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Celebrate Our Nation's 250th Anniversary

Capitol Fourth: 250th Weekend Celebration

FRIDAY, JULY 3 AT 8PM & 9:30PM

Kick off the historic 250th Anniversary weekend celebration the night of July 3rd from the U.S. Capitol with a front-row seat to the nation's biggest birthday party full of song, dance and fireworks!

This beloved 46-year holiday tradition is America's annual birthday party at the U.S. Capitol, with all-star musical and patriotic performances by pop, country, R&B, Broadway, classical and gospel artists along with the National Symphony Orchestra under the direction of top pops conductor Jack Everly.

In honor of the nation's 250 birthday, the concert finale will feature a spectacular live fireworks show over George Washington's Mount Vernon. The fireworks will be the biggest display ever at the iconic home of America's first president.

Trace Adkins performing at A CAPITOL FOURTH: 250TH WEEKEND CELEBRATION.

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Anna Fisher operates the mechanical arm used to retrieve malfunctioning satellites from orbit during Space Shuttle Discovery flight STS-51-A.

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A Look at American Space Exploration

Once Upon A Time In Space

BEGINS JULY 14, TUESDAYS AT 8PM

Drawing on intimate, unseen archive and powerful first-hand testimony, this landmark 4-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.

America First

TUESDAY, 7/14 8PM Also 7/23 at 1pm WORLD: 7/28 6pm & 11pm; 7/29 1pm

A pioneering class of astronauts is recruited by NASA to fly aboard its new Space Shuttle.

The Russian Thing

TUESDAY, 7/21 8PM Also 7/30 at 1pm WORLD: 7/28 6pm & 11pm; 7/29 1pm

When the Soviet Union falls, Russia welcomes US astronauts to their space station Mir.

Politics Always Wins

TUESDAY, 7/28 8PM Also 8/6 at 1pm WORLD: 8/4 6pm & 11pm; 8/5 1pm

The arrival of the International Space Station promises a new era of cooperation in space.

Friends Forever

TUESDAY, 8/4 8PM Also 8/13 at 1pm WORLD: 8/11 6pm & 11pm; 8/12 1pm

The future of international cooperation in space is thrown into question.



"America Made In Virginia: 250 Years Together" Key Art

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Our 4th of July History

America Made In Virginia: 250 Years Together

SATURDAY, 7/4 8PM & 10PM

A star-filled tribute to America's Semiquincentennial set in the revolutionary capitol of Colonial Williamsburg. Blending live performance, music, historic interpretation, impactful narration and large-scale visual spectacle to create an inspiring national event that connects the nation's founding directly to the present day, the broadcast is 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. From the first melodic sounds of a violin to the thunderous pyrotechnic finale, this is a program for all Americans to see themselves reflected in our nation's continuing story.

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Backroads of Montana

Rumors and Ringers

An Avon man keeping a sport alive, the boom town of Gallup City, a "Stinky" story in De Borgia, visually impaired skiers enjoy West Yellowstone out of doors. Hosted from Missoula Smokejumper Center.

Airs HD: 7/4 5pm

Hidden Treasures

Random acts of kindness in Fort Benton; the long-forgotten Taft Cemetery; gem-cutters search for sapphires near Helena; Smokestack State Park, the Washoe Theatre, and the Montana Hotel in Anaconda.

Airs HD: 7/11 5pm

Eureka to Big Sandy

A ranch family & horses near Big Sandy, quilting & friendships with purpose in Eureka, century-old convict-built roads near Springdale, community ice fishing on Smith Lake, Moss Mansion in Billings.

Airs HD: 7/18 5pm

Fort Peck to Ovando

A woman in her 90's still at work near Fort Peck; road gumbo makes a sticky mess; a distinctive church towers over Laurin; the Monture Guard station near Ovando; the Blackfoot Pathways in Lincoln.

Airs HD: 7/25 5pm



11th & Grant

Philip Aaberg

Aaberg brings magic and charisma to the screen

featuring performances of his own music.

Airs HD 7/2 7pm, 7/6 2am

The Lucky Valentines

The Lucky Valentines breathe sadness, joy, and wonder into their original music.

Airs HD 7/16 7pm, 7/18 9:47pm, 7/20 2am

Bobcat Brass Trio

The Bobcat Brass Trio presents a wide range of repertoire, from new music to the classics.

Airs HD 7/30 7pm, 8/1 10pm, 8/3 2am



Montana AG Live Pesticide Training and Use

The safe use of pesticides is important, not only for applicators but also for the public.

This week, Cecil Tharp, MSU's Extension Pesticide Education Specialist,

joins the panel to discuss certification and training for both private and commercial pesticide applicators. Be sure to tune in.

Airs HD 7/5 11am

Livestock Nutrition

Livestock nutrition innovations are improving Montana's feeding programs. The panel welcomes Michelle Whiteside, President of the Montana Feed Association. We'll learn about new ideas in livestock nutrition, including a first look at the Montana Nutrition Conference and Livestock Forum in April.

Airs HD 7/12 11am

Invasive Species Council

Destructive pests like feral pigs, Zebra Mussels, Emerald Ash Borer, Leafy Spurge, and white pine blister rust are among many threats to Montana's agriculture and recreation. Liz Lodman, Montana Invasive Species Council Administrator joins the panel. We'll learn what's happening in Montana.

Airs HD 5/10 6pm, 5/17 11am

Flathead Cherry Production

Montana's Flathead cherry industry, established in 1898, remains healthy, but is threatened by rising land costs. This week, Montana AG Live welcomes John Nasgovitz, a Flathead cherry producer, to the panel to discuss cherry production and the future of this unique and exciting Montana industry.

Airs HD 7/26 11am



Montana PBS Reports: IMPACT

MT School Phone Policies/ Beef Country of Origin

Montana school districts are taking mental health into account with their cell phone policies. Plus, what reviving Country-of-Origin Labeling would mean for Montana ranchers and meat processors.

Airs HD: 7/23 7pm, 7/26 10am, 7/27 2am

Bard in the Backcountry

A behind-the-scenes look at a summer of Montana Shakespeare in the Parks -- from first read through to final performance. The documentary chronicles a summer season with a cast of 10 actors as they journey more than 6,500 miles to perform Shakespeare in the rural towns of this vast region.

Airs HD: 7/5 10am, 7/9 noon & 7pm, 7/13 2am

Evelyn Cameron: Pictures from a Worthy Life

Evelyn Cameron left a life of privilege in England and found a sense of peace on the Montana prairie. With an independent spirit suited for the American West, she started her own photography business. Her legacy of photographs and diary writings provides an intimate portrait of pioneer life.

Airs HD: 7/12 10am

Before There Were Parks: Yellowstone and Glacier Through Native Eyes

For millennia, the U.S. West's native peoples have called the lands known as Yellowstone and Glacier National Parks home. This program celebrates collaboration between Park staff and Tribal Nations.

Airs HD: 7/11 1:30am

Ivan Doig: Landscapes of a Western Mind

Acclaimed author Ivan Doig mined his hardscrabble, rural Montana childhood to create an iconic and best-selling body of literary work. His poetic portrayals of rugged landscapes and beloved characters make him one of the most celebrated writers of the American West.

Airs HD: 7/13 2am, 7/19 10am

Be Thou Always As A Guest

Bill Ohrmann, a rancher from Drummond, MT, took up painting at the age of 78. Before he passed at 95, he completed more than 200 paintings and many sculptures and carvings. His work includes beautiful and sometimes graphic illustrations of our disregard for the earth and her many creatures.

Airs HD: 7/23 7:30pm, 7/26 10:30am, 7/27 2:30am



Memories from 11th & Grant



MT 11th & Grant with Eric Funk

11th & Grant with Eric Funk is the premiere outlet for music performance in Montana, seeking out the state's most acclaimed, accomplished, and pioneering talent. The Emmy winning performance series also devotes significant time to each artist's personal story, insights into their music and their approach to life, ultimately providing a deeper experience than a seat at a concert.

Philip Aaberg

Dedicated with fond memory to Phil, who collaborated with Montana PBS on a number of wonderful music projects. (April 8, 1949 – May 23, 2026)

THURSDAY 7/2 7PM *Also HD: 7/6 2am*

Pianist Philip Aaberg, born and raised in Chester, MT, moved back to the highline after years of international recognition as a performing and recording artist. He brings his magic and charisma to the screen featuring his own solo piano music. It's versatile, and simultaneously forceful and tender.

PHOTO: MSU UNIVERSITY COMMUNICATIONS
Philip Aaberg

MADE IN MONTANA

Summertime Favorite!

MT Bard in the Backcountry

THURSDAY 7/9 7PM *Also 7/5 10am, 7/9 noon*

Bard in the Backcountry chronicles a summer with "Montana Shakespeare in the Parks," a professional theater company based in Bozeman, Montana. Viewers get a behind-the-scenes look at the ten actors on tour as they cover over sixty-five hundred miles to perform Shakespeare in the rural towns of this vast region. Along the way they encounter an array of characters, many of whom have been watching Shakespeare every summer for over forty years. We learn about the teamwork required to deliver a performance every evening in a new town and how the actors are also their own drivers, roadies, make-up artists, and set builders. *Bard in the Backcountry* reveals the mutual impact the tour has on the lives of these young actors and the people who put in the effort to bring Shakespeare to town. This journey provides a glimpse of the relevance that classic Shakespearean theater still holds in the lives of everyday people across the region.



PHOTO: MSU UNIVERSITY COMMUNICATIONS
"Montana Shakespeare in the Parks"



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LEARN AT HOME, TOO!

Once again, Montana PBS has a great lineup of programs that educate and inspire. And, we're adapting our Learn at Home service. Check this space every month for the latest Learn at Home, Too! news.

Whether it's just a few days or for an extended period, we'll have materials for educators, parents and students to help learning at home. Every month we'll select a few programs, and create digital curriculum-aligned lesson plans and bonus resources all available online. Contact our Education team to learn how to get the most out of Montana PBS Learn at Home, Too!

Nikki Vradenburg at nikki@montanapbs.org

Curriculum-Related Programming

	MON	TUES	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT	SUN
5:30am							
6:30am							
8:00am						Kids 3-8	Kids 3-8
10:00am			Kids 3-8				
10:30am							
12:00pm					Kids 9+		
2:00pm					Kids 3-8		
5:30pm							

Featured programs in July

Phoebe & Jay



Kids Channel: Everyday 8:30AM
HD Channel: Mon - Fri 3pm

Explore clothing tags and sizes with students while watching the clip "Jay's Fit" from *Phoebe & Jay*. Then use the activity guide to deepen their understanding of everyday literacy and the information we can find on clothing tags.

<https://montana.pbslearningmedia.org/resource/jays-fit-media-gallery/phoebe-jay/>

Before There Were Parks



HD Channel: Fri 7/17 12:30PM

From time immemorial the lands we now call Yellowstone and Glacier have been regarded by Native Americans as significant and sacred. In this unique film, more than a dozen of these leaders and experts from across the region offer a respectful introduction to the knowledge that tribal people have passed down here for at least the past 12,000 years. Students will learn why Glacier and Yellowstone are so important to American Indians—for reasons far beyond their recent status as National Parks.

