

A Message From

Dara Bacon

Chief Development Officer of Nashville PBS

As a native of Kentucky, I was raised on PBS. I've made a commitment to my children that they will be PBS kids, and it's the support of our members who make that possible. Our members provide the opportunity for lifelong learning.

Stepping into the role of Chief Development Officer at Nashville PBS means I'm entrusted with building relationships with our members, donors, and community partners who sustain this work. I take that responsibility very seriously. Like so many of our viewers, I consider Nashville PBS as part of our family. It's a trusted voice in our living room, a companion in the classroom, and a window to arts, history, and ideas.

What keeps me inspired today is seeing how much this station provides Middle Tennessee. Nashville PBS helps children learn and grow through PBS KIDS, takes viewers down back roads on TENNESSEE CROSSROADS, shares practical know-how on VOLUNTEER GARDENER, and tells stories rooted right here at home. It is public media in the truest sense: created for everyone and free to watch.

That's why I believe a gift to Nashville PBS is one of the best investments you can make in our community. Your support does more than keep programs on the air. It helps young learners get ready for school, preserves Middle Tennessee's stories for future generations, and strengthens the civic and cultural life we share.

Thank you for being part of the Nashville PBS family and I look forward to getting to know you. Whether you have a favorite program, a memory to share, or simply want to say hello, you are always welcome to reach me at **dbacon@wnpt.org**.



FIVE WAYS TO GIVE TO NASHVILLE PBS

Our Season of Giving runs through December 31. Last year, members like you made it a record-breaking year, helping close the gap left when federal funding was cut.

Your gift keeps local stories, lifelong learning, and the arts within reach for every family in Middle Tennessee.

Here are five simple ways to give:

1. Give Online

Scan the QR code with your phone's camera, or text "Give" to (844) 213-5345

2. Give by Phone

Call Membership Manager Kelly Lasher at (615) 687-9942, and she'll be glad to assist.

3. Give Through a Donor-Advised Fund (DAF)

Log in to your DAF account and recommend a grant to Nashville Public Television Inc. (EIN 62-1740928)

4. Give From Your IRA with a Qualified Charitable Distribution (QCD)

If you're 70½ or older, you can give directly from your IRA. Ask your IRA administrator to send a QCD to Nashville Public Television Inc.
A QCD may lower your taxable income, so check with your tax or financial advisor to see how it fits your plans.

5. Give by Mail

Make your check payable to Nashville PBS and mail it to: Nashville PBS, 161 Rains Avenue, Nashville, TN 37203

Thank you

for your consideration and support!

Questions?

