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## COMMUNITY

### Meet Monica Nassif Haddad

2024 campaign chair  
for the United Way  
of Mon and Preston

**BY JIM BISSETT**

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Here are some entries from the “Making a difference (even if you don’t always know it)” file, courtesy of Monica Nassif Haddad.



**Monica Nassif Haddad**

Such as the guy in the next lane the other day who absently glanced over a second before the light changed.

How about the smiling grandmother you handed your shopping cart off to today?

Don’t forget the parents of the kid who likes to hang with your kid after school.

It’s not that big of a leap, Haddad muses, to think at that some point, at least one of the above was likely helped by the United Way of Monongalia and Preston Counties.

Maybe by a donation you made.

Say you’re behind on the water or electric bill because of cut-backs with your job.

Or, there’s an unforeseen medical calamity that has wrecked both your health and your household budget.

Help is what the local United Way does, across its two-county region.

A total of 27 human service agencies and 19 outreach programs — all doing just that.

Which is how Haddad is going to be spending a lot of time over the weeks and months, as she

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## MEDICINE

# FDA approves RSV prevention drug following research by WVU experts

**BY KAITLYN EICHELBERGER**  
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Last year, a season of increased Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV) cases in infants concerned medical experts across the country.

Following research by West

Virginia University doctors, nurses and pharmacists, Beyfortus, a new drug preventing severe RSV in vulnerable babies, has received approval from the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA).

RSV is a virus affecting all age groups, but more commonly

causes serious infection in at-risk infants — this includes infants younger than 6 months, premature infants, children with weakened immune systems or chronic lung or heart issues and children with neuromuscular disorders.

Infection commonly includes

mild, cold-like symptoms. However, in vulnerable groups, this can progress into pneumonia or bronchitis resulting in hospitalization. According to the Center for Disease Control and Prevention, RSV annually leads to

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## Back to School Bash



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Amanda Bolyard, Pantry Plus More board member and Back to School Bash committee chair (from left); County Commissioner and Pantry Plus More Executive Director Tom Bloom; Elder Foleti, Elder Bowcut, Elder Bradshaw and Elder Evans show off some of the items being readied to give away during PPM’s upcoming Back to School Bash. The elders are missionaries from The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints.

### Annual Pantry Plus More event Saturday at Mon County Center

**BY BEN CONLEY**

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If you were to shimmy through Pantry Plus More’s Westover warehouse in the weeks before its annual Back to School Bash, you’d likely think the whole chaotic undertaking was headed for disaster.

Pallets and piles, boxes and bags — wall-to-wall, ceiling-to-floor with no apparent rhyme or reason. An ever-changing rotation of volunteers maneuvering through the cramped space, arranging and rearranging.

In the eye of that storm for the last five years has been event chairperson Amanda Bolyard.

This, she can do.

And she can tell you exactly why.

“I started my college career in WVU’s education program and I did some field work in school systems. I saw students who were not prepared for school. Because of that, they were not excited to be there. They didn’t want to learn. They were apprehensive to even talk because they were embarrassed,” she said. “It affected me so much that I left the program. It hurt and I was too sensitive for it, admittedly.”

If you can remove that stigma and let kids focus on learning instead of what they don’t have, you can take one small step in breaking the cycle of poverty.

That, she said, has been the driving force



Mark Sanders packs items in a freezer at Pantry Plus More’s warehouse.

behind the Back to School Bash since 2018, when the first Bash was held at North Elementary School.

The 2023 event kicks off at 10 a.m. Saturday at the Mon County Center, 270 Mylan Park Lane.

It’s first-come, first-served, and while supplies last all Monongalia County Students Pre-K through 12th grade are welcome to peruse the mountains of backpacks, books, school supplies, hygiene products, socks, underwear and other

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## GOVERNMENT

### Interim meetings start today in Charleston

Legislators to discuss  
roads, health,  
education and more

**BY DAVID BEARD**

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Legislators return to Charleston today for the August interim meetings, which run through Tuesday. Here is a look at some of the highlights — which could change it Gov. Jim Justice calls a special session, which hadn’t occurred as of deadline Saturday.

The Legislative Oversight Commission on Education Accountability — usually just called LOCEA — meets at 1 p.m. today. The agenda includes an update on deferred higher education maintenance by Chancellor Sarah Tucker, and for the public schools, reports on performance evaluation of professional personnel and athletic coaches, and on the condition of the public school system and issues facing each geographic quadrant.

We recently ran two stories on the Public Service Commission’s statewide fire hydrant safety survey, and at 9 a.m. Monday, the PSC will give a presentation on the current state of hydrants, infrastructure concerns and potential regulation to the Technology and Infrastructure Committee.

At 10 a.m., the Legislative Oversight Commission on Health and Human Resources Accountability — LOCHHRA — will meet the new secretaries of the reorganized Department of Health and Human Resources: Sherri Young, DHHR interim secretary and incoming secretary of the Department of Health; Cynthia Persily, incoming secretary, Department of Human Services; and Michael Caruso, incoming secretary, Department of Health Facilities.

West Virginia saw a sea change in its pharmaceutical industry employment when Viatris left the former Mylan plant and then, in April, South Korean insulin manufacturer UNDBIO announced an initial investment of \$100 million in a Morgantown facility. In that light, the Economic Development and Tourism Committee meets at 2 p.m. Monday and will hear from a pharma/biotech consultant on

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“incentivizing pharmaceutical production in West Virginia.”

Tuesday has the longest list of meetings.

Agriculture meetings typically don’t draw much attention, but at 9 a.m. Tuesday, Agriculture and Rural Development will hear a presentation on economic development through agriculture from Jeffrey Sokal, CEO of Mountaintop Beverage, and Dickinson Gould, president of Mountain State Ground Beef.

At 10 a.m., the Health Committee will hear a series of presentations, including on proposed new

state labs, reducing reliance on residential treatment facilities for children, and on insurance coverage for first responder duty-related PTSD.

At the same hour, the Energy and Manufacturing Committee will hear presentations on industry, markets and governmental trends in the areas of coal and gas and oil.

At 2 p.m., the Insurance and PEIA Committee gets a PEIA update.

And at 3 p.m., the Joint Legislative Oversight Commission on Department of Transportation Accountability (no handy acronym for this one) gets a roads maintenance update.

DRUG

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around 70,000 hospitalizations and 100-300 deaths in children younger than 5 years.

“RSV can cause very severe disease in children, especially the youngest among us. I have seen RSV cause kids to get really sick, making it very challenging for them [to] breathe to the point they need oxygen or additional breathing support. Protecting children from RSV, particularly children at higher risk — like preterm infants — is important to help them stay out of the hospital and reduce their chances of getting really sick,” said Dr. Lisa Costello, an assistant professor with the WVU School of Medicine Department of Pediatrics Division of Pediatric General Medicine.

Beyfortus is not a vaccine, but a monoclonal antibody injection, delivering antibodies through passive immunization rather than pushing the immune system to develop its own resistance. This was proven to reduce the risk of hospitalization in all infants, including healthy children and those with pre-existing health conditions, during clinical

trials of the drug.

Three pivotal Phase 3 clinical trials were conducted by WVU School of Medicine professor of pediatrics and WVU Medicine Children’s Hospital NICU attending neonatologist Dr. Mark J. Polak and a team of WVU Pediatric Research Unit physicians, nurse practitioners, nurses and pharmacists.

“RSV is a sneaky virus and attempts at making a vaccine against it in the past have not been successful. However, in the last several years there have been great leaps in understanding the RSV virus and gaining knowledge of where its weak points are that can be successfully attacked by a vaccine,” said Polak.

This success is not only attributed to the lengthy research accomplished by WVU experts, but also local families whose infants participated in clinical trials and provided vital information on the drug’s efficacy and safety.

Medical professionals across the country are anticipating another severe RSV season this fall and winter. In anticipation of this, pharmaceutical company AstraZeneca intends to make Beyfortus available to the public before the 2023-24 RSV season.

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FUNDING

WVU Industrial Extension awarded \$400,000 federal grant

Will help strengthen supply chain of state manufacturers

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A federal grant has been awarded to the WVU Industrial Extension (WVUIE) to help small- and medium-sized West Virginia manufacturers build their supply chain initiatives.

The funding will provide services to expand existing MEP capabilities to provide National Supply Chain Optimization and to establish a supply chain Intelligence Network, improving the resiliency and optimization for domestic supply chains in the MEP

National Network in West Virginia.

The funding comes from the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST), an agency of the U.S. Department of Commerce whose mission is “to promote U.S. innovation and industrial competitiveness by advancing measurement science, standards, and technology in ways that enhance economic security and improve our quality of life.”

The WVU Industrial Extension will develop a

supply chain readiness assessment to be discussed and documented with small- and medium-sized manufacturers using an industry focused approach so that an ecosystem map can be generated identifying original equipment manufacturers and secondary and tertiary supply chain pathways, gaps, and opportunities. Activities will include educational and outreach events, the conduct of research and the development of supply chain service offerings.

“Having funding that is dedicated to supporting small manufacturers expand their business in a way that strengthens the U.S. manufacturing supply chain is a responsibility we don’t take lightly,” said Staci Miller, director of the WVU Industrial Extension. “It

can be extremely difficult for small operations to pivot in ways that can drastically change their business and the Industrial Extension is committed to doing our part to build West Virginia’s economy.”

To learn more about WVU Industrial Extension visit: wvmep.com.

The WVU Industrial Extension is West Virginia’s official representative of the NIST/MEP National Network, a public-private partnership that delivers comprehensive, proven solutions to U.S. manufacturers, fueling growth and advancing U.S. manufacturing. This arrangement provides the WVU Industrial Extension the opportunity to support the manufacturing community from a national, state and local level.

EARNINGS

United Bankshares beats estimates for second quarter, first half of 2023

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United Bankshares Inc. reported earnings for the second quarter of 2023 of \$92.5 million, or 68 cents per share, as compared to earnings of \$98.3 million, or 73 cents per share, for the first quarter of 2023. Earnings for the second quarter of 2022 were \$95.6 million, or 71 cents per share.

Earnings for the first six months of 2023 were \$190.8 million, or \$1.41 per share, as compared to earnings of \$177.3 million, or \$1.30 per share, for the first six months of 2022.

“UBSI’s performance remained strong in the second quarter,” said Richard M. Adams Jr., United’s chief executive officer. “Our profitability, asset quality and balance sheet strength continue to allow us to take care of our customers, invest in our communities and build new relationships across our footprint.”

Second quarter of 2023 results produced annualized returns on average assets, average equity and average tangible equity of 1.26%, 7.96 % and 13.47%, respectively, compared to annualized returns on average assets, average equity and average tangible equity of 1.35%, 8.72% and 14.97%, respectively, for the first quarter of

2023. Annualized returns on average assets, average equity and average tangible equity were 1.32%, 8.33% and 14.23%, respectively, for the second quarter of 2022.

United’s loan quality continues to be sound. At June 30, non-performing loans were \$41.6 million, or 0.20% of loans & leases, net of unearned income. Total non-performing assets were \$45.3 million.

United continues to be well-capitalized based upon regulatory guidelines. United’s estimated risk-based capital ratio is 15.1% at June 30, while estimated Common Equity Tier 1 capital, Tier 1 capital and leverage ratios are 12.8%, 12.8% and 11.0%, respectively.

As of June 30, United had consolidated assets of approximately \$29.7 billion. United is the parent company of United Bank, which comprises nearly 250 offices in Virginia, Maryland, Washington, D.C., North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Pennsylvania, West Virginia and Ohio. United’s stock is traded on the NASDAQ Global Select Market under the quotation symbol “UBSI.”

United has over 2,000 shareholders in the Greater Morgantown area.

MONICA

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asks you to do the same.

Haddad, a longtime United Way volunteer who has also held a seat on its board of directors, is chairing the 2024 campaign for the local organization.

You can add that watchword to its mission, too, she said.

“Local,” that is.

“That’s the thing that really impressed me when I started getting involved with United Way,” she said.

“Every dollar you donate stays in Mon and Preston,” she said. “All 100%.”

Of course, that makes it even easier to donate, she said.

“It’s not like part of your money is going off to the home office or some faceless corporation,” she said. “You know them.”

Citizen of the world — and West Virginia

When she arrived in the Mountain State in 1984 to take her first steps on the WVU campus as a freshman political science major, she admitted she knew very little about the Mountain State.

Even if West Virginia had been in her heart the whole time.

As a little girl, she lived in Germany with her family.

Her father was a dentist with the U.S. Air Force. He met her mother, a native of Germany, in Paris — and yes, their daughter said, that was as glamorous as it sounds.

Haddad was in middle school when the family came to back to the U.S. and Alexandria, Va.

WVU was a natural, she said.

In the Nassif family, the sense of place here ran deeper than a coal seam.

The pulse of love for their home among the hills was as persistent as the current of the Monongahela River.

Her paternal grandfather was a little boy when he and his family crossed the Atlantic to these shores from their native Lebanon.

Appalachia and the mid-Atlantic suited the sojourners from the Middle East just fine.

They eventually settled in the Preston County river

town of Rowlesburg, where Nassifs still reside and her father has a summer home.

“Other people go for summer homes at the beach and my dad goes for Rowlesburg,” Haddad said.

“How’s that for ‘West Virginia’ thing?” she asked, chuckling.

It was also a West Virginia thing for her, she said.

She stayed, graduated and went on to the WVU College of Law.

Haddad, who began her career as an attorney, is now a mediator in private practice. She was also president of the state bar at the height of the pandemic three years ago.

It takes a village (to raise money)

There’s also a United Way thing, she said, which falls right in with that West Virginia thing.

That simple act, she said, of helping. Of reaching out.

“United Way does so much in Mon and Preston,” she said.

This year’s campaign goal for the United Way of Monongalia and Preston County is \$1.3 million.

The fundraising takes its first steps Aug. 25 with the organization’s Community Leaders Breakfast, featuring keynote remarks from Amy Jo Hutchison.

Hutchison, a native West Virginian, founded the Rattle the Windows movement, a grassroots group that advocates for the working poor in Appalachia and elsewhere.

By donating to United Way, you’re doing the same, Haddad said.

For her, “community” isn’t just geography. It’s the joy of place and the well-being that comes from doing right, for and by your neighbors.

“Your generous contributions of time and money allow the United Way of Monongalia and Preston Counties to connect our community,” she said.

“We are social workers, educators, emergency responders, medical providers, legal advocates and others who endeavor each day to help those who are less fortunate,” the campaign chair continued.

“We make the difference.”

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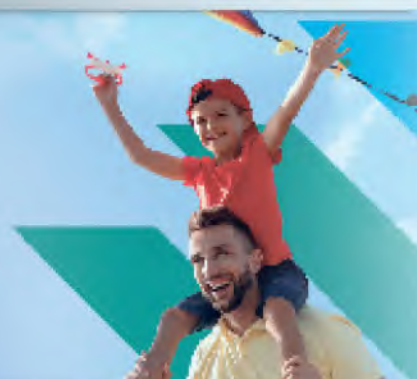
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SHARING THE FAIR: A LOOK BACK AT LAST WEEK’S MON COUNTY FAIR



Clockwise from top: The fair seemed to go by just as fast as these swings, photo by Ron Rittenhouse. Team Zoom Canine Entertainment performed a show Wednesday evening, photo by Benjamin Powell. The community enjoyed attractions, food, games and live entertainment during the weeklong festivities, photo by Benjamin Powell. Judge Adam Hayes looks over Madison Hall's calf during cattle judging, photo by Ron Rittenhouse. Hannah Titus (left) and Lainey Jackson (right) sell lemonade to help keep fairgoers hydrated, photo by Benjamin Powell. Lucas and Logan Plyler brave the balance beam over the hay bales, photo by Ron Rittenhouse.

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OBITUARIES

**Shirley Kropog**  
Shirley J. Kropog, age 86, a native of Morgantown and Fairmont, passed away Wednesday, July 26, of natural causes. Shirley was the wife of Robert Kropog, mother of Susan Gosselin, and grandmother of Ben and Jon Gosselin. McCulla Funeral Home was in charge of private graveside services that took place at Mt. Carmel Cemetery in Fairmont.

**Mattie Shinkovich**  
Mattie Shinkovich ascended to her heavenly home on December 31, 2022, while surrounded by her loved ones. Mattie’s family would like to invite all friends and loved ones to a Memorial of her Life on Saturday, August 12, from 10 a.m.-noon at the Westover VFD.

DEATH NOTICE

**William “Bill” Edward Mankins**, 60, of Reedsville, entered eternal rest, at Mon Health Medical Center in Morgantown, on Thursday, August 3, 2023. Graveside services will be held at the West Virginia National Cemetery, in Grafton at 2 p.m. on Wednesday, August 9, with full military honors.

NEWS BRIEFS

**Black bear shot and killed by Montana man**  
BILLINGS, Mont. — A Montana man shot and killed a black bear he encountered in his living room after waking up to the sound of a barking dog in the middle of the night. The confrontation with the large bruin happened in the rural community of Luther in the foothills of the Beartooth Mountains. Seeley Oblander says her fiancé went to investigate their dog barking in the living room about 3 a.m. Thursday and encountered the bear. He got a handgun and shot it several times. A state wildlife officials says the shooting was justified in self-defense.

**Actor Mark Margolis dies at 83**  
NEW YORK — Actor Mark Margolis, who indelibly played murderous former drug kingpin Hector Salamanca in “Breaking Bad” and its prequel “Better Call Saul,” has died at 83 following a short illness, his son announced. Margolis was nominated for an Emmy in 2012 for “Breaking Bad” as Hector, the elderly don who was unable to speak due to a stroke and communicated via facial

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**Nancy Roder**  
Nancy Jo Roder, 78, of the Cheat Lake community, passed peacefully at her home surrounded by family on Wednesday, August 2, 2023. A memorial service is being planned and will be announced in her completed obituary at a later date. Visit [www.fredjenkinsfuneralhome.com](http://www.fredjenkinsfuneralhome.com) to offer condolences and messages for the family.

**Edward DeCosta**  
Edward Michael DeCosta, 60, of Morgantown, passed away Friday, August 4, 2023, at his home. Arrangements, which are incomplete, have been entrusted to Hastings Funeral Home.

**Susan Myers**  
Susan E. Myers, 52, of Morgantown, passed away Friday, August 4, 2023, at Mon Health Medical Center. Fred L. Jenkins Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements, which are incomplete. Condolences: [www.fredjenkinsfuneralhome.com](http://www.fredjenkinsfuneralhome.com)

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expressions and a barhop bell. Margolis also was known for many film roles, particularly in the films of Darren Aronofsky, including “Noah,” “Black Swan,” “The Wrestler” and “Pi.” His early breakout movie role was mob henchman Alberto “The Shadow” in “Scarface,” opposite Al Pacino.

**Mega Millions players spurned, jackpot climbs**  
Another Mega Millions drawing, another night without a jackpot winner. The numbers drawn Friday night were: 11, 30, 45, 52, 56 and the gold ball 20. Because no one took the estimated \$1.35 billion grand prize, the pot has increased to \$1.55 billion for the next drawing Tuesday night. There now have been 31 straight drawings without a jackpot winner. The \$1.55 billion jackpot would be for a sole winner who chooses the annuity option with payments stretched over 30 years. Most winners opt for a lump-sum payment, which would be an estimated \$757.2 million. The jackpot is so hard to win because of the 1 in 302.6 million odds of matching the numbers on five white balls and a separate mega ball.

NATION

Justice Department faces biggest test in its history with election conspiracy case

Associated Press  
WASHINGTON — When the Justice Department was announcing the highest-profile prosecution in its history in Washington, Attorney General Merrick Garland was 100 miles away, meeting with local police in Philadelphia. He stepped outside briefly to speak about how the decision to indict Donald Trump for conspiracy to overturn the 2020 election came from career prosecutors and was led by a special counsel committed to “accountability and independence.” In other words, this wasn’t about politics. Try as Garland might, though, there is no escaping the politics of the moment when the Justice Department of a president who is running for reelection is indicting his chief political rival, the front-runner for the Republican nomination. And though he has distanced himself from the



AP file photo

Attorney General Merrick Garland arrives with President Joe Biden for an event in the Rose Garden of the White House in Washington, May 13, 2022.

investigation since he appointed special counsel Jack Smith 10 months ago, Garland has the last word on matters related to the prosecution of Trump as long as he is the attorney general. The Justice Department is facing its biggest test in history — navigating unprecedented conditions in American democracy while trying to fight back

against relentless attacks on its own credibility and that of the U.S. election system. The success or failure of the case has the potential to affect the standing of the department for years to come. “In grand terms this is a really huge historic moment for the Department of Justice,” said Wendy Weiser, vice president for the Democracy Program at

the Brennan Center for Justice. President Joe Biden has sought to distance himself from the Justice Department to avoid any appearance of meddling when the agency is not only probing Trump, but also the president’s son Hunter. But it’s going to get more challenging for Biden, too. Anything he says about the Jan. 6, 2021, insurrection at the Capitol from now on could complicate matters for prosecutors. And any trial is likely to take place against the backdrop of the 2024 presidential election. The latest indictment is the third criminal case filed against Trump this year, but the first to try to hold him criminally responsible for his efforts to cling to power in the weeks between his election loss and the Capitol attack that stunned the world. He pleaded not guilty on Thursday before a federal magistrate judge and was ordered not to speak about the case with any potential witnesses.

STATE

After decades of delays and broken promises, coal miners hail rule to slow rise of black lung

Associated Press  
CHARLESTON — A half-century ago, the nation’s top health experts urged the federal agency in charge of mine safety to adopt strict rules protecting miners from poisonous rock dust. The inaction since — fueled by denials and lobbying from coal and other industries — has contributed to the premature deaths of thousands of miners from pneumoconiosis, more commonly known as “black lung.” The problem has only grown in recent years as miners dig through more layers of rock to get to less accessible coal, generating deadly silica dust in the process. One former regulator called the lack of protection from silica-related illnesses “stunning” and one of the most “catastrophic” occupational health failures in U.S. history. Now the federal Mine

Safety and Health Administration has proposed a rule that would cut the current limit for silica exposure in half — a major victory for safety advocates. But there is skepticism and concern about the government following through after years of broken promises and delays. James Bounds, a retired coal miner from Oak Hill, West Virginia, said nothing can be done to reverse the debilitating illness he was diagnosed with at 37 in 1984. But he doesn’t want others to suffer the same fate. “It’s not going to help me — I’m through mining,” said Bounds, 75, who now uses supplemental oxygen to breathe. “But we don’t want these young kids breathing like we do.” The rule, published in the Federal Register this month, cuts the permissible exposure limit for silica dust from 100 to 50 micrograms per cubic meter of

air for an 8-hour shift in coal, metal and nonmetal mines such as sand and gravel. The proposal is in line with exposure levels imposed by the Occupational Safety and Health Administration on construction and other non-mining industries. And it’s the standard The Centers for Disease Control was recommending as far back as 1974. Silicosis is an occupational pneumoconiosis caused by the inhalation of crystalline silica dust present in minerals like sandstone. The U.S. Department of Labor began studying silica and its impact on workers’ health in the 1930s, but the focus on stopping exposure in the workplace largely bypassed coal miners. Instead, regulations centered on coal dust, a separate hazard created by crushing or pulverizing coal rock that also con-

tributes to black lung. In the decades since, silica dust has become a major problem as Appalachian miners cut through layers of sandstone to reach less accessible coal seams in mountaintop mines where coal closer to the surface has long been tapped. Silica dust is 20 times more toxic than coal dust and causes severe forms of black lung disease even after a few years of exposure. An estimated one in five tenured miners in Central Appalachia has black lung disease; one in 20 has the most disabling form of black lung. Miners are also being diagnosed at younger ages — some in their 30s and others with the advanced kind in their 40s. “That’s just nuts,” said Dr. Carl Werntz, a West Virginia physician who conducts black lung examinations and described cases as “skyrocketing.”

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YCF is accepting grant applications

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Your Community Foundation of North Central West Virginia Inc. (YCF) is accepting applications from nonprofit organizations for four programs. They are:  
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■ Stephen D. Tanner Children’s Enrichment Fund  
■ Taylor County Charitable Interest Fund  
■ The Women’s Giving Circle of North Central West Virginia. Applications are due by Sept. 25. Full eligibility criteria and application instructions are available at [ycfwv.org](http://ycfwv.org). Awards will be announced and distributed in November.

**The details**  
■ YCF Educator Mini-Grants  
This pilot grant program will provide educators with funding to

enhance the student learning experience. The opportunity is open to any PK-12 educator in traditional public schools within YCF’s service area, which includes Harrison, Marion, Monongalia, Preston and Taylor counties. Mini-grants of up to \$750 will be awarded to educators who need financial assistance with special projects, materials, or classroom resources that are not covered by school/central office sources or other means. Funding for these grants is made possible by the YCF IMPACT Fund and several YCF donor-advised funds.  
■ Stephen D. Tanner Children’s Enrichment Fund  
The Stephen D. Tanner Children’s Enrichment Fund is devoted to providing grants to benefit underprivileged children in Monongalia County. The opportunity is open to all public elementary schools in Monongalia

County with preference given to Title I Schools, which include Mason Dixon, Mountainview, Mylan Park and Skyview elementary schools. In addition, applications will be considered from Monongalia County nonprofit organizations offering enrichment programs for underserved children. Applicants are encouraged to pursue matching funds to maximize impact. Awards of up to \$2,500 will be made.  
■ Taylor County Charitable Interest Fund  
The Taylor County Charitable Interest Fund accepts applications from qualified 501(c)(3) organizations or public institutions, including public schools operating in Taylor County. Grants of approximately \$500-\$1,000 will be made. YCF’s mission is to promote philanthropy and build endowment funds to benefit our communities.  
■ Women’s Giving

Circle of North Central West Virginia  
The Women’s Giving Circle of North Central West Virginia, a component fund of YCF, accepts grant applications from qualified charitable organizations in Harrison, Marion, Monongalia, Preston and Taylor counties that address the needs of women and/or girls. Specifically, projects must include one or more of these goals: Increase life skills of women and girls through education, economic empowerment, physical and mental health, and strategies for prevention of violence and crime; encourage the healthy development of girls; and promote gender equity in our community. Awards of up to \$5,000 will be made. For more information, call 304-296-3433, email [info@ycfwv.org](mailto:info@ycfwv.org), or visit YCF’s website: [ycfwv.org](http://ycfwv.org).

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OBITUARIES

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David Ray Stone grew up on Pineview Drive in Morgantown, his boyhood home bore the same address as the current Holiday Inn. He was born in 1952, the son of Sherley Ray Stone and Marian White Stone.

He graduated from Morgantown High School in 1970, the same year he met his wife of 48 years, Janet Lynn Perilli. He would also graduate from West Virginia University with a degree in Parks and Recreation.

That education foreshadowed a career with BOPARC, where he ran sports leagues and camps, including the Grasshopper

youth basketball league, in which he coached hundreds of youth players. He remembered almost all of them by name throughout his life.

He would later go on to work for Georgia Pacific, selling Dixie products until his retirement. But his career was just one part of his life. An extravert through and through, his enjoyment always came from those around him, his hobbies, and his many, many friendships.

In the 1980s, Dave took up golf. On April 8, 1990, Dave unexpectedly joined the Pines Country Club when a friend, frustrated that he needed to be a member to play, threw a credit card on the pro shop counter and said, “give me three memberships.” A few years later, Dave would be elected President of the

club. He remained a member for the rest of his life.

In the 1990s, Dave started the Morgantown High Alumni Golf Tournament. In the 25 years since, the tournament he founded has raised hundreds of thousands of dollars for Morgantown High athletics.

In 2012, Dave and a group of friends opened The Wine Bar at Vintner Valley. Their goal was simply a place for themselves and their friends to eat and enjoy some wine. Before the group sold it, Dave was a fixture at the Wine Bar on Friday nights.

In 2017, he was diagnosed with colon cancer, stage IV. After that diagnosis, Dave lived a life most would be lucky to have. He did not just survive three rounds of chemotherapy over the following six years, he thrived. He enjoyed golf trips to Ire-

David Stone

land and Pinehurst, vacations to Italy and Napa Valley — more wine — and dozens of other trips with his friends and family, including one to Charleston, South Carolina, for his son's wedding.

He and his family attribute this quality of life to the outstanding care given by the team at the Mary Babb Randolph Cancer Center. Dave and his entire family are forever grateful for the care and compassion for those who treated him, Dr. Sobha Kurian and the team at MBRCC, Walt, Chris, Brittany, Whitney, Liz, Ari, Carolyn, Allison, Kathy, Emily, Jessie, and too many others to name, but whose work and thoughtfulness is equally appreciated, and the physicians and nurses at Mon Health Medical Center, Dr. Kristen Statler, Dr.

Mark Johnson, and all those who provided him such outstanding care.

Dave is survived by his wife, Janet; son, David Ray Stone II; daughter-in-law, Laura Davis Stone; sister, Rebecca Marian Garrett and her husband Harold “Buddy” Garrett; the Garrett's children, Christopher and Megan, Megan's husband Morgan, and Dave's brother Donald Edward Stone; and brother-in-law, Gerben Hoekstra, and his son, Matthew. He is preceded in death by his mother and father, and his sister, Patricia Kathaleen Hoekstra.

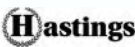
Friends and family will be received at the Erickson Alumni Center, 1 Alumni Drive, Morgantown, from 1 p.m. on Friday, August 11, until the time of the funeral service at 3 p.m. with Pastor Junius Lewis officiating. A reception will take place

immediately following the ceremony. Private family interment will take place at East Oak Grove Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to the WVU Cancer Institute, 1 Medical Center Drive, Morgantown, WV 26506 to support the incredible nursing staff. Contributions can be made online at <http://give.wvu.edu/wvucancerinstitute> or by sending a check to the WVU Foundation, PO Box 1650, Morgantown, WV 26507. Please include the fund number 2v123, and reference Dave Stone.

Hastings Funeral Home has been entrusted with arrangements.

Condolences: [www.hastingsfuneralhome.com](http://www.hastingsfuneralhome.com)



Cynthia Glover Downs passed away peacefully on

Tuesday, July 25, 2023, at her home in Charlotte, N.C., after a lengthy illness. She was born on November 21, 1956, in Morgantown, to the late Maxine Graham Glover and Frank Wintford Glover.

Cindy graduated from Morgantown High School in 1973 and cum laude from West Virginia University in 1979. She was married to Gregory A. Downs of Charlotte, and she and Greg cel-

ebrated their twenty-third wedding anniversary in June. Cindy was employed in various aspects of banking and commercial real estate finance for many years, working in Morgantown, Winston Salem, N.C., Atlanta, Ga., and most recently in Charlotte. She loved nothing better than listening to all kinds of music, growing big juicy tomatoes in her garden and building glorious bonfires on summer and fall evenings at their cabin on Lake Wylie. She was a supremely loyal West Virginia University Mountaineer sports fan and watched every game during football season with unrestrained enthusiasm. Cindy's big, beautiful

smile, wonderful laugh and sunny and engaging personality will forever be a lasting memory to all who knew her and loved her.

She is survived by her husband, Gregory A. Downs; sister, Suzanne G. Sales and her husband, William of New York; brother-in-law, Steven W. Downs and his wife, Paula of Feeding Hills, Mass., and their children Johnathan, Skylar, and Samantha; and her cousin, Frank T. Cromer of Bruceton Mills. Cindy is also survived by her faithful dog, Lucy.

Funeral services will be held in the Francis Chapel at Myers Park United Methodist Church, 1501 Queens Road, Charlotte,

N.C., at noon on Thursday, August 10. The family will receive friends following the service in Jubilee Hall. Interment will be at 10 a.m. on Saturday, August 12, at East Oak Grove Cemetery in Morgantown.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be offered in memory of Cindy to the American Cancer Society, PO Box 6704, Hagerstown, MD 21741 or <https://www.cancer.org/>.

Hastings Funeral Home has been entrusted with local arrangements.

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Rick Belt

Rick Belt, son of the late Conrad Belt and Elizabeth Bolyard, stepson of Gary Bolyard passed away July 28, 2023, in Lawrenceville, Ga.

He is survived by his children,

Conard Austin Belt and Clayton Allen Belt; his children's mother, Gina Belt; his brother, Darryl Belt; his sisters, Vickie Moran, Beth Cadogan and husband Bill; stepbrothers Gary Bolyard and wife Marsha, Greg Bolyard and wife Marcia; nieces, Lauren Moran, Allie Cadogan, Kate Cadogan, Miranda Bolyard Snyder and Erin Bolyard Vandenlangenberg; nephews, Ian Moran, Jack Cadogan, Christopher Bolyard and Jacob Bolyard.

Rick was an avid outdoorsman sharing his passion for fishing and hunting with his children

Conard and Clayton. As a sports enthusiast he followed professional and collegiate teams and volunteered his time coaching youth athletic teams. Rick started his career in the Navy aboard the USS Nimitz completing multiple global deployments, followed by years as an auto mechanic and ultimately retired from Emory University in 2022 working with its steam plant operations.

At Rick's request, there will be no funeral home visitation. A graveside committal service will be held at the Nicholson Chapel Cemetery Morgantown, at 11 a.m. on Monday August 7. Military rites will be offered by the Monongalia County Honor Guard and US Navy Mid-Atlantic Honor Guard. Services are under the direction of the Fred Jenkins Funeral Home.

Condolences: [www.fredjenkinsfuneralhome.com](http://www.fredjenkinsfuneralhome.com)

Larry Murray

Larry Allen Murray, Sr, age 74, of Morgantown, passed away Thursday, August 3, 2023, at Waynesburg Healthcare and Rehabilitation Center in Waynesburg, Pa.

Larry was born October 2, 1948, in Morgantown, a son of the late James M. Murray and Virginia Cain Murray.

Larry served in the United States Army during the Vietnam War, and later retired as a Sergeant First Class. Larry loved fishing and hunting, and anything outdoors. His greatest joy was spending time with his grandchildren and especially his great-grandchildren.

Larry is survived by his wife, Sandra K. Crislip Murray; daughter, Tamra Lee Mullins; sons, Larry Allen Murray, Jr. (Cheryl),

and Joseph W. Murray; sister, Shirley Dalton; brothers, James “Skip” Murray, Jerry “Jocko” Murray; grandchildren, Remington Murray (Kendra), Ashley Ritenour (Cecil), Reece Shepard, Ariaah Johnson (Logan), Michael “Alex” Murray, and Courtney Pryor; great-grandchildren, Nevaeh Ritenour and Lilly Ritenour all of Morgantown.

In addition to his parents, Larry was preceded in death by sisters, Bonnie Friend and Sandra Dalton; brothers, Ronnie Murray and Scott Murray; and daughter-in-law, Tina Murray.

McCulla Funeral Home has provided cremation service. A memorial service will take place at a later date and Larry will be inurned at the West Virginia National Cemetery in Pruntytown.

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Byron Tennant

Byron Dee Tennant of Core, passed away peacefully in his home on August 4th, 2023, at the age of 72 after a long battle with cancer.

Byron is survived by his loving wife of 54 years, Bernice; his son, Dr. Christopher Tennant; his brother, David Tennant; his sister, Kay Fordyce; his grandchildren, Luke Nelson Tennant and Julia Rose Tennant, and families; and his dog, Elvis.

Byron was born on December 16, 1950, in Miracle Run, during the winter “storm that topped the fenceposts,” to Wilbur and Stella Tennant. His family moved to Wadestown when he was 5, and he lived there until starting work as an auto mechanic in Blacksville as a teenager. He married his high school

sweetheart, Bernice, in 1969. After working in construction and at an auto dealership service department, he began working in the WVU Computing Services Department in the 1970s, retiring in 2013. His hobbies included fishing, woodworking, and photography.

Byron's family would like to encourage everyone to manage their blood pressure, and to conduct all recommended cancer screenings, for your loved ones.

Friends may call at the Owen-Neely Funeral Home, 5894 Mason-Dixon Highway, Blacksville, WV from 6-8 p.m. on Wednesday, August 9. Funeral services will be held in the funeral home at 11 a.m. Thursday. Burial will follow in the Olive Cemetery at Pentress.

John Teagarden

John Paul Teagarden, 53 of Morgantown, formerly of Grafton, passed away on Tuesday, August 1, 2023. He was born in Morgantown on March 13, 1970, son of Richard

“Dick” and Pamela (Dean) Teagarden.

Friends may call at Bartlett Funeral Home, 202 McGraw Ave., Grafton, from 4 p.m. on Tuesday August 8, until the time of the funeral

service at 7 p.m. with Pastor Lynn Cartwright officiating. Private Inurnment will be held at a later date on the Teagarden lot at the Sunset Memorial Park, Mt. Clare Rd. in Clarksburg. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made in his memory to: Restore Addiction Recovery and Wellness, 613 Burroughs St. Morgantown, WV 26505, or Valley Mental Health at Valleycares.com. Bartlett Funeral Home is honored to serve the Teagarden family.