<https://montana.pbslearningmedia.org/collection/before-they-were-parks/>

Montana PBS-HD & Montana PBS-WORLD Channels

Main Listing

WEDNESDAY JULY 1

- AM EARLY MORNING**
 mdnt GZERO World with Ian Bremmer
 MDNT **WORLD** Wired for Connection
 12:30 NHK Newsline
 1:00 Declarations: Black Americans and the Revolutionary War
 1:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour
 2:00 The Future of America's Past: The Revolutions
 2:00 **WORLD** Amanpour and Company
 2:30 Amerigo: The Search for the American Dream
 3:00 **WORLD** Lucy Worsley Investigates: Madness of King George
 4:00 Human Footprint: The Urban Jungle
 4:00 **WORLD** BBC News
 4:30 **WORLD** GZERO World with Ian Bremmer
 5:00 Today's Wild West
 5:00 **WORLD** Newsroom Tokyo
 5:28 **WORLD** Direct Talk
 5:30 **MT** Backroads of Montana: News, Brews and Views → SEE P. 4
 5:43 **WORLD** NHK Short Program

PM EVENING

- 5:30 BBC News The Context USA**
6:00 PBS News Hour
7:00 NOVA "Athens: Birth of Democracy" Archaeologists investigate the dramatic origins of democracy in ancient Greece 2,500 years ago. TV-PG
 7:00 **WORLD** FRONTLINE: The Crown Prince & The President
8:00 NOVA "Revolutionary War Weapons"

Get a look into the hidden history of the Revolutionary War. TV-PG-V
 → STORY, P. 11

- 8:30 **WORLD** PBS News Hour
9:00 The Kimberley: Australia's Wild West "Into The Fire" TV-PG
 9:30 **WORLD** BBC News
10:00 BBC News
 10:00 **WORLD** "The Shot Heard 'Round the World": The Coming of the American Revolution TV-G
10:30 Amanpour and Company
11:30 MotorWeek "2026 Jeep Grand Cherokee" This week's episode starts with a grand tour of the Jeep Grand Cherokee, which continues for 2026 with a few updates, including a new powertrain option. Then we'll check in with Hyundai's heavy SUV hitter, the latest Palisade. We'll also send it sideways in a new OTE, then it's to 22B or not to 22B in a special Subaru Impreza throwback request. TV-G

- 3:00 Safe Harbors: Lighthouses of Maine
 3:30 **WORLD** History with David Rubenstein: Stuart Eizenstat
 4:00 Potomac by Air: Our Nation's River
 4:00 **WORLD** BBC News
 4:30 **WORLD** Story in the Public Square: Shadi Hamid
 5:00 Antiques Roadshow: 250 Years of Americana
 5:00 **WORLD** Newsroom Tokyo
 5:28 **WORLD** Direct Talk
 5:43 **WORLD** NHK Short Program

PM EVENING

- 5:30 BBC News The Context USA**
6:00 PBS News Hour
 6:00 **WORLD** Amerigo: The Search for the American Dream TV-PG
7:00 MT 11th & Grant with Eric Funk "Philip Aaberg" A recipient of the Montana Governor's Award for the Arts and a Grammy Nominee, pianist Philip Aaberg performs in this episode. Aaberg, who was born and raised in Chester, Mont., moved back to the highline and his hometown of Chester from California. After years of international recognition as a performing and recording artist, Aaberg brings his magic and charisma to the screen featuring his own compositions for solo piano, drawing largely from his CD "Blue West." The energized, versatile, and simultaneously forceful and tender music of

THURSDAY JULY 2

- AM EARLY MORNING**
 mdnt Story in the Public Square: Shadi Hamid
 MDNT **WORLD** FRONTLINE: The Crown Prince & The President
 12:30 NHK Newsline
 1:00 Arthur: A Life with the Royal Family
 1:30 **WORLD** PBS News Hour
 2:00 Rick Steves Best of London
 2:30 **WORLD** Amanpour and Company

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- 11th & Grant with Eric Funk**
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Michael Bertoia (left) appraises a Tippco large motorcycle with sidecar, ca. 1935, in Urbandale, Iowa

A Fan Favorite!

Antiques Roadshow

MONDAYS AT 7PM & 8PM
REPEATS THURSDAY EARLY MORNING 5AM

Part adventure, part history lesson, part treasure hunt, 23-time Emmy® Award-nominated ANTIQUES ROADSHOW is the most watched ongoing primetime PBS series.

Springs Preserve: Hour 3 / Living History Farms: Hour 1

MONDAY 7/6 7PM & 8PM

Living History Farms: Hour 2 & 3

MONDAY 7/13 7PM & 8PM

Denver Botanic Gardens Chatfield Farms: Hour 1 & 2

MONDAY 7/20 7PM & 8PM

Denver Botanic Gardens Chatfield Farms: Hour 3 / Maryland Zoo: Hour 1

MONDAY 7/27 7PM & 8PM

Philip Aaberg reveals to his fans why this rising star is always rising. TV-G

7:30 **WORLD** Still Here: Native American Resilience in New England TV-PG

8:00 RFDS: Royal Flying Doctor Service A catastrophic explosion at an underground mine creates a mass-casualty incident. TV-14

8:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour

8:58 Midsomer Murders "Second Sight" Barnaby investigates the death of a man suspected of being able to predict unpredictable events.

9:00 **WORLD** DW The Day

9:30 **WORLD** BBC News

10:00 **WORLD** Road to Liberty Through Their Eyes TV-PG

10:32 BBC News

11:00 Amanpour and Company

11:00 **WORLD** Amerigo: The Search for the American Dream TV-PG

FRIDAY

JULY 3

AM EARLY MORNING

mdnt Overheard with Evan Smith: Tim Miller
12:30 NHK Newsline

12:30 **WORLD** Still Here: Native American Resilience in New England

1:00 As Time Goes By: Rewrites

1:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour

1:30 Samantha Brown's Places to Love: Williamsburg, Virginia

2:00 The War of 1812

2:00 **WORLD** Amanpour and Company

3:00 **WORLD** History with David Rubenstein: Harold Holzer

3:30 **WORLD** Stories from the Stage: Funny Business

4:00 The War That Made America

4:00 **WORLD** BBC News

4:30 **WORLD** Balancing Act with John Katko

5:00 Antiques Roadshow: Springs Preserve Hr 2

5:00 **WORLD** Newsroom Tokyo

5:28 **WORLD** Direct Talk

5:43 **WORLD** NHK Short Program

PM EVENING

5:30 BBC News The Context USA

6:00 PBS News Hour

6:00 **WORLD** Declarations: Black Americans and the Revolutionary War TV-14

7:00 Washington Week with The Atlantic

7:00 **WORLD** Becoming American: Philadelphia's Story TV-PG

7:30 Firing Line with Margaret Hoover

8:00 Capitol Fourth: 250th Weekend Celebration National celebration of our country's 250th birthday live from the U.S. Capitol on July 3rd, 2026.

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8:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour

9:00 **WORLD** Bloomberg Wall Street Week

9:30 Capitol Fourth: 250th Weekend Celebration National celebration of our country's 250th birthday live from the U.S. Capitol on July 3rd, 2026.

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10:00 **WORLD** Lucy Worsley Investigates: The American Revolution: A Messy Divorce TV-14

11:00 BBC News

11:00 **WORLD** Declarations: Black Americans and the Revolutionary War TV-14

11:30 History with David Rubenstein "Ned Blackhawk" TV-PG

SATURDAY

JULY 4

AM EARLY MORNING

mdnt America in Song: A Concordia Celebration

MDNT **WORLD** Becoming American: Philadelphia's Story

1:00 American Rhapsody with the Ohio Valley Symphony

1:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour

2:00 Reel South: Jan Beauboeuf/Police Dive/Teddy

2:00 **WORLD** Amanpour and Company

3:00 Washington Week with The Atlantic

3:00 **WORLD** Wired for Connection

3:30 Market to Market

4:00 This Old House

4:00 **WORLD** The Whitney Reynolds Show
 4:30 Ask This Old House
 4:30 **WORLD** Horizons from PBS News
 5:00 Wai Lana Yoga: Expand the Chest and Breathe
 5:00 **WORLD** To the Contrary with Bonnie Erbe
 5:30 Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood
 5:30 **WORLD** Washington Week with The Atlantic

PM EVENING

6:00 The Lawrence Welk Show "Show Stoppers" Bobby and Elaine's family members join the show to perform some show-stoppers. TV-G
 6:00 **WORLD** A Towering Task: The Story of the Peace Corps TV-G
7:00 As Time Goes By "Getting Rid of Gwen" Jean devises a plan to get rid of Lionel's chattering secretary without hurting her feelings. TV-PG
7:30 Curious Traveler "Curious Williamsburg" Learn why the English choose Jamestown, Yorktown and Williamsburg, Virginia as early settlements. TV-G
8:00 America Made In Virginia: 250 Years Together Colonial Williamsburg's 250th gala features stars, music, and drones to honor America's journey. TV-PG → STORY, P. 3
 8:00 **WORLD** A French Village: Liberation
 9:00 **WORLD** Meredith Willson: America's Music Man
10:00 America Made In Virginia: 250 Years Together Colonial Williamsburg's 250th gala features stars, music, and drones to honor America's journey. TV-PG → STORY, P. 3
 10:00 **WORLD** A Towering Task: The Story of the Peace Corps TV-G

SUNDAY

JULY 5

AM EARLY MORNING

mdnt Astrid: The Arabian Nights
 MDNT **WORLD** For the Love of Friends
 12:56 Midsomer Murders: Second Sight
 1:30 **WORLD** Stories from the Stage: Funny Business
 2:00 **WORLD** Amerigo: The Search for the American Dream
 2:32 On Story: Inside the Writers Room: The Chosen
 3:02 Frederick Law Olmsted: Designing America
 3:30 **WORLD** Still Here: Native American Resilience in New England
 4:00 Finding Your Roots: Secret Lives
 4:00 **WORLD** On Story: Reinventing the Classic Whodunnit: A Conversation
 4:30 **WORLD** To the Contrary with Bonnie Erbe

5:00 Albie's Elevator
 5:00 **WORLD** Washington Week with The Atlantic
 5:30 Ready Jet Go!
 5:30 **WORLD** The Open Mind

PM AFTERNOON/EVENING

3:00 Pioneers of Television "Sitcoms" This episode focuses on five key sitcoms like I Love Lucy and The Honymooners. TV-PG
 3:00 **WORLD** Amerigo: The Search for the American Dream TV-PG
4:00 America the Bountiful "Beef in Texas" Capri visits a family-owned cattle ranch raising Texas Wagyu beef. TV-G
4:30 A Chef's Life "Chasing Trout" Vivian plans a respite from the road during the holidays and prepares a Feast of the Seven Fishes. TV-G
 4:30 **WORLD** Still Here: Native American Resilience in New England TV-PG
5:00 Outside: Beyond the Lens "Utah Route 12 Road Trip" Check out Utah's lesser-known national park, Capitol Reef National Park during this scenic drive. TV-G
 5:00 **WORLD** A French Village: Liberation
5:30 Compass Points from PBS News
6:00 10 Modern Marvels That Changed America Explore the legendary streets, monuments and man-made marvels that changed America. TV-G
 6:00 **WORLD** Nature: American Ocelot TV-14
7:00 Patience "The Timetable" After witnessing her father's murder, an autistic girl leads Patience to uncover the truth. TV-14
 7:00 **WORLD** Finding Your Roots: Secret Lives TV-PG

8:00 Grantchester on Masterpiece "S11, Ep 4" A trip to reconcile with his mother turns deadly, leaving Alphy as the prime suspect. TV-14
 8:00 **WORLD** George H.W. Bush: American Experience: Pt 2 TV-PG-VL
9:00 Downton Abbey S2 on Masterpiece "Pt Four" In the climactic battle of the war, Matthew and William go over the top to an uncertain fate. TV-PG
 9:30 **WORLD** Before America TV-PG
9:59 Osborne House: A Royal Retreat Get an up-close and personal glimpse into Osborne House, Queen Victoria's favorite home. TV-PG
 10:00 **WORLD** Nature: American Ocelot TV-14
11:00 We'll Meet Again "Lost Children of Vietnam" Dramatic reunions between people separated after the war in Vietnam are showcased with Ann Curry. TV-PG

