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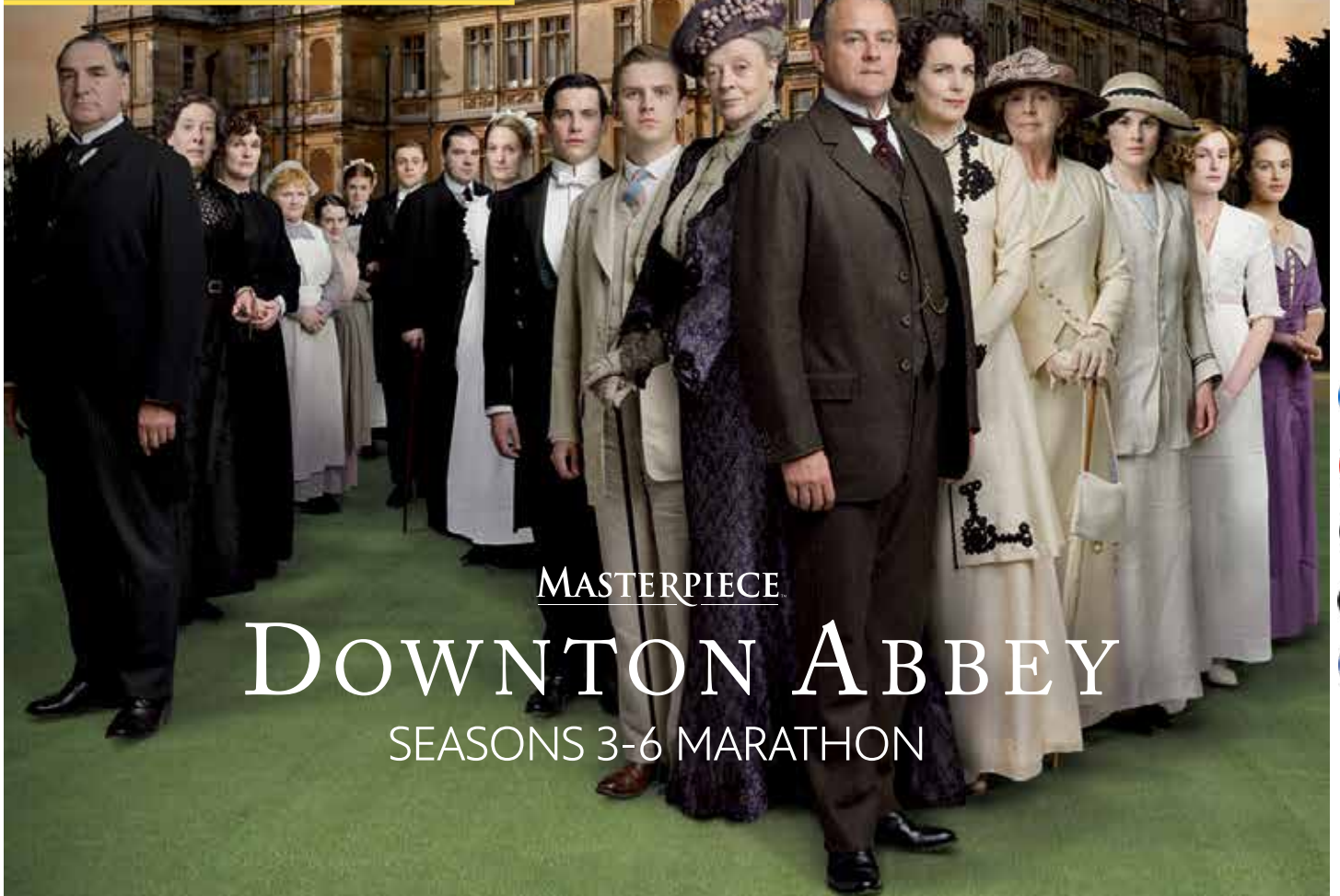
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PROGRAM GUIDE

