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MURDER MYSTERIES

NEW SEASON
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WETA Focus



Throughout October, WETA TV 26 and WETA HD present engaging dramas on Sundays and Thursdays, anchored respectively by new *Masterpiece* productions and a new season of *Miss Fisher* cases. These lush, atmospheric, beautifully costumed series are a delight, each transporting us a world away and to a different era. *Masterpiece* continues the drama *Indian Summers*, following politics and passion in the Raj, while adding to the Sunday evening lineup the war-era miniseries *Home Fires*, starring Francesca Annis and *Downton Abbey*'s Samantha Bond. On Thursdays, a double-feature of exciting mysteries spotlights Essie Davis in new Jazz Age adventures as the glamorous, independent Melbourne sleuth Phryne Fisher, alongside another Australian series, *The Doctor Blake Mysteries*, which follows the investigations of a moody police surgeon in postwar Ballarat. Find more mysteries on Sunday nights after *Masterpiece* – and also note that a superb array of additional drama and mystery offerings is available on the WETA UK channel.

On Friday nights, WETA TV 26 and WETA HD broadcast dazzling arts specials, including a reprised 2012 concert in our series *In Performance at the White House*. Watch for more WETA performance productions in coming months as we televise the annual Kennedy Center presentation of the Mark Twain Prize for American Humor, this year to be bestowed upon actor-comedian Eddie Murphy; and a special concert featuring musical tributes to Willie Nelson as the performer and songwriter receives the Library of Congress Gershwin Prize for Popular Song.

Enjoy this month's outstanding dramas and entertaining arts offerings, and thank you for your support.

Sharon Percy Rockefeller

Sharon Percy Rockefeller, President & CEO, WETA

The Brain with David Eagleman

airs Wednesdays, October 14–November 18 at 10 p.m. on WETA TV 26/HD



COURTESY BRAIN FILMS

As part of WETA Wednesday-night science programming, a new, six-part 10 p.m. miniseries illuminates the workings of the human brain with host Dr. David Eagleman, a neuroscientist, *New York Times* best-selling author and Guggenheim Fellow. *The Brain* takes a multi-disciplinary approach to the examination of why we feel and think the things we do, blending science with visual effects and personal stories in a journey through humans' inner cosmos, the neural universe. The programs explore six profound questions: "What Is Reality?" (October 14) relates how our brains create the rich and beautiful world we all take for granted. "What Makes Me?" (October 21) examines how our personality, emotions and memories are encoded. "Who Is in Control?" (October 28) explores the unconscious brain and behavior. "How Do I Decide?" (November 4) spotlights how the brain navigates the decisions we make every day. "Why Do I Need You?" (November 11) shares how the brain needs other brains to thrive and survive. The concluding episode, "Who Will We Be?" (November 18), projects what is next for the human brain and our species.

Funding for *The Brain with David Eagleman* was provided by Cancer Treatment Centers of America, the Corporation for Public Broadcasting and public television viewers. The CPB/PBS Program Challenge Fund supports high-impact content that engages viewers and new audiences of all demographics. The local broadcast of *The Brain with David Eagleman* is sponsored by Rice University.

WETA BROADCASTS AND SERVICES

WETA Television

WETA TV 26

26.4 Over the Air Via Antenna
Cox 26, 802 Comcast 26
FiOS 26, 471 RCN 26

WETA HD

26.1 Over the Air Via Antenna
Cox 1026, 1003 Comcast 220
FiOS 526 (in the D.C. area;
DirecTV 26, 26-1 800 starting in Oct)
RCN 613
Dish 8076

WETA UK

26.2 Over the Air Via Antenna
Cox 800 Comcast 265
FiOS 474 RCN 39

October Highlights on WETA TV 26/HD

Miss Fisher's Murder Mysteries, Series 3

airs Thursdays at 8 p.m. on WETA TV 26/HD, beginning October 1
and Fridays at 8 p.m. on WETA UK, beginning October 2

A new series of *Miss Fisher's Murder Mysteries* builds on the meticulously constructed world of the earlier programs, starring Essie Davis as the independent, glamorous and unflappable sleuth Phryne Fisher, investigating crimes in 1920s Melbourne, Australia. In Series 3, Fisher is as daring and playful as ever, continuing to defend the innocent and juggle admirers with her usual panache. She keeps up her dance around Detective Inspector Jack Robinson (Nathan Page), mounts gun fights with the mafia, climbs tall buildings to rescue the helpless, performs death-defying feats of escapology, and battles villains in back alleys. The new programs delve into Fisher's closet for more era couture, upholding her reputation for style and elegance, but also for a family skeleton or two. This time around, the unexpected arrival of Phryne's father — in trouble and in need of money — unravels long-buried secrets and challenges Fisher's usual composure. It seems that Henry Fisher, Baron of Richmond Upon Thames, gets under his daughter's skin like no one else can. In a bonus for a bemused and intrigued Jack, as Phryne learns more about her father, she undergoes a subtle shift of the heart, perhaps altering her attitude on love and commitment. Returning cast members include Ashleigh Cummings (Dot Williams), Hugo Johnstone-Burt (Constable Hugh Collins) and Miriam Margolyes (Aunt Prudence).



COURTESY ACORN MEDIA

The Doctor Blake Mysteries

airs Thursdays at 9 p.m. on WETA TV 26/HD, beginning October 1
and Tuesdays at 8 p.m. on WETA UK, beginning October 6

Craig MacLachlan stars as Dr. Lucien Blake in the 10-episode, 2013 Australian series *The Doctor Blake Mysteries*, which spotlights the character after his return home to Ballarat (near Melbourne) in the late 1950s to take over his father's country medical practice after decades away. The former army medical officer and World War II prisoner of war is both a general practitioner and the town's police surgeon, using his skills as a forensic doctor to solve mysteries and investigate deaths natural and unnatural. He is also a misfit, not conforming to the strict social structures of a small Australian town in that era, and he has many secrets of his own, closely kept. His colleagues in the drama are his father's former assistant, widow Jean Beazley (Nadine Garner), and district nurse Mattie O'Brien (Cate Wolfe). WETA will present the second season of the series, created in 2014, at the conclusion of the Season 1 episodes.

COURTESY BBC

In other mysteries this month on WETA TV 26 & WETA HD, on Saturday nights at 8 p.m. (and Mondays at 9 p.m. on WETA UK) WETA presents Series 10 of *Midsomer Murders* (right), starring John Nettles as DCI Tom Barnaby and Jason Hughes as his sidekick Sgt. Ben Jones. On Sunday nights at 10 p.m. after *Masterpiece*, watch the three-part mystery miniseries *The Widower* (starring Reece Shearsmith, and featuring Archie Panjabi of *The Good Wife*) and *The Guilty* (with Tamsin Greig).



COURTESY AMERICAN PUBLIC TELEVISION

For program or membership inquiries, call 703-998-2724 or visit weta.org.

WETA Kids

26.3 Over the Air Via Antenna
Cox 801
FiOS 472

Comcast 266
RCN 38

WETA Online

weta.org
weta.org/learningmedia

Classical WETA

WETA 90.9 FM Washington
WGMS 89.1 FM Hagerstown
WETA 88.9 FM Frederick
classicalweta.org
vivalavoce.org

October Highlights on WETA TV 26/HD



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Masterpiece Presentations on WETA TV 26/HD

Home Fires airs Sundays, Oct. 4–Nov. 8 at 8 p.m.

Indian Summers airs Sundays, Sept. 27–Nov. 22 at 9 p.m.

In a special 8 p.m. Sunday-night *Masterpiece* presentation, Samantha Bond (*Downton Abbey*) and Francesca Annis (*Reckless*) head a superb cast (that includes Ed Stoppard, Ruth Gemmell and Claire Rushbrook) in a six-part drama, *Home Fires*, about women in an English village facing the onset of World War II. Bond plays forward-thinking Frances Barden, a born leader with a stubborn streak, while Annis is her antagonist, Joyce Cameron, obsessed with class and tradition. The two are rivals for control of the local chapter of the Women's Institute, a nationwide service organization. With war looming in 1939, the Great Paxford village chapter faces its moment of truth. Will the largely social group close up shop for the duration, or will it reinvent itself to help the nation in its hour of need?

Home Fires is based on *Jambusters*, Julie Summers' history of the Women's Institute in World War II.

Also on Sundays, throughout October at 9 p.m. the nine-part *Masterpiece* drama *Indian Summers* (which begins September 27) continues to spotlight the Raj. Set during the 1930s, the story follows love, lust, intrigue and politics among the colonial ruling class and Indians agitating for independence from British rule. Julie Walters stars.

Viking River Cruises is the exclusive corporate funder of *Home Fires* on *Masterpiece* on PBS, with additional funding provided by PBS, WGBH and the *Masterpiece* Trust. Funding for *Indian Summers* is provided by Viking River Cruises and Ralph Lauren Corporation with additional support from public television viewers and contributors to the *Masterpiece* Trust.

Pets' Wild Behavior and More on *Nature*

Wednesdays at 8 p.m. on WETA TV 26/HD

The Wednesday-night series *Nature* this month presents natural history films *Big Birds Can't Fly* (October 7), *Soul of the Elephant* (October 14) and the two-part production *Pets: Wild at Heart* (October 21 & 28). *Big Birds Can't Fly*, hosted by Sir David Attenborough, spotlights the story of flightless birds, including ostriches, emus, rheas, cassowaries and kiwis. *Soul of the Elephant* features the work of Emmy and Peabody award-winning Botswana filmmakers Dereck and Beverly Joubert, who offer an intimate look at the lives of African elephants. *Pets: Wild at Heart*, from the team that created the *Nature* productions *Earthflight* and *Penguins: Spy in the Huddle*, features a new look at our pets, who co-exist alongside us in their own secret world of wild behavior. This two-part miniseries explores this parallel existence and animal behavior via HD spy cameras, night vision cameras, drones, high-speed cameras and more.



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Elliott Hanna in
Billy Elliot: The Musical



ADAM SORENSEN

PBS Arts Fall Festival

Fridays at 9 p.m. beginning October 9

The PBS Arts Fall Festival returns this year with new programs hosted by international music superstar Gloria Estefan. October performances include: *Unity: The Latin Tribute to Michael Jackson* (October 9), a concert led by Sheila E., featuring Latin-infused arrangements of Jackson's iconic songs; *Live From Lincoln Center: Show Boat* (October 16), a New York Philharmonic production of Jerome Kern and Oscar Hammerstein's lyrical masterpiece with an all-star cast led by Vanessa Williams and *Downton Abbey*'s Julian Ovenden; *Great Performances: Billy Elliot: The Musical Live* (October 23), Elton John's award-winning musical about an English boy's journey from boxing to ballet, based on the 2000 film; and *Live from Lincoln Center: Elfman: Tim Burton Film Music* (October 30), a symphony orchestra concert of music from films such as *Batman*, *Beetlejuice*, *Edward Scissorhands* and *The Nightmare Before Christmas*, led by conductor John Mauceri.

WETA TV 26 & WETA HD

October primetime simulcast listings.