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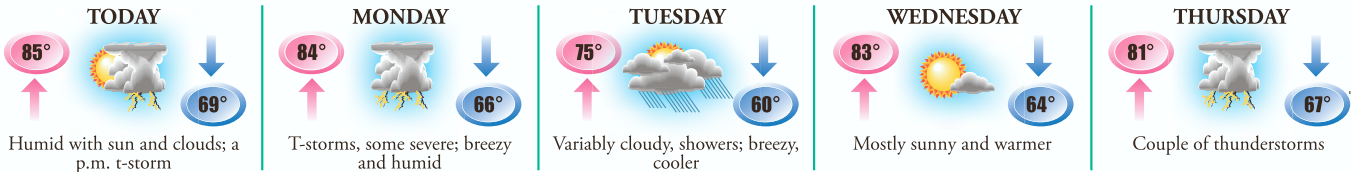
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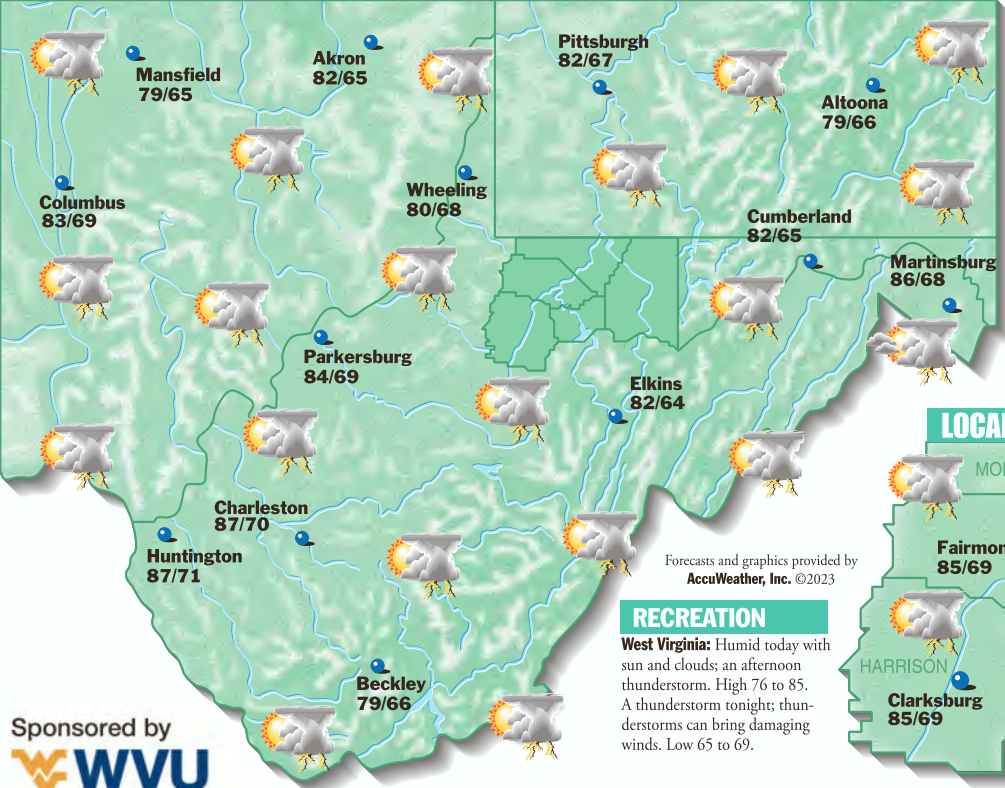
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FIVE-DAY FORECAST FOR MORGANTOWN



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Morgantown through 3 p.m. Saturday

**Temperature**  
High/low ..... 84°/63°  
Normal high/low ..... 82°/62°  
Record high ..... 98° in 1930  
Record low ..... 45° in 1912

**Precipitation**  
24 hrs ending 3 p.m. Saturday ..... 0.00"  
Month to date ..... 0.35"  
Year to date ..... 20.35"

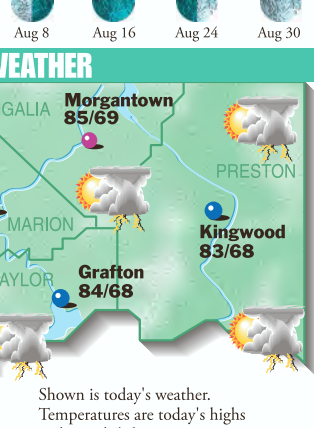
**SUN AND MOON**  
Sunrise today ..... 6:23 a.m.  
Sunset tonight ..... 8:28 p.m.  
Moonrise today ..... 11:27 p.m.  
Moonset today ..... 12:08 p.m.

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Highest today ..... 6 high  
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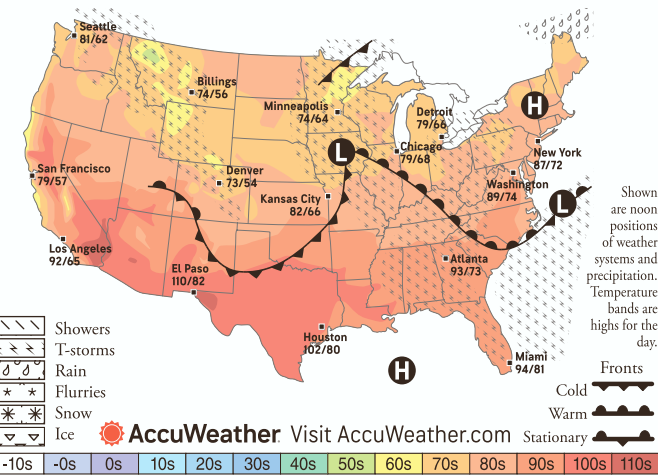
**LAST** Aug 8  
**NEW** Aug 16  
**FIRST** Aug 24  
**FULL** Aug 30

LOCAL WEATHER



Shown is today's weather.  
Temperatures are today's highs and tonight's lows.

NATIONAL WEATHER TODAY



POLLEN

Yesterday in Morgantown  
Grasses ..... N.A. Weeds ..... N.A.  
Trees ..... N.A. Molds ..... N.A.  
Source: WV University

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City	Sun. HI/Lo/W	Mon. HI/Lo/W
Beckley, WV	79/66/t	82/65/t
Charleston, WV	87/70/t	86/71/t
Columbus, OH	83/69/t	81/67/t
Cumberland, MD	82/65/t	87/67/t
Fairmont, WV	85/69/t	84/69/t
Grafton, WV	84/68/t	85/67/t
Huntington, WV	87/71/t	84/71/t
Kingwood, WV	83/68/t	81/66/t
Pittsburgh, PA	82/67/t	82/66/t
Wheeling, WV	80/68/t	79/66/t

**Weather (W):** s=sunny, pc=partly cloudy, c=cloudy, sh=showers, t=thunderstorms, r=rain, sf=snow flurries, sn=snow, H=ice.

SOLAR TABLES

Five-day forecast indicates peak feeding times for fish and game.

	Major	Minor	Major	Minor
<b>Sun.:</b>	4:22 a.m.	10:34 a.m.	4:46 p.m.	10:58 p.m.
<b>Mon.:</b>	5:14 a.m.	11:26 a.m.	5:39 p.m.	11:51 p.m.
<b>Tue.:</b>	6:04 a.m.	12:17 p.m.	6:29 p.m.	---
<b>Wed.:</b>	6:53 a.m.	12:41 a.m.	7:19 p.m.	1:06 p.m.
<b>Thu.:</b>	7:41 a.m.	1:28 a.m.	8:07 p.m.	1:54 p.m.

LAKE AND RIVERS

Lake	7 a.m. Yes.	24-hour Change
Cheat Lake	868.51	-0.30
Deep Creek, MD	2459.66	-0.06
Jennings Randolph	1450.41	-0.39
Stonewall Jackson	1070.52	-0.07
Tygart	1095.35	-0.66
Youghiogheny	1427.76	-0.52

**River Stages**  
Fid: flood stage, Prs: stage in feet at 7 a.m. yesterday, Chg: change in previous 24 hours, M: missing.

Monongahela	Fid.	Prs.	Chg.
Morgantown	22	10.11	+0.69

ALMANAC

Associated Press

Today is Sunday, Aug. 6, the 218th day of 2023. There are 147 days left in the year.

Highlight:

**In 1945**, during World War II, the U.S. B-29 Superfortress Enola Gay dropped an atomic bomb code-named "Little Boy" on Hiroshima, Japan, resulting in an estimated 140,000 deaths.

On this date:

**In 1806**, the Holy Roman Empire went out of existence as Emperor Francis II abdicated.

**In 1942**, Queen Wilhemina of the Netherlands became the first reigning queen to address a joint session of Congress, telling lawmakers that despite Nazi occupation, her people's motto remained, "No surrender."

**In 1965**, President Lyndon B. Johnson signed the Voting Rights Act.

**In 2011**, insurgents shot down a U.S. military helicopter during fighting in eastern Afghanistan, killing 30 Americans, most of them belonging to the same elite Navy commando unit that had slain Osama bin Laden; seven Afghan commandos also died.

Today's birthdays:

Children's performer Ella Jenkins is 99. Actor-director Peter Bonerz is 85. Actor Louise Sorel is 83. Actor Michael Anderson Jr. is 80. Actor Ray Buktenica is 80. Actor Dorian Harewood is 73. Actor Catherine Hicks is 72. Rock singer Pat MacDonald (Timbuk 3) is 71. Actor Stefanie Kramer is 67.

History of abuse leads to ultimatum for man's family

**DEAR ABBY:** My son is demanding that I tell his father and brother to call him to apologize for past behaviors and attitudes that hurt him. He says if I don't, he will no longer come home for any visits. He lives in the East; we are in the Midwest. I have traveled alone to visit him, but it's getting harder as my car and I age.

His father had alcohol issues as well as mental health issues and was abusive, but has been sober for several years now. I have been in Al-Anon for more than 25 years and still attend meetings. I don't know how to respond to my son's demands. What's your advice? — **MEDIATING MOM IN IOWA**

**DEAR MOM:** I don't blame your son for avoiding people who cause him pain. Tell him that an apology that is coerced is no apology at all. Part of addiction recovery is the requirement to make amends to those the addict has wronged or hurt.

**DEAR ABBY:** I've been seeing "Ronald" for a little more than a year. He's nine years older than I am, and we don't really have a lot in common. He has feelings



JEANNE PHILLIPS

for me, but I don't feel the same toward him. He has helped me out a lot financially, and doesn't expect me to pay him back.

The problem is, I have met someone else. "Jack" and I have so much in common. We knew a lot of the same people when we were younger. He recognized me after I showed him a picture from my younger days. We both have feelings for each other. He's a year younger than I am. I just don't know what to do. Please help. — **MIXED-UP IN THE SOUTH**

**DEAR MIXED-UP:** Be an adult. Summon the courage to tell Ronald that you have reconnected with someone you knew years ago, and you would like to pursue it.

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TV LISTINGS

8/6/23	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30
<b>BROADCAST CHANNELS</b>												
2 KDKA	CBS Weekend News (N)	KDKA-TV News (N)	60 Minutes (N)		Big Brother (N)		The Equalizer "Love Hurts" Fisk tasks McCall with tracking down an ex-M16 agent.		NCIS: Los Angeles A group of murderers known as "The Body Stitches" returns.	KDKA-TV News at Eleven (N)	Cochran Sports Show-down	
4 WTAE	ABC World News (N)	Pittsburgh's Action News 4 (N)	America's Funniest Home Videos A deer tries to eat a chunk of a woman's hair.		Celebrity Family Feud NFLPA all-stars; Adam Devine; Anders Holm. (N)		The \$100,000 Pyramid (N)		The \$100,000 Pyramid	Pittsburgh's Action News 4 (N)	Pittsburgh's Action News 4 (N)	
5 WDTV	5 News at 5 (N)	CBS News	60 Minutes (N)		Big Brother (N)		The Equalizer		NCIS: Los Angeles	5 News	Invest.	
7 WTRF	News (N)	CBS News	60 Minutes (N)		Big Brother (N)		The Equalizer		NCIS: Los Angeles	News	SEALTea	
9 WTOV	News 9 at Six (L) (N)	NBC Nightly News (N)	American Ninja Warrior Qualifiers 7		American Ninja Warrior Qualifiers 8		America's Got Talent "The auditions continue as a variety of acts audition for the chance to win the \$1 million prize.		"Auditions 6" The auditions continue as a variety of acts audition for the chance to win the \$1 million prize.	News 9 Tonight (N) (N)	Sports Sunday (N)	
11 WPXI	Channel 11	NBC News	Ninja Qualifiers 7		Ninja Qualifiers 8		America's Got Talent "Auditions 6"		"Auditions 6"	Channel 11	The Final	
12 WBVO	12 News	NBC News	Ninja Qualifiers 7		Ninja Qualifiers 8		America's Got Talent "Auditions 6"		"Auditions 6"	12 News	Outdoors	
13 WQED	PBS News Weekend	People of the North	Ridley Ridley and Carol investigate the death of a man.		Ridley (N)		Grantchester on Masterpiece (N)		Grantchester on Masterpiece (N)	Luna & Sophie		
22 WCVB	9-1-1 "The New Abnormal" The team adjusts to life during the pandemic.	Modern Family	Modern Family		Marketplace "The Pittsburgh Secretary"		Seinfeld "The Switch"		Seinfeld "The Switch"	To the Rescue	9-1-1 "What's Next?" Saving lives in the aftermath of a massive train derailment.	True Crime 2023: Who Stole My Life?
24 WNPB	Dear Ike: Lost Letters L.	Father Brown			Ridley (N)		Grantchester (N)		Grantchester (SF) (N)	Austin City Limits		
46 WVFX	Fisherman' Walleye	Gordon Ramsay-Food	Simpsons		Family Guy		House (N)		House (N)	Game Time	Carcass	
53 WPGH	**** The Hero (2017, Drama) Laura Prepon, Nick Offerman, Sam Elliott.	Gordon Ramsay-Food	The contestants must sell kitchen products on live TV.		The Simpsons "Hostile Kirk Place"		HouseBroken "Who's a Mole?" (N) (SF) (N)		HouseBroken "Who's a Winner?" (N) (SF) (N)	Channel 11 News on FOX 53 at 10	The Big Bang Theory	Young Sheldon
<b>CABLE CHANNELS</b>												
A&E	The First 48	The First 48	The First 48		The First 48		The First 48		The First 48		The First 48	
AMC	*** John Wick: Chapter 2 (17) Common, Keanu Reeves.				Dark Winds (N)		Dark Winds (N)		Black Snow (N)	*** John Wick		
AT&TSP	MLB Baseball Pittsburgh Pirates at Milwaukee Brewers				Bensinger		Poker (N)		World Poker Tour		World Poker Tour	
BET	**** The Help (11) Viola Davis.				Stellar Gospel Music Awards (N)		Stellar Gospel Music Awards		Stellar Gospel Music Awards		Stellar Gospel Music Awards	
CNN	CNN Newsroom (N)	CNN Newsroom (N)	Whole (N)		See It Loud (F) (N)		History of the Sitcom		History of the Sitcom	The Whole Story with		
DISC	Naked and Afraid	Naked and Afraid (N)	Naked and Afraid (N)		Survive the Raft (N)		Naked and Afraid		Naked and Afraid	Naked and Afraid	Naked and Afraid	
DISN	Hamster & Alvin & the Chipmunks: Chipwrecked		Raven (N)		Bunk'd (N)		Villains		Villains	Pretty Frk	Pretty Frk	Raven
ESPN	LLWSS Teams TBA	MLB Baseball (L) (N)								SportsCenter (L) (N)	SportsCenter (L) (N)	
ESPN2	Baseball Tonight (N)	MLB Baseball								Ultimate Disc		
FOOD	Guy's Grocery Games	Guy's Grocery Games	Worst Cooks in America (N)		Beat Bobby		Beat Bobby		Beat Bobby	Beat Bobby	Beat Bobby	Beat Bobby
FNC	Fox Report (L) (N)	Weekend (N)	Life, Liberty (N)		Sunday Night (N)		Sunday Night (N)		Sunday Night (N)	Life, Liberty & Levin		
FREE	Hotel Transylvania	*** Despicable Me 3 (17) Steve Carell.			*** Jumanji: Welcome to the Jungle (17) Dwayne Johnson.		*** Jumanji: Welcome to the Jungle (17) Dwayne Johnson.		*** Jumanji: Welcome to the Jungle (17) Dwayne Johnson.		*** Jumanji: Welcome to the Jungle (17) Dwayne Johnson.	
HIST	Built America	Mega-Brands	Mega-Brands		Mega-Brands		Mega-Brands		Mega-Brands	Built America	Built America	
LIFE	Boy in the Walls (23) Ryan Michelle Bathe.		The Gilgo Beach Killer (21) Kim Delaney. (P)							House of Deadly Lies (23) Katy Breier.		
NEWSN	Last Man	Last Man	NewsNation Prime (N)		NewsNation Prime (N)		NewsNation Prime (N)		NewsNation Prime (N)	NewsNation Prime	NewsNation Prime	
NICK	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob		*** Bee Movie (07) Jerry Seinfeld.		*** Bee Movie (07) Jerry Seinfeld.		*** Bee Movie (07) Jerry Seinfeld.	Friends	Friends	Friends
PARMT	BarResc. 1883: A Yellowstone Origin Story	1883 (N)	1883 (N)		1883: A Yellowstone (N)		1883: A Yellowstone (N)		1883: A Yellowstone (N)	Bar Rescue	Bar Rescue	BarRescu.
TNT	**** Jurassic Park III Sam Neill.	**** Jurassic World (15) Bryce Dallas Howard, Chris Pratt.			*** The Meg (18) Jason Statham.		*** The Meg (18) Jason Statham.		*** The Meg (18) Jason Statham.		*** The Meg (18) Jason Statham.	
TVLAND	Mike	Mike	Two Men		Two Men		Two Men		Two Men	Two Men	Two Men	Two Men
USA	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	
WE	Blue Bloods	Blue Bloods	Blue Bloods		Blue Bloods		Blue Bloods		Blue Bloods	Blue Bloods	Blue Bloods	
WTBS	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang		Big Bang		Big Bang		Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	
<b>MOVIE CHANNELS</b>												
HBO	How to	*** Dawn of the Planet of the Apes (14) Andy Serkis.	Winning Time (SP) (N)		Winning Time (SP) (N)		Winning Time (SP) (N)		Winning Time (SP) (N)	Winning Time	Winning Time	
MAX	Movie	Dodgeball: A True Underdog Story	*** Tammy (14) Melissa McCarthy.		*** Road Trip Seann William Scott.		*** Road Trip Seann William Scott.		*** Road Trip Seann William Scott.	The Company Men	The Company Men	
SHOW	The Chi	"Sweet Thing" The Chi	The Chi		The Chi (N)		The Chi (N)		The Chi (N)	The Chi	The Chi	
TMC	*** Full Metal Jacket (87) Matthew Modine.	*** Last Holiday (06) Queen Latifah. (P)			Queen Bees (21) Ellen Burstyn.		Queen Bees (21) Ellen Burstyn.		Queen Bees (21) Ellen Burstyn.	Movie	Movie	

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FUNDING

# Fire and EMS first responders ask state to answer emergency call

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“When a call comes to 911 for a fire, car wreck or heart attack, West Virginia’s first responders do whatever it takes to save lives and property. Nights, weekends, holidays, rain and snow, ambulance agencies and fire departments answer the call.

“But emergency response in our communities is being increasingly placed at risk by rising costs, inadequate funding and a shortage of trained personnel.”

These are the opening lines of a letter to Gov. Jim Justice signed by more than 200 fire and EMS agencies in the state asking him to allow lawmakers to discuss a bill that would provide crucial funding to

first responder agencies during an expected special legislative session this month.

Earlier this year House Bill 3153 was brought before the West Virginia Legislature and would have provided the needed funding — around \$12 million annually split between EMS agencies and fire departments. The bill died during the last hour of the regular session due to unresolved differences over details in the legislation between the House and Senate.

Since then, legislators have continued discussions with EMS and fire agencies and an interim committee has developed a compromise bill, which they are requesting be placed on the special session call. They are also asking Justice to consider providing a portion of the

budget surplus to help the struggling agencies until the proposed legislation takes effect in 2024, should it be passed.

Fire and EMS agency leaders are stressing the urgency of the matter to ensure they are able to continue to provide timely responses in rural areas.

“EMS personnel have to be ready 24 hours a day, seven days a week, 365 days a year, including holidays,” said Chris Hall, executive director of the West Virginia EMS Coalition. “Round-the-clock preparedness comes at a cost. West Virginia is the only state in our region where lawmakers haven’t dedicated a permanent funding source to aid EMS. This lack of financial support is

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EVENT

# Local Walk to End Alzheimer’s chapter to host purse bingo fundraiser

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Here’s something to think about the next fall football Saturday you show up at the gate with your ticket in hand, Debbie Spiker said.

The number of people suffering from Alzheimer’s and related dementia in the Mountain State could easily fill Marshall’s Joan C. Edwards stadium in Huntington to standing room-only capacity.

Add family and other caregivers, she said, and you’ll get the equivalent of a sell-out crowd at WVU’s twice-as-large Milan Puskar Stadium in Morgantown.

One person every 67 seconds in America and elsewhere, according to numbers culled from the national Alzheimer’s Association, is hit with the onset of the disease that deletes memories and erases lives.

Your mom.  
Your dad.  
Your husband or your wife.

Your big sister, your little brother, your saintly grandmother and that witty cousin you loved to hang out with at the family reunion.

Someday, it might even be you, falling under the cruel, inexorable plod of those 67 seconds.

“Alzheimer’s has a big shadow,” Spiker said.

Which is why she wants you take a shot at one of those big purses next weekend at Mylan Park.

Spiker is the organizer of the “Stuffed Designer Purse Bingo” event, which is at 1 p.m. Aug. 13 at the Mon Community Center in the park’s expanse.

All 100% of the proceeds go to the region’s Tri-County

Chapter of the Walk to End Alzheimer’s, which takes in Monongalia, Preston and Marion counties.

“The money will go to research, programming and caregiver support,” Spiker said.

Call it a serious mission for a fun afternoon, she said.

The event features a bevy of big-name purses — Kate Spade, Michael Kors and the like — brimming with candles, coffee mugs and other accessories.

Each purse carries a theme: There’s a WVU tailgating take, celebrations of Halloween and St. Patrick’s Day, an Americana offering and more, Spiker said.

Tickets are \$25 at the door. It’s \$20 if you get yours in advance. Call or text her at 304-288-3729 for more information.

The Alzheimer’s Association website — alz.org — is also a good source of information for events here and across the region, she said.

Spiker’s chapter is also about all-terrain buggies and rollbars.

The Tri-County Chapter is cranking up a “Ride to Remember” off-road fundraiser Aug. 19 at Pretzel Arena in Bruceton Mills, with the help of the Country Roads Trail system in Preston County.

Her chapter’s signature fundraiser, though, is its annual Walk to End Alzheimer’s event, which will be Oct. 15 at Mountaineer Mall.

In this particular moment, however, Spiker said, her dining room table at home is laden with handbags.

SEE BINGO, B-2

# What’s blooming at WVBG?



Submitted photos

Cutleaf coneflower along the walk in the lower parking area.

You’ll be greeted by seas of yellow coneflowers as you enter

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Seas of yellow and splashes of color — that is what you will find if you come for a visit to the West Virginia Botanic Garden on Tibbs Road in Morgantown.

The seas of yellow greet you at the lower parking area, where clumps of cutleaf coneflowers (*Rudbeckia laciniata*) frame the walkway entrance. These native coneflowers reach a height of 9 feet and each stalk has multiple creamy yellow coneflower blooms. And, as great as they are for pollinators, it is the American Senna (*Senna hebecarpa*) that is drawing in the Eastern bumble bees.

The American Senna is also located in the lower parking area juxtaposed to the coneflowers. Senna is a member of the legume family and is commonly used as a laxative and herbal remedy for good digestive health. The Senna at the WVBG are located around the host kiosk and have formed very large clumps that reach 8 feet tall.

If you are interested in flowers that are not yellow, just head down to the newly expanded bed around the Butterfly Garden. There, you will be greeted by a wide expanse of multicolored zinnias. Zinnias are great annuals not only for their range of colors, but in the right



Zinnias provide a splash of color in the ButterFly Garden.

location they will bloom from early summer into late fall and butterflies do love their nectaries.

If you are interested in something completely different, head over to the Yagle Garden to take in the surprise lily (*Lycoris squamigera*). These lovely pink lily blooms reach 3 feet in height and seem to just shoot out of the ground. Interestingly, they did have leaves earlier in the spring, but those leaves die back in June only to be replaced by blooms in the summer. Surprise!

Come see this and more at your WVBG.

DAVID P. DAVIS holds a Ph.D. and serves as a volunteer at West Virginia Botanic Garden.

THE SEAS OF YELLOW GREET YOU AT THE LOWER PARKING AREA, WHERE CLUMPS OF CUTLEAF CONEFLOWERS (*RUDBECKIA LACINIATA*) FRAME THE WALKWAY ENTRANCE. THESE NATIVE CONEFLOWERS REACH A HEIGHT OF 9 FEET AND EACH STALK HAS MULTIPLE CREAMY YELLOW CONEFLOWER BLOOMS.

COMMUNITY

# Alumni couple’s planned gift pays tribute to WVU family impact

WVU Today

A West Virginia University alumni couple is celebrating the university’s life-changing impact on their family with a planned gift to benefit athletics, education, health care and disability services.

The planned gift from Gregory and Amber Nailler, of Mars, Pa., is worth more than \$660,000. Those funds will be divided equally to provide support for the WVU football program, the industrial and management systems engineering program at the Benjamin M. Statler College of Engineering and Mineral Resources, WVU Medicine Children’s and the Country Roads program led by the WVU Center for Excellence in Disabilities.

“We’ve been blessed in our lives and WVU has been a big part of that,” Greg Nailler said. “We know there’s a great need for money in all of these programs. We want to help students reach their potential and be successful.”

The Naillers first met as undergraduates at WVU. Amber was destined to attend WVU as a Morgantown native whose parents and grandparents attended the university before her. Greg grew up in the Cleveland area, but he was drawn to WVU for its engineering programs, sports teams and proximity to

extended family.

The couple has shared their love for the Mountaineers with daughters Claire, 20, and Addie, 16, who have been attending WVU football games with their parents since they were babies. Claire was even born in Morgantown at WVU Medicine Children’s, where she spent the first month of her life in the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit.

“They saved her life,” Greg Nailler said. “She was in really rough shape. The first couple of days were touch and go. The children’s hospital is super close to our hearts because of that.”

Claire has persevered despite developmental delays and intellectual disabilities. She has thrived with her family’s support and always had her heart set on attending WVU.

The Naillers weren’t sure Claire could fulfill that dream until the Country Roads program launched a few years ago. The program aims to prepare students with disabilities for independence by providing academic courses, social engagement and real-world work experiences.

The entire family was overjoyed when Claire was accepted to join the program this fall.

“It’s comforting to know that WVU is a place I can

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MOVIE REVIEW

‘Mutant Mayhem’ offers plenty of Teenage Ninja Turtle fun

**WHEN I WAS IN HIGH SCHOOL**, my crush was a huge Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles fan. But he was interested in one of my best friends and invited her to go see the 1990 movie with him, so I’ve always carried a bit of a bias against these half-shelled heroes. But I am a grown, married woman now, so I put aside my previous bias to go see Jeff Rowe and Kyler Spears’ new film, “Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles: Mutant Mayhem.”

Leonardo (Nicolas Cantu), Raphael (Brady Noon), Michelangelo (Shamon Brown Jr.) and Donatello (Micah Abbey) are 15-year-old mutant turtles who are desperate to be a part of the human world. Unfortunately, their father Splinter (Jackie Chan) is convinced the humans will hate them, so he forces them to stay in the sewers with him. Meanwhile, the mysterious villain Superfly (Ice Cube) is collecting items from around the city to build some sinister machine. The boys team up with April O’Neil (Ayo Edebiri) to figure out how to stop him, and maybe gain the



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admiration of the rest of the world in the process. While I don’t think I am the target demographic for this movie, I really enjoyed it. The animation in this is super unique and interesting to watch. It has a really messy kind of look that blends seamlessly with the 3D elements and keeps the viewer engaged throughout. I really appreciate it when studios take chances with unique animation styles. I love the super clean look Pixar gave us, but I think the more variety we have, the more fun it is for audiences. The voice acting in this is great. All of the young actors did a fantastic job voicing the turtles and I loved the way they captured the energy of kids trying to figure out how they fit into a world that looks at them suspiciously. The cast of characters is long and prestigious and

the performances are all really fun. Coupled with the animation, everything felt like it really came to life for me. They even introduce a fresh, new talent who will definitely take off after this movie, but you need to pay attention to the credits for that one. The story is fine. There is nothing ground-breaking about it, but it’s a nice story about belonging and figuring out how to honor parents while also forging your own path. There was a little more gross-out humor than I like, but we are dealing with sewer-dwelling teenagers, so it didn’t feel out of place. You might not leave the movie feeling inspired by the storytelling, but for a movie solidly aimed at kids, I think it works well. “Mutant Mayhem” was a fun movie and a great way to spend some time with your kids at the theater. Or you could take the best friend of the girl who has a crush on you. Whatever, Sean, it’s fine.

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And her garage is full of all those fun items that will eventually be stuffed into them. She’s just gotten started on that part of the proceedings, with May Richards looking over her shoulder the whole time, she said. Richards is her mother, who died from Alzheimer’s complications in 2014. “She had it for eight years,” Spiker said. “Maybe longer.” May Richards, her daughter remembers, was

smart, funny and musically talented. She was a pianist and organist who was a choir director at churches in Parkersburg and her neighboring hometown of Belpre, Ohio, for several years. Whenever a movie house in the vicinity would bring back a silent film for a revival, it was Richards who was enlisted to play the organ to accompany the action, in that magical corner in the dark, down from the big screen. “Isn’t that neat?” asked Spiker, who helped care for her mother during her

Alzheimer’s journey. Her caregiver story, she said, is the same story of everyone who ever lost someone they love to the ravages of the disease. A cure, she said, would be the most beautiful thing in the world. Or, if not a cure, a daughter said, at least more treatments to slow the march: so people can have more time, to cast more moments — gossamer, though, they may be. “I miss hearing her voice. She always knew just what to say.”

ALUMNI

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trust,” Amber Nailler said. “Claire has lived under our roof for so many years and has needed us for so long. She’ll learn all kinds of skills, like how to read medical bills and manage money. To prepare her to be independent and live on her own is the goal.” The Center for Excellence in Disabilities is eager to welcome Claire to campus and grateful for the family’s future support. “Claire and 15 of her peers will be part of our WVU family for the 2023-24 academic year,” Lesley Cottrell, director of the Center for Excellence in Disabilities, said. “Our Country Roads students carry more than 14 credit hours each semester, learn from WVU faculty and staff, and begin to navigate what they want to be and what it takes to get there. They add to our personal and professional learning on a daily basis, and it is truly a blessing to get the chance to work with them in this program. This gift will allow us to continue to grow the program’s offerings for future students.”

Claire’s career goal is to help people, possibly as a nurse’s aide. She hopes to one day return to WVU Medicine Children’s for work. “The WVU Medicine Children’s NICU is dedicated to providing the best possible care for newborn infants and their families,” Amy L. Bush, WVU Medicine Children’s chief administrative officer, said. “With the help of the Nailler family, our team will be able to continue to provide the best possible



WVU photo

The Nailler family — including (from left) Amber, Addie, Greg and Claire — is celebrating the life-changing impact WVU has had on their lives with a planned gift that benefits athletics, education, health care and disability services.

outcomes for our smallest patients. We’re very thankful for their support and appreciate the passion we share in caring for our most vulnerable population.” Greg Nailler earned his bachelor’s degree in industrial engineering from WVU in 1996 and found a professional home with Eaton Corp., a global power management company. He has worked for Eaton in a variety of roles and locations for 27 years. He remains engaged with the industrial and management systems engineering program as president of the IMSE Academy, which recognizes achievements in the field and works with Statler College leadership to ensure the program reflects the latest techniques, technologies and tools used in the profession. Amber Nailler graduated from WVU with a pharmacy degree. She worked in the field for many years — including a role with the School of Pharmacy — before shifting to special education after advocating for Claire throughout her schooling. She now serves as an autistic support paraprofessional for students in kindergarten and first grade. Gifted in science and math, Addie Nailler is interested in health care like her mother and sister. She has not yet determined where she wants to go to college, but her parents are keeping WVU on her radar. “She knows how awesome the school is,” Amber Nailler said. “We talk to our girls about how your dreams can come true. You work hard. You get a good education. You get a good foundation from this university and we’re proof of that.” The Naillers’ gift was made through the WVU Foundation, the nonprofit organization that receives and administers private donations on behalf of the university.

CALL

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contributing to a growing number of closures and longer response times in many communities.” Fire departments throughout the state are not faring much better. According to G.T. Parsons, who serves as president of the West Virginia State Fireman’s Association, there are only 11 communities in the state that support full-time paid fire departments and 21 partly paid fire departments that still depend on volunteers. The remainder of the state’s more than 400 fire departments depend on volunteers and community support. About 85% of the state’s population relies on volunteer or part-volunteer fire departments, Parsons said. “Volunteer fire departments can no longer depend on ice cream socials and bingo to pay their bills,” Parsons said. “West Virginia volunteer firefighters urge state leaders — our governor, legislature and state fire marshal — to work together with VFDs to find a solution. Realizing growth in tax revenue, the state appears positioned to support emergency organizations that are essential to the health of our communities, citizens and businesses.” A total of 211 first responder organizations signed the letter asking the governor to add the measure to the anticipated special session. Since then, additional agencies and departments have joined the initiative bringing the number to 225 organizations as of Friday. Several EMS and ambulance organizations serving Monongalia and Preston counties have signed the letter, including Mon

EMS, KAMP Central Ambulance, Jan-Care Ambulance Service, Bruce-ton Community Ambulance Service and Terra Alta Community Ambulance Squad Inc. Over a dozen volunteer fire departments in the area have joined, including Albright, Blacksville, Bruceton-Brandonville, Cool Springs, Granville, Masontown, Newburg, Reedsville, River Road, Rowlesburg, Terra Alta, Tunnelton and Wadestown. Masontown VFD Chief Dan Luzier said one of the reasons his department signed on was because of its need for various equipment, which adds up quickly. “All our air packs, for instance, for the whole department right now are dead. So, we got a price for new ones and it’s like \$150,000 just to replace those,” Luzier said. “It’s just a lot of money.” Masontown, like the majority of departments in the area, operates on an all-volunteer basis and is not paid for its service. Funding for volunteer departments typically comes from fundraisers and local government levies, but as Parsons said, those fundraisers are not enough to pay the bills anymore. Luzier said replacing something like a fire engine can cost \$750,000 to \$1 million. “You have to find a way to fund that to get it done, you know, you just have to find a way to do it,” he said. Masontown VFD also has a Swift Water Rescue Team that is listed on the national registry and can be called anywhere in West Virginia and even across the United States for floods, water rescues and other disasters. “We have to stay

up-to-date on our equipment and, you know, it takes a lot of money for that,” Luzier said. “Anything that goes through [the legislature] that can help us is greatly appreciated. Anything that they can do is a big help.” Should the revised bill not be passed during the special session, Luzier said his department will “just have to keep plugging along,” but he hopes legislators can see the importance of providing funding for fire and EMS. “What a service we provide to our area and it’s so important that we are able to keep going,” he said. “You know, it’s very, very important. Anything they can do to help us helps the community.” In the letter to Justice, the first responders asked the governor to respond to their call for emergency assistance just as they do for the calls from the citizens of West Virginia. “When West Virginians experience life- and property-threatening emergencies, they can’t wait for help. Every minute is precious,” the letter states. “Likewise, EMS agencies and fire departments cannot wait long for the help needed to survive this existential emergency. That means not delaying action until the next legislative session in January but calling legislators into special session this summer.” The letter concludes, “Fire and EMS always answer the call when needed. We hope that we can count on a similar response from you in our time of need.” The West Virginia Legislature is scheduled to be in Charleston today through Tuesday for interim committee meetings. Justice has stated he anticipates calling a special session at that time.

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Ohio K-9 officer charged with murder in the death of a man shot in his bed

Associated Press

COLUMBUS, Ohio — A former K-9 officer has been indicted in Ohio on murder charges in the death of a Black man who was lying on his bed when he was shot by police trying to serve a warrant.

Former Columbus police officer Ricky Anderson was also charged Friday with reckless homicide by a county grand jury in the death last year of 20-year-old Donovan Lewis.

Attorney Rex Elliott, who represents Lewis’ family, said at a news conference Friday that Anderson had racked up more than 60 complaints of excessive force during his 30-year career with the Columbus Police Department.

“He never should have been in the position to begin with to have the opportunity to take a young life like he did on Aug. 30, 2022,” Elliott said.

Elliott also questioned why it took nearly a year to bring charges against Anderson, who is white. Bodycam footage appears to show that the shooting happened within a second of Anderson opening the door to a bedroom where Lewis was sleeping.

“Officer Ricky Anderson broke the law when he shot and killed an unarmed Donovan Lewis as he laid in his bed. CPD (Columbus Police Department) bodycam video

showed this clearly and nothing has changed in almost a year,” Elliott said separately in a statement.

Elliott had earlier questioned why the city had not addressed the broader issue of white officers killing Black civilians. The U.S. Justice Department agreed in 2021 to review Columbus police department practices after a series of fatal police shootings of Black people — including the April 2021 killing of 16-year-old Ma’Khia Bryant — and the city’s response to 2020 racial injustice protests.

Anderson’s defense lawyer, Mark C. Collins, said the grand jury did not have the full picture of the facts, but only a “dog-and-pony show ... controlled by the special prosecutors.”

“This case is not about if Ricky Anderson made the decision to use deadly force, but why he made the decision to use deadly force. As we progress through litigation, the evidence will show that it was because he was justified in doing so,” Collins said Friday in a statement.

He did not immediately return a later call asking about the excessive force allegations.

Elliott had earlier criticized the speed of the shooting and suggestions by the police chief that Lewis had something in his hand when he was shot. No weapon was found.

SCIENCE

Why does rain have a specific scent?