SUMMERFEST '26



MASTERPIECE

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SEASONS 3-6 MARATHON

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SAT | MAY 23 | 7AM



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Cox 8	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
Fri 1	Washington Week (cc)	Kansas Week (cc)	Positively Kansas (cc)	Empowering Seniors (cc)	Under The Vines Episode 6 (cc)		My Music (cc)	BBC News (cc)	Amanpour & Company (cc)	
Sat 2	Miss Fisher's Murder Mysteries Blood and Money (cc)		Doc Martin Paint It Black (cc)		Father Brown The Blessing of the Father (cc)		Under The Vines Episode 6 (cc) (R)		Austin City Limits Jon Batiste (cc)	
Sun 3	Call The Midwife Season 15, Episode 7 (cc)		MaryLand On Masterpiece Episode 1 (cc)		The Count of Monte Cristo On Masterpiece - The Duel (cc)		Doc Martin Paint It Black (cc) (R)		Father Brown The Blessing of the Father (cc) (R)	
Mon 4	Antiques Roadshow Grant Farm, Hour 2 (cc)		Death In Paradise (cc)		Independent Lens - Matter of Mind: My Parkinson's (cc)		American Masters (cc)	BBC News (cc)	Amanpour & Company (cc)	
Tue 5	Finding Your Roots In The Blood (cc)		See Taste Do (cc)	Hometowns (cc)	Frontline - Strike On Iran: The Nuclear Question (cc)		See Taste Do (cc)	BBC News (cc)	Amanpour & Company (cc)	
Wed 6	Life On Earth: Attenborough's Greatest Adventure (cc)		NOVA - Decoding The Universe: Cosmos (cc)		Shared Planet Open Spaces (cc)		Taste Of History (cc)	BBC News (cc)	Amanpour & Company (cc)	
Thu 7	Hatteberg's People (cc)	One On One (cc)	Kansas Ghost Towns (cc)			Miss Fisher's Murder Mysteries Blood and Money (cc) (R)		BBC News (cc)	Amanpour & Company (cc)	
Fri 8	Washington Week (cc)	Kansas Week (cc)	Positively Kansas (cc)	Empowering Seniors (cc)	Under The Vines Episode 1 (cc)		My Music (cc)	BBC News (cc)	Amanpour & Company (cc)	
Sat 9	Miss Fisher's Murder Mysteries Death & Hysteria (cc)		Doc Martin Wild West Country (cc)		Father Brown The Battle of Kempleford (cc)		Under The Vines Episode 1 (cc) (R)		Austin City Limits - Renee Rapp/Thee Sacred Souls (cc)	
Sun 10	Call The Midwife Season 15, Episode 8 (cc)		MaryLand On Masterpiece Episode 2 (cc)		The Count of Monte Cristo On Masterpiece -The Last Two (cc)		Doc Martin Wild West Country (cc) (R)		Father Brown The Battle of Kempleford (cc) (R)	
Mon 11	Antiques Roadshow Grant Farm, Hour 3 (cc)		Death In Paradise (cc)		Independent Lens - Natchez (cc)			BBC News (cc)	Amanpour & Company (cc)	
Tue 12	Finding Your Roots Far From Home (cc)		See Taste Do (cc)	Hometowns (cc)	Frontline - Contaminated: The Carpet Industry's Toxic Legacy (cc)		See Taste Do (cc)	BBC News (cc)	Amanpour & Company (cc)	
Wed 13	Nature - Attenborough and the Sea (cc)		NOVA - Decoding The Universe: Quantum (cc)		Shared Planet Forests (cc)		Taste Of History (cc)	BBC News (cc)	Amanpour & Company (cc)	
Thu 14	Hatteberg's People (cc)	One On One (cc)	Kansas Ghost Towns II (cc)				One On One (cc)	BBC News (cc)	Amanpour & Company (cc)	
Fri 15	Washington Week (cc)	Kansas Week (cc)	Positively Kansas (cc)	Empowering Seniors (cc)	Under The Vines Episode 2 (cc)		My Music (cc)	BBC News (cc)	Amanpour & Company (cc)	
Sat 16	Miss Fisher's Murder Mysteries Death at the Grand (cc)		Doc Martin - Equilibrium (cc)		Father Brown The Kempleston Players (cc)		Under The Vines Episode 2 (cc) (R)		Austin City Limits - Marcus King Band/Wyatt Flores (cc)	
Sun 17	Lucy Woirsley's Royal Myths & Secrets - Elizabeth I (cc)		MaryLand On Masterpiece Episode 3 (cc)		Downton Abbey Season 1 On Masterpiece -Part 1 (cc)		Doc Martin - Equilibrium (cc) (R)		Father Brown The Kempleston Players (cc) (R)	
Mon 18	Antiques Roadshow Junk in the Trunk 15 (cc)		Death In Paradise (cc)		Independent Lens - Light of the Setting Sun (cc)		BBC News (cc)	Amanpour & Company (cc)		
Tue 19	Finding Your Roots Stranger Than Fiction (cc)		See Taste Do (cc)	Hometowns (cc)	Frontline Crisis in Venezuela (cc)		See Taste Do (cc)	BBC News (cc)	Amanpour & Company (cc)	
Wed 20	Wheels of Justice (cc)		Nature - Attenborough's Wonder of Song (cc)		Shared Planet Waters (cc)		Taste Of History (cc)	BBC News (cc)	Amanpour & Company (cc)	
Thu 21	Hatteberg's People (cc)	One On One (cc)	Kansas Weather When Disaster Strikes (cc)		Kansas Weather When Disaster Strikes (cc) (R)		One On One (cc) (R)	BBC News (cc)	Amanpour & Company (cc)	
Fri 22	Washington Week (cc)	Kansas Week (cc)	Positively Kansas (cc)	Empowering Seniors (cc)	Under The Vines Episode 3 (cc)		My Music (cc)	BBC News (cc)	Amanpour & Company (cc)	
Sat 23	Downton Abbey Season 4 On Masterpiece Part One (cc)					Downton Abbey Season 4 On Masterpiece Part Two (cc)		Downton Abbey Season 4 On Masterpiece Part Three (cc)		
Sun 24	National Memorial Day Concert 2026 (cc)			Downton Abbey Season 5 On Masterpiece Episode 4 (cc)		Downton Abbey Season 5 On Masterpiece - Episode 5 (cc)		Downton Abbey Season 4 On Masterpiece - Episode Six (cc)		
Mon 25	Downton Abbey Season 6 On Masterpiece Episode 6 (cc)		Downton Abbey Season 6 On Masterpiece Episode 7 (cc)		Downton Abbey Season 6 On Masterpiece - Episode 8 (cc)			Downton Abbey Season 5 (cc)		
Tue 26	Kansas Bluegrass: Music of the People (cc)		Woody Guthrie at 100! Live at the Kennedy Center (cc)			Henry David Thoreau - Who Are We? (cc)		Ghost Mountain (cc)		
Wed 27	Nature - Equus: Story of the Horse: Origins (cc)		Nature - Equus: Story of the Horse: Chasing The Wind (cc)			Henry David Thoreau - Being Alive (cc)		Kaavya (cc)		
Thu 28	An Oasis on the Prairie: Ranchers of Greenwood County (cc)					Rick Steves Art of Europe (cc)		Henry David Thoreau Several More Lives to Live (cc)		Food Is My Teacher (cc)
Fri 29	Washington Week (cc)	Rick Steves Art of Europe (cc)	Great Performances - Josh Groban: An Intimate Evening at the Union Chapel (cc)				Barbra Streisand: Timeless - Live In Concert (cc)			
Sat 30	^{6:00} Lawrence Welk (cc)	Miss Fisher's Murder Mysteries Game, Set & Murder (cc)			Doc Martin Single White Bevy (cc)		Grains of Glory: The Kansas Mennonite Story (cc)			Rick Steves Europe (cc)
Sun 31	^{6:15} All Creatures Great and Small (cc)	All Creatures Great and Small On Masterpiece Comfort and Joy (cc)			Solving The Puzzles of the Marlow Murder Club (cc)			Antiques Roadshow Natural Wonders (cc)		

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Wednesday, May 6 @ 7PM

LIFE ON EARTH

Attenborough's Greatest Adventure

David Attenborough tells the story of the wildlife blockbuster that would change his life forever.