11:00 **WORLD** Finding Your Roots: Secret Lives TV-PG

MONDAY

JULY 6

AM EARLY MORNING
 mdnt RFDS: Royal Flying Doctor Service
 MDNT **WORLD** George H.W. Bush: American Experience: Pt 2
 1:00 Woody Guthrie and the Ghost of Tom Joad Today
 1:30 **WORLD** Before America
 2:00 **MT** 11th & Grant with Eric Funk: Philip Aaberg → SEE P. 4
 2:00 **WORLD** Declarations: Black Americans and the Revolutionary War
 3:00 Owensboro Symphony Presents a Night at the Oscars
 3:00 **WORLD** Becoming American: Philadelphia's Story
 4:00 America in Song: A Concordia Celebration
 4:00 **WORLD** BBC News
 4:30 **WORLD** The Whitney Reynolds Show
 5:00 **WORLD** Newsroom Tokyo
 5:28 **WORLD** Direct Talk
 5:43 **WORLD** NHK Short Program

PM EVENING

5:30 BBC News The Context USA
6:00 PBS News Hour
 6:00 **WORLD** Capturing America: The Carol Highsmith Story TV-14
7:00 Antiques Roadshow "Springs Preserve Hr 3" ROADSHOW heads to the Mohave Desert in search of marvels at Springs Preserve in Las Vegas. TV-G
 7:00 **WORLD** Christa TV-G
 7:30 **WORLD** Stories from the Stage: Summertime
8:00 Antiques Roadshow "Living History Farms Hr 1" ROADSHOW visits Living History Farms for treasures and a top \$75,000 to \$125,000 find. TV-G
 8:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour
9:00 Independent Lens "True North: Canadian Myths and Black Power" True North revisits 1968 Montreal for the Black liberation movements through archival footage. TV-14-L → STORY, P. 13
 9:00 **WORLD** DW The Day
 9:30 **WORLD** BBC News
 10:00 **WORLD** Frederick Law Olmsted: Designing America TV-PG

10:30 BBC News

11:00 Amanpour and Company

11:00 **WORLD** Capturing America: The Carol Highsmith Story TV-14

TUESDAY

JULY 7

AM EARLY MORNING
 mdnt ICT News with Aliyah Chavez

MDNT **WORLD** Christa
 12:30 NHK Newsline
 12:30 **WORLD** Stories from the Stage: Summer-time
 1:00 Patience: The Timetable
 1:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour
 2:00 Grantchester on Masterpiece: S11, Ep 4
 2:00 **WORLD** Amanpour and Company
 3:00 Downton Abbey S2 on Masterpiece: Pt Four
 3:00 **WORLD** Lucy Worsley Investigates: The American Revolution: A Messy Divorce
 3:59 Osborne House: A Royal Retreat
 4:00 **WORLD** BBC News
 4:30 **WORLD** Asia Insight
 5:00 Sacred Ground with Tim Daly: Riders on the Storm: A Glass Half Full
 5:00 **WORLD** Newsroom Tokyo
 5:28 **WORLD** Direct Talk
 5:30 Bare Feet in NYC with Mickela Mallozzi: Celebrating India
 5:43 **WORLD** NHK Short Program

PM EVENING

5:30 BBC News The Context USA
6:00 PBS News Hour
 6:00 **WORLD** The Kimberley: Australia's Wild West: Into The Fire TV-PG
7:00 Finding Your Roots "Family: Lost and Found" DNA is used to solve mysteries for actor Joe Manganiello and football star Tony Gonzalez. TV-PG
 7:00 **WORLD** NOVA: Revolutionary War Weapons TV-PG-V → STORY, P. 11
8:00 Breaking the Deadlock TV-14
 8:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour
9:00 8 Days: To the Moon and Back The first moon landing is recreated with mission audio, astronaut conversations, footage and CGI. TV-PG-L
 9:00 **WORLD** DW The Day
 9:30 **WORLD** BBC News
 10:00 **WORLD** NOVA: Athens: Birth of Democracy TV-PG
10:30 BBC News
11:00 Amanpour and Company
 11:00 **WORLD** The Kimberley: Australia's Wild West: Into The Fire TV-PG

WEDNESDAY JULY 8

AM EARLY MORNING
 mdnt GZERO World with Ian Bremmer
 MDNT **WORLD** NOVA: Revolutionary War Weapons → STORY, P. 11
 12:30 NHK Newsline
 1:00 Independent Lens: True North: Canadian Myths and Black Power → STORY, P. 13
 1:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour
 2:00 **WORLD** Amanpour and Company
 2:30 The Five Demands
 3:00 **WORLD** Road to Liberty Through Their Eyes

3:30 The Montiers: An American Story
 4:00 Human Footprint: The Ground Below
 4:00 **WORLD** BBC News
 4:30 **WORLD** GZERO World with Ian Bremmer
 5:00 Today's Wild West
 5:00 **WORLD** Newsroom Tokyo
 5:28 **WORLD** Direct Talk
 5:30 **MT** Backroads of Montana: Harlo to Huntley → SEE P. 4
 5:43 **WORLD** NHK Short Program

PM EVENING

5:30 BBC News The Context USA
6:00 PBS News Hour
 6:30 **WORLD** Independent Lens: True North: Canadian Myths and Black Power TV-14-L
7:00 Nature "Niagara Falls" Embark to this geological wonder and witness its stunning beauty and wildlife. TV-PG → STORY, P. 14
8:00 NOVA "Black Hole Apocalypse" Join astrophysicist Janna Levin on a mind-blowing voyage to the frontiers of black hole science. TV-G → STORY, P. 11
 8:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour
9:00 The American Southwest A wildlife movie that journeys down the Colorado River. TV-PG → STORY, P. 19
 9:00 **WORLD** DW The Day
 9:30 **WORLD** BBC News
10:00 BBC News
 10:00 **WORLD** 8 Days: To the Moon and Back TV-PG-L
10:30 Amanpour and Company
11:30 MotorWeek "2026 Toyota C-Hr" While Toyota has continued pushing their hybrid powertrains, they continue to dabble in battery-electric vehicles; and the latest to join their lineup is a returning name. We'll see how some electrified CPR has revived the C-HR before switching over to an internal-combustion track toy from BMW, the M2 CS. And we'll come to you with all the latest Motor News. TV-G
 11:30 **WORLD** Independent Lens: True North: Canadian Myths and Black Power TV-14-L → STORY, P. 13

THURSDAY JULY 9

AM EARLY MORNING
 mdnt Story in the Public Square: Michael McFaul
 12:30 NHK Newsline
 1:00 The Unlikely Union: A Storytelling Symphony of America
 1:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour
 2:00 **WORLD** Amanpour and Company
 3:00 Feeling Good About America: The 1976 Presidential Election
 3:00 **WORLD** Meredith Willson: America's Music Man

4:00 Capturing America: The Carol Highsmith Story
 4:00 **WORLD** BBC News
 4:30 **WORLD** Story in the Public Square
 5:00 Antiques Roadshow: Springs Preserve Hr 3
 5:00 **WORLD** Newsroom Tokyo
 5:28 **WORLD** Direct Talk
 5:43 **WORLD** NHK Short Program

PM EVENING

5:30 BBC News The Context USA
6:00 PBS News Hour
 6:00 **WORLD** America ReFramed: No Time to Fail
7:00 MT Bard in the Backcountry A behind-the-scenes look at a summer of Montana Shakespeare in the Parks is showcased. → SEE P. 4
 7:30 **WORLD** See How They Run: Presidential Candidates and the Iowa Caucuses TV-G
8:00 RFDS: Royal Flying Doctor Service Pete is at a remote clinic and a straightforward case escalates into a violent situation. TV-14
 8:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour
8:58 Midsomer Murders "Hidden Depths" Solicitor Nick Turner falls from his roof in an apparent suicide, but Barnaby suspects foul play.
 9:00 **WORLD** DW The Day
 9:30 **WORLD** BBC News
 10:00 **WORLD** America ReFramed: No Time to Fail
10:32 BBC News
11:00 Amanpour and Company
 11:30 **WORLD** See How They Run: Presidential Candidates and the Iowa Caucuses TV-G

FRIDAY JULY 10

AM EARLY MORNING
 mdnt Overheard with Evan Smith: Emil Wakim
 MDNT **WORLD** Centered: Joe Lieberman
 12:30 NHK Newsline
 1:00 As Time Goes By: Getting Rid of Gwen
 1:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour
 1:30 The Good Road: Cape Canaveral, Florida - Space Force, Go for Launch
 2:00 When We Were Shuttle
 2:00 **WORLD** Amanpour and Company
 3:00 **WORLD** Christa
 3:30 **WORLD** Stories from the Stage: Summertime
 4:00 The War That Made America
 4:00 **WORLD** BBC News
 4:30 **WORLD** Balancing Act with John Katko
 5:00 Antiques Roadshow: Living History Farms Hr 1
 5:00 **WORLD** Newsroom Tokyo
 5:28 **WORLD** Direct Talk
 5:43 **WORLD** NHK Short Program

PM EVENING

- 5:30 BBC News The Context USA**
- 6:00 PBS News Hour**
6:00 **WORLD** Last Battlefront: Quest for the Vote in Washington D.C. TV-PG
- 7:00 Washington Week with The Atlantic**
7:00 **WORLD** Breaking the Deadlock TV-14
- 7:30 Firing Line with Margaret Hoover**
- 8:00 JFK: American Experience "Pt One"**
John F. Kennedy's rise to power, from his birth to his election as president in 1960, is examined. TV-PG → STORY, P. 20
- 8:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour
- 9:00 **WORLD** Bloomberg Wall Street Week
- 10:00 BBC News**
10:00 **WORLD** Public Defender TV-14
- 10:30 Amanpour and Company**
11:00 **WORLD** Last Battlefront: Quest for the Vote in Washington D.C. TV-PG
- 11:30 History with David Rubenstein "Lindsay Chervinsky"** TV-PG

SATURDAY JULY 11

- AM EARLY MORNING**
- mdnt The Living Dream: 100 Years of Rocky Mountain National Park
- MDNT **WORLD** Breaking the Deadlock
- 1:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour
- 1:30 **MT** 🍎 Before There Were Parks: Yellowstone and Glacier Through Native Eyes → SEE P. 4
- 2:00 Reel South: Boil That Cabbage Down/Red Sands/George V
- 2:00 **WORLD** Amanpour and Company
- 3:00 Washington Week with The Atlantic
- 3:00 **WORLD** NOVA: Revolutionary War Weapons → STORY, P. 11
- 3:30 Market to Market
- 4:00 This Old House
- 4:00 **WORLD** The Whitney Reynolds Show
- 4:30 Ask This Old House
- 4:30 **WORLD** Horizons from PBS News
- 5:00 Wai Lana Yoga: Bend Your Backbone
- 5:00 **WORLD** To the Contrary with Bonnie Erbe
- 5:30 Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood
- 5:30 **WORLD** Washington Week with The Atlantic
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- PM EVENING**
- 6:00 The Lawrence Welk Show "The French Show"** This black and white classic features songs with a French twist. TV-G
- 6:00 **WORLD** The War That Made America TV-PG
- 7:00 As Time Goes By "The Affair"** Penny thinks that her husband is having an affair and wants to move in with Jean and Lionel. TV-PG
- 7:00 **WORLD** The War That Made America TV-PG
- 7:30 Mulberry "Hired"** Miss Farnaby leads a dull life in the old family home,



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Best in Science

NOVA

WEDNESDAYS AT 8PM
REPEATS TUESDAY AFTERNOON AT 1PM

Explore the science behind the headlines in PBS's premiere science series. With compelling stories and spectacular visuals, NOVA programs demystify science and technology for viewers of all ages and spotlight people involved in scientific pursuits.

