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ON THE COVER:

In July, **WTVP** will launch a new show, *In the Arena*. Doug Cruitt, the show's host, sat down for an interview to give us a sneak peek ahead of the premiere (page 8).

Let us know what you think of these and other programs you see on any of our channels.
Send your comments to wtpmail@wtp.org or call **309.677.4747**.



JENN GORDON
President and CEO

NOTE FROM THE PRESIDENT AND CEO

I COULD DO THAT!

This month, we introduce you to a new **WTVP** program launching in July, *In the Arena with Doug Cruitt*. As you will read in Doug's interview on page eight, this show is all about sparking the "can-do" spirit that fuels innovation and entrepreneurship in our community and in our country. As Doug notes, it is all about sharing powerful stories that will inspire more people to say, "I could do that!"

Inspiration is powerful. And at **WTVP**, it is part of our mission: to inspire and connect the communities we serve with quality content that educates, informs and entertains.

At **WTVP**, every day **we are inspired by you**—our viewers and members! You are fueling the future of this station and we would not be here without you. Thank you!

As we enter our June Membership Drive, we aim to raise \$30,000 and bring in 200 new members to finish our fiscal year strongly. I hope you will enjoy the special programs we've hand-picked for this Membership Drive. I promise you'll be inspired by something you watch...and you might even stop and think to yourself, "I could do that!"

Ever Onwards,

WTVP

AUDIENCE SURVEY RESULTS

We invited you, our **WTVP** viewers, to share your thoughts, and **548** of you took the time to participate in our survey. Now, we're eager to share the results with you. **Thank you** to all who contributed your valuable thoughts and opinions!

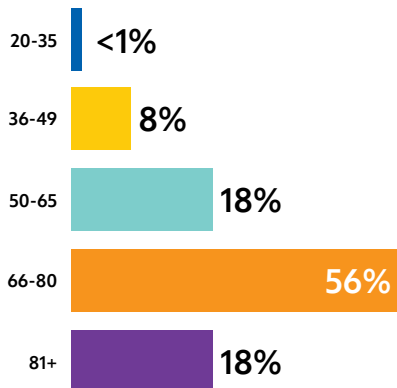
Q1

What is your 5-digit zip code?

VIEWERS FROM **98** ZIP CODES RESPONDED

Q2

What is your age bracket?



Q3

What is your household type?

SINGLE **36%** FAMILY **60%**
SHARED LIVING **3%**

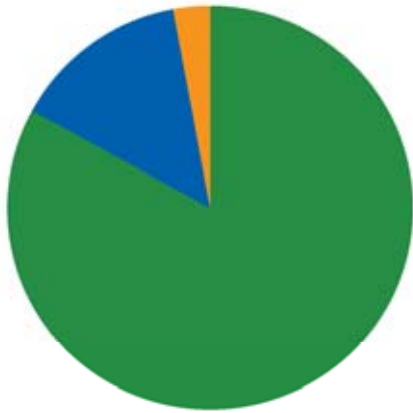
Q4

What is your gender?

MALE **29%** FEMALE **68%**
PREFER NOT TO SAY **2%**

Q5

How often do you watch?



- **REGULARLY** (3 or more times per week) **83%**
- **OCCASIONALLY** (1-3 times per month) **14%**
- **RARELY** (a few times per year) **3%**

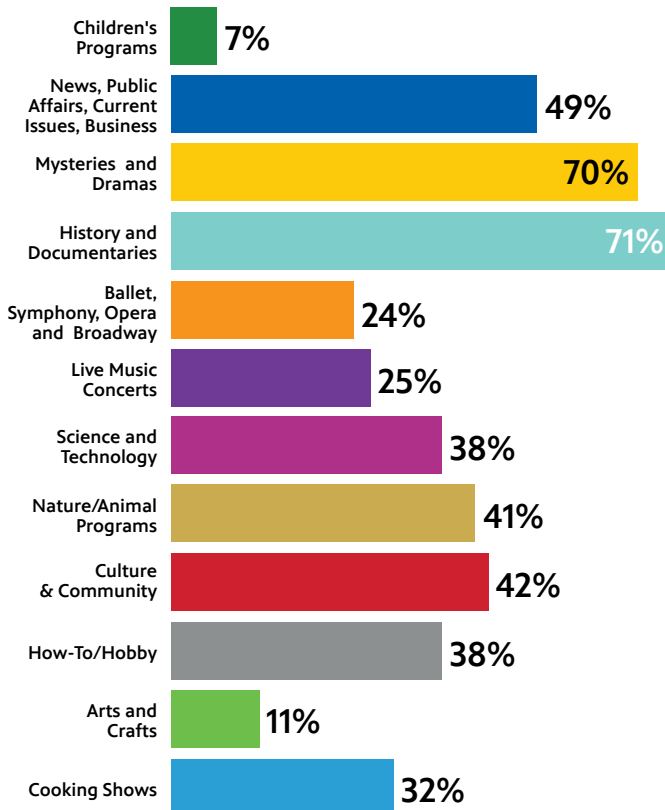
Q6

Are you a member of WTVP PBS?

YES 85% NO 15%

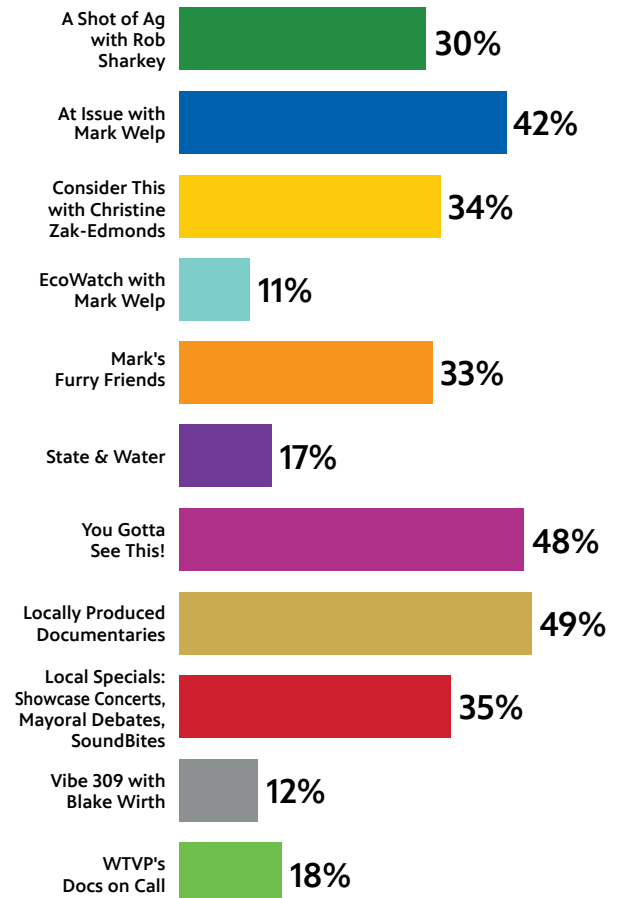
Q7

What types of programs (local and national) do you (and your household) enjoy watching on WTVP?



Q8

Select any of the WTVP's locally produced programs you watch.



Q9

WTVP broadcasts over 4 channels. Please indicate which channels you utilize on a weekly basis.