Natchez

Monday, May 11 @ 9PM

INDEPENDENT LENS

Tourism, memory, and race collide in a Mississippi town built on antebellum nostalgia.

LIGHT OF THE SETTING SUN

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Monday, May 18 @ 9PM

A filmmaker confronts her Chinese family's trauma and questions whether the cycle can end.

INDEPENDENT LENS

NATIONAL MEMORIAL DAY CONCERT

HONORING OUR HEROES

★ 25 ★

Sunday, May 24 @ 7PM

America's national night of remembrance hosted by Tony Award-winner Joe Mantegna and Emmy Award-winner Gary Sinise airs live from the West Lawn of the U.S. Capitol, honors the courage and sacrifice of our military men and women, their families, and pays tribute to all who have given their lives in service to our nation. The evening will feature powerful storytelling and musical salutes featuring world-renowned artists with the National Symphony Orchestra, and a special commemoration of the country's 250th anniversary highlighting the all-volunteer force that won our independence in the American Revolution.

SUMMERFEST '26

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MASTERPIECE

DOWNTON ABBEY

SEASONS 3-6 MARATHON

Starting Saturday, May 23 @ 7AM

Enjoy your Memorial Day Weekend with the continuing saga of the Crawley family. The marathon begins with the Crawley family receiving a warm welcome at Duneagle Castle when they visit Rose and her parents in the Highlands but there is no disguising the tensions between their hosts.

AN OASIS ON THE PRAIRIE

RANCHERS OF GREENWOOD COUNTY

Thursday, May 28 @ 7PM

Meet the ranch families who tend to the grasslands of the southern Flint Hills of Kansas, where 85% of Greenwood County is prairie.

GREAT PERFORMANCES

JOSH GROBAN

AN INTIMATE EVENING AT THE UNION CHAPEL

Friday, May 29 @ 8PM

The concert captures the acclaimed vocalist showcasing his most beloved songs alongside new material, all reimagined within the chapel's acoustics. Between songs, Groban speaks about what makes these songs personal to him.

6AM MORNING STRETCH				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Happy Yoga with Sarah Starr (CC) TVG	Wai Lana Yoga (CC) TVG	Sit and Be Fit (CC) TVG	YNDI Yoga (CC) TVG	Happy Yoga with Sarah Starr (CC) TVG
6AM - 7PM SUNDAYS		WEEKDAYS		SATURDAYS
6:00	Wild Kratts (CC) (D)	6AM Morning Stretch See Chart Above		Wild Kratts (CC)
6:30	Weather Hunters (CC)	BBC WORLD NEWS (CC) TVRE		Weather Hunters (CC)
7:00	Lyla in the Loop (CC) (D)	Lyla in the Loop (CC) (D)		Lyla in the Loop (CC) (D)
7:30	Carl The Collector (CC)	Carl The Collector (CC)		Carl The Collector (CC)
8:00	Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood (CC) (D)	Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood (CC) (D)		Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood (CC) (D)
8:30	Rosie's Rules (CC) (D)	Phoebe & Jay (CC) (D)		Phoebe & Jay (CC) (D) Wowsabout 05/16
9:00	Sesame Street (CC) (D)	Sesame Street (CC) (D)		Sesame Street (CC) (D)
9:30	Waabiny Time (CC)	Waabiny Time (CC)		Eddie's Little Homies (CC)
10:00	Donkey Hodie (CC) (D)	Donkey Hodie (CC) (D)		Donkey Hodie (CC) (D)
10:30	Pinkalicious & Peterrific (CC) (D)	Rosie's Rules (CC) (D)		Rosie's Rules (CC) (D)
11:00	Antiques Roadshow TVG (R)	Amanpour & Company TVRE (CC)		Christopher Kimball's Milk Street (CC) TVG
11:30				History with David Rubenstein (CC) TVG
12:00	This Old House TVG	VARIOUS PROGRAMS SEE AFTERNOONS (Page 5)		Motorweek (CC) TVG
12:30	Home Diagnosis (CC) TVG			This Old House (CC) TVG
1:00	Rick Steves' Europe (CC) TVG			American Woodshop (CC) TVG
1:30	See Taste Do Kansas (R) TVG			American Woodshop (CC) TVG
2:00	Julia Child-Cooking with Master Chefs (CC) TVG			Empowering Seniors TVG
2:30	Consuelo Mack WealthTrack (CC) TVRE			Masterpiece Mystery! Granchester Season 1 (CC) (D) TV14
3:00	Kansas Week (R) TVG			Lyla in the Loop (CC) (D)
3:30	Hatteberg's People (R) TVG	Melvin Mania (CC) See page 5 for dates.	Alma's Way (CC)	Reel Midwest: Homegrown (CC) TVPG
4:00	One On One with Victor Hogstrom (R) TVG	Odd Squad (CC) (D)		Roots of Comedy with Jesus Trejo (CC) TVPG
4:30	Positively Kansas (R) TVG	Arthur (CC)		Music California (CC) TVPG
5:00	Compass Points from PBS News (CC) TVRE	5PM PBS Kids (See Chart Below)		Horizons from PBS News (CC) TVRE
5:30	Market to Market (CC) TVG	BBC NEWS AMERICA (CC) TVRE		The Joy of Music TVG
6:00	Keeping Up Appearances (CC) TVG	PBS News Hour (CC) TVRE		The Lawrence Welk Show (CC) TVG
6:30	As Time Goes By (CC) TVG			
5PM PBS KIDS				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Wild Kratts (CC)	Ready Jet Go! (CC) (D)	Wild Kratts (CC)	Wild Kratts (CC)	DIY Science Time (CC) TVG