Weeknight primetime simulcast programming repeats the following weekday on WETA TV 26 starting at noon.

| | 8:00 | 8:30 | 9:00 | 9:30 | 10:00 | 10:30 |
|---------------|--|--|---|---|--|-------|
| 1 Thu | Miss Fisher's Murder Mysteries, Series 3 (Ep 1 of 8. <i>Death-Defying Acts</i>) | | The Doctor Blake Mysteries, Series 1 (Ep 1 of 10. <i>Still Waters</i>) | | Doc Martin, Series 6 (Pts 4 & 5 of 8) (to 11:30pm) | |
| 2 Fri | Washington Week with Gwen Ifill | WETA Arts | Burt Bacharach & Hal David: The Library of Congress Gershwin Prize for Popular Song In Performance at the White House | | POV: Ai Weiwei: The Fake Case | |
| 3 Sat | Midsomer Murders: Series 10: Dance with the Dead | | | (from 9:33pm) The WETA Movie: Bullitt (to 11:30pm) | | |
| 4 Sun | Masterpiece: Home Fires (Pt 1 of 6) | | Masterpiece: Indian Summers (Pt 2 of 9) | | The Widower (Pt 1 of 3) | |
| 5 Mon | Antiques Roadshow: Seattle, WA (Ep 1 of 3) | | Antiques Roadshow: Albuquerque, NM (Ep 2 of 3) | | I'll Have What Phil's Having: Italy | |
| 6 Tue | Gorongosa Park: Rebirth of Paradise (Pt 5 of 6. <i>Battle Lines</i>) | | Gorongosa Park: Rebirth of Paradise (Pt 6 of 6. <i>Roaring Back</i>) | | Frontline: My Brother's Bomber (Pt 2 of 3) | |
| 7 Wed | Nature: Big Birds Can't Fly | | NOVA: Secrets of Noah's Ark | | Secrets of the Dead: JFK: One PM Central Standard Time | |
| 8 Thu | Miss Fisher's Murder Mysteries, Series 3 (Ep 2 of 8. <i>Murder and the Maiden</i>) | | The Doctor Blake Mysteries, Series 1 (Ep 2 of 10. <i>The Greater Good</i>) | | Doc Martin, Series 6 (Pts 6 & 7 of 8) (to 11:30pm) | |
| 9 Fri | Washington Week with Gwen Ifill | WETA Arts | Unity: The Latin Tribute to Michael Jackson (PBS Arts Fall Festival) | | The Hispanic Heritage Awards | |
| 10 Sat | Midsomer Murder, Series 10: The Animal Within | | | (from 9:33pm) The WETA Movie: The Great Escape (to 12:30am) | | |
| 11 Sun | Masterpiece: Home Fires (Pt 2 of 6) | | Masterpiece: Indian Summers (Pt 3 of 9) | | The Widower (Pt 2 of 3) | |
| 12 Mon | Antiques Roadshow: Seattle, WA (Ep 2 of 3) | | Antiques Roadshow: Albuquerque, NM (Ep 3 of 3) | | I'll Have What Phil's Having: Paris | |
| 13 Tue | Mary Tyler Moore: A Celebration | | Secrets of the Dead: The Real Trojan Horse | | Frontline: My Brother's Bomber (Pt 3 of 3) | |
| 14 Wed | Nature: Soul of the Elephant | | NOVA: Cyberwar Threat | | The Brain with David Eagleman (Ep 1 of 6. <i>What Is Reality?</i>) | |
| 15 Thu | Miss Fisher's Murder Mysteries, Series 3 (Ep 3 of 8. <i>Murder and Mozzarella</i>) | | The Doctor Blake Mysteries, Series 1 (Ep 3 of 10. <i>Death of a Traveling Salesman</i>) | | Doc Martin, Series 6 & 1 (Pt 8 of 8/Pt 1 of 6) (to 11:30pm) | |
| 16 Fri | Washington Week with Gwen Ifill | Ribbon of Sand | Live from Lincoln Center: Kern & Hammerstein's <i>Show Boat</i> (to 11:30pm) (PBS Arts Fall Festival) | | | |
| 17 Sat | Midsomer Murders, Series 10: The Axeman Cometh | | | (from 9:33pm) The WETA Movie: On the Waterfront (to 11:30pm) | | |
| 18 Sun | Masterpiece: Home Fires (Pt 3 of 6) | | Masterpiece: Indian Summers (Pt 4 of 9) | | The Widower (Pt 3 of 3) | |
| 19 Mon | Antiques Roadshow: Seattle, WA (Ep 3 of 3) | | Antiques Roadshow: Chicago, IL (Ep 1 of 3) | | I'll Have What Phil's Having: Hong Kong | |
| 20 Tue | The Forgotten Plague: American Experience | | Frontline: Immigration Battle | | | |
| 21 Wed | Nature: Pets: Wild at Heart (Pt 1 of 2. <i>Playful Creatures</i>) | | NOVA: Sinkholes—Buried Alive | | The Brain with David Eagleman (Ep 2 of 6. <i>What Makes Me?</i>) | |
| 22 Thu | Miss Fisher's Murder Mysteries, Series 3 (Ep 4 of 8. <i>Blood and Money</i>) | | The Doctor Blake Mysteries, Series 1 (Ep 4 of 10. <i>Brotherly Love</i>) | | Doc Martin, Series 1 (Pts 2 & 3 of 6) (to 11:30pm) | |
| 23 Fri | Washington Week with Gwen Ifill | Sky Island | Great Performances: <i>Billy Elliot: The Musical</i> Live (to 12m) (PBS Arts Fall Festival) | | | |
| 24 Sat | Midsomer Murders, Series 10: Picture of Innocence | | | (from 9:33pm) The WETA Movie: The Wild One | | |
| 25 Sun | Masterpiece: Home Fires (Pt 4 of 6) | | Masterpiece: Indian Summers (Pt 5 of 9) | | The Guilty (Pt 1 of 3) | |
| 26 Mon | Antiques Roadshow: Tulsa, OK (Ep 1 of 3) | | Antiques Roadshow: Chicago, IL (Ep 2 of 3) | | I'll Have What Phil's Having: Barcelona | |
| 27 Tue | War of the Worlds: American Experience | | Secrets of the Dead: Vampire Legend | | Frontline: Inside Assad's Syria | |
| 28 Wed | Nature: Pets: Wild at Heart (Pt 2 of 2. <i>Secretive Creatures</i>) | | NOVA: Animal Mummies | | The Brain with David Eagleman (Ep 3 of 6. <i>Who Is in Control?</i>) | |
| 29 Thu | Miss Fisher's Murder Mysteries, Series 3 (Ep 5 of 8. <i>Death & Hysteria</i>) | | The Doctor Blake Mysteries, Series 1 (Ep 5 of 10. <i>Hearts and Flowers</i>) | | Doc Martin, Series 1 (Pts 4 & 5 of 6) (to 11:30pm) | |
| 30 Fri | Washington Week with Gwen Ifill | Pioneers of Television: Carol Burnett & The Funny Ladies | Live from Lincoln Center: Elfman: Tim Burton Film Music (PBS Arts Fall Festival) | | | |
| 31 Sat | Midsomer Murders, Series 10: Death in a Chocolate Box | | | (from 9:33pm) The WETA Movie: Married to the Mob (to 11:30pm) | | |

■ Denotes WETA productions, co-productions and presentations

WETA Television

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PBS NewsHour airs weeknights at 7 p.m.

Charlie Rose airs late weeknights (check listings)

WETA TV 26 & WETA HD

October simulcast primetime listings, plus weekends for WETA TV 26

- Programming on WETA TV 26 and WETA HD is exactly the same — simulcast — Monday through Friday from 7 p.m. through *Charlie Rose*, and weekend evenings, beginning at 6 p.m. Saturdays and 5:30 p.m. Sundays.
- Please note that Saturday and Sunday daytime listings that follow are for WETA TV 26 only unless otherwise indicated. For complete 24-hour schedules of programs on WETA TV 26 and WETA HD, visit weta.org/tv.
- The weeknight primetime schedule on WETA TV 26 often repeats the next weekday afternoon on WETA TV 26.
- WETA TV 26 is devoted to children's programming 5 a.m.–noon weekdays and 6–9 a.m. Sundays. For 24 hours of children's programming each day, tune in to the WETA Kids channel. See page 12 for schedule information.

Program Key

■ — WETA productions, co-productions or presentations. {DVI} — Descriptive Video Service. R — Aired within the month. Listings are accurate as of press time. For late-breaking program updates, call 703-998-2724 or visit weta.org/tv.



ACORN MEDIA

Thursdays in October at 8 p.m. on WETA TV 26/HD

Essie Davis returns as glamorous sleuth Phryne Fisher in a new season of the Australian drama *Miss Fisher's Murder Mysteries*.

1 Thursday

7:00 PBS NEWSHOUR

8:00 **MISS FISHER'S MURDER MYSTERIES, SERIES 3** — The third series of *Miss Fisher's Murder Mysteries* follows the independent, glamorous and unflappable leading lady detective Phryne Fisher (Essie Davis) as she investigates crimes in 1920s Melbourne, Australia. *Episode 1 of 8. Death-Defying Acts.* When the unfortunate assistant in a magic show dies on stage, Jack and Phryne's investigation unravels a secret murder in the past. Phryne's estranged father makes a surprise visit. *Repeats Fri 10/2, 1pm*

9:00 **THE DOCTOR BLAKE MYSTERIES, SERIES 1** — Craig McLachlan stars as Dr. Lucien Blake, who after an absence of 30 years returns home to Ballarat, Australia, in the late 1950s to take over his late father's general medical practice, solve mysteries in his old home town, and keep his own secrets. *Episode 1 of 10. Still Waters.* When a wayward girl from the local reform school is found dead in Lake Wendouree, Dr. Blake is immediately suspicious. He shocks the police with his unconventional investigative methods. *Repeats Fri 10/2, 2pm*

10:00 **DOC MARTIN, SERIES 6** — *Parts 4 & 5 of 8.* *Repeats Fri 10/2, 3pm & 4pm*

11:30 **CHARLIE ROSE** — *Repeats next weekday, noon*

2 Friday

7:00 PBS NEWSHOUR

8:00 **WASHINGTON WEEK WITH GWEN IFILL** — In WETA's long-running production, moderator and managing editor Gwen Ifill leads a discussion by a panel of top journalists on the news events of the week. *Repeats Sat 10/3, 6:30pm*

8:30 **WETA ARTS** — The TV 26 arts magazine spotlights the modern eye of impressionist painter Gustav Caillebotte; visits the Women's Voices Theater Festival taking place across the Washington area; follows how one choreographer is passing on the tradition of urban funk dance;

explores how a new conductor is taking the Boston Symphony Orchestra in fresh directions; and hears from local author Jen Chaney about why the movie *Clueless* became a cultural touchstone of the '90s as she discusses her breakout new book, "As If!." *Repeats Sun 10/4, 2pm; Wed 10/7, 5:30pm; Fri 10/9, 8:30pm; Sat 10/10, 12:30am; Sun 10/11, 4pm; Wed 10/14, 3pm; Thur 10/15, 2pm; Tues 10/20, 3:30pm*

9:00 **BURT BACHARACH & HAL DAVID: THE LIBRARY OF CONGRESS GERSHWIN PRIZE FOR POPULAR SONG IN PERFORMANCE AT THE WHITE HOUSE** — WETA reprises a star-studded 2012 White House concert honoring the songwriting team of Bacharach and David that penned such classic tunes as "Raindrops Keep Fallin' on My Head," "Walk on By" and "Alfie." Appearing in the program are Sheryl Crow, Michael Feinstein, Diana Krall, Lyle Lovett, Mike Myers, Rumer, Arturo Sandoval, Sheléa and Stevie Wonder.