Revolutionary War Weapons

WEDNESDAY 7/1 8PM Also 7/7 1pm; **WORLD:** 7/7 7pm; 7/8 12mid & 8am; 7/11 3am

How did a ragtag army defeat the most powerful army in the world to win American independence? Discover the key military technologies that helped propel the colonies to victory, from the Brown Bess musket to the world's first military submarine.

Black Hole Apocalypse

WEDNESDAY 7/8 8PM Also 7/14 1pm; **WORLD:** 7/14 5pm & 10pm; 7/15 6am

The documentary breaks down several key concepts regarding black holes and their destructive yet fascinating nature.

Black Hole Universe

WEDNESDAY 7/15 8PM Also 7/21 1pm; **WORLD:** 7/21 5pm & 10pm; 7/22 6am

Black holes can reshape entire galaxies, warp the fabric of space and time, and may be the key to unlocking the ultimate nature of reality.

Chasing Pluto

WEDNESDAY 7/22 8PM Also 7/28 1pm; **WORLD:** 7/28 5pm & 10pm; 7/29 6am

NOVA captures New Horizons' historic flyby of Pluto, the culmination of the spacecraft's nine-year, three-billion-mile journey to reveal the first ever detailed images of this strange, icy world at the very edge of our solar system.

Pluto and Beyond

WEDNESDAY 7/29 8PM Also 8/4 1pm; **WORLD:** 8/4 5pm & 10pm; 8/5 6am

Follow the New Horizons spacecraft as it makes its historic flyby of one of the furthest objects in the solar system. Follow as they plan and execute maneuvers to allow the spacecraft to target a Kuiper Belt object known as Ultima Thule.

alone except for two surly servants, Bert and Alice. Then Mulberry comes on the scene - from where nobody knows - and Miss Farnaby's life will never be the same again. TV-PG

8:00 **WORLD** A French Village: Behind the Wall

8:03 Montana PBS Film Classics "An American in Paris" Ex-GI Jerry stays in Paris to paint, falling for Lise while a rich heiress pursues more than art.

→ STORY, P. 17

9:00 **WORLD** Rohna Classified TV-PG

10:00 Austin City Limits "Samara Joy" Samara Joy shines with performances from her breakthrough album, Linger Awhile. TV-PG

10:00 **WORLD** The War That Made America TV-PG

11:00 Woody Guthrie and the Ghost of Tom Joad Today This film traces Woody Guthrie & John Steinbeck's bond, aiding CA migrants through art. TV-PG

11:00 **WORLD** The War That Made America TV-PG

SUNDAY JULY 12

AM EARLY MORNING

mdnt Astrid: 30,000 Feet

MDNT **WORLD** America ReFramed: No Time to Fail

12:55 Midsomer Murders: Hidden Depths

1:30 **WORLD** See How They Run: Presidential Candidates and the Iowa Caucuses

2:00 **WORLD** Frederick Law Olmsted: Designing America

2:30 On Story: Script to Screen: The Wedding Singer

3:00 Defenders of Democracy: The Thin Blue Line

3:00 **WORLD** Capturing America: The Carol Highsmith Story

4:00 Finding Your Roots: Family: Lost and Found

4:00 **WORLD** On Story: On Book to TV Adaptations: A Conversation with Liz Tigelaar

4:30 **WORLD** To the Contrary with Bonnie Erbe

5:00 Albie's Elevator

5:00 **WORLD** Washington Week with The Atlantic

5:30 Ready Jet Go!

5:30 **WORLD** The Open Mind

PM AFTERNOON/EVENING

3:00 Elisabeth Von Trapp's Journey - Echoes of Sound Elisabeth von Trapp of the legendary family embarks on a profound voyage as she travels to Austria. TV-PG → STORY, BACK COVER

3:00 **WORLD** America ReFramed: No Time to Fail

4:00 America the Bountiful "Taro in Hawaii" Travel to Hawaii and explore the

history of Taro in cooking, medicine, and ceremonies. TV-G

4:30 A Chef's Life "Liver Lover" Vivian visits a restaurant known for fried liver and learns that not all livers are created equal. TV-G

4:30 **WORLD** See How They Run: Presidential Candidates and the Iowa Caucuses TV-G

5:00 Outside: Beyond the Lens "Sailing the British Virgin Islands" Set sail on a Caribbean adventure in the British Virgin Islands. TV-G

5:00 **WORLD** A French Village: Behind the Wall

5:30 Compass Points from PBS News

6:00 10 Monuments That Changed America Tour wholly original American monuments and explore surprising stories behind American favorites. TV-G

6:00 **WORLD** Nature: Niagara Falls TV-PG → STORY, P. 14

7:00 Patience "The Runes" Patience races to solve the murder of a Viking expert, and her relationship is in crisis. TV-14

7:00 **WORLD** Finding Your Roots: Family: Lost and Found TV-PG

8:00 Grantchester on Masterpiece "S11, Ep 5" Church corruption shakes Alphy's faith while Geordie's promotion strains his marriage. TV-14

8:00 **WORLD** JFK: American Experience: Pt One TV-PG → STORY, P. 20

9:00 Downton Abbey S2 on Masterpiece "Pt Five" As the war nears its end, Downton's aristocrats and servants put their lives back together. TV-PG

10:00 Discovering Maggie Smith Look at the remarkable on-screen career of Dame Maggie Smith. TV-PG

10:00 **WORLD** Nature: Niagara Falls TV-PG → STORY, P. 14

11:00 We'll Meet Again "Heroes of 9/11" Ann Curry hosts dramatic reunions between people whose lives intersected on September 11, 2001. TV-PG

11:00 **WORLD** Finding Your Roots: Family: Lost and Found TV-PG

MONDAY JULY 13

AM EARLY MORNING

mdnt RFDS: Royal Flying Doctor Service

MDNT **WORLD** JFK: American Experience: Pt One → STORY, P. 20

1:00 Austin City Limits: Samara Joy

2:00 **MT** Ivan Doig: Landscapes of a Western Mind → SEE P. 4

2:00 **WORLD** Centered: Joe Lieberman

3:00 Eudora

3:00 **WORLD** Last Battlefront: Quest for the

Vote in Washington D.C.

4:00 **MT** Bard in the Backcountry → SEE P. 4

4:00 **WORLD** BBC News

4:30 **WORLD** The Whitney Reynolds Show

5:00 Classical Tahoe

5:00 **WORLD** Newsroom Tokyo

5:28 **WORLD** Direct Talk

5:43 **WORLD** NHK Short Program

6:00 **SEE DAYTIME SCHEDULE, P. 23**

PM EVENING

5:30 BBC News The Context USA

6:00 PBS News Hour

6:00 **WORLD** POV: The Body Politic TV-14

7:00 Antiques Roadshow "Living History Farms Hr 2" Watch remarkable finds from ROADSHOW's stop in Iowa including a \$70,000 to \$90,000 item! TV-G

7:30 **WORLD** Stories from the Stage: Into the Wild

8:00 Antiques Roadshow "Living History Farms Hr 3" Luminous treasures are unveiled at Living History Farms. One is \$50,000 to \$70,000! TV-G

8:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour

9:00 Independent Lens "Flood" A filmmaker and her estranged father work to try to reconnect. TV-PG-L → STORY, P. 13

9:00 **WORLD** DW The Day

9:30 **WORLD** BBC News

10:00 **WORLD** American Experience: The American Vice President TV-PG

10:30 BBC News

11:00 Amanpour and Company

11:00 **WORLD** POV: The Body Politic TV-14

TUESDAY JULY 14

AM EARLY MORNING

mdnt ICT News with Aliyah Chavez

12:30 NHK Newslines

12:30 **WORLD** Stories from the Stage: Into the Wild

1:00 Patience: The Runes

1:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour

2:00 Grantchester on Masterpiece: S11, Ep 5

2:00 **WORLD** Amanpour and Company

3:00 Downton Abbey S2 on Masterpiece: Pt Five

3:00 **WORLD** Public Defender

4:00 Discovering Maggie Smith

4:00 **WORLD** BBC News

4:30 **WORLD** Asia Insight

5:00 Sacred Ground with Tim Daly: Concrete Canyons: Rewilding The City

5:00 **WORLD** Newsroom Tokyo

5:28 **WORLD** Direct Talk

5:30 Bare Feet in NYC with Mickela Mallozzi: Little Ukraine

5:43 **WORLD** NHK Short Program

PM EVENING

5:30 BBC News The Context USA

6:00 PBS News Hour

6:00 **WORLD** The American Southwest TV-PG
 → STORY, P. 19

7:00 Finding Your Roots "Out of the Past" From the American Revolution to the Mayflower, Henry Lous Gates uncovers the roots of two actors. TV-PG

7:00 **WORLD** Impossible Builds: Europe in the Desert TV-G

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. TV-14
 → STORY, P. 3

8:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour

9:00 Breakthrough: The Ideas that Changed the World "The Airplane" Take to the sky with the dreamers whose work gave humans the ability to fly. TV-PG

9:00 **WORLD** DW The Day

9:30 **WORLD** BBC News

10:00 BBC News

10:00 **WORLD** NOVA: Black Hole Apocalypse TV-G
 → STORY, P. 11

10:30 Amanpour and Company

11:00 **WORLD** The American Southwest TV-PG
 → STORY, P. 19

11:30 Roadtrip Nation: Nursing Possibilities "Pt 2: Care and Impact" The Roadtrippers learn about specializing with nursing certifications and program credentials. TV-G

WEDNESDAY JULY 15

AM EARLY MORNING

mdnt **GZERO** World with Ian Bremmer

MDNT **WORLD** Impossible Builds: Europe in the Desert

12:30 **NHK** Newline

1:00 **Independent Lens: Flood** → STORY, P. 13

1:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour

2:00 **WORLD** Amanpour and Company

2:30 **Still Here: Native American Resilience in New England**

3:00 **JFK: American Experience: Pt One**
 → STORY, P. 20

3:00 **WORLD** Centered: Joe Lieberman

4:00 **WORLD** BBC News

4:30 **WORLD** GZERO World with Ian Bremmer

5:00 **Today's Wild West**

5:00 **WORLD** Newsroom Tokyo

5:28 **WORLD** Direct Talk

5:30 **MT** Backroads of Montana: Coffee Creek to Haugan → SEE P. 4

5:43 **WORLD** NHK Short Program

PM EVENING

5:30 BBC News The Context USA



INDEPENDENT LENS
 "Flood"

More of the Best in Indie Docs

Independent Lens

MONDAYS AT 9PM

REPEATS WEDNESDAY EARLY MORNINGS AT 1AM

This anthology series features documentaries and a limited number of fiction films united by the creative freedom, artistic achievement and unflinching visions of their independent producers.

True North Myths and Black Power

MONDAY 7/6 9PM Also 7/8 1am; **WORLD: 7/8 6:30pm & 11:30pm; 7/9 7:30am; 7/11 10am**

Revisit 1968 Montreal, where Black liberation movements converged at the Congress of Black Writers. Student protests ignited the Sir George Williams Affair.

Flood

MONDAY 7/13 9PM Also 7/15 1am; **WORLD: 7/15 6:30pm & 11:30pm; 7/16 7:30am; 7/18 10am**

A filmmaker and her estranged evangelical father try to reconnect. A project becomes a journey toward empathy and connection.

POV

MONDAYS AT 9PM

REPEATS WEDNESDAY EARLY MORNINGS AT 1AM

Groundbreaking and distinctive perspectives on contemporary life as chronicled by some of the most visionary non-fiction filmmakers.