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AFTERNOONS

MONDAYS

Noon NOVA (CC) (D) (R) TVPG
 1:00 Pocket Sketching with Kath Macaulay (CC) TVG
 1:30 The Family Plot: Gardening in the Mid-South (CC) TVG
 2:00 Classical Stretch: By Essentrics (CC) TVG
 2:30 Garden Smart (CC) TVG

TUESDAYS

Noon Antiques Roadshow (CC) (R) TVG
 1:00 America's Heartland (CC) TVG
 1:30 French Magnolia Cooks (CC) TVG
 2:00 Lidia's Kitchen (CC) TVG
 2:30 Sara's Weeknight Meals (CC) TVG

WEDNESDAYS

Noon Finding Your Roots (CC) (R) TVG
 1:00 Fit 2 Stitch (CC) TVG
 1:30 Fons & Porter's Love of Quilting (CC) TVG
 2:00 Fresh Quilting (CC) TVG
 2:30 Best of Sewing with Nancy (CC) TVG

THURSDAYS

Noon NOVA (CC) (R) TVG
 1:00 Painting & Travel (CC) TVG
 1:30 The Best of the Joy of Painting (CC) TVG
 2:00 Weekends with Yankee (CC) TVG
 2:30 Sit and Be Fit (CC) TVG

FRIDAYS

Noon Central Texas Gardener (CC) TVG
 12:30 Home Diagnosis (CC) TVG
 1:00 Quilting Arts (CC) TVG
 1:30 Fons & Porter's Love of Quilting (CC) TVG
 2:00 American Woodshop (CC) TVG
 2:30 Best of Sewing with Nancy (CC) TVG

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

**Have some spare time on your hands?
 Want to get out of the house?
 Need those volunteer hours for your college application or resume?**

We have several opportunities for Volunteering and would love to have you join our crew!

Email info@kpts.org or call (316) 838-3090.



**Monday, May 18 @ 3:30PM
 Thursday, May 21 @ 3:30PM**

BECOME A MELVIN MANIAC!

Melvin is asking for your support "to keep the lights on!" Would you consider supporting this local kids show and becoming a Melvin Maniac? Go to kpts.org for more information.



**Channel 8.1 - Saturday, May 16 @ 8:30AM
 Channel 8.4 - Check **Special Programming** on page 11.**

Set in breathtaking Sequoia National Park, Wowsabout, the new special from The Jim Henson Company for PBS KIDS, follows Roxy, a free-spirited singing hedgehog, and Ronald, an overprepared, tree-loving pig. She's chasing "magical giants," he's after a Junior Ranger badge. Through nature's AWE, plus music and art, they discover unexpected friendship in a hilarious, heartwarming musical adventure!



**SAVE THE DATE
 SEPTEMBER 12**



Annual High Tea

Details to come.

Don't forget to join us for a day full of information, demonstrations and fun!

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Senior Expo

May 7 | 9AM - 2PM | FREE ADMISSION

The Sedgwick County Extension Education Center • 7001 W. 21st St. N. • Wichita

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PBS KANSAS EXPLORE Primetime 8.2