10:00 **POV: AI WEIWEI: THE FAKE CASE** — A dissection of the persecution of Chinese artist Ai Weiwei explores how the government's attempts to silence him have backfired and turned him into an irrepressible voice for free speech and human rights around the globe.

11:00 **CHARLIE ROSE: THE WEEK**

11:30 **CHARLIE ROSE** — *Repeats next weekday, noon*

3 Saturday

ON WETA TV 26, 6AM–6PM. See weta.org/hd for WETA HD listings.

6AM **NEW SCANDINAVIAN COOKING**

6:30 **CHEF JOHN BESH'S NEW ORLEANS**

7:00 **CIAO ITALIA**

7:30 **HUBERT KELLER: SECRETS OF A CHEF**



THE LIBRARY OF CONGRESS GERSHWIN PRIZE FOR POPULAR SONG IN PERFORMANCE AT THE WHITE HOUSE, A WETA CO-PRODUCTION

Friday, October 2 at 9 p.m. on WETA TV 26/HD

Sheryl Crow is among the musical artists performing in the WETA co-production *Burt Bacharach & Hal David: The Library of Congress Gershwin Prize for Popular Song In Performance at the White House*, a star-studded 2012 celebration of the songwriting team's hits.

OFFICIAL WHITE HOUSE PHOTO BY PETE SOUZA


Saturdays in October at 9:33 p.m. on WETA TV 26/HD

The WETA Movie features the 1968 crime drama *Bullitt* (October 3) and the 1963 film *The Great Escape* (October 10) with Steve McQueen, above; *On the Waterfront* (October 17) and *The Wild One* (October 24) with Marlon Brando; and *Married to the Mob* (October 31).

8:00 JOANNE WEIR'S COOKING CONFIDENCE
8:30 RICK STEVES' EUROPE
9:00 EASTENDERS — (two episodes) **Repeats Fridays, 5pm**
10:00 THE THIS OLD HOUSE HOUR
11:00 A CHEF'S LIFE
11:30 PATI'S MEXICAN TABLE
12N THE MIND OF A CHEF
12:30 JACQUES PÉPIN: HEART & SOUL
1:00 ESSENTIAL PÉPIN
1:30 SARA'S WEEKNIGHT MEALS
2:00 BAKING WITH JULIA
2:30 LIDIA'S KITCHEN
3:00 IN JULIA'S KITCHEN WITH MASTER CHEFS
3:30 JACQUES PÉPIN: MORE FAST FOOD MY WAY!
4:00 COOK'S COUNTRY FROM AMERICA'S TEST KITCHEN
4:30 AMERICA'S TEST KITCHEN FROM COOK'S ILLUSTRATED
5:00 MARTHA STEWART'S COOKING SCHOOL
5:30 MARTHA BAKES — New season starts October 3!

SIMULCAST ON WETA TV 26 & WETA HD, 6PM-1AM:
6:00 PBS NEWSHOUR WEEKEND
6:30 WASHINGTON WEEK WITH GWEN IFILL — R

7:00 GLOBE TREKKER: DELHI & RAJASTHAN, INDIA
8:00 MIDSOMER MURDERS, SERIES 10: DANCE WITH THE DEAD — Detective Chief Inspector Tom Barnaby (John Nettles) investigates crimes in the fictional English county of Midsomer in a drama series based on the novels of Caroline Graham. *Dance with the Dead*. A man's apparent suicide in an armored car shocks the village of Morton Fendle, but things take a more sinister turn upon the discovery that he was not alone when he died. At the top of Barnaby and Jones' list of suspects is the victim's missing girlfriend.

9:33 THE WETA MOVIE: BULLITT — In Peter Yates' 1968 crime drama, Steve McQueen stars as a San Francisco police detective who gets hold of a mob-witness corruption case and won't let go. Jacqueline Bisset and Robert Vaughn co-star. (1:53) **Repeats Sat 10/4, noon**
11:30 INDEPENDENT LENS: PARK AVENUE: MONEY, POWER & THE AMERICAN DREAM — The address 740 Park Avenue in Manhattan boasts the highest number of billionaires in the nation, many of whom lobby and finance political campaigns to lower taxes on the wealthy. Less than four miles away, others face very different economic realities: Park Avenue runs through New York's 16th Congressional District in the South Bronx, which has the highest poverty rate in the U.S.

12:30AM WETA ARTS — R

4 Sunday

ON WETA TV 26, 6AM-12N. See weta.org/hd for WETA HD.

6AM-9AM WETA KIDS PROGRAMMING
9:00 WHITE HOUSE CHRONICLES
9:30 TO THE CONTRARY WITH BONNIE ERBE
10:00 THIS IS AMERICA WITH DENNIS WHOLEY
10:30 RELIGION AND ETHICS NEWSWEEKLY
11:00 THE OPEN MIND — Alexander Heffner hosts a weekly excursion into the world of ideas, exploring issues of national and public concern with distinguished guests.

11:30 THE McLAUGHLIN GROUP — The weekly public affairs series features a discussion by a group of pundits, led by John McLaughlin, of current political issues.

SIMULCAST ON WETA TV 26 & WETA HD, 12N-12M:
12N THE WETA MOVE: BULLITT — (1:53) R

2:00 WETA ARTS — R

2:30 E.O. WILSON: OF ANTS AND MEN — A documentary film examines the remarkable life and groundbreaking ideas of biologist E.O. Wilson, founder of the discipline of sociobiology, world authority on insects and Pulitzer Prize-winning writer on the subject of human nature.

4:30 I'LL HAVE WHAT PHIL'S HAVING: TOKYO — Phil

Rosenthal, creator of *Everybody Loves Raymond*, travels the globe, visiting kitchens on and off the gastronomic path. *Part 1 of 6: Tokyo*. Phil searches for the most delicious ramen, the sushi of his dreams and anything else that makes Tokyo a global culinary capital. R

5:30 SCI-TECH NOW — A newsmagazine program hosted by Hari Sreenivasan, anchor of *PBS NewsHour Weekend* and a senior correspondent for the nightly program *PBS NewsHour*, explores topics including technology, scientific discovery and innovation.

6:00 PBS NEWSHOUR WEEKEND

6:30 HONORED TO SERVE: LOCAL HEROES 1 — Part of a WETA initiative exploring local stories surrounding America's Armed Forces, this WETA TV 26 program spotlights the U.S. Army Band, U.S. Army artists, the Vietnam Veterans Memorial and The National Park Service's Museum Resource Center (which preserves mementos left at the Wall), and the Warrior Canine Connection.

7:00 THE GREAT BRITISH BAKING SHOW, SEASON 2 — A new season of the U.K. amateur baking competition continues. Mel Giedroyc and Sue Perkins coax participants through their baking challenges and Mary Berry and Paul Hollywood judge the results. *Part 5 of 10: Biscuits and Traybakes*. Join the eight remaining bakers as they create traybakes, classic tuiles and biscuit towers of epic proportions. **Repeats Mon 10/5, 2pm; Tue 10/6, 4pm; Wed 10/7, 1pm**
8:00 MASTERPIECE: HOME FIRES — Samantha Bond (*Downton Abbey*) and Francesca Annis (*Reckless*) portray two women who enter into a rivalry over control of the Women's Institute in a rural English town. *Part 1 of 6*. With World War II imminent, the local Women's Institute dissolves after Joyce resigns as president. Frances tries to revive the group with a jam-making project. **Repeats Mon 10/5, 3pm**

9:00 MASTERPIECE: INDIAN SUMMERS — A drama set in the hill station of Shimla examines the collision of the English ruling class and local people agitating for Indian independence in the twilight of British rule in India. The two sides engage in intricate games of power, politics and passion. Julie Walters stars. *Part 2 of 9*. While Aafarin fights for his life, Ralph confronts the gunman in jail. Sarah is suspicious of Alice's past. Adam goes missing. **Repeats Mon 10/5, 4pm**

10:00 THE WIDOWER — A drama presents the true story of Malcolm Webster, a nurse, apparent gentleman, and spendthrift who marries, and then attempts to kill a succession of women to cash in their life insurance policies. Reece Shearsmith stars, and the cast includes Archie Panjabi (*The Good Wife*) as Simone. *Part 1 of 3*. When Claire confronts her husband, Malcolm Webster, over his wild spending, he tries to control her with sedatives. Afraid he'll soon be caught, he silences her forever. Three years on, he has a new bride, and history appears to be repeating itself. **Repeats Mon 10/5, 5pm**


Sundays, October 4-18 at 10 p.m. on WETA TV 26/HD

After episodes of *Home Fires* and *Indian Summers* on *Masterpiece*, the drama *The Widower*, starring Reece Shearsmith (above left), follows the story of a spendthrift who becomes a serial wife-killer.



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Wednesday, October 7 at 8 p.m. on WETA TV 26/HD

Nature: Big Birds Can't Fly spotlights ostriches (above), emus and other flightless birds. The BBC's Sir David Attenborough hosts.

11:00 AMERICA IN PRIMETIME — A four-part series co-produced by WETA and The Documentary Group in association with the Academy of Television Arts & Sciences Foundation spotlights key character archetypes of primetime television past and present and features in-depth interviews with creators, writers and actors who give life to these characters. *Part 1 of 4. Independent Woman* explores the transformation of women from model housewives to complex, and sometimes controversial, characters. (60 min.)

5 Monday

7:00 PBS NEWSHOUR

8:00 ANTIQUES ROADSHOW: SEATTLE, WA — *Episode 1 of 3. Repeats Tue 10/6, 1:30pm*

9:00 ANTIQUES ROADSHOW: ALBUQUERQUE, NM — *Episode 2 of 3. Repeats Tue 10/6, 2:30pm*

10:00 I'LL HAVE WHAT PHIL'S HAVING: ITALY — Phil Rosenthal, creator of *Everybody Loves Raymond*, continues his culinary tour, visiting kitchens around the world. *Part 2 of 6. Italy*. Phil revisits the food mecca, feasting on a home-cooked meal at chef Nancy Silverton's Umbrian home. *Repeats Tue 10/6, 5pm; Wed 10/7, 2pm; Thur 10/8, 1pm; Sun 10/11, 4:30pm*

11:00 CHARLIE ROSE — *Repeats next weekday, noon*

6 Tuesday

7:00 PBS NEWSHOUR

8:00 GORONGOSA PARK: REBIRTH OF PARADISE — A miniseries follows the rebirth of an African wilderness through the eyes of Emmy-winning wildlife cameraman Bob Poole. *Part 5 of 6. Battle Lines*. A new lion's arrival sparks a conflict among Gorongosa's dominant lions. Joyce has questions about the mysterious behavior of the Gorongosa elephants and has a breakthrough; and Bob experiences the danger of crop-raiding elephants. *Repeats Wed 10/7, 3pm; Thur 10/8, 2pm*

9:00 GORONGOSA PARK: REBIRTH OF PARADISE — *Part 6 of 6. Roaring Back*. When Bob Poole returns to Gorongosa, he discovers a huge nesting colony of water birds. He resumes his search for lion cubs that went missing, and he finally meets the park's new cubs — Gorongosa's future lions. *Repeats Wed 10/7, 4pm; Thur 10/8, 3pm*

10:00 FRONTLINE: MY BROTHER'S BOMBER — *Frontline* producer Ken Dornstein documents his search for the terrorists who blew up Pan Am Flight 103 over Lockerbie, Scotland, in 1988, killing 270 people, including Dornstein's older brother, David. *Part 2 of 3*. Dornstein follows the evidence to Zurich and back to Libya, where he comes closer to the truth.