**PERHAPS YOU CAN REMEMBER THE LAST TIME YOU WENT OUTSIDE AND FELT THE SOFT DROPS OF RAIN PATTERN AGAINST YOUR SKIN. THEN, A VERY DISTINCT SMELL COMES THROUGH,** one that always marks the end of pouring rain. This earthy smell attracts not only us (humans), but many animals that come out of hiding from the rain. What is this smell and where does it come from?

In 1964, scientists from Australia first discovered that this smell came from the moistening of the ground. This process is known as petrichor formation. Petrichor is decomposed materials and is formed when dirt passes through the air. Its name is a combination of the Greek words “petr,” meaning rock and “ichor,” which was thought to be the blood of the gods. The minerals in the dirt and the decomposed material mix up, and when rain occurs, it sends this mixture into the air, creating the fragrance associated with rain.

A significant part of the petrichor smell also comes from plants. In dry periods, plants often release fatty acids such as palmitic and stearic acid, both of which are in some



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of the foods we eat, such as palm oil, butter, cheese and cocoa butter. These fatty acids cause plants to stop their roots from growing and other plants from germinating to reduce competition for water and other resources, because they are released when there is a deficit in nutrients for the plant.

After a significant period of no rain, plants are more susceptible to humidity changes, which are usually induced by rain events. This humidity change often triggers the petrichor scent, because the petrichor has been building up and waiting to spread out. Thus, the smell after a long period of lower precipitation tends to be stronger than it usually would be. This is why you can often smell petrichor before it actually rains when there has been a humidity difference.

The main component of

petrichor is actinobacteria, which is a tiny microorganism found in the soil. It creates a compound known as geosmin, which is partially responsible for the scent. Geosmin has a very potent smell due to its complexity as a compound as well as the fact that it is an alcohol. Geosmin is also responsible for many other important things, such as giving beets their flavor and signaling to fish when it’s time to spawn.

However, this may not be the only contributor to the smell associated with rain. The smell of ozone may also be in the rain, as ozone is formed when lightning ionizes oxygen molecules. Through a process of electric discharge, negative ions are produced that turn O2 — the type of oxygen humans breathe in for survival — into O3, also known as ozone which is usually found in the upper layers of the atmosphere. This is why people can sometimes smell ozone before thunderstorms.

You have likely heard ozone more commonly used in the context of the ozone layer, which is located in the strato-

sphere and blocks out harmful UV rays that could damage our skin. However, when ozone is in the troposphere — the layer of the atmosphere closest to the earth’s surface, below the stratosphere and the one all living things reside under — it is known as smog, which is often linked to pollution. This is because ozone is a very absorbent greenhouse gas and can cause harm to humans and plants. However, the ozone associated with the petrichor smell seems not to have an adverse effect on human health, as its concentration is too low to cause much harm.

Petrichor’s significance as the telltale sign of the end of a downpour is also related to the fact that many of the foods we eat are dependent on rain. Thus, we owe our gratitude to it for being a contributor to something that keeps us healthy and happy.

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CRIME

2 U.S. Navy sailors charged with providing sensitive military information to China

Associated Press

SAN DIEGO — Two U.S. Navy sailors were charged Thursday with providing sensitive military information to China — including details on wartime exercises, naval operations and critical technical material.

The two sailors, both based in California, were charged with similar moves to provide sensitive intelligence to the Chinese. But they were separate cases, and it wasn’t clear if the two were courted or paid by the same Chinese intelligence officer as part of a larger scheme. Federal officials at a news conference in San Diego declined to specify whether there is any tie between the cases.

Both men pleaded not guilty in federal courts in San Diego and Los Angeles. They were ordered to be held until their detention hearings, which will take place Aug. 8 in those same cities.

U.S. officials have for years expressed concern about the espionage threat they say the Chinese government poses, bringing criminal cases in recent years against Beijing intelligence operatives who have stolen sensitive government and commercial information, including through illegal hacking.

The pair of cases also comes on the heels of another insider-threat prosecution tied to the U.S. military, with the Justice Department in April arresting a Massachusetts Air National Guardsman on charges of leaking classified military documents about Russia’s war in Ukraine and other sensitive national security topics on Discord, a social media platform popular with people playing online games.

U.S. officials said the cases exemplify China’s brazenness in trying to obtain insight into U.S. military operations.

Associated Press

NEW YORK — Social media influencer Kai Cenat is facing charges of inciting a riot and promoting an unlawful gathering in New York City, after the online streamer drew thousands of his followers, many of them teenagers, with promises of giving away electronics, including a new PlayStation. The event produced chaos, with dozens of people arrested — some jumping atop vehicles, hurling bottles and throwing punches.

Cenat was released early Saturday from police custody after being issued a desk appearance ticket, which is issued by police to require a suspect to appear in court to answer charges. A police spokesperson said he is to appear in court on Aug. 18.

The mayhem in New

York City’s Union Square Friday afternoon put further focus on the hold social media influencers have on the people who follow and fawn over them.

“Our children cannot be raised by social media,” Mayor Eric Adams said Saturday during a press briefing on an unrelated crime.

Police said they arrested 65 people, including 30 juveniles. Several people were injured, including some with bloodied faces. At least four people were taken away in ambulances.

“I don’t think people realize the level of discipline that we showed to take a very dangerous, volatile situation and to be able to bring it to a level of resolve without any loss of life or any substantial damage to property and without young people harming them-

selves,” Adams said.

Cenat, 21, is a video creator with 6.5 million followers on the platform Twitch, where he regularly livestreams. He also boasts 4 million subscribers on YouTube, where he posts daily life and comedy vlogs ranging from “Fake Hibachi Chef Prank!” to his most recent video, “I Rented Us Girlfriends In Japan!”

His 299 YouTube videos have amassed more than 276 million views among them. In December, he was crowned streamer of the year at the 12th annual Streamy Awards. Messages sent to his publicist, management company and an email address for business inquiries were not immediately returned.

Livestreaming on Twitch from a vehicle as the event gathered steam, Cenat dis-

played gift cards he planned to give away. Noting the crowd and police presence, he urged, “Everybody who’s out there, make sure y’all safe. ... We’re not gonna do nothin’ until it’s safe.”

Eventually he and an entourage got out of the vehicle and hustled through a crowd, crossed a street and went into the park, where Cenat was surrounded by a cheering, shoving mob.

Chief Jeffrey Maddrey of the New York Police Department said Cenat at some point in the afternoon was removed “for his safety” and police were in contact with him. Videos posted on social media and taken from news helicopters showed Cenat being lifted over a fence and out of the crowd and then placed in a police vehicle.

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# ‘DIFFERENT DOESN’T MEAN BAD’



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WVU head coach Neal Brown is willing to give this new era of college football a chance as the Big 12 will expand to 16 teams in 2024.

## Conference realignment rocks college football

BY CODY NESPOR  
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WVU head coach Neal Brown was in the Big 12 during college football's last round of realignment in the early 2010s. As the offensive coordinator at Texas Tech, he saw the conference nearly collapse when the Big 12 lost Nebraska and Colorado in 2010 and then Texas A&M and Missouri in 2012.

This current bout of realignment, which culminated with several high-profile moves Friday night, looks a lot different for the Big 12. The conference added four new schools for 2023 and, despite losing Texas and Oklahoma, will grow to a 16-team league by

bringing Colorado, Arizona, Arizona State and Utah into the fold next season.

"I've been really impressed with (Big 12) commissioner (Brett) Yormark since he took over. I think he's been aggressive," Brown said Saturday. "I don't think enough credit goes to (former) commissioner (Bob) Bowlsby too. I thought the conference, by his leadership, reacted really quickly and added four really good programs to the Big 12 when Texas and Oklahoma initially left...Now we're sitting at 16 teams and I think for the last several months we've been in a position of power, which has not always been the case. I think a lot of credit goes to (Yormark's) leadership."

The Big 12 wasn't the only conference making additions Friday, as it was the Big Ten's pillaging of the Pac-12 that set things into motion. Now the Pac-12, which has existed in some form or another for 108 years, is on the brink of collapse with just four

members left beyond this year.

College football will never be the same as regional conferences go by the wayside in favor of lucrative media deals but Brown, for one, is willing to give this new era a chance.

"Different doesn't mean bad," Brown said. "I think sometimes we get used to things. We get used to watching TV a certain way, we get used to certain rules within college athletics, we get used to certain conferences and I think people in general don't like change. But just because things are different, doesn't mean they're necessarily worse."

Brown said fans' connection to college football is through their university, not necessarily the conference they're in or the teams they're playing against.

"I do think some of the things that make college athletics great is there's this connection," Brown said. "Sitting there (Sat-

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JUSTIN JACKSON

## SEC will lead last two moves in conference realignment

By now you're wondering what's next?

As in, what's the next move in college conference realignment?

The Big 12 made its move by adding Arizona, Arizona State and Utah, a solid play by Big 12 commish Brett Yormark.

The Big Ten followed by adding Oregon and Washington.

As much as the college athletics world seems to be in chaos, there are really just two moves left to be made in order to have calm.

Both are basically controlled by SEC Commissioner Greg Sankey in one way or another.

Before peace can be restored, more dominoes must fall.

That begins with the ACC, which you can argue started all of this mess back in 2004 when it raided the Big East of Miami and Virginia Tech and a year later did it again by adding Boston College.

Florida State, believing it's still the national football power it once was — despite its 36-36 record over the last five seasons — is going to leave the ACC somehow.

Sankey will control that, as well as having the first pick of whoever else he wants from that league, i.e. Clemson. That's the first move.

The ACC will fall along the same party line as the Pac-12, it's only a matter of time.

You can have fun guessing who goes where. Will Pitt join the Big 12? Will Duke and North Carolina go Big Ten?

In the end, there will be but three power conferences with the SEC ruling the roost in football.

OK, here's the problem. The current contract for the 12-team College Football Playoff that begins with the 2024 season was agreed upon with the idea that the Pac-12 and ACC would survive.

SEE JACKSON, B-5

## PREP SPORTS

# Morgantown girls soccer gearing up for state title defense

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After a 20-win season that was capped off with a Class AAA state championship, the Morgantown girls soccer team is prepared to take the field to begin its 2023 season and defense of its title.

The Mohigans will face the year with a few obstacles to navigate with first-year head coach Bri Frontuto taking the helm after the departure of Stirlin Rivers, and a roster of only 13 players total during their initial week of practice.

The good news for MHS is that the roster still includes WV State and Gatorade Player of the Year Gracie Brown, who contributed 25 goals and 17 assists last season on her way to first-team all-state honors also. The senior also committed to play at Auburn after high school.

Brown isn't the only first-team all-state player returning to the roster as junior defender Ariana Borneo also earned the honors last season as a sophomore. Lily Staples and Emily Carpenter will look to make a positive impact for MHS as well.

Coach Frontuto, a Green Bay, Wis. native, is excited for the challenge that comes with being a first-year coach of the defending



Benjamin Powell/The Dominion Post

Morgantown's Gracie Brown (10) returns to the field this season after being named State and Gatorade Player of the Year.

state champions.

"The girls are really hard workers, and I love the grit that they play with," Frontuto said last week during practice. "They know how to work hard and do the little things right. The numbers are a bit small right now, but the leadership and talent on the team is still very strong and I've been impressed so far."

Frontuto played goalkeeper in Division II for Northern Michigan University before playing

semi-professionally in the Women's Premier Soccer League for the Green Bay Glory.

"Coming together as a team is going to be really important for us," she said. "These girls are a solid unit and some have been playing together since before they were playing here. The skill is also nice to see, I went to a small high school and we were teaching some girls how to pass."

SEE MHS, B-6

## WVU FOOTBALL PREVIEW

# Transfers brought in to plug up leaky safety group

BY CODY NESPOR  
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The biggest weakness of West Virginia's defense in 2022 was its pass defense. Big 12 opponents feasted on an inexperienced and ill-equipped WVU secondary that failed to contain opposing quarterbacks or make impact plays.

The Mountaineers were second-last in the Big 12 last season in pass defense (262.3 yards per game) and last in yards per reception (8.2) and interceptions (four). Much of that can be tracked back to WVU's safeties, a position that lacked a true leader for most of the year.

"In the back end, there wasn't really a veteran guy," junior Aubrey Burks. "Charles (Woods) was a veteran guy, but he got hurt. When he got hurt, right then and there, that kind of killed us having a veteran guy."

Without Woods, the unit struggled with communication. Playing as a sophomore, Burks was not yet ready to be the leader of the group, but he is taking steps to fill that role in 2023.

"The chemistry wasn't really there," Burks continued. "I can say as a secondary, we didn't fully commit ourselves to try and be the best secondary. Just

having that one year together and carrying on to now, our chemistry is way better."

Burks finished 2022 as WVU's second-leading tackler, making 66 total stops and snagging one of the team's few interceptions. He will start at free safety opposite redshirt-senior Marcis Floyd at cat safety.

Like Burks, Floyd is a returning starter. He is entering his second season with the Mountaineers after transferring from Murray State. He was third on the team with 63 total tackles and was credited with four pass breakups without an interception.

"It was a clean slate and you had to teach them everything," safeties coach Dontae Wright said of last year's inexperience. "They had growing pains, true growing pains and that was expected. That's why I'm excited because once you got halfway through the year, you knew they're starting to come on."

To supplement that returning duo, WVU brought in a pair of veteran transfers to try and avoid a repeat of last season's inexperience. The Mountaineers first brought in senior Keyshawn Cobb from Buffalo and then redshirt-junior

SEE SAFETY, B-5



SCOREBOARD

BOAT TOURS

Take a boat tour of Cheat Lake

Unless you own a boat, taking a tour of Cheat Lake is not possible. However, on August 20, part of the Cheat Lake Regatta will be a boat tour of the lake.

Tours are scheduled for 12:30, 1:30 and 2:30 p.m. Boats will leave from waters edge at Dockside Grill. Price is \$25 per adult, children under 12 free.

You can preregister, or book a tour when you arrive at Dockside. Pre-

registration is suggested as space is limited. All proceeds go via the Rotary Club of Cheat Lake to projects that make the Cheat Lake area a great place to live.

To preregister Google ‘Cheat Lake Rotary’, then go to the Rotary Club of Cheat Lake, push the three bars at the top and go to events. Then pre-register at Boat Tours. You may want to stay for the Regatta Party starting at 4:30 p.m. with food, live music and prizes.

ON TV

AUTO RACING

11 a.m.: USA — IMSA WeatherTech SportsCar Championship: The IMSA SportsCar Weekend, Road America, Plymouth, Wis.  
12:30 p.m.: NBC — NTT IndyCar Series: The Big Machine Music City Grand Prix, Nashville Street Circuit, Nashville, Tenn.  
2:30 p.m.: USA — NASCAR Cup Series: The FireKeepers Casino 400, Michigan International Speedway, Brooklyn, Mich.  
3 p.m.: NBC — FIM MotoGP: Round 9, Towcester, England (Taped)

BEACH VOLLEYBALL

12 p.m.: ESPN2 — AVP Gold Series: The Atlanta Open - Women's and Men's Championships, Atlanta

CFL FOOTBALL

7 p.m.: CBSSN — Ottawa at Saskatchewan

GOLF

8 a.m.: GOLF — LPGA Tour: The Trust Golf Women's Scottish Open, Final Round, Dundonald Links, Ayrshire, Scotland  
1 p.m.: CW — LIV Golf League: Final Round, The Old White at The Greenbrier, White Sulphur Springs, W.V.  
GOLF — PGA Tour: The Wyndham Championship, Final Round, Sedgefield Country Club, Greensboro, N.C.  
3 p.m.: CBS — PGA Tour: The Wyndham Championship, Final Round, Sedgefield Country Club, Greensboro, N.C.  
6 p.m.: GOLF — Korn Ferry Tour: The Utah Championship, Final Round, Oakridge Country Club, Farmington, Utah

GYMNASTICS

4:30 p.m.: NBC — USGA: The U.S. Classic, Chicago

HORSE RACING

1 p.m.: FS2 — Saratoga Live: From Saratoga Springs, N.Y.  
1:30 p.m.: FS1 — Saratoga Live: From Saratoga Springs, N.Y.  
5:30 p.m.: FS2 — Saratoga Live: From Saratoga Springs, N.Y.

LACROSSE (MEN'S)

1 p.m.: ABC — PLL: Redwoods vs. Chaos, Baltimore

LITTLE LEAGUE BASEBALL

3 p.m.: ESPN — Little League World Series: TBD, Southeast Regional - Semifinal, Warner Robins, Ga.  
5 p.m.: ESPN — Little League World Series: TBD, Southwest Regional - Semifinal, Waco, Texas

MLB

12:05 p.m.: PEACOCK — Chicago White Sox at Cleveland  
1:30 p.m.: MLBN — Regional Coverage: NY Mets at Baltimore OR Kansas City at Philadelphia  
4:30 p.m.: MLBN — Regional Coverage: Seattle at LA Angels OR San Francisco at Oakland (Joined in Progress)  
7 p.m.: ESPN — LA Dodgers at San Diego  
ESPN2 — LA Dodgers at San Diego (KayRod Cast)

RODEO

12 p.m.: CBS — PBR: The Camping World Teams Series, Kansas City (Taped)

RUGBY

6:30 p.m.: FS1 — Premier Sevens: Championship, Washington

SOCCER (MEN'S)

10:55 a.m.: ESPN — Club Friendly: Athletic Bilbao vs. Manchester United, Dublin

SOCCER (WOMEN'S)

5 a.m.: FOX — FIFA World Cup: Sweden vs. U.S., Round of 16, Melbourne, Australia  
3:30 a.m. (Monday): FS1 — FIFA World Cup: England vs. Nigeria, Round of 16, Brisbane, Australia  
6:30 a.m. (Monday): FS1 — FIFA World Cup: Australia vs. Denmark, Round of 16, Sydney

SOFTBALL

2 p.m.: ESPN2 — Athletes Unlimited: Team Faraimo vs. Team Zerkle, Rosemont, Ill.

TENNIS

12 p.m.: TENNIS — Washington-ATP Men's Doubles Final  
2:30 p.m.: TENNIS — Washington-WTA Women's Singles Final  
5 p.m.: TENNIS — Washington-ATP Final

TRIATHLON

1 p.m.: CNBC — PTO Tour: The U.S. Open, Milwaukee (Taped)

WNBA

3 p.m.: ABC — Las Vegas at New York

PRO SOCCER

Women's World Cup

**GROUP A**  
Thursday, July 20  
New Zealand 1, Norway 0  
Friday, July 21  
Philippines 0, Switzerland 2  
Tuesday, July 25  
New Zealand 0, Philippines 1  
Switzerland 0, Norway 0  
Sunday, July 30  
Switzerland 0, New Zealand 0  
Norway 6, Philippines 0

**GROUP B**  
Thursday, July 20  
Australia 1, Ireland 0  
Nigeria 0, Canada 0  
Wednesday, July 26  
Canada 2, Ireland 1  
Thursday, July 27  
Australia 2, Nigeria 3  
Monday, July 31  
Canada 0, Australia 4  
Ireland 0, Nigeria 0

**GROUP C**  
Friday, July 21  
Spain 3, Costa Rica 0  
Saturday, July 22  
Zambia 0, Japan 5  
Wednesday, July 26  
Japan 2, Costa Rica 0  
Spain 5, Zambia 0  
Monday, July 31  
Japan 4, Spain 0  
Costa Rica 1, Zambia 3

**GROUP D**  
Saturday, July 22  
England 1, Haiti 0  
Denmark 1, China 0  
Friday, July 28  
England 1, Denmark 0  
China 1, Haiti 0  
Tuesday, Aug. 1  
China 1, England 6  
Haiti 0, Denmark 2

**GROUP E**  
Friday, July 21  
United States 3, Vietnam 0  
Sunday, July 23  
Netherlands 1, Portugal 0  
Wednesday, July 26  
United States 1, Netherlands 1  
Thursday, July 27

Portugal 2, Vietnam 0  
Tuesday, Aug. 1  
Portugal 0, United States 0  
Vietnam 0, Netherlands 7

**GROUP F**  
Sunday, July 23  
France 0, Jamaica 0  
Monday, July 24  
Brazil 4, Panama 0  
Saturday, July 29  
France 2, Brazil 1  
Panama 0, Jamaica 1  
Wednesday, Aug. 2  
Panama 3, France 6  
Jamaica 0, Brazil 0

**GROUP G**  
Sunday, July 23  
Sweden 2, South Africa 1  
Monday, July 24  
Italy 1, Argentina 0  
Thursday, July 27  
Argentina 2, South Africa 2  
Saturday, July 29  
Sweden 5, Italy 0  
Wednesday, Aug. 2  
Argentina 0, Sweden 2  
South Africa 3, Italy 2

**GROUP H**  
Monday, July 24  
Germany 6, Morocco 0  
Colombia 2, South Korea 0  
Sunday, July 30  
South Korea 0, Morocco 1  
Germany 1, Colombia 2  
Thursday, Aug. 3  
South Korea 1, Germany 1  
Morocco 1, Colombia 0  
**ROUND OF 16**  
Saturday, Aug. 5  
Switzerland 1, Spain 5  
Japan 3, Norway 1  
Netherlands vs. South Africa, 10 p.m.  
Sunday, Aug. 6  
Sweden vs. United States, 5 a.m.  
Monday, Aug. 7  
England vs. Nigeria, 3:30 a.m.  
Australia vs. Denmark, 6:30 a.m.  
Tuesday, Aug. 8  
Colombia vs. Jamaica, 4 a.m.  
France vs. Morocco, 7 a.m.

MLB

Perkins hits RBI single in 10th to lift Brewers to 3-2 win over Pirates

Associated Press

MILWAUKEE — Blake Perkins singled with the bases loaded through the right side with two outs in the 10th inning to give the Milwaukee Brewers a 3-2 victory over the Pittsburgh Pirates on Saturday night.

After pinch-hitter Brian Anderson struck out to open the 10th against Angel Perdomo (2-2), Mark Canha was walked intentionally. Both runners advanced on Christian Yelich's grounder to first. William Contreras was walked intentionally to load the bases and Perkins lined a 2-1 pitch into right to score Victor Caratini.

Devin Williams (6-3) got the win with a perfect 10th.

The Brewers tied it in the ninth when Carlos Santana, acquired from Pittsburgh before the trade deadline, singled to open off closer David Bednar. Pinch-runner Perkins advanced on a fly out, took third on a wild pitch and scored on rookie Sal Frelich's RBI single to center.

Jason Delay doubled in the only two runs off Brewers starter Corbin Burnes in the fifth. Llover Peguero singled to center with two outs for the first hit against Burnes, and stole second. Alike Williams walked and Delay followed with a two-run double to the gap in left-center.

Milwaukee got one back



AP photo

Pittsburgh Pirates' Jason Delay hits a two-RBI double during the fifth inning of a baseball game against the Milwaukee Brewers, Saturday in Milwaukee.

in the bottom half when Caratini and Brice Turang opened with consecutive singles, chasing starter Bailey Falter. Andre Jackson, called up Friday from Triple-A Indianapolis, advanced the runners with a wild pitch. Caratini scored on Yelich's one-out RBI grounder.

Milwaukee increased its lead in the NL Central to 1 ½ games over Cincinnati, which lost to Washington 7-3.

Burnes, the NL Pitcher of the Month in July when he went 4-1 with a 1.85 ERA

in six starts, allowed just two hits, but needed 107 pitches to get through six innings, striking out five and walking four.

Falter, acquired at the deadline from Philadelphia where he was 0-7 with a 5.13 ERA before being sent down in May, allowed one run and six hits in four innings in his Pirates debut.

TRAINER'S ROOM

Brewers: RHP Brandon Woodruff, on the injured list since early April with right shoulder inflamma-

tion is expected to be recalled Sunday and start.

ROSTER MOVES

Pirates INF Vinny Capra was optioned to Triple-A Indianapolis to make room for Falter. ... Brewers RHP Colin Rea was optioned to Triple-A Nashville and LHP Clayton Andrews was recalled from Nashville.

UP NEXT

Woodruff (1-0, 0.79) starts for the Brewers in the series finale today against Pirates RHP Johan Oviedo (5-11, 4.42).

SAFETY

FROM PAGE B-4

Anthony Wilson from Georgia Southern.

WVU is Cobb's fourth school after playing at two community colleges and then Buffalo last season. Cobb seems to be used to transferring as he has fit in nicely with the Mountaineers so far.

“You would think he’s been here for three years,” Wright said. “Not just in terms of the playbook, but being around the guys. That young man has come in, opened his heart and dove into this program and understands that it’s not just about him. He came here for a reason, but he’s got to buy in to what our culture is and he’s done that.”



AP photo

Safety Keyshawn Cobb transferred from Buffalo to WVU this offseason as the Mountaineers try to shore up their secondary.

In his one season with the Bulls, Cobb racked up 66 tackles, six for a loss with

eight pass deflections and a pick-six.

Wilson was a three-year

JACKSON

FROM PAGE B-4

The champions of the Power Five would all get an automatic bid to the playoff, as would the highest-ranked champion from the Group of Five leagues.

The other six at-large teams are the six highest-ranked teams remaining.

If you only have three power conferences — the Big 12, Big Ten and SEC — that leaves the door wide open for Cinderella to have a dance at the ball.

No way will Sankey allow that.

There will still be schools out there that will be left to fend for their own once the ACC

blows up.

Oregon State, Stanford, Washington State and Cal are among those left in the Pac-12 that have a choice to make.

In the ACC, it's conceivable schools such as Wake Forest, Boston College and Syracuse will get left behind, too.

Maybe the remaining Pac-12 schools merge with the Mountain West. Maybe the remaining ACC schools merge with the American Athletic.

Yet Sankey — and to some degree the Big Ten, and maybe even the Big 12, too — are not going to allow both of those conferences to get an automatic bid to a 12-team playoff.

You can already hear

the back-hallway discussions how an 11-2 San Diego State team and a 12-1 Tulane team don't both deserve in the playoff just because they won their league that added the runts of what was once Power Five schools.

Not over a nine-win Penn State or a nine-win Florida.

The reason is too much money would be left on the table by allowing too many Cinderellas into the big dance.

Under the current four-team playoff, each conference receives about \$6 million per team selected.

Numbers haven't been released on the absolute value of the 12-team playoff, but you know those

numbers are going up, so let's say it becomes \$8 million per team.

So, you take the champs of the new “Power Three,” which leaves nine spots left.

Are you going to give two of those spots to what would still be the Group of Five, but one that is more competitive than before? Very doubtful.

It's quite possible the SEC, Big Ten and Big 12 throw their weight around come 2025, when the current media rights deal with ESPN runs out and a whole new format will be unveiled for the 12-team playoff.

That's the second move, one that could, finally, restore peace to the galaxy.

tom line too.”

When the Big East went under in 2012, WVU was one of the schools floating in limbo after not receiving an invitation to the ACC like so many of its contemporaries had. Ironically, it was WVU joining the Big 12 alongside TCU that helped the conference survived then as the pair boosted the league back up to 10 members and helped fend off poaching attempts from the Pac-12.

This time around the Big 12, and the Mountaineers by extension, were the ones doing the poaching.

“You either eat or you get eaten,” Brown said. “At least right now, from a West Virginia standpoint, we're in the group that's eating.”

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OUTDOORS

Ticks may help to spread CWD in deer



DAVE SAMUEL

If you’ve followed some of my previous columns you know at least two things relative to deer and ticks. First, Chronic Wasting Disease (CWD) has the potential to eliminate white-tailed deer. Second, several species of ticks can attach to deer, continue to spread, and cause at least five major diseases in humans.

Let’s go over point number one first. We actually know a lot about Chronic Wasting Disease (CWD) and its impact on deer.

I’ve reported on some of this in previous columns. We know from a study done in Wisconsin that deer with CWD had a 75% annual mortality rate while those that did not have CWD had a 24% mortality rate.

That does not mean that you find CWD positive deer laying all over the woods because CWD impacts other forms of mortality. If a deer has CWD it has a higher chance of being shot by hunters because they are less aware.

If a deer has CWD where there are mountain lions, it has a higher chance of being caught and killed by those big cats because the deer with CWD are less wary. If a deer has CWD it has a

higher chance of being hit and killed by a vehicle on a highway because they are less aware.

No matter what the cause, deer with CWD died at a much higher rate than deer without CWD. That is because they are sick deer and not as wary as healthy deer.

I might add another study done in Wyoming showed 68% annual deaths for CWD deer and only 24% for deer without CWD.

It seems that CWD has the potential to eliminate white-tailed deer. I do not want to be the bearer of bad news, but the more we learn about CWD and what happens to deer that get CWD, the scarier the future sounds.

Hunters love to get older, bigger bucks, but research shows that older bucks are more susceptible to getting CWD. The data in one computer study shows when a high percent (let’s say 40% and above) of the deer in an area have CWD, lots of deer will die. Even with hunting mortality eliminated in the model, the deer population will drop year after year.

Now let’s talk about how ticks may be helping CWD spread in deer: We already know there are several ways that CWD gets from one deer to another: Prions that cause CWD pass from infected deer via mucous, urine, and feces. So when another deer contacts any of those things, it can get the prions.

If an infected deer uri-

nates in a scrape, and another deer licks that scrape, it can get CWD. If a deer licks a branch that is over a scrape (and they do that all the time), and another deer licks that branch (and they do that all the time), they can get CWD. Plus, when urine or feces end up on vegetation and a deer eats that vegetation, it can get CWD.

Obviously, we don’t need any more ways to spread CWD in deer, but new research has found one that is linked to black-legged ticks. Warmer winters up north, have allowed this deer tick to expand its range and we have lots of them in West Virginia.

Part of this new research was a lab study where they set up an artificial membrane made out of silicon for black-legged ticks to feed on.

They were then able to control the amounts of prions in the deer blood the ticks were feeding on. The end result was they showed that black-legged ticks could take up prions from the blood and excrete them.

The second part of the study involved collecting ticks from the ears of deer shot in Wisconsin by hunters in an area where CWD was very common. Some of those ticks had CWD prions in them.

Though the final data is not out yet, the researchers speculate that those infected ticks can lead to infection in other deer.

They further speculated

that grooming might be a pathway for the transmission of CWD. Here is how that might happen. Deer with CWD have prions in various body locations including their blood.

When this tick takes a blood meal from a CWD-positive deer, it ingests infectious prions. It is common for does to groom other does and does will also groom their fawns.

Ticks on the bodies of deer can cause increased grooming behavior. They lick and can ingest ticks by accident. If the deer being groomed has CWD, then prions are going to be in the ticks on its body.

Such research is important because we need to know as much as possible about potential transmission pathways for CWD.

Now we know that at least one blood-obligate parasite plays a role in prion transmission.

There is one other piece of bad news about this situation. Ticks concentrate infectious prions. Thus one tick might have many more infectious prions than would be found in that deer’s urine or mucous. The tick excreting material to the ground puts many prions there. Not good, and it’s just another reason why eliminating CWD in deer may be impossible.

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PRO FOOTBALL

Eagles reserve lineman Sills acquitted of rape, kidnapping charges



AP file photo

This is a 2022 photo of Josh Sills of the Philadelphia Eagles NFL football team. On Friday, Aug. 4, 2023, Sills was acquitted of felony rape and kidnapping charges in Ohio. He will be returning to the Eagles’ active roster.

Associated Press

CAMBRIDGE, Ohio — Josh Sills, a reserve offensive lineman for the NFC champion Philadelphia Eagles, has been acquitted of felony rape and kidnapping charges in Ohio and will be returning to the team’s active roster.

Jurors in Guernsey County reached not-guilty verdicts on both counts Friday after deliberating for about three hours. Sills, 25, showed no reaction as the verdicts were read but immediately stood and thanked the panel when the judge offered him an opportunity to address them.

“I’d like to thank my family who have supported me from day one,” he said. “I have done nothing wrong, and I’m glad that was proven today.” Defense attorney Michael Connick said the verdict “ends a nearly four-year nightmare for the Sills family, and particularly Josh.”

The Sarahsville, Ohio, native was indicted Jan. 31 by a county grand jury, accused of having engaged in sexual activity that was not consensual

and holding a woman against her will Dec. 5, 2019. Ohio Attorney General Dave Yost said in a statement that the accusation was immediately reported and the county sheriff’s office did a detailed investigation.

“I still believe the victim,” Yost said in a statement after the verdict. “But in America, criminal convictions require proof beyond a reasonable doubt. The jury did not see it, and I thank them for doing their duty under the law.”

Sills, a 6-foot-6, 325-pound player at West Virginia and Oklahoma State, was an undrafted free agent who appeared in one game this season. He was placed on the NFL commissioner’s exempt list after he was indicted, meaning he couldn’t practice, play or travel with the Eagles as they prepared for their Super Bowl matchup with the Kansas City Chiefs.

The Eagles said in a statement that following the verdict, Sills was removed from the exempt list “and he will return to the team’s active roster.”

AUTO SPORTS

Kevin Harvick makes a last run at Michigan, aiming to secure spot in NASCAR playoffs

Associated Press

BROOKLYN, Mich. — Kevin Harvick has fond memories of Michigan International Speedway, where he won for the sixth time last summer.

Harvick is just not real interested in waxing poetically about the track before making one last run on it Sunday in the FireKeepers Casino 400.

“Michigan has been a great place for us, but when we leave it’s over,” he said. “I’m not coming back.”

It’s not personal. It’s business.

While the 47-year-old Harvick may return to the Irish Hills region of southern Michigan as a TV analyst and potentially for his managing and marketing company, he has no plans to race on the two-mile oval again in the future.

The 2014 Cup champion announced in January he’s retiring after this year.

“If I would’ve had it my way, I would’ve just been done last year,” he said.

Harvick came back because he knows it’s not just about him, considering the people on his team that count on him for their careers and the many fans who have helped him become rich and famous.

On Friday night, Harvick signed autographs for several hundred people who lined up to meet and greet him at FireKeepers Casino about 50 miles west of MIS.

“That’s what this year is for,” he said. “Obviously, you want to end it well and win and be competitive.”

Harvick is No. 6 in the Cup standings, but he hasn’t finished first in a



AP photo

Kevin Harvick drives during qualifications for a NASCAR Cup Series auto race at Michigan International Speedway in Brooklyn, Mich., Saturday.

race since his 60th and last Cup victory at Michigan last year ended a 65-race winless drought.

He may need to win once more — with four races remaining in the regular season — in the No. 4 Ford for Stewart-Haas Racing to end his career in the playoffs for the 14th straight year.

“I don’t feel any pressure,” said Harvick, who was 22nd in qualifying.

At the start of his career, he had plenty of pressure at the start of his career as Dale Earnhardt’s replacement just days after his fatal crash in 2001.

Harvick, who is from Bakersfield, California, made the most of his opportunity two-plus decades ago when he won his third start. He had much more success over the years with signature wins at the Daytona 500, Coca-Cola 600, Brickyard 400 and Southern 500.

“He’s left a great legacy

in our sport,” driver and team owner Brad Keselowski said. “He’s won a lot of races, a Cup championship, Xfinity titles, truck titles as an driver and owner. That’s a pretty good mark that I don’t know anyone else can lay claim to, let alone taking over an iconic ride with Earnhardt’s car and all the pressures that came with that.

“With time, we’ll recognize him for the icon he is and was in our sport.”

THE GRID

Christopher Bell won his second pole of the season, and the sixth of his career. The Joe Gibbs Racing driver, in the No. 20 Toyota, turned a lap at 193.382 mph for the fastest qualifying performance since the Daytona 500 in 2020.

Bell is hoping his fast car can help him finish well after placing 18th or lower in four of his last five

races.

Ross Chastain of Trackhouse Racing will start second followed by rookie Ty Gibbs, who drives for his grandfather’s team, Joe Gibbs racing.

Chris Buescher of RFK Racing qualified fourth, coming off a win at Richmond that gave him the 12th of 16 spots in the post-season. Points leader Martin Truex Jr. will start the 200-lap race fifth in the 37-car field.

SUSPENDED

Legacy Motor Club driver Noah Gragson was suspended indefinitely by NASCAR and his team for liking an insensitive meme with a photo of George Floyd’s face on social media. Josh Berry will be in the No. 42 Chevrolet in Gragson’s place.

COMING BACK

Truex is returning for another run, signing a deal to continue competing for Joe Gibbs Racing next year.

The 43-year-old Truex has not shown signs of slowing down, winning three times. Like Truex did last year, though, he took his time making a decision about his future after publicly pondered retirement.

FORD TOUGH

Ford Motor Co. has won eight straight races at Michigan since Kyle Larson won a third straight race in a Chevrolet at the tack in 2017.

ODDS AND ENDS

Truex is the betting favorite Sunday, according to FanDuel Sportsbook.

PRO BASEBALL

Tim Anderson and José Ramírez exchange punches, 6 ejected in ballgame brawl

Associated Press

CLEVELAND — Tim Anderson of the Chicago White Sox and José Ramírez of the Cleveland Guardians exchanged punches at second base Saturday night, triggering a bench-clearing melee in the sixth inning that led to six ejections.

Ramírez appeared to connect with a right hand to the face of Anderson, who fell backward to the ground. A long fight ensued, one of the nastiest in the majors in recent years.

Cleveland manager Terry Francona, third base coach Mike Sarbaugh and closer Emmanuel Clase, and Chicago manager Pedro Grifol were ejected for their actions later in a brawl that included multiple flare-ups on the infield and in foul territory. It took 15 minutes before order was restored.

The altercation began when Ramírez slid head-first into second with an RBI double and Anderson stood over him, straddling Ramírez. When Ramírez got up, he pointed his finger in Anderson’s face

and yelled, prompting them to square off.