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Cox 671	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
Fri 1	Joyland: Reliving The Memories (cc)		Great Performances - Now Hear This The Iceland Sound (cc)		PBS News Hour (cc)		Washington Week (cc)	Firing Line (cc)	Great Performances - Now Hear This The Iceland Sound (cc) (R)	
Sat 2	The Lawrence Welk Show Top Songs from Broadway Musicals (cc)		Horizons from PBS News (cc)	Firing Line (cc)	Antiques Roadshow Grants Farm, Hour 1 (cc)		Finding Your Roots Hidden in the Genes (cc)		Shared Planet - Cities (cc)	
Sun 3	Nature - Tusker: Brotherhood of Elephants (cc)		Compass Points (cc)	Washington Week (cc)	Antiques Roadshow Grants Farm, Hour 1 (cc)		Call The Midwife Season 15, Episode 7 (cc)		MaryLand On Masterpiece Episode 1 (cc)	
Mon 4	NOVA Return to the Moon (cc)		Antiques Roadshow Birmingham, Hour 1 (cc)		PBS News Hour (cc)		Antiques Roadshow Grant Farm, Hour 2 (cc)		The American Revolution The Soul of America (cc) ▶	
Tue 5	Behind The Wings (cc)	Behind The Wings (cc)	Antiques Roadshow Santa Clara, Hour 1 (cc)		PBS News Hour (cc)		Finding Your Roots In The Blood (cc)		The American Revolution The Most Sacred Thing (cc) ▶	
Wed 6	Death In Paradise (cc)		Call The Midwife Season 15, Episode 7 (cc)		PBS News Hour (cc)		Life On Earth: Attenborough's Greatest Adventure (cc)		NOVA - Decoding The Universe: Cosmos (cc)	
Thu 7	This Old House (cc)	Ask This Old House (cc)	Music California (cc)	Music California (cc)	PBS News Hour (cc)		This Old House (cc)	Ask This Old House (cc) (R)	Call The Midwife Season 15, Episode 7 (cc) (R)	
Fri 8	Kansas Ghost Towns (cc)			Positively Wichita (cc)	PBS News Hour (cc)		Washington Week (cc)	Firing Line (cc)	Great Performances - Suff's (cc) ▶	
Sat 9	The Lawrence Welk Show America at Play (cc)		Horizons from PBS News (cc)	Firing Line (cc)	Antiques Roadshow Grants Farm, Hour 2 (cc)		Finding Your Roots In The Blood (cc)		Shared Planet Open Spaces (cc)	
Sun 10	Nature - Parenthood: Grasslands (cc)		Compass Points (cc)	Washington Week (cc)	Antiques Roadshow Grants Farm, Hour 2 (cc)		Call The Midwife Season 15, Episode 8 (cc)		MaryLand On Masterpiece Episode 2 (cc)	
Mon 11	NOVA - Rain Bombs (cc)		Antiques Roadshow Charleston, Hour 1 (cc)		PBS News Hour (cc)		Antiques Roadshow Grant Farm, Hour 3 (cc)		Antiques Roadshow - Santa Fe's Museum Hill, Hour 3 (cc)	
Tue 12	Behind The Wings (cc)	Behind The Wings (cc)	Antiques Roadshow Charleston, Hour 1 (cc)		PBS News Hour (cc)		Finding Your Roots Far from Home (cc)		Finding Your Roots Larger Than Life (cc)	
Wed 13	Death In Paradise (cc)		Call The Midwife Season 15, Episode 8 (cc)		PBS News Hour (cc)		Nature - Attenborough and the Seas Dragon (cc)		NOVA - Decoding The Universe: Quantum (cc)	
Thu 14	This Old House (cc)	Ask This Old House (cc)	Music California (cc)	Music California (cc)	PBS News Hour (cc)		This Old House (cc)	Ask This Old House (cc) (R)	Call The Midwife Season 15, Episode 8 (cc) (R)	
Fri 15	Kansas Ghost Towns II (cc)				PBS News Hour (cc)		Washington Week (cc)	Firing Line (cc)	Great Performances Irving Berlin's Top Hat (cc) ▶	
Sat 16	The Lawrence Welk Show Caribbean Cruise (cc)		Horizons from PBS News (cc)	Firing Line (cc)	Antiques Roadshow Grants Farm, Hour 3 (cc)		Finding Your Roots Far from Home (cc)		Shared Planet Forests (cc)	
Sun 17	Nature - Parenthood: Freshwater (cc)		Compass Points (cc)	Washington Week (cc)	Antiques Roadshow Grants Farm, Hour 3 (cc)		Lucy Worsley's Royal Myths & Secrets - Elizabeth I (cc)		MaryLand On Masterpiece Episode 3 (cc)	
Mon 18	NOVA - Stone Age Temple Mystery (cc)		Antiques Roadshow Albuquerque, Hour 1 (cc)		PBS News Hour (cc)		Antiques Roadshow Junk in the Trunk 15 (cc)		Antiques Roadshow - Cheekwood Estate & Gardens, Hour 1 (cc)	
Tue 19	Behind The Wings (cc)	Behind The Wings (cc)	Antiques Roadshow Albuquerque, Hour 2 (cc)		PBS News Hour (cc)		Finding Your Roots Stranger Than Fiction (cc)		American Masters - W.E.B. Du Bois: Rebel with a Cause (cc) ▶	
Wed 20	Death In Paradise (cc)		Call The Midwife Season 15, Episode 8 (cc)		PBS News Hour (cc)		Nature - Attenborough's Wonder of Song (cc)		NOVA - When Whales Could Walk (cc)	
Thu 21	This Old House (cc)	Ask This Old House (cc)	Music California (cc)	Music California (cc)	PBS News Hour (cc)		This Old House (cc)	Ask This Old House (cc) (R)	Lucy Worsley's Royal Myths & Secrets - Elizabeth I (cc) (R)	
Fri 22	Kansas Weather When Disaster Strikes (cc)		Great Performances - An Evening with Nicole Scherzinger (cc)			Rick Steves' Europe (cc)	Washington Week (cc)	Firing Line (cc)	Great Performances - An Evening with Nicole Scherzinger (cc) ▶	
Sat 23	6:30 Country Classics (cc)		Barbra Streisand: Timeless - Live In Concert (cc)				Grains of Glory: The Kansas Mennonite Story (cc)		Rick Steves' Europe (cc)	
Sun 24	National Memorial Day Concert 2026 (cc)			National Memorial Day Concert 2026 (cc) (R)			Woody Guthrie at 100! Live at the Kennedy Center (cc)			National Memorial (cc) (R)
Mon 25	Women of World War II: More Untold Stories (cc)			Celebrating America 250: Made with Love (cc)			Antiques Roadshow - Celebrating Asian-Pacific Heritage (cc)		Antiques Roadshow - Cheekwood Estate & Gardens, Hour 2 (cc)	
Tue 26	Kansas Bluegrass: Music of the People (cc)			Woody Guthrie at 100! Live at the Kennedy Center (cc)			Finding Your Roots Dreamers One and All (cc)		Seabiscuit: American Experience (cc)	
Wed 27	7:15 All Creatures Great and Small On Masterpiece - Our Hearts Are Full (cc)			All Creatures Great and Small On Masterpiece - Comfort and Joy (cc)			Nature - Attenborough and the Jurassic Sea Monster (cc)		NOVA - Great Mammoth Mystery (cc)	
Thu 28	Oasis on the Prairie: Ranchers of Greenwood County (cc)					Rick Steves' Europe (cc)	This Old House (cc)	Ask This Old House (cc) (R)	Antiques Roadshow - Celebrating Asian-Pacific Heritage (cc)	
Fri 29	6:00 Downtown Abbey Season 3 On Masterpiece - Part 7 (cc)		Downton Abbey Season 4 On Masterpiece - Part 1 (cc)				Positively Wichita (cc)	Great Performances - Broadway Musical: A Jewish Legacy (cc) ▶		
Sat 30	6:05 Lawrence Welk Show (cc)		Miss Fisher's Murder Mysteries Game, Set & Murder (cc)		Doc Martin Single White Bevy (cc)		Grantchester Season 10 On Masterpiece - Episode 6 (cc)		Grantchester Season 10 On Masterpiece - Episode 7 (cc)	
Sun 31	6:00 Downtown Abbey Season 8 (cc)		All Creatures Great and Small On Masterpiece - Comfort and Joy (cc)			Downton Abbey Season 5 On Masterpiece - Episode 9 (cc)			Positively Wichita (cc)	

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MUSIC CALIFORNIA

Thursdays, May 7, 14 & 21 @ 8 & 8:30PM

TasteTV's television series, MUSIC CALIFORNIA, brings a festival of award-winning West Coast, National and International music to television viewers. Each episode includes features award-winning music videos, as well as interviews from bands, artists, and musicians from across the United States and more.