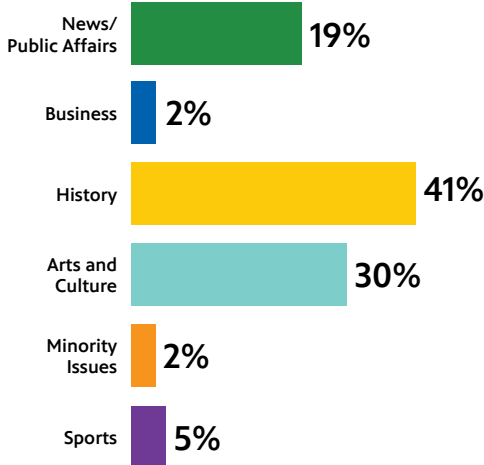
WTVP PBS MAIN 47.1 **97%**
 WTVP PBS KIDS 47.2 **6%**
 WTVP WORLD 47.3 **30%**
 WTVP CREATE 47.4 **32%**

“ You are doing a fantastic job. Thank you. My heart has been with WTVP for a very long time and it still is! ”

SURVEY RESPONDENT

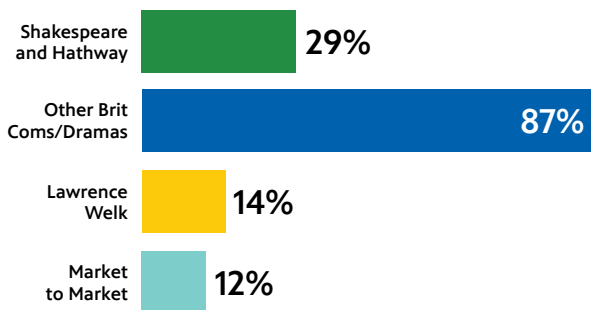
Q10

If WTVP had the resources to produce more local shows, what type of additional content would you be most interested in viewing?



Q11

The bulk of our programs come by way of WTVP's paid membership status with PBS, American Public Television and the National Education Television Association. Some programming is available at an additional cost to WTVP. Please indicate if you want WTVP to purchase these programs in the future. (Check all that apply.)



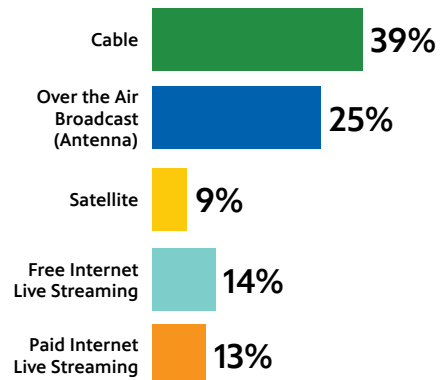
Q12

How do you watch WTVP?

BROADCAST 71%
(Appointment Television)
ON-DEMAND 29%
(PBS App)

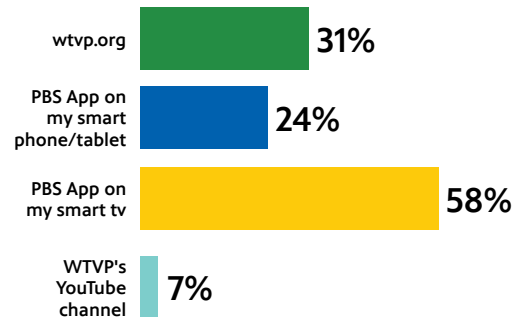
Q13

How do you primarily watch WTVP Broadcast Channels?



Q14

If you watch WTVP content on-demand (as opposed to when it is scheduled for broadcast), which platform(s) do you use? (Check all that apply.)



“ We love WTVP and PBS. We're long-time sustaining members and love the work you do. ”

SURVEY RESPONDENT

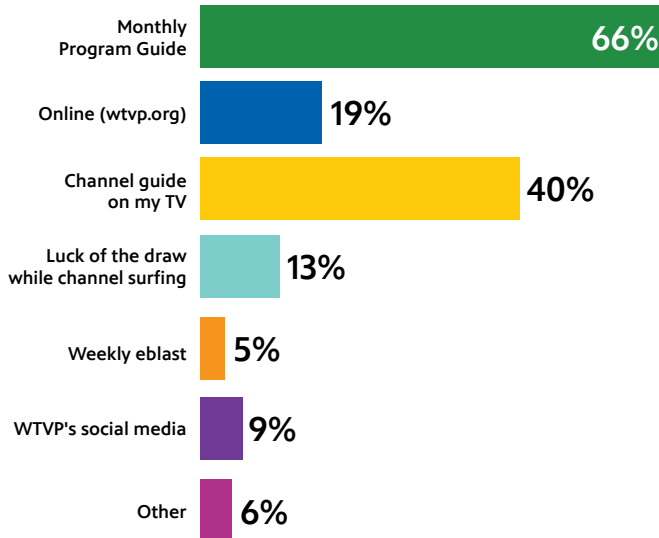
Q15

If you are a member, do you take advantage of watching exclusive Passport content?

YES 57% NO 43%

Q16

Where do you primarily go to find information about WTVP programming?



Q17

WTVP members receive a printed copy of our monthly program guide. We also include program schedules on our website. Let us know your preference below:

I value receiving the printed Program Guide each month. 78%

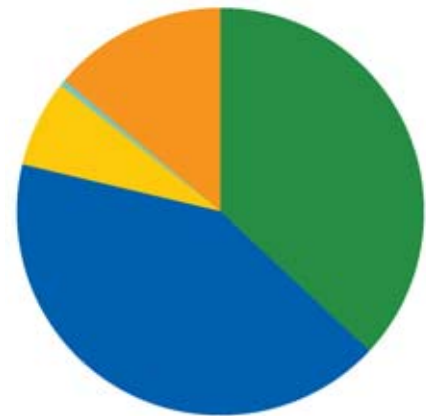
I do not value the printed Program Guide 22%

“ Love, love, love PBS!!! It’s my main TV station. ”

SURVEY RESPONDENT

Q18

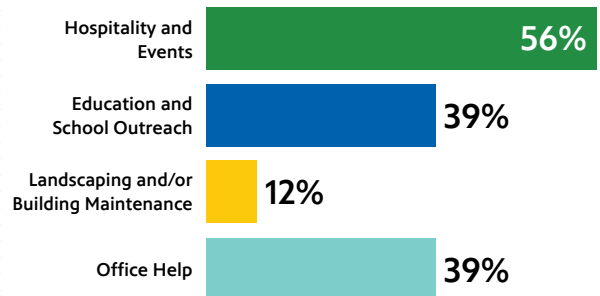
Our mission at WTVP is to connect and inspire the communities we serve through quality content that educates, informs and entertains. What is your current opinion of the programs and services we provide to the community?



- I AM OVERALL PLEASED 49%
- I AM VERY HAPPY 43%
- I AM SOMEWHAT PLEASED 8%
- I AM DISAPPOINTED 1%
- ADD YOUR COMMENT 16%

Q19

Please check any of the following where you may be interested in volunteering:



61 PEOPLE RAISED THEIR HANDS TO HELP



In July, **WTVP** will premiere a brand-new show: *In the Arena*. We sat down with Doug Cruitt, the show's host and Distillery Lab's Executive Director, to learn more about it.

**Q: TELL US ABOUT *IN THE ARENA*.
WHAT CAN AUDIENCES EXPECT?**

A: This show tells the story behind the startup and the human behind the headlines. A lot of the stories we hear are the extremes—success or failure—and what gets lost is the everyday work. But *In the Arena* shows the humanization of entrepreneurship and what it really takes to go from idea to action to revenue to scaling up.