Anderson dropped his mitt and threw the first punch, setting off a fight that saw both dugouts and bullpens empty onto the infield at Progressive Field. Sarbaugh and Clase were the primary figures in subsequent escalations during the delay.

Anderson had to be forcibly taken into the dugout by members of the coaching staff, but returned to the field several minutes later from the clubhouse. Chicago teammate Andrew Vaughn physically carried Anderson down the steps following the latter outburst.

The White Sox held a 5-1 lead when the game was delayed.

After Anderson went down, the shortstop got up incensed and did all he could to get at Cleveland’s All-Star third baseman while being restrained by several teammates.

Tempers temporarily calmed before Francona and Grifol had words, leading to pushing and shoving by players and coaches on both teams as the crowd roared.

MHS

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The Mohigans will hit the road for their first four games, visiting Buckhannon-Upshur on Aug. 19 to open the season. The going to Bridgeport, Oak Glen, and Wheeling Park. The first home game will see Linsly visit MHS on

Sept. 7.

“My biggest challenge is definitely the numbers right now,” Coach Fronto said. “The talent is there but having 13 girls is going to be a challenge. We need to make sure being short on players doesn’t change the level of our play when it matters most.”

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GOLF

# Horschel, Glover tied for the lead at Wyndham Championship

Associated Press

GREENSBORO, N.C. — Lucas Glover and Billy Horschel started the Wyndham Championship as long shots to advance to the PGA Tour postseason. Now they have reason to think about winning.

Glover had great control Saturday, hitting every fairway and missing only one green, on his way to an 8-under 62. That gave him a share of the lead with Horschel, who fought his swing toward the end and still managed a 63.

They were at 18-under 192, one shot ahead of 36-hole leader Russell Henley. He rolled in a sweeping birdie putt from just inside 30 feet on the last hole for a 65.

The Wyndham Championship is the final PGA Tour event before the lucrative postseason, and only the top 70 advance to the FedEx Cup playoffs next week in Memphis, Tennessee. That's a change from previous years, when the top 125 made the postseason.

Glover came into Sedgefield Country Club at No. 112 and without a win in more than two years. But he has been building to this point, with three finishes of sixth or better in his last four tournaments, and he put it together on a warm, sunny day that began to dry out the course.

He finished with birdies on his last two holes, a wedge that landed near the pin and settled 2 feet away on the 17th, and a 6-foot birdie putt on the 18th hole.

Horschel, who is No. 119 in the standings, began his day under a tree right of the first fairway. He chopped out across the fairway into rough, used the contour of the green to run a wedge into 8 feet and escaped with par.

He went on to a bogey-free round and scores of 62-63 that give him a chance to extend his season, having already booked a trip to the Bahamas with his family next week.

Justin Thomas also stayed in the mix, at least



AP photo

Billy Horschel looks at his ball as he walks off the 15th green after making a birdie putt during the third round of the Wyndham Championship golf tournament in Greensboro, N.C., Saturday,

for his season. He posted a 66 that moved him into a tie for 11th, and while the nine-shot deficit is likely too much ground to make up, he is on the verge of sneaking into the top 70 to extend his season.

Thomas has never missed the postseason since his rookie season in 2015. Even more is at stake this year. He is under consideration as a captain's

pick for the Ryder Cup, and it would make such a choice more difficult if he doesn't have a place to play the next three weeks.

"It's a different kind of nerves," Thomas said. "It's a lot harder than trying to win a golf tournament, in my opinion. I think when you're trying to win a tournament you're there and if you don't win it's a bummer, but you still had a

great week. If I just don't get it done for what I need to get done this week, then it sucks and my year's over."

Byeong Hun An, already a lock for the postseason, had a 65 and was three shots behind. Stephen Jaeger (64) was at 13-under 197, the only other player within five of the co-leaders.

Horschel and Glover are dealing with setbacks of different varieties. Glover had been working through a spell of the yips when he switched to a long putter at the Memorial, the version that has worked well for Adam Scott.

He missed a 2-foot putt in a playoff with a U.S. Open spot at stake in a qualifier, but he has been finding his groove in recent weeks.

"It's nice to feel you can make all your tap-ins for a change," Glover said with a laugh. "I was down to two options, the long one or left-handed. ... This seemed to work. It's been streaky, but I like the freedom it's given me mentally."

Horschel has been struggling with his swing all

year, and it reached a low point when he shot an 84 at the Memorial and held back tears speaking to the media about the state of his game. Horschel has yet to register a top 10 in stroke play this year.

Suddenly, he feels as though he knows where the ball is going, and his confidence was growing even after a few loose swings took him out of birdie chances toward the end.

"I had really good control, really good tempo until the last two holes," Horschel said.

Horschel and Glover each could advance to the postseason with a runner-up finish, though both have a bigger goal they are chasing.

Scoring has been so good that Henley shot 65 and could barely keep up. Even so, he's right there at a tournament that he felt got away from him two years ago.

"You're going to get lapped if you're just playing for par out here," Henley said.

PRO BASEBALL

## Justin Verlander pitches 7 innings to start second stint with Astros but loses 3-1 to the Yankees

Associated Press

NEW YORK — Justin Verlander began his second stint with the Houston Astros by pitching seven solid innings, but he gave up a go-ahead homer to Jake Bauers that sent the New York Yankees to a 3-1 victory Saturday.

Verlander (6-6) allowed seven hits, his second most this season and lost a regular-season start to the Yankees for the first time since June 19, 2015, with Detroit. He struck out four and walked two and fell to 10-8 lifetime against the Yankees in the regular season.

Rookie Anthony Volpe lifted a sacrifice fly in the second against Verlander for the Yankees, who won for the third time in four games. Gleyber Torres added a homer to open the eighth off Kendall Graveman.

Ian Hamilton (2-1) pitched two innings to earn the win, Tommy Kahnle pitched the seventh and Michael King struck out Altuve looking at a full count changeup to end the eighth with a runner on. Clay Holmes earned his 16th save.

Jose Altuve hit his 200th career homer off Nestor Cortes in the third, but that was Houston's only hit off the Yankees left-hander.

### CUBS 8, BRAVES 6

CHICAGO — Dansby Swanson homered against his former team in a five-run first inning and Chicago's bullpen staved off the major league-leading Atlanta in a rain-soaked win.

Jeimer Candelario hit his first home run since being reacquired by the Cubs, and Ian Happ also went deep.

Chicago went into the game leading the majors in runs since the All-Star break and bounced back after getting shut out 8-0 by Atlanta on Friday. The Cubs began the day 2 1/2 games behind NL Central-leading Milwaukee and two games out of a wild-card spot.

Chicago opened a 5-0 lead early and never looked back. After an error by first baseman Matt Olson allowed two runs to score, Swanson hit his 17th home

run off All-Star Bryce Elder (8-3) to make it 4-0. Elder went 4 1/3 innings and permitted seven runs (five earned) on seven hits.

Michael Fulmer (3-5) replaced Cubs starter Javier Assad in the fourth and worked 1 1/3 scoreless innings.

### TIGERS 4, RAYS 2

DETROIT — Jake Rogers drove in three runs and Akil Baddoo homered and Detroit won after losing its previous four meetings with Tampa Bay.

Tarik Skubal (2-1) picked up the win, allowing an unearned run and six hits in 5 1/3 innings. He struck out six while walking one. Beau Brieske earned his first career save.

Aaron Civale (5-3) lost for the first time to the Tigers in his 11th start, giving up three runs and nine hits in 4 1/3 innings. Civale, who was making his Rays debut, had gone 7-0 with a 2.06 ERA in 10 starts against Detroit for Cleveland. The Guardians won all 10 games.

### RANGERS 9, MARLINS 8

ARLINGTON, Texas — Rookie Josh Jung hit the third of three multi-run home runs for Texas in the middle innings and the Rangers overcame Miami for their fifth consecutive victory.

Robbie Grossman hit a three-run homer in the fourth, and Corey Seager had a two-run homer in the fifth preceding Jung's first-pitch, two-run shot.

Jon Gray (7-5) earned his first victory since June 2, allowing five runs — three earned — on six hits and two walks. Gray pitched on 11 days of rest, missing his previous rotation turn with lingering effects of a liner off his left shin July 19.

Will Smith got his 20th save in 22 opportunities despite allowing a two-run homer to Jake Burger.

Ryan Weathers (1-7), who was recalled from Triple-A Jacksonville before the game, gave up the homers to Seager and Jung, plus RBI doubles to Nathaniel Lowe in the seventh and eighth innings.

NFL

## Pro Football Hall of Fame holds induction ceremony, WVU alum Chuck Howley among those honored

Associated Press

CANTON, Ohio — Revis Island has a new home in "Football Heaven."

After Joe Klecko and Fireman Ed got the green-clad crowd roaring "J-E-T-S! Jets! Jets! Jets!" four-time All-Pro cornerback Darrelle Revis took his spot in the Pro Football Hall of Fame on Saturday.

"It's an honor to be here, to stand among the greats," the soft-spoken Revis said.

A first-ballot inductee, Revis was so dominant that opposing quarterbacks stopped throwing the ball his way.

He won a Super Bowl in his only season with the New England Patriots before returning home to New York and finished his career with seven Pro Bowl selections.

"To the Jets fans, for all the boos and cheers when I was drafted 14th overall to burning my jersey when I signed with the Patriots to now being here in Canton, I guess it's safe to say we've been through a lot together," Revis said. "You expected great things out of me every single game and I accepted the challenge. Thank you for believing in me and supporting me every step of the way. You will always have a place to stay on Revis Island."

Klecko, a fan favorite in New York, also was among nine members of the Class of 2023 that included local hero Joe Thomas who were enshrined during a four-hour ceremony at Tom Benson Hall of Fame Stadium.

Klecko went from working at a trucking company and making a semipro team as an unpaid player with a fake name to earn-



AP photo

Former NFL player Darrelle Revis poses with his bust during his induction into the Pro Football Hall of Fame in Canton, Ohio, Saturday.

ing a scholarship to play at Temple.

Drafted in the sixth round in 1977, the hard-nosed, tough guy from a gritty town in Pennsylvania is the only player in NFL history to be selected to the Pro Bowl at three positions on the defensive line: end, tackle and nose tackle.

Klecko was the heart of the dominant "New York Sack Exchange" defensive line in the 1980s along with Mark Gastineau, Marty Lyons and Abdul Salaam. "I pray that I treated everybody with respect," Klecko said. "I want to be remembered as a player who gave it his all. I wanted to win every down, every battle. I always felt that if you're not mad at yourself if you lose one battle, you don't belong on the field."

An underwhelming crowd filled with mostly Jets and Browns fans came to see Revis, Klecko and Thomas during a week of festivities that included Cleveland's 21-16 victory over New York in the NFL preseason opener on Thursday.

Thomas got the biggest

ovation from hometown fans wearing orange-and-brown No. 73 jerseys. His speech had the "Dawg Pound" barking a few times.

The six-time All-Pro left tackle played a record 10,363 consecutive snaps before torn triceps ended the streak and his career in 2017.

"That number 10,363 is special to me, and not just because it's an NFL record, but because it shows that I was there for my brothers 10,363 times in a row," Thomas said. "Loyalty, consistency, something bigger than yourself, showing up for someone else."

Ronde Barber, a three-time All-Pro who spent all 16 seasons with the Tampa Bay Buccaneers, was the third cornerback inducted in this class.

"I wasn't Darrelle Revis. I wasn't that guy," Barber said. "Not all of us are anointed or can't-miss prospects, proclaimed to be future Hall of Famers on day one of our careers. ... After today, there will be 23 corners in the Pro Football Hall of Fame. And I'm not like any of them because I

couldn't be. I'm here because I refused to be just a guy. Ordinary was not an option."

Zach Thomas, the five-time All-Pro linebacker for the Miami Dolphins, kicked off the speeches.

The 5-foot-11 Thomas, only the third linebacker under 6 feet to make the Pro Football Hall of Fame, thanked everyone from Hall of Fame coach Jimmy Johnson and former teammates Dan Marino and Jason Taylor to Bills, Jets and Patriots fans who "screamed" and "threw things" at him. He choked up when he mentioned fellow Hall of Fame linebacker Junior Seau, who committed suicide in 2012.

DeMarcus Ware, the four-time All-Pro outside linebacker, talked about growing up in a tough environment in Alabama and once having a gun held to his head when he was in college at Troy. He thanked his mother for providing for her family as a single parent and forgave his dad for not being there.

A first-round pick in 2005, Ware set a franchise record with 117 sacks in nine years with the Cowboys. He got another 21 1/2 sacks in three seasons with the Broncos.

Chuck Howley, the only Super Bowl MVP from a losing team, was inducted 50 years after he played his last game. The 87-year-old Howley, a five-time All-Pro linebacker for the Dallas Cowboys, couldn't attend the ceremony.

Dan Coryell, the longtime Chargers coach and architect of the dynamic "Air Coryell" passing offense, was inducted posthumously.

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Harmony Grove and the promise deferred

Five years ago, it was a dream to get large trucks off city roads in Westover and downtown Morgantown. Then it became a promise to a manufacturer that has long since been deferred. And now the long saga of the Harmony Grove interchange has taken yet another turn.

The Dominion Post first reported the idea for a new interstate interchange connecting the Morgantown Industrial Park to Interstates 68 and 79 in September 2018, when it was the subject of a public meeting in Westover.

In early 2020, the West Virginia Department of Transportation told Enrout Properties, the owners of the MIP, to move forward with an interstate justification report and environmental studies as required by the Federal Highway Administration. By mid-2020, the promise of easier interstate access to and from the industrial park sparked the interest of several investors — specifically, it was later revealed, Mountaintop Beverage. By October 2020, Monongalia County Commission, Enrout Properties and the West Virginia Department of Transportation signed a memorandum of understanding, and it was thought if everything went just right (emphasis on the “if”), the Harmony Grove interchange could be underway by March 2022.

In spring 2021, a new TIF district was approved to help pay for the future interchange. A year later, in spring 2022, the appropriate paperwork had been sent off to the state DOT and the FHA for review; Gov. Jim Justice, Sens. Joe Manchin and Shelley Moore Capito and then-Congressman David McKinley all threw their political clout behind the project, requesting the federal government give the interchange an expedited review.

Then in February 2023, Monongalia County Commissioners learned at the Legislature’s Division of Highways Day that the Harmony Grove Interchange could still be four years away. Delegate Joe Statler hinted in May that acrimony in the Legislature toward north-central West Virginia’s economic success played a part in the interchange’s delay.

Also in May, Mountaintop Beverage’s CEO Jeffrey Sokal voiced frustration that the promised access still hadn’t materialized and may still be years out, though Enrout Properties’ Glenn Adrian was still hopeful the project could be finished by 2025. At that time, Adrain told The Dominion Post the rest of 2023 will likely be spent working with the West Virginia Division of Highways and the Federal Highway Administration finalizing a data-gathering process, followed by a state and federal review, public meetings, a submission for approval and the funding discussion.

In June, Adrian gave another update: The IJR for the Federal Highway Administration should wrap up in the next 60 days or so, at which point a design for the interchange would be chosen and the clock would start on the public portion of the National Environmental Policy Act review process.

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City prepared to help WVU through changes

Recently I was honored to have been invited to a meeting held by West Virginia Campus Workers, a group of WVU employees organizing their labor demands centering around the university’s budget crisis.

A couple weeks ago, I lamentingly expressed how concerning it was that the WVU budget crisis is not being treated by many in the community with the severity and urgency I believe it deserves. If the City of Morgantown were facing a proportional size hole in its budget, there would be a constant and visceral reaction from the public and the media of rightful outrage as to how something so catastrophic could have happened.

Our future as a city, county and state is inex-

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orably tied to West Virginia University and its campuses. The City of Morgantown wants to do everything in its power to make sure that WVU succeeds — I think I can safely speak for all of the council and administration when I say that.

To that end, we must have an open and frank conversation about the current crisis WVU is facing. We must have

transparent communication with the public about the issues WVU is facing and the solutions that are being sought.

Investment back into the students, the lifeblood of our university and our city, must be the top priority when tough choices are to be made in light of this budget crisis. I have found lifelong friends, along with deep and incredibly productive partnerships, with so many of the WVU faculty and staff.

The asset that WVU represents for our community cannot be overstated. Our city stands ready to listen and provide assistance where we can, but first, we must have an honest conversation about how we got here and what steps will fix this problem.

Brian Butcher  
7th Ward city councilor  
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POLITICS & ETHICS

Are your elected officials principled or stubborn?

AS I WATCHED THE DEBT CEILING STANDOFF BETWEEN REPUBLICAN LAWMAKERS AND PRESIDENT JOE BIDEN OVER THE LAST SEVERAL MONTHS, I RETURNED TO A QUESTION I HAVE BEEN CONTEMPLATING FOR SEVERAL YEARS: What is the difference between taking a principled stand on an issue and being a stubborn, egotistical obstructionist?

For most of us, whether a politician seems principled or egotistical often depends on whether we agree with the stand they have taken. But with just a little effort, I believe we can get past our biases.

Our culture is built on the idea of winners and losers. In sports (naturally) and business, in academics and talent, even in romance and family — we see competition in all of it. We want to win at life. And if there are winners, there must be losers.

This cultural idea is prevalent in politics. Obviously, there are definite winners and losers in elections. However, as a government by the people, it’s dangerous to approach every single topic or issue as a competition, with close to half of the country being designated “losers.” This mentality creates a country of “us” vs. “them,” with each side claiming a monopoly on truth and

morality and painting the others as deluded, ignorant, or even evil.

We need to stop viewing political opposition as an enemy to annihilate. We cannot silence the opposition. The so-called enemy is not going anywhere. In fact, they are equal participants in our democracy with valid concerns. There will always be people around us with whom we disagree. We live together. We work together. We go to school together and church together and are part of the same communities. We need to learn to govern together.

Governing together means respecting and understanding different perspectives. As President Henry B. Eyring, a leader in the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, said, “... differences can be seen as an opportunity. ... [We can] see a difference in someone else not as a source of irritation but as a contribution.”

Unfortunately, we — the voters — seem to celebrate extremism. We want to be winners. We want to vote for winners. We click on the viral links and support efforts to give ego-driven politicians more exposure. We also cheer when the opposition falters or fails. We mock their mistakes or mis-

steps (literally, in the case of Biden’s tripping or Trump’s cautious descent at West Point).

Our celebration of extremism means we are supporting candidates who have no intention of collaborating to pass legislation. I have seen candidates campaign by claiming they will not go to Washington, D.C., to make friends. I have seen incumbents boast that their colleagues find them difficult to work with. We have politicians who, when they are presented with persuasive arguments, choose to dig in their heels to save face. That isn’t being principled. They seem to mistake antagonistic anger with strength, as if being insolent equates to standing on principle. Stubborn grandstanding is no way to run a democracy.

This type of stubbornness creates frustration and limits effectiveness. The best legislation comes through bipartisan efforts, and those efforts require negotiation, moderation, compromise, and collaboration. When elected officials work to build bridges, relationships, and friendships, they are more likely to produce the kind of legislation that has the longest lasting positive impact.

When I am trying to determine if a politician is driven by principle or ego, some questions I ask include: Is this a pattern of behavior? Does this politician routinely stand against bipartisan legislation that has wide support? Does their opposition to the legislation guarantee them media attention or a viral clip? Have they passionately declared their opposition to or support for a piece of legislation before it has even been discussed, debated, or written? Do they seem to



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Scams against elderly a scourge of our society

I OVERSAW THE CARE OF AN ELDERLY FRIEND IN HIS LAST YEARS. Up until age 86, Frank was pretty much in control. But then he was diagnosed with cancer. The disease and the drugs greatly sapped powers that old age had already altered. The telephone became his conduit to the outside world.

Scammers love people like him. As Frank’s friend and power of attorney, I soon learned the necessity of building a stockade between him and the armies of creeps.

The amount of money older Americans lose to financial abuse could be as high as \$10 billion a year, according to M.T. Connolly, author of “The Measure of Our Age.” It’s a hard number to pin down, because many older people are too embarrassed to admit their gullibility to the authorities. Crimes against the elderly are known to spike right after the Social Security checks go out.

AS I WENT THROUGH HIS FINANCES, I FOUND DISTURBING EVIDENCE OF HIS BEING TAKEN ADVANTAGE OF ...

And the stress of knowing one’s been exploited takes years off their lives, according to a study at Weill Cornell Medical College. Some commit suicide.

I took over Frank’s affairs the day a neighbor called to report that an electric company truck was parked in front of his house. It turned out that his power was being turned off because he had stopped paying bills.

As I went through his finances, I found disturbing evidence of his being taken advantage of by home repair companies. For example, he had used a company that replaced windows but whose main business was trapping buyers in high-interest installment plans.

There was no crime. The windows were put in. And Frank had signed the contract. But would he have accepted this bad deal in his younger days? Doubtful. I had the loan immediately paid off.

While writing checks to Frank’s plumber, the cable company and so forth, I’d hear the phone ring seemingly every hour. He’d pick it up, and it became obvious that it was not anyone he knew, but I could hear from the warmth of the conversation that a connection was being made.

It was someone wanting money for a fund allegedly benefiting police. Frank would proudly say his family was fourth-generation law enforcement. The sturdy voice at the other end sounded like his people, except that they weren’t his people. It may have not even been people. Calls raising money for police groups are the highest-volume phone messages in most major U.S. markets, according to Nomorobo, a call-blocking company. They are almost all super PACs whose operators pocket the money. That doesn’t make them illegal, according to the AARP. It depends on the wording of the message. The

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Hit and miss: DOH fixes some things, not others

With the football season approaching, thousands of fans who were here last year will be welcomed by the same old potholes and built-up patches that were there last year.

Exit 155 off Interstate 79 is one of the main entrances to Morgantown, and it appears that a hit-and-miss crew was dispatched to add more asphalt to the potholes, but they hit three and missed two.

In addition to the potholes and bumps, a deer carcass has been at this location for months, decaying in the extreme heat and covered with some chemical, possibly lime. Should the Division of Highways have removed the deer? The owners/managers of the local businesses appear to ignore the sight and smell of a decaying carcass that could deter potential customers from patronizing their establishments. Hiring someone to remove the carcass is one solution. Who wants to accept that responsibility?

We contacted some politicians to help improve these situations, mainly the problems on Bakers Ridge Road, when we received unreasonable explanations from the DOH. According to the DOH's Citizens Concerns Assistant, once a constituent contacts a politician, they must communicate through the politician in the future.

DOH policy: If you don't like the complaint, muzzle the complainant.

They all receive tax dollars. Why does it matter with whom you communicate? They all should be willing to communicate. We were merely attempting to point out dangerous areas to

the DOH. DOH officials should patrol the roads regularly and observe defective areas.

I can't fathom how this deterioration can continue for more than a few months, but it has continued for several years. There has been some improvement at Exit 7 on Interstate 68, and the Mileground has been an exceptional improvement.

Ron Lemley Morgantown

Same areas are consistently neglected

It's been several months since I wrote a letter to the editor about poor road conditions. Maybe no one was paying attention.

Does anyone care that the Mon County Board of Education is mowing a 20-acre field with zero-turn mowers? I saw two at the same time. Not just mowing, but I would call it grooming. No one uses the field. Instead of using mowers for grooming, maybe they can mow beside the Brookhaven Road where the school buses run. There are no bus stops in that field.

Does anyone in the Division of Highways care that the Brookhaven Road on the Tyrone Avery side is a disaster? It's overgrown with trees, weeds are growing into the road and it desperately needs patched.

Does anyone in the DOH care that trees are dropping like flies across W.Va. 7 from Pioneer Rocks to Masontown? The odds are growing in favor of an ambulance being stuck behind a downed tree.

It's the same situation on W.Va. 72 from Caddell to Rowlesburg. A storm hit three miles outside of Rowlesburg about two weeks ago. Thank goodness it was the newspaper carrier that got stuck, not an ambulance. But



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the DOH doesn't care.

Why is it that after years of patching, W.Va. 72 from Rowlesburg to U.S. 50 got patched again instead of repaved? Now, it's a bumpy mess from the patches upon patches upon patches.

Why is it that W.Va. 7 was

ditched properly, but W.Va. 72 got virtually nothing from Rowlesburg to U.S. 50? A motor grader took the corner of the blade and ran it through the ditch, and the dirt rolled back in. But I guess the DOH doesn't care, at least not in this district.

Rick Felton Morgantown

Shouldn't need doctor's note for smaller trash bin

We have reached a new level of absurdity in Morgantown.

The problem is that I would like a smaller trash container. I'm female and 78 years old. The 96-gallon trash container is far too large and unwieldy!

In order to apply for a smaller container, a form was mailed to me that includes a medical/

physical request, which requires a physician's diagnosis and signature as to why the customer is unable to handle this behemoth of a cart. My age alone should qualify!

I called customer service at Republic Services again and spoke with two representatives. Even the senior representative was not able to give me the reason for this medical/physical request. She didn't know.

So now I must make an appointment with my doctor and get his written diagnosis and signature before the application is even considered. I'm not asking for a day off work with pay — all I'm asking for is a smaller garbage can! This is ludicrous.

Bette Garrett Morgantown

WVU LETTERS

How will WVU changes impact future educators?

I began my teaching career with the Center for Women's and Gender Studies in 2013 as a graduate assistant. Throughout my three years teaching Intro to Women's & Gender Studies, assisting with Women in Film and advising our undergraduate TAs, I found a home and a passion without which I would not be where I am now.

My supervisor, Brian Jara, created an atmosphere for GAS that allowed each of us to flourish as future educators. My fellow GAS were all deeply committed to their students and to one another. We ensured that not only our students, but the university as a whole grew to a fuller understanding of the world around them. We worked tirelessly to create an open, progressive and accepting university that took social justice issues seriously.

When I became a teacher at University High School upon graduating, I took with me the years of pedagogy I had honed while at WVU. I was better equipped to step into my first classroom post-graduation because of the direct experience I had as a GA.

Most importantly, I was able to create an open and accepting

environment for my high school students during a rather divisive period in our country's history, specifically because of what I had learned with the center.

Seeing WVU's academic transformation plan, I cannot help but wonder what will happen to this state's passionate educators. Will they stay in the state after graduating? Will their experiences mold them to become the next generation of teachers we need? Or will the university inhibit their growth through these cost-cutting measures?

I fear that these cuts will have dire consequences to the thousands of future leaders this state deserves. West Virginia deserves better. Our students deserve better.

Brendan Muckian-Bates B.A.s in history and religious studies (2012) M.A. in history (2014) M.A. in secondary education (2016) Moundsville

WVU BOG seems to have made up its mind

West Virginians can rest assured that they needn't worry that their flagship university has an "activist" Board of Governors. After a lengthy presentation of critical comments received from faculty, staff and the public about program reduc-

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR: WVU Academic Transformation

From now until Aug. 31, we will open letters to the editor to WVU alumni and current and former staff and faculty, including those who live out of state, for any who would like to comment on WVU's Academic Transformation. EMAIL submissions to opinion@dominionpost.com. MAIL submissions to: The Dominion Post, 1251 Earl L. Core Road, Morgantown, WV 26505. INCLUDE your name, hometown and phone number for confirmation. Letters should not exceed 300 words. Out-of-state alumni should include their graduation year and degree. Staff/faculty should include their position and years of service.

tions and reductions in force during the period of public comment, there was not a single comment or opinion offered by any members of the BOG.

Minds already made up? Uninterested? Bored? The single exchange about adjustments in the severance packages came from the faculty representative to the board, Stan Hileman.

Jim Rentch (retired) Research assistant professor Division of Forestry and Natural Resources (18 years) Morgantown

'Country roads' lead me to dead ends

In March 2023, E. Gordon Gee was pressured by the WVU Board of Governors to make steadfast financial changes to the university in the face of a \$45 million dollar budget deficit.

What WVU eNews calls a "... repositioning of the entire WVU System ..." any higher education

professional can tell you is quite the opposite: The fat gets cut, and the meat remains. What is "fat" and what is "meat" is up to the powers that be, which is where the future of WVU seems to reach its critical tipping point.

What kind of student will be invited to come through WVU's doors if there are no artists, no actors, no chemists, no mathematicians, no world travelers? What kind of school can WVU be with 47% of its academic programs put under a formal review process that overwhelmingly sees a loss of personnel?

Gee evokes the history of WVU in order to pave the way for a smooth transition, where he calls upon WVU's community to effectively band together. How can a community band together when executive administrators' salaries remain the same while quintessential programs are at risk of discontinuation?

There is no one answer that can reveal the fate of WVU; no Magic 8 ball, no third-party firm, no academic transformation process that can accurately paint a picture of what WVU will look like 10, 20 and 30 years down the road.

If WVU continues to come for its bottom line, it will continue to erode the morale of the university community, which is just as detrimental as a budget deficit. Will WVU "Go First" for its bottom line, or will it continue to uproot its working-class faculty and staff and disrupt the very fabric of the core values that WVU holds central to its mission and vision?

Shan Cawley Masters of Education Ph.D. student, higher education Higher Education Student Association president Morgantown

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voice, by the way, is often a prerecorded response using soundboard technology.

Some scammers prey on the elderly in person. My aunt's retirement community actually let one give a talk on annuities. He was a young man, who lied about having been wounded in the Iraq War. The widow of a World War II veteran, my aunt was charmed by this attentive fellow who proceeded to drain her savings. My brother got the money back after a long legal struggle.

Crooks are known to roam religious dating sites, such as Christian Mingle and JDate, preying on lonely older people. What looks like romance tied to faith turns out to be ruses to take their money.

The most dangerous abusers are often family members, whom the victim wants to trust. Children, nephews, sisters or whoever are known to groom isolated relatives to sign over their property to them. Or they simply worm into their accounts.

How can anyone with a conscience milk someone who is vulnerable and elderly? People do. It's a sickness of our times.

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have a knee-jerk reaction of anger to any idea presented by the opposing party? Do they appear to relish their ability to stand in the way of bipartisan legislation?

If the answer to these questions is yes, the politician may be driven by ego and not principle.

Correcting this aspect of divisiveness will require us to begin building intellectual relationships with our political opposition. We start by humanizing them as people, trusting that they are motivated by a sincere desire for good. We look for common ground and shared principles. Only then can we focus on creating policy to enact those principles. There is a healthy tension between different ideologies, and when we learn to respect those, we can find lasting solutions. Can we learn to see differences as contributions? If so, everybody wins.

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CAN WE LEARN TO SEE DIFFERENCES AS CONTRIBUTIONS?

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Then the DOH would determine if the interchange was a viable project.

Then came the announcement at the end of July that the DOH is going to add a bridge to the Harmony Grove project to tide over the industrial park until the full interchange could be complete. There are two top plans: In the first and most likely choice, the bridge would connect to U.S. 119/Grafton Road in the less than half-mile stretch between Scott Avenue and the Glotfelty Tire Center, at 370 Grafton Road. The connection would intersect Smithtown Road somewhere in the area of the Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses (379 Smithtown Road) before crossing the river and connecting directly to Rail Street, which is part of the Morgantown Industrial Park road network. In the second plan, the bridge would be placed in the roughly 1,000-foot stretch between the Morgantown Lock and the BFS station at 305 Don Knotts Blvd. This option would also require a total reconstruction of upper River Road.

The bridge (expected to

cost roughly \$70 million) is predicted to be complete by the end of 2025, with the original interchange (estimated to cost \$41 million) to be completed soon after. The blame for the continued delays on the interchange has been laid at the FHA's feet.

We give this latest plan of both a bridge and an interchange a thumbs up, because something — at this point, anything — must be done.

Our cities' roads cannot sustain the current truck traffic, let alone increased usage as Mountaintop Beverage and other businesses at the MIP expand. Those roads were not designed for heavy — both in the sense of weight and frequency — truck traffic, and damaged roads aren't good for any vehicle, personal or commercial.

Plus, a broken promise to a job-creator doesn't bode well for future investment. We want companies and manufacturers to see West Virginia as a good venture; but it is not a good look when the state guarantees infrastructure in exchange for settling a business here, only to never deliver its end of the bargain. If we break trust with our current investors, like Mountaintop Beverage, then we won't be able to build trust

with other businesses in the future.

If adding a bridge to the project is what it takes for the state to keep its promise, then so be it. Something is better than nothing. But we have our concerns.

The bridge is supposed to be finished and operational in a little over two years. Considering it's taken five years just to get through the paperwork related to the interchange, we're a little skeptical that the entire bridge process can be done in two. Granted, the bridge won't have to go through quite as many hoops, since it won't connect directly to the interstate; but there are still hundreds of other possible delays, including material shortages and supply chain issues, that could set the opening date back.

In addition, we're being assured the bridge is "in addition to" the interchange. However, we find it difficult to 100% trust that the state will finish a bridge that costs nearly twice as much as the initial project and still construct the original Harmony Grove interchange. We hope that proves to be the case, but we're unlikely to believe it until we see it.





KATIE McDOWELL

## Feeling low? Maybe horror can help

I'VE BEEN ON A BIG horror kick lately.

Usually this means I'm either in the midst of a breakup or mildly depressed.

That "The Texas Chainsaw Massacre" is my go-to during tough times is well documented in this space. Ol' Leatherface has always seen me through.

But although it's still quite painful, the demise of my most recent relationship isn't fresh — we're months in by now. And my mental state skews more stressed than sad at the moment.

Whatever the current cause, it's the only thing I feel like watching.

Or reading. Or listening to in my podcast library.

For people who don't appreciate the genre, the idea of turning to horror movies during trying times probably seems weird.

How can slashers and ghosts, zombies and witches, ancient curses and mutant killers soothe one's troubled soul?

For people who love these types of films (and books and television shows) the answer is simple: They just do.

The reasons behind it may be more nuanced.

Maybe it's catharsis. A vicarious confrontation, a second-hand struggle for survival that helps purge some of your bad mojo.

Relativity plays a big role, too. As I've said many times before, it's hard to feel bereft about your own situation when you're watching someone run barefoot through the woods, chased by a machete-wielding psycho.

So, your boyfriend dumped you two days after what you thought was a perfect Christmas together. At least you're not trapped in a house full of cannibals, or being hung from a meat hook by a man wearing a dead woman's face like a mask.

Ta-da! Perspective.

Horror can also be engrossing — tension, fear and disgust are fairly overwhelming emotions. Immersing yourself in them for a couple of hours is a pretty good way to forget about the more mundane aggravations of day-to-day life.

And I think this is where I am right now.

I put a lot of pressure on myself — daily workouts, strict diet, few vices.

Like most others, I have responsibilities — two dogs to care for, a house that needs to be kept clean, meals to cook, bills to pay, appointments to be made, obligations to be kept — and only myself to depend on.

I work hard. I sleep badly. By my own design, my life is incredibly regimented — my need for and dedication to routine both a blessing and a curse.

So when things start to feel like "Groundhog Day," I guess I turn to "Day of the Dead" for comfort.

For added warm and fuzzies, I've focused most recently on rewatching the tried-and-true fright classics — "Silence of the Lambs," "Hereditary," "The Shining," "Seven," "Misery," "The Changeling."

"Get Out," "The Blair Witch Project," "Scream," "It Follows" — and naturally, my beloved Texas Chainsaw.

It's like sinking into a soothing, hot bubble bath of dread.

I've watched newer ones, as well — some good, some not — "Influencer," "Bodies, Bodies, Bodies," "Evil Dead Rise" and "Fall" to name a few, along with a Syfy series called "Channel Zero" I hadn't heard of before.

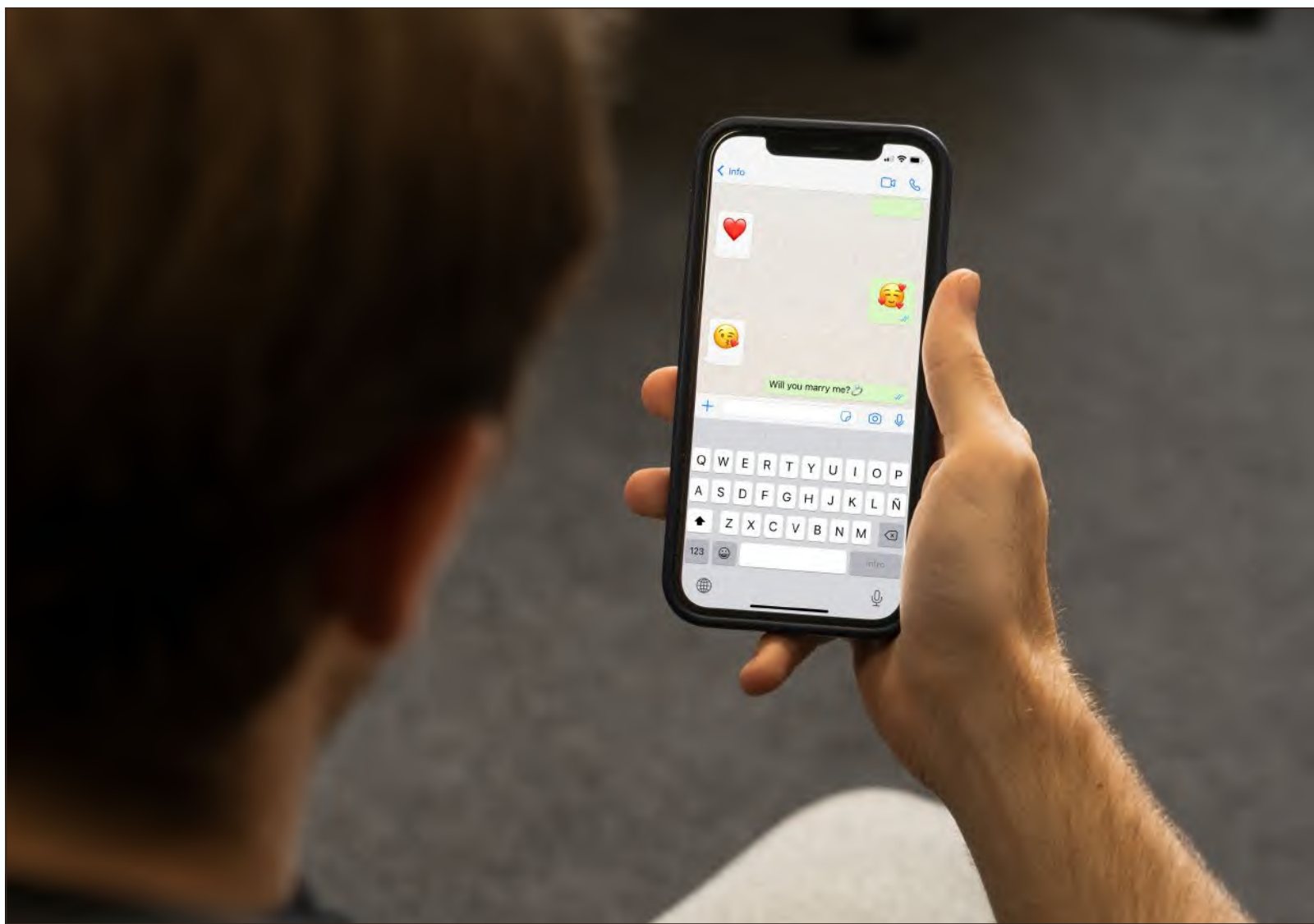
Today, I plan to carve out time in my rigid schedule to hit the theater for "Talk To Me."