11:00 CHARLIE ROSE — *Repeats next weekday, noon*

7 Wednesday

7:00 PBS NEWSHOUR

8:00 NATURE: BIG BIRDS CAN'T FLY — *Nature* explores the evolution and unique stories of ostriches, emus, rheas,

cassowaries and kiwis. Though it's said a bird is three things — feathers, flight and song — these birds can't fly or sing, and their feathers are closer to fluff. {DVI} *Repeats Thur 10/8, 4pm*

9:00 NOVA: SECRETS OF NOAH'S ARK — A 3,700-year-old inscribed clay tablet reveals a surprising new version of the Biblical flood story, complete with how-to instructions for assembling an ark. Following the directions, expert boat builders assemble and launch a massive reed boat. {DVI} *Repeats Thur 10/8, 5pm*

10:00 SECRETS OF THE DEAD: JFK: ONE PM CENTRAL

STANDARD TIME — A special recounts the riveting story of the reporting from Dallas and the New York CBS Newsroom from the moment President Kennedy was shot until Walter Cronkite's emotional pronouncement of his death at 1 p.m. CST. George Clooney narrates.

11:00 CHARLIE ROSE — *Repeats next weekday, noon*

8 Thursday

7:00 PBS NEWSHOUR

8:00 MISS FISHER'S MURDER MYSTERIES, SERIES 3 —

Essie Davis stars as detective Phryne Fisher, investigating crimes in 1920s Melbourne, Australia. *Episode 2 of 8. Murder and the Maiden*. When a high-ranking RAAF officer disappears without explanation from an RAAF Base, Phryne is called upon by an old flame to discreetly solve the mystery. *Repeats Fri 10/9, 1pm*

9:00 THE DOCTOR BLAKE MYSTERIES, SERIES 1 — Craig McLachlan stars as a general practitioner and sleuth in 1950s Australia. *Episode 2 of 10. The Greater Good*. On the eve of Anzac Day, Dr. Blake is called to the morgue, where the attendant has been murdered and autopsy tools and a body are missing. *Repeats Fri 10/9, 2pm*

10:00 DOC MARTIN, SERIES 6 — *Parts 6 & 7 of 8. Repeats Fri 10/2, 3pm & 4pm*

11:30 CHARLIE ROSE — *Repeats next weekday, noon*

9 Friday

7:00 PBS NEWSHOUR

8:00 WASHINGTON WEEK WITH GWEN IFILL — In WETA's long-running production, moderator and managing editor Gwen Ifill leads a discussion by a panel of top journalists on the news events of the week. *Repeats Sat 10/10, 6:30pm*

8:30 WETA ARTS — See the October 2, 8:30 p.m. listing.

9:00 UNITY: THE LATIN TRIBUTE TO MICHAEL JACKSON

— Part of the PBS Arts Fall Festival, a special concert hosted by Sheila E. features award-winning Latin artists performing Latin-infused arrangements of iconic Jackson songs such as "Smooth Criminal," "I Want You Back" and "Billie Jean." *Repeats Sun 10/11, 3pm*

10:00 THE HISPANIC HERITAGE AWARDS — Rita Moreno hosts the 28th Annual Hispanic Heritage Awards, an event created by the White House in 1987. The special evening spotlights the country's highest award paying tribute to Latinos by Latinos and includes live performances and appearances by some of the country's most celebrated Hispanic artists.

11:00 CHARLIE ROSE: THE WEEK

11:30 CHARLIE ROSE — *Repeats next weekday, noon*



CIRIANI LACOB

Friday, October 9 at 9 p.m. on WETA TV 26/HD

Unity: The Latin Tribute to Michael Jackson features a special concert by Latin artists, hosted by musician Sheila E. (above).



Tuesday, October 13 at 8 p.m. on WETA TV 26/HD

Mary Tyler Moore: A Celebration explores the actor's work and her iconic role portraying TV's first independent career woman. Above: The cast of the popular program *The Mary Tyler Moore Show*.

10 Saturday

ON WETA TV 26, 6AM-6PM. See weta.org/hd for WETA HD listings.

6AM-6PM See the Saturday, October 3 listings.

SIMULCAST ON WETA TV 26 & WETA HD, 6PM-2:30AM:

6:00 PBS NEWSHOUR WEEKEND

6:30 WASHINGTON WEEK WITH GWEN IFILL — R

7:00 GLOBE TREKKER: BARCELONA CITY GUIDE

8:00 MIDSOMER MURDERS, SERIES 10: THE ANIMAL

WITHIN — The body of a notorious trickster and mischief-maker is found floating below the weir in Midsomer Neverell. The extent of his double life emerges when three family friends and a long-lost niece produce wills claiming his fortune, and his collection of erotic old photos gives Barnaby and Jones the key to the tangled relationships and feuds blighting the family.

9:33 THE WETA MOVIE: THE GREAT ESCAPE — Steve McQueen leads an all-star cast in John Sturges' 1963 adventure film that blends a true-life World War II prison camp saga and Hollywood's gift for storytelling into a bravura, blockbuster film. In the film, Allied soldiers dig a tunnel out of a Nazi camp. Co-starring are James Garner, Charles Bronson, Richard Attenborough, James Coburn, and Donald Pleasence. (2:48) **Repeats** Sat 10/11, noon

12:30AM WETA ARTS — R

1AM INDEPENDENT LENS: BEAUTY IS EMBARRASSING —

Art-world darling Wayne White's off-kilter style and self-deprecating sense of humor offer a peek into an imagination that refuses to grow up. A film chronicles the artist's vaulted highs and crushing lows. (90 min.)

11 Sunday

ON WETA TV 26, 6AM-12N. See weta.org/hd for WETA HD.

6AM-12N See the Sunday, October 4 listings.

SIMULCAST ON WETA TV 26 & WETA HD, 12N-12M:

12N THE WETA MOVIE: THE GREAT ESCAPE — (2:48) R

3:00 UNITY: THE LATIN TRIBUTE TO MICHAEL JACKSON — R

4:00 WETA ARTS — R

4:30 I'LL HAVE WHAT PHIL'S HAVING: ITALY — R

5:30 SCI-TECH NOW

6:00 PBS NEWSHOUR WEEKEND

6:30 HONORED TO SERVE: THE ART OF THE SOLDIER

— Part of a WETA initiative exploring local stories surrounding America's Armed Forces, this WETA TV 26 program spotlights military artists, musicians, and the arts in military history, featuring a Fort Belvoir art collection; the U.S. Army Band; the work of the real "Monuments Men"; and more. **Repeats** Thur 10/22, 2pm

7:00 THE GREAT BRITISH BAKING SHOW, SEASON 2 —

Part 6 of 10. *Sweet Dough*. The bakers work with sweet dough, making tea loaves that are connected to home, and 36 sweet European buns, from Swedish cinnamon buns to German *schnrecken* and French *brioches*. They also face Paul's twisted Technical Challenge. **Repeats** Mon 10/12, 2pm; Tue 10/13, 4pm; Wed 10/14, 1pm

8:00 MASTERPIECE: HOME FIRES — Part 2 of 6. The Women's Institute is back, and the RAF arrives in town. Pat endures abuse. Alison's dog has a close call. The local doctor faces up to his fate. **Repeats** Mon 10/12, 3pm

9:00 MASTERPIECE: INDIAN SUMMERS — Part 3 of 9. Soon gets into trouble. Witness-tampering runs riot. Ramu confronts Armitage at the annual fair. Dougie confesses to Sarah. **Repeats** Mon 10/12, 4pm

10:00 THE WIDOWER — Part 2 of 3. After two failed attempts on Felicity's life, Malcolm returns to Scotland and reinvents himself — this time as the perfect boyfriend to Simone. However, DS Henry is hot on his heels and will stop at nothing to prevent the next murder. **Repeats** Mon 10/12, 5pm

11:00 AMERICA IN PRIMETIME — A WETA co-production explores how television archetypes have remained staples of primetime, evolving through the generations. *Part 2 of 4. Man of the House*. This episode showcases the evolution of the man of the house from the king of his castle in classic family sitcoms to a more conflicted figure in modern shows. (60 min.)

12 Monday

8:00 ANTIQUES ROADSHOW: SEATTLE, WA — Episode 2 of 3. **Repeats** Tue 10/13, 1:30pm

9:00 ANTIQUES ROADSHOW: ALBUQUERQUE, NM — Episode 3 of 3. **Repeats** Tue 10/13, 2:30pm

10:00 I'LL HAVE WHAT PHIL'S HAVING: PARIS — Phil Rosenthal visits kitchens around the world. *Part 3 of 6. Paris*. Phil explores what he calls the "City of Sweets," indulging in hot chocolate, football-sized croissants and vanilla bombes and searching for the best roast chicken and vegetable-centric dishes in the City of Lights. **Repeats** Tue 10/13, 5pm; Wed 10/14, 2pm; Thur 10/15, 1pm; Sun 10/18, 4:30pm

11:00 CHARLIE ROSE — **Repeats** next weekday, noon

13 Tuesday

7:00 PBS NEWSHOUR

8:00 MARY TYLER MOORE: A CELEBRATION — A program special features dozens of classic TV and movie clips and comments from the actress and her co-stars. Oprah Winfrey recounts Moore's critical role in inspiring her — and millions of others — as TV's first independent career woman. **Repeats** Wed 10/14, 5pm; Sun 10/18, 2pm

9:00 SECRETS OF THE DEAD: THE REAL TROJAN HORSE

— A series explores iconic historical moments while debunking myths and shining new light on events. *The Real Trojan Horse*. Archaeological evidence suggests Troy and the Trojan War are more than myth. If the great siege did happen, was there really a wooden horse that brought enemy soldiers into the fortified city? **Repeats** Wed 10/14, 4pm; Sun 10/18, 3:30pm



COURTESY BBC/DEREK JOUBERT/©WILDLIFE FILMS

Wednesday, October 14 at 8 p.m. on WETA TV 26/HD

Nature: Soul of the Elephant, filmed in Botswana over two years, reconstructs the lives of two bull elephants, experienced through the eyes of acclaimed filmmakers Dereck and Beverly Joubert.



CHRIS LEE

Friday, October 16 at 9 p.m. on WETA TV 26/HD

Live from Lincoln Center: Kern & Hammerstein's Show Boat stars Vanessa Williams, Julian Ovenden, Fred Willard and Norm Lewis in the classic musical about love, heartbreak and racial prejudice.