Q: WHERE DOES THE NAME COME FROM?

A: It comes from one of my favorite Teddy Roosevelt quotes. It's not specific to startups but as an entrepreneur myself, it really spoke to me. "It is not the critic who counts; not the man who points out how the strong man stumbles, or where the doer of deeds could have done them better. The credit belongs to the man who is actually in the arena, whose face is marred by dust and sweat and blood...who spends himself in a worthy cause; who at the best knows in the end the triumph of high achievement, and who at the worst, if he fails, at least fails while daring greatly..."

Q: WHAT EXCITES YOU MOST ABOUT *IN THE ARENA*?

A: Selfishly, I'm most excited about learning more stories! My favorite part of my job in coaching and mentoring founders is asking them, "why are you building this company?" The vast majority of the time, the answer relates to a personal story.

Q: WHAT'S THE END GOAL?

A: The end goal is to tell as many stories as possible, bring more awareness to our local innovation ecosystem and inspire the next generation of founders. Even if it's one ten-year-old kid who's watching PBS with their dad and sees something that sparks the thought, "I could do that," that's what it's about at the end of the day.

Q: WHY SHOULD PEOPLE WATCH IT?

A: People should watch because they don't know the story behind the startup. We ask founders questions like, "What would your high school teacher say about you? What were you doing in middle school?" You won't see these answers on the About Us page of their website, but you will find it on *In the Arena*.

Q: WHO SHOULD WATCH IT?

A: It's for the people who are actively in the arena, building a company, wherever they are in the process. And it's for the people who are consumers of these brands. It's for investors. It's going to be intense conversations, not just about business but about mental health and resilience, and hopefully society as a whole will find value in that.

Q: WHAT ARE YOU HOPING AUDIENCES WILL COME AWAY WITH?

A: That no matter your background, education, neighborhood—none of that matters as much as you think. Anyone can become an entrepreneur if they have the desire.

"This show tells the story behind the startup and the human behind the headlines."

IN THE ARENA PREMIERES IN JULY 2026 ON WTVP.

DRAMA

NEW SEASONS of some of your favorite shows land this month!

PATIENCE
SEASON TWO

PREMIERES SUNDAY, JUNE 14, 7 PM

Patience returns to help tackle crimes in York. When new detective Frankie Monroe bursts on the scene, there's initially tension but soon they learn to work as a team. Meanwhile, Patience faces challenges in love and loss.

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GRANTCHESTER
FINAL SEASON

PREMIERES SUNDAY, JUNE 14, 8 PM

In the momentous summer of 1963, Geordie and Alphy face their greatest challenges yet. As an era comes to an end, the Grantchester family must face the depths of love, loss and forgiveness one last time.

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ASTRID
SEASON FOUR

PREMIERES SUNDAY, JUNE 21, 10 PM

Astrid Nielsen works in the library of the judicial police. She has Asperger's syndrome. With an incredible memory, she excels at analyzing files of ongoing investigations. The district commander decides to use it to the fullest, entrusting her with very complex investigations which have remained unsolved to date. From Walter Presents, in French with English subtitles.



AMERICA 250

The march toward **AMERICA'S 250TH BIRTHDAY** continues with these history specials.

UNFORGOTTEN: CONNECTICUT'S HIDDEN HISTORY OF SLAVERY

MONDAY, JUNE 15, 8 PM

The story of northern slavery has been locked away, erased. It wasn't presented in history class but it happened. Slavery existed in towns across early Connecticut. Now stories of the enslaved are being uncovered and reclaimed. Explore this hidden Connecticut history, featuring historians, experts and descendants of the enslaved.

GEORGE WASHINGTON'S MOUNT VERNON: PRESERVING THE LEGACY

MONDAY, JUNE 22, 8 PM

George Washington's sprawling estate, Mount Vernon, is a persevering symbol of our first president's life story, and this renovation has revealed new insights about the private person behind the public figure.

THE PACK HORSE LIBRARIANS OF APPALACHIA

MONDAY, JUNE 22, 8:30 PM

This new documentary details the work of the Pack Horse Library Project, a Works Progress Administration (WPA) program that delivered books to remote regions in the Appalachian Mountains between 1935 and 1943.

BECOMING AMERICAN: PHILADELPHIA'S STORY

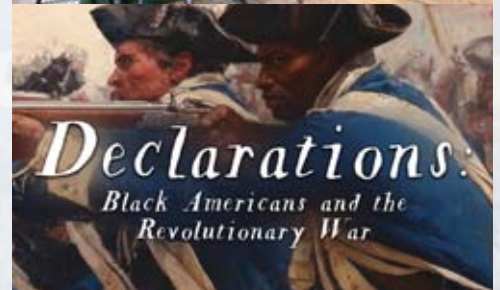
MONDAY, JUNE 29, 8 PM

BECOMING AMERICAN explores the founding of the United States through the lens of Philadelphia, America's first capital. From indigenous people and enslaved Africans to lawmakers and artisans, the film reveals how diverse communities shaped a new nation. Though rooted in Philadelphia, this is a shared American story whose debates, ideals and consequences still resonate today.

DECLARATIONS: BLACK AMERICANS AND THE REVOLUTIONARY WAR

MONDAY, JUNE 29, 9 PM

In 1776, the Founders' promise of "all men are created equal" remained distant for many. Trace the heroic stories of the enslaved and freed Black Americans who fought to define democracy and their liberty through the Revolutionary War.



JUNE HIGHLIGHTS



ALL-STAR ORCHESTRA

SUNDAY, JUNE 14, 6 PM

ALL-STAR ORCHESTRA features popular symphonic scores and exciting new works by today's leading composers. The Emmy-winning series introduces viewers to top players from across the U.S. performing and sharing insights on the music. Highlights from season six include Saint-Saëns' spectacular "Organ Symphony," Schubert's mysterious "Unfinished Symphony," Chavez's "Sinfonía India" performed with Aztec percussion, and more.



THE LAST TWINS

MONDAY, JUNE 15, 9 PM

Discover the extraordinary story of Erno "Zvi" Spiegel, an unsung hero of the Holocaust who risked everything to protect twin boys targeted by Dr. Josef Mengele for brutal medical experimentation in Auschwitz.



SHE WAS FIRST

MONDAY, JUNE 15, 10:30 PM

SHE WAS FIRST is a docuseries that profiles pioneering women who have revolutionized the arts throughout history. Through an intimate look at their creative processes and fearless defiance of societal expectations, the series celebrates the legacies these artists have created, which inspire future generations with their ingenuity, resilience and transformative impact on the cultural landscape.



BECOMING KATHARINE GRAHAM

TUESDAY, JUNE 16, 8 PM

BECOMING KATHARINE GRAHAM tells the story of a painfully shy woman's accidental rise to power and how it changed history. After a family tragedy, Kay evolved from a "doormat wife" into a legendary newspaper publisher. As Nixon's nemesis during Watergate, she fought for truth, broke down barriers in a sexist world and won a Pulitzer Prize, inspiring generations with her courage and resilience.



RECIPE FOR WELLNESS

TUESDAY, JUNE 16, 10 PM

In the second season of the documentary series, host Sanjay Raja returns to explore health and wellness through food, travel and lifestyle. He interviews experts—including doctors, nutritionists and business leaders—cooks, offers exercise tips and highlights the global farm-to-table experience.

