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For 50 years, Vegas PBS has sought to provide universal access to educational, cultural, performance, and public affairs media content. This has included construction of rural TV repeaters as well as ways to help the deaf and blind experience TV. While the technology used to deliver content has dramatically evolved over the past five decades, our commitment to eliminate barriers to access and deliver robust educational content to everyone in Southern Nevada has remained steadfast.

In the 1970s, during its earliest years as a television network, PBS stations began using a portion of their television signal to add program subtitles that were displayed when a special decoder was attached. The new technique was called Closed Captioning. In 1972, Julia Child’s *The French Chef* was the first television program accessible to viewers who were deaf or hard of hearing. It wasn’t until 1993 that Congress required all televisions to include caption decoders. Today, the ubiquitous closed captioning technology is in movies, helps children learning to read and adults learning English, and provides language translations.

In the late 1980s, PBS stations began using a second audio program (SAP) channel made possible by the addition of stereo audio to TV signals. Music lovers were thrilled, and SAP channels were used to carry verbal descriptions of on-air action during pauses in dialogue for people who were visually impaired. In 1986, *Arthur* became the first television broadcast accessible to viewers with vision impairment. In 1993, Congress made possible the addition of stereo audio to TV signals. Music lovers were thrilled, and SAP channels were used to carry verbal descriptions of on-air action during pauses in dialogue for people who were visually impaired. In 1993, *Arthur* became the first television broadcast accessible to viewers with vision impairment. Today, many PBS KIDS shows and primetime programs like *Masterpiece*, *NOVA* and *Nature* carry audio descriptions on the SAP channel to increase the universality of program access to all viewers.

In 2004, Vegas PBS was approved by the US Department of Education as the first Nevada-based distributor of their open-captioned and audio described video library materials for school children. Grant funding allowed us to create a library of newly developed open-captioned video tapes. In response to community requests, the library quickly added sign language training and Braille resources for children and adults.

We soon observed that many of these materials were being requested by parents and teachers working with children with Down syndrome, certain Autism Spectrum Disorders, and delayed motor or verbal skills. We also experienced loan requests from adults who were losing hearing or vision late in life. Because our captioned and described TV programming sought to serve these viewers, we successfully obtained grant-funds to expand the media library resources for multiple related disabilities and learners of all ages. Today, the Vegas PBS Special Needs Resource Library provides FREE educational resources for children with special needs and their parents, caregivers, teachers and providers, as well as adults and their families who need adaptive resources to continue to thrive.

This Autism Awareness Month, in addition to TV programs on the topic, we especially want to highlight the books, DVDs and educational resources in our library that address feelings and emotions, language development, listening and social skills. See page 23 for more information.

For 50 years, Vegas PBS has delivered programs to our community. In the 1960s we were limited to TV shows and companion books or classroom workbooks. In the 2010s we still use television and books for education, but have added the internet, mobile apps and even a grant-funded library to extend the impact of what your donations make possible on TV. We thank you for your support of universally accessible mission-based, public service media for everyone in our community.

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This bold new series tells the story of art from the dawn of human history to the present day, for the first time on a global scale. Acclaimed film, theater and television actor Liev Schreiber (Ray Donovan, Spotlight) will narrate its series, which broadens the canvas to reveal the role art and the creative imagination have played across multiple cultures and civilizations.

Works of beauty, ingenuity and illumination created across continents are introduced. From the landscape scrolls of classical China and the sculpture of the Olmecs to African bronzes, Japanese prints and French Impressionist paintings, discover the wealth of treasures created through the entirety of the human experience.

In nine episodes, the series travels across the globe, visiting such cultural landmarks as the great mosques of Istanbul, the ancient cities of Mesoamerica, the Buddhist caves of Ajanta in India, the Aztecs’ Templo Mayor in modern Mexico City and the funeral site of China’s first emperor. It explores a sweeping range of topics, including the earliest human cultural artifacts and the representation of the body in art, what happens when different civilizations encounter each other, and the nature of “renaissances” around the world. Encore broadcasts air on Wednesdays at 4:30 p.m.

EPISODES THIS MONTH:
The Second Moment of Creation April 17
Seventy thousand years ago, the first known examples of humans expressing themselves creatively were simple, abstract etchings.

How Do We Look April 24
From the Terracotta Army of China to the Colossi of Ramses II in Egypt, the human form has been a dominant subject for artists throughout history.