The Dating Game

MONDAY 7/20 9PM Also 7/23 1am; **WORLD: 7/22 6:30pm & 11:30pm; 7/23 7:30am; 7/25 10am**

Three bachelors tackle dating camp led by one of China's most sought-after dating coaches. They try to make sense of their authentic and constructed selves.

For Venida, for Kalief

MONDAY 7/27 9PM Also 7/29 1am; **WORLD: 7/29 6:30pm & 11:30pm; 7/30 7:30am; 8/1 10am**

Kalief Browder's everlasting legacy expands via the poetry of his mother, Venida in an unfolding poetic journey between past, present, and future.



PHOTO: PBS
Nature: Soul of the Ocean

Best in Natural History

Nature

WEDNESDAYS AT 7PM

REPEATS NEXT WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON AT 1PM

Rich and rewarding stories from the wild; an essential lens on the creatures, great and small, that sustain us all on our living planet.

Niagara Falls

WEDNESDAY 7/8 7PM Also 7/15 1pm; WORLD: 7/12 6pm & 10pm; 7/13 6am; 7/15 1pm

Embark on this geological wonder of three separate waterfalls, and witness its stunning beauty and a wide variety of wildlife that call it home.

Soul of the Ocean

WEDNESDAY 7/15 7PM Also 7/22 1pm; WORLD: 7/19 6pm & 10pm; 7/20 6am; 7/22 1pm

Take a deep breath and experience the complex world of ocean waters in this look at how life underwater co-exists in a marriage of necessity.

Big Little Journeys: Home

WEDNESDAY 7/22 7PM Also 7/29 1pm; WORLD: 7/26 6pm & 10pm; 7/27 6am; 7/29 1pm

A baby turtle in Canada and a young bushbaby in South Africa search for a safe new home.

Big Little Journeys: Survival

WEDNESDAY 7/29 7PM Also 8/5 1pm; WORLD: 8/2 6pm & 10pm; 8/3 6am; 8/5 1pm

A Taiwanese pangolin and a Brazilian lion tamarin family travel to a strange new world.

Big Little Journeys: Bloodlines

WEDNESDAY 8/5 7PM Also 8/12 1pm; WORLD: 8/9 6pm & 10pm; 8/10 6am; 8/12 1pm

A Madagascar chameleon and a Scottish water vole travel to secure their bloodlines.

6:00 PBS News Hour

6:30 **WORLD** Independent Lens: Flood TV-PG-L
→ STORY, P. 13

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. TV-PG
→ STORY, P. 14

8:00 **NOVA** "Black Hole Universe" TV-G
→ STORY, P. 11

8:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour

9:00 **Bugs That Rule the World** "Insect Apocalypse" Scientists and enthusiasts investigate the global insect "apocalypse". TV-PG

9:00 **WORLD** DW The Day

9:30 **WORLD** BBC News

10:00 BBC News

10:00 **WORLD** Camp RicStar TV-G

10:30 Amanpour and Company

11:30 **MotorWeek** "2026 Mazda Cx-5" Mazda is continuing to push further into premium territory, and they haven't left out their bread and butter. How does the new CX-5 fare in following this more upscale direction while retaining its easy bar for entry? We'll find out before taking on a lone street truck from Ford, the Maverick Lobo. And we'll bring you more "Your Drive" garage advice and an all-new Quick Spin. TV-G

11:30 **WORLD** Independent Lens: Flood TV-PG-L
→ STORY, P. 13

THURSDAY

JULY 16

AM EARLY MORNING

mdnt Story in the Public Square

12:30 NHK Newsline

1:00 Great Performances at the Met: I Puritani

1:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour

2:00 **WORLD** Amanpour and Company

3:00 **WORLD** Rohna Classified

4:00 **WORLD** BBC News

4:30 Boom and Bust: America's Journey on the Erie Canal

4:30 **WORLD** Story in the Public Square

5:00 The Empire Builder: James J. Hill and the Great Northern Railway

5:00 **WORLD** Newsroom Tokyo

5:28 **WORLD** Direct Talk

5:43 **WORLD** NHK Short Program

PM EVENING

5:30 **BBC News The Context USA**

6:00 PBS News Hour

6:00 **WORLD** America ReFramed: Running with My Girls

7:00 **MT** 11th & Grant with Eric Funk "The Lucky Valentines" The Lucky Valentines breathe sadness, joy, and wonder into

their original music. TV-G → SEE P. 4

- 7:30 **WORLD** Reflections of a Colored Girl TV-G
- 8:00 RFDS: Royal Flying Doctor Service** While the team is working at the White Cliffs rodeo, Pete and Chaya have to deal with an accident. TV-14
- 8:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour
- 8:58 Midsomer Murders** "Sauce for the Goose" Barnaby investigates the discovery of a body at a factory that makes Plummer & Son Famous Relish.
- 9:00 **WORLD** DW The Day
- 9:30 **WORLD** BBC News
- 10:00 **WORLD** America ReFramed: Running with My Girls
- 10:32 BBC News**
- 11:00 Amanpour and Company**
- 11:30 **WORLD** Reflections of a Colored Girl TV-G

FRIDAY JULY 17

- AM EARLY MORNING**
- mdnt Overheard with Evan Smith: Pamela Colloff
- MDNT **WORLD** The Young Vote
- 12:30 NHK Newline
- 1:00 As Time Goes By: The Affair
- 1:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour
- 1:30 Mulberry: Hired
- 2:00 Elisabeth Von Trapp's Journey - Echoes of Sound → STORY, BACK COVER
- 2:00 **WORLD** Amanpour and Company
- 2:50 **MT** Butte, America
- 3:00 **WORLD** History with David Rubenstein: Ken Burns
- 3:30 **WORLD** Stories from the Stage: Into The Wild
- 4:00 The War That Made America
- 4:00 **WORLD** BBC News
- 4:30 **WORLD** Balancing Act with John Katko
- 5:00 Antiques Roadshow: Living History Farms Hr 3
- 5:00 **WORLD** Newsroom Tokyo
- 5:28 **WORLD** Direct Talk
- 5:43 **WORLD** NHK Short Program
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- PM EVENING**
- 5:30 BBC News The Context USA**
- 6:00 PBS News Hour**
- 6:00 **WORLD** Free to Speak: The One True Faith TV-PG
- 7:00 Washington Week with The Atlantic**
- 7:00 **WORLD** Free to Speak: The Speech We Hate TV-PG
- 7:30 Firing Line with Margaret Hoover**
- 8:00 JFK: American Experience** "Pt 2" John F. Kennedy's successes and failures in the White House and his assassination are explored. TV-PG-L → STORY, P. 20
- 8:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour
- 9:00 **WORLD** Bloomberg Wall Street Week

- 10:00 BBC News**
- 10:00 **WORLD** Free to Speak: Thought Police TV-PG
- 10:30 Amanpour and Company**
- 11:00 **WORLD** Free to Speak: The One True Faith TV-PG
- 11:30 History with David Rubenstein** "Selwyn Vickers" TV-PG

SATURDAY JULY 18

- AM EARLY MORNING**
- mdnt 8 Days: To the Moon and Back
- MDNT **WORLD** Free to Speak: The Speech We Hate
- 1:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour
- 1:30 The Good Road: Cape Canaveral, Florida - Space Force, Go for Launch
- 2:00 Space Chase USA
- 2:00 **WORLD** Amanpour and Company
- 3:00 Washington Week with The Atlantic
- 3:00 **WORLD** American Experience: The American Vice President
- 3:30 Market to Market
- 4:00 This Old House
- 4:00 **WORLD** The Whitney Reynolds Show
- 4:30 Ask This Old House
- 4:30 **WORLD** Horizons from PBS News
- 5:00 Wai Lana Yoga: Bend, Twist and Release Tension
- 5:00 **WORLD** To the Contrary with Bonnie Erbe
- 5:30 Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood
- 5:30 **WORLD** Washington Week with The Atlantic
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- PM EVENING**
- 6:00 The Lawrence Welk Show** "Songs of the 70s" This episode comes to life with your favorite hits from the 70s. TV-G
- 6:00 **WORLD** The War That Made America TV-PG
- 7:00 As Time Goes By** "Welcome News" Jean and Lionel receive unexpected but welcome news from Lionel's father. TV-PG
- 7:00 **WORLD** The War That Made America TV-PG
- 7:30 Mulberry** "Bonfire Night" It's bonfire night, and we find Mulberry trying to coax Miss Farnaby into changing some of habits. TV-PG
- 8:00 **WORLD** A French Village: The Book
- 8:03 Montana PBS Film Classics** "Singin' in the Rain (1952)" As silent films turn to talkies, Don thrives while Kathy secretly dubs the vocally gifted-less Lina. TV-G → STORY, P. 17
- 9:00 **WORLD** Unforgotten: Connecticut's Hidden History of Slavery TV-PG
- 9:47 MT 11th & Grant with Eric Funk** "The Lucky Valentines" TV-G → SEE P. 4

- 10:00 **WORLD** The War That Made America TV-PG
- 10:45 Austin City Limits** "ACL Celebrates Antone's & The Blues" ACL salutes the 50-year legacy of iconic Austin club Antone's and blues legends. TV-PG
- 11:00 **WORLD** The War That Made America TV-PG
- 11:45 Falling Forward into an Unknown and Dangerous Future** Beyond human intelligence: Step into the conversation that shook the world. TV-G

SUNDAY JULY 19

- AM EARLY MORNING**
- mdnt Astrid: Immortal
- MDNT **WORLD** America ReFramed: Running with My Girls
- 12:56 Midsomer Murders: Sauce for the Goose
- 1:30 **WORLD** Reflections of a Colored Girl
- 2:00 **WORLD** POV: The Body Politic
- 2:30 On Story: Reinventing the Classic Whodunnit: A Conversation
- 3:00 The Legacy of 4-H
- 3:30 **WORLD** Stories from the Stage: Into the Wild
- 4:00 Finding Your Roots: Out of the Past
- 4:00 **WORLD** On Story: On American Born Chinese: A Conversation with Kelvin Yu
- 4:30 **WORLD** To the Contrary with Bonnie Erbe
- 5:00 Doug's Geology Journal: A Whole Lotta Lava
- 5:00 **WORLD** Washington Week with The Atlantic
- 5:30 Ready Jet Go!
- 5:30 **WORLD** The Open Mind
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- PM AFTERNOON/EVENING**
- 3:00 Discovering Maggie Smith** Look at the remarkable on-screen career of Dame Maggie Smith. TV-PG
- 3:00 **WORLD** POV: The Body Politic TV-14
- 4:00 America the Bountiful** "Crawfish In Louisiana" Travel into the bayou of Acadiana with Capri on her trip through Louisiana. TV-G
- 4:30 A Chef's Life** "King Cornbread" Vivian visits a Kinston institution that uses cornbread to make "pig and a puppy." TV-G
- 4:30 **WORLD** Stories from the Stage: Into the Wild
- 5:00 Outside: Beyond the Lens** "Tennessee Parks" Explore the diverse state park system of Tennessee and discover its wonders. TV-G
- 5:00 **WORLD** A French Village: The Book
- 5:30 Compass Points from PBS News**
- 6:00 10 Streets That Changed America** A tour of engineering feats that made our civilization possible focuses on streets in America. TV-G

- 6:00 **WORLD** Nature: Soul of the Ocean TV-P
→ STORY, P. 14 G
- 7:00** **Patience** "Paco's Revenge" Patience suspects foul play and falls out with Frankie who needs convincing. TV-14
- 7:00 **WORLD** Finding Your Roots: Out of the Past TV-PG
- 8:00** **Grantchester on Masterpiece** "S11, Ep 6" Cathy's triumph at CeCe's turns dark when a club manager is found dead. TV-14
- 8:00 **WORLD** JFK: American Experience: Pt Two TV-PG-L → STORY, P. 20
- 9:00** **Downton Abbey S2 on Masterpiece** "Pt Six" The Spanish flu strikes Downton. Mary, Sybil and Robert each confront a moment of truth. TV-PG
- 10:00 **WORLD** Nature: Soul of the Ocean TV-PG
→ STORY, P. 14
- 11:00** **We'll Meet Again** "Freedom Summer" Join Ann Curry for the dramatic reunions of people who lost touch after the civil rights movement. TV-PG
- 11:00 **WORLD** Finding Your Roots: Out of the Past TV-PG