**THE KIMBERLEY:
AUSTRALIA'S WILD WEST**

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 17, 9 PM

Discover a breathtaking world where fearsome crocodiles lie in wait, wallabies risk it all for water and marsupial gliders soar over the savannah. See a jaw-dropping Australian wonder with terrain that's as harsh and unforgiving as it is beautiful.



TRADFEST

SATURDAY, JUNE 20, 11:30 PM

Filmed at Ardgillan Castle in Fingal, Ireland, during the TradFest music festival, TRADFEST season three takes viewers on an Irish musical journey through intimate performances and conversation with the musicians. The program is inspired by the festival motto: "Trad without Frontiers."



**INDEPENDENT LENS
ASSEMBLY**

MONDAY, JUNE 22, 9 PM

Artist Rashaad Newsome prepares to showcase "Assembly," a groundbreaking exhibit at New York's Park Avenue Armory. By blending visual art, performance and artificial intelligence, the project centers the global evolution of vogue while honoring Black and queer resistance and calling for a more liberated future.



AMBIENT FILM

MONDAY, JUNE 29, 10 PM

AMBIENT FILM season two takes viewers on a reflective visual and auditory voyage across landscapes. Episodes catalog the breathtaking beauty of pristine natural spaces across the country and offer viewers a firsthand experience of these striking locations. While most content in our daily lives is speeding up, AMBIENT FILM embraces a slow, cinematic approach, offering soothing visuals for turbulent times.



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FROM THE VAULT



This month, **WTVP** opens the vault to rebroadcast some of our favorite local history documentaries.

THE ART OF DECEPTION

THURSDAY, JUNE 11, 7:45 PM

What are duck decoys and how did they become sought-after collectibles? **THE ART OF DECEPTION** looks at hand carved decoys as an underappreciated form of American folk art. Although the golden age of carving decoys ended with the age of plastics making cheaper and lighter decoys, the art form is still practiced today across the Illinois River Valley.



MCLEAN COUNTY: THE EARLY DAYS

THURSDAY, JUNE 18, 8 PM

McLean County's rich history goes back to the Ice Age nearly 20,000 years ago. This WTVP documentary examines the county's past on topics of the origin of its productive soil, early Native American populations, the first European settlers, the role of railroads, one-room schoolhouses, early higher education, political leaders, racial discrimination and ending with the Bloomington fire of 1900.



PEORIA'S PLAYGROUND

THURSDAY, JUNE 25, 8 PM

Travel back to 1894, when visionary Peoria leaders began shaping private and city-operated parks into the state's oldest and largest public park district. It is a fascinating tale of perseverance, vision and commitment that is still thriving today. Glen Oak Park, the Peoria Zoo, Laura Bradley Park, Grand View Drive and other well-known venues are featured in historical photographs and landscape drawings.



MY JOURNEY WITH ANNIE MALONE: JAMES AGBARA BRYSON

THURSDAY, JUNE 25, 8:30 PM

James Agbara Bryson, a descendant of one-time Peorian, Annie Turnbo Malone, explores her life and connections to central Illinois. Annie rose to prominence in hair care and beauty products for Black women, becoming one of America's first female Black millionaires. A turn-of-the-century entrepreneur, she also founded a cosmetology school in St. Louis. Her philanthropic legacy lives on today.



These local documentaries and more are available to watch for free on demand. Visit wtvp.org/local-programs or scan the QR code to watch.

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MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

RICK STEVES' ART OF EUROPE BEAUTY THROUGH THE AGES SATURDAY, MAY 30, 5:30 PM

RICK STEVES ART OF EUROPE: BEAUTY THROUGH THE AGES explores the wonder of European art from the High Middle Ages to the modern era. The special ventures from soaring Gothic cathedrals to the fantastically surreal world of Bosch, guiding viewers through sensuous tapestries and into the revolutionary Renaissance, known for its realism and humanism. The journey then moves on to Rodin's "Thinker," Monet's "Water Lilies," Klimt's "Kiss" and Chagall's surreal lovers, all from the dawn of our modern age.



OUR FAVORITE THINGS ABOUT GRANTCHESTER SUNDAY, MAY 31, 7:30 PM

Go behind the scenes with the cast and crew to explore how this British crime drama about faith, justice and the power of friendship became an enduring hit. Featuring archival clips spanning ten seasons and exclusive interviews with the cast and crew.



WHAT'S THE STORY, WISHBONE? MONDAY, JUNE 1, 7 PM

WHAT'S THE STORY, WISHBONE? goes behind-the-scenes of the beloved PBS series that turned classic literature into adventure, starring one unforgettable little dog with a very big imagination. Through rare archival footage and new interviews with the cast, creators and fans who grew up with the show, the film uncovers the unlikely, chaotic and surprisingly heartfelt story of how a scrappy public-television production became a cultural touchstone for millions of kids.



THE SUSAN RYELAND MYSTERIES

THURSDAY, JUNE 4, 7 PM

Celebrate the Susan Ryeland Mysteries—*Magpie Murders*, *Moonflower Murders*, and the upcoming *Marble Hall Murders*—based on the bestselling novels by Anthony Horowitz. Go behind the scenes and hear from the cast and crew about these three MASTERPIECE Mystery! series, each of which offers a wonderfully imaginative set of characters, plotlines, locations and of course, mysteries.



CELEBRATING AMERICA 250: MADE WITH LOVE

FRIDAY, JUNE 5, 7:30 PM

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



GREAT PERFORMANCES

JOSH GROBAN: AN EVENING AT UNION CHAPEL

SUNDAY, JUNE 7, 5:30 PM

Filed in November 2025, this unforgettable concert film captures a performance by Josh Groban at London's historic Union Chapel. Groban is at the top of his craft as he unveils new songs and unique interpretations of all-time favorites in an intimate, warm setting. Highlighting Groban's emotional range and connection to his audience, the performance showcases not only Groban's soaring voice but also his personal stories about the songs, his career and his life.



SOLVING THE PUZZLES OF THE MARLOW MURDER CLUB

SUNDAY, JUNE 7, 7:30 PM

Celebrate the three amateur sleuths of this cozy mystery series who use their unconventional methods to solve a series of murders. Discover how this trio of spunky women comes to rely on each other's strengths to bring killers to justice.



WOMEN OF WORLD WAR II: MORE UNTOLD STORIES

TUESDAY, JUNE 9, 7 PM

Explore even more never-before-seen stories of women, the greatest secret weapon of World War II. They broke codes and split atoms, gathered news, crossed frontlines and rescued children, creating an enduring legacy that serves as a guiding light.