Soundbreaking
Friday, April 6 from 9 p.m. to Midnight and Friday, April 13 from 9 p.m. to 11 p.m.
This series combines unprecedented access to some of the most celebrated music artists, producers and innovators with rare archival studio footage and an extensive musical soundtrack, to deliver a wide-ranging series on the art of music recording. Charting a century’s worth of innovation and experimentation in the creation of music, the program offers a behind-the-scenes look at the birth of brand new sounds. From the invention of the microphone to the Moog synthesizer, from the phonograph to digital streaming, it moves between past and present to tell the stories behind the sounds and reveals how innovation redefined not only what we listen to and how we listen to it, but our very sense of what music is and can be.

BRINGING THE ROMANCE OF ITALY
Rick Steves: The Heart of Italy
Sunday, April 8 at 11 a.m.
Rick delves deep into the Italian heartland -- the place where la dolce vita is a way of life. Fishing for anchovies, sipping wine out of rustic barrels, bringing flowers to hilltop cemeteries and savoring twinkling Mediterranean vistas, Rick visits his favorite stretch of Mediterranean coastline.

Pasquale Esposito Celebrates Italian Piazzas
Sunday, April 8 at 1 p.m.
Join Italian tenor Pasquale Esposito on a musical journey paying tribute to the most beautiful piazzas in Italy and dedicating to each of them a song celebrating their history, beauty and romance. The multi-media program includes gorgeous footage from Italy coupled...
Begun with the goal of incorporating the diverse musical range of their hometown Chicago, they went on to create a sound that remains unparalleled in rock music. Live from Lincoln Center: Leslie Odom Jr. in Concert Friday, April 27 at 9 p.m.

Leslie Odom, Jr., was winner of the 2016 Tony for Best Leading Actor in a Musical for his legendary performance as Aaron Burr in Hamilton. A jazz vocalist with an actor’s ear for a lyric, he now brings his remarkable talent to this intimate performance.

International Jazz Day from Cuba Friday, April 27 at 10 p.m.

An all-star global concert celebrates the Sixth Annual International Jazz Day, recognizing jazz and its significant role in cultural diplomacy. Presented at historic Gran Teatro de la Habana Alicia Alonso, the special will feature an extraordinary array of artists from around the world, paying tribute to the international art form of jazz. Guests include Herbie Hancock, Chucho Valdés, Cassandra Wilson, Marcus Miller, Kurt Elling, Gonzalo Rubalcaba and many more.
African Americans: The Las Vegas Experience
Monday, April 2 at 10 p.m.
Discover the momentous events that defined the African American experience in Las Vegas throughout the Civil Rights era, altering the city’s history. For example, the Moulin Rouge Agreement of 1960 affected residents as it desegregated the city while the Westside Riot of 1969 rocked the entire community to its core. Our story introduces individuals who are connected to these events, and to each other. Repeats Tuesday, April 3 at 11 p.m.

Roads to Memphis: American Experience
Tuesday, April 3 at 8 p.m.
This film tells the wildly disparate yet fatefully entwined stories of an assassin, James Earl Ray, and his target, Dr. Martin Luther King Jr., against the backdrop of the seething and turbulent forces in American society that led these two men to their violent and tragic collision in Memphis, Tennessee, on April 4, 1968. The special features eyewitness testimony from King’s inner circle and the officials involved in Ray’s capture and prosecution. Repeats Wednesday, April 4 at 11 p.m.

Black America Since MLK: And Still I Rise
Tuesday and Wednesday, April 3 and 4 at 9 p.m.
Henry Louis Gates Jr., takes a personal journey through the last 50 years of African-American history, charting the incredible progress made – as well as the obstacles that remain. This special features conversations with Jesse Jackson, Nas and Donna Brazile.

“...one of history’s most famous generals, achieved what the Romans thought to be impossible...”

GI Jews – Jewish Americans in World War II
Wednesday, April 11 at 10 p.m.
Discover the story of these brave servicemen and women who fought for equality and tolerance around the world. Featuring new interviews with Mel Brooks, Carl Reiner, Henry Kissinger, the late Bea Cohen and others.

The Roosevelts: An Intimate History
Mondays at 10 p.m. beginning April 16
This seven-part documentary by Ken Burns weaves the stories of Theodore, Franklin and Eleanor Roosevelt, three members of one of the most prominent and influential families in American politics. The series encompasses all the history the Roosevelts helped to make, but it is also an intimate human story about love and betrayal, family feeling, personal courage and the conquest of fear.

Dunkirk
Thursdays, April 19 – May 5 at 10 p.m.
What happened at Dunkirk in May 1940 must go down as one of the greatest escapes of all time. A third of a million British soldiers were facing annihilation, but just days later the majority had been rescued and Churchill had delivered his most famous speech, vowing never to surrender. Dramatic stories, sourced from the accounts of men involved, are put in context by archive footage, maps, CGI and commentary, providing a true understanding of what actually happened.