MONDAY JULY 20

- AM EARLY MORNING**
- mdnt RFDS: Royal Flying Doctor Service
- MDNT **WORLD** JFK: American Experience: Pt Two → STORY, P. 20
- 1:00 Austin City Limits: ACL Celebrates Antone's & The Blues
- 2:00 **MT** 11th & Grant with Eric Funk: The Lucky Valentines → SEE P. 4
- 2:00 **WORLD** The Young Vote
- 3:00 The Good Road: Cape Canaveral, Florida - Space Force, Go for Launch
- 3:00 **WORLD** Unforgotten: Connecticut's Hidden History of Slavery
- 3:30 8 Days: To the Moon and Back
- 4:00 **WORLD** BBC News
- 4:30 **WORLD** The Whitney Reynolds Show
- 5:00 Classical Tahoe
- 5:00 **WORLD** Newsroom Tokyo
- 5:28 **WORLD** Direct Talk
- 5:43 **WORLD** NHK Short Program

PM EVENING

- 5:30** **BBC News The Context USA**
- 6:00** **PBS News Hour**
- 7:00** **Antiques Roadshow** "Denver Botanic Gardens Chatfield Farms Hr 1" Discover delightful ROADSHOW treasures at Denver Botanic Gardens Chatfield Farms! TV-G
- 7:00 **WORLD** Roadtrip Nation: Many Roads Forward: You're Never Stuck TV-G
- 7:30 **WORLD** Stories from the Stage: Road Trip
- 8:00** **Antiques Roadshow** "Denver Botanic Gardens Chatfield Farms Hr 2" ROADSHOW strikes gold in Colorado

- with amazing finds from a stop in Littleton! TV-G
- 8:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour
- 9:00** **POV** "The Dating Game" Three bachelors tackle a dating coach's camp to find confidence and bridge their authentic selves. TV-14 → STORY, P. 13
- 9:00 **WORLD** DW The Day
- 9:30 **WORLD** BBC News
- 10:00 **WORLD** Free Exercise: America's Story of Religious Liberty TV-PG
- 10:30** **BBC News**
- 11:00** **Amanpour and Company**
- 11:30 **WORLD** WALK THE WALK

TUESDAY JULY 21

- AM EARLY MORNING**
- mdnt ICT News with Aliyah Chavez
- MDNT **WORLD** Roadtrip Nation: Many Roads Forward: You're Never Stuck
- 12:30 NHK Newslines
- 12:30 **WORLD** Stories from the Stage: Road Trip
- 1:00 Patience: Paco's Revenge
- 1:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour
- 2:00 Grantchester on Masterpiece: S11, Ep 6
- 2:00 **WORLD** Amanpour and Company
- 3:00 Downton Abbey S2 on Masterpiece: Pt Six
- 3:00 **WORLD** Free to Speak: Thought Police
- 4:00 **WORLD** BBC News
- 4:30 **WORLD** Asia Insight
- 5:00 Sacred Ground with Tim Daly: The Last Supper: Seeds of Change
- 5:00 **WORLD** Newsroom Tokyo
- 5:28 **WORLD** Direct Talk
- 5:30 Bare Feet in NYC with Mickela Mallozzi: Harlem, USA
- 5:43 **WORLD** NHK Short Program

PM EVENING

- 5:30** **BBC News The Context USA**
- 6:00** **PBS News Hour**
- 6:00 **WORLD** Once Upon A Time In Space: America First TV-14 → STORY, P. 3
- 7:00** **Finding Your Roots** "Caribbean Roots" Henry Louis Gates, Jr. explores the Caribbean heritage of actor Liza Colon-Zayas. TV-PG
- 7:00 **WORLD** Bugs That Rule the World: Insect Apocalypse TV-PG
- 8:00** **Once Upon A Time In Space** "The Russian Thing" When the Soviet Union falls, Russia welcomes US astronauts to their space station Mir. TV-PG → STORY, P. 3
- 8:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour
- 9:00** **Breakthrough: The Ideas that Changed the World** "The Telescope" Meet the brilliant minds responsible for creating the telescope, from Galileo to Edwin Hubble. TV-PG
- 9:00 **WORLD** DW The Day

- 9:30 **WORLD** BBC News
- 10:00** **BBC News**
- 10:00 **WORLD** NOVA: Black Hole Universe TV-G
→ STORY, P. 11
- 10:30** **Amanpour and Company**
- 11:00 **WORLD** Once Upon A Time In Space: America First TV-14 → STORY, P. 3
- 11:30** **Roadtrip Nation: Many Roads Forward** "You're Never Stuck" Follow along the roadtrippers meet with others who have used microcredentials to level up. TV-G

WEDNESDAY JULY 22

- AM EARLY MORNING**
- mdnt GZERO World with Ian Bremmer
- MDNT **WORLD** Bugs That Rule the World: Insect Apocalypse
- 12:30 NHK Newslines
- 1:00 POV: The Dating Game → STORY, P. 13
- 1:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour
- 2:00 **WORLD** Amanpour and Company
- 2:30 See Memory
- 3:00 JFK: American Experience: Pt Two → STORY, P. 20
- 3:00 **WORLD** Free to Speak: The One True Faith
- 4:00 **WORLD** BBC News
- 4:30 **WORLD** GZERO World with Ian Bremmer
- 5:00 Today's Wild West
- 5:00 **WORLD** Newsroom Tokyo
- 5:28 **WORLD** Direct Talk
- 5:30 **MT** Backroads of Montana: Singing in the Wires → SEE P. 4
- 5:43 **WORLD** NHK Short Program

PM EVENING

- 5:30** **BBC News The Context USA**
- 6:00** **PBS News Hour**
- 6:30 **WORLD** POV: The Dating Game TV-PG
→ STORY, P. 13
- 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. TV-PG → STORY, P. 14
- 8:00** **NOVA** "Chasing Pluto" The New Horizons spacecraft will fly by and take the very first detailed images of Pluto. TV-G
- 8:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour
- 9:00** **Bugs That Rule the World** "Lifegivers" Dive into the colorful world of Earth's essential pollinators - bees, moths, and butterflies. TV-PG
- 9:00 **WORLD** DW The Day
- 9:30 **WORLD** BBC News
- 10:00** **BBC News**
- 10:00 **WORLD** POV: Unseen TV-14
- 10:30** **Amanpour and Company**
- 11:30** **MotorWeek** "2026 Dodge Charger R/T" Our 2026 Drivers' Choice Awards pick

for 'best of the Year' is back for another set. This time, it's the Dodge Charger R/T, the entry-level trim of the internal-combustion SIXPACK Charger. We'll start with that twin-turbocharged muscle car before getting drivetime with another turbo-tuned ride kicked up a notch, the Volkswagen Tiguan SEL R-Line Turbo. TV-G

11:30 **WORLD** POV: The Dating Game TV-PG
 → STORY, P. 13

THURSDAY JULY 23

- AM EARLY MORNING**
- mdnt Story in the Public Square
 - 12:30 NHK Newslines
 - 1:00 A Life Reimagined: The George Masa Story
 - 1:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour
 - 2:00 **WORLD** Amanpour and Company
 - 2:30 Railroad Stations in American Life
 - 3:00 **WORLD** Free to Speak: The Speech We Hate
 - 4:00 The Empire Builder: James J. Hill and the Great Northern Railway
 - 4:00 **WORLD** BBC News
 - 4:30 **WORLD** Story in the Public Square
 - 5:00 Antiques Roadshow: Denver Botanic Gardens Chatfield Farms Hr 1
 - 5:00 **WORLD** Newsroom Tokyo
 - 5:28 **WORLD** Direct Talk
 - 5:43 **WORLD** NHK Short Program
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- PM EVENING**
- 5:30 **BBC News The Context USA**
 - 6:00 **PBS News Hour**
 - 6:00 **WORLD** Doc World: La Lucha
 - 7:00 **MT** Montana PBS Reports: **IMPACT** "MT School Phone Policies/Beef Country of Origin" TV-G → SEE P. 4
 - 7:30 **MT** **Be Thou Always As A Guest** Bill Ohrmann was a rancher from Drummond, Montana, who took up painting at the age of 78. He passed away in 2014 at 95, having completed more than 200 paintings and many sculptures and carvings. TV-PG → SEE P. 4
 - 7:30 **WORLD** Power of Chairs TV-G
 - 8:00 **RFDS: Royal Flying Doctor Service** Pete discovers the intervention he performed at White Cliffs has had major repercussions. TV-14
 - 8:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour
 - 8:58 **Midsomer Murders** "Midsomer Rhapsody" Barnaby investigates when murder follow the manuscript of a piece of music by a dead composer.
 - 9:00 **WORLD** DW The Day
 - 9:30 **WORLD** BBC News
 - 10:00 **WORLD** Doc World: La Lucha
 - 10:32 **BBC News**
 - 11:00 **Amanpour and Company**
 - 11:30 **WORLD** Power of Chairs TV-G



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 "An American in Paris" (1951)

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More Great Movies This Month
Montana PBS Film Classics
SATURDAYS AT 8:03PM
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An American in Paris (1951)

SATURDAY, 7/11 8:03 PM Also 7/12 1pm
 Ex-GI, Jerry Mulligan (Gene Kelly), an American who's in post-war Paris to become a painter, falls for the charms of Lise Bouvier (Leslie Caron), while a rich heiress, Milo Roberts (Nina Foch) pursues more than just art.

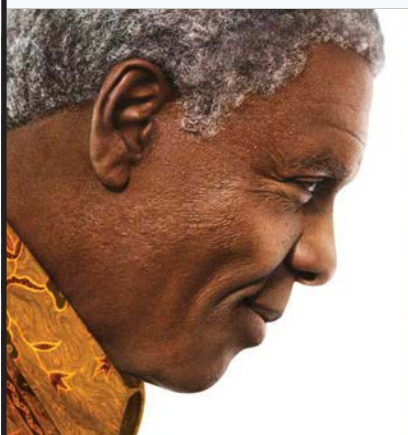
Singin' in the Rain (1952)

SATURDAY, 7/18 8:03 PM Also 7/19 1pm
 As silent films turn to talkies, there's trouble adapting. Don Lockwood (Gene Kelly) and Lina Lamont (Jean Hagen), famous as a romantic couple on the big screen, but Lina can't sing and might have to be replaced by Kathy Selden (Debbie Reynolds).

Mandela - A Long Walk to Freedom (2013)

SATURDAY, 7/25 8:03 PM Also 7/26 1pm
 The remarkable life of Nelson Mandela (Idris Elba). From humble beginnings, Mandela became involved in anti-apartheid, spent time in the Robben Island prison, and became the first President of democratic South Africa.