WHAT'S THE STORY, WISHBONE?
MONDAY, JUNE 1, 7 PM



VIBE 309
WITH BLAKE WIRTH
THURSDAY, JUNE 4, 8:30 PM



CELEBRATING AMERICA 250
MADE WITH LOVE
FRIDAY, JUNE 5, 7:30 PM



SOLVING THE PUZZLES
OF THE MARLOW MURDER CLUB
SUNDAY, JUNE 7, 7:30 PM

1 MONDAY

- 7:00 PM What's The Story, Wishbone?
- 9:00 PM The American Revolution In Order to Be Free
- 11:30 PM The Brain-Gut Connection with Dr. Emeran Mayer

2 TUESDAY

- 7:00 PM The Quilting Women of Gee's Bend
- 8:30 PM The American Revolution An Asylum for Mankind
- 11:00 PM France Made with Love

3 WEDNESDAY

- 7:00 PM Nature
Equus: Story of the Horse: Origins
- 8:30 PM The American Revolution The Times That Try Men's Souls
- 11:00 PM Aging Backwards 4: The Miracle of Flexibility With Miranda Esmonde-White

4 THURSDAY

- 7:00 PM The Susan Ryeland Mysteries
- 8:30 PM Vibe 309 with Blake Wirth
- 9:00 PM The American Revolution Conquer by a Drawn Game
- 11:30 PM Designing Your Ideal Future with Rajiv Nagaich

5 FRIDAY

- 7:00 PM Washington Week with the Atlantic
- 7:30 PM Celebrating America 250: Made with Love
- 9:00 PM The American Revolution The Soul of All America
- 11:30 PM Market to Market

6 SATURDAY

- 7:00 PM The Lawrence Welk Show Indiana
- 8:00 PM The American Revolution The Most Sacred Thing
- 11:00 PM Johnny Cash: We Walk The Line

7 SUNDAY

- 3:00 PM Rick Steves' Art of Europe: Michelangelo to Monet
- 5:00 PM Horizons from PBS News
- 5:30 PM Great Performances
Josh Groban: An Evening at Union Chapel
- 7:30 PM Solving The Puzzles of the Marlow Murder Club
- 9:00 PM Downton Abbey Season 1 On Masterpiece
Downton Abbey - Part 4
- 11:00 PM The Brothers - Celebrating The Allman Brothers Band 50th Anniversary

8 MONDAY

- 7:00 PM Antiques Roadshow 250 Years of Americana
- 8:30 PM American Masters Starring Dick Van Dyke
- 11:00 PM Amanpour and Company

9 TUESDAY

- 7:00 PM Women of World War II: More Untold Stories
- 8:30 PM Woodstock: Three Days That Defined A Generation: American Experience
- 11:00 PM Amanpour and Company

10 WEDNESDAY

- 7:00 PM Nature
Equus: Story of the Horse: Chasing The Wind
- 8:30 PM NOVA
The Planets: Saturn

11 THURSDAY

- 10:00 PM Heal Your Gut, Sharpen Your Mind with Stephen Gundry, MD
- 11:30 PM Amanpour and Company
- 7:00 PM You Gotta See This! Innovation | Art History | Mushrooms
- 7:45 PM The Art of Deception
- 8:30 PM Our Favorite Things About Grantchester
- 10:00 PM Rick Steves' Heart of Italy
- 11:00 PM Amanpour and Company

12 FRIDAY

- 7:00 PM Washington Week with the Atlantic
- 8:00 PM Consider This with Christine Zak-Edmonds
- 8:30 PM American Masters
Janis Ian: Breaking Silence
- 10:30 PM Market to Market
- 11:00 PM Amanpour and Company

13 SATURDAY

- 6:00 PM Rick Steves' Europe Assisi and Italian Country Charm
- 6:30 PM Adventure Cities
Costa Rica
- 7:00 PM The Lawrence Welk Show Transportation
- 8:00 PM Vibe 309
- 8:30 PM A Shot of Ag (WTVP)
- 9:00 PM Call The Midwife
Holiday Special 2024
- 11:00 PM Austin City Limits
Norah Jones/Hurray for the Riff Raff

14 SUNDAY

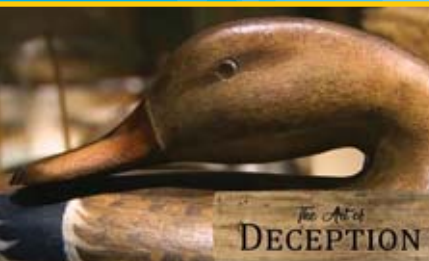
- 3:00 PM Epic Trails
Backpacking West Virginia
- 3:30 PM Wild Foods
New York City
- 4:00 PM You Gotta See This! Innovation | Art History | Mushrooms
- 4:30 PM The Art of Deception
- 5:00 PM Horizons from PBS News
- 5:30 PM DW Focus On Europe
- 6:00 PM All-Star Orchestra
A Symphonic Organ Spectacular
- 7:00 PM Patience
Vampire
- 8:00 PM Grantchester
On Masterpiece
Season 11, Episode 1
- 9:00 PM Downton Abbey Season 2
On Masterpiece
Part One
- 11:00 PM Murder in the Mountains
Old Wounds

15 MONDAY

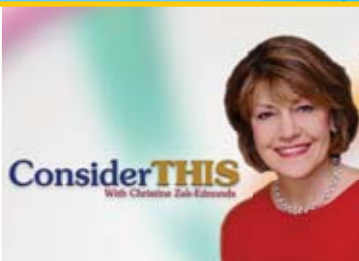
- 7:00 PM Antiques Roadshow
Crystal Bridges Museum of American Art
Hour 1
- 8:00 PM Unforgotten: Connecticut's Hidden History of Slavery
- 9:00 PM The Last Twins
- 10:30 PM She Was First
- 11:00 PM Amanpour and Company

16 TUESDAY

- 7:00 PM Finding Your Roots
Great Migrations
- 8:00 PM Becoming Katharine Graham
- 10:00 PM Recipe for Wellness
Bali
- 10:30 PM Ireland with Michael
The Cultural North
- 11:00 PM Amanpour and Company



THE ART OF DECEPTION
THURSDAY, JUNE 11, 7:45 PM



CONSIDER THIS
WITH CHRISTINE ZAK-EDMONDS
FRIDAY, JUNE 12, 8 PM



A SHOT OF AG
WITH ROB SHARKEY
SATURDAY, JUNE 13, 8:30 PM



MCLEAN COUNTY HISTORY
THE EARLY DAYS
THURSDAY, JUNE 18, 8 PM

17 WEDNESDAY

- 7:00 PM Nature
Wildheart
- 8:00 PM NOVA
Secrets of the Forest
- 9:00 PM The Kimberley: Australia's
Wild West
River of Life
- 10:00 PM Energy Switch
Russian Energy
- 10:30 PM Medical Frontiers
- 11:00 PM Amanpour and Company

18 THURSDAY

- 7:00 PM This Old House
Asheville | All Clear
- 7:30 PM Ask This Old House
Houseplant Soil, Spot
Point Brick
- 8:00 PM McLean County:
The Early Days
- 8:30 PM You Gotta See This!
- 9:00 PM Miss Scarlet and the Duke
On Masterpiece
Pandora's Box
- 10:00 PM Moonflower Murders
On Masterpiece
Episode 1
- 11:00 PM Amanpour and Company

19 FRIDAY

- 7:00 PM Washington Week
with the Atlantic
- 7:30 PM Consider This with
Christine Zak-Edmonds
Paws Giving
Independence
- 8:00 PM George H.W. Bush:
American Experience
Part 1
- 10:00 PM Papa Ray's Vintage Vinyl
Roadshow
Portland - A Multitude of
Indie Record Stores
- 10:30 PM Market to Market
- 11:00 PM Amanpour and Company

20 SATURDAY

- 6:00 PM Rick Steves' Europe
Siena and Tuscany's Wine
Country
- 6:30 PM Adventure Cities
Alice Springs, Australia &
Long Beach, California
- 7:00 PM The Lawrence Welk Show
Harry Warren Salute
- 8:00 PM You Gotta See This!
- 8:30 PM A Shot of Ag (WTVP)
- 9:00 PM Call The Midwife
Season 14, Episode 1
- 10:00 PM State & Water
Alexandra Fisher - Part 1
- 10:30 PM Austin City Limits
Kacey Musgraves
- 11:30 PM TradFest
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21 SUNDAY