10:00 FRONTLINE: MY BROTHER'S BOMBER — *Frontline* producer Ken Dornstein documents his search for the terrorists who blew up Pan Am Flight 103 over Lockerbie, Scotland, in 1988, killing 270 people, including Dornstein's older brother, David. *Part 3 of 3*. Dornstein uncovers new information about a suspected Lockerbie bomb-maker and attempts to make contact.

11:00 CHARLIE ROSE — *Repeats next weekday, noon*

14 Wednesday

7:00 PBS NEWSHOUR

8:00 NATURE: SOUL OF THE ELEPHANT — *Nature* delves into the hearts, minds and souls of elephants through the eyes of award-winning filmmakers Dereck and Beverly Joubert, whose uniquely personal experiences with these iconic creatures of Africa provide a window into the animals' remarkable lives. {DVI} *Repeats Thur 10/15, 4pm*

9:00 NOVA: CYBERWAR THREAT — Through startling, previously unreported detail, *NOVA* examines the new reality of cyberwar, in which cyber weapons can inflict physical damage on America's factories, power plants and pipelines, leaving the nation vulnerable to crippling attacks. {DVI} *Repeats Thur 10/15, 5pm*

10:00 THE BRAIN WITH DAVID EAGLEMAN — The neuroscientist explores the human brain in a series that reveals why we feel and think the things we do. *Episode 1 of 6. What Is Reality?* Eagleman explores how the brain, locked in silence and darkness without direct access to the world, conjures the rich and beautiful world we all take for granted. *Repeats Thur 10/15, 3pm*

11:00 CHARLIE ROSE — *Repeats next weekday, noon*

15 Thursday

7:00 PBS NEWSHOUR

8:00 MISS FISHER'S MURDER MYSTERIES, SERIES 3 — Essie Davis stars as detective Phryne Fisher, investigating crimes in 1920s Melbourne, Australia. *Episode 3 of 8. Murder and Mozzarella*. In the world of family Italian restaurants, old grudges from the village are stirred up when matriarch Nonna Luisa dies and the ownership of a secret book of recipes becomes the suspected motive. *Repeats Fri 10/16, 1pm*

9:00 THE DOCTOR BLAKE MYSTERIES, SERIES 1 — Craig McLachlan stars as a general practitioner and sleuth in 1950s Australia. *Episode 3 of 10. Death of a Traveling Salesman*. When a traveling salesman dies in a car accident, police blame alcohol. Dr. Blake concludes that the victim was not drunk and died before the crash of very unusual causes. *Repeats Fri 10/16, 2pm*

10:00 DOC MARTIN, SERIES 6 & 1 — *Part 8 of 8/Part 1 of 6*. Series 6 concludes and the drama starts again from its first episode. *Repeats Fri 10/16, 3pm & 4pm*

11:30 CHARLIE ROSE — *Repeats next weekday, noon*

16 Friday

7:00 PBS NEWSHOUR

8:00 WASHINGTON WEEK WITH GWEN IFILL — In WETA's long-running production, moderator and managing editor Gwen Ifill leads a discussion by a panel of top journalists on the news events of the week. *Repeats Sat 10/17, 6:30pm*

8:30 RIBBON OF SAND — The Outer Banks of North Carolina are a slim and moving line of sand in the open Atlantic. A film profiles this seascape and the transitory islands of Cape Lookout that are doomed to disappear; Meryl Streep reads excerpts from environmentalist Rachel Carson's writings. *Repeats Sat 10/17, 12:30am*

9:00 LIVE FROM LINCOLN CENTER: KERN & HAMMERSTEIN'S SHOW BOAT — Part of the PBS Arts Fall Festival, the groundbreaking musical about love and heartbreak is performed by the New York Philharmonic and features Vanessa Williams, Julian Ovenden, Fred Willard, Norm Lewis, Jane Alexander and Lauren Worsham.

11:30 CHARLIE ROSE: THE WEEK

12M CHARLIE ROSE — *Repeats next weekday, noon*

17 Saturday

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6AM-6PM See the Saturday, October 3 listings.

SIMULCAST ON WETA TV 26 & WETA HD, 6PM-1AM:

6:00 PBS NEWSHOUR WEEKEND

6:30 WASHINGTON WEEK WITH GWEN IFILL — R

7:00 GLOBE TREKKER: PAPUA NEW GUINEA ISLANDS

8:00 MIDSOMER MURDERS, SERIES 10: THE AXEMAN

COMETH — Barnaby is delighted that his music heroes Hired Gun are reuniting to play at the Midsomer Rocks festival — minus their drummer, who disappeared 30 years ago after driving his car into a quarry. However, a string of bizarre warnings convinces the paranoid lead singer that someone is trying to stop the reunion, and his fears are confirmed.

9:33 THE WETA MOVIE: ON THE WATERFRONT — Elia Kazan's classic 1954 drama stars Marlon Brando as a conscience-stricken ex-boxer who stands up to a corrupt union boss after unwittingly participating in a fellow longshoreman's murder. Karl Malden, Lee J. Cobb, Rod Steiger and Eva Marie Saint co-star. The film won eight Oscars, including Best Picture, Best Director, Best Actor and Best Actress. (1:48) *Repeats Sun 10/18, noon*

11:30 INDEPENDENT LENS: LOVE FREE OR DIE — A documentary explores the struggles and triumphs of Gene Robinson, the first openly gay elected bishop in the Anglican Church. The film is about church and state, love and marriage, faith and identity — and one man's struggle to dispel the notion that God's love has limits.

12:30AM RIBBON OF SAND — R

18 Sunday

ON WETA TV 26, 6AM-12N. See weta.org/hd for WETA HD.

6AM-12N See the Sunday, October 4 listings.

SIMULCAST ON WETA TV 26 & WETA HD, 12N-12M:

12N THE WETA MOVIE: ON THE WATERFRONT — (1:48) R



COURTESY MONTEFIORE MEDICAL CENTER

Tuesday, October 20 at 8 p.m. on WETA TV 26/HD

The Forgotten Plague: American Experience explores the story of tuberculosis, the deadliest killer in human history. Above, a group of patients takes an open-air treatment on a hospital sun porch.



DANIEL LECLAIR/REUTERS/CORBIS

Wednesday, October 21 at 9 p.m. on WETA TV 26/HD

NOVA: Sinkholes—Buried Alive follows scientists around the globe as they explore the underlying forces behind these natural disasters. Above: An enormous 2010 sinkhole that opened in Guatemala City.

2:00 MARY TYLER MOORE: A CELEBRATION — R

3:00 HONORED TO SERVE: LOCAL HEROES 2 — Part of a WETA initiative exploring local stories surrounding America's Armed Forces, this WETA TV 26 program spotlights the U.S. Army Band, U.S. Army artists, the Vietnam Veterans Memorial and The National Park Service's Museum Resource Center (which preserves mementos left at the wall), and the National Capital Honor Flights that bring veterans to Washington.

Repeats Tue 10/27, 3:30pm

3:30 SECRETS OF THE DEAD: THE REAL TROJAN HORSE — R

4:30 I'LL HAVE WHAT PHIL'S HAVING: PARIS — R

5:30 SCI-TECH NOW

6:00 PBS NEWSHOUR WEEKEND

6:30 HONORED TO SERVE: REMEMBERING VIETNAM

— Part of a WETA initiative exploring local stories surrounding America's Armed Forces, this WETA TV 26 program spotlights the story of the Vietnam Veterans Memorial, those who care for the Memorial, what happens to items left at the Wall, and more.

7:00 THE GREAT BRITISH BAKING SHOW, SEASON 2 — Part 7 of 10. Pastry. The remaining six bakers compete to update old-fashioned suet puddings, create perfect *religieuses* — delicate *choux* buns filled with *crème pâtissière* — and make three different kinds of puffed pastries. *Repeats Mon 10/19, 2pm; Tue 10/20, 4pm; Wed 10/21, 1pm*

8:00 MASTERPIECE: HOME FIRES — *Part 3 of 6.* Alison takes desperate steps to pay a bill. Claire asks Spencer out. Pat makes a speech but pays the consequences. The farmer and vicar do their duty. *Repeats Mon 10/19, 3pm*

9:00 MASTERPIECE: INDIAN SUMMERS — *Part 4 of 9.*

The viceroy gets a royal welcome. A crucial piece of evidence is missing. Afaf sends Alice on an urgent errand. Ian gets bad news. *Repeats Mon 10/19, 4pm*

10:00 THE WIDOWER — *Part 3 of 3.* As Malcolm continues to evade capture and plots to bigamously marry Simone, DS Henry is thwarted at every step of his investigation. Time is running out when he stumbles across a legal ruling that could ultimately lead to Malcolm's downfall. *Repeats Mon 10/19, 5pm*

11:00 AMERICA IN PRIMETIME — A series co-produced by WETA explores how television archetypes have remained staples of primetime, evolving through the generations. *Part 3 of 4. The Misfit.* This episode celebrates the unique characters who defied comic stereotypes and societal expectations to reflect America's diverse personalities. (60 min.)

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19 Monday

7:00 PBS NEWSHOUR

8:00 ANTIQUES ROADSHOW: SEATTLE, WA — *Episode 3 of 3. Repeats Tue 10/20, 1:30pm; Wed 10/21, 3pm*

9:00 ANTIQUES ROADSHOW: CHICAGO, IL — *Episode 1 of 3. Repeats Tue 10/20, 2:30pm; Wed 10/22, 4pm*

10:00 I'LL HAVE WHAT PHIL'S HAVING: HONG KONG — Phil Rosenthal visits kitchens around the world. *Part 4 of 6. Hong Kong.* Phil steps out of his comfort zone in the Pacific metropolis and gateway to Asia, sampling "hot pot" and a classic dish of century-old eggs and seeking medical aid in the form of unusual tea. *Repeats Tue 10/20, 5pm; Wed 10/21, 2pm; Thur 10/22, 1pm; Sun 10/25, 4:30pm*

11:00 CHARLIE ROSE — *Repeats next weekday, noon*

20 Tuesday

7:00 PBS NEWSHOUR

8:00 THE FORGOTTEN PLAGUE: AMERICAN EXPERIENCE

— Tuberculosis is the deadliest killer in human history, responsible for one in four deaths for almost two centuries. While it shaped medical pursuits, social habits, economic development and public policy, TB and its impact are poorly understood. *Repeats Wed 10/22, 5pm; Sat 10/24, midnight*

9:00 FRONTLINE: IMMIGRATION BATTLE — A *Frontline* special offers insight into the hard-fought battles and secret negotiations over immigration reform on Capitol Hill, examining President Obama's push for policy changes that could affect the fate of millions and define for decades what it means to be American.

11:00 CHARLIE ROSE — *Repeats next weekday, noon*

21 Wednesday

7:00 PBS NEWSHOUR

8:00 NATURE: PETS: WILD AT HEART — A two-part program delves into the secret world our pets inhabit, ruled by their intrinsic wild behavior and abilities. *Part 1 of 2. Playful Creatures.* The playful games of parakeets, marathon-running hamsters, wall-climbing cats, revered rabbits and Peruvian dogs are just a whisker away from the wild. Mini-cameras, moving x-rays and night vision cameras expose their secret lives. {DVI} *Repeats Thur 10/22, 4pm*

9:00 NOVA: SINKHOLES—BURIED ALIVE — A growing worldwide hazard that lurks wherever limestone and other water-soluble rocks underpin the soil, sinkholes can occur gradually when the surface subsides into depressions, or suddenly, when the ground gives way. *NOVA* travels the globe to investigate sinkholes. {DVI} *Repeats Thur 10/22, 5pm*



ROD CLARKE/JOHN DOWNER PRODUCTIONS

Wednesdays, October 21 & 28 at 8 p.m. on WETA TV 26/HD

The two-part program *Nature: Pets: Wild at Heart* spotlights the intrinsic wild behavior our pets display in play and other interaction.