Nazi Mega Weapons
Thursdays at 11 p.m. beginning April 19
In the quest for world domination, the Nazis built some of the biggest and deadliest pieces of military hardware and malevolent technology in history. This series uncovers the engineering secrets of three iconic mega structures, tells the stories of the evil geniuses that designed them and reveals how these structures sparked a technological revolution that changed warfare forever.
SPOTLIGHT

**Holocaust Day of Remembrance**

**Wednesday, April 11 from 9 p.m. to Midnight**

**NOVA: Holocaust Escape Tunnel** at 9 p.m.

In the heart of Lithuania, before death camps and gas chambers, the Nazis shot as many as 100,000 people, mostly Jews, in systematic executions, and then hid the evidence of the mass murder. An international team of archeologists embarked on an expedition to locate the last traces of a vanished people: the Jews of Vilnius, the capital of Lithuania. In the process, they made an extraordinary find—a hidden escape tunnel dug by Jewish prisoners at the Ponar death pits. This powerful film reveals the dramatic discovery and shares incredible stories from the descendants of this unique group of Holocaust survivors. **Repeats Friday, April 13 at 3:30 p.m.**

**GI Jews – Jewish Americans in World War II** at 10 p.m.

This profound film tells the story of the 550,000 Jewish American men and women who fought in World War II. In their own words, veterans both famous and unknown (from Hollywood director Mel Brooks to former Secretary of State Henry Kissinger) bring their war experiences to life. Like all Americans, they fought against fascism, but they also waged a more personal fight—to save their brethren in Europe. After years of struggle, they emerged transformed, more powerfully American and more deeply Jewish, determined to continue the fight for equality and tolerance at home. **Repeats Friday, April 13 at 3:30 p.m.**

**Remembering the Holocaust: Las Vegas Survivors Tell Their Stories** at 11:30 p.m.

Between 1945 and 1952 more than 80,000 Holocaust survivors immigrated to the United States. Nearly 350 survivors live in the Las Vegas area. Though they survived the Holocaust, most have not escaped the pain. These are the recollections of Las Vegans who wanted to share their stories.

**In Principle**

**Fridays at 8 p.m. beginning April 13**

Joining our lineup of acclaimed news programming this month is an all-new half-hour series. It will feature co-hosts Michael Gerson, a frequent contributor to PBS NewsHour, syndicated Washington Post columnist and author of the book *Heroic Conservatism*; and Amy Holmes, a political news commentator formerly of MSNBC and TheBlaze TV and Radio Network. The series will include guests from across the ideological spectrum in the worlds of politics, policy, the arts and academia, with Holmes and Gerson probing the framework of today’s news and political conversations, examining how history, faith and culture influence the larger discussions taking place in the country today.

“We need a place where we can have thoughtful, reasonable, in-depth conversations about politics, policy, culture — you name it — where we’re really talking to each other instead of shouting at each other,” said Holmes. “It’s not about shouting, it’s about talking and listening and learning — I want our viewers to feel it was always time well spent. That they come away saying, ‘I learned something that I didn’t know before.’”

Gerson states, “We intend to engage newsmakers and culture shapers at a deeper level, exploring their beliefs and motivations in a way viewers might not get in other formats on television.”
All New Drama for Spring!

Sunday Evenings Throughout April

(DRAMA)

Call the Midwife
Sundays at 8 p.m.

It is the year of the Big Freeze in 1963, and the midwives find themselves tested both personally and professionally as never before. Nurse Crane finds her authority questioned from an unexpected quarter, Sister Monica Joan is forced to accept her failing faculties and the much-loved characters are joined by West Indian midwife Lucille Anderson – a funny and clever nurse who brings a fresh burst of energy to life at Nonnatus House.

The Child in Time
on Masterpiece
Sunday, April 1 at 9 p.m.

A moment of distraction triggers a crisis in the lives of a happy, successful British couple in Ian McEwan’s haunting tale of a lost child and redeemed love, starring Benedict Cumberbatch (Sherlock) and Kelly Macdonald (Boardwalk Empire). Cumberbatch stars as Stephen Lewis, a noted children’s book author, and Macdonald plays his wife, Julie, a professional musician. They are the doting parents of Kate (Beatrice White), an impish four-year-old and their only child. Then one day Kate mysteriously disappears during a shopping outing with Stephen. It’s every parent’s worst nightmare, and it upends Stephen and Julie’s lives in extraordinary ways.

Little Women: A Timeless Story
Sunday, April 1 at 10:30 p.m.