- 3:00 PM Epic Trails
Backpacking The Grand
Canyon - Part 1
- 3:30 PM Wild Foods
A Holiday Feast - Vermont
- 4:00 PM Vibe 309
- 4:30 PM McLean County:
The Early Days
- 5:00 PM Horizons from PBS News
- 5:30 PM DW Focus On Europe
- 6:00 PM All-Star Orchestra
Symphonic
Metamorphosis
- 7:00 PM Patience
Music in the Minster
- 8:00 PM Grantchester
On Masterpiece
Season 11, Episode 2
- 9:00 PM Downton Abbey Season 2
On Masterpiece
Part Two
- 10:00 PM Astrid
Eye of the Dragon
- 11:00 PM Murder in the Mountains
In The Dungeon

22 MONDAY

- 7:00 PM Antiques Roadshow
Crystal Bridges Museum of
American Art Hour 3
- 8:00 PM George Washington's
Mount Vernon
- 8:30 PM Pack Horse Librarians
of Appalachia
- 9:00 PM Independent Lens
Assembly
- 10:00 PM Short Films On
Experimental Films
- 10:30 PM She Was First
- 11:00 PM Amanpour and Company

23 TUESDAY

- 7:00 PM Finding Your Roots
The Ties That Bind
- 8:00 PM Lucy Worsley Investigates:
The American Revolution
The Break Up
- 9:00 PM Frontline
- 10:00 PM Recipe for Wellness
Baja
- 10:30 PM Ireland with Michael
The Mad Dash
- 11:00 PM Amanpour and Company

24 WEDNESDAY

- 7:00 PM Nature
American Horses
- 8:00 PM NOVA
Ancient Desert Death
Trap
- 9:00 PM The Kimberley: Australia's
Wild West
Tidal Territory
- 10:00 PM Energy Switch
Air Quality In America
- 10:30 PM Medical Frontiers
- 11:00 PM Amanpour and Company

25 THURSDAY

- 7:00 PM This Old House
Asheville | Waterproof
Work
- 7:30 PM Ask This Old House
Washer Dryer Relocation
- 8:00 PM Peoria's Playground
- 8:30 PM My Journey with
Annie Malone
- 9:00 PM Miss Scarlet and the Duke
On Masterpiece
The Black Witch Moth
- 10:00 PM Moonflower Murders
On Masterpiece
Episode 2
- 11:00 PM Amanpour and Company

26 FRIDAY

- 7:00 PM PBS Program
- 8:00 PM Consider This with
Christine Zak-Edmonds
- 8:30 PM George H.W. Bush:
American Experience
Part 2
- 10:00 PM Papa Ray's Vintage Vinyl
Roadshow
Specialty Indie Record
Stores
- 10:30 PM Market to Market
- 11:00 PM Amanpour and Company

27 SATURDAY

- 6:00 PM Rick Steves' Europe
West England
- 6:30 PM World According to Polka
Roller Skates
- 7:00 PM The Lawrence Welk Show
Songs By Johnny Mercer
- 8:00 PM Vibe 309
- 8:30 PM A Shot of Ag (WTVP)
- 9:00 PM Call The Midwife
Season 14, Episode 2
- 10:00 PM State & Water
Good Morning Bedlam
Part 1
- 10:30 PM Austin City Limits
Juanes
- 11:30 PM TradFest
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FRONTLINE

FRONTLINE
BABY BROKERS
TUESDAY, JUNE 23, 9 PM



PEORIA'S PLAYGROUND
THURSDAY, JUNE 25, 8 PM



MY JOURNEY WITH ANNIE MALONE
THURSDAY, JUNE 25, 8:30 PM



THE WORLD ACCORDING TO POLKA
ROLLER SKATES
SATURDAY, JUNE 27, 6:30 PM

28 SUNDAY

- 3:00 PM Epic Trails
Backpacking The Grand Canyon - Part 2
- 3:30 PM Wild Foods
Wild Foods Pilot
Vermont
- 4:00 PM My Journey with Annie Malone
- 4:30 PM Peoria's Playground
- 5:00 PM Horizons from PBS News
- 5:30 PM DW Focus On Europe
- 6:00 PM All-Star Orchestra
Concerto for Orchestra
- 7:00 PM Patience
The Magpie
- 8:00 PM Grantchester
On Masterpiece
Season 11, Episode 3
- 9:00 PM Downton Abbey Season 2
On Masterpiece
Part Three
- 10:00 PM Astrid
The Arabian Nights
- 11:00 PM Murder in the Mountains
Redemption

29 MONDAY

- 7:00 PM Antiques Roadshow
250 Years of Americana
- 8:00 PM Becoming American:
Philadelphia's Story
- 9:00 PM Declarations: Black Americans and the Revolutionar War
- 10:00 PM Ambient Film
Volcano Villarica
- 10:30 PM She Was First
- 11:00 PM Amanpour and Company

30 TUESDAY

- 7:00 PM Finding Your Roots
Secret Lives
- 8:00 PM Lucy Worsley Investigates:
The American Revolution
A Messy Divorce
- 9:00 PM Frontline
- 10:00 PM Recipe for Wellness
Stormy Weather
- 10:30 PM Ireland with Michael
The Galway Races
- 11:00 PM Amanpour and Company

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DAYTIME schedule

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	
JUNE 1 -30	5:00	Classical Stretch: By Essentrics	Happy Yoga with Sarah Starr	Classical Stretch: By Essentrics	Happy Yoga with Sarah Starr	Your Fountain of Youth with Lee Holden
	5:30	Odd Squad				
	6:00	Wild Kratts				
	6:30	Weather Hunters ¹				
	7:00	Lyla In The Loop ¹				
	7:30	Carl The Collector ¹				
	8:00	Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood ¹				
	8:30	Phoebe & Jay				
	9:00	Sesame Street				
	9:30	Work It Out Wombats!				
	10:00	Donkey Hodie				
	10:30	Rosie's Rules				
	11:00	Elinor Wonders Why				
	11:30	Indian As Apple Pie	Joy Of Painting with Nicholas Hankins	Garden SMART ²	My Greek Table	Fit 2 Stitch
	12:00	Facing Waves	Antiques Roadshow ²	Finding Your Roots ²	NOVA ²	The Kimberley: Australia's Wild West ²
	12:30	Cycle Around Japan Highlights				
	1:00	Museum Access	Books by the River	Lawrence Welk Show	Ambient Film ²	Lucky Chow ²
	1:30	MotorWeek	Medical Frontiers		Painting and Travel with Roger & Sarah Bansemer	The Best of The Joy of Painting
	2:00	Classical Stretch: By Essentrics				
	2:30	Odd Squad				
3:00	Molly Of Denali					
3:30	Xavier Riddle and the Secret Museum					
4:00	Cyberchase/Into The Outdoors/SciGirls/Curious Crew/Woodsongs Kids/Biz Kid\$					
4:30	Arthur					
5:00	WTVP BUSINESS BLOCK – DW News					
5:30	Consuelo Mack WealthTrack	A Shot of Ag	MotorWeek	Fork and Hammer/Roadside Nation	History with David Rubenstein	
6:00	PBS NewsHour					