PHOTOFEST, INC.

Tuesday, October 27 at 8 p.m. on WETA TV 26/HD

War of the Worlds: American Experience chronicles Orson Welles' October 1938 radio broadcast, a dramatization of H.G. Wells' story that led to mass hysteria based on fears of an alien invasion.

10:00 **THE BRAIN WITH DAVID EAGLEMAN** — *Episode 2 of 6. What Makes Me?* Neuroscientist Dr. Eagleman explores how our personality, memories and sense of self all emerge from neural activity. The process of becoming continues throughout our lives; we change our brains and our brains change us. **Repeats Thur 10/22, 3pm**

11:00 **CHARLIE ROSE** — **Repeats next weekday, noon**

22 Thursday

7:00 **PBS NEWSHOUR**

8:00 **MISS FISHER'S MURDER MYSTERIES, SERIES 3** — Essie Davis stars as detective Phryne Fisher, investigating crimes in 1920s Melbourne, Australia. *Episode 4 of 8. Blood and Money.* The same morning Phryne is approached by a young boy whose brother has gone missing. Dr. Mac calls her to advise that another boy has been found in a shallow grave near the hospital where she works. **Repeats Fri 10/23, 1pm**

9:00 **THE DOCTOR BLAKE MYSTERIES, SERIES 1** — Craig McLachlan stars as a general practitioner and sleuth in 1950s Australia. *Episode 4 of 10. Brotherly Love.* A delirious prisoner on death row tells Dr. Blake he is innocent of the police shooting for which he is soon to hang. Blake races to uncover the truth in time. **Repeats Fri 10/23, 2pm**

10:00 **DOC MARTIN, SERIES 1** — *Parts 2 & 3 of 6. Repeats Fri 10/23, 3pm & 4pm*

11:30 **CHARLIE ROSE** — **Repeats next weekday, noon**

23 Friday

7:00 **PBS NEWSHOUR**

8:00 **WASHINGTON WEEK WITH GWEN IFILL** — In WETA's long-running production, moderator and managing editor Gwen Ifill leads a discussion by a panel of top journalists on the news events of the week. **Repeats Sat 10/24, 6:30pm**

8:30 **SKY ISLAND** — In Northern New Mexico the volcanic Jemez mountain range rises up from the high desert, isolated from all other ranges — an island in the sky. In *Sky Island*, filmmaker John Grabowska profiles this enchanting landscape. The film features narration by Pulitzer Prize-winner N. Scott Momaday and actress Meryl Streep.

9:00 **GREAT PERFORMANCES: BILLY ELLIOT: THE MUSICAL LIVE** — Part of the PBS Arts Fall Festival, a special celebration performance of Elton John's Tony-winning musical from London's West End relates the story of a young boy in a Northeast England mining community and his journey from the boxing ring to the ballet barre, based on the popular 2000 film. **Repeats Sun 10/25, 1:30pm**

12M **CHARLIE ROSE: THE WEEK**

12:30AM **CHARLIE ROSE** — **Repeats next weekday, noon**

24 Saturday

ON WETA TV 26, 6AM-6PM. See weta.org/hd for WETA HD listings.

6AM-6PM See the Saturday, October 3 listings.

SIMULCAST ON WETA TV 26 & WETA HD, 6PM-1AM:

6:00 **PBS NEWSHOUR WEEKEND**

6:30 **WASHINGTON WEEK WITH GWEN IFILL** — R

7:00 **GLOBE TREKKER: TURKEY**

8:00 **MIDSOMER MURDERS, SERIES 10: PICTURE OF INNOCENCE** — A photographer is murdered shortly after exhibiting a compromising picture of Barnaby, who becomes a suspect in the ensuing investigation. Joyce concludes that someone is trying to frame him, and is stunned at what Barnaby reveals. With Barnaby sidelined, Jones is forced to work with the irritating Martin Spellman to solve the case.

9:33 **THE WETA MOVIE: THE WILD ONE** — In Laslo Benedek's landmark 1953 drama of rebellion, a motorcycle outlaw in a black leather jacket takes over a town with his gang. Marlon Brando stars alongside Mary Murphy, Robert Keith and Lee Marvin. [1:19] **Repeats Sun 10/25, noon**

11:00 **INDEPENDENT LENS: SOLAR MAMAS** — A film spotlights India's Barefoot College, which provides impoverished rural women with an education that empowers them to make their communities self-reliant and sustainable.

12M **FORGOTTEN PLAGUE: AMERICAN EXPERIENCE** — R

25 Sunday

ON WETA TV 26, 6AM-12N. See weta.org/hd for WETA HD.

6AM-12N See the Sunday, October 4 listings.

SIMULCAST ON WETA TV 26 & WETA HD, 12N-12M:

12N **THE WETA MOVIE: THE WILD ONE** — [1:19] R

1:30 **GREAT PERFORMANCES: BILLY ELLIOT: THE MUSICAL LIVE** — R

4:30 **I'LL HAVE WHAT PHIL'S HAVING: HONG KONG** — R

5:30 **SCI-TECH NOW**

6:00 **PBS NEWSHOUR WEEKEND**

6:30 **HONORED TO SERVE: ULTIMATE SACRIFICE** — Part of a WETA initiative exploring local stories surrounding America's Armed Forces, this WETA TV 26 program spotlights rituals at Arlington National Cemetery and visits memorials throughout the national capital area.

7:00 **THE GREAT BRITISH BAKING SHOW, SEASON 2** — *Part 8 of 10. Quarter Final.* The five remaining bakers are tested on unconventional flours and unusual desserts. They must make a loaf using flours such as spelt, rye, potato or tapioca flours, master meringue and custard *dacquoise* and create novelty vegetable cakes. **Repeats Mon 10/26, 2pm; Tue 10/27, 4pm; Wed 10/28, 1pm**

8:00 **MASTERPIECE: HOME FIRES** — *Part 4 of 6.* Frances plans an air raid shelter. Alison breaks the law; so does Miriam. Steph hides a secret that threatens the farm. Kate gets shattering news. **Repeats Mon 10/26, 3pm**

9:00 **MASTERPIECE: INDIAN SUMMERS** — *Part 5 of 9.* Ralph plays politics at his engagement bash. Eugene tells Cynthia a shocking secret. Adam and his mother make a surprise visit. **Repeats Mon 10/26, 4pm**

10:00 **THE GUILTY** — *Part 1 of 3.* A BBC crime drama follows DCI Maggie Brand (Tamsin Greig) as she leads a new investigation into the five-year-old case of a boy's disappearance during a neighborhood cookout. Driven



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Sundays in October at 7 p.m. on WETA TV 26/HD

The Great British Baking Show, an amateur competition, enters the quarterfinals of Season 2 on October 25 with remaining bakers.



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Mondays in October at 10 p.m. on WETA TV 26/HD

I'll Have What Phil's Having continues to follow Phil Rosenthal, creator of the popular sitcom *Everybody Loves Raymond*, as he visits kitchens and chefs around the world. Above: Phil in Barcelona.

by her obsession to discover what happened, she risks her own happy family life. **Repeats Mon 10/26, 5pm**

11:00 AMERICA IN PRIMETIME — A four-part series co-produced by WETA explores how television archetypes have remained staples of primetime, evolving through the generations. *Part 4 of 4. The Crusader*. The concluding episode delves into the grey area between right and wrong as television heroes confront internal demons while seeking their own forms of justice. (60 min.)

26 Monday

7:00 PBS NEWSHOUR

8:00 ANTIQUES ROADSHOW: TULSA, OK — *Episode 1 of 3. Repeats Tue 10/27, 1:30pm; Wed 10/28, 3pm*

9:00 ANTIQUES ROADSHOW: CHICAGO, IL — *Episode 2 of 3. Repeats Tue 10/27, 2:30pm; Wed 10/28, 4pm*

10:00 I'LL HAVE WHAT PHIL'S HAVING: BARCELONA — Phil Rosenthal visits kitchens around the world. *Part 5 of 6. Barcelona*. Phil enjoys a world-class breakfast of *foie gras* and eggs, a tapas crawl and a vermouth bar. He's also in for a lesson on all things *jamón*, Spain's most prized culinary export. **Repeats Tue 10/27, 5pm; Wed 10/28, 2pm; Thur 10/29, 1pm**

11:00 CHARLIE ROSE — **Repeats next weekday, noon**

27 Tuesday

7:00 PBS NEWSHOUR

8:00 WAR OF THE WORLDS: AMERICAN EXPERIENCE — On Sunday, October 30, 1938, millions of Americans gathered around their radios and heard a news bulletin about strange explosions on Mars, followed by other reports that led them to believe an alien invasion was in progress. Relive the thrill of Orson Welles' infamous radio dramatization of H.G. Wells' *War of the Worlds*, 75 years after it set off mass hysteria.

9:00 SECRETS OF THE DEAD: VAMPIRE LEGEND — Scientists uncover "deviant" burials dating back to medieval England, pointing to a belief that the dead could rise from their graves. Predating Eastern European legend, these discoveries require a re-examination of modern vampire lore. **Repeats Wed 10/28, 5pm**

10:00 FRONTLINE: INSIDE ASSAD'S SYRIA — *Frontline* correspondent Martin Smith reports from government-controlled areas of Syria while the war rages. With on-the-ground reporting and firsthand accounts from Syrians caught in the crisis, the film shines new light on the ongoing conflict.