Watching a bunch of teenagers become unwittingly possessed by evil spirits could be just what the doctor ordered.

Maybe I'll even medicate with some empty movie-candy calories. Scary stuff, indeed.

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# Love matters: Can online dating work for introverts?



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With the right strategies — and yes, getting a little out of your comfort zone — even the biggest introvert can make online dating work.

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Associated Press

Online dating can be overwhelming for even the most outgoing person — writing a bio about yourself, putting photos of yourself out there for anyone to see, sending a message to someone you find interesting with no guarantee they will ever reply — it's a lot.

But for introverts, people whose energy typically gets drained by meeting new people rather than gets energized by it, entering the digital dating world might seem like a lot to handle.

When you think about it, though, online dating might actually be the best route for introverts to dip their toes into the dating pool. Instead of approaching a random stranger at the bar, you actually have a chance to chat and get to know a little about each other before deciding if there's a potential connection.

With the right strategies — and yes, getting a little out of your comfort zone — even the biggest introvert can make online dating work.

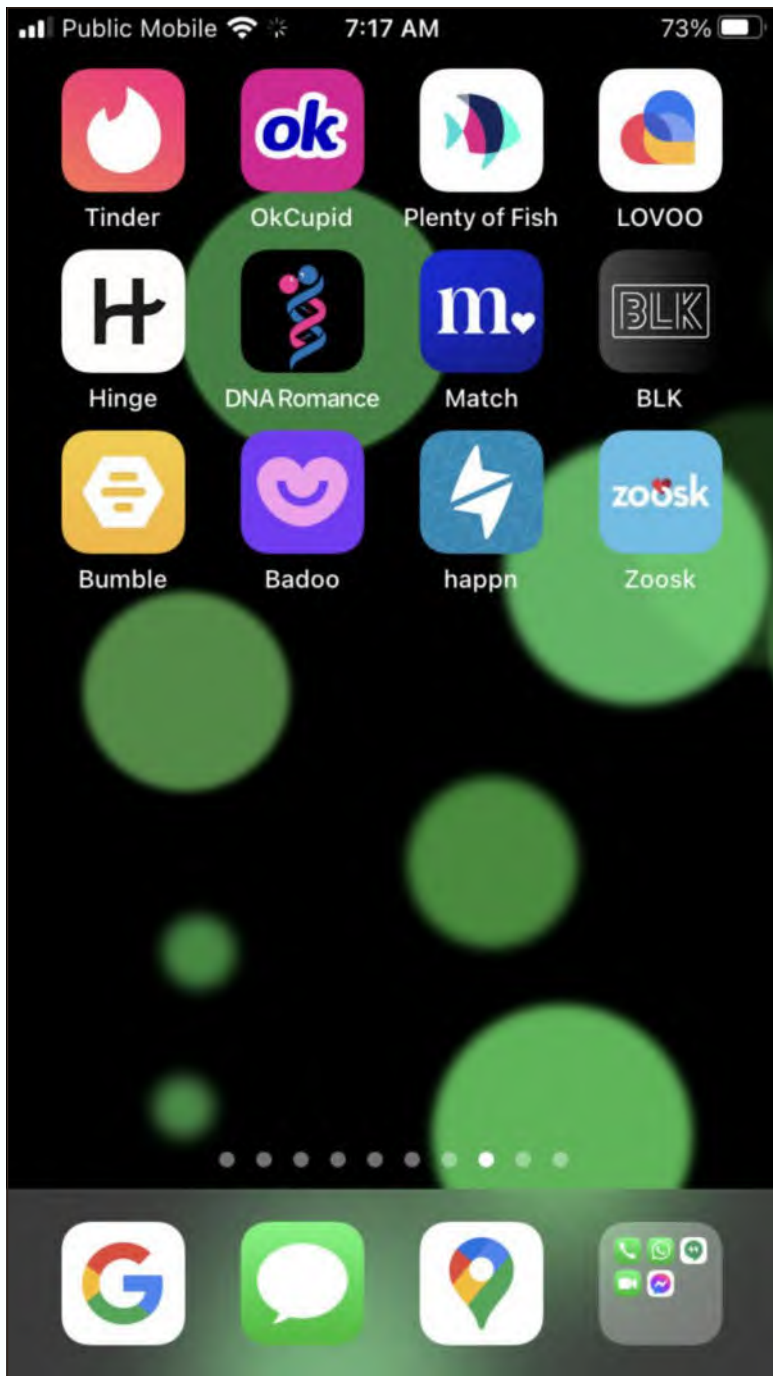
### Let yourself shine

While introverts can sometimes be overshadowed in a group since they're unlikely to jump into the spotlight (who hasn't started a story only for someone else to jump in with a more exciting version?), online dating offers a kind of advantage: somewhere you can showcase your hobbies and personality without fear of interruption. You can give a genuine idea of yourself — and attract people who have similar values and interests, whatever those are.

### Find the perfect platform

Endless swiping and a hookup culture like those offered on some dating sites might not be the best for introverts, who can easily have their social batteries drained. Instead, perhaps explore niche dating apps that cater to specific lifestyles or interests to narrow down your dating pool to a community that resonates with you.

Farmers Only is often pointed to as an example (often as a joke), but if you have an interest in agriculture, it's actually a great place to start and



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find someone who already has something in common with you. There's also MilitaryCupid (for military members or those interested in dating them), Loosid (for sober and sober-friendly people) or Trek Passions (for sci-fi fans), just to name a few. Clearly, there's something out there for just about everyone.

You may also opt for a place like Match.com, a tried-and-true paid platform (which might mean people are taking their connections more seriously

than free apps). Introverts may also want to look for dating sites with detailed questionnaires, unlike blank bios where it's up to you to make things interesting. eHarmony, for example, asks you for everything from the last book you read to the most influential person in your life.

### Take advantage of messaging

Approaching someone at the bar and asking for their num-

ber? Being set up on a blind date? Both are a hard pass for many introverts. But meeting potential partners online offers a huge benefit: communicating first over messages.

Whether you get shy in person with strangers or just tend to fumble over words from time to time (who hasn't been there?), writing things out will give you a chance to think about your messages and responses in a less stressful way. By the time you decide to meet someone in person, you will have a good foundation and a few topics to discuss with a little less stress of a very first impression.

### Keep the first date cozy

While a noisy bar might seem like the ideal first date spot for two extroverts, introverts tend to thrive in a less overwhelming setting. When a conversation turns into planning a meetup, suggest a cozy cafe, a quiet park or a low-key restaurant so your focus can be on your match and not the environment.

### Pace yourself

Introverts typically recharge their energy with alone time, so it's important to set boundaries. Setting up five dates with five people in a week could feel exciting at first, but by date three, you may find yourself texting your best friend wondering, "What the heck was I thinking?!"

Know yourself and what you can handle, and if you need a break from the dating scene every so often, take it. In the end, you'll be better equipped to make connections without overwhelming yourself — and the right partner will understand that going from 0 to 60 overnight isn't for everyone. (You'll get to 60, just at your own pace.)

Online dating can sound scary. I know. But it actually provides a unique opportunity for introverts to navigate dating on their own terms and in their own time. Instead of trying too hard to put yourself out there, you can be yourself and find a like-minded match.

**ERIKA ETTIN** is the founder of A Little Nudge, where she helps others navigate the often intimidating world of online dating. Want to connect with Erika? Join her newsletter, [eepurl.com/dpHcH](http://eepurl.com/dpHcH) for updates and tips.



# Answers

## to puzzles from the Amusement page

Answer to Sunday Crossword Puzzle No. 2,154 published today.

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Answer to Sunday, Aug. 6, 2023 Cryptquip: IF THE VERY FIRST BOND PLAYER HAD OWNED A FOOD-PACKING FACTORY, I THINK HE WOULD HAVE DUBBED IT "SEAN CANNERY."

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Difficulty: ★★★★★

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# Wisdom is a gift earned over decades of living

*"I look forward to growing old and wise and audacious." — Glenda Jackson*

If we have lived over a span of decades, through our 60s or 70s or even our 80s, surely we have gathered some useful information and even some wisdom over all that time. No one hits their 80s without having withstood some form of failure, some sad events, seemingly unsolvable problems and also some self-doubts. That's not to say our lives have not garnered a good share of happiness, contentment and joy, but even those of us who have been lucky enough to experience the best of circumstances find that life also brings some unwanted changes. We are often forced to meet those changes head-on and solve problems that can seem unsolvable. That's growth and that's the beginning of wisdom. The big question is how to manage the years we have left in the best way possible with the hope that our lives can be longer



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and more satisfying.

—For me one of the most important things to consider is the mind-body connection. Although it has been accepted in Eastern cultures for centuries, this important connection between the mind and the body has not been seriously studied in our own culture until relatively recently. It has long been accepted that mental stress can cause ulcers and can weaken the immune system. Research is bringing to light an even stronger connection between our mental and physical good health. Getting rid of as much stress in our daily lives as possible is a good start toward a longer and happier old age.

Useless worry about

something that is beyond our control to fix or change, does no one any good. It brings us sleepless nights and saps our energy. When a situation comes up that we are able to change or modify in some way, our concern makes sense. We need to save our energy for the big issues over which we have at least some control. The rest we must let go, allow it to work out as it will. Throwing our small worries to the wind makes sense but that doesn't make doing so any easier. I am a worrier by nature and one's nature is a high wall to climb over.

In earlier years I always found it difficult to accept failure. All of us are tuned to want and expect success in whatever we attempt. Over the years we are bound to have experienced failure, minor or major, in some area of our lives. If we can manage to embrace those failures, consider them lessons learned on the road to wisdom, they

begin to lose their power and their hold over us.

Isolation can be a chain that binds us to darkness and loneliness as we age. Even if we live alone; even if our children and grandchildren all live far away, we must not allow ourselves to be isolated. Social contacts are even more important as we age. Obviously it's best to socialize in person, but if that's not possible there are a number of ways to be part of a group through electronics. Zoom and being able to connect by FaceTime were a blessing during COVID. They can still be useful now.

As we age we see the wisdom of taking care of ourselves, both mind and body. There's nothing selfish about self-care. Even a bit of pampering would not be amiss. For so many years we've taken care of others, looked after their welfare. Now it's time to give ourselves some wise and vigilant care. It's time to be our own best friend.

## SENIOR NEWS

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### Senior Monongalians

HOURS: Monday-Friday, 8 a.m.-4 p.m.

LOCATION: 5000 Green Bag Road, Mountaineer Mall

PHONE: 304-296-9812

MAILING ADDRESS: P.O. Box 653, Morgantown, WV 26507

WEBSITE: [www.senior-mons.org](http://www.senior-mons.org)

FACEBOOK: Senior Monongalians

QUESTIONS: [info@seniormons.org](mailto:info@seniormons.org)

### LUNCH IN CENTER

We invite you to join us for a hot meal, served from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Adults aged 60 or older eat for a suggested donation rate of \$2.00. Menus can be found on our website, Facebook page, or at our agency. Lunch is on a first-come first serve basis.

### GRAB & GO LUNCH

Grab & Go lunches are available for those who do not feel comfortable eating in the Center. To reserve your lunch, call 304-296-9812 by 10 a.m. Pull up to our front door, between 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., and an employee will bring your lunch out to you. Older adults aged 60 or older eat at a suggested donation rate of \$2. Menus can be found on our website, Facebook page, or at our agency.

If you are interested in this program, please call us in advance to register

### prior to your first meal.

### MENU

Menus are subject to change without notice. All meals are served with a carton of 2% white milk.

Monday: Pepperoni roll with marinara, V-8 juice, green beans, mixed berries

Tuesday: Baked chicken breast on bread, scalloped potatoes, buttered peas, fruit

Wednesday: French toast, hash browns, sausage patty, egg, stewed tomatoes, fruit

Thursday: Beefy macaroni, cheese stick, cauliflower and broccoli, spinach, applesauce

Friday: Chef salad with ham, bread stick, fresh fruit

### DAILY ACTIVITIES SCHEDULE

These are subject to change.

### POOL TABLES:

- Monday — 8-11 a.m. and 12:30-3:45 p.m.
- Tuesday — 12:30-3:45 p.m.
- Wednesday — 8-11 a.m. and 12:30-3:45 p.m.
- Thursday — 8-11 a.m. and 12:30-3:45 p.m.
- Friday - 12:30-3:45 p.m.

### COMPUTER LAB:

- Monday-Friday — 8 a.m.-3:45 p.m.

Must sign consent form

### DOMINOES:

- Tuesday and Thursday — 12:30-3:45 p.m.

### Nutrition room

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- Monday and Wednesday — 12:30-3:45 p.m.,

### Nutrition Room

### SPONSORED BINGO:

- Friday — 10-11 a.m.

### EXERCISE ROOM:

(Must sign a release form)

- Monday, Friday— 8 a.m.-3:45 p.m.
- Tuesday— 1-3:45 p.m.
- Wednesday, 8 a.m.-1:45 p.m.
- Thursday — 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m. and 3-3:45 p.m.

### VITAL SIGNS CLINIC:

- Wednesday — 10-11 a.m., Nutrition Room

One of our registered nurses will be available to check your blood pressure, pulse, and weight. These levels are monitored and recorded for your convenience to share with your doctor or for your personal monitoring.

### GROUP EXERCISE CLASS:

- Tuesday and Thursday — 10-11 a.m.

The exercises focus on promoting range of motion, flexibility, and balance. They can be done standing or sitting in a chair.

Please bring your own equipment — hand weights, ball and stretch strap.

### WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY & FELLOWSHIP:

- Thursday — 1-2:30 p.m., Exercise Room, non-denominational

### POETRY GROUP

- Friday — 2-3 p.m., Exercise Room

### FARMER'S MARKET COUPONS

- 1-3 p.m. Tuesdays,

Wednesdays and Fridays. Each year, coupons are made available to older adults of Monongalia County to purchase locally grown fruits and vegetables from certified vendors at the Farmer's Market. Who is eligible to receive the coupons? Adults 60 years of age or older who are residents of Monongalia County and fall within the household income guidelines. Coupon books will be distributed on a first come, first serve basis, while supplies last. Seniors can register for a coupon book on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 1-3 p.m. Please bring a photo ID and know your household income.

### FOOT CARE CLINIC

Mountaineer Sole Care will host a foot care clinic monthly, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on the third Friday of the month, at Senior Monongalians. Anita, a registered nurse, will offer toe nail clipping, massage, exam and/or treatment of corns and calluses. Appointments are 30 minutes long. The fee for this service is \$35. Appointments can be made directly with Anita by calling 304-368-8924

### UPCOMING EVENTS:

- Tuesday, 10: 30 a.m., Internet Literacy with Breezeline. Katie and Lucas from Breezeline will lead an informative workshop on how to use differ-

## Ask the Eye Doctor

### Cataract Prevention?

While you may see ads for vitamins to "cure" or prevent cataracts, there is only one proven way to slow the progression of them: UltraViolet blocking glasses. PS...wearing a hat is NOT enough.

### Morgantown EYE ASSOCIATES

Perfecting Vision, Improving Life

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Announce the birth of your new baby!

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Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Parents' Names \_\_\_\_\_

Grandparents' Names: \_\_\_\_\_

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Write your name on the back of the photo. Include a self-addressed, stamped envelope if you would like it returned. Call 304-291-9420 for info or email: [classads@dominionpost.com](mailto:classads@dominionpost.com)

## Every Sunday Medicare Explained

**Congratulations, this week's winner is Samantha R. from Morgantown!**

**Q:** Many people are changing plans from Medicare Supplements to Medicare Advantage because of Premium increases. Should I change?

**A:** Every Medicare situation is different. No case is ever the same. Yes, there are 5-star PPO plans that are offering comprehensive benefits that may compare. To schedule a transparent comparison please call!

**Call Allen now to get YOUR question answered. If your question gets featured next week, you may win a FREE gift card.**

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SPIRITUALITY

Religious beliefs about organ, body donations can be complicated

**Q: I have been enjoying your column for years, and I am wondering what is your stance on organ donations, as well as cadaver donations? Since this is a relatively new field that would not be covered by scriptures, just curious as to how the Jewish, Muslim and Catholic faiths are treating these issues. Thanks in advance. – (From L, in Appleton, Wisconsin)**

A: The issue of organ donation became a pressing issue in medical ethics in the late 1960s when the drug cyclosporine was invented. Cyclosporine is an immunosuppressive agent used to treat organ rejection post-transplant. It also has use in certain other autoimmune diseases, treatment of organ rejection in kidney, liver, and heart allogeneic transplants, rheumatoid arthritis when the condition has not adequately responded to



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methotrexate. What this miracle drug did was make possible organ transplantation by preventing your body from rejecting the implanted organ.

The religious concerns first center around the question of determining the time of death of a cadaver donor. The transplant surgeons need to remove the organs, like a heart, as soon as possible, but they obviously cannot remove it before the patient has died. With the use of heart/ lung machines a person’s heart

can be kept beating artificially even after the brain has died. This led a prestigious Harvard Medical School committee to determine that brain death is the actual time of death. Religious authorities have accepted this.

The other religious concerns of the Abrahamic faiths concern the need for speedy burial, which is often not possible while preparations for transplantation are being made.

Other concerns involve the belief (Orthodox Judaism) that all a person’s organs and limbs should be buried in their grave.

However, the overriding commandment to do everything possible to save a life overrides all other ritual concerns and makes it a loving and noble religious act.

Cadaver donations are more tricky. They prevent the cadaver donor from being buried or cremated

and unless the bodies are scrupulously watched and guarded, they open up the possibility of mutilation of a corpse, which is, of course, a terrible sin.

Some organ donations like corneal donations do not have as tight a timeline as heart and liver transplantation and raise fewer ethical concerns.

Finally, the ethical issue of organ transplantation must confront the problem of fairness in the distribution of organs to those on a waiting list. We have all heard of celebrities skipping the line.

So, I firmly encourage all my readers to sign up to be organ donors. The rabbis taught, “One who saves a single life is like one who saves the entire world.” I agree.

Two problems have emerged with organ donations that I want to raise with you, dear readers. The

first is the problem that in certain communities of faith there is a deep and unspoken resistance to organ donation. I have a doctorate in philosophy with a specialty in medical ethics and have served on Jewish medical ethics committees. I can say with embarrassment that, to put this simply, we Jews do not support organ donation as we should. Here is a recent email from a transplant physician on Long Island:

**Q: The column about organ donation is particularly timely, and that it should be published in Newsday here on Long Island. NY State has the lowest number of registered donors/capita and the longest wait lists in the USA. There are no religious contradictions, which is very important. May God Bless You for publishing L.’s letter**

**from Appleton, Wisconsin. Thank you!” – (From Dr. L)**

A: L does not specify Jews as the problem in NY, but the size of the Jewish population in NY state and what I know about traditional Jewish fears of mutilating a corpse (Heb: nivul ha met) and the command for speedy burial fills in the blanks for me. Let me personally appeal to my Jewish readers, particularly, to register as an organ donor and let your wishes for organ donation be clear to your family. The rabbis taught that one who saves a single life is like one who saves the entire world. Your body can save many worlds, even after death. Organ donation is a clear and towering mitzvah.

**SEND ALL QUESTIONS AND COMMENTS** to The God Squad via email at [godsquadquestion@aol.com](mailto:godsquadquestion@aol.com).

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ent aspects of the Internet while taking steps to remain safe from scammers. Topics covered will include email, social media, and much more.

■ Friday, 10 a.m., sponsored bingo. Bingo with Highmark. Tiffany from Highmark Blue Cross, Blue Shield will lead a few games of bingo and award prizes to the winners. Bring a friend and enjoy our air conditioned comfort.

■ Aug. 28, 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Foot Care Clinic with Mountaineer Sole Care. Anita from Mountaineer Sole Care offers toe nail clipping, foot massage, and corn/callus exam and treatment. Sessions are 30 minutes long. The fee for this service is \$35. Make your appointments by calling Anita at 304-368-8924.

\*\*Keep watching our Facebook page for updates and announcements.

MOUNTAINEER FOOD BANK FOOD BOX

With the rise in the cost of food, do you find your pantry is a little more empty than normal? Would a box of shelf-stable food help? Senior Monongalians are distributing food boxes from the Mountaineer Food Bank. These boxes are available to Monongalia County residents aged 60 years or older that meet household income guidelines. Participants can choose to receive a food box on a once a month or twice basis. If you would like more information about our food box program, please call 304-296-9812.

DONATING OPPORTUNITIES

Senior Monongalians is a 501 (3)(c) nonprofit organization. programs and services are offered to all Monongalia county residents aged 60 years of age or older. There is a saying “It takes a village to raise a child” for many older adults it takes a generous community to live a life filled with dignity. As the economy becomes more uncertain, governmental funding sources decrease or end. These funding cutbacks have a direct effect on the availability of programs and services for older adults. And their families.

How can you help on an individual basis? Monetary donations are accepted via cash, check, money order, or through PayPal. Remember Senior Monongalians in your will. Donations of estate or assets can help continue the services that helped you or your loved one. Senior Monongalians and our clients thank you for your generosity.

**THE SENIOR PANTRY**  
Homebound seniors must rely on others for rides, assistance gathering items, and more. Understanding this difficulty, Senior Monongalians has established The Senior Pantry. This pantry helps

fulfill the needs of our home delivered meals clients. If a home bound client has a need, they fill out a request form and return to our home delivered meals driver. Once we can fulfill the request, the driver will deliver the item during their next delivery.

To make the Senior Pantry a success, we ask for the help of our generous community. Donations of items or money to purchase items for the pantry are greatly appreciated. The most requested items include: mops, brooms, buckets, bathtub grab bars, cleaning products, and more. If you would like to donate to the Senior Pantry, please call 304-296-9812.

The homebound seniors that we have been able to help thus far are very appreciative.

HOME DELIVERED MEALS

The Home Delivered Meals program was designed to offer a delicious and nutritious meal to older adults who are homebound due to age, illness, and/or circumstance. Drivers not only deliver the meal, but they make well-checks as they speak to the clients. Deliveries are made on Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays. Clients will receive a hot or cold meal on each of these days. They will also receive a cold meal on Tuesdays and Thursdays to be used for the next day.

Who is eligible to receive meals? Monongalia county residents at least 60 years of age or older and meet other requirements. This service can be used on a long-term or a temporary basis. To make sure that seniors don’t go hungry, our HDM program is available to the client for a suggested donation.

If you have questions or are interested in the Home Delivered Meals program,

call 304-296-9812.

Monetary donations to help support this crucial program are greatly appreciated. Send your tax-deductible donation to Senior Monongalians, P.O. Box 653, Morgantown, WV 26505.

ZOOM TO SENIOR MONONGALIANS

Our agency offers a variety of activities and services that older adults can take advantage of throughout the week. Seniors can come in to socialize and have a delicious hot lunch. Would you like to get out and interact with others your own age or follow your fitness goals?

If you answered yes, but you no longer drive, you may be eligible to take advantage of the Zoom service. This is a free service to adults 60 years or older. For more information, call 304-296-9812.

Westside Senior Center

500 Dupont Road, Westover  
Phone: 304-296-6583  
HOURS: 9 a.m.-noon Monday to Friday and 6-8 p.m. Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

Closed most holidays and when schools are closed due to weather.

The large pavilion is available for rent. The pavilion has six 12-foot picnic tables and can easily accommodate a large crowd. Other tables are available for food service and there are several benches in the pavilion area. There is also a corn-hole area available. There is a stage area and restrooms nearby. Call 304-296-6583. Dates for 2023 are filling up fast. Call soon.

Exercise room available when the center is open.

**BINGO:** Wednesdays at 6 p.m. Doors and kitchen open at 5 p.m. with the first game starting

promptly at 6 p.m. Food is available for sale including chili dogs, nachos, soft pretzels, chips, candy, soda, and usually another sandwich. We use paper cards and daubers. Join in the fun.

CARDS AND GAMES:

Tuesday and Thursday mornings are especially active for our card plays and anyone is invited to join in. Playing usually starts around 9:30. If you are interested in other days of the week, get a group together and stop in.

**DULCIMERS:** They get together on Tuesday mornings to play and practice. They welcome anyone who would like to learn also. Judy Werner leads this group, and they are enjoyable to just sit and listen.

**SWING DANCE:** Morgantown Swing Dance has joined us, and they give lessons and dance at 7 p.m. on Thursdays. These lessons are free, but donations are accepted.

MOUNTAINEER WATCH PARTIES:

Join us whenever the Mountaineers play. We have a big screen TV and ESPN+ so that we have you covered whether they are home or away.

UPCOMING PROGRAMS:

■ Wednesday — Farmer’s Market — 4 p.m.

■ Aug. 24 — Hand and Foot Tournament, 10 a.m. Teams will be picked at 9:45 a.m. by draw. The team with highest score after two rounds wins. Lunch will be served.

**SUMMER MUSIC:**  
We are pleased to announce the Third Annual Concert in the Park Series. The remaining dates are:

■ Sept. 8 — Copper Crossing

■ Oct. 5 — Brandon Howdershelt and Sincerely Country

Clay-Battelle Senior Center

5977 Mason Dixon Highway, Blacksville.  
Phone:304-432-8177. New members welcome. Dues are \$2 annually or \$20 For a lifetime membership.

Hours: 8 a.m.-2 p.m. Monday-Friday (closed most holidays). Closed when schools are closed due to inclement weather.

The exercise room is open when center is open. Cards, magazines, puzzles and pool table available, or just come and socialize.

**HOME-COOKED MEALS:** served in dining area at 11:30 a.m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Suggested donation \$5 for all ages. Carry-outs available. Call between 8:30-10 a.m. to reserve your carry-out.

The center has formed a sewing circle/quilting bee and meet at 10 a.m. each Wednesday. If you like to sew or quilt, or are interested in learning to quilt, please bring your thimble and needle and join us. (The center has two or three portable sewing machines on site for sewing). Questions: Diana Dittman @304-685-8913.

Bring your favorite covered dish and join us. Chicken will be furnished by the center.

Osher Lifelong Learning Institute — (OLLI) at WVU

OLLI at WVU offers non-credit lectures, workshops, discussions, field trips and interest groups, encouraging participants to learn about something new, think about something differently, or rediscover a forgotten interest.

Topics include the arts, history and literature, health and wellness, social sciences and current events, philosophy and religion, science, technology, travel and more. With

no tests and no grades, this is learning simply for the fun of it.

Designed for adults 50 years and older, OLLI welcomes anyone with a passion for the pursuit of knowledge and adventure and the desire to meet new friends. Membership is required for participation in most programming. Fee waivers are available. For more information, visit [ollivvu.org](http://ollivvu.org) or call 304-293-1793. The OLLI office and classrooms are located at the Mountaineer Mall, 5000 Green Bag Road, Morgantown.

Schedule for the week of Aug. 6:

■ Sunday  
— OLLI Happy Hour  
■ Monday  
— Yarn Arts  
— West Virginia Botanic Garden

— Bible Mysteries, Secrets, and Intrigues

■ Tuesday  
— The Sea People and the Late Bronze Age Collapse in the Mediterranean

— Going to the Sun – A Group Motorcycle Tour

■ Wednesday  
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Did you match the games to skills used while playing them?

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2. thinking games	B. hopping, skipping
3. jumping games	C. catching, throwing
4. party games	D. judging, remembering

What Are You Playing? Outdoor Games

We use lots of skills when we play. Running, tagging, hopping, skipping, thinking, balancing, and seeking are just a few things we do while playing. There are many kinds of games. They all demand different sets of skills.

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# What Are You Playing?

Careful, Petal!

Do you like to play games? Children and adults all over the world enjoy games. If you were to visit different countries and play games with the people who live there you would find games similar to those you play at home with your family and friends. The name of the game might seem strange. The rules and materials used to play the game might vary from what you would use, but the idea of the game would basically be the same.

Some adults think kids don't know how to play many games anymore. Well, sharpen your pencil and get ready to find out what you really *do* know.

### Match the games to skills used while playing them:

1. ball games

2. thinking games

3. jumping games

4. party games
- A. singing, acting

B. hopping, skipping

C. catching, throwing

D. judging, remembering

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We use lots of skills when we play. Running, tagging, hopping, skipping, thinking, balancing, and seeking are just a few things we do while playing. There are many kinds of games. They all demand different sets of skills. **Can you study the picture clues to fill in some kinds of games?**

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### Word Bank

- party running holiday finger singing ball street jumping thinking seeking

Hold a game day!

Ask your Mom or Dad if it's okay to invite a few friends to join in!

## Party Games!

Musical Chairs, Charades, Treasure Hunt, and Drop the Clothespin are popular party games. Do you know this one?

Can you fill in the blanks with the missing vowels to spell the name of the game?

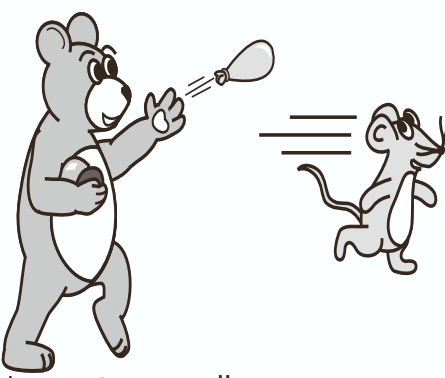
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## Backyard Games!

We enjoy running around and playing games in our backyard all summer long with our friends. **Can you use the letters below to fill in the blanks and spell our favorite games?**

Now where is Kitty hiding?

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## Who Goes First?

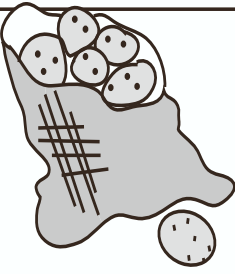
Who is the leader? What team will I be on? Who goes first? It's important to answer these questions fairly before starting to play some games. Try one of these methods:

- toss a coin
- play evens or odds with your fingers
- draw straws or sticks
- use counting rhymes
- hand - over - hand (usually begun by tossing a bat)
- oldest or youngest
- smallest street address number



When we are trying to decide who goes first when we are shooting baskets, each player takes a turn to throw the ball from the same spot on the court. If a player misses, then he or she is out. The last player to miss the shot is the one who gets to go first for the game.

Rock-Paper-Scissors!



Can you finish this favorite counting rhyme?

## Counting Fun

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### Navigating the emotional terrain of buyer love letters

**SELLING A HOME CAN EVOKE** a whirlwind of emotions as you seek the perfect buyer who will cherish and care for your property just as you have. In today's seller's market, some buyers go the extra mile by penning heartfelt love letters to sway sellers in their favor. But as a seller, should you read these love letters, and can they truly influence your decision-making process?

Buyer love letters are personal messages from potential buyers to sellers, expressing admiration for the home and sharing why it is the perfect fit for their family. These letters aim to forge an emotional connection with the seller, potentially providing an advantage in a competitive real estate market.

For sellers, receiving a heartfelt love letter from a potential buyer can be both touching and impactful. It reaffirms the emotional bond they have with their home and evokes memories and milestones experienced within those walls. In some cases, these letters can play a pivotal role in the decision-making process, as sellers may feel more inclined to choose a buyer who appears genuinely invested in the property.

However, reading these letters can introduce bias and pose significant problems. The Fair Housing Act strictly forbids discrimination based on race, religion or family status. If a love letter inadvertently reveals personal information within these categories, sellers could face potential legal issues simply by being aware of such information. For instance, a love letter mentioning plans to start a family or including a family photo could reveal familial status, potentially influencing the seller's choice. Similarly, comments about a buyer's place of worship or cultural practices might unintentionally trigger religious or ethnic considerations.

It seems sticky, but there is a way to navigate through these letters and find the balance between the emotional connection to the home and adherence to fair housing principles.

1. Work closely with a trusted real estate agent: Partner with a knowledgeable real estate agent who can offer guidance and support throughout the selling process. They can help you stay objective and navigate any legal implications related to love letters.
2. Focus on objective criteria: Concentrate on the objective aspects of the offers, such as the offer price, financing terms, contingencies and closing timeline. These factors should be the primary basis for evaluating offers.
3. Treat all buyers equally: To avoid any appearance of bias or discrimination, treat all buyers fairly and equally. Avoid discussing the contents of any love letters with potential buyers or their agents.
4. Seek legal advice if you're uncertain: If you have any concerns about the legal implications of buyer love letters, seek advice from a qualified attorney with experience in real estate and fair housing laws.

It's natural to want a "nice family" that will cherish your home and fit into the neighborhood seamlessly. However, this emotional goal can lead to complications. If you opt to read the letters, prioritize practical and financial aspects while making the best decision aligned with your goals.

Until next week!

EVE LEOMBRUNO, MBOR President 2023.

## How to run your AC efficiently and other ways to stay cool at home



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We need to cool — and stay safe — during a heat wave because of the health hazards extreme heat can present. But running an air conditioner has environmental consequences.

**BY NANCY NGO**  
Associated Press

Air conditioners consume about 6% of all the electricity produced in the United States.

We're not yet into the dog days of summer and already we've had our fair share of heat waves and record temperatures.

We need to cool — and stay safe — during a heat wave because of the health hazards extreme heat can present.

But running an air conditioner has environmental consequences. According to the Department of Energy, air conditioners consume about 6% of all the electricity produced in the United States. They also heat our surroundings and release greenhouse gases.

It is possible to stay cool and be green? We posted the question to indoor quality and energy-efficiency expert Pat Huelman of the University of Minnesota.

For Huelman, it comes down to managing three key components in your home so your air conditioner doesn't run overtime.

"It takes a lot more energy to cool down humid air than it does dry air. Insulation plays a role, as does airtightness," he said. "Managing and reducing solar gain is a big factor. Another factor is reducing internal heat sources in your home."

Huelman's tips:

- Minimize air leaks. The Department of Energy suggests setting your home's thermostat

**IF YOUR HOUSE DOESN'T HAVE AIR CONDITIONING, IT'S BEST TO TURN ON FANS AND KEEP WINDOWS CLOSED TO EFFICIENTLY COOL YOUR HOME. IF IT'S TOO HOT IN YOUR HOME, CHECK FOR COOLING CENTERS IN YOUR COMMUNITY.**

to 78 degrees Fahrenheit when it's hot out. However, Huelman said it's fine to set your air conditioner to run cooler, such as in the low-70s, depending on personal comfort, in which metabolism, a person's size and their age can all play a role.

The main culprit behind why air conditioners work so hard is humidity, so do whatever you can to keep it at bay. That means making sure your home is sealed, insulated and free of drafts.

"If you have a leaky house that brings in humid air, you're going to be chasing and chasing it," he said. "And you're going to be turning the thermostat down because it's clammy and hot."

- Run your AC at night. It's also best to leave windows closed and let the air conditioner run when you're away during the day and at night. Outside temperatures may drop in the evenings, but the air tends to be more humid at night.

"Even if it feels cool, you're loading your house with humidity and it takes a lot of energy to get rid of it," Huel-

man said. "The good news is, the air conditioner works very efficiently when the outdoor air is cool, using less energy than when [you open the windows and then] try to bring down the humidity the next day."

- Pay attention to dew point. So when is it efficient to open your windows? When the heat index is at least 10 degrees lower than your preferred indoor temperature, said Huelman.

However, make sure the temperature and dew point — a more telltale measurement of how muggy the air is than relative humidity is — are both meeting that 10-degree or cooler threshold. For example, if you like to set the temperature in your home to 72 degrees, make sure the temperature and the dew point are 62 degrees or lower before opening windows.

"It comes back to humidity management," Huelman said.

- Draw the shades, minimize appliance use. In addition to sealing your home from humidity, keep the sun's radiant heat from seeping in by drawing window blinds during the heat of the day. Reduce the

use of lights and appliances.

"A huge part of staying cool is to not allow heat into the home in the first place," Huelman said.

Avoid turning on the oven and running the dishwasher. If you must cook, grill outdoors and run the dishwasher at night.

**If you don't have AC**

If your house doesn't have air conditioning, it's best to turn on fans and keep windows closed to efficiently cool your home.