¹ Xavier Riddle Celebrates American Heroes: Artists (60 minutes) - June 23, 25

² Pledge Programming through June 12th

WEEKEND schedule

	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
5:00	Mister Rogers' Neighborhood	Mister Rogers' Neighborhood
5:30	Arthur	Arthur
6:00	Wild Kratts	Wild Kratts
6:30	Weather Hunters	Weather Hunters ¹
7:00	Lyla In The Loop	Lyla In The Loop ¹
7:30	Carl The Collector ¹	Carl The Collector
8:00	Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood ¹	Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood
8:30	Phoebe & Jay	Phoebe & Jay
9:00	Curious Traveler ²	Sesame Street
9:30	Fons & Porter's Love of Quilting ²	Albie's Elevator
10:00	Quilting Arts ²	Wimee's Words
10:30	Garden SMART ²	VegeSaurus
11:00	America's Heartland ²	Curious Crew

	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
11:30	Family Plot: Gardening in the Mid-South ²	Woodsongs Kids ²
12:00	America's Test Kitchen ²	Consuelo Mack WealthTrack ²
12:30	This Old House ²	To the Contrary with Bonnie Erbe ²
1:00	Ask This Old House ²	Market to Market ²
1:30	Garage with Steve Butler ²	CapitolView ²
2:00	Woodsmith Shop ²	Firing Line with Margaret Hoover ²
2:30	Volunteer Woodworker ²	People Of The North ²
3:00	Christopher Kimball's Milk Street TV ²	See WTVP-HD Daily Listings for Schedule
3:30	Dining with the Chef ²	
4:00	Louisiana Coastal Cooking ²	
4:30	Kitchen Curious ²	
5:00	Compass Points From PBS News ²	
5:30	MotorWeek/Weekend Discovery ²	

¹ Xavier Riddle Celebrates American Heroes: Innovators (60 minutes) June 21, 27

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Consider **THIS**
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WASHINGTON WEEK with
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FRONTLINE

NEWS ANALASYS AND PUBLIC AFFAIRS SPECIALS

This month, two news and public affairs specials will impact our regular Friday night programming. On Friday, June 12 at 7 p.m., we will be showing a special one-hour episode of *Washington Week with the Atlantic*, followed by *Consider This with Christine Zak-Edmonds* at 8 p.m.

Then on Friday, June 26 at 7 p.m., a special episode of *Frontline* will premiere with *Consider This* following at 8 p.m.

IN CASE *you* MISSED IT

MAY WAS A BIG MONTH FOR LOCAL CONTENT!

If you missed it or just want to watch again, point your phone camera at the QR code and follow the link.



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A SHOT OF AG | NAVARRO FARM

A Frankfort family launches a farm to empower those with disabilities.



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AT ISSUE | THE BIG TABLE

The Big Table report has been released. We take an in-depth look at the results.



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CONSIDER THIS | ROBIN RAYMER THE PLASTER MAN

From young doodler, to professional artist and author, Robin Raymer's spreading cheer.



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Learn about palliative care with experts from Carle Health.



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VIBE 309 | LIV WARFIELD

Liv Warfield joins *Vibe 309* with a behind-the-scenes look before *Liv'n It Up*.



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YOU GOTTA SEE THIS | REPAIR CAFÉ | GMB ARTS IN EDUCATION

Meet community groups that help you fix things and encourage kids in the arts.



IN THE COMMUNITY!

We had a grr-ific time at PNC Worldwide Day of Play in May! Daniel Tiger and Miss Elaina from DANIEL TIGER'S NEIGHBORHOOD joined the fun—brought to you by Fred Rogers Productions and PNC's Grow Up Great initiative. A huge thank you to the Peoria Park District for hosting such a fantastic community event!





VIBE 309

WITH BLAKE WIRTH



BLAKE'S TAKE

FROM VIBE 309, EPISODE 106

BY BLAKE WIRTH

Do you know what I can't stop thinking about? Nobody knew that Liv Warfield could sing when she was growing up. She has one of the most powerful voices you'll ever hear and nobody knew!

If I had those pipes, I'd sing all the time. I wouldn't talk normally; I'd just sing my sentences.

But not Liv. She kept it to herself, protecting her hidden talent.

Then one day, during senior year at the last all-school mass at Peoria Notre Dame, she decided to finally share her gift. And look at what happened!

Not everyone has the kind of talent to drop Simon Cowell's jaw live on national TV. But it does make you wonder: how many people are out there, walking around right now with legitimate talent and nobody knows? Not because it's not there but because they're holding it back.

It's scary to put yourself out there. You've got to be vulnerable and there's a chance you'll fall flat on your face.

But what if you don't? What if that thing you've been sitting on actually hits? What if you're as good as you thought you were?

Not everyone with real talent is loud about it. Not everyone is a showboat. A lot of people are quiet and introverted, like Liv.

So if you see something in someone, speak up! It's remarkable how far a few words of encouragement can go, especially for kids or people experiencing self-doubt. You might be the voice they need to hear; the one that gives them just enough belief to take that first step. Sometimes you need someone else to believe in you so that you can believe in yourself.

(Scan the QR code to watch the full episode and catch all the good vibes!)



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DON'T MISS
THE NEXT EPISODE OF
VIBE 309 WITH BLAKE WIRTH!

THURSDAY, JUNE 4, 8:30 PM

In June, *Vibe 309* welcomes Greg Batton—longtime host of *The Greg and Dan Show* and one of the most recognizable voices in Peoria—for a conversation rooted in community, storytelling and the moments that have shaped his decades behind the mic.

The episode's Vibe Check heads to Hidden Peoria, offering a look inside some of downtown Peoria's most notable buildings and highlighting the character, history and curiosity that make Peoria worth exploring.

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Catch *Living It Up*, WTVP'S WEEKLY GUIDE TO WEEKEND FUN.

The two-minute video posts each week on YouTube and WTVP's social media.



DISCOVER PEORIA

YOUR JUNE EVENTS CALENDAR FROM DISCOVER PEORIA. FIND A FULL LIST AT PEORIA.ORG/EVENTS



Westminster Presbyterian Church
Peoria Bach Festival
June 1-3



Dozer Park
Peoria Chiefs Games
June 2-7, 16-21, 30



Stevens Square Princeville
Music in the Square
June 5



Arrowhead Country Club
EPIC Golf Outing
June 8



Moss Avenue
Moss Avenue Sale and Festival
June 13



Shea Stadium
Peoria City Soccer
June 13



Donovan Park
Paws in the Park
June 14



Wheels O' Time Museum
Super Hero Day
June 20



Peoria Civic Center
Lucy Darling
June 20



Touch of Wellness Parking Lot
Discover Morton Business Expo
June 20



Brienzo's
Summer Concert Series
June 26



Avanti's Event Center
Dragon Fire Balloon Fest
June 26, 27

STAMPING *the* PASSPORT

Welcome to **WTVP's** monthly article featuring a **WTVP** staff member reviewing a new-to-them show on **Passport**.

WTVP  **Passport**



DON STEDMAN TAKES A BREAK FOR LOCAL, USA

Don Stedman is technically retired but you wouldn't know it. His connection to **WTVP** reaches back to 2002 when he started volunteering, helping with membership drives and the auction. When additional crew members were needed to film local shows, Don stepped in to fill the gap. He now works part time as the Studio Supervisor, overseeing the crew. "I have fun working here," he says, "otherwise I wouldn't be here."