Airing in May is a gorgeous new Masterpiece series from the award-winning creator of Call the Midwife, Heidi Thomas. This special takes a behind-the-scenes look at the upcoming series, based on the classic novel by Louisa May Alcott and featuring an all-star cast including Emily Watson, Michael Gambon and Angela Lansbury.

Unforgotten, Season 1
on Masterpiece
Sundays at 9 p.m. beginning April 8

Two stone-cold cases of murder test the wits of crime-solving duo DCI Cassie Stuart and DS Sunny Khan, played by Nicola Walker (Last Tango in Halifax) and Sanjeev Bhaskar (Indian Summers), in back-to-back seasons of the critically acclaimed UK crime series. Season 1 opens with a human skeleton found beneath a basement. The remains could be centuries old – or four decades, as comes to light upon further investigation of the crime scene. Cassie and Sunny eventually discover the victim was a young man, Jimmy Sullivan, and his nearly-disintegrated pocket diary leads the detectives to a list of names that may hold the key to solving the murder.

Last Tango in Halifax, Season 3
Sundays at 10:30 p.m. beginning April 8

Enjoy the third season of this award-winning series that celebrates life and love. Celia and Alan are both widowed and in their seventies. When their respective grandsons put their details on Facebook, they rediscover a passionate relationship that started over sixty years ago. Celia and Alan plan to make the most of their time together.

Unforgotten, Season 2
on Masterpiece
Sundays at 9 p.m. beginning April 29

Season 2 starts innocently enough with a routine river dredging operation. When the scoop brings up a soggy, old suitcase, the workers open it and find a corpse sealed up so long that the tissues have turned to a soapy substance. Gruesome forensic work identifies the victim as David Walker, a businessman missing for twenty-five years.

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Moon Boy Tuesdays at 4:30 p.m.
Waiting For God Tuesdays at 5 p.m.

SATURDAY NIGHT LINEUP

Midsomer Murders 7:30 p.m.
Death in Paradise 9 p.m.
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Masterpiece Mystery: Granchester, Season 3 at 11 p.m.
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Steven Raichlen BBQ Event
Wednesday, May 9 at Vegas PBS from 5 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.
Join us for an opportunity to meet Steven Raichlen, host of “Project Smoke.” Appetizers will feature his recommended rubs and spices, and you will receive an autographed copy of his latest book! Donate $60 per person.

L.A. Autry Museum and Zoo
Friday, May 11 to Saturday, May 12
Departs Vegas PBS at 8:30 a.m., Returns by 6 p.m. Discover the art, history and cultures of the American West at the Autry Museum and overnight at Best Western Plus Carriage Inn in Sherman Oaks. The next day visit the Zoo and Botanical Gardens in Griffith Park. Donate $280 per person, double occupancy.

Giada Concert Exclusive Ticket Offer
Thursday, June 7 at 8 p.m. • Myron’s Cabaret Jazz
Vegas PBS has the best table seats to see the Italian songstress perform, including a post-show Meet and Greet. Donate $75 per person.

Utah Shakespeare Festival Day Trip
Saturday, June 30 • Departs Vegas PBS 8 a.m., Returns 8 p.m. Join us to travel via deluxe coach to Cedar City for lunch and the matinee performance of Mark Twain’s “Big River” with post-show refreshments and cast Meet and Greet. Donate $79 per person.

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Tuacahn/Shakespeare 2 Plays Overnight Trip
Friday, August 24-Saturday August 25
Departs Vegas PBS 12:30 p.m., Returns 8 p.m. Travel to St. George, Utah for dinner and Tuacahn’s “Matilda The Musical” with overnight stay including breakfast. Continue on Saturday to Cedar City, Utah for “The Foreigner” matinee with lunch and post-show Meet and Greet with the cast plus refreshments. Donate $239 per person, double occupancy. Donate $329 per person, single occupancy.

Pasquale Esposito Concert
Exclusive Meet & Greet
Sunday, October 21 at 7 p.m. • Myron’s Cabaret Jazz
Only Vegas PBS has tickets for the return of the Italian Tenor with the best table seats and the pre-show Meet and Greet! Donate $99 per person.

Pavlo In Concert Includes Meet & Greet
Saturday, October 27 at 3 p.m. and 8 p.m. • The Space
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Andrea Bocelli Concert
Saturday, December 1 at 8 p.m.
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This Emmy-nominated series returns for season eight with new host Tom McLaughlin, who has been making and designing commissioned, custom furniture since 1990. In each episode, design inspiration is turned into easy-to-follow projects for woodworkers at every skill level. Tom teaches the latest woodworking techniques, as well as tips and instruction for how to create projects that can be passed down for generations.