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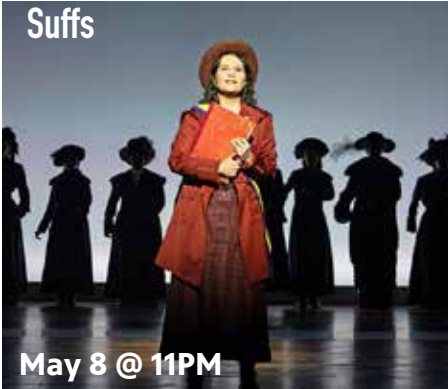
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GREAT PERFORMANCES Friday Nights

PBS KANSAS EXPLORE 8.2 (Cox 671) Daytime Features

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May 8 @ 11PM

Created by Tony Award winner Shaina Taub, this musical recorded from Broadway tells the story of the American suffragist movement and the remarkable friendships, heartbreak, and action that brought women together—or, in some cases, tore them apart.

Irving Berlin's Top Hat



May 15 @ 11PM

Inspired by the iconic 1935 movie musical starring Fred Astaire and Ginger Rogers, this acclaimed Chichester Festival Theatre revival recorded from the West End in January 2026 is directed and choreographed by three-time Tony winner Kathleen Marshall.

An Evening with Nicole Scherzinger



May 22 @ 8 & 11PM

Recorded in October 2025, Nicole Scherzinger performs at London's Royal Albert Hall for the first time in her first major UK solo show in 13 years. Accompanied by a full orchestra, Scherzinger sings a mix of beloved Broadway standards and pop hits from her career as lead singer of The Pussycat Dolls.

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WOODY GUTHRIE at 100!
LIVE at the KENNEDY CENTER
Sunday, May 24 @ 10PM
Repeat Tuesday, May 26 @ 8:30PM

A centennial celebration of America's greatest folk musician, Woody Guthrie. This concert brings John Mellencamp, Jackson Browne, Tom Morello, Ry Cooder, Ani DiFranco, Rosanne Cash, The Old Crow Medicine Show, and others together to honor the music and the man. It's a celebration like no other, recorded live at the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts in Washington, DC.



Celebrating
AMERICA 250

Made with Love
Monday, May 25 @ 8:30PM

Explore America's founding spirit through the work of artisans, whose traditions helped shape the nation. From boatbuilders to blacksmiths to a glassblower remaking the ancient art, these creators illustrate the many cultures that built this country.



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Primetime 8.3

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May schedule.