Despite his busy schedule, Don recently took a break to watch PBS programming on Passport. When he opened the PBS App on his phone, he came across something that intrigued him: *Local, USA's* episode on "Asian American Stories of Resilience and Beyond, Volume 2." Don's wife, Mila, is Filipino and he has traveled to the Philippines with her to meet her family. "I love the Philippines and the Philippine people. It felt like home over there." So when Don saw that the first vignette was about a Philippine family, he was hooked.

Local, USA is a half-hour series featuring fascinating stories of diverse people, curated from independent filmmakers across the country. There are nine seasons available with Passport, sharing over 100 compelling stories.

The episode Don watched featured two vignettes. The first followed Filipino filmmaker, Bree Nieves, whose father passed away during the COVID pandemic. To Don, the portrayal of strength drawn from close family bonds felt familiar. "I've seen that in the Philippine culture. Even with a large extended family, it's still tightknit."

The second vignette introduced Chanthon Bun, a Cambodian man born near the Thailand border. He and his wife immigrated to California where he got caught up in local

gangs and was arrested and imprisoned for robbery. Now out of prison, he's navigating the loss of his legal status and concerned about deportation.

Don feels like this episode would be good for anyone who wants to understand the immigrant journey better. It prompted his memories of what the move to the U.S. was like for his wife. "When Mila came over, she lost all of her friends and didn't know anybody. I can understand why the Cambodian gentleman got involved in gangs when he came over because he didn't speak the language." And understanding is an important first step in connecting.



If you too want to understand wide perspectives in our diverse country, point your phone camera at the **QR code** and follow the link. This episode of **Local, USA**, plus 100 more, are available to stream on demand with **PBS Passport**.



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▶ **THE LAWYERS | SEASON 1**
BINGE ALL 10 EPISODES OF SEASON 1 STARTING JUNE 12

A young defense lawyer learns the truth behind his parents' death. To avenge them, he must infiltrate a criminal organization and become a trusted confidant. Can he handle it? From Walter Presents, in Swedish with English subtitles.

▶ **GRANTCHESTER | SEASON 11**
SEASONS 1-10 ARE STREAMING NOW
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Civil unrest, the Profumo Affair, Martin Luther King Jr, the rise of the Beatles, the Great Train Robbery...1963 was a year of high drama and change. And as it was in the world, so it is in Grantchester. When we join our gang in the heady Summer of '63, Britain has just survived the "Great Freeze"—a winter of blizzards and bitter cold. Join more glorious adventures with our crime-fighting duo, Alphy and Geordie and friends, as they explore family and forgiveness, identity and faith, and finding your purpose in life.

▶ **THE MOUNTAIN DETECTIVE | SEASON 4**
SEASONS 1-3 ARE STREAMING NOW
BINGE ALL 3 EPISODES OF SEASON 4 STARTING JUNE 19

Former policeman Alex Hugo leaves Marseilles in search of a new life but ends up confronting violence in the mountains of the Hautes-Alpes. In French with English subtitles.

▶ **PARADISE | SEASON 11**
SEASONS 1-10 ARE STREAMING NOW
BINGE ALL 10 EPISODES OF SEASON 11 STARTING JUNE 26

Paradise is a profound drama portraying tightknit relationships between workers at a store amidst the societal expectations of the 1950s. In Italian with English subtitles.



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Jim Henson's
Wowserabout!

Play Road Trip Bingo!

Ronald and Roxy love taking road trips! There are so many awe-inspiring things to see! Using the card below, keep an eye out for the wonderful things to see on your very own road trip! First one to find five in a row gets a BINGO!

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There's a world of great content to see on **WTVP World 47.3!** World shares the best of public media in news, documentaries and programming. This month, we're highlighting the compilations of *Reel South*, a PBS documentary series that showcases authentic stories which unearth the spirit of the South today.

You can find our full **World** schedule by scanning the QR code. You can also request to be added to a schedule mailing list by emailing mail@wtvp.org.

DISCOUNT FUNERAL | NO SE VE DESDE ACA

SUNDAY, JUNE 7, 9 PM

Two films reveal how place shapes nostalgia, resilience and the pursuit of the American Dream. *Discount Funeral* offers a haunting scrapbook portrait of small-town Alabama and *No Se Ve Desde Acá* delivers an experimental meditation on Miami's restless pursuit of the American Dream.



JAN BEAUBOEUF | POLICE DIVE | TEDDY

SUNDAY, JUNE 14, 9 PM

Three intimate portraits explore purpose, devotion and service across generations, including *Police Dive*, which follows a Virginia dive detective recovering evidence and his own spiritual healing from the bottom of a lake, and an open-call selection of the film *Teddy*, following a Houston-based security guard by day and birth doula for Black mothers.



BOIL THAT CABBAGE DOWN | RED SANDS | GEORGE V

SUNDAY, JUNE 21, 9 PM

Discover a Mexican-American off-road race that redefines the border through speed, in *Red Sands*. *Boil That Cabbage Down* follows a novice musician who uncovers the banjo's overlooked ties to slavery and racism and *George V* depicts a Ukrainian Jewish immigrant whose artwork found an unlikely audience amid Miami's vibrant 1970s creative scene.



Weekend MARATHONS



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FRIDAYS, 8 PM — 1 AM

SATURDAYS, 9 AM — 2 PM

SUNDAYS, 11 AM — 4 PM

Let **WTVP Create** spark your creativity with these engrossing marathons!

POLLINATOR LOVE

FRIDAY, JUNE 5 — SUNDAY, JUNE 7

June is Pollinator Month and we're spreading love for these little beauties and what they produce, including nearly a third of our food and endless artistic inspiration. See the good of pollinators and how you can help them in your own backyard.



DANCING TOGETHER

FRIDAY, JUNE 12 — SUNDAY, JUNE 14

It's said that life is better when you dance but it's even better when you dance together! Join Mickela Mallozzi for a *Bare Feet* marathon that finds the joy in dancing with others across the globe.



INTERNATIONAL DAY OF YOGA

FRIDAY, JUNE 19 — SUNDAY, JUNE 21

The International Day of Yoga reminds us to enjoy the benefits of yoga, and *Yoga in Practice* will help do just that! Take some time to slow down, relax and find balance to start your summer on the right foot.



CRAFT ALL WEEKEND

FRIDAY, JUNE 26 — SUNDAY, JUNE 28

Summertime is the perfect time for crafts and Mark Montano has ideas for everyone. Whether you're inspired by the great outdoors, upcycling your old favorites, a trip to the hardware store or the hidden gems hiding on your bookshelf, your next project is waiting for you.



VOLUNTEER WITH WTVP!

WTVP's mission is to connect and inspire the communities we serve through quality content that educates, informs and entertains. Volunteers help bring that mission to life, engaging with viewers beyond the screens. While many opportunities focus on assisting with events, there are a variety of ways to get involved based on your interests and availability.

Thank you to everyone who helped with the station cleanup and PNC Worldwide Day of Play in May and everyone who has delivered Program Guides to locations across the region!

If you would like to learn more about volunteering with WTVP, register for our next **Station Ambassadors' Breakfast and Information Session on Wednesday, July 22 at 8:30 a.m. in the WTVP studio**. This free event is a chance to learn about upcoming opportunities and sign up for ways to get involved. Plus, be sure to grab your Station Ambassadors T-shirt while you're here!

Register by visiting wtvp.tv/julyambassador or scanning the QR code.



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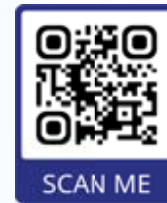
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