Projects this season include: a craftsman-style dining chair in white oak, a Shaker-style hall table in cherry, a hanging bow front cabinet in American ash, a tilt-top round breakfast table in curly maple, a live-edge coffee table made from New England walnut and much more.

**EPISODES THIS MONTH:**

**April 14**
Tom crafts a refined, light Shaker-inspired hall table out of gorgeous cherry using mostly hand tools. From the elegant tapered legs to the undercut beveled edge along the top, this table offers a chance to get back to basics with extraordinary results. Techniques include using a hand plane, skimming, creating basic mortise and tenons, and chiseling pocket holes.

**April 21**
Tom uses American ash from his back woods to create a hanging bow front cabinet featuring hand-crafted proud dovetails and a hidden magnet close. He shares his tips for using lamination to create the simple but beautiful bow front door by applying a fantastic figured ash veneer.

**April 28**
Tom welcomes veteran woodworker Terry Moore. Terry shares his technique for designing a dramatic sunburst walnut veneer pattern on a round side table while Tom heads to the lathe to show how to turn an Art Deco-inspired column. The two collaborate on the cross lapped joinery feet and the end result is an elegant, smooth, intriguing piece.

“Tom crafts a refined, light Shaker-inspired hall table out of gorgeous cherry using mostly hand tools.”
When a moose is born, normally less than 50% survive their first year of life..."
From the makers of the award-winning NOVA science series comes a tantalizing new documentary series reporting from the frontiers of science. The six-part series is hosted by three engaging young scientists who are tackling the biggest unanswered questions about life and the cosmos, and pushing the boundaries of understanding in ways that could transform our world and the future.

This fresh, lively series makes complicated concepts accessible while taking a deep dive into the scientific process. Each episode poses a single big scientific question and takes viewers along on a journey to explore how far we’ve come in our quest for answers, and how we’ve managed to get here. Among the intriguing topics pondered are the secret language of animals, what’s hidden in the human body, the artificial intelligence technologies that could rival and surpass the abilities of the human mind, the controversial power to engineer life in a lab and other mysteries of the universe.

The series travels to some unexpected places to look for answers – including deep underwater, where humpback whales are essentially playing a game of “telephone” across the world, with pods teaching each other new songs; deep beneath our skin, where trillions of microbes are living in our bodies; deep below the earth, in mines where researchers are trying to detect elusive dark matter particles; deep into space, where astrophysicists are hunting for signs of extra-terrestrial life, and more.

“...humpback whales are essentially playing a game of “telephone” across the world...”

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In addition, your deduction generally must be reduced by the value of any benefit received from the charity. Finally, various substantiation requirements apply, and the charity must be eligible to receive tax-deductible contributions.

2018 Planning

While December's Tax Cuts and Jobs Act (TCJA) preserves the charitable deduction, it temporarily makes itemizing less attractive for many taxpayers, reducing the tax benefits of charitable giving for them.

Itemizing saves tax only if itemized deductions exceed the standard deduction. For 2018 through 2025, the TCJA nearly doubles the standard deduction – plus, it limits or eliminates some common itemized deductions. As a result, you may no longer have enough itemized deductions to exceed the standard deduction, in which case your charitable donations won't save you tax.

Another alternative option is for taxpayers who are required to make “minimum distributions,” over age 70 1/2 or regularly making IRA distributions, to execute allowed “qualified charitable distributions.” This method would eliminate the new limitations on itemized deductions and would allow the same basic deduction “above the line,” meaning that you would reduce your taxable IRA distribution instead of disallowed itemized deductions. This would maximize tax benefits with higher new standard deductions, if annual limits where imposed for itemized deductions.

For more information, contact Jeff Grandy, Major Gifts Officer, at 702.799.1010 x5415.
APRIL

Children’s Lineup

6:00 a.m.  Wild Kratts
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7:00 a.m.  Odd Squad
7:30 a.m.  Cat in the Hat Knows a Lot About That!
8:00 a.m.  Nature Cat
8:30 a.m.  Curious George
9:00 a.m.  Pinkalicious & Peterrific
9:30 a.m.  Daniel Tiger’s Neighborhood
10:00 a.m. Daniel Tiger’s Neighborhood
10:30 a.m. Splash and Bubbles
11:00 a.m. Sesame Street
11:30 a.m. Super WHY!
12:00 p.m. Dinosaur Train
12:30 p.m. Ready Jet Go!
1:00 p.m.  Arthur
1:30 p.m.  Wild Kratts
2:00 p.m.  Odd Squad

April is Autism Awareness Month
To help promote autism awareness, acceptance and understanding, PBS KIDS will air autism-themed episodes of several popular children’s shows throughout April. These episodes include: Sesame Street (April 9), Dinosaur Train (April 9) and Arthur (April 10-13).