"Many times keeping the house closed and having the fan on is a much better strategy than opening a window," Huelman said. "You may get a natural breeze by opening a window, but it will gradually heat the house up and bring in more humidity."

However, Huelman warned that if air is still not circulating efficiently in your home, you should open windows to avoid the dangers of heat stress.

Also, if it's too hot in your home, check for cooling centers in your community.

- Monitor air quality. And what to do during an air quality alert? Turn off the outside air selection on your air conditioner. This mostly applies to window units that pull some air from outside, whereas central air systems recirculate indoor air to cool a house.

"Most air conditioners will have a switch," Huelman said.

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# Thread spools used to be commonplace in country stores

**IN THE OLD DAYS** when clothes were sewn and mended at home instead of bought ready-made, spools of thread were household essentials. You would see a spool cabinet in any country store, usually on the counter. They were shaped like a miniature chest of drawers, with lettering on the front of each drawer, often on a plaque or window, telling you the company's name, the type of thread and colors of thread stored in that drawer.

This one is a different style — which may be one reason why it sold for \$1,063 at an auction by Case Antiques. It is cylindrical, with a stenciled glass door that leaves the contents visible. A revolving case ensures that you can get a look at everything inside. When it was filled with spools of thread, customers' eyes must have been drawn to the colors and motion.

Merrick, the thread company this cabinet advertises, was known for this type of display. Like any company, they wanted to distinguish themselves from the competition. And not just to get customers' attention: In 1893, Merrick Thread Co. was sued by Coats, another thread company that would later merge with Clarks, becoming J&P Coats Ltd., which is still producing thread today. Coats claimed that Merrick thread spools were marked with a design too similar to theirs, creating confusion between the two companies' products. The case was dismissed. However, considering the patent date of 1897 on this cabinet, its unusual design may have been intended to assert Merrick's identity.

**Q: I have a hammered copper candy dish marked "Gregorian, Made in U.S.A." I've had it for 69 years. What is it worth today?**

A: Gregori Copper was started in 1946 by P.R. Gregori and his brother, Fred. At first, they worked out of their parents' garage in Capistrano Beach, Calif. In 1948, they moved into a



TERRY KOVEL

building in San Clemente. P.R. Gregori designed the pieces and took care of manufacturing while Fred was the salesman. Pieces were hand-hammered and finished with a bluing process. They were lacquered and baked so the copper would keep its color. The company was sold to Sunbelt in 1968 and moved to Albuquerque, New Mexico, later. Sunbelt sold the company to a company in Lemmon, South Dakota, in 1989, and the name became Gregorian Inc. This company made wholesale copper and silver jewelry for at least 20 years. Gregorian Inc. is now a manufacturer of farm and ranch equipment, portable steel buildings and garage doors. A 5-inch Gregorian hammered copper candy dish recently sold for \$12 and a 7-inch candy dish sold for \$17.

**Q: I'd like information about the maker of a plate I bought at a house sale. It's decorated with blue and white flowers and leaves and is marked "Windsor, W.R. Midwinter, Porcelon, Burslem, England."**

A: William Robinson Midwinter founded his pottery in Burslem in 1910. It was one of the largest potteries in England in the late 1930s. Production was limited under wartime restrictions during World War II. When the restrictions were lifted in 1952, new lines of dinnerware with contemporary designs and shapes were introduced. The company ran into financial difficulty and merged with J. & G. Meakin in 1968. It became part of the Wedgwood Group in 1970. Meakin & Midwinter (Holdings) Ltd. closed in 1987. "Windsor" is the name of the pattern on your plate.



Submitted photo

The Merrick Thread Company is known for its spool cabinets with rotating displays behind glass. They tend to sell for higher prices than the typical chest-of-drawers spool cabinet.

The transferware design was made in blue, brown, red, multicolor and other variations. The word "Porcelon," a trade name used by Midwinter from the 1930s until about 1953, helps date your plate.

**Q: I have an old goose-neck lamp. It's in good condition and it works, but the finish is worn. Here is what's on the back: "Magic Arm Co. PAT. 2665.870." Would you be able to let me know if it's worth anything?**

A: A "Magic Arm" is an

adjustable, articulated arm often used in drafting lamps. These lamps were kept on or attached to drafting tables or drawing boards for artists, designers and engineers. The magic arm gives the user more control and precision over where the light is focused, which helps when you are working with small details. The term is used by multiple companies that make drafting lamps and other design supplies today. Acme made Magic Arm drafting lamps in the mid-20th century. Vintage draft-

ing lamps have sold at recent auctions and in online shops for \$50 to \$200, depending on their size and condition.

**TIP:** An unglazed rim on the bottom of a plate usually indicates it was made before 1850.

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geometrics around upper body, black, solid brown, speckled brown, signed, Cheryl Naha Nampeyo, 10 1/4 inches, \$150.

**Glass-blown,** tumbler set, diagonal stripes and multi-color canes, two each of yellow, blue, pink, green, signed, Black Sheep studio, c. 1996, 4 1/4 inches, eight pieces, \$270.

**Advertising,** display, Curtiss Penny Candies, rotating, two tiers, each six sides, labeled slots, Use Your Cents, Lime Drops, Lemon Mints, Root Beer Mints, Wild Cherry Mints, Chocolate Drops, Orange Mints, red, yellow, blue, 16 1/2 x 8 inches, \$360.

**Furniture,** chair, banister back, five vertical splats, double crested rail, rush seat, sausage turned legs, two stretchers, open scrolled arms, early 1700s, 49 inches, \$440.

**Purse,** handbag, Neverfull PM, Damier Azur canvas, blue gray and off-white checks, tan leather trim, Louis Vuitton, 11 x 15 x 5 inches, \$705.

**Wristwatch,** Tourneau, Asymmetric Sectora, half-circle case, gauge layout, Arabic numerals, gold plated, brown leather band, \$875.

**Bicycle,** wicker and bamboo frame, front basket, hand brakes, marked, Wuxing, 37 x 54 x 25 1/2 inches, \$900.

**Lamp,** electric, bronze, art nouveau, relief peacock feathers, blue green glass insets, green beaded fringe, 17 x 9 x 11 inches, \$1,025.

**Silver-Japanese vase,** incised pigeons on ground under flowering tree, shoulders, flared rim, tapered base, Miyamoto Kinsei, 12 inches, \$2,620.

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# Lawsuit accuses landlord of preying on New Yorkers desperate for housing

**TÉA KVETENADZE**  
New York Daily News (TNS)

A notorious city landlord effectively jacked up rents above what's allowed in a scheme that preys on New Yorkers desperate to find housing, a recent lawsuit alleges.

The suit, filed in Bronx Supreme Court by the Legal Aid Society on behalf of five tenants, claims that Ved Parkash and co-defendant Luis Bello “engaged in a scheme” to circumvent rent stabilization law by creating what are known as illusory tenancies.

It alleges Parkash would lease rent-stabilized apartments to Bello, who would then sublease individual rooms to different tenants through his company, Kenny Rooms, and charge them inflated rents.

In the context of rent stabilization, illusory tenancies are a type of sublet where the person named on the lease does not actually live in the apartment, but they or the landlord — sometimes in collusion — charge the actual occupants higher rents than are allowed by rent stabilization.

tion laws.

"Between the wave of migrants coming to New York, inflation, skyrocketing rents, all of these crises happening in New York City, this kind of scheme is ripe for more landlords and more people to jump in and exploit needy tenants and people in need of housing," said Jeanne Schoenfelder, one of the Legal Aid attorneys.

"It really just fundamentally undermines the protections of rent stabilization."

Such arrangements, which Legal Aid lawyers suspect are happening “increasingly” across the city, often take advantage of people who are desperate to find somewhere to live. But the extent is unknown and hard to pin down, according to Jennifer Rozen, a tenant lawyer who has handled a number of such cases.

“Mostly these people target vulnerable populations, people that are undocumented, people that don’t have a lot of money or don’t have any credit, people that are sort of desperate to get housing and shelter for

their families," Rozen said. "[Tracking illusory tenancies] would be pretty difficult. And not every decision is reported and a lot of these cases settle."

Parkash owns over 70 properties across the Bronx and Queens, according to records. In recent years he has gained notoriety for problems throughout his expansive real estate portfolio. He topped the public advocate's "Worst Landlord" list in 2015. Since then he's been sued for a variety of issues, according to published reports, including vermin-infested conditions and Section 8 voucher discrimination.

Many of those who turned to Kenny Rooms were New Yorkers who needed accommodation fast.

Christiena Megaly, 38, and her partner Michael Autry were desperately

looking for somewhere to stay during the pandemic. When they stumbled on Kenny Rooms they took the first room they saw.

“We badly needed an affordable place to live,” Megaly, a former makeup artist, explained in an affidavit.

Conditions there were so bad that they moved again after a few months, and agreed to pay Bello \$1,000 a month to rent a single room with shared common space in Wakefield, according to the lawsuit. Megaly found out later that her new roommate was also paying \$1,000 — even though the entire unit's registered legal rent was \$1,117.88, the lawsuit says.

Bello did not return multiple requests for comment. Parkash told the Daily News through a spokesman that he does not comment on active litigation, and his

attorneys repeatedly denied the allegations in a recent filing.

In an affidavit filed last week, Parkash claimed the plaintiffs are not his tenants and “are all strangers to me.”

But the tenants' troubles didn't end with rent issues.

The suit also describes instances of Bello intimidating, harassing, changing locks and even breaking into the apartments of the people he would rent to “in furtherance of this scheme,” the lawsuit says.

One plaintiff, Angela Davis, recalled an incident in July 2022 when Bello pushed his way into her Wakefield apartment accompanied by several others. After he grabbed her son's arm she maced him, but police "believed his story over mine" and arrested her, according to

the lawsuit and her affidavit.

Davis, who is epileptic, had six seizures while in custody; the criminal case against her was later dropped, according to her affidavit.

She and three of the other plaintiffs were also “unlawfully” evicted, according to the suit, but struggled to assert their rights in court because they were not named on the leases, the lawsuit says. One of them is currently homeless.

Davis was able to get back into her home but said she and her kids have been "scarred" by their experience with Bello, her affidavit says. Two of her children have been staying with their father.

"Because I don't have the means to move out, I'm kind of just stuck here," Davis said.

# Real estate Q&A: Our view has been ruined by new development and overgrown trees: What can we do?

**GARY M. SINGER**  
South Florida Sun Sentinel (TNS)

**Q:** When I bought my condo, my building had the best golf course view from my screened porch. The golf course faced bankruptcy and was sold to a developer that built a new community. The view now consists of two overgrown trees. My community trimmed the trees until they learned the neighboring development owned them. Now our view is horrible. Is there anything we can do? —Irene

A: Questions about views are complicated because of the various facts of each situation.

The general rule is that no one is allowed to block your direct view. Your direct view was of a neighboring golf course that was removed and replaced with houses.

The law often protects particular views like an ocean or mountain view, prohibiting buildings or landscaping from blocking them.

While a golf course view

may have been among these particular views, that changed when the developer had the new development approved. That said, while the golf course view may be gone, it does not mean you need to look at untrimmed, out-of-control vegetation.

You should try to work with your condominium association urging them to work with the neighboring community to improve the view. Your association can trim the parts of the trees on your side of the property line as long as doing so does not damage the health of the tree.

It may also be able to beautify your side of the property line.

You can review your municipality's ordinances to see if they contain rules regulating landscaping and tree trimming.

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# How much house can I afford if I make \$100,000 a year?

DAVID MCMILLIN  
Bankrate.com (TNS)

If you're earning \$100,000 per year, congratulations on entering six-figure salary territory. However, if you're an aspiring homeowner, even this princely sum may not seem like enough.

A recent PYM-NTS/LendingClub survey found that 49% of people who make \$100,000 or more are still living paycheck-to-paycheck. That's despite the fact that \$100,000 is a good salary, significantly higher than the national median household income of \$70,784, according to the most recent Census data.

Between recent high inflation and skyrocketing mortgage rates, buying a house can feel like a tough goal to reach, even on a \$100,000 income. But it's not impossible. Here are some considerations to help you determine how much house you can afford.

### Start with the 28/36 rule

As a baseline for your budget, aim to follow the 28/36 rule. This commonly used guideline states that you should spend no more than 28% of your income on your housing expenses, and no more than 36% on your total debt payments.

If you're earning \$100,000 per year, your average monthly (gross) income is \$8,333. So, your mortgage payment should be \$2,333 or less. Then, the rest of your debts — car payment, student loans, credit cards and any other balances you're working to pay off — shouldn't be more than another \$667 per month. So, the 36% in the equation

should be no more than \$3,000.

However, you'll also need to consider a wide range of other variables, including how much money is in your savings account and how much you'll pay for homeowners insurance and property taxes.

### Can I afford a \$400,000 or \$500,000 house?

Let's assume you make a 20% down payment on a \$400,000 house and take out a 30-year fixed mortgage at an interest rate of 6.5%. According to Bankrate's mortgage calculator, that would make your monthly principal and interest payments \$2,022. That gives you a little bit of wiggle room to account for property taxes, insurance premiums and other monthly fees to stay under the 28% goal of \$2,333. So yes, hypothetically you should be able to afford a \$400,000 home. However, \$500,000 would be pushing it — the same loan on a house of that price would equate to \$2,528 in monthly principal and interest payments, which exceeds your limit of \$2,333.

### How to determine how much home you can afford

Your paycheck isn't the only thing that decides your buying power. Make sure you think about these other major factors to get a sense of how much you'll be able to borrow to buy a house.

### Your credit situation and debt-to-income ratio

Your credit score is a crucial part of your mortgage application. Low credit

scores translate to higher interest rates — which will eat into your buying power. Bankrate's mortgage calculator shows that the monthly payment on a \$320,000 loan at a 7% interest rate is more than \$200 higher than the same loan at 6%. So, a higher credit score will equate to a more competitive interest rate on your loan, and thus a lower monthly mortgage bill.

"Before banks or other mortgage lenders extend a loan to you, they'll look at that overall picture of your financial life," says Wil Hendrix-Griffin, a Chicago-based senior vice president at PNC Bank. "Lenders want to see how well you manage your current debt. Are you paying your bills on time? Are you overspending on your credit card? It's important for lenders to see that you're not financially overextending yourself by adding a mortgage payment to your personal finances."

Lenders will also evaluate your overall debt-to-income ratio — the 36 in the 28/36 rule. Some lenders will allow up to a 50% DTI, but they will look at higher levels of outstanding debt — especially high-interest credit cards — as a signal of a higher-risk borrower.

"In addition to a credit score and income, lenders will research your employment history," Hendrix-Griffin adds. "It's equally important to show that you have a steady, reliable, long-term employment history. This shows the lender that there's a high likelihood that you'll be employed well into the future."

### Your savings

How much of that \$100,000 salary have you

been able to squirrel away in savings? Shifting your money into a high-yield savings account can help accelerate your savings efforts.

Savings are highly important, because the more money you can put down upfront, the less money you'll have to borrow. If you can afford to make a sizable down payment, that lowers your loan-to-value ratio, which is the size of your borrowed sum divided by the worth of property you want to buy. Lenders prefer to see an 80/20 LTV, which requires a 20% down payment. So, on a \$400,000 home, you would need to put down \$80,000 upfront, and still have enough left over to cover your closing costs.

If you can't make a 20% down payment, it's OK. Many types of loans can be had for much less. However, this will likely mean paying for private mortgage insurance, which will add to your monthly payments.

### Your location and must-haves

Do you absolutely have to live in the big city, where the cost of living is high? Your dollars will go a lot further in less expensive markets than they will in, say, New York or San Francisco.

Additionally, remember that this home purchase doesn't have to be your forever home. If you're simply aiming to stop renting, think about a starter home that can serve you for at least the next five years. It may not be the exact property you eventually want, but you can start building equity right away.

### Know your financing options

There are loads of different financing options for buying a home, including conventional, FHA, VA and USDA loans. To get a sense of what kind of loan you can qualify for and how much you'll be able to borrow, get preapproved for a mortgage. It's a simple step that involves sharing your pay stubs, tax returns and other financial information with a lender. That will give you a solid idea of how much a lender is willing to loan you, which will help you set a realistic budget.

The lender that issues your preapproval doesn't have to be the lender that actually loans you the money to buy the home. Be sure to compare multiple lenders to get a sense of where you'll find a combination of the lowest fees and the best interest rates.

And if you're buying your first home, there are many first-time homebuyer loans and programs that can help cover your down payment or closing costs, too. Your relatively high salary may make you ineligible for some of them, but it's worth looking into, as several states have upped their income limits above the \$100,000 mark.

### Stay the course

If you crunch all the numbers and you're still wondering whether you should buy a house now or wait, patience might prove to be a good route. Set yourself up for success by taking some time to boost your savings and improve your credit score before you dive into the market. Don't do

anything that might negatively alter your score, like open up new credit accounts or buy a new car, while you're actively trying to raise it. And when you're ready, make sure you have an experienced local real estate agent by your side. An agent who knows your market can help you find the right home at the right price for you.

### FAQs

—How much income do you need to afford a \$500K house?

Assuming a 20% down payment, a 30-year mortgage and a 6.5% interest rate, Bankrate's mortgage calculator shows that the monthly principal and interest payment would be \$2,528. Let's round that up to an even \$3,000 to account for property taxes, insurance premiums and other fees. That monthly payment comes to \$36,000 annually. Applying the 28/36 rule, which states that you shouldn't spend more than around a third of your income on housing, multiply \$36,000 by three and you get \$108,000. So to afford a \$500K house you'd have to make at least \$108,000 per year.

—What other factors impact how much home I can afford?

Beyond your salary, some of the other factors that impact your homebuying power include your credit score, your debt-to-income ratio, your employment history and your savings. The location where you're shopping can also play a role in how much home you can afford, especially in a high-priced market.

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# Latest mortgage news: Rates top 7% as Fed resumes inflation fight

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U.S. mortgage rates rose this week, after the Federal Reserve re-engaged in its war on inflation. The average rate on 30-year mortgages climbed to 7.09% this week, up from 6.98% last week, according to Bankrate's weekly national survey of large lenders.

After taking a break from inflation fighting last month, the Fed resumed rate increases when it met last week. The central bank announced a widely anticipated quarter-point increase in interest rates.

While the Fed doesn't directly set fixed mortgage rates, it does set the tone — and as the central bank has boosted its policy rate from zero in early 2022 to 5.25% now, mortgage rates have risen sharply. "This is the most aggressive raising of interest rates in 40 years," said Lawrence Yun, chief economist at the National Association of Realtors.

Mortgage rates remain chained to inflation, a metric the Fed has been moving to control. Meanwhile, the most relevant benchmark is the 10-year Treasury yield, which topped 4% on Wednesday — its highest level of 2023.

"Further disinflation in the coming months should help support more, albeit modest, downward movements in Treasury yields, which mortgage rates tend to follow," says Orphe Divounguy, senior economist at Zillow.

Mortgage rates rose steeply for most of 2022, topping 7% in November before retreating. They've at that level again.

What happened to mortgage rates this week

The 30-year fixed mortgages in this week's survey had an average total of 0.31

discount and origination points.

Over the past 52 weeks, the benchmark 30-year fixed-rate mortgage has averaged 6.61%. A year ago, the 30-year fixed-rate mortgage was 5.55%. Four weeks ago, the rate was 6.95%. The 30-year fixed-rate average for this week is 1.5 percentage points higher than the 52-week low of 5.59%.

As for other loans:

■ The 15-year fixed-rate mortgage was 6.54%, up from 6.44% last week.

■ The 5/6 adjustable-rate mortgage (ARM) stood at 7.09%, up from 7.02% to a week ago.

■ The 30-year fixed-rate jumbo mortgage was 6.95%, up from 6.88% last week.

How mortgage rates affect home affordability

The national median family income for 2023 is \$96,300, according to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, and the median price of an existing home sold in June 2023 was \$410,200, according to the National Association of Realtors. Based on a 20% down payment and a mortgage rate of 7.09%, the monthly payment of \$2,203 amounts to 27% of the typical family's monthly income.

A year ago, median family income was \$90,000, the median home price was \$413,800 and the average mortgage rate was 5.55%. Buying the typical home then required 25% of a family's monthly income.

The sharp rise in mortgage rates has squeezed affordability and sparked a slowdown in home sales. First-time buyers are especially challenged by this market. However, home prices haven't fallen significantly — and values are unlikely to decline, given the shortage of homes for sale,

housing economists say.

"Buyers can expect to continue seeing mortgage rates above 6%, although with 11 months of rates in that range, many home shoppers have adjusted their budgets to the new reality," says George Ratiu, chief economist at Keeping Current Matters, a real estate marketing company.

Many housing economists are hopeful that mortgage rates will fall later this year as inflation comes under control. "If we see mortgage rates trend down, consistent with inflation returning to target levels, it should remove substantial friction from real estate markets," says Ruben Gonzalez, chief economist at real estate brokerage Keller Williams. Where mortgage rates are headed

Experts expected to see rates decrease by the end of 2023 as the Fed's round of rate hikes draws to an end, but the resilience of the U.S. economy has thrown a wrinkle into those expectations. The job market remains strong, and the U.S. economy has yet to fall into recession.

"We do expect mortgage rates to trend down once the [Fed] clearly signals that they have reached the peak for this cycle, as the reduction in uncertainty with respect to the direction of rates should narrow the spread of mortgage rates relative to Treasury benchmarks," says Mike Frattantoni, chief economist at the Mortgage Bankers Association.

"Low inflation means low mortgage rates," Yun says. "Therefore, decelerating consumer prices could steadily lift home sales and increase home production in a few months."

# U.S. debt downgrade means mortgages just got more expensive

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A bond rating agency's downgrade of U.S. government debt roiled markets — and created just one more reason for mortgage rates to stay firmly near their highest level in two decades.

Fitch announced late Tuesday it had cut the U.S. government's credit grade one level, from AAA to AA+. On Wednesday, yields on 10-year Treasury notes peaked as high as 4.1%. The 10-year Treasury is the benchmark most closely connected to 30-year fixed mortgage rates. "That is not good news," National Association of Realtors Chief Economist Lawrence Yun said of the downgrade and subsequent rise in Treasury yields. "That is going to make the mortgage rate a little higher."

**Mortgage rates already uncomfortably high**

The average rate on a 30-year loan rose to 7.09% in Bankrate's most recent national survey of lenders, nearing the 2022 peak of 7.12%. Rates haven't been that high since 2002. During the depths of the pandemic, they fell below 3% — rock-bottom levels that spurred a housing boom and refinancing frenzy.

For borrowers, the jump in rates has been a budget-buster. Borrowing \$300,000 for 30 years at 3% means a monthly payment of \$1,265. Jack up the rate to 7%, and the payment becomes \$1,996.

While economists have predicted a retreat for mortgage rates, the rating agency's downgrade puts one more obstacle on the downward path.

"This could have seri-

ous consequences," says Dick Lepre, a loan agent at CrossCountry Mortgage in Alamo, California.

**Why was U.S. debt downgraded?**

In its announcement, Fitch — one of the "big three" credit rating agencies in the U.S. — pointed to a cycle of partisan brinkmanship in Washington. The latest standoff came in June, when Congress flirted with a government shutdown before reaching a last-second agreement on the federal debt ceiling.

"In Fitch's view, there has been a steady deterioration in standards of governance over the last 20 years, including on fiscal and debt matters, notwithstanding the June bipartisan agreement to suspend the debt limit until January 2025," the rating agency stated. "The repeated debt-limit political standoffs and last-minute resolutions have eroded confidence in fiscal management."

Fitch also pointed to rising levels of government spending and to what it called the likelihood of a "mild" recession later this year — although many economists have begun to say it's possible the U.S. economy will avoid a recession entirely.

Essentially, the rating agency believes U.S. government debt is riskier than previously thought. Investors, therefore, demanded a higher yield for holding the debt.

While sobering, the downgrade reflects mild concerns rather than a looming crisis. Fitch still considers Uncle Sam a "very high credit risk."

"Everyone knows the U.S. government will pay those debts," says Yun, who is holding out hope

that members of Congress will take a hint from the downgrade and set aside political bickering.

"Maybe this is a wake-up call," says Yun.

Sean Snaith, director of the University of Central Florida's Institute for Economic Forecasting, likewise sees the downgrade as a call to action.

"This is a warning shot across the U.S. government's bow that it needs to right its fiscal ship," says Snaith. "You can't just spend trillions of dollars more than you have in revenue every year and expect no ill consequences."

**Downgrade one part of bigger mortgage rate picture**

The debt downgrade had an immediate effect on the 10-year Treasury, but that gauge is only one piece of the complicated puzzle that drives mortgage rates. The impetus for day-to-day rate movement, especially, can be murky.

While the Federal Reserve doesn't directly determine fixed mortgage rates, the central bank does set the overall tone — and as it boosted its policy rate from zero in early 2022 to 5.25% now, mortgage rates rose sharply.

For 30-year rates, however, the most relevant benchmark is the 10-year Treasury yield.

That brings up a quirk of post-pandemic mortgage rates: The gap between 30-year mortgage rates and the 10-year yield is unusually wide.

This interval, known to economists as "the spread," typically runs between 1.5 and 2 percentage points. If the 10-year yield sits at 4%, for example, the 30-year fixed mortgage rate should track close to 6%.

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Wife of accused Gilgo Beach killer Rex Heuermann says neighbors want to raze their Long Island home

BY EMMA SEIWELL, LARRY MCSHANE  
New York Daily News (TNS)

Gilgo Beach serial killer suspect Rex Heuermann's house was torn apart by investigators — and neighbors want it torn down completely. Heuermann's wife, speaking Wednesday after his Suffolk County Court appearance one day earlier, told the Daily News her future still remains uncertain after his arrest for the murders of three Long Island sex workers. "The people in this

neighborhood, they want this house gone," said Asa Ellerup, who raised two children inside the home with the accused killer. "They want it bulldozed, you understand? They want it gone." Ellerup, standing in the driveway of the Massapequa Park residence, said the house was left in a shambles after investigators spent 12 days scouring the home for any evidence in the killings dating back to 2009 and 2010. "We're still finding other things that they destroyed," she said. Prosecutors revealed at a Tuesday court hearing that investigators recovered thousands of pages of documents, along with other records and photographs, during their search of the residence. Heuermann, 59, stood silently during the proceeding where he appeared in handcuffs and ankle bracelets. He has already entered a plea of innocent on the multiple murder charges. His wife, who filed for divorce after the accused killer's July 13 arrest near his Manhattan real estate

office, complained specifically about the condition of her bathtub after the search was done. "I can sit in it and I got a handheld [shower head]," she said. "But I really want a nice bath. Just to be able to get my hair all wet. Nice shampoo. Nice conditioner. You know what? One day, one day." A police car remained parked directly across the street to deter gawkers from stopping outside or snapping photos of the house. Ellerup expressed appreciation to a neighbor who sent the family a pizza last Friday night and stopped in the driveway Wednesday to chat with her. But she said life remained a struggle since her spouse's arrest.

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Struggling U.S. sectors trim work hours rather than slash payrolls

BY AUGUSTA SARAIVA  
Bloomberg News (TNS)

U.S. employers in struggling sectors such as manufacturing are reducing hours rather than resorting to aggressive job cuts, with flashbacks to recent labor shortages that challenged so many companies. The average number of weekly hours for non-supervisory workers in manufacturing slipped last month to 40.6, matching the lowest since the early days of the pandemic, the government's jobs report

showed Friday. The latest data available for the truck transportation industry show the fewest hours worked since 2020, while weekly hours at warehouses stand at a one-year low. Manufacturing and transportation are among industries struggling for traction as many consumers change their spending patterns from goods back to services. U.S. factory activity has now contracted for nine months and freight activity has slowed.

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**Directions:** Rt.705 onto VanVoorhis Road, turn left onto Brettwald Drive. The property will be on the left. Move in ready and located close to WVU, hospitals and Suncrest. Eat-in kitchen is complete with granite countertops, stainless steel appliances, double wall oven and wine cooler. Plenty of space for everyone with a sunroom, lower-level bonus room and additional room perfect for a fifth bedroom or home office. Come and see the fabulous layout, patio and many upgrades for yourself.

Tammy Fox, Sales Associate 304-282-0968

**OPEN 12-2PM TODAY!**

**226 RED OAK LANE, 3BR, 2BA \$325,000**



**Directions:** I-79 exit 155 Turn onto Chaplin Rd, first right after BFS onto Red Oak Lane (Solomon Rd). First right onto Red Oak. Resort like amenities plus low maintenance living at the new Village of Sugar Maple Ridge! Top of the line clubhouse, pool, firepit, gym, playground, yoga/boxing studio and more! High-end, quality finishes standard! Open floor plan on main with either patio or composite deck. Granite counters, designer lighting and SS appliances. Abundant storage with room off garage. Located off I-79 near University Town Center with easy access to town.

Jamie Stoldt, Sales Associate 304-290-8323

**OPEN 11AM-1PM TODAY!**  
**NEW**

**272 WAITMAN STREET, 4BR, 2BA \$275,000**



**Directions:** Don Knotts Boulevard to Prairie Ave. Right on South High St. Left on Simpson St, right on Waitman St. Home on the right.

Home is located in a historic neighborhood. Preserve the timeless charm and original woodwork by making a few updates, including revealing the hidden wood floors underneath most of the carpet. The abundance of natural light that fills each room creates a warm and inviting atmosphere. Imagine spending an afternoon on the covered porch or level back yard relaxing and enjoying the sun.

Jake Haynes, Sales Associate 681-331-8169

**OPEN 12-2PM TODAY!**

**55 COLORADO AVENUE, 2BR, 1BA \$125,000**



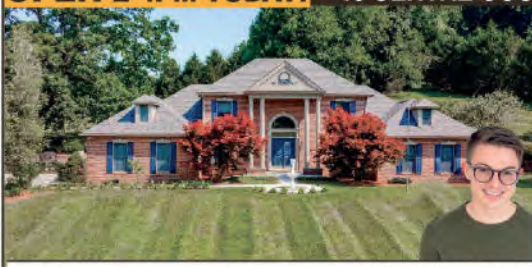
**Directions:** Westover Bridge straight on Holland Avenue and then make a left on Colorado. Home is first on right.

Check this out - New roof, updated floors and bathroom. Adorable backyard with tons of potential - you don't want to miss out on this cute little bungalow! If it's not for you, make it your first investment opportunity! Located right across the Westover Bridge on a private and quiet street. Close to downtown and so many other amenities. Owner is selling this home AS IS.

Kayla Magro, Sales Associate 304-669-0410  
Jarred Turgel, Sales Associate 301-788-8191

**OPEN 2-4PM TODAY!**

**18 CENTRE COURT, GRAFTON, 5BR, 4.5BA \$739,000**



**Directions:** Rt. 119 South, to Grafton, right onto Centre Court.

Custom designed luxury home 20 minutes to town on 4 +/- acres. Enter this grand home greeted by a stunning staircase. Dining area and the office/flex room situated off the large foyer. Cathedral ceilings in the beautiful great room with custom windows for abundance of natural light. Double sided fireplace from great room into Owner's suite on the main level. Outdoor living space with covered patio and in ground pool.

Jake Haynes, Sales Associate 681-331-8169

**OPEN 2:30-4:30PM**

**397 RIVERVIEW AVE, WESTOVER, 3BR, 1.5BA \$165,000**



**Directions:** I-79 to exit 152 (Westover). Take Fairmont Road towards downtown, turn onto Riverview Avenue. House will be on your left.

Looking for a cozy home in a convenient location? Look no further than this charming Westover property, situated on a quiet dead end street. You'll love the easy access to the interstate and downtown, as well as the nearby amenities and attractions. This home features a new refrigerator, a new HWH, and new light fixtures. Don't miss this opportunity to own a piece of Westover's charm!

Jarred Turgel, Sales Associate 301-788-8191

**OPEN 2-4PM TODAY!**  
**REDUCED**

**113 FOREST DRIVE, 4BR, 4.5BA \$465,000**



**Directions:** From VanVoorhis Rd. turn on Clearwater Ave. right on Anderson Ave., then right on Oakview Dr. right on Poplar Woods Dr., then left on Forest Dr. property on your left.

Outdoor lover's paradise in the heart of Suncrest! Situated on two city lots, this home has a sunroom on the main level that leads to a private courtyard. The primary suite includes its own fireplace, screened patio, and home office. The remodeled lower level is complete with a sauna and is awaiting your finishing touches. This one is a must see!

Tammy Fox, Sales Associate 304-282-0968

**NEW**

**170 HIGHLAND RANCH MASON TOWN, 4BR, 3.5BA \$550,000**

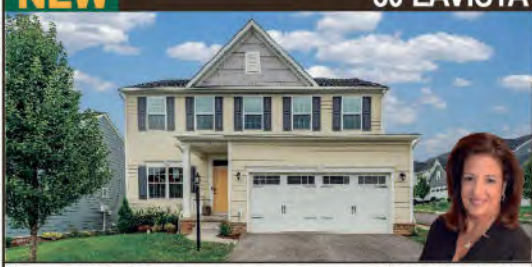


You won't believe your eyes when you see this dream home in the sought-after Highland Ranch subdivision! This property has it all: a quiet and serene neighborhood, stunning mountain views and a huge backyard with plenty of space. Inside, you will be amazed by the features of this home: theatre room, home gym, high ceilings, an elegant dining room and a massive primary suite with a spa-like bathroom. Ideal for hosting parties, spending quality time with your loved ones or working from home. Don't let this chance slip away to own this incredible home in a prime location! Plus, you will never have to worry about power outages with the whole house generator installed!

Matthew Veith, Sales Associate 304-777-7028  
Susie Pappas, Sales Associate 304-282-2463

**NEW**

**80 LAVISTA DRIVE, 4BR, 2.5BA \$497,000**



Beautifully maintained! Open floor plan with soaring ceilings, hardwood floors, fireplace and exceptional patio/deck with stone enclosure wall. 4 Spacious bedrooms, 2 1/2 bathrooms and loads of storage space. The unfinished lower level is plumbed for a full bath and waiting to be finished. Freshly painted inside and ready for a new owner to call this fabulous property home.