Cox 670	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
Fri 1	America's Test Kitchen (cc)	Kitchen Queens (cc)	La Frontera with Pati Jinich Fronterizos of the Golden Coast (cc)		La Frontera with Pati Jinich Ancient Seeds & Desert Ghosts (cc)		La Frontera with Pati Jinich Back to the Middle (cc)		Pati's Mexican Table (cc)	Pati's Mexican Table (cc)
Sat 2	The Great American Recipe (cc)		Best of the Joy of Painting (cc)	Best of the Joy of Painting (cc)	Rick Steves Art of Europe The Renaissance (cc)		French Chef Classics (cc)	Pat's Mexican Table (cc)	Farmer and the Foodie (cc)	Cook's Country (cc)
Sun 3	The Great American Recipe (cc)		La Frontera with Pati Jinich Fronterizos of the Golden Coast (cc)		Confucius was a Foodie (cc)		People of the North (cc)	Joanne Weir (cc)	Milk Street Television (cc)	America's Test Kitchen (cc)
Mon 4	America's Test Kitchen (cc)	Kitchen Queens (cc)	La Frontera with Pati Jinich Ancient Seeds & Desert Ghosts (cc)		Rick Steves' Europe (cc)	Ireland with Michael (cc)	Seeing Canada (cc)	Best of the Joy of Painting (cc)	Kitchen Queens (cc)	America's Test Kitchen (cc)
Tue 5	Milk Street Television (cc)	Kitchen Queens (cc)	La Frontera with Pati Jinich Back to the Middle (cc)		Rick Steves' Europe (cc)	Travelscope (cc)	Travels with Darley (cc)	Best of the Joy of Painting (cc)	Kitchen Queens (cc)	Milk Street Television (cc)
Wed 6	The Life of Loi (cc)	Kitchen Queens (cc)	Pati's Mexican Table (cc)	Pati's Mexican Table (cc)	Rick Steves' Europe (cc)	Samantha Brown (cc)	Passion Italy (cc)	Best of the Joy of Painting (cc)	Kitchen Queens (cc)	The Life of Loi (cc)
Thu 7	Milk Street Television (cc)	Kitchen Queens (cc)	Pati's Mexican Table (cc)	Pati's Mexican Table (cc)	Rick Steves' Europe (cc)	Travelscope (cc)	Wild Rivers with Tillie (cc)	Best of the Joy of Painting (cc)	Kitchen Queens (cc)	Milk Street Television (cc)
Fri 8	America's Test Kitchen (cc)	Kitchen Queens (cc)	Rick Steves' Europe (cc)	Rick Steves' Europe (cc)	Rick Steves' Europe (cc)	Rick Steves' Europe (cc)	Rick Steves' Europe (cc)	Rick Steves' Europe (cc)	Rick Steves' Europe (cc)	Rick Steves' Europe (cc)
Sat 9	The Great American Recipe (cc)		Best of the Joy of Painting (cc)	Best of the Joy of Painting (cc)	Rick Steves Art of Europe Baroque (cc)		French Chef Classics (cc)	Pat's Mexican Table (cc)	Farmer and the Foodie (cc)	Cook's Country (cc)
Sun 10	The Great American Recipe (cc)		Rick Steves' Europe (cc)	Rick Steves' Europe (cc)	Confucius was a Foodie (cc)		People of the North (cc)	Joanne Weir (cc)	Milk Street Television (cc)	America's Test Kitchen (cc)
Mon 11	America's Test Kitchen (cc)	Kitchen Queens (cc)	Rick Steves' Europe (cc)	Rick Steves' Europe (cc)	Rick Steves' Europe (cc)	Ireland with Michael (cc)	Seeing Canada (cc)	Best of the Joy of Painting (cc)	Kitchen Queens (cc)	America's Test Kitchen (cc)
Tue 12	Milk Street Television (cc)	Kitchen Queens (cc)	Rick Steves' Europe (cc)	Rick Steves' Europe (cc)	Rick Steves' Europe (cc)	Travelscope (cc)	Travels with Darley (cc)	Best of the Joy of Painting (cc)	Kitchen Queens (cc)	Milk Street Television (cc)
Wed 13	The Life of Loi (cc)	Table for All (cc)	Rick Steves' Europe (cc)	Rick Steves' Europe (cc)	Rick Steves' Europe (cc)	Samantha Brown (cc)	Passion Italy (cc)	Best of the Joy of Painting (cc)	Table for All (cc)	The Life of Loi (cc)
Thu 14	Milk Street Television (cc)	Table for All (cc)	Rick Steves' Europe (cc)	Rick Steves' Europe (cc)	Rick Steves' Europe (cc)	Travelscope (cc)	Wild Rivers with Tillie (cc)	Best of the Joy of Painting (cc)	Table for All (cc)	Milk Street Television (cc)
Fri 15	The Life of Loi (cc)	Table for All (cc)	Relish (cc)	Field Trip with Curtis Stone: Hong Kong (cc)		Confucius was a Foodie (cc)		Lucky Chow (cc)	Food Roots (cc)	
Sat 16	Antiques Roadshow Grants Farm, Hour 3 (cc)		Best of the Joy of Painting (cc)	Best of the Joy of Painting (cc)	Rick Steves Art of Europe The Modern Age (cc)		French Chef Classics (cc)	Pat's Mexican Table (cc)	Farmer and the Foodie (cc)	Cook's Country (cc)
Sun 17	Antiques Roadshow Santa Fe's Museum Hill, Hour 3 (cc)		Relish (cc)	Lucky Chow (cc)	Confucius was a Foodie (cc)		People of the North (cc)	Joanne Weir (cc)	Milk Street Television (cc)	America's Test Kitchen (cc)
Mon 18	America's Test Kitchen (cc)	Table for All (cc)	Field Trip with Curtis Stone: Hong Kong (cc)		Rick Steves' Europe (cc)	Ireland with Michael (cc)	Seeing Canada (cc)	Best of the Joy of Painting (cc)	Table for All (cc)	America's Test Kitchen (cc)
Tue 19	Milk Street Television (cc)	Table for All (cc)	Confucius was a Foodie (cc)		Rick Steves' Europe (cc)	Travelscope (cc)	Travels with Darley (cc)	Best of the Joy of Painting (cc)	Table for All (cc)	Milk Street Television (cc)
Wed 20	The Life of Loi (cc)	Table for All (cc)	Food Roots (cc)		Rick Steves' Europe (cc)	Samantha Brown (cc)	Islands Without Cars (cc)	Best of the Joy of Painting (cc)	Table for All (cc)	The Life of Loi (cc)
Thu 21	Milk Street Television (cc)	Table for All (cc)	Pacific Heartbeat - Ola Hou - Journey to New York Fashion Week (cc)		Rick Steves' Europe (cc)	Travelscope (cc)	Wild Rivers with Tillie (cc)	Best of the Joy of Painting (cc)	Table for All (cc)	Milk Street Television (cc)
Fri 22	The Life of Loi (cc)	Table for All (cc)	America The Bountiful (cc)	Ellie's Real Good Food (cc)	Sara's Weeknight Meals (cc)	Lucky Chow (cc)	The Jazzy Vegetarian (cc)	Kevin Belton's New Orleans (cc)	Steven Raichlen (cc)	Cook's Country (cc)
Sat 23	Antiques Roadshow Junk in the Trunk 15 (cc)		Best of the Joy of Painting (cc)	Best of the Joy of Painting (cc)	Rick Steves Art of Europe Stone Age to Ancient Greece (cc)		French Chef Classics (cc)	Pat's Mexican Table (cc)	Farmer and the Foodie (cc)	Cook's Country (cc)
Sun 24	Antiques Roadshow Cheekwood Estate Gardens, Hour 1 (cc)		America The Bountiful (cc)	Ellie's Real Good Food (cc)	Confucius was a Foodie (cc)		People of the North (cc)	Joanne Weir (cc)	Milk Street Television (cc)	America's Test Kitchen (cc)
Mon 25	America's Test Kitchen (cc)	Table for All (cc)	Sara's Weeknight Meals (cc)	Lucky Chow (cc)	Rick Steves' Europe (cc)	Weekends with Yankee (cc)	Seeing Canada (cc)	Best of the Joy of Painting (cc)	Table for All (cc)	America's Test Kitchen (cc)
Tue 26	Milk Street Television (cc)	Table for All (cc)	The Jazzy Vegetarian (cc)	Kevin Belton's New Orleans (cc)	Rick Steves' Europe (cc)	Travelscope (cc)	Travels with Darley (cc)	Best of the Joy of Painting (cc)	Table for All (cc)	Milk Street Television (cc)
Wed 27	The Life of Loi (cc)	Table for All (cc)	Steven Raichlen (cc)	Cook's Country (cc)	Rick Steves' Europe (cc)	Samantha Brown (cc)	Islands Without Cars (cc)	Best of the Joy of Painting (cc)	Table for All (cc)	The Life of Loi (cc)
Thu 28	Milk Street Television (cc)	Table for All (cc)	My Greek Table (cc)	Pati's Mexican Table (cc)	Rick Steves' Europe (cc)	Travelscope (cc)	Crossing South (cc)	Best of the Joy of Painting (cc)	Table for All (cc)	Milk Street Television (cc)
Fri 29	America's Test Kitchen (cc)	Table for All (cc)	American Woodshop (cc)	American Woodshop (cc)	Ask This Old House (cc)	Ask This Old House (cc)	Volunteer Woodworker (cc)	Volunteer Woodworker (cc)	Woodsmith Shop (cc)	Woodsmith Shop (cc)
Sat 30	Antiques Roadshow Celebrating Asian-Pacific (cc)		Best of the Joy of Painting (cc)	Best of the Joy of Painting (cc)	Rick Steves Art of Europe Ancient Rome (cc)		French Chef Classics (cc)	Pat's Mexican Table (cc)	Farmer and the Foodie (cc)	Cook's Country (cc)
Sun 31	Antiques Roadshow Cheekwood Estate Gardens, Hour 2 (cc)		American Woodshop (cc)	American Woodshop (cc)	Confucius was a Foodie (cc)		People of the North (cc)	Joanne Weir (cc)	Milk Street Television (cc)	America's Test Kitchen (cc)

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Marathon Friday, May 1 @ 8PM
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Savor the sights, sounds and flavors of the U.S.-Mexico border alongside acclaimed chef and James Beard Award-winning host Pati Jinich as she experiences the region's rich culture, people and cuisine.