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NOVEMBER Primetime

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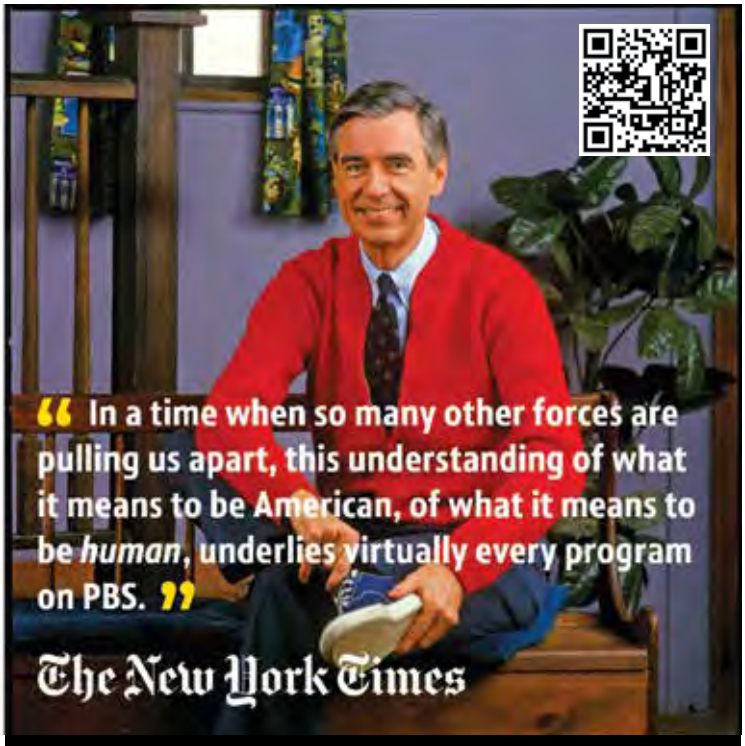
DATES	7:00pm	7:30pm	8:00pm	8:30pm	9:00pm
1 SUN	**Professor T Season 5: Retreat**		Maigret Season 2: Maigret's Revolver, Pt. I		The Gold Season 2 - Part III
2 MON	Antiques Roadshow: Sensational Finds		Pati Jinich Explores Panamericana Season 2: New Mexico & Colorado		Reel South: How to Sue the Klan/I'm Still Here
3 TUE	Vote 2026: PBS News Election Special LIVE				
4 WED	Nature: The Pigeon Hustle		NOVA | Evolution: The Mating Game		Secrets of the Dead: Saving Tangier Island
5 THU	Tennessee Crossroads	Volunteer Gardener	A Slice of the Community	The American Buffalo: Blood Memory	
6 FRI	Washington Week with the Atlantic	Firing Line with Margaret Hoover	Aging Matters: Aging with Honor	Salute to Service 2026: A Veterans Day Celebration	
7 SAT	The Lawrence Welk Show: Farm Show		Keeping Up Appearances: Daisy's Toyboy	As Time Goes By: Lionel's Ex-Wife	As Time Goes By: Lionel's New Hobby
8 SUN	**Professor T Season 5: Ghostwriter**		Maigret Season 2: Maigret's Revolver, Pt. II		The Gold Season 2 - Part IV
9 MON	Antiques Roadshow: Thrifty Deals		Pati Jinich Explores Panamericana Season 2: Arizona		Reel South: Black Godfather of Scuba
10 TUE	We Chose to Go to the Moon				FRONTLINE: Coal's Human Cost
11 WED	Nature | Humanlike: The Chimps of Fongoli		NOVA | Evolution: On the Run		Secrets of the Dead: Finding America's Fallen
12 THU	Tennessee Crossroads	Volunteer Gardener	Nashville Leads	The American Buffalo: Into the Storm - Conclusion	
13 FRI	Washington Week with the Atlantic	Firing Line with Margaret Hoover	Nashville Leads	Great Performances: Romeo & Juliet	
14 SAT	The Lawrence Welk Show: Musical Tour of Europe		Keeping Up Appearances: The Christening	As Time Goes By: Avoiding the Country Set	As Time Goes By: Broadcast Plans
15 SUN	**Professor T Season 5: Cipher**		Maigret Season 2: The Yellow Dog, Pt. I		The Gold Season 2 - Part V
16 MON	Crime and Punishment in America: A House of Repentance (Beginnings to 1880) - Premiere				Crime and Punishment in America - Encore
17 TUE	Crime and Punishment in America: The Criminal Type (1880-1929)				Crime and Punishment in America - Encore
18 WED	Crime and Punishment in America: Public Enemies (1929-1969)				Crime and Punishment in America - Encore
19 THU	Crime and Punishment in America: Tough on Crime (1970-Onward)				Crime and Punishment in America - Encore
20 FRI	Washington Week with the Atlantic	Firing Line with Margaret Hoover	Clean Slate with Becky Magura	Great Performances: Dudamel's Inaugural Season with NY Phil	
21 SAT	The Lawrence Welk Show: We Can Make Music		Keeping Up Appearances: A Strange Man	As Time Goes By: At Death's Door	As Time Goes By: Showered with Gifts
22 SUN	**Professor T Season 5: The Things We Do for Love - Finale**		Maigret Season 2: The Yellow Dog, Pt. II - Finale		The Gold Season 2 - Finale
23 MON	Antiques Roadshow: The Gen X Years		Antiques Roadshow: Treasure Fever		Stages of Nashville: Making a Performing Arts City
24 TUE	Finding Your Roots Season 3: The Long Way Home		American Masters } Liz Diller & Ric Scofidio: Architect Provocateurs		FRONTLINE
25 WED	Nature: Christmas in the Alps		NOVA: Decoding Da Vinci		Secrets of the Dead: Jamestown's Dark Winter
26 THU	Tennessee Crossroads Marathon				
27 FRI	**Washington Week with the Atlantic**	Firing Line with Margaret Hoover	A Slice of the Community	**Paul Simon: The Quiet Celebration Concert**	
28 SAT	**Elvis '56* (cont.)*		**The Carpenters: Close to You & Christmas Memories**		
29 SUN	**All Creatures Great & Small: Christmas Cheer**			**Destination Masterpiece**	
30 MON	**Johnny Mathis - Wonderful, Wonderful! A Gold 50th Anniversary Celebration**			**Elvis '56**	
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THE TWO-WEEK TV SCHEDULE
WITH CREATE & WORLD CHANNELS