Explore the Outdoors Week
The week of April 23 to 27 is PBS KIDS Explore the Outdoors Week! The weather is beautiful this time of year, so we are featuring new episodes from Splash and Bubbles, Nature Cat and Wild Kratts to help encourage kids to spend time playing outside.

Special Needs Resource Library
Grant-funded lending library for individuals with special needs and their parents, caregivers, teachers and providers.

APRIL IS AUTISM AWARENESS MONTH
We carry a variety of books, DVDs and educational games and toys addressing:

- Anger Management
- Feelings/Emotions
- Language Development
- Listening Skills
- Social Skills

Contact us for more information. (se habla español) • EMSinfo@VegasPBS.org or 702.799.1010 option 7
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**#VegasStrong: The Road Ahead**

Friday, April 6 at 8 p.m.

Vegas Strong. Two words that unite and connect our community after the unthinkable. One October became the largest mass shooting in the United States to date with 58 killed, hundreds injured and tens of thousands effected. Host Mitch Truswell looks at the possible social outcomes that October 1, 2017 will have on a broad range of victims in our community. How does this community recover from such trauma? How are victims moving forward? What are the possible short term and long term effects? This new local special takes viewers inside the Vegas Strong Resiliency Center to explain available resources, and goes one-on-one with experts in mental health, trauma recovery and law to learn about assistance victims can access, as well as potential challenges the future may hold. Repeats on Sunday, April 8 at 5:30 p.m.

**Nature: Sex, Lies and Butterflies**

Wednesday, April 4 at 8 p.m.

Butterflies have been making our planet more interesting and beautiful for more than 50 million years, and today a dazzling array of nearly 20,000 different species inhabit the globe. This new special takes viewers inside the Termite Resiliency Center to explain available resources, and goes one-on-one with experts in mental health, trauma recovery and law to learn about assistance victims can access, as well as potential challenges the future may hold. Repeats on Sunday, April 8 at 5:30 p.m.
FRONTLINE: Trump’s Takeover
Tuesday, April 10 at 10 p.m.

Venture inside President Trump’s high-stakes battle for control of the Republican Party. Learn how Trump attacked fellow Republicans and used inflammatory rhetoric that rallied his base and further divided the country in his first year as president.

The Perfect Crime: American Experience
Tuesday, April 10 at 9 p.m.

In 1924, the murder of a 14-year-old boy by two wealthy college students shocked the nation. But more horrifying than the brutal killing — the boy was bludgeoned to death — was the motive. Nathan Leopold and Richard Loeb admitted they planned to abduct and kill a child at random simply for the thrill of it. Legendary defense attorney Clarence Darrow summoned experts to show that the murderers had been shaped by childhood trauma and that it was society and its barbaric death penalty that deserved to be put on trial. Set in 1920s Chicago — a city of gin joints, gangsters, and political corruption — the film tells a story that set off a national debate about morality, individual responsibility and capital punishment.
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**Notes:**
- **PBS NewsHour** features segments such as "A Place to Call Home," "Secrets of the Dead," and "Growing a Greener World.
- **PBS NewsHour** includes special programs such as "The Undertaker: Stranger in the Coffin," "The Undertaker: Love on a Stormy Sea," and "The Undertaker: Love on a Stormy Sea.

**Schedule Highlights:**
- "The Undertaker: Stranger in the Coffin" on PBS NewsHour
- "The Great British Baking Show" on PBS KIDS
- "17 Stories of the Mind: Three Make-Ahead Recipes" on Worldview
- "The Undertaker: Love on a Stormy Sea" on PBS NewsHour
### THIS WEEK’S PICKS

#### Tuesday, April 17 at 8 p.m.

**Civilizations: Second Moment of Creation**

Tonight begins the premiere of this new nine-part series, telling the story of art from the dawn of human history to the present day. It broadens the canvas to reveal the role art and the creative imagination have played across multiple cultures and civilizations. This week’s episode begins seventy thousand years ago, with the first known examples of humans expressing themselves creatively through simple, abstract etchings. Over tens of thousands of years, this impulse evolved into painted and sculpted depictions of the animal world…and eventually of the human form itself. Please see page 8 for more details on this series.