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 "Mandela - A Long Walk to Freedom" (2013)



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 "Singin' in the Rain" (1952)



FRIDAY

JULY 24

AM EARLY MORNING
 mdnt Overheard with Evan Smith: Jeffrey Goldberg
 MDNT **WORLD** I Go Home
 12:30 NHK Newsline
 1:00 As Time Goes By: You Must Remember This
 1:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour
 1:30 Mulberry: Bonfire Night
 2:00 The Ozark Mountain Daredevils - Backstage
 2:00 **WORLD** Amanpour and Company
 3:00 **WORLD** Roadtrip Nation: Many Roads Forward; You're Never Stuck
 3:30 Trolley Park: Great Lakes
 3:30 **WORLD** Stories from the Stage: Into the Wild
 4:00 The War That Made America
 4:00 **WORLD** BBC News
 4:30 **WORLD** Balancing Act with John Katko
 5:00 Antiques Roadshow: Denver Botanic Gardens Chatfield Farms Hr 2
 5:00 **WORLD** Newsroom Tokyo
 5:28 **WORLD** Direct Talk
 5:43 **WORLD** NHK Short Program

PM EVENING

5:30 BBC News The Context USA
6:00 PBS News Hour
 6:00 **WORLD** A More or Less Perfect Union: A Constitution for All TV-PG
7:00 Washington Week with The Atlantic
 7:00 **WORLD** A More or Less Perfect Union: Our Constitution at Risk TV-PG
7:30 Firing Line with Margaret Hoover
8:00 Chasing The Moon: American Experience "A Place Beyond The Sky" The early days of the space race and the struggle to catch up with the Soviet Union are explored. TV-PG → STORY, P. 21
 8:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour
 9:00 **WORLD** Bloomberg Wall Street Week
10:00 BBC News
 10:00 **WORLD** A More or Less Perfect Union: A Constitution in Writing TV-PG
10:30 Amanpour and Company
 11:00 **WORLD** A More or Less Perfect Union: A Constitution for All TV-PG
11:30 History with David Rubenstein "Steve Inskeep" TV-PG

SATURDAY

JULY 25

AM EARLY MORNING
 mdnt New Orleans: The First 300 Years
 MDNT **WORLD** A More or Less Perfect Union: Our Constitution at Risk
 1:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour
 1:30 Passage
 2:00 **WORLD** Amanpour and Company
 3:00 Washington Week with The Atlantic

3:00 **WORLD** I Go Home
 3:30 Market to Market
 4:00 This Old House
 4:00 **WORLD** The Whitney Reynolds Show
 4:30 Ask This Old House
 4:30 **WORLD** Horizons from PBS News
 5:00 Wai Lana Yoga: Yoga Basics
 5:00 **WORLD** To the Contrary with Bonnie Erbe
 5:30 Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood
 5:30 **WORLD** Washington Week with The Atlantic

PM EVENING

6:00 The Lawrence Welk Show "County Fair" It's a county fair on this week's show with hits like "Meet Me in St. Louis." TV-G
 6:00 **WORLD** Frontier to Freedom: America's Story of Religious Liberty TV-PG
7:00 As Time Goes By "The Anniversary Party" Jean has accepted Lionel's proposal but their euphoria is not contagious. TV-PG
7:30 Mulberry "Village Quiz" Mulberry enters Miss Farnaby into the village quiz. But the competition takes on new meaning when her outspoken sister, Adele, decides to challenge her. (TV-PG)
 8:00 **WORLD** A French Village: Marcel Larcher Street
8:03 Montana PBS Film Classics "Mandela - A Long Walk to Freedom (2013)" Idris Elba takes on the role of South African anti-apartheid icon, Nelson Mandela. TV-14 → STORY, P. 17
 9:00 **WORLD** Liberty of Conscience: The Founding of Maryland TV-G
 10:00 **WORLD** Free Exercise: America's Story of Religious Liberty TV-PG
10:30 Austin City Limits "Charley Crockett/Waxahatchee" ACL showcases Grammy-nominated roots sensations Charley Crockett and Waxahatchee in a radiant hour. TV-PG
11:30 TradFest "a cuig" Fiachna is joined by a Women Of Note gathering from Aoife Scott's series of concerts. TV-G

SUNDAY

JULY 26

AM EARLY MORNING
 mdnt Astrid: Madman's Sacrifice
 MDNT **WORLD** Doc World: La Lucha
 12:56 Midsomer Murders: Midsomer Rhapsody
 1:30 **WORLD** Power of Chairs
 2:00 **WORLD** POV: Who's Afraid of Nathan Law?
 2:30 On Story: On Book to TV Adaptations: A Conversation With Liz Tigelaar
 3:00 The Man Who Stole Einstein's Brain
 3:30 **WORLD** Walk the Walk
 4:00 Finding Your Roots: Caribbean Roots

4:00 **WORLD** On Story: On Dear White People: A Conversation with Justin Simien
 4:30 **WORLD** To the Contrary with Bonnie Erbe
 5:00 Doug's Geology Journal: It's All My Fault
 5:00 **WORLD** Washington Week with The Atlantic
 5:30 Ready Jet Go!
 5:30 **WORLD** The Open Mind

PM AFTERNOON/EVENING

3:00 **WORLD** Doc World: La Lucha
3:30 America the Bountiful: America's 250th Anniversary Special Host Capri Cafaro explores how colonial food independence fueled the American Revolution. TV-PG
4:30 A Chef's Life "Sweet Corn & Expensive Tea" Chef Vivian revisits the Southern tradition of "putting up" corn and makes smoked corn relish. TV-G
 4:30 **WORLD** Power of Chairs TV-G
5:00 Outside: Beyond the Lens "California's Nelder Grove" Investigate Nelder Grove, a hidden wonder in the Sierra Nevada Mountains of California. TV-G
 5:00 **WORLD** A French Village: Marcel Larcher Street
5:30 Compass Points from PBS News
6:00 Frederick Law Olmsted: Designing America Meet Frederick Law Olmsted, the man who made public parks an essential part of American life. TV-PG
 6:00 **WORLD** Nature: Big Little Journeys: Home TV-PG → STORY, P. 14
7:00 Patience "A Monk's Tale" A monk is found dead in a chapel. Patience uncovers unholy secrets in the monastery. TV-14
 7:00 **WORLD** Finding Your Roots: Caribbean Roots TV-PG
8:00 Grantchester on Masterpiece "S11, Ep 7" As Alphy seeks redemption, a murder investigation spirals into a high-stakes siege. TV-14-L
 8:00 **WORLD** Chasing The Moon: American Experience: A Place Beyond The Sky TV-PG → STORY, P. 21

9:00 Downton Abbey S2 on Masterpiece "Pt Seven" In the finale, the family gathers at Downton Abbey for Christmas. TV-PG
 10:00 **WORLD** Nature: Big Little Journeys: Home TV-PG → STORY, P. 14
11:00 We'll Meet Again "Saved in Vietnam" Join Ann Curry as two Vietnam veterans search for the heroes who saved them during the war. TV-PG
 11:00 **WORLD** Finding Your Roots: Caribbean Roots TV-PG

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Beaver Wetlands in Colorado's High Country

A Family-Friendly Wildlife Movie on The Colorado

The American Southwest

WEDESDAY 7/8 9PM also 7/13 1pm

From the Rockies to scorching deserts and iconic landscapes, the Majestic and 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.



MONDAY

JULY 27

AM EARLY MORNING

- mdnt RFDS: Royal Flying Doctor Service
- MDNT **WORLD** Chasing The Moon: American Experience: A Place Beyond The Sky
→ STORY, P. 21
- 1:00 Austin City Limits: Charley Crockett/Waxahatchee
- 2:00 **MT** Montana PBS Reports: IMPACT: MT School Phone Policies/Beef Country of Origin → SEE P. 4
- 2:00 **WORLD** POV: Unseen
- 2:30 **MT** Be Thou Always as a Guest → SEE P. 4
- 3:00 Homesteading
- 3:30 **WORLD** Power of Chairs
- 4:00 America Outdoors with Baratunde Thurston: Death Valley: Life Blooms
- 4:00 **WORLD** BBC News
- 4:30 **WORLD** The Whitney Reynolds Show
- 5:00 Classical Tahoe
- 5:00 **WORLD** Newsroom Tokyo
- 5:28 **WORLD** Direct Talk
- 5:43 **WORLD** NHK Short Program

PM EVENING

- 5:30 BBC News The Context USA**
- 6:00 PBS News Hour**
- 6:00 **WORLD** Local, USA: In The Bubble with Jaime
- 7:00 Antiques Roadshow** "Denver Botanic Gardens Chatfield Farms Hr 3" ROADSHOW visits Denver Botanic Gardens Chatfield Farms discovering a \$400,000 treasure! TV-G
- 7:00 **WORLD** Roadtrip Nation: Many Roads Forward: Dreaming in Color TV-G
- 7:30 **WORLD** Stories from the Stage: You Only Live Once

- 8:00 Antiques Roadshow** "Maryland Zoo Hr 1" Watch astonishing treasures from ROADSHOW's Baltimore stop! One is \$350,000 - \$570,000! TV-G

8:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour

- 9:00 POV** "For Venida, for Kalief" Venida Browder's transcending poetry weaves a cinematic legacy for her son, Kalief. TV-14 → STORY, P. 13

9:00 **WORLD** DW The Day

9:30 **WORLD** BBC News

- 10:00 **WORLD** Shaking It Up: The Life and Times of Liz Carpenter TV-G

10:30 BBC News

11:00 Amanpour and Company

11:00 **WORLD** Local, USA: In The Bubble with Jaime

TUESDAY

JULY 28

AM EARLY MORNING

- mdnt ICT News with Aliyah Chavez
- MDNT **WORLD** Roadtrip Nation: Many Roads Forward: Dreaming in Color
- 12:30 NHK Newsline
- 12:30 **WORLD** Stories from the Stage: You Only Live Once
- 1:00 Patience: A Monk's Tale
- 1:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour
- 2:00 Grantchester on Masterpiece: S11, Ep 7
- 2:00 **WORLD** Amanpour and Company
- 3:00 Downton Abbey S2 on Masterpiece: Pt Seven
- 3:00 **WORLD** A More or Less Perfect Union: A Constitution in Writing
- 4:00 **WORLD** BBC News
- 4:30 **WORLD** Asia Insight
- 5:00 Sacred Ground with Tim Daly: Falling Trees: A Parable of Hope

- 5:00 **WORLD** Newsroom Tokyo
- 5:28 **WORLD** Direct Talk
- 5:30 Bare Feet in NYC with Mickela Mallozzi: Brazil In NYC
- 5:43 **WORLD** NHK Short Program

PM EVENING

- 5:30 BBC News The Context USA**
- 6:00 PBS News Hour**
- 6:00 **WORLD** Once Upon A Time In Space: The Russian Thing TV-PG → STORY, P. 3
- 7:00 Finding Your Roots** "The Road We Took" Henry Louis Gates, Jr., maps the roots of actor Lizzie Caplan and comedian Hasan Minhaj. TV-PG
- 7:00 **WORLD** Bugs That Rule the World: Lifegivers TV-PG
- 8:00 Once Upon A Time In Space** "Politics Always Wins"
TV-PG → STORY, P. 3
- 8:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour
- 9:00 Breakthrough: The Ideas that Changed the World** "The Rocket" The history of the rocket is examined, including its role as a weapon of war and use by astronauts. TV-PG
- 9:00 **WORLD** DW The Day
- 9:30 **WORLD** BBC News
- 10:00 BBC News**
- 10:00 **WORLD** NOVA: Chasing Pluto TV-G
→ STORY, P. 11
- 10:30 Amanpour and Company**
- 11:00 **WORLD** Once Upon A Time In Space: The Russian Thing TV-PG → STORY, P. 3
- 11:30 Roadtrip Nation: Many Roads Forward** "Dreaming in Color" Roadtrippers learn cybersecurity and entrepre-



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 Senator John F. Kennedy in Boston, 1957.

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JFK: Part One

FRIDAY 7/10 8PM Also 7/15 3am; **WORLD: 7/12 8pm; 7/13 mdnt & 8am; 7/15 3am**

Part one follows JFK's rise to power from his birth to his election as president in 1960 — the youngest man ever to be elected to the office. With illuminating interviews from family members, historians and authors, this episode offers new insight into Kennedy's early years, from his transformation from a sickly youth to Washington's most eligible bachelor to the nation's president.