11:00 CHARLIE ROSE — **Repeats next weekday, noon**

28 Wednesday

7:00 PBS NEWSHOUR

8:00 NATURE: PETS: WILD AT HEART — A two-part program delves into the secret world our pets inhabit, ruled by their intrinsic wild behavior and abilities. *Part 2 of 2. Secretive Creatures*. How do our pets get in touch with their wild side? Schlieren photography makes smells visible, while moving x-rays, ultraviolet light and doggycams reveal how our pets experience their world through hidden channels of communication. {DVI} **Repeats Thur 10/29, 4pm**

9:00 NOVA: ANIMAL MUMMIES — From baboons to bulls, crocodiles to cows, a vast menagerie of animal mummies lies buried in Egyptian catacombs. High-tech imaging reveals what's inside the bundles and the strange role that animals played in ancient Egyptian beliefs. {DVI} **Repeats Thur 10/29, 5pm**

10:00 THE BRAIN WITH DAVID EAGLEMAN — *Episode 3 of 6. Who Is in Control?* Neuroscientist Dr. Eagleman explores the unconscious brain and reveals that everything from our movements, to our decisions, to our behavior is largely orchestrated by an invisible world of unconscious neural activity. **Repeats Thur 10/29, 3pm**

11:00 CHARLIE ROSE — **Repeats next weekday, noon**

29 Thursday

7:00 PBS NEWSHOUR

8:00 MISS FISHER'S MURDER MYSTERIES, SERIES 3 —

Elsie Davis stars as detective Phryne Fisher, investigating crimes in 1920s Melbourne, Australia. *Episode 5 of 8. Death & Hysteria*. When Phryne's Aunt Prudence opens her home to a psychiatrist and natural healer to conduct his sanatorium for 'hysterical' women, Phryne takes on more than she bargained for. **Repeats Fri 10/30, 1pm**

9:00 THE DOCTOR BLAKE MYSTERIES — Craig McLachlan stars as a general practitioner and sleuth in 1950s Australia. *Episode 5 of 10. Hearts and Flowers*. Things get very ugly in Ballarat when the Begonia Festival's head judge is found incinerated in his own glasshouse; all eyes turn to two feuding contestants. **Repeats Fri 10/30, 2pm**

10:00 DOC MARTIN, SERIES 1 — *Parts 4 & 5 of 6. Repeats Fri 10/30, 3pm & 4pm*

11:30 CHARLIE ROSE — **Repeats next weekday, noon**

30 Friday

7:00 PBS NEWSHOUR

8:00 WASHINGTON WEEK WITH GWEN IFILL — In WETA's long-running production, moderator and managing editor Gwen Ifill leads a discussion by a panel of top journalists on the news events of the week. **Repeats Sat 10/31, 6:30pm**

8:30 PIONEERS OF TELEVISION: CAROL BURNETT & THE FUNNY LADIES — A program focuses on Carol Burnett's television comedy career and the funny ladies of television who joined her in paving the way for today's TV comedienne.

9:00 LIVE FROM LINCOLN CENTER: ELFMAN: TIM BURTON FILM MUSIC — Part of the PBS Arts Fall Festival, performances feature the macabre yet merry scores of music by Danny Elfman for films made in collaboration with Tim Burton (*Batman*, *Beetlejuice*, *The Nightmare Before Christmas*).

11:00 CHARLIE ROSE: THE WEEK

11:30 CHARLIE ROSE — **Repeats next weekday, noon**

31 Saturday

ON WETA TV 26, 6AM-6PM. See weta.org/hd for WETA HD listings. **6AM-6PM** See the **Saturday, October 3** listings.

SIMULCAST ON WETA TV 26 & WETA HD, 6PM-12:30AM:

6:00 PBS NEWSHOUR WEEKEND

6:30 WASHINGTON WEEK WITH GWEN IFILL — R

7:00 GLOBE TREKKER: UKRAINE

8:00 MIDSOMER MURDERS, SERIES 10: DEATH IN A CHOCOLATE BOX — Barnaby's former CID colleague Jack Colby left the force in disgrace following a sex scandal at the Causton police station. Now retrained as a probation officer, Jack is working at a halfway house for reformed criminals. When he is bludgeoned to death, Barnaby sets out to discover why the past would not leave him alone.

9:33 THE WETA MOVIE: MARRIED TO THE MOB — In Jonathan Demme's 1988 comic drama, an FBI agent gets close to a gangster's widow in order to nab a crime boss. Matthew Modine, Michelle Pfeiffer, Dean Stockwell and Alec Baldwin star. (1:43)

11:30 INDEPENDENT LENS: SOUL FOOD JUNKIES — Filmmaker Byron Hurt spotlights soul food, its relevance to black cultural identity, and its lasting health effects on African Americans, exploring the socioeconomics of the American diet. (60 min.)

26.3 Over the Air Via Antenna
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Providing a Safe Haven for Children

WETA Kids offers safe programming for our young viewers, presenting educational television broadcasts 24 hours each day, seven days a week. Below you can find weekday daytime listings for WETA Kids. Note that children's programming also airs six days a week on WETA TV 26. Please visit weta.org/kids to find complete schedules of children's programs on the WETA Kids channel and WETA TV 26.

MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY ON THE WETA KIDS CHANNEL

Peep/Pocoyo, 5am
Maya & Miguel, 5:30am
Mister Rogers' Neighborhood, 6am
Clifford The Big Red Dog, 6:30am
Caillou, 7am
Arthur, 7:30am
Odd Squad, 8am
Wild Kratts, 8:30am
Curious George, 9am, 9:30am
Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood, 10am, 10:30am
Sesame Street, 11am
Dinosaur Train, noon, 12:30pm
Peg + Cat, 1pm, 1:30pm
Super WHY!, 2pm
Thomas & Friends, 2:30pm
Sesame Street, 3pm
The Cat in the Hat Knows a Lot About That!, 3:30pm
Word World, 4pm
Martha Speaks, 4:30pm
Word Girl, 5pm
Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood, 5:30pm
Curious George, 6pm
The Cat in the Hat Knows a Lot About That!, 6:30pm
Arthur, 7pm
Wild Kratts, 7:30pm
Zula Patrol, 8pm
Odd Squad, 8:30pm
Biz Kid\$, 9pm
Cyberchase, 9:30pm
Sci Girls, 10pm
Maya & Miguel, 10:30pm



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Odd Squad

**weekdays at 8 a.m. on the WETA Kids channel
and weekdays at 7 a.m. on WETA TV 26**

The live-action program *Odd Squad* is designed to help children ages 5–8 learn math. The show focuses on two young agents, Olive and Otto, who are part of the Odd Squad, an agency whose mission is to save the day whenever something unusual happens in their town. A math concept is embedded in each of their cases, and Olive and Otto work together to problem-solve and correct the oddity *du jour* in each episode. Since premiering a year ago, *Odd Squad* has garnered numerous accolades, including a 2015 Parents' Choice Award and two Daytime Emmy Awards. This month, the series presents an hour-long special: *Odd Squad: Against the Odds* airs October 5, 7 and 9 at 8 a.m. on the WETA Kids channel (7 a.m. on WETA TV 26), repeating Saturday afternoon October 10 on WETA Kids. Above: Millie Davis portrays Mrs. O, the Odd Squad agency chief; and Sean Michael Kyer is Agent Oscar.

Odd Squad is funded in part by the U.S. Department of Education through the Ready To Learn Initiative, a program that supports the development of innovative educational television and digital media targeted to preschool and early elementary school children and their families, and by the Corporation for Public Broadcasting (CPB).



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Dinosaur Train airs weekdays at noon and 12:30 p.m. on the WETA Kids channel and 11 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. on WETA TV 26.

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WEEKDAYS ON WETA TV 26

Sesame Street, 5am
Caillou, 6am
Arthur, 6:30am
Odd Squad, 7am
Wild Kratts, 7:30am
Curious George, 8am, 8:30am
Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood, 9am, 9:30am
Sesame Street, 10am
Dinosaur Train, 11am, 11:30am

SUNDAYS ON WETA TV 26

Super WHY!, 6am
Thomas & Friends, 6:30am
Martha Speaks, 7am
The Cat in the Hat Knows a Lot About That!, 7:30am
Word Girl, 8am
Peg + Cat, 8:30am

Are Your Ducks in a Row?

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British Television at Its Best

The WETA UK channel is devoted to presenting the best in British television programming, broadcasting beloved classics and contemporary series around the clock, seven days a week. WETA UK offers a full schedule of great entertainment programming — featuring drama, mystery, comedy and documentary series — all delivered with an accent from the Isles. Visit wetauk.org for a complete schedule and program descriptions.

P.M. PROGRAMMING ON WETA UK IN OCTOBER

| | SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
|---------|---|--|---|--|--|---|--|
| 12pm | The Forsyte Saga | Are You Being Served? | Are You Being Served? | Are You Being Served? | Are You Being Served? | Are You Being Served? | (from 11:30) Globe Trekker |
| 12:30pm | | As Time Goes By | As Time Goes By | As Time Goes By | As Time Goes By | As Time Goes By | |
| 1pm | • Masterpiece: Grantham • Red Cap, Series I (starts 10/25) | New Tricks | New Tricks | New Tricks | New Tricks | New Tricks | Masterpiece: Downton Abbey II (2 hrs on 10/17 & 10/24) (Series III starts 10/31) |
| 1:30pm | | | | | | | |
| 2pm | Dalziel & Pascoe VIII (Series IX starts 10/11) | MI-5 | MI-5 | MI-5 | MI-5 | MI-5 | Agatha Christie's Poirot (10/3 & 10/10) |
| 2:30pm | | | | | | | |
| 3pm | | Waking the Dead | Waking the Dead | Waking the Dead | Waking the Dead | Waking the Dead | |
| 3:30pm | | | | | | | |
| 4pm | • BBC Antiques Roadshow (10/4) • Foyle's War II/III | Globe Trekker | Midsomer Murders X (starts at 3:57pm) | BBC Antiques Roadshow | BBC Antiques Roadshow | Father Brown II | Miss Fisher's Murder Mysteries III |
| 4:30pm | | | | Doc Martin VI (Series I starts 10/21, 5:15pm) | • Masterpiece: Inspector Lewis VII • Masterpiece: Endeavour (10/29) | | |
| 5pm | Agatha Christie's Poirot III | The Great British Baking Show I | | | | Rosemary & Thyme II (Series III starts 10/16) | Pie in the Sky V (Series I starts 10/17) |
| 5:30pm | | BBC Antiques Roadshow | | | | | |
| 6pm | Masterpiece: Downton Abbey II (2 hrs on 10/18 & 10/25) | The Great British Baking Show II | Pie in the Sky V (Series I starts 10/13) | The Doctor Blake Mysteries, Series I | Inspector Morse V/VI | Sherlock Holmes | Are You Being Served? |
| 6:30pm | | | | | | | |
| 7pm | Father Brown II (except 10/18 & 10/25) | Are You Being Served? | Are You Being Served? | Are You Being Served? | Are You Being Served? | Are You Being Served? | As Time Goes By (starts 5:55pm) |
| 7:30pm | | As Time Goes By | As Time Goes By | As Time Goes By | As Time Goes By | As Time Goes By | |
| 8pm | The Great British Baking Show I | Pie in the Sky V (Series I starts 10/12) | The Doctor Blake Mysteries, Series I | Inspector Morse V/VI | Father Brown II | Miss Fisher's Murder Mysteries III | • Masterpiece: Grantchester • Red Cap, Series I (starts 10/24) |
| 8:30pm | | | | | | | |
| 9pm | The Great British Baking Show II | Midsomer Murders X (starts at 8:57pm) | Doc Martin VI (Series I starts 10/20, 9:45pm) | • Masterpiece: Inspector Lewis VII • Masterpiece: Endeavour (10/28) | Rosemary & Thyme II (Series III starts 10/15) | • Scott & Bailey IV (10/2) • Foyle's War II/III | The Forsyte Saga |
| 9:30pm | | | | | | | |
| 10pm | Globe Trekker | Father Brown II | Mr. & Mrs. Murder I | The Doctor Blake Mysteries, Series I | Miss Fisher's Murder Mysteries (Series III starts 10/8) | At 10pm: • Masterpiece: Downton Abbey II (2 hrs on 10/16 & 10/23) (Series III starts 10/30) | Dalziel & Pascoe VIII (Season IX starts 10/10) |
| 10:30pm | | | | | | | |
| 11pm | Doctor Who Pertwee Movies | BBC Antiques Roadshow | Hustle VII/VIII | BBC Antiques Roadshow | Pie in the Sky V (Series I starts 10/15) | At 11pm: • Secrets of Her Majesty's Secret Service (10/2) • Secrets of the Tower of London (10/9) | |
| 11:30pm | | | | | | | |
| | SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |

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WETA UK Highlights

Pie in the Sky, Series I

airs Mondays at 8 p.m. on WETA UK, beginning October 12



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WETA UK reprises the popular drama series *Pie in the Sky*, restarting the five-season production from its first episode on October 12 at 8 p.m. Tales of crime and culinary pursuits are interwoven in the light-hearted 1994 BBC series, which spotlights a talented detective who dreams of scrapping it all and becoming a restaurateur. As the series opens, Henry Crabbe — portrayed by the late Richard Griffiths (of *Harry Potter*) — has reached the end of his tether as a police sleuth after toiling for years as a plainclothes officer. He is about to take early retirement if only his reluctant boss will let him go. With a passion for food and a talent for cooking, Henry is ready to fulfill a personal dream to buy his own restaurant, "Pie in the Sky." On the eve of his retirement, however, the detective is duped and his boss sets new conditions for his departure: Crabbe is free to indulge in his restaurant but is always on call when cases need solving. The five seasons of the drama feature 40 episodes.