Marathon Friday, May 8 @ 8PM
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Friday, May 15 @ 8:30PM
Repeat Monday, May 18 @ 8PM

Curtis Stone heads to *Hong Kong* to discover the influences of tradition and a modern food scene that carries a deep respect for the past. Join Curtis as he brings viewers along for the ride. During his journey, he finds himself folding dumplings with a master, exploring jars of ancient ingredients, and training with a martial arts legend.

Friday, May 29 @ 10 & 10:30PM

Discover the heart of Tennessee with woodworker Charles Brock as he learns master craftsmanship from local artisans. **Volunteer Woodworker** takes viewers on a journey through the state while exploring a wide array of woodworking pieces, from exquisite furniture to intricate musical instruments.





KANSAS CHANNEL 8

KIDS Channel 8.4



Cox 681	SUNDAYS	WEEKDAYS	SATURDAYS
6:00	Pinkalicious & Peterrific (CC) (D)	Pinkalicious & Peterrific (CC) (D)	Pinkalicious & Peterrific (CC) (D)
6:30	Peg + Cat (CC) (D)	Curious George (CC) (D)	Peg + Cat (CC) (D)
7:00	Sesame Street (CC) (D)	Sesame Street (CC) (D)	Sesame Street (CC) (D)
7:30	Phoebe & Jay (CC)	Phoebe & Jay (CC)	Phoebe & Jay (CC)
8:00	DIY Science Time (CC)	DIY Science Time (CC)	DIY Science Time (CC)
8:30	DIY Science Time (CC)	DIY Science Time (CC)	DIY Science Time (CC)
9:00	Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood (CC) (D)	Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood (CC) (D)	Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood (CC) (D)
9:30	Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood (CC) (D)	Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood (CC) (D)	Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood (CC) (D)
10:00	Carl The Collector (CC)	Carl The Collector (CC)	Carl The Collector (CC)
10:30	Curious George (CC) (D)	Carl The Collector (CC)	Curious George (CC) (D)
11:00	Donkey Hodie (CC) (D)	Donkey Hodie (CC) (D)	Donkey Hodie (CC) (D)
11:30	Milo (CC) (D)	Donkey Hodie (CC) (D)	Milo (CC)
12:00	Elinor Wonders Why (CC) (D)	Elinor Wonders Why (CC) (D)	Elinor Wonders Why (CC) (D)
12:30	Rosie's Rules (CC) (D)	Rosie's Rules (CC) (D)	Rosie's Rules (CC) (D)
1:00	Super Why! (CC) (D)	Phoebe & Jay (CC)	Super Why! (CC) (D)
1:30	Xavier Riddle and the Secret Museum (CC) (D)	Xavier Riddle and the Secret Museum (CC) (D)	Xavier Riddle and the Secret Museum (CC) (D)
2:00	Molly of Denali (CC) (D)	Molly of Denali (CC) (D)	Molly of Denali (CC) (D)
2:30	Alma's Way (CC) (D)	Alma's Way (CC) (D)	Alma's Way (CC) (D)
3:00	Lyla in the Loop (CC) (D)	Lyla in the Loop (CC) (D)	Lyla in the Loop (CC) (D)
3:30	Arthur (CC) (D)	Weather Hunters (CC) (D)	Arthur (CC) (D)
4:00	Odd Squad (CC) (D)	Odd Squad (CC) (D)	Odd Squad (CC) (D)
4:30	Wild Kratts (CC)	Wild Kratts (CC)	Wild Kratts (CC)
5:00	Wild Kratts (CC)	Wild Kratts (CC)	Wild Kratts (CC)
5:30	Weather Hunters (CC) (D)	Weather Hunters (CC)	Weather Hunters (CC)
6:00	Special Programming See page 11	Lyla in the Loop (CC) (D)	Special Programming See page 11
6:30	Special Programming See page 11	Arthur (CC)	Special Programming See page 11

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KIDS 8.4 (Cox 681) SPECIAL PROGRAMMING

- 1 Friday, (11AM, Wowsabout)
- 2 Saturday, (6PM, Wowsabout), (6:30PM, Brambletown)
- 3 Sunday, (6PM, Wowsabout), (6:30PM, Brambletown)
- 5 Tuesday, (10AM, Wowsabout)
- 8 Friday, (1:30PM, Wowsabout)
- 9 Saturday, (6PM, Weather Hunters), (6:30PM, Carl The Collector)
- 10 Sunday, (6PM, Weather Hunters), (6:30PM, Carl The Collector)
- 16 Saturday, (6 & 6:30PM, Cyberchase)
- 17 Sunday, (6 & 6:30PM, Cyberchase)
- 23 Saturday, (6PM, Arthur), (6:30PM, Rosie's Rules)
- 24 Sunday, (6PM, Arthur), (6:30PM, Rosie's Rules)
- 25 Monday, Mini Marathon (10AM - 3PM, Rosie's Rules)
- 30 Saturday, (6PM, Wowsabout), (6:30PM, Curious George 5: Go West, Go Wild)
- 31 Sunday, (12:30 & 6PM, Wowsabout), (6:30PM, Curious George 5: Go West, Go Wild)



Storytime is every Wednesday at 10:30 a.m. The last Wednesday will be a bilingual storytime.

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