DATES	9:30pm	10:00pm	10:30pm	11:00pm	11:30pm
1 SUN	The Gold Season 2 (cont.)	Downton Abbey Season 4 - Part IV		Bergerac - Part III	
2 MON	Reel South (cont.)	Coming Home: from Shadowland to Spiritworld			BBC News
3 TUE	Vote 2026: PBS News Election Special LIVE (cont.)		The Citizenship Project: Education	BBC News	Tennessee Crossroads
4 WED	Secrets of the Dead (cont.)	Homegrown History: Our First Civil War	Homegrown History: Forgotten Heroes	BBC News	Volunteer Gardener
5 THU	The American Buffalo: Blood Memory (cont.)		First Peoples, First Stories	BBC News	Aging Matters: Vision for the Future
6 FRI	Salute to Service 2026 (cont.)	The Marines		BBC News	Tennessee's Wild Side
7 SAT	The Caverns Sessions: Warren Haynes	The Songwriters: Kent Blazy	Song of the Mountains: Michael Martin Murphy		Austin City Limits: Gary Clark Jr./Black Pumas
8 SUN	The Gold Season 2 (cont.)	Downton Abbey Season 4 - Part V		Bergerac - Part IV	
9 MON	Reel South (cont.)	Medicine Ball		BBC News	Nashville Leads
10 TUE	FRONTLINE (cont.)	FRONTLINE | Contaminated: The Carpet Industry's Toxic Legacy		BBC News	Tennessee Crossroads
11 WED	Secrets of the Dead (cont.)	Homegrown History - Pt. III	Homegrown History: A Freedom-Loving People	BBC News	Volunteer Gardener
12 THU	The American Buffalo: Into the Storm - Conclusion (cont.)		First Peoples, First Stories	BBC News	Aging Matters: Aging with Honor
13 FRI	Great Performances: Romeo & Juliet (cont.)			BBC News	Tennessee's Wild Side
14 SAT	The Caverns Sessions: Taylor Hunnicutt	The Songwriters: Steve Bogard	Song of the Mountains: Quentin Horton & Benny Wilson		Austin City Limits: Sebastian Yatra
15 SUN	The Gold Season 2 (cont.)	Downton Abbey Season 4 - Part VI		Bergerac - Part V	
16 MON	Crime and Punishment in America: A House of Repentance - Encore (cont.)			BBC News	The Citizenship Project: Civil War Medicine in TN
17 TUE	Crime and Punishment in America: The Criminal Type - Encore (cont.)			BBC News	Tennessee Crossroads
18 WED	Crime and Punishment in America: Public Enemies - Encore (cont.)			BBC News	Volunteer Gardener
19 THU	Crime and Punishment in America: Tough on Crime - Encore (cont.)			BBC News	Next Door Neighbors: Global Flavors
20 FRI	Great Performances (cont.)	Maupinfest		BBC News	Tennessee's Wild Side
21 SAT	The Caverns Sessions: Slay & Stinson	The Songwriters: Gary Burr	Song of the Mountains: Anders Parker / Steve Earle		ACL Presents: 25th Annual Americana Honors
22 SUN	The Gold Season 2 (cont.)	Downton Abbey Season 4 - Part VII		Bergerac - Finale	
23 MON	Stages of Nashville (cont.)	Independent Lens | Storming: Seasons of Care			BBC News
24 TUE	FRONTLINE (cont.)	PBS Program (To Be Announced)		BBC News	Tennessee Crossroads
25 WED	Secrets of the Dead (cont.)	The Gettysburg Book: A Father, Son and the Killer Angels		BBC News	Volunteer Gardener
26 THU	Tennessee Crossroads Marathon (cont.)			BBC News	Aging Matters: Second Acts
27 FRI	*Paul Simon: The Quiet Celebration Concert* (cont.)		*Joe Bonamassa: The Spirit of Rory Live from Cork*		
28 SAT	*The Carpenters* (cont.)	*60s Pop, Rock & Soul*			
29 SUN	*Destination Masterpiece* (cont.)	*Downton Abbey Season 4 - Finale*			
30 MON	*Elvis '56* (cont.)	*Concert for George*			
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Hi, I’m Cody Hutcherson, and I’m absolutely a PBS kid. I consider PBS a fundamental part of my love for education.

