpiece		Murder in the Mountains	
27	Informed Voter	Informed Voter	Antiques Roadshow		POV			Amanpour & Company
28	Finding Your Roots		Once Upon a Time in Space		NOVA		Amanpour & Company	
29	Nature		NOVA		Bugs That Rule the World		Amanpour & Company	
30	This Old House	Ask This Old House	Informed Voter	Informed Voter	OzarksWatch	OzarksWatch	Amanpour & Company	
31	Washington Week	Firing Line	Chasing the Moon: American Experience				Amanpour & Company	

JULY OPT CREATE * Note: The information below represents the weekday schedule for July 6-12.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
5 a.m.	Craft in America	P. Allen Smith's Garden Home	Make Your Mark
5:30 a.m.		J Schwanke's Life in Bloom	Healing Yoga
6 a.m.	Burt Wolf: Travels and Traditions	Fresh Glass	Bare Feet with Mickela Mallozzi
6:30 a.m.	Fons & Porter's Love of Quilting	Fit 2 Stitch	The Joy of Painting with Nicholas Hankins
7 a.m.	This Old House	This Old House	This Old House
7:30 a.m.	Ask This Old House	J Schwanke's Life in Bloom	Healing Yoga
8 a.m.	Dining with the Chef	Pati's Mexican Table	Cook's Country
8:30 a.m.	Homemade Live!	Joanne Weir's Plates and Places	America's Test Kitchen
9 a.m.	Curious Traveler	Travels with Darley	Islands without Cars
9:30 a.m.	Weekends with Yankee	Travelscope	Samantha Brown's Places to Love
10 a.m.	Rick Steves' Europe	Rick Steves' Europe	Rick Steves' Europe
10:30 a.m.	Best of the Joy of Painting	Best of the Joy of Painting	Best of the Joy of Painting
11 a.m.	Flavor of Poland	Pati's Mexican Table	Cook's Country
11:30 a.m.	People of the North	Joanne Weir's Plates and Places	America's Test Kitchen
12 p.m.	Burt Wolf: Travels and Traditions	Fresh Glass	Bare Feet with Mickela Mallozzi
12:30 p.m.	Fons & Porter's Love of Quilting	Fit 2 Stitch	The Joy of Painting with Nicholas Hankins
1 p.m.	This Old House	This Old House	This Old House
1:30 p.m.	Ask This Old House	J Schwanke's Life in Bloom	Healing Yoga
2 p.m.	Burt Wolf: Travels and Traditions	Fresh Glass	Bare Feet with Mickela Mallozzi
2:30 p.m.	America's Test Kitchen	Cook's Country	America's Test Kitchen
3 p.m.	Flavor of Poland	Pati's Mexican Table	Cook's Country
3:30 p.m.	Homemade Live!	Joanne Weir's Plates and Places	America's Test Kitchen
4 p.m.	Curious Traveler	Travels with Darley	Islands without Cars
4:30 p.m.	Weekends with Yankee	Travelscope	Samantha Brown's Places to Love
5 p.m.	Rick Steves' Europe	Rick Steves' Europe	Rick Steves' Europe
5:30 p.m.	Indian as Apple Pie	Indian as Apple Pie	Indian as Apple Pie
6 p.m.	My Greek Table with Diane Kochilas	Kitchen Curious with Vivian Howard	Lidia's Kitchen
6:30 p.m.	Cook's Country	Moveable Feast	Cook's Country
7 p.m.	America's Test Kitchen	Christopher Kimball's Milk Street	Simply Ming
7:30 p.m.	Indian as Apple Pie	Indian as Apple Pie	Indian as Apple Pie

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Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Start Up	My World Too	Classical Stretch: By Essentrics	Classical Stretch: By Essentrics
Yoga in Practice	Family Plot: Gardening in the Mid-South	Healing Yoga	Happy Yoga with Sara Starr
Family Travel with Colleen Kelly	Daytripper	Taste of History	Dive in Tokyo
Quilting Arts	Sewing with Nancy	Paint This with Jerry Yarnell	Pocket Sketching with Kath Macaulay
This Old House	This Old House	Ask This Old House	Classical Stretch: By Essentrics
Yoga in Practice	Ask This Old House	This Old House	Classical Stretch: By Essentrics
Farmer and the Foodie	Lucky Chow	Garden Smart	The Jazzy Vegetarian
Christopher Kimball's Milk Street	America's Test Kitchen	Garden Smart	Christina Cooks: Back to the Cut
Crossing South	Cycle Around Japan Highlights	Cook's Country	Trails to Oishii Tokyo
Travelscope	Samantha Brown's Places to Love	Cook's Country	Journeys in Japan
Rick Steves' Europe	Rick Steves' Europe	Cook's Country	J Schwanke's Life in Bloom
Best of the Joy of Painting	Best of the Joy of Painting	Cook's Country	Family Plot: Gardening in the Mid-South
Farmer and the Foodie	Lucky Chow	Cook's Country	Cook's Country
Christopher Kimball's Milk Street	America's Test Kitchen	Cook's Country	Cook's Country
Family Travel with Colleen Kelly	Daytripper	Cook's Country	Cook's Country
Quilting Arts	Sewing with Nancy	Cook's Country	Cook's Country
This Old House	This Old House	Cook's Country	Cook's Country
Yoga in Practice	Ask This Old House	Cook's Country	Cook's Country
Family Travel with Colleen Kelly	Daytripper	This Old House	Cook's Country
Cook's Country	America's Test Kitchen	Ask This Old House	Cook's Country
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Christopher Kimball's Milk Street	America's Test Kitchen	Cook's Country	Cook's Country
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Rick Steves' Europe	Rick Steves' Europe	Rick Steves' Europe	How She Rolls
Indian as Apple Pie	Indian as Apple Pie	Christopher Kimball's Milk Street	Simply Ming
Steven Raicheln's Planet Smoke	Milk Street's My Family Recipe	Christopher Kimball's Milk Street	To Dine for with Kate Sullivan
Pati's Mexican Table	Cook's Country	Pati's Mexican Table	Cook's Country
Christopher Kimball's Milk Street	America's Test Kitchen	Antiques Roadshow	Antiques Roadshow
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