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#### Antiques Roadshow: Portland

**Monday, April 16 at 8 p.m.**

Part adventure, part history lesson and part treasure hunt, this iconic program is a 13-time Emmy® Award-nominee and PBS’ most-watched ongoing series. Join host Mark Walberg as we travel this month to the beautiful City of Roses. Uncovered are West Coast wonders such as a Pablo Picasso “Grand Oiseau Vert” pot, an Ottoman zarf made around 1875 and a Tiffany Studios "Bookmark" desk set from around 1924. One of these is the big find of the night! Repeats Thursday, April 19 at 9 p.m. and Saturday, April 21 at 4 p.m.
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**THIS WEEK’S PICKS**

**FRONTLINE: Trafficked in America**

**Tuesday, April 24 at 10 p.m.**

Human traffickers lured half a dozen teenage Guatemalan boys to central Ohio with the promise of schooling, then confined them to dilapidated trailers and forced them to work 12 hours a day at an egg farm, confiscating their paychecks and threatening to kill them if they sought help. Get the inside story of these Guatemalan teens forced to work against their will. An investigation following a criminal network exploiting undocumented minors, companies profiting from forced labor and the US government’s role.

**NOVA Wonders: What are Animals Saying?**

**Wednesdays at 9 p.m. beginning April 25**

This new series follows three remarkable researchers who are tackling the biggest unanswered questions about life and the cosmos. This week’s episode explores the exotic vocalizations of other creatures, from singing whales to howling wolves. But what are they saying? Some animals demonstrate they can learn our language—like Chaser the dog, who recognizes hundreds of words. The question scientists are asking now is whether we can learn theirs. Researchers are deciphering an amazing array of clues that reveal how animals share information critical to their survival. Will we one day be able to read the bat dictionary or decode the hidden sign language of chimps? And what can these findings tell us about the roots of our own language?
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**Celebrate Easter Sunday, April 1 from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.**

Today’s special programming begins with *Ancient Roads: From Christ to Constantine* from 10 a.m. – 4 p.m. Airing back-to-back, this six-part series takes you on a spectacular and dramatic twelve-thousand-mile journey of a lifetime, traveling the ancient roads to the very places where Christianity began. At 4 p.m., *Rick Steves Special: European Easter* takes a spring journey through Spain, Slovenia, Switzerland, Italy and Greece, celebrating this 2,000-year-old story in a variety of cultures and shedding new light on this time-honored festival. Then enjoy Search for The Last Supper at 5 p.m. Did Leonardo da Vinci and his workshop paint a second version of his “The Last Supper” fresco, now heavily damaged? Historian Jean-Pierre Isbouts embarks on a thrilling quest across Europe in search of a missing masterpiece.
Host Burt Wolf introduces us to the people, architecture, art, culture, food and tourist attractions of some of the world’s most interesting locations. His relaxed, personable and irreverent style makes the series both informative and entertaining. This week he covers one of the first questions that come to mind when travelling, which is, “Where should we eat?” Deciding on the right restaurant becomes an essential part of travelling and it’s surprising to realize that just about everything that makes up a modern restaurant – street floor access, a receptionist, seating, the wait staff, the kitchen in the back and a written invoice – was developed in Paris during a 50-year period starting in 1765. Burt travels around and looks at how these basic elements come together when someone decides to open a restaurant.
We celebrate this beautiful Earth with three stunning programs, each with three episodes airing back-to-back. From 9 a.m. – noon, Life on the Reef explores Australia’s Great Barrier Reef through the eyes of those who live, work and play there. One of the richest and most complex natural ecosystems on earth, it is one of the Seven Wonders of the Natural World. From noon – 3 p.m., Earth’s Natural Wonders travels to the most extraordinary places on the planet. Visit six continents to learn how these natural wonders evolved and hear rarely told stories about the challenges their inhabitants face. Then from 3 p.m. – 6 p.m., Great Yellowstone Thaw journeys to Yellowstone, where wolves, grizzlies, beavers and Great Gray owls survive one of the greatest seasonal changes on the planet. As the temperature swings 140 degrees, cameras capture how the animals cope.

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**Sun 4/21**

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  - Create: Globe Trekker
  - Nature: My Bionic Pet
- **PBS KIDS**
  - Life on the Reef: Life explodes as wet season approaches.
- **Rubbish**
  - Life on the Reef: Green Bay.
- **Worldview**

**Sun 4/22**

- **10**
  - Create: Globe Trekker
  - Tech: LED Experience
- **PBS KIDS**
  - Life on the Reef: Humans and animals prepare for cyclones.
- **Rubbish**
  - Nature’s Natural Wonders.
- **Worldview**
  - Dirty Money White Lies.