Growing up in a lower-income household, the fact that PBS was always accessible to my family meant the world to a kid like me. It gave me access to content that helped shape how I learned, how I saw the world and how I understood other people’s stories.

At the end of the day, having empathy and caring about other people’s stories is so important. That’s something PBS has always helped foster.

I’ve used PBS materials from the beginning of my career as an educator and historian because standing in front of a classroom and talking about something is different from being able to bring in the kind of audio-visual experience PBS provides.

I love PBS. I love Nashville PBS.

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DECEMBER Primetime

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DATES	7:00pm	7:30pm	8:00pm	8:30pm	9:00pm
1 TUE	*Dolly Parton: Here I Am*				*Willie Nelson's 90th Birthday Celebration*
2 WED	*Nature: Attenborough's Life Journey*			*Ken Burns: The National Parks*	
3 THU	*Behind the Scenes at Americanafest Day Stage*		*John Denver's Rocky Mountain High*		
4 FRI	*Washington Week with the Atlantic*	Firing Line with Margaret Hoover	*The Carpenters: Close to You & Christmas Memories*		
5 SAT	*Dolly Parton: Here I Am* (cont.)			*Willie Nelson's 90th Birthday Celebration*	
6 SUN	*Lucy Worsley's Keys to the Castle: Versailles - Premiere*			*All Creatures Great & Small: Chapter Six*	
7 MON	*Behind the Scenes at Americanafest Day Stage*			*John Denver's Rocky Mountain High*	
8 TUE	*Ken Burns: The Civil War*			*FRONTLINE: Scammed*	
9 WED	*60s and 70s Soul Celebration*				
10 THU	Tennessee Crossroads	Volunteer Gardener	*The Carpenters: Close to You & Christmas Memories*		
11 FRI	Washington Week with the Atlantic	Firing Line with Margaret Hoover	*Joe Bonamassa: The Spirit of Rory Live from Cork*		
12 SAT	*American Masters: Starring Dick Van Dyke*				
13 SUN	Lucy Worsley's Keys to the Castle: Doge's Palace		*All Creatures Great & Small Season 6: Gathering the Flock*		Happiness Season 2 - Premiere
14 MON	Antiques Roadshow: Out of This World		Peace on Earth: Christmas with the Tabernacle Choir - Premiere		
15 TUE	Finding Your Roots Season 9: Rising from the Ashes		American Masters | Hopper: An American Love Story		FRONTLINE
16 WED	Nature: Christmas in the Alps		NOVA: Universe in Motion		Sacred Planet: The Heart of the World
17 THU	Tennessee Crossroads	Volunteer Gardener	Aging Matters: On the Move	A Slice of the Community	Aging Matters: Loneliness & Isolation
18 FRI	Washington Week with the Atlantic	Firing Line with Margaret Hoover	Clean Slate with Becky Magura	Craft in America: North	
19 SAT	The Lawrence Welk Show: Salute to Disney		Keeping Up Appearances: Christmas 1994		Keeping Up Appearances: Christmas 1995
20 SUN	Lucy Worsley's Keys to the Castle: Blenheim Palace		All Creatures Great & Small Season 6: Old Dog, New Tricks		Happiness Season 2 - Part III
21 MON	Antiques Roadshow: Modern Icons		Great Performances: Nutcracker from English National Ballet		
22 TUE	Finding Your Roots Season 9: And Still I Rise		American Masters | Brenda Lee: Rockin' Around		FRONTLINE
23 WED	Nature: Santa's Wild Home		NOVA: Lost Tombs of Notre Dame		Sacred Planet: Saving the World's Forests
24 THU	Tennessee Crossroads	Volunteer Gardener	Nashville Leads	No Man's Land: A Folk Opera	
25 FRI	PBS Program (To Be Announced)			PBS Program (To Be Announced)	
26 SAT	The Lawrence Welk Show: Christmas		Keeping Up Appearances: Driving Ms. Fortescue	As Time Goes By: The Stalker	As Time Goes By: The Psychotherapist