Red Cap, Series I

airs Saturdays at 8 p.m. on WETA UK, beginning October 24



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The 2003 BBC series *Red Cap* stars popular former *EastEnders* star Tamzin Outhwaite as Sergeant Jo McDonagh, a bright new recruit to a Germany-based unit of the British Army's Special Investigation Branch (SIB), the elite plainclothes detective unit of the Royal Military Police. The unit probes serious crimes connected to members of the British Army, and McDonagh must prove her detective skills and navigate in a male-dominated institution as she tackles difficult cases. McDonagh and the SIB team investigate the murky underworlds of drug and gun-related crime, murder and human trafficking, espionage and political cover-up, and terrorism. Subplots running alongside the police work follow tensions and power struggles within the ranks of investigators. The two series of the drama, of six episodes each, were created by Patrick Harbinson, whose credits include *Sharpe*, *Hornblower* and *ER*.

Agatha Christie's Poirot

airs Sundays at 5 p.m. on WETA UK



WETA UK presents episodes of the classic detective series starring David Suchet, who just last year wrapped up the final adaptations of crime novelist Agatha Christie's *Poirot* cases after 25 years in the signature role, through 12 series and 70 productions. Suchet's renowned depiction of the famed detective is considered the most true to the descriptions of the character in Christie's works. The productions follow the persnickety sleuth as he famously relies on his "little grey cells," help from his longtime friends Captain Hastings (Hugh Fraser) and Miss Lemon (Pauline Moran), and a rivalry with Inspector Japp (Philip Jackson) to solve the most intricate mysteries of the Art Deco era. WETA UK presents episodes from Series 3 in October.



Also on WETA UK in October: New episodes of Australian drama *Miss Fisher's Murder Mysteries*, starring Essie Davis, air Fridays at 8 p.m. beginning October 1 and repeating Thursdays at 10 p.m. as Season III of the popular program begins. Also, WETA UK reprises Series I of *The Doctor Blake Mysteries*, Tuesdays at 8 p.m. WETA UK's presentation of *Masterpiece: Downton Abbey* continues, moving through Season II and into Season III on Fridays at 10 p.m., repeating Sundays at 6 p.m.

ACORN MEDIA

Classical WETA 90.9 FM

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Season-Opening Concert Highlights on NSO Showcase

Wednesday, October 7 at 11 a.m.

By Nicole Lacroix, Evening Host

The 2015-16 National Symphony Orchestra Season opens with a dazzling concert of contemporary and classical favorites, and you can enjoy the highlights in a very special NSO Showcase broadcast on Classical WETA 90.9 FM, Wednesday, October 7 at 11 a.m. Christoph Eschenbach conducts the NSO in festive music including Prokofiev's sparkling *Classical Symphony* and Smetana's Overture and Three Dances from *The Bartered Bride*. Austrian percussion sensation Martin Grubinger will make an appearance with the NSO and Maestro Eschenbach, and Broadway star Sutton Foster will be featured in Gershwin's *I Got Rhythm*, conducted by NSO Principal Pops Conductor Steven Reineke. Make sure to tune in to Classical WETA for selections from this exciting event. This broadcast will be the prelude to our 8th season of NSO Showcase programs, airing the first Wednesday of each month at 9 p.m., beginning November 4. Here's to another stellar season with the National Symphony Orchestra on Classical WETA!



Martin Grubinger

FELIX BROEDER

Path of Miracles on Choral Showcase

Sunday, October 25 at 9 p.m.

By David Ginder, Morning On-Air Host

Classical WETA 90.9 FM Sunday-night broadcast *Choral Showcase* invites you to northern Spain to experience the pilgrimage to the Cathedral of Santiago de Compostela. The famous journey (highlighted in Emilio Estevez's 2010 film *The Way*, starring his father, Martin Sheen) has been a tradition for almost 1000 years and, depending on the starting point, can cover a thousand miles. It's known as the "Way of Saint James," because the Cathedral (below) is the believed burial location of Saint James the Great, one of Jesus's apostles.

Our vivid experience comes on the October 25, 9 p.m. broadcast from *Path of Miracles*, a 2005 piece for a cappella choir by British composer Joby Talbot. His

diverse musical languages are known in the concert hall and opera house, as well as in film and television. *Path of Miracles* was commissioned by Princeton University with the idea that it would be performed at

various churches along the pilgrims' route.

The text by Robert Dickinson uses Biblical passages and medieval sources. Much of the piece is sung in English, making it easy to trace the journey without translation. Further, thanks to Talbot's expressive music, the details of the experience are unwaveringly precise. You'll be impressed, for example, by the opening two-and-a-half minutes, which represent the gathering of pilgrims at Roncesvalles. Recognizing that the assembling occurs gradually over many days and that pilgrims come from all over the world, the piece begins with a resonant low note, which very gradually rises in pitch and grows in volume and intensity at the same time. Finally, beyond what seems like it must be the bursting point, the chorus does indeed burst; they sing a prayer to Santiago — in Greek, Latin, Spanish, Basque, French, and German.

Ostinato is effectively used — an ostinato of a motive, in many cases — where, for example, "Santiago" is sung over and over by high voices, while low voices relate the fate of Saint James, traveling and teaching, eventually to be beheaded in Jerusalem. The work's movement "Burgos" is weighted with the physical difficulties of the pilgrimage; and dream-like "León" sings "...Sleep on the earth and dream of the road..." — as you can imagine, and as you will experience.

Choral Showcase airs each Sunday at 9 p.m.; for more about the program, visit classicalweta.org.



DAN COTFAS

Local Recitals on *Front Row Washington*

Mondays at 9 p.m.

By Deborah Lamberton, Senior Producer

Classical WETA 90.9 FM local concert broadcast *Front Row Washington*, airing each Monday at 9 p.m., acknowledges the start of the 2015–16 concert season with recitals from four different venues around Greater Washington.

October 5: Musicians From Marlboro return to the Freer Gallery of Art with a varied program that includes Beethoven's "Ghost" piano trio, Schubert's "Notturno," works for piano four-hands by the contemporary Hungarian composer György Kurtág, and some charming duets for soprano and mezzo-soprano by Johannes Brahms and Antonín Dvořák. The latter's *Moravian Duets* were instrumental in establishing Dvořák's international career, thanks to promotion by the works' dedicatee Marie Neff who, unbeknownst to Dvořák, sent copies of the duets to Brahms and other musicians in Germany and Austria.

October 12: Having premiered more than 80 works and collaborated with more than 100 living composers, the Momenta Quartet cements its ideal of being a 21st-century string quartet with the release of their debut album on Albany Records this month featuring a world premiere recording. Equally adept at performing both contemporary works and standard repertoire, the quartet's January 2015 recital for Candlelight Concert Society in Columbia, Maryland, features two "No. 1" quartets: Johannes Brahms' *String Quartet in C minor, Op. 51 No. 1* and Leoš Janáček's popular *String Quartet No. 1 "Kreutzer Sonata."* Representing the contemporary are "Dos Bosquejos" or "Two Sketches" by Mexican composer Julián Carrillo.

October 19: What's not to love about a bunch of professional musicians performing music they love for free? That about sums up The National Chamber Players' concerts at Episcopal High School in Alexandria, Virginia. Founded by National Symphony Orchestra cellist James Lee, the

ensemble has been in residence at EHS since 2004, offering four free concerts each year. It's a chance for orchestral musicians to indulge their love for chamber music, as you'll hear in a performance of Schubert's *Octet in F Major* for strings and winds. Recorded by Classical WETA last May, the work features Baltimore Symphony Orchestra concertmaster Jonathan Carney, Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra's principal bassoonist Nancy Goeres and principal clarinetist Michael Rusinek, and the NSO's new principal horn, Abel Pereira, along with NSO principal violist Daniel Foster.

October 26: Steven Honigberg is another NSO cellist whose passion for chamber music has him performing at venues throughout the Washington area, including many appearances at Dumbarton Concerts in Georgetown. We present highlights of his "Ode to the Cello" program from last January, when he was joined by pianist Audrey Andrist for Debussy's *Sonata for Cello and Piano in D minor*, and by the Volta Chamber Ensemble for Schubert's *String Quintet in C Major, D. 956*. Schubert completed his only string quintet just two months prior to his death at age 31. The quintet premiered in 1850 and is now considered one of the greatest works in all chamber music.



SCOTT SUGARMAN
Steven Honigberg



Momenta Quartet

Classical WETA Opera House

**Saturday afternoons on
Classical WETA 90.9 FM**

| | |
|---------|---|
| Oct. 3 | Tchaikovsky's <i>Iołanta</i> * (1 p.m.) |
| | Stravinsky's <i>Perséphone</i> * |
| Oct. 10 | Rossini's <i>William Tell</i> * (1 p.m.) |
| Oct. 17 | Listener's Choice Opera (1 p.m.) |
| | Vote for a favorite opera at classicalweta.org , Sept. 26–Oct. 3. <i>Classical WETA Opera House</i> will count down the top 10 operas by playing arias or excerpts from the works, wrapping up with a complete performance of the No. 1 opera on October 17. |
| Oct. 24 | Verdi's <i>Il Trovatore</i> * (1 p.m.) |
| Oct. 31 | Mozart's <i>Così fan tutte</i> * (1 p.m.) |

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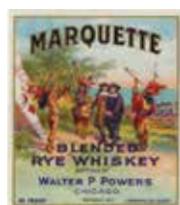
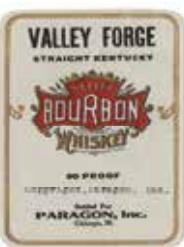
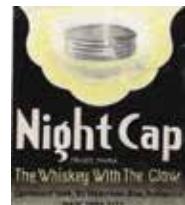
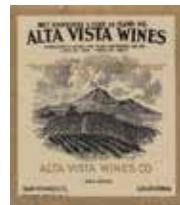
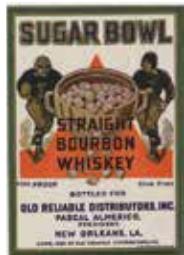
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