Anna Marie Stephens, Sales Associate 304-290-4569

**REDUCED**

**23 TERRELL DRIVE, 3BR, 2BA \$184,900**



Well kept raised ranch on over an acre of land in the Cheat Lake area. Brand new roof. Eat in country kitchen. Fenced in above ground pool conveys. Big 32x24 detached garage for the toys. Also, a 12x20 carport. 2 other outbuildings for storage (8x10) and (16x10). Less than 5 miles to Cheat Lake and room to store your boat. Owner asks for pre-approved buyers for showings

Andy Baughman, Sales Associate 304-680-3253

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2536 HALLECK ROAD, 4/5BR, 5/4BA, 20ACRE	\$3,750,000
3950 EASTLAKE DRIVE, 8BR, 6.5 BA	\$3,100,000
126 QUAIL ROAD, 5BR, 5/2BA	\$2,199,900
561 WEST MAIN ST, BRUCETON MILLS, 5BR, 4.5BA	\$1,695,000
PENDING 414 RUSTIC HILLS DRIVE, 5BR, 4/2BA	\$1,475,000
600 PRESTON RD, 5BR, 3BA + GH	\$1,199,000
75 LEWELLYN ROAD, 6BR, 4.5BA	\$1,100,000
1284 PARKVIEW DRIVE 5BR, 3BA	\$1,100,000
60 LAKESIDE DRIVE, 5BR, 5BA	\$850,000
18 CENTRE CT, GRAFTON, 5BR, 4/4BA 4+/-ACRE	\$739,000
1205 PARADISE POINT COURT, 3BR, 3.5BA	\$739,000
3039 EARL L CORE ROAD, 26+/-AC, 4BR, 2BA	\$700,000
REDUCED 1009 BRETTWALD DR., 4BR, 3.5BA	\$647,000
2149 ARDEN ROAD PHILIPPI, 3BR, 2.5BA	\$579,000
1114 WINDSOR AVENUE, 4BR, 3.5BA	\$550,000
NEW 170 HIGHLAND RANCH MASON TOWN, 4BR, 3.5BA	\$550,000
NEW 80 LAVISTA DRIVE, 4BR, 2.5BA	\$497,000
PENDING 2 WATERFRONT PLACE #1606 2BR,2BA	\$495,000
PENDING 1109 ANDREW DRIVE 5BR, 3.5BA	\$475,000
PENDING 1206 CHINKAPIN OAK TRAIL, 3BR,	\$470,000
PENDING 1207 CHINKAPIN OAK TRAIL, 3BR	\$470,000
REDUCED 113 FOREST DRIVE, 4BR, 4BA	\$465,000
PENDING 248 WAITMAN STREET, 4BR, 2BA	\$459,900
1015 SLIPPERY ELM LANE, 3BR, 2.5BA	\$435,000
1019 SLIPPERY ELM LANE, 3BR, 2.5BA	\$435,000
PENDING 132 OPEN RIDGE ROAD, 3BR, 3BA	\$400,000

UNIT 411 SOARING EAGLE LODGE 2/2	\$375,000
PENDING 1106 ANDREW DRIVE, 3BR, 3BA	\$357,000
705 LAKEVIEW ESTATES, 3BR, 3.5BA	\$350,000
PENDING 228 RED OAK LANE, 3BR, 2.5BA	\$325,000
PENDING 222 RED OAK LANE, 3BR, 2BA	\$325,000
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PENDING 224 RED OAK LANE, 3BR, 2.5BA	\$320,000
234 RED OAK LANE, 3BR, 2.5BA	\$320,000
236 RED OAK LANE, 3BR, 2.5BA	\$320,000
PENDING 226 RED OAK LANE, 3BR, 2.5BA	\$320,000
PENDING 1030 SLIPPERY ELM LN 3BR, 2.5BA	\$315,000
PENDING 876 COBUN CREEK RD, 3BR, 1.5BA	\$300,000
8139 STONEGATE DR. 3BR, 2BA CHAMPION, PA	\$299,000
PENDING 35 BLANEY HOLLOW ROAD, 3BR, 2BA	\$295,000
PENDING 227 HAGANS STREET, 3BR, 2.5BA	\$289,400
NEW 272 WAITMAN STREET, 4BR, 2BA	\$275,000
PENDING 494 TETRICK RD, SHINNSTON, 3BR, 2BA	\$267,000
PENDING 1304 HERITAGE PLACE, 3BR, 1BA	\$249,900
88 FAIRMOR DRIVE, 2BR, 2BA GREENGOLDSOLD	
PENDING 1637 DAYBROOK RD. FAIRVIEW, 3BR, 2BA	\$229,000
REDUCED 707 GASTON AVE. FAIRMONT 4BR, 2.5BA	\$212,999
PENDING 338 FOUNTAIN VIEW DR., 2BR, 2BA	\$212,500
PENDING 1210 MILTON STREET 3BR, 2.5BA	\$211,000
PENDING 217 FOUNTAIN VIEW, 2BR, 2BA	\$205,900
PENDING 1190 JERSEY AVENUE, 3BR, 2BA	\$199,900

317 FOUNTAIN VIEW, 2BR, 2BA	\$192,900
PENDING 124 FOUNTAIN VIEW, 2BR, 2BA	\$192,500
4 LANE STREET, 3BR, 2BA GREENGOLDSOLD	
REDUCED 23 TERRELL DRIVE, 3BR, 2BA	\$184,900
114 FOUNTAIN VIEW DRIVE, 2BR, 2BA	\$182,500
PENDING 2715 SUNCREST VILLAGE, 1BR, 1BA	\$179,900
REDUCED 397 RIVERVIEW AVE., 3BR, 2.5BA	\$175,000
PENDING 28 WILLIAMS ST, FAIRMONT 3BR, 2BA	\$149,950
10 4TH AVENUE POINT MARION, 3BR, 2BA	\$139,000
2215 NILAN RD, PT. MARION, 3BR, 1BA	\$125,000
PENDING 3795 EARL L. CORE ROAD, 4BR, 1BA	\$125,000
55 COLORADO AVENUE, 2BR, 1BA	\$125,000
PENDING 506 GASTON AVE. FAIRMONT, 4BR, 1.5BA	\$125,000
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PENDING 3200 COLLINS FERRY RD	\$675,000
1000 STEWARTSTOWN ROAD	\$650,000
686 WILEY STREET, MULTI-UNIT	\$429,000
3418 EARL L. CORE ROAD	\$425,000
130 FAYETTE STREET	\$420,000
7584 OLD RTE 73 RD BRUCETON	\$395,000
7 DON KNOTTS BOULEVARD	\$275,000
230 QUAY ST, MULTI-UNIT	\$220,000
63 JONES AVE, MULTI-UNIT	\$200,000
101 JONES AVE, MULTI-UNIT	\$200,000
1244 DORSEY AVENUE	\$194,500
NEW 377 AND 385 OLD CHEAT ROAD	\$150,000
517 E. BROCKWAY AVENUE	\$125,000
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00 CHAPLIN & UTC DRIVE	\$5,687,500
371 4+H CAMP RD	\$2,750,000
337 PATTESON DRIVE	\$1,800,000
1901 BRYANT STREET	\$775,000
585 WADES RUN & BOWLBY RD	\$695,000
1037 VALLEY VIEW 1+/-AC	\$679,000
301, 307 & 317 EAST BROCKWAY AVE.	\$450,000
315 NOLAN AVENUE	\$375,000
0 FAIRMONT ROAD	\$250,000
000 CHEAT ROAD	\$181,000



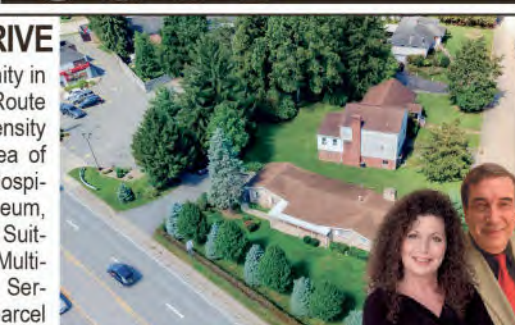
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4544 DOT MOR LN, LAKE LYNN, PA	\$2,799,000
PENDING 1140 A CHEAT RD 94+/- AC	\$2,265,000
0 LITTLE FALLS RD, 26+/- AC	\$1,700,000
560 TYRONE ROAD	\$650,000
1604 TYRONE ROAD, 30 AC	\$600,000
265 OAK LANE, BEVERLY	\$550,000
0 SKYLINE DRIVE 2.5+/- AC	\$450,000
00 SUNSET BEACH ROAD	\$375,000
0 MIKE STREET, 13.3+/- AC	\$325,000
7024 WOODLANDS RIDGE	\$270,000
LOT 25 MYSTIC DRIVE	\$250,000
LOT 308 STONE VALLEY DRIVE	\$225,000
PENDING LOT A BELLA VITA LANE	\$225,000
UNIT B GREYSTONE DRIVE	\$210,000
201 WALNUT HEIGHTS	\$200,000
329 MISSISSIPPI STREET	\$195,000
0 PRIMROSE DRIVE	\$175,000
00 SKYLINE DRIVE LOT 3	\$150,000
30 LAUREL VIEW ROAD	\$150,000
19.25 MAYFIELD RD, 2.55+/- ac	\$150,000
19.26 MAYFIELD RD, 2.657+/- ac	\$150,000
LOT 6 ICES FERRY EST.	\$140,000
590 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE	\$140,000
LOT 2 ICES FERRY ESTATES	\$124,500
000 SKYLINE DRIVE LOT 5	\$120,000
1401 BRETTWOOD LANE	\$110,000
LOT 12 BACKWATERS, 2.02 AC	\$108,000
731 CHESTNUT RG	\$98,000
0 CO RTE. 3/8 BIGAMON, SHINNSTON	\$90,000
4506 LAUREL RIDGE LANE	\$89,900
GLADSTONE CIRCLE - STARTING AT	\$87,500
LOT 24 EASTERN TRAIL	\$85,000
LOT 22 RIDGETOP DR 1.05 +/- AC	\$85,000
LOT 115 CANYON RIDGE DRIVE	\$80,000
LOTS AT CANYON RIDGE STARTING	\$80,000
LOT C13R PERSIMMON WOODS DR.	\$79,900
435 DORSEY AVENUE	\$69,500
LOT 6 GANDOLF RD MASON TOWN, 2 +/- AC	\$63,000
45 FALLING WATER LANE	\$60,000
LOT 28 SOUTHPOINT CIRCLE	\$57,000
LOT 3 ELMCREST COURT	\$55,000
PENDING 6 & 8 CHAMPAGNE DRIVE	\$50,000
0 COLLEGE AVENUE	\$49,900
THE LANDING AT MORGAN POINTE	\$49,000
LOT 12 GANDOLF RD. MON COUNTY	\$47,500
1316 BAKERS RIDGE RD	\$45,000
0 CHERRY ST/ WOODLINE	\$45,000
7346 KINGWOOD PIKE, REEDSVILLE	\$45,000
00 SEPTEMBER DRIVE	\$41,500
LOT 14 HUDSON MILL RD BRUCETON	\$40,000
00 ROSEDALE HILL ROAD	\$39,900
0 TIBBS ROAD	\$39,900
LOT 27 HOBBS GLEN, MON COUNTY	\$35,000
LOTS 7 & 8 SENNETT STREET	\$34,000
LOT 12 MEADOW LARK	\$32,000
PENDING LOT 29 MEADOW LARK DR,	\$32,000
9 CHAMPAGNE DRIVE	\$30,000
116 IRIS LANE, 41 +/-acres	\$30,000
LOT 46 FALLING WATER	\$25,000
LOT 12 AUBURN HILLS, BRUCETON	\$25,000
00 CHERRY STREET	\$25,000
LOT 8 RED OAK	\$22,000
LOT 9 RED OAK	\$22,000
0 W PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE	\$18,000
0 W. FORK RIVER RD, FAIRMONT	\$15,000
LOT 12 OVERHILL RD FAIRMONT	\$10,000
LOT 13A OVERHILL RD FAIRMONT	\$10,000
LOTS AT SHILOH - STARTING AT	\$10,000
LOT 4 HODGES	\$8,000
0 RANDALL STREET	\$5,000

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# Cover Story

## Fandom made 'Super'

New competition series honors music fans

By Dana Simpson  
TV Media

After decades of competitive reality shows committed to finding the most talented singers, dancers, performers and the like, CBS launches an unscripted series dedicated to the fans — well, to the “superfans,” to be exact. Honoring the most loyal of six celebrities’ fan bases, the network’s new competition series tests a group of contestants’ knowledge in exchange for a chance to meet their idols up close and personal. Originally scheduled to arrive in June, “Superfan” premieres Wednesday, Aug. 9, on CBS, the CBS app and Paramount+.

Created by executive producers Keltie Knight (“Footloose,” 2011) and Jodi Roth (“Inappropriate Jeff,” 2014), “Superfan” makes use of a classic game show model — think BBC’s “Mastermind,” if you’ve seen it — testing players on a smattering of facts about the musician they all share a love for. Each week, beginning with LL Cool J (“NCIS: Los Angeles”), one music star is welcomed to perform and look on as their biggest fans settle the No. 1-fan question once and for all.

The series, which has a six-episode freshman season, is hosted by Knight and former NFL wide receiver Nate Burleson (“The NFL Today”). It features one new musical celebrity per episode, and following LL Cool J’s inaugural episode, the weekly guests include Canadian country music legend Shania Twain (“That Don’t Impress Me Much,” 1997); Cuban-American pop sensation Gloria Estefan (“Rhythm Is Gonna Get You,” 1987); Alabama-born country foursome Little Big

Town (“Pontoon,” 2012); rapper and Miami native Pitbull (“I Know You Want Me,” 2009); and Tennessean singer/songwriter Kelsea Ballerini (“Miss Me More,” 2017).

As the artist’s fans compete across several rounds to figure out who will come out as the one and only “superfan,” they each get the opportunity to interact with their favorite artist, thus making their music fandom dreams come true just by taking part. By the end of each episode, the artist in the spotlight will crown their No. 1 fan and present to them a unique set of prizes.

While discussing his excitement about co-hosting the new show, Burleson stated that “Superfan” “perfectly captures the energy of concert vibes and competition,” adding that “as a host, I get to meet music icons and watch everyday fans compete for a dream prize.”

As far as the at-home audience’s interaction with the fun goes, Burleson notes, “You will dance, laugh and even cry by the end of each episode, but more importantly, you’ll walk away a superfan yourself.”

And Burleson isn’t the only person delighted to be taking the game show genre to new heights; creators Knight and Roth also expressed their own love for the series in the CBS news release.

“We felt like it was time that fan bases across all genres of music get the love and recognition they deserve,” the pair said. “‘Superfan’ gives celebrated musical artists a chance to honor their fans by engaging with them one-on-one and surprising them with once-in-a-lifetime prize packages. It’s a feel-good show that ev-

eryone will enjoy.”

The wide range in artist generation, background and musical genre opens the antics up to the entire family, regardless of initial interest, and provides wholesome entertainment for audiences of all ages. An added bonus for CBS and the artists involved is that, given the anticipated viewership in its prime-time slot, new fans may be born while existing fans are entertained.

One of the best parts, according to CBS’s executive vice-president of specials, music, live events and alternative

programming, Jack Sussman, is that “audiences can play along ... at home.” Sussman also noted in the show’s official release that, “[V]iewers will also be treated to an exclusive medley of hits performed by these mega musicians,” adding that each concert “will feel all the more special when performed for their most passionate fans.”

While music game shows such as “Don’t Forget the Lyrics,” “Beat Shazam!,” “The Masked Singer” and late-night show host Jimmy Fallon’s “That’s My Jam” have all proven popular

over the years — along with, of course, staple competition series such as ABC’s “American Idol” and NBC’s “The Voice” — “Superfan” is truly one of a kind in the world of cable television today. That said, only time and ratings will tell whether the series will blaze a new trail in prime time.

Find out whether CBS’s new music series will make a superfan out of you this spring — “Superfan” premieres with special guest LL Cool J Wednesday, Aug. 9, on CBS. It is also available to stream on the CBS app and the Paramount+ streaming platform.



Pitbull as seen in “Superfan”



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MONDAY

3:30 p.m. (24) Boondock Nation 10,000 Acres  
8 p.m. (9) (11) (12) American Ninja Warrior Semifinals 2

FRIDAY

3:30 p.m. (24) Boondock Nation 10,000 Acres

SATURDAY

Noon (ESPN2) Ultimate Disc 2023 U.S. Open Ultimate Championships

FOOTBALL

MONDAY

4 p.m. (ESPN2) NFL Live (Live)  
5 p.m. (ESPN2) College Football Live (Live)  
7 p.m. (ESPN2) NFL Live  
10:30 p.m. (CSN) Birds Huddle

TUESDAY

4 p.m. (ESPN2) NFL Live (Live)  
5 p.m. (ESPN2) College Football Live (Live)  
10 p.m. (HBO) Hard Knocks: Training Camp With the New York Jets

WEDNESDAY

11:40 a.m. (HBO) Hard Knocks: Training Camp With the New York Jets  
4 p.m. (ESPN2) College Football Live (Live)  
8 p.m. (HBO2) Hard Knocks: Training Camp With the New York Jets

THURSDAY

4:30 p.m. (HBO) Hard Knocks: Training Camp With the New York Jets  
7 p.m. (ESPN2) College Football Live  
10:30 p.m. (CSN) Birds Huddle  
11 p.m. (CSN) Birds Huddle

FRIDAY

1:25 p.m. (HBO) Hard Knocks: Training Camp With the New York Jets  
6 p.m. (CSN) Birds Huddle (Live)  
6:30 p.m. (2) Steelers Kickoff  
7 p.m. (2) NFL Football Pittsburgh Steelers at Tampa Bay Buccaneers (Live)  
(CSN) Birds Huddle  
8 p.m. (HBO2) Hard Knocks: Training Camp With the New York Jets  
9 p.m. (CSN) Fantasy Football Happy Hour With Matthew Berry  
10 p.m. (2) Extra Point  
10:30 p.m. (2) The Nightly Sports Call: Special Edition  
11 p.m. (CSN) Birds Huddle

SATURDAY

1:40 p.m. (HBO2) Hard Knocks: Training Camp With the New York Jets  
4:45 p.m. (HBO) Hard Knocks: Training Camp With the New York Jets  
5 p.m. (CSN) Birds Huddle  
10 p.m. (CSN) Eagles Postgame Live (Live)

GOLF

SUNDAY

8 a.m. (GOLF) LPGA Tour Golf Trust Golf Women's Scottish Open, Final Round (Live)  
9:30 a.m. (CSN) Saturday Foursome  
10:30 a.m. (CSN) Traveling Golfer  
Noon (GOLF) Golf Central Pregame (Live)  
1 p.m. (22) LIV Golf League Greenbrier, Day 3 LIV Golf League (Live)  
(GOLF) PGA Tour Golf Wyndham Championship, Final Round (Live)  
3 p.m. (2) (6) (7) PGA Tour Golf Wyndham Championship, Final Round (Live)  
(GOLF) LPGA Tour Golf Trust Golf Women's Scottish Open, Final Round  
6 p.m. (GOLF) PGA Korn Ferry Tour Golf Utah Championship, Final Round (Live)  
7 p.m. (CSN) Winning Golf  
10 p.m. (GOLF) PGA Tour Golf Wyndham Championship, Final Round

MONDAY

7:30 a.m. (GOLF) PGA Tour Golf Wyndham Championship, Final Round  
11:30 a.m. (CSN) Winning Golf  
Noon (GOLF) Golf Today (Live)  
2 p.m. (GOLF) Golf Today  
5 p.m. (GOLF) PGA Championship Highlights 2012: Rory McIlroy  
7 p.m. (GOLF) PGA TOUR: The CUT  
7:30 p.m. (GOLF) School of Golf Chapter 6: Slice Stoppers  
8 p.m. (GOLF) U.S. Open Epics (Live)  
9 p.m. (GOLF) PGA Tour Golf Wyndham Championship, Final Round

TUESDAY

7 a.m. (GOLF) Asian Tour Golf Mandiri Indonesia Open, Third Round

FRIDAY

1 p.m. (GOLF) Golf Central Pregame (Live)  
2 p.m. (GOLF) PGA Tour Golf FedEx St. Jude Championship, Second Round (Live)  
6 p.m. (GOLF) Women's Golf U.S. Women's Amateur, Quarterfinals (Live)  
8:30 p.m. (CSN) Winning Golf  
10 p.m. (GOLF) PGA Tour Champions Golf Boeing Classic, First Round  
11:30 p.m. (CSN) Traveling Golfer

SATURDAY

12:30 p.m. (FSN) 18 Holes With Natalie Gulbis and Jimmy Hanlin Virginia Tech  
1 p.m. (22) LIV Golf League Bedminster, Day 2 LIV Golf League (Live)  
(GOLF) PGA Tour Golf FedEx St. Jude Championship, Third Round (Live)



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9 a.m. (GOLF) PGA Korn Ferry Tour Golf Utah Championship, Final Round  
Noon (GOLF) Golf Today (Live)  
7 p.m. (GOLF) School of Golf Chapter 7: Putting Pointers  
7:30 p.m. (GOLF) PGA TOUR: The CUT  
8 p.m. (GOLF) GOLF Films Becoming Annika  
9 p.m. (GOLF) U.S. Open Epics Michelle Wie: Breakthrough at Pinehurst  
10 p.m. (GOLF) U.S. Open Epics 1998 U.S. Women's Open - Two Winners at Blackwolf Run  
11:30 p.m. (CSN) Winning Golf

WEDNESDAY

10:30 a.m. (GOLF) GOLF Films Becoming Annika  
11:30 a.m. (GOLF) LPGA Tour Golf Trust Golf Women's Scottish Open, Final Round  
3 p.m. (FSN) Endless Golf  
3:30 p.m. (FSN) 18 Holes With Natalie Gulbis and Jimmy Hanlin University of Virginia (GOLF) PGA TOUR: The CUT  
4 p.m. (FSN) Fairways of Life with Matt Adams (GOLF) Golf Today (Live)  
5 p.m. (FSN) Breaking Par  
6 p.m. (GOLF) Women's Golf U.S. Women's Amateur, Round of 64 (Live)  
10 p.m. (GOLF) Playing Lessons From the Pros Patty Tavatanakit  
10:30 p.m. (GOLF) PGA TOUR: The CUT  
11 p.m. (GOLF) Women's Golf U.S. Women's Amateur, Round of 64

THURSDAY

6 a.m. (USA) 2023 AIG Women's Open First Round (Live)  
7 a.m. (GOLF) Women's Golf U.S. Women's Amateur, Round of 64  
10 a.m. (GOLF) Women's Golf U.S. Women's Amateur, Round of 64  
11 a.m. (CSN) Traveling Golfer  
1 p.m. (GOLF) Golf Central Pregame (Live)  
2 p.m. (GOLF) PGA Tour Golf FedEx St. Jude Championship, First Round (Live)  
6 p.m. (GOLF) Women's Golf U.S. Women's Amateur, Round of 16 (Live)  
10 p.m. (GOLF) PGA Tour Golf FedEx St. Jude Championship, First Round

3 p.m. (2) (6) (7) PGA Tour Golf FedEx St. Jude Championship, Third Round (Live)  
(GOLF) Women's Golf U.S. Women's Amateur, Semifinals (Live)  
6 p.m. (GOLF) PGA Tour Champions Golf Boeing Classic, Second Round (Live)  
9 p.m. (GOLF) PGA Tour Golf FedEx St. Jude Championship, Third Round

HOCKEY

SUNDAY

Noon (FSN) In the Room  
12:30 p.m. (FSN) Pens Pulse

THURSDAY

11 a.m. (FSN) Inside Penguins Hockey

SATURDAY

1 p.m. (2) (6) (7) 3ICE Championship: Teams TBA (Live)

HORSE RACING

SUNDAY

6 p.m. (CSN) Let's Go Racing

SATURDAY

10 a.m. (CSN) Let's Go Racing  
3 p.m. (46) (53) Horse Racing Saratoga Saturday (Live)

OUTDOORS

SUNDAY

6 a.m. (DISC) Seasons on the Fly Fishing Arkansas with Sea Run Cases  
6 p.m. (46) Fisherman's Handbook  
6:30 p.m. (46) National Walleye Tour

MONDAY

4:30 p.m. (FSN) Pure Outdoor

SATURDAY

7 a.m. (DISC) Major League Fishing Bass Pro Tour: 2023 Heavy Hitters Qualifying Group B Day 1 - Caney Creek Re  
11:30 a.m. (24) Facing Waves Sea Kayaking Killamey Provincial Park

SOCCER

SUNDAY

10 a.m. (ESPN2) ESPN FC Women's Soccer Special (Live)

TUESDAY

11 p.m. (ESPN2) ESPN FC Women's Soccer Special (Live)

THURSDAY

8 p.m. (46) (53) FIFA Women's World Cup Live (Live)  
9 p.m. (46) FIFA Women's World Cup 2023 Quarterfinal: Teams TBA (Live)  
(53) FIFA Women's World Cup 2023 Quarterfinal: Teams TBA (Live)  
2:30 a.m. (46) (53) FIFA Women's World Cup Tonight (Live)  
3:30 a.m. (46) FIFA Women's World Cup 2023 Quarterfinal: Teams TBA (Live)  
(53) FIFA Women's World Cup 2023 Quarterfinal: Teams TBA (Live)

FRIDAY

2 a.m. (46) (53) FIFA Women's World Cup Live (Live)  
3 a.m. (46) (53) FIFA Women's World Cup 2023 Quarterfinal: Teams TBA (Live)  
5 a.m. (46) (53) FIFA Women's World Cup Tonight (Live)

SATURDAY

6:30 a.m. (46) (53) FIFA Women's World Cup 2023 Quarterfinal: Teams TBA (Live)  
11 a.m. (ESPN2) ESPN FC Women's Soccer Special (Live)

TENNIS

FRIDAY

5 p.m. (FSN) World Tennis With Harry Cigma

TRIATHLON

SUNDAY

1 p.m. (CNBC) Triathlon PTO Tour: U.S. Open

WATER SPORTS

SATURDAY

Noon (CNBC) World Para Swimming Championships Manchester 2023: Highlights

WRESTLING

MONDAY

8 p.m. (USA) WWE Monday Night RAW (Live)

TUESDAY

8 p.m. (USA) WWE NXT (Live)

WEDNESDAY

8 p.m. (TBS) All Elite Wrestling: Dynamite (Live)

THURSDAY

10 p.m. (FSN) Fight Sports: Grand Sumo (Live)  
10:30 p.m. (FSN) Fight Sports: Grand Sumo

FRIDAY

10 p.m. (TNT) All Elite Wrestling: Rampage

SATURDAY

8 p.m. (TNT) All Elite Wrestling: Collision

Sports Feature

Ramírez and Guardians look to keep momentum going

By Roberto Jozef  
TV Media

It's been a less-than-stellar Major League Baseball season for the Cleveland Guardians, who had high hopes following an unexpected playoff run last year.

Kicking off the 2023 campaign with a 10-9 record in a mediocre AL Central division, the Guardians looked to build momentum in June when their offence began to heat up, with José Ramírez continuing to lead the charge in the second half of the season. Now, the Guardians look to close out their series against the Chicago White Sox on Sunday, Aug. 6, in a game streaming live on Peacock.

Since making his Guardians debut in 2013, José Ramírez is a cornerstone of the Guardians franchise. Ramírez has consistently put on display an elite on-field performance over the past 10 seasons and, with a career batting average of .279, he has consistently come through with clutch hits and more than 200 home runs. He has also stolen over 180 bases, making him a constant threat at any point in the game.

Proving he's worth every penny, the Guardians recently signed Ramirez to a \$141-million contract extension. He was the team's lone representative in this year's All-Star Game (teammate Emmanuel Clase opted out due to family obligations), and he has led the team in multiple offensive categories, including slugging percentage and home runs. Impressively,

Ramírez has, as of this writing, managed to pick up a hit in 76.7% of 86 games played.

Those are solid stats, but the White Sox know how to slow him down. In their first three meetings, the White Sox walked away victorious, and Ramírez managed to pull off only one hit in those three meetings — something Ramírez will surely look to change in Sunday's match.

After wrapping their weekend series against the White Sox, the Guardians will have to quickly shift their focus to a visit from the all-offensive Toronto Blue Jays. Look for Ramirez and the Guardians to come out swinging and get on the board early when the Jays take on the Guardians in a four-game series beginning Monday, Aug. 7, airing on ESPN.

FACTS:

**Full name:** José Enrique Ramírez  
**Birthdate:** Sept. 17, 1992 (30)  
**Birthplace:** Bani, Peravia, Dominican Republic  
**Height/weight:** 5-9/290 pounds  
**Teams:** Cleveland Guardians (2013-present)  
**Position:** Third Baseman  
**Bats/Throws:** Switch/Right  
**No: 11**  
**Honors and achievements:** Five-time All-Star (2017, 2018, 2021-2023), All-MLB Second Team (2020), four-time recipient of the Silver Slugger Award (2017, 2018, 2020, 2022)



# Family Favorites



Ari, Olive and Elinor in "Elinor Wonders Why"

## Sunday

**DISN 6:25 p.m.**

### Alvin and the Chipmunks: Chipwrecked

There's trouble in paradise when Alvin, Simon and Theodore embark on a cruise with Dave (Jason Lee) in this 2011 film, which blends live action and animation. The gang ends up "chip" wrecked on a desert island and must work together to survive.

**Freeform 7:15 p.m.**

### Despicable Me 3

Gru (Steve Carell), Lucy (Kristen Wiig) and the Minions are back for another adventure, in which Gru meets his long-lost twin brother, Dru (also Carell), and the two form a topsy-turvy alliance in order to take down a former child star out for revenge.

## Monday

**TOON 8:45 a.m.**

### Bugs Bunny Builders

Bugs, Lola, Daffy, Porky and Tweety use their vehicles to take on the looniest possible construction projects, this time carefully redesigning the final hole at the ACME Acres Mini Golf Course as Porky wants to get it just right for the kids.

## Tuesday

**DISN 8 p.m.**

### High School Musical 3: Senior Year

During this third installment of the series, Troy (Zac Efron), Gabriella (Vanessa Hudgens), Sharpay (Ashley Tisdale) and the rest of their East High classmates make the most of their high school senior year, staging their last spring musical.

## Thursday

**13 24 Noon**

### Elinor Wonders Why

Elinor the bunny rabbit and her woodland friends make their own instruments so they can participate in Senior Tapir's concert. Later, when Elinor's dad falls asleep during a campout, the kids use flashlights to communicate to each other in the dark.

## Friday

**TOON 8:15 a.m.**

### Mecha Builders

Panic erupts in Pretty Big City for Elmo and Cookie Monster when the big clock breaks and no one is able to tell what time it is; Zee shows off inventions at his rocket-powered show, including his latest creation, a rocket-powered Ferris wheel.

**BRAVO 6 p.m.**

### Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire

Harry (Daniel Radcliffe) returns for his fourth year at Hogwarts with friends, Ron (Rupert Grint) and Hermione (Emma Watson) and is chosen for an upcoming tournament against Europe's best student wizards. And signs of Voldemort's return emerge.

## Saturday

**DISN 7:30 p.m.**

### Summer Shortstacular with Big City Greens

The newest, sixth installment of the "BCG" crossover series (following fun specials like "Shortsgiving," "Spring Shorts-tacular" and "Shortsmas") will take Cricket and Tilly Green on a wild and wacky, summer-themed escapades along with friends.

**DISN 8 p.m.**

### Finding Dory

In this 2016 sequel to the animated classic, "Finding Nemo," Dory (Ellen DeGeneres) the forgetful fish embarks on an adventure to find her mother (Diane Keaton) and father (Eugene Levy) with help from Nemo (Hayden Rolence) and Marlin (Albert Brooks).

# New Releases

## The Wrath of Becky

Two years after surviving a brutal attack on her family, teenage Becky (Wilson) is now under the care of Elena (Burse), a positive figure in her life. However, tragedy follows Becky once again as an ugly incident at her workplace provokes three violent extremists, known as the Noble Men, (Sirow, Dalla Villa and Angel) into murdering Elena and kidnapping her dog, Diego. Once again severed from her loved ones and consumed with grief and vengeance, Becky sets off on a bloody quest for revenge.

**Directors:** Matt Angel, Suzanne Coote. **Stars:** Lulu Wilson, Seann William Scott, Denise Burse, Jill Larson, Michael Sirow, Aaron Dalla Villa, Courtney Gains, Matt Angel, Kate Siegel. 2023. 83 mins. Action.

## 97 Minutes

It's a race against time when terrorists hijack a 767 airplane en route to Los Angeles. With fuel dwindling rapidly, authorities have only 97 minutes to save the passengers before disaster strikes. As government officials struggle to determine a plan, NSA Director Hawkins (Baldwin) passionately argues for shooting down the plane, regardless of the civilian cost. Meanwhile, NSA Deputy Toyin (Martin) opposes, adamant that the passengers can be rescued with the help of an inside agent, Alex (Rhys Meyers), an Interpol agent working under-

cover in the terrorist cell. With the clock ticking down, it's up to one operative to save the passengers and prevent tragedy.

**Director:** Timo Vuorensola. **Stars:** Jonathan Rhys Meyers, Alec Baldwin, MyAnna Buring, Jo Martin, Michael Sirow, Anjul Nigam, Pavan Grover. 2023. 93 mins. Action/Thriller.

## The Angry Black Girl and Her Monster

A promising young scientist unintentionally causes chaos after resurrecting the body of her deceased brother. Vicaria (Hayes) is a 17-year-old prodigy caught in a violent neighborhood, where conflict is a regular way of life. Having lost her mother to violence, Vicaria views death as a disease that can be cured. Becoming fixated on developing a cure to prevent death, Vicaria's brother, Chris (Atsu-Swanzy), is brutally murdered with no hope for justice. Pushing ahead with her experiments, Vicaria successfully resurrects her family, only to discover she's created a monster hungry for vengeance. A modern take on the classic tale of Mary Shelley's "Frankenstein."

**Director:** Bomani J. Story. **Stars:** Laya DeLeon Hayes, Denzel Whitaker, Chad L. Coleman, Reilly Brooke Stith, Keith Holliday, Edem Atsu-Swanzy, Beth Felice, Shiloh Xavier, Tracie Frank. 2023. 91 mins. Horror.



Lulu Wilson in "The Wrath of Becky"



# taste tv

## Dinner for two

'Love at First Bite' tosses singles into culinary bootcamp

By Caroline Collacutt  
TV Media

Premiering with a larger-than-life, 90-minute episode, "Worst Cooks in America: Love at First Bite" chomps down on Food Network, Sunday, Aug. 6.

The eight-episode season brings chefs Anne Burrell ("Beat Bobby Flay") and Jeff Mauro ("The Kitchen") to the kitchen, asking them each to lead a team of fun-loving singles — all self-proclaimed "kitchen disasters" — through a relentless and life-changing culinary boot camp. As Burrell and Mauro teach the contestants the skills required to master the kitchen once and for all, they hope to turn them, as Food Network says, from "cooking duds into kitchen studs."

In its description for the series, Food Network explains: "The recruits not only learn how to make date-friendly dishes like sushi, spicy wontons and classic French pastries, they also go head-to-head in romantic dating-inspired challenges like the Cupid Games, the Bagel-orette and the Inferno Zone. In the end, only the most improved recruit left standing is awarded a \$25,000 grand prize, bragging rights for their mentor and the ability to add "great cook" to their dating profile."

The network continued with a deep dive into the season's first episode, dish-ing out some juicy details: "Before picking teams, Anne and Jeff kick off the competition by having the recruits make their signature 'seal the deal' meal to show off their skills, or lack thereof, in the kitchen. Then in the main dish challenge, the teams learn to make duck paired with a fruit sauce. After assessing everyone's skills, Anne and Jeff reveal a unique twist when choosing their teams."



Anne Burrell, Jeff Mauro (middle) and the contestants from "Worst Cooks in America: Love at First Bite"

During following episodes, these culinary (and relationship) hopefuls are introduced to some of the classic dishes of Italy, take a lesson on hand-pulling made-from-scratch noodles with chef Victor Huang and compete in a dazzling, Las Vegas-inspired challenge, recreating an over-the-top dish without a recipe.

In the grand finale — a double date of its own, with the two final episodes airing back-to-back on Sunday, Sept. 10 — the two "most improved" chefs put

their newfangled know-how to the test as they are asked to serve a three-course, restaurant-quality meal to a panel of expert judges, including chef Hawa Hassan, Christian Petroni ("Food Network Star") and Chris Scott ("Top Chef"). Whoever can serve the most date-worthy meal will go on to win it all.

With twists, turns and romance in abundance, "Worst Cooks in America: Love at First Bite" premieres Sunday, Aug. 6, on Food Network.

## Cooking this week

### SUNDAY

- 10 a.m. (FOOD) The Pioneer Woman
- 10:30 a.m. (FOOD) The Pioneer Woman
- 11 a.m. (FOOD) Girl Meets Farm
- 11:30 a.m. (24) The Farmer and the Foodie (FOOD) Girl Meets Farm
- Noon (FOOD) Delicious Miss Brown
- 12:30 p.m. (FOOD) Delicious Miss Brown
- 1 p.m. (FOOD) The Kitchen
- 2 p.m. (FOOD) Beachside Brawl (HIST) The Food That Built America
- 3 p.m. (FOOD) Guy's Grocery Games (HIST) The Food That Built America
- 4 p.m. (FOOD) Guy's Grocery Games (HIST) The Food That Built America
- 4:30 p.m. (EWTN) Savoring Our Faith
- 5 p.m. (FOOD) Guy's Grocery Games (HIST) The Food That Built America
- 6 p.m. (FOOD) Guy's Grocery Games (HIST) The Food That Built America
- 7 p.m. (46) (53) Gordon Ramsay's Food Stars (FOOD) Guy's Grocery Games
- 8 p.m. (FOOD) Worst Cooks in America

### MONDAY

- 4 p.m. (FOOD) Outchef'd
- 4:30 p.m. (FOOD) Outchef'd
- 5 p.m. (FOOD) Outchef'd
- 5:30 p.m. (FOOD) Outchef'd
- 6 p.m. (FOOD) Beat Bobby Flay
- 6:30 p.m. (FOOD) Beat Bobby Flay
- 7 p.m. (FOOD) Beat Bobby Flay

### TUESDAY

- 4 p.m. (FOOD) Chopped
- 5 p.m. (FOOD) Chopped
- 6 p.m. (FOOD) Chopped
- 7 p.m. (FOOD) Chopped

### WEDNESDAY

- 4 p.m. (FOOD) Guy's Grocery Games
- 5 p.m. (24) Culinary Concerts (FOOD) Guy's Grocery Games
- 6 p.m. (FOOD) Guy's Grocery Games

- 7 p.m. (FOOD) Guy's Grocery Games

### THURSDAY

- 4 p.m. (FOOD) BBQ Brawl
- 5 p.m. (FOOD) Beat Bobby Flay
- 5:30 p.m. (FOOD) Beat Bobby Flay
- 6 p.m. (FOOD) Beat Bobby Flay
- 6:30 p.m. (FOOD) Beat Bobby Flay
- 7 p.m. (FOOD) Beat Bobby Flay

### FRIDAY

- 4 p.m. (FOOD) Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives
- 4:30 p.m. (FOOD) Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives
- 5 p.m. (FOOD) Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives
- 5:30 p.m. (FOOD) Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives
- 6 p.m. (FOOD) Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives
- 6:30 p.m. (FOOD) Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives
- 7 p.m. (FOOD) Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives

### SATURDAY

- 10 a.m. (FOOD) The Pioneer Woman
- 10:30 a.m. (FOOD) The Pioneer Woman
- 11 a.m. (24) Wine First (FOOD) The Kitchen
- Noon (A&E) Deliciously Twisted Classics (FOOD) Symon's Dinners Cooking Out
- 12:30 p.m. (A&E) Deliciously Twisted Classics (FOOD) Symon's Dinners Cooking Out
- 1 p.m. (FOOD) Outchef'd
- 1:30 p.m. (FOOD) Outchef'd
- 2 p.m. (FOOD) BBQ Brawl
- 3 p.m. (FOOD) BBQ Brawl
- 4 p.m. (24) Tim Farmer's Country Kitchen (FOOD) BBQ Brawl
- 4:30 p.m. (24) Christopher Kimball's Milk Street Television
- 5 p.m. (FOOD) BBQ Brawl
- 6 p.m. (FOOD) Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives
- 6:30 p.m. (FOOD) Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives
- 7 p.m. (FOOD) Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives
- 7:30 p.m. (FOOD) Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives
- 8 p.m. (9) (11) (12) Baking It (FOOD) Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives
- 8:30 p.m. (FOOD) Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives
- 9 p.m. (FOOD) Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives



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# Disney+ this week

By Caroline Collacutt  
TV Media

## "High School Musical: The Musical: The Series"

It's time to "Bop to the Top" of an all-new year at East High School, as the fourth and final season of "High School Musical: The Musical: The Series" premieres Wednesday, Aug. 9, on Disney+. A continuation of the highly popular "High School Musical" franchise of the early 2000s, the series follows a new group of Wildcats as they face the ups and downs of high school: teenage drama, relationships, algebra class and, of course, musicals. So far, each season has followed the production of a different musical for the students – the first being a production of "High School Musical," seeing as the Disney movie (which, yes, exists in this

universe) was filmed at their school. Season 4 begins just as the characters return for their senior year. Fittingly, the drama club decides on "High School Musical 3: Senior Year" as their final production, but their plans are derailed after learning that Disney will be returning to East High in order to film the long-awaited "High School Musical 4: The Reunion," and they'll all be playing extras. Promised to be the most nostalgic season of "HSMTMTS" yet, Season 4 will also feature appearances from beloved East High alumni, such as Ryan Evans (Lucas Grabeel), Chad Danforth (Corbin Bleu), Taylor McKessie (Monique Coleman) and Martha Cox (KayCee Stroh).