27 SUN	Lucy Worsley's Keys to the Castle: Neuschwanstein - Conclusion		All Creatures Great & Small Season 6: Captain Farnon?		Happiness Season 2 - Part V
28 MON	Antiques Roadshow: Best Bargains		Antiques Roadshow: Best of 25		Memories of Nashville
29 TUE	Finding Your Roots Season 9: Anchormen		American Masters: Wilder - Premiere		
30 WED	Nature: American Arctic		NOVA: Ancient Maya Metropolis		Sacred Planet: Reclaiming Peru's Glaciers
31 THU	*John Williams: The Berlin Concert*			*Barbra Streisand: Timeless - Live in Concert*	
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2 WED	**Ken Burns* (cont.)*	**Memory Makeover with Daniel Amen, MD**			
3 THU	**John Denver's Rocky Mountain High* (cont.)*	**Willie Nelson's 90th Birthday Celebration**			
4 FRI	**The Carpenters* (cont.)*	**60s Pop, Rock & Soul**			
5 SAT	**Willie Nelson's 90th Birthday Celebration* (cont.)*		**John Denver's Rocky Mountain High**		
6 SUN	**All Creatures Great & Small* (cont.)*	**Memory Makeover with Daniel Amen, MD**			
7 MON	**John Denver's Rocky Mountain High* (cont.)*	**The Carpenters: Close to You & Christmas Memories**			
8 TUE	**FRONTLINE: Scammed* (cont.)*		**Ken Burns: The National Parks**		
9 WED	**60s and 70s Soul Celebration* (cont.)*	**60s Pop, Rock & Soul**			
10 THU	**The Carpenters* (cont.)*	**Memory Makeover with Daniel Amen, MD**			
11 FRI	**60s and 70s Soul Celebration**				
12 SAT	The Caverns Sessions: The Punch Brothers	City of Songs	Song of the Mountains: Lynn Taylor & The Barflies / Pitney Meyer / The Cox Family		Austin City Limits: Marcus King Band/Wyatt Flores
13 SUN	Happiness Season 2 - Part II	Downton Abbey Season 5 - Part I		Bookish: Slightly Foxed, Pt. I	
14 MON	Too Hot to Handel - The Gospel Messiah			BBC News	Confronting Anti-Blackness
15 TUE	FRONTLINE (cont.)	PBS Program (To Be Announced)		BBC News	Tennessee Crossroads
16 WED	Sacred Planet (cont.)	Sacred Planet with Gulnaz Khan: Stopping the Desert		BBC News	Volunteer Gardener
17 THU	Stages of Nashville: Making a Performing Arts City		The Ryman: Mother Church of Country Music		BBC News
18 FRI	Craft in America: South		Made with Love	BBC News	Tennessee's Wild Side
19 SAT	The Caverns Sessions: Jeff Tweedy	City of Songs	Song of the Mountains: The Dillards / Joe Mullins & The Radio Ramblers		Austin City Limits: Maggie Rogers/Gracie Abrams
20 SUN	Happiness Season 2 - Part IV	Downton Abbey Season 5 - Part II		Bookish: Slightly Foxed, Pt. II	
21 MON	Memories of Downtown Nashville		Destination London	BBC News	Aging Matters: Disparities & Health Equity
22 TUE	FRONTLINE (cont.)	PBS Program (To Be Announced)		BBC News	Tennessee Crossroads
23 WED	Sacred Planet (cont.)	Rick Steves European Christmas		BBC News	Volunteer Gardener
24 THU	No Man's Land (cont.)	American Masters | Brenda Lee: Rockin' Around		BBC News	The Unsung American Cowboy
25 FRI	PBS Program (cont.)	The Citizenship Project | By One Vote: Woman Suffrage in the South		BBC News	Tennessee's Wild Side
26 SAT	The Caverns Sessions: Christoph 'Kingfish' Ingram	City of Songs	Song of the Mountains: Lorrie Morgan		Austin City Limits: The Avett Brothers
27 SUN	Happiness Season 2 - Finale	Downton Abbey Season 5 - Part III		Bookish: Deadly Nitrate, Pt. I	
28 MON	Memories of Nashville (cont.)	Belonging		BBC News	Aging Matters: Women Unseen
29 TUE	American Masters: Wilder - Encore			BBC News	Tennessee Crossroads
30 WED	Sacred Planet (cont.)	The Stars at Night		BBC News	Volunteer Gardener
31 THU	**Barbra Streisand: Timeless - Live in Concert* (cont.)*		**John Williams: The Berlin Concert**		
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