**Sun 4/23**

- **10**
  - Create: Globe Trekker
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- **PBS KIDS**
  - Life on the Reef: Humans and animals prepare for cyclones.
- **Rubbish**
  - Nature’s Natural Wonders.
- **Worldview**
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**Sun 4/24**

- **10**
  - Create: Globe Trekker
  - Tech: LED Experience
- **PBS KIDS**
  - Life on the Reef: Humans and animals prepare for cyclones.
- **Rubbish**
  - Nature’s Natural Wonders.
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**Sun 4/25**

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- **PBS KIDS**
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**THIS WEEK’S PICKS**

**Ballykissangel Marathon**

Sunday, April 22 from 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.

Now that we are airing drama programs in the afternoon, some of you may have missed the first season of wonderful series and feel a bit behind. Now is your chance to enjoy the first season in an all-day marathon! Then, be sure to tune in to the weekday broadcast on Tuesdays at 3:30 p.m. When Father Peter Clifford arrives from Manchester, he knows he will be facing some opposition. After all, what is a young, inexperienced English priest doing in Ireland, of all places? He soon finds out that the town of Ballykissangel poses many more challenges. Rural village life is very different from the big cities. Here everyone knows everyone else’s business and a secret doesn’t stay secret for long. Contending with the long-established ways of the villagers and their eccentricities and superstitions is a full-time job.
Create Marathon:
Allen's Glorious Gardens
Saturday, April 14 from 6 a.m. - Noon

Allen Smith is center stage, showing off his green thumb in this glorious marathon. Allen shows us that the garden isn’t just a space for plants and flowers to grow; but a place of beauty, inspiration and great practicality. Whether he’s showing us how to bring indoor living outdoors or cooking up a farm to table meal, you can be sure that Allen does it with style! Repeats same day from 6 p.m. – Midnight and on Sunday, April 15 from Noon – 12:30 p.m.

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Repeat of Monday Evening

Sunday Noon - 6 p.m.
Weekend Marathon

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10.2 Broadcast, 112 Cox Cable, and 12 Prism "How-to" and lifestyle programming

VEGAS PBS KIDS
10.3 Broadcast, 113 Cox Cable, 11 Prism (Children’s high-quality educational content) and streaming online available 24/7

Vegas PBS Rewind
110 Cox Cable
The best of Channel 10 again with programs from CCSD, CSN and UNLV

Vegas PBS Jackpot!
111 Cox Cable
Educational and general audience for CCSD, CSN and UNLV

Vegas PBS Worldview
114 Cox Cable, 2183 HD DirecTV
News for globally-minded people
REWIND SPOTLIGHT

The Peregrine Dame
Monday, April 2 and Tuesday, April 3 at 6 p.m.

In the first series of its kind, travel journalist and host Rachel Parsons explores international travel as a lone female: no crew, no traveling companions, proving that traveling solo doesn't have to be so scary; and that traveling alone doesn't mean you're lonely. Airing two episodes on both evenings, she shares history, culture, and a couple of melt-downs along the way in a funny, entertaining and educational way. Episodes this week include visits to Belize; Durban, South Africa; Zuzuland, South Africa; and London. It's not the warm, fuzzy world of other travel shows; it's the real world of traveling solo with The Peregrine Dame; honest, curious, and unafraid.

VEGAS PBS REWIND/WORLDVIEW/JACKPOT! SPOTLIGHTS

JACKPOT! SPOTLIGHT

Heart of the World: Colorado’s National Parks
Thursday, April 19 from 9 p.m. – Midnight.

Narrated by Grammy-winning country music star Kathy Mattea, this three-part special tells the stories of five of the most amazing parks on the planet. Aired back-to-back, each episode elegantly fuses together the natural histories of each park, combining stunning photography of the parks filmed through the seasons. You will enjoy breathtaking helicopter aerials; inspirational on-camera interviews; outstanding wildlife shots that include bears, bighorn sheep, moose and elk; and fascinating 3D graphics to tell the stories of five of the most remarkable places on the planet. Ten-time Grammy® nominee Peter Kater created the moving and poignant musical score.

WORLDVIEW SPOTLIGHT

The Vanishing of Pato
Sunday, April 1 at 6 p.m.

If you think Detective Montalbano's hometown of Vigata can get a little nutty sometimes, you should see it in 1890! Based on the historical mystery novel by Andrea Camilleri, the story is set in the same seaside town that Detective Montalbano fans know and love. One of Vigata’s most upstanding citizens vanishes right after his appearance in the annual Passion Play. South collides with North as a local Sicilian carabiniere (Nino Frassica) teams up with a Neapolitan police officer (Maurizio Casagrande) to unlock the mystery of his disappearance. Despite their cultural, linguistic and personal differences the two men manage to forge an alliance, wading through local politics, personal agendas and the general wackiness that is Vigata to find out what really happened. In Italian with English subtitles. Repeats same day at 9 p.m.
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