JFK: Part Two

FRIDAY 7/17 8PM Also 7/22 3am; **WORLD: 7/19 8pm; 7/20 12mid & 8am; 7/22 3am**

Part two follows Kennedy into the White House, through his assassination and the unfulfilled promise of his presidency. Offering fresh assessments of the successes and failures of his tenure, this episode features frank appraisals by administration officials, including John Seigenthaler, Thomas Hughes and Harris Wofford, civil rights leaders Andrew Young and Julian Bond, and journalists Evan Thomas and Richard Reeves.

neurship to career mentorship and more. TV-G

WEDNESDAY JULY 29

- AM EARLY MORNING**
- mdnt **GZERO** World with Ian Bremmer
 - MDNT **WORLD** Bugs That Rule the World: Lifegivers
 - 12:30 **NHK** Newline
 - 1:00 **POV:** For Venida, for Kalief → STORY, P. 13
 - 1:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour
 - 2:00 **WORLD** Amanpour and Company
 - 2:30 Something Changed in the Room
 - 3:00 **Chasing The Moon: American Experience: A Place Beyond The Sky** → STORY, P. 21
 - 3:00 **WORLD** A More or Less Perfect Union: A Constitution for All
 - 4:00 **WORLD** BBC News
 - 4:30 **WORLD** GZERO World with Ian Bremmer
 - 5:00 **Today's Wild West**
 - 5:00 **WORLD** Newsroom Tokyo
 - 5:28 **WORLD** Direct Talk
 - 5:30 **MT** Backroads of Montana: Paintings, Partials and Pies → SEE P. 4
 - 5:43 **WORLD** NHK Short Program

PM EVENING

- 5:30 BBC News The Context USA**
- 6:00 PBS News Hour**
- 6:30 **WORLD** **POV:** For Venida, For Kalief TV-PG → STORY, P. 13
- 7:00 Nature** "Big Little Journeys: Survival" A Taiwanese pangolin and a Brazilian lion tamarin family travel to a strange new world. TV-14 → STORY, P. 14
- 8:00 NOVA** "Pluto and Beyond" The New Horizons spacecraft attempts to fly by Ultima Thule, an object four billion miles from Earth. TV-G → STORY, P. 11
- 8:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour
- 9:00 Bugs That Rule the World** "Eat or Be Eaten" Uncover the ruthless world of some of the stealthiest and cleverest insects in the animal kingdom. TV-PG-S
- 9:00 **WORLD** DW The Day
- 9:30 **WORLD** BBC News
- 10:00 BBC News**
- 10:00 **WORLD** **POV:** The Ride Ahead TV-14-L
- 10:30 Amanpour and Company**
- 11:30 MotorWeek** "2026 Subaru Solterra" We've spent a lot of time with the Subaru Solterra since it arrived just a few years ago, and now we're back in the saddle to try out this battery-electric's first major update. TV-G
- 11:30 **WORLD** **POV:** For Venida, For Kalief TV-PG → STORY, P. 13

THURSDAY JULY 30

AM EARLY MORNING

mdnt Story in the Public Square
 12:30 NHK Newsline
 1:00 If I Could Stay/ Si Pudiera Quedarme
 1:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour
 2:00 Peaks to Prairie: A Holistic Regenerative Approach
 2:00 **WORLD** Amanpour and Company
 2:30 Great Scenic Railway Journeys 30th Anniversary Special
 3:00 **WORLD** A More or Less Perfect Union: Our Constitution at Risk
 4:00 The Empire Builder: James J. Hill and the Great Northern Railway
 4:00 **WORLD** BBC News
 4:30 **WORLD** Story in the Public Square
 5:00 Antiques Roadshow: Denver Botanic Gardens Chatfield Farms Hr 3
 5:00 **WORLD** Newsroom Tokyo
 5:28 **WORLD** Direct Talk
 5:43 **WORLD** NHK Short Program
 6:00 **SEE DAYTIME SCHEDULE, P. 23**

PM EVENING

5:30 BBC News The Context USA
 5:30 **WORLD** More Than a Medal TV-G
6:00 PBS News Hour
 6:00 **WORLD** Doc World: Flying Hands
7:00 MT 11th & Grant with Eric Funk "Bobcat Brass Trio" The Bobcat Brass Trio presents a wide range of repertoire, from new music to the classics. TV-G → SEE P. 4
 7:00 **WORLD** I AM disABLeD TV-PG
8:00 RFDS: Royal Flying Doctor Service Pete and Eliza must work together to save a 4-year-old boy. TV-14

8:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour
8:58 Midsomer Murders "The House in the Woods" Barnaby investigates the garrotting of house hunters outside a deserted, supposedly haunted, house.
 9:00 **WORLD** DW The Day
 9:30 **WORLD** BBC News
 10:00 **WORLD** Doc World: Flying Hands
10:32 BBC News
 11:00 **WORLD** I AM disABLeD TV-PG
11:00 Amanpour and Company

FRIDAY JULY 31

AM EARLY MORNING
 mdnt Overheard with Evan Smith: Mark Kelly
 MDNT **WORLD** Power of Chairs
 12:30 NHK Newsline
 12:30 **WORLD** More Than a Medal
 1:00 As Time Goes By: Getting to Know You - Again
 1:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour
 1:30 Mulberry: Village Quiz
 2:00 The Man Who Stole Einstein's Brain
 2:00 **WORLD** Amanpour and Company
 3:00 The Philadelphia Eleven
 3:00 **WORLD** Roadtrip Nation: Many Roads Forward: Dreaming in Color
 3:30 **WORLD** Stories from the Stage: You Only Live Once
 4:00 **WORLD** BBC News
 4:30 Social Security: 90 Years Strong
 4:30 **WORLD** Balancing Act with John Katko
 5:00 Antiques Roadshow: Maryland Zoo Hr 1
 5:00 **WORLD** Newsroom Tokyo
 5:28 **WORLD** Direct Talk

5:43 **WORLD** NHK Short Program

PM EVENING

5:30 BBC News The Context USA
6:00 PBS News Hour
 6:00 **WORLD** A Good Life TV-PG
7:00 Washington Week with The Atlantic
 7:00 **WORLD** American Experience: Change, Not Charity: The Americans with Disabilities Act TV-PG-L
7:30 Firing Line with Margaret Hoover
8:00 Chasing The Moon: American Experience "Earthrise" Discover what it took for the United States to beat the Soviet Union to the moon in the space race. TV-PG-L
 8:00 **WORLD** PBS News Hour
 9:00 **WORLD** Bloomberg Wall Street Week
10:00 BBC News
 10:00 **WORLD** 4 Wheel Bob TV-G
10:30 Amanpour and Company
 11:00 **WORLD** A Good Life TV-PG
11:30 History with David Rubenstein "Stacy Schiff" TV-PG

A Look Back at the Space Race

Chasing The Moon: American Experience

FRIDAYS AT 8PM BEGINS JULY 24

Explore the early days of the space race.

A Place Beyond The Sky

FRIDAY, 7/24 8PM Also 7/29 3am

The breathtaking failures and successes of the developing U.S. space program.

Earthrise

FRIDAY, 7/31 8PM Also 8/5 3am

What it took for the United States to beat the Soviet Union to the moon in the space race.

Magnificent Desolation

FRIDAY, 8/7 8PM Also 8/12 3am

The triumph of the first moon landing, witnessed by the largest TV audience in history.

COURTESY OF NASA

Ed White, the first American to walk in space, on Gemini 4 mission. June 3, 1965.



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The Cape Ann Project.

This Old House: Returning to the Cape Ann Project

A CREATE MARATHON, BEGINNING FRIDAY, JULY 17TH @ 7PM

Homeowners John and Molly plan to put the history back into their 1890s Shingle-style home. They'll remove '70s carpet, repair cracking balusters and transform the front entry, restoring the home's original beauty and updating it for modern living.

SEE OTHER MARATHONS AND HIGHLIGHTS LISTED BELOW

CREATE TV Showcase Marathons

Fridays 7pm-mdnt // Saturdays 8am-1pm // Sundays 10am-3pm

- Jul 3 – 5** **Create Celebrates: America at 250**
- Jul 10 – 12** **Cook's Country: Cooking with Fire**
- Jul 17 – 19** **This Old House Revisits Cape Ann**
- Jul 24 – 26** **Milk Street's My Family Recipe**
- Jul 31 – Aug 2** **Create-ing with Flowers with J Schwanke**

CREATE TV MONTHLY HIGHLIGHTS

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| Jul 2 | Quilting Arts | Jul 7 | J Schwanke's Life in Bloom |
| Jul 3 | Lucky Chow | Jul 12 | Journeys in Japan |
| Jul 3 | America the Bountiful | Jul 26 | Dive In Tokyo |
| Jul 4 | Rick Steves Best of Paris | Jul 30 | Farmer and the Foodie |
| Jul 4 | Taste of History | | |
| Jul 6 | Dining with the Chef | | |



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Explore Curiosity About Nature with

Alma in Oz The Musical

WATCH ON MONTANA PBS-KIDS EVERYDAY 3:30PM

Also airs on Montana PBS-HD: Saturdays 7:30AM

"Alma in Oz" is special musical episode from Season 3 of the animated series *Alma's Way* on PBS KIDS. Inspired by *The Wonderful Wizard of Oz* the story follows Alma and her friends as they embark on a magical quest to help Junior regain his roaring voice.

Parents and Teachers ... Learn more with PBS KIDS online!

Support ongoing growth and learning for Prek-2 children at home and in the classroom with fun, hands-on activities and resources when you visit PBS platforms!

For Parents and Caregivers: Read this article about helping kids celebrate differences with *Alma's Way!*: <https://www.pbs.org/parents/thrive/helping-kids-celebrate-differences-with-almas-way>

For Early Childhood Educators: Use this activity to help kids make a heart mosaic: <https://www.pbs.org/parents/thrive/helping-kids-celebrate-differences-with-almas-way>

For Elementary Teachers: Celebrate identity and community with *Alma's Way!* with this classroom activity: <https://montana.pbslearningmedia.org/resource/my-window-media-gallery/almas-way/>

We're Excited to Meet You!

We'll be on the road this summer hosting and participating in many events throughout the state. If we're in your neighborhood, stop by and say hi. You might even have a chance to meet Arthur the aardvark or Buddy the dinosaur!



July 10th

Buddy Visits
Missoula Public Library

July 17th

Buddy Visits
Belgrade Community Library

July 13th

Buddy Visits
Billings Public Library

July 22nd

Playtime Popup
Lewis & Clark Park
Belgrade

August 15th

Arthur Visits
Toole County Library
Shelby

July 14th

Buddy Visits
Red Lodge Carnegie Library

August 11th

Playtime Popup
Kathy Hollinesteiner
Park Belgrade

August 17th

Playtime Popup
Jerry Askin Park
Belgrade

August 14th

Arthur Visits
Back 2 School Blast
Great Falls

August 19th

Arthur Visits
Sidney - Richland County Library
Sidney

August 20th

Arthur Visits
Glendive Public Library



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Elisabeth von Trapp

***A Personal Journey Behind
the Global Phenomenon***

Independent Lens

***Elisabeth Von Trapp's Journey -
Echoes of Sound***

SUNDAY, 7/12 3PM Also 7/15 noon, 7/17 2am

Elisabeth von Trapp is the granddaughter of the legendary Maria and Baron von Trapp, whose story inspired *The Sound of Music*. In this fascinating documentary, Elisabeth embarks on a profound and intimate voyage as she travels to Austria to explore the deeper truths about her family's history and the underlying beauty behind the global theatrical and cinematic phenomenon.