## "Dino Ranch" — Season 2 episodes

A slate of exciting new episodes from Season 2 of "Dino Ranch" will be

available to stream on Disney+ as of Wednesday, Aug. 9. This animated series, made primarily for preschool-aged children, follows the wild lives of the Cassidy family, who together train, wrangle, ride and live among a lively herd of colorful dinosaurs – dinos who also happen to be their best friends. The new season introduces some new characters to the Cassidy family, including a daredevil named Tara Dacktle, her pterosaur pal, and her father, Captain Zachry Dacktle, a pioneer of pterosaur flying. Based in a town called Dinoport, the Dacktles run a search and rescue operation called the Flyer and Rescue Squad – a group that helps deliver important supplies and messages to those out adventuring, looking out for wild dinosaurs in need of help along the way. Alongside their friends (dinosaur and human alike), the Cassidys fly head first into fun, high-



Frankie A. Rodriguez, Julia Lester, Joshua Bassett, Sofia Wylie and Dara Renee in "High School Musical: The Musical: The Series"

lighting the importance of teamwork, friendship and hard work. "Dino Ranch" features the voice acting talents of Ava

Ro ("Erin & Aaron"), Scott Gorman ("Kody Kapow"), Athena Karkanis ("My Little Pony: Tell Your Tale") and more.



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⑤	WDTV	5	CBS News Sunday Morning (N)			Face the Nation (N)		Elder Care	PBR Team Outlaw Days		Pickleball PPA Tour: Takeya Showcase (L) (N)			PGA Tour Golf Wyndham Championship, Final Round (L) (N)							-	-	
⑦	WTRF	-	CBS News Sunday Morning (N)			Face the Nation (N)		Lucky Dog	PBR Team Outlaw Days		Pickleball PPA Tour: Takeya Showcase (L) (N)			PGA Tour Golf Wyndham Championship, Final Round (L) (N)							-	-	
⑨	WTOV	-	Meet the Press (N)		Sharyl Attkisson	In Search	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	IndyCar Pre (L) (N)	IndyCar Racing Big Machine Music City Grand Prix (L) (N)			IndyCar Series (N)	MotoGP Racing MotoGP Racing Great Britain Grand Prix (L) (N)		Gymnastics U.S. Classic: Senior Men, Session 2 From Chicago. (L) (N)			-	-			
⑪	WPXI	11	Sunday Today (N)		Meet the Press (N)		Business	Paid Prog.	Pre-Race	IndyCar Big Machine Music City Grand Prix			IndyCar	MotoGP Great Britain Grand Prix		Gymnastics			11	11			
⑫	WBOY	12	Sunday Today (N)		Meet the Press (N)		Jewel City Church	Pre-Race	IndyCar Big Machine Music City Grand Prix			IndyCar	MotoGP Great Britain Grand Prix		Gymnastics			-	-				
⑬	WQED	13	Curious George	Work It	Cyberchase	SciGirls	Wild Kratts	Biz Kid\$	Battling Opioids: PA Public Media		Houses	NEBBY	Things That Aren't There Anymore		Opioids and First	Isabel and Roy	Aldwyth: Fully Assembled	Brushstroke	13	13			
⑫⑫	WCWB	22	NEW Shark Vacuum! Your Pet Hair Solution!		Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	The Goldbergs	black-ish	LIV Golf League LIV Golf League Greenbrier, Day 3 From The Old White TPC at The Greenbrier in White Sulphur Springs, W.Va. (L) (N)										19	19	
⑫⑫	WNPB	8	Let's Learn		Science	Curious Crew	People of the North	Farmer-Foodie	Love of Quilting	Fit 2 Stitch	Pocket Sketching	Paint This-Jerry	Great Performances "Falstaff" Baritone Michael Volle sings his first Verdi role at the Met as the caddish knight Falstaff.			Ride	Experimental Curator: The Sally Dixon Story			-	-		
⑫⑫	WVFX	14	Xploration DIY Sci (N)	Sci Q	FOX News Sunday (N)		Biz Kid\$	Dragon-FlyTV	Big Deal	The Incredible Dog Challenge		The Incredible Dog Challenge		GSL: Class of 1979		Sports Gone Wild	Raw Travel	The Incredible Dog Challenge	-	-			
⑫⑫	WPGH	6	FOX News Sunday (N)		Attkisson	On Money	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	The National Desk (N)		One Small Hitch ('13) Shane McRae.			The National Desk (N)		★★★ The Hero	▶	53	53		
	A&E	43	Zombie House Flipping		Zombie Flip "Spruce"		Zombie House Flipping		Zombie House Flipping		Court Cam	Court Cam	Court Cam	Court Cam	Court Cam	Witness-Murder		The First 48	118	265			
	AMC	63	★★★ Contagion (2011, Thriller) Matt Damon, Laurence Fishburne, Marion Cotillard.				★★★ Twister ('96) Bill Paxton, Helen Hunt. Storm-chasers (Helen Hunt, Bill Paxton) follow tornadoes in Oklahoma.				★★★ Speed Keanu Reeves. A SWAT team ace (Keanu Reeves) must save a bus from a madman's (Dennis Hopper) bomb.			★★★ John Wick (2014, Action) Michael Nyqvist, Alfie Allen, Keanu Reeves.			▶	130	254				
	ANPL	40	Louisiana Lockdown		Lone Star Law		Lone Star Law		Lone Star Law		Lone Star Law		Lone Star Law		Lone Star Law		Lone Star Law		184	282			
	BET	61	Neighbor	Neighbor	The Neighborhood		★★ Tyler Perry's Meet the Browns ('08) Tyler Perry.				Celebrity Family Feud		Celebrity Family Feud		Celebrity Family Feud		★★★ The Help ('11) Viola Davis.	▶	875	329			
	BRAVO	57	BelowDe..	Below Deck Down	Below Deck Down		Below Deck Down		Below Deck Down		Luann	Luann	Luann	Luann	Housewives/NYC		Housewives/NYC		129	237			
	AT&TSP	37	Paid Prog.	JointFood	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Frnds Wild	C. Moore	In- Room	Pens Pulse	Baseball	Pirates	MLB Baseball Pittsburgh Pirates at Milwaukee Brewers (L) (N)			Postgame		Baseball	-	-			
	CMT	82	Hot 20 Countdown						★★★ The Karate Kid ('84, Dra) Pat Morita, Elisabeth Shue, Ralph Macchio.				★★ The Karate Kid Part II ('86) Pat Morita, Ralph Macchio.			Movie		166	327				
	CNBC	45	Larry Kin	IMSA Racing		Pilot Challenge FCP Euro Northeast Grand Prix		Paid Prog.		Triathlon PTO Tour: U.S. Open (N)			Shark Tank		Shark Tank		Shark Tank		208	355			
	CNN	32	State of Union (N)		Fareed Zakaria GPS (N)		Inside Politics (N)		State of Union		Fareed Zakaria GPS		CNN Newsroom (N)		CNN Newsroom (N)		CNN Newsroom (N)		207	249			
	COM	51	Parks	Parks	Parks	Parks	Parks	★★★ The 40-Year-Old Virgin ('05) Steve Carell.				★★ The Internship ('13) Owen Wilson, Vince Vaughn.							Wedding Crashers		▶	107	202
	CSN	-	Baseball	Saturday	Inside Golf	Golfer	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Phillies	Phillies	MLB Baseball Kansas City Royals at Philadelphia Phillies (L) (N)			Phil. Postgame (L) (N)		Harness		424	642			
	DISC	53	Ghost Adventures "Island of the Dolls"		Ghost Adventures "Abandoned in Elko"		Expedition X " Ghosts of Eloise Asylum, Part 1"		Naked and Afraid "Thieves in the Night"		Naked and Afraid "Forbidden Fruit"		Naked and Afraid "Loaded for Bear"		Naked and Afraid "Cry for Me, Argentina"		Naked and Afraid "Valley of the Leopards"		Naked and Afraid	▶	182	278	
	DISN	41	Hamstel & Gretel	Marvel's Moon Girl	Hailey's on It!		Hailey's on It!		Miraculous- Ladybug	Miraculous- Ladybug	Big City Greens	Big City Greens	Big City Greens	Big City Greens	Hailey's on It!	Hailey's on It!	Hailey's on It!	Big City Greens	Big City Greens	Big City Greens	Hamster & Gretel	172	290
	EI	98	★ Tyler Perry's A Madea Family Funeral ('19) Tyler Perry.				★★★ Do the Right Thing ('89) Ossie Davis, Danny Aiello.		★ Tyler Perry's A Madea Family Funeral ('19) Tyler Perry.			The Hitman's Wife's Bodyguard							▶	114	236		
	ESPN	35	SportsCenter (L) (N)		SportsCenter (L) (N)		Soccer				Cornhole 2022 ACL World Championships, Day 3			LLS World Series Teams TBA (L) (N)			LLWSS Teams TBA		▶	140	206		
	ESPN2	36	430 for 30		ESPN FC		SportsCenter (L) (N)		AVP Beach Volleyball		Atlanta Gold Series (L) (N)			Athletes Unlimited Softball Teams TBA (N)			The Ultimate Fighter		Gentleman Mexico	144	209		
	EWTN	265	Litany	Holy	EWTN Book Pro-Life		World Youth "Papal Meeting With Volunteers" (N)		Schubert			Heaven		Chaplet	Rosary	Vaticano	Savoring	World Youth	▶	261	370		
	FLIX	235	★★★★ Searching for Bobby Fischer ★★ Rounders ('98) Matt Damon. (P)				★★ Enemy at the Gates ('01) Jude Law, Joseph Fiennes. (P)				★★ Regarding Henry (P)			★★ She's All That			▶	333	557				
	FNC	33	FOX and Friends (L) (N)		Maria Bartiromo (L) (N)		MediaBuzz (L) (N)		Fox News Live (L) (N)		Fox News Live (L) (N)		FOX News Sunday (N)		Maria Bartiromo		Fox News Live (L) (N)		The Five	205	360		
	FOOD	39	Pioneer	Pioneer	Pioneer	Pioneer	Girl-Farm	Girl-Farm	Delicious	Delicious	The Kitchen		Beachside Brawl (N)		Guy's Grocery Games		Guy's Grocery Games		Guy's Grocery Games	110	231		
	Freeform	50	Ron's Gone Wrong		★★★ Sing ('16) Matthew McConaughey.				★★★★ How to Train Your Dragon: The Hidden World				★★★★ Matilda ('96) Danny DeVito, Mara Wilson.			Hotel Transylvania		▶	180	311			
	FX	47	Movie		★★ The Wolverine ('13) Hiroyuki Sanada, Hugh Jackman.				★★★★ Logan (2017, Action) Patrick Stewart, Dafne Keen, Hugh Jackman.				★★ Venom ('18) Michelle Williams, Riz Ahmed, Tom Hardy.			Deadpool		▶	136	248			
	GOLF	38	LPGA Tour Golf Trust Golf Women's Scottish Open, Final Round (L) (N)				Golf Central Pregame				PGA Golf Wyndham Championship, Final Round			LPGA Tour Golf Trust Golf Women's Scottish Open, Final Round							401	218	
	HALL	255	My One & Only ('19) Sam Page, Pascale Hutton.			All Summer Long ('19) Autumn Reeser.				Aloha Heart ('23) Kanoa Goo, Taylor Cole.			A Harvest Wedding ('17) Jill Wagner.			Sweeter Than Chocola...▶			185	312			
	HBO	201	Movie		★★ Kingpin ('96) Woody Harrelson.			The Golden Boy Part I			The Golden Boy Part II			★★★★ Edge of Tomorrow ('14) Tom Cruise.			★★★★ Live Free or Die Hard ('07) Bruce Willis.			▶	300	501	
	HBO2	202	Yvonne		★★ Barbershop ('02) Ice Cube.			Winning The Swan			Winning Time		Winning Time		Winning Time		Winning Memento Mori		Winning Invisible Man▶	301	502		
	HGTV	58	Lil Jon Wants		Lil Jon Wants		Help-Wrecked		Help-Wrecked		Help-Wrecked		Help-Wrecked		Help-Wrecked		Help-Wrecked		Barbie Dreamhouse	112	229		
	HIST	31	Engineering-World		Engineering-World		Engineering-World		Engineering-World		Engineering-World		Engineering-World		Built America		Built America		Built America	120	269		
	LIFE	29	J. Osteen	Paid Prog.	★★ The Boss ('16) Kristen Bell, Melissa McCarthy.			Temptation Under the Sun ('22) Annika Foster.			Swim Instructor Nightmare ('22) Sydney Hamm.			To Kill a Stepfather ('23) Alexandra Camacho.					108	252			
	MAX	270	Rememory ('17) Peter Dinklage.			★★ The Golden Child Eddie Murphy.			★★ Species ('95) Michael Madsen, Ben Kingsley.			★★★★ Gone Girl ('14) Rosamund Pike, Ben Affleck.			★ Father Figures ('17) Ed Helms.			▶	310	515			
	MMAX	271	★★★★ Moonfall ('22) Halle Berry.			★★ The Man From U.N.C.L.E. ('15) Henry Cavill.			★★ Divergent ('14) Theo James, Shailene Woodley.			★★ The Divergent Series: Insurgent			Divergent Series: Alleg...▶			312	517				
	MSNBC	266	The Sunday Show (N)		Velshi (L) (N)		Velshi (L) (N)		With Jen Psaki (L) (N)		Alex Witt Reports (N)		Yasmin Vossoughian		Yasmin Vossoughian		Symone (L) (N)		PoliticsNation (L) (N)	209	356		
	MTV	49	4★ 2 Fast 2 Furious ('03) Paul Walker.			★★ The Fast and the Furious: Tokyo Drift ('06) Lucas Black.			★★ Fast & Furious ('09) Paul Walker, Vin Diesel.			★★ Fast Five ('11) Paul Walker, Vin Diesel.			▶			160	331				
	NEWSN	27	Last Man	Last Man	Last Man	Last Man	Last Man	Last Man	Last Man	Last Man	Last Man	Last Man	Last Man	Last Man	Last Man	Last Man	Last Man	Last Man	Last Man	239	307		
	NICK	42	★★★★ The Secret Life of Pets ('16) Louis C.K..				SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	170	299	
	PARMT	59	Bar Rescue		Bar Rescue		Bar Rescue		Bar Rescue		Bar Rescue		Bar Rescue		Bar Rescue		Bar Rescue		BarRescue▶	168	241		
	SHO	221	Movie		★★★★ The Inspection Jeremy Pope.			The Chi		The Chi "Oh Girl"		The Chi		The Chi "On Me"		The Chi		The Chi "Angels"		318	545		
	SHO2	222	Resistance: 1942			★★ Stop-Loss ('08) Abbie Cornish, Ryan Phillippe.			Dead for a Dollar ('22) Christoph Waltz.			★★★★ Pearl ('22) Mia Goth.			★★ Need for Speed ('14) Dominic Cooper, Aaron Paul.			▶	320	547			
	SYFY	54	4★ ★★ The Gift ('15) Jason Bateman.			The Price We Pay ('22) Emile Hirsch.			★★★★ Assassin's Creed ('16) Michael Fassbender.			★★ Pompeii ('14) Kit Harington.			Movie			122	244				
	TBS	34	★★★★ Back to the Future			★★★★ Back to the Future Part II ('89) Michael J. Fox.			★★★★ Back to the Future Part III ('90) Michael J. Fox.			★★★★ Back to the Future ('85) Michael J. Fox.						139	247				
	TCM	141	★★ Susan Slept Here Dick Powell.			★★★★ The Catered Affair ('56) Bette Davis.			★★ Bundle of Joy ('56) Eddie Fisher.			★★★★ The Unsinkable Molly Brown ('64) Debbie Reynolds.			★★ I Love Melvin Donald O'Connor.			▶	132	256			
	TLC	52	Sister Wives		Sister Wives		Sister Wives		Match Me Abroad		Match Me Abroad		Match Me Abroad		Match Me Abroad		90 Day Fiancé		90 Day Fiancé	183	280		
	TNT	56	NCIS: New Orleans		NCIS: New Orleans		NCIS: New Orleans		★★★★ Jurassic Park ('93) Laura Dern, Jeff Goldblum, Sam Neill.			★★ The Lost World: Jurassic Park ('97) Julianne Moore, Jeff Goldblum.			Movie		138	245					
	TOON	83	The 13th Ghost		We Bare		We Bare	We Bare	Teen	Teen	Summer	Summer	Summer	Summer	Summer	Summer	Gumball	Gumball	Gumball	176	296		
	TRAV	46	My.- Monument		My.- Monument		My.- Monument		Paranormal Ca		Paranormal Ca		Paranormal Ca		Paranormal Ca		Paranormal Ca		215	277			
	TRUTV	259	Step/Step	Step/Step	Step/Step	Step/Step	Step/Step	Step/Step	Matters	Matters	Matters	Matters	Jokes	Jokes	Jokes	Jokes	Jokes	Jokes	Jokes	204	246		
	TVLAND	60	Gold Girls	Gold Girls	Gold Girls	Gold Girls	Gold Girls	Gold Girls	Gold Girls	Gold Girls	Mike	Mike	Mike	Mike	Mike	Mike	Mike	Mike	Mike	106	304		
	USA	55	Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		IMSA Weathertech Sportsr		Weekend From Elkhart Lake, Wis. (L) (N)			NASCAR..		NASCAR Cup Series FireKeepers Casino 400 (L) (N)			NASCAR		105	242			
	VH1	48	Cheaters	Cheaters	Cheaters	Cheaters	Cheaters	Hip Hop	★★ S.W.A.T. ('03, Act) Colin Farrell, Michelle Rodriguez, Samuel L. Jackson.			★★★★ The Italian Job ('03) Charlize Theron, Mark Wahlberg.			Movie		162	335					
	WE	140	Paid Prog.		Paid Prog.		Law & Order "Amends"		Law & Order "Thin Ice"		Law & Order "Hubris"		Law & Order		Blue Bloods		Blue Bloods		128	260			
	TMC	351	★★★★ Pride ('14) Imelda Staunton, Bill Nighy.				★★★★ Bridge of Spies ('15) Mark Rylance, Tom Hanks.				★★★★ The Manchurian Candidate ('04) Denzel Washington.			★★★★ Logan Lucky ('17) Channing Tatum.					327	554			



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	C	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30	S1	S2		
②	KDKA	2	CBS News	KDKA-TV News (N)	60 Minutes (N)		Big Brother (N)		The Equalizer "Love Hurts"		NCIS: Los Angeles "The Body Stitchers"		News at Eleven (N)	Cochran Sports ▶	2	2	
④	WTAE	4	ABC World News (N)	Action News 4 (N)	America's Funniest Home Videos		Celebrity Family Feud (N)		The \$100,000 Pyramid (N)		The \$100,000 Pyramid		Action News 4 (N)	Action News 4 (N)	4	4	
⑤	WDTV	5	5 News at	CBS News	60 Minutes (N)		Big Brother (N)		The Equalizer "Love Hurts"		NCIS: Los Angeles		5 News	Invest. ▶	-	-	
⑦	WTRF	-	News	CBS News	60 Minutes (N)		Big Brother (N)		The Equalizer "Love Hurts"		NCIS: Los Angeles		News	SEAL Team ▶	-	-	
⑨	WTOV	-	News 9 at Six (L) (N)	NBC Nightly News (N)	American Ninja Warrior Qualifiers 7		American Ninja Warrior Qualifiers 8		America's Got Talent "Auditions 6" A variety of acts audition for the chance to win \$1 million.		News 9 Tonight (N)		Sports Sunday (N)	-	-		
⑪	WPXI	11	Channel 11	NBC News	Ninja Warrior Qualifiers 7		Ninja Warrior Qualifiers 8		America's Got Talent "Auditions 6"		Channel 11		The Final	11	11		
⑫	WBOY	12	12 News	NBC News	Ninja Warrior Qualifiers 7		Ninja Warrior Qualifiers 8		America's Got Talent "Auditions 6"		12 News		Outdoors	-	-		
⑬	WQED	13	PBS News Weekend	People of the North	Ridley "The Numbered Days, Part 1"		Ridley "The Numbered Days, Part 2" (SF) (N)		Grantchester on Masterpiece (N)		Grantchester on Masterpiece (SF) (N)		Luna & Sophie "Diamonds and Thrills"	13	13		
⑫②	WCWB	22	9-1-1 "The New Abnormal"		Modern Family	Modern Family	Marketplace Pittsburgh	Seinfeld "The Secretary"	Seinfeld "The Switch"	To the Rescue	9-1-1 "What's Next?"		Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	19	19	
⑫④	WNPB	8	Dear Ike: Lost Letters to a Teen Idol ('21, Ani) (N)		Father Brown "The Royal Visit"		Ridley "The Numbered Days, Part 2" (SF) (N)		Grantchester on Masterpiece (N)		Grantchester on Masterpiece (SF) (N)		Austin City Limits "Pavement"	-	-		
⑫⑥	WVFX	14	Fisherman's Handbook	National Walleye Tour	Gordon Ramsay's Food Stars "As Seen on TV"		The Simpsons	Family Guy	HouseBroken (N)	HouseBroken (N)	S.W.A.T. "Jack"		Game Time D.J. Moore	Carcass	-	-	
⑫⑤③	WPGH	6	④ ★ ★ ★ The Hero		Gordon Ramsay-Food		Simpsons	Family Guy	HouseBroken	HouseBroken	Channel 11 News		Big Bang	Sheldon	53	53	
	A&E	43	The First 48		The First 48		The First 48		The First 48		The First 48		The First 48 ▶		118	265	
	AMC	63	★ ★ ★ John Wick: Chapter 2 ('17) Common, Keanu Reeves. Legendary hit man John Wick squares off against some of the world's deadliest killers in Rome.						Dark Winds "Wonders of the Unknown" (N)		Black Snow "Predators" (N)		★ ★ ★ John Wick ('14) Keanu Reeves. ▶		130	254	
	ANPL	40	Lone Star Law		Lone Star Law		Yellowstone Wardens		Yellowstone Wardens (N)		Lone Star Law		Lone Star Law		184	282	
	BET	61	④ ★ ★ ★ The Help ('11) Emma Stone, Viola Davis.				Stellar Gospel Music Awards (N)				Stellar Gospel Music Awards					875	329
	BRAVO	57	Housewives-Atlanta		Housewives-Atlanta		Housewives-Atlanta (N)		Housewives/NYC (N)		Luann	Watch What	Housewives-Atlanta		129	237	
	AT&TSP	37	MLB Baseball Pittsburgh Pirates at Milwaukee Brewers						Bensinger	Poker Night	World Poker Tour		World Poker Tour		-	-	
	CMT	82	④ ★ ★ The Karate Kid Part III ('89) Ralph Macchio.			1883: A Yellowstone "Racing Clouds"			★ ★ ★ The Karate Kid ('84) Pat Morita, Elisabeth Shue, Ralph Macchio. ▶						166	327	
	CNBC	45	Shark Tank		Shark Tank		Shark Tank		Shark Tank		Shark Tank		Shark Tank		208	355	
	CNN	32	CNN Newsroom (N)		CNN Newsroom (N)		The Whole Story with (N)		See It Loud (F) (N)		History of the Sitcom		The Whole Story with		200	202	
	COM	51	④ ★ ★ ★ Wedding Crashers Owen Wilson.		The Office		The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	107	249	
	CSN	-	Go Racing	Go Nitro	Winning Golf Shelters		The National Dog Show					MLB Baseball Kansas City Royals at Philadelphia Phillies				424	642
	DISC	53	④ Naked and Afraid "Sucker Punched in South Africa"		Naked and Afraid "Lord of the Sand Flies" (N)		Naked and Afraid: Castaways (N)		Survive the Raft "This B... Bites" (N)		Naked and Afraid "Dunes of Despair"		Naked and Afraid "Category 5 Survival"		182	278	
	DISN	41	Hamster & Gretel	★ Alvin and the Chipmunks: Chipwrecked ('11) David Cross, Jason Lee.			Raven's Home (N)	Bunk'd: Learn (N)	The Villains "Fired Up"	The Villains "The Scare"	Pretty Freekin Scary	Pretty Freekin Scary	Raven's Home	Bunk'd: Learn	172	290	
	EI	98	Movie	★ ★ The Hitman's Bodyguard ('17) Samuel L. Jackson, Ryan Reynolds.					★ ★ The Hitman's Bodyguard ('17) Samuel L. Jackson, Ryan Reynolds.			Movie		114	236		
	ESPN	35	④ LLWSS Teams TBA		MLB Baseball Los Angeles Dodgers at San Diego Padres (L) (N)						SportsCenter (L) (N)		SportsCenter (L) (N) ▶		140	206	
	ESPN2	36	Baseball Tonight (L) (N)		Baseball Sunday Night Baseball with Kay-Rod: Los Angeles Dodgers at San Diego Padres						Ultimate Disc 2023 U.S. Open		Ultimate Championships		144	209	
	EWTN	265	④ World Youth Day: Portugal "Holy Mass"					Life/Rock	Rosary	Living Divine Mercy		The Bench	Catholic		261	370	
	FLIX	235	Movie	★ ★ View From the Top Gwyneth Paltrow.			★ ★ ★ Muriel's Wedding ('94) Toni Collette.		★ ★ Clockwatchers ('97) Parker Posey, Toni Collette.			Movie		333	557		
	FNC	33	Fox Report (L) (N)		The Big Weekend Show (N)		Life, Liberty & Levin (N)		Sunday Night (N)		The Big Weekend Show		Life, Liberty & Levin		205	360	
	FOOD	39	Guy's Grocery Games		Guy's Grocery Games		Worst Cooks in America (N)		Beat Bobby		Beat Bobby	Beat Bobby	Beat Bobby	Beat Bobby	110	231	
	Freeform	50	④ ★ ★ Hotel Transylvania			★ ★ Despicable Me 3 ('17) Steve Carell.			★ ★ ★ Jumanji: Welcome to the Jungle ('17) Kevin Hart, Jack Black, Dwayne Johnson.						180	311	
	FX	47	④ ★ ★ ★ Deadpool ('16) Morena Baccarin, Ryan Reynolds.			★ ★ ★ Deadpool 2 ('18, Act)			Josh Brolin, Morena Baccarin, Ryan Reynolds.			★ ★ ★ Deadpool 2 ('18) Ryan Reynolds. ▶			136	248	
	GOLF	38	PGA Korn Ferry Tour Golf Utah Championship, Final Round (L) (N)					Golf Central (L) (N)		PGA Tour Golf Wyndham Championship, Final Round					401	218	
	HALL	255	④ Sweeter Than Chocolate		Making Waves ('23, Romance) Corey Cott, Holland Roden.			When Calls the Heart (N)		Gold Girls		Gold Girls	Gold Girls	Gold Girls	185	312	
	HBO	201	John Wilson	★ ★ ★ Dawn of the Planet of the Apes ('14) Jason Clarke, Andy Serkis.			Winning Time (SP) (N)		Winning Time					Winning ▶	300	501	
	HBO2	202	Winning Time		Winning Acceptable Loss		Winning Promised Land		★ ★ Slums of Beverly Hills			I Now Pronounce You Chuck and Larry ▶			301	502	
	HGTV	58	Barbie Dreamhouse		Barbie Dreamhouse		Barbie Dreamhouse Challenge (N)		Renovation Resort Sh		Hunters	Hunters	Hunters		112	229	
	HIST	31	Built America		Mega-Brands		Mega-Brands		Mega-Brands (N)		Built America		Built America ▶		120	269	
	LIFE	29	Boy in the Walls ('23) Ryan Michelle Bathe.					Movie					House of Deadly Lies ('23) Jon McLaren, Katy Breier. ▶		108	252	
	MAX	270	Movie	★ ★ ★ Dodgeball: A True Underdog Story				★ Tammy ('14) Melissa McCarthy.		★ ★ Road Trip ('00) Seann William Scott.		The Company Men (P) ▶			310	515	
	MMAX	271	④ Divergent Series: Allegiant		★ ★ Eagle Eye ('08) Michelle Monaghan, Shia La Beouf.		★ ★ Life of Crime ('13) Jennifer Aniston.		★ ★ Exodus: Gods and Kings ▶						312	517	
	MSNBC	266	American Voices (L) (N)		Inside With Jen Psaki		The Mehdi Hasan Show (N)		Ayman (L) (N)		Geography of Bliss (N)		The Mehdi Hasan Show		209	356	
	MTV	49	④ ★ ★ Fast Five Vin Diesel.		Ridiculous		Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	160	331	
	NEWSN	27	Last Man	Last Man	NewsNation Prime (L) (N)		NewsNation Prime (L) (N)		NewsNation Prime (L) (N)		NewsNation Prime		NewsNation Prime		239	307	
	NICK	42	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	★ ★ Dr. Seuss' the Lorax ('12) Danny DeVito.			Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	170	299		
	PARMT	59	④ Bar Rescue 1883: A Yellowstone Origin Story				1883: A Yellowstone (N)		1883: A Yellowstone "Racing Clouds" (N)		Bar Rescue		Bar Rescue ▶		168	241	
	SHO	221	The Chi "Sweet Thing"		The Chi		The Chi "I Am the Blues"		The Chi "New Chi City" (N)		The Chi "New Chi City"		The Chi "New Chi City"		318	545	
	SHO2	222	Goliath 103		★ ★ ★ The Aviator ('04) Cate Blanchett, Leonardo DiCaprio.					★ ★ ★ ★ The Untouchables ('87) Kevin Costner. (P)			Movie		320	547	
	SYFY	54	④ ★ ★ Transformers: The Last Knight ('17) Anthony Hopkins, Mark Wahlberg.					★ ★ 2012 (2009, Action) Chiwetel Ejiofor, Amanda Peet, John Cusack.						▶	122	244	
	TBS	34	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	★ ★ ★ Avengers: Age of Ultron ('15) Chris Hemsworth, Mark Ruffalo, Robert Downey Jr..						139	247	
	TCM	141	★ ★ ★ ★ Singin' in the Rain ('52) Gene Kelly.				★ ★ ★ The Tender Trap ('55) Debbie Reynolds.			★ ★ The Mating Game ('59) Debbie Reynolds.						132	256
	TLC	52	90 Day Fiancé: Before the 90 Days "The Big Chill"				90 Day Fiancé "Sex, Lies and Videotape" (N)			Match Me Abroad (N)		90 Day Fiancé (N)			183	280	
	TNT	56	④ ★ ★ Jurassic Park III ('01) Sam Neill.			★ ★ Jurassic World ('15) Bryce Dallas Howard, Irrfan Khan, Chris Pratt.			★ ★ The Meg ('18) Li Bingbing, Jason Statham.			▶			138	245	
	TOON	83	My	My	My	My	Futurama	American	American	American	American	Rick	Rick	176	296		
	TRAV	46	Paranormal Ca		Paranormal Ca		Paranormal Ca		Paranormal Ca (N)		Paranormal Ca		Paranormal Ca		215	277	
	TRUTV	259	Tacoma FD		Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Tacoma FD	Tacoma FD	Jokers	Jokers	204	246	
	TVLAND	60	Mike	Mike	Mike	Mike	Two Men	Two Men	Two Men	Two Men	Two Men	Two Men	Two Men	Two Men	106	304	
	USA	55	Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU "Mood"		105	242	
	VH1	48	④ ★ ★ The Fast and the Furious ('01) Vin Diesel.			★ ★ ★ Straight Outta Compton (2015, Drama) Corey Hawkins, Jason Mitchell, O'Shea Jackson Jr.						S.W.A.T. ▶			162	335	
	WE	140	Blue Bloods		Blue Bloods		Blue Bloods "The New You"		Blue Bloods "The End"		Blue Bloods		Blue Bloods "Hate Is Hate"		128	260	
	TMC	351	★ ★ ★ Full Metal Jacket ('87) Matthew Modine.				★ ★ Last Holiday ('06) Queen Latifah. (P)			Queen Bees ('21) Ellen Burstyn.			Guinevere ▶		327	554	

Sunday Best Bets



Jennifer Hennessey and Adrian Dunbar in "Ridley"

**Celebrity Family Feud**  
④ 8 p.m.  
Steve Harvey takes to the stage for another new episode, following as popular celebrities take their turn competing in this classic game show. This episode sees the NFLPA All Stars take on the NFLPA Hall of Famers, and Adam Devine against Anders Holm.

**Ridley**  
⑬ ⑫④ 8 p.m.  
The clues were there all the time. Retired Detective Inspector Ridley (Adrian Dunbar) works a missing person case when he makes a shocking connection between a murder and the arson attack which killed his family in part two of this series finale.

**Worst Cooks in America**  
⑦ ⑧ 8 p.m.  
It tastes spicy! The way to someone's heart seems to be a lengthy gastrointestinal route as Chefs Anne Burrell and Jeff Mauro welcome 16 fun-loving singles who are eager to learn some cooking skills and impress future dates in this season premiere.

**HouseBroken**  
⑫⑥ ⑤③ 9 p.m.  
Everyone starts looking suspicious and Honey struggles with a lack of trust when someone in the group starts revealing secrets. Then Chief refuses to take his urinary tract infection medications and The Gray One dreams of sleeping atop the micro-wave.





# hulu this week

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## "Only Murders in the Building" - Season 3

A new game is afoot in Season 3 of "Only Murders in the Building," when it premieres on Hulu, Tuesday, Aug. 8. Starring Selena Gomez ("A Rainy Day in New York," 2019), Steve Martin ("The Pink Panther," 2006) and Martin Short ("Innerspace," 1987) — as Mabel, Charles and Oliver, respectively, an unlikely trio of amateur sleuths brought together in the first season by their mutual love of the same true crime podcast — the series follows their adventures as they work to solve the mysteries behind murder cases that have taken place in their shared New York City apartment building. Building off of the dramatic conclusion to Season 2, this new installment follows Mabel, Charles and Oliver as they take on the theater world and work to solve the murder of actor Ben Glenroy (Paul Rudd, "Ant-Man," 2015). Created by series star Martin and John Hoffman ("Grace and Frankie"), "Only Murders in the Building" welcomes Rudd and Meryl Streep ("Don't Look Up," 2021) to the cast this season, alongside Ashley Park ("Emily in Paris"), Jesse Williams ("Grey's Anatomy"), Linda Emond ("Lodge 49"), Jeremy Shamos ("Better Call Saul"), Wesley Taylor ("Smash") and returning star Michael Cyril Creighton ("The Marvelous Mrs. Maisel").

## "Sam & Kate" (2022)

Sissy Spacek ("Carrie," 1976) and Dustin Hoffman ("Rain Man," 1988) pull inspiration from their very own (very real) family in the upbeat, 2022 comedy, "Sam & Kate," which makes its streaming debut, Friday, Aug. 11, on Hulu. A family affair written and directed by Darren Le Gallo ("It Goes," 2010), the film stars Spacek and Hoffman's real life children — Jake Hoffman ("The Wolf of Wall Street," 2013) and Schuyler

Fisk ("Orange County," 2002) — as the titular Sam and Kate, respectively. Sam, a regular man working a regular job, meets bookshop owner Kate upon returning home to his small town, and he is immediately intrigued. She turns down his advances, but eventually, the two start a budding relationship. As they get to know each other, both open up about the complicated relationships they share with their ailing parents, but little do they know that parents Bill (Dustin Hoffman) and Tina (Spacek) have started an odd relationship of their own, one that soon leads to chaos for everyone involved, and an emotional trip down memory lane. The cast of "Sam & Kate" also includes Elizabeth Becka ("Southern Gospel," 2023), Pat Dortch ("Appendage," 2023), Dylan McNamara ("First Kill"), Larry Larson ("Mr. 3000," 2004), DeMorris Stroud ("For My Man"), Barbara Wallace ("Riverdale"), Orian Williams ("Control," 2007) and Darren Le Gallo himself.

## "RED" (2010) & "RED 2" (2013)

The team is back together, as "RED" (2010) and "RED 2" (2013) are now available to stream on Hulu as an action-packed double feature. The first film, "RED," loosely inspired by the limited Homage Comic series of the same name, was directed by Robert Schwentke ("The Captain," 2017) and features an all-star cast including Bruce Willis ("Die Hard," 1988), Morgan Freeman ("Invictus," 2009), John Malkovich ("In the Line of Fire," 1993), Helen Mirren ("The Queen," 2006), Brian Cox ("Succession") and more. Willis leads as former black-ops agent Frank Moses (now R.E.D: Retired, Extremely Dangerous), who must abandon his once peaceful life and reunite with his old (literally, old) team in order to capture the assassin who has made it their personal mission to kill him. The film's sequel, "RED 2," brings the gang back together and introduces some new



**Martin Short, Steve Martin and Selena Gomez star in "Only Murders in the Building"**

big names, including Anthony Hopkins ("The Silence of the Lambs," 1991) and Catherine Zeta-Jones ("Wednesday"), as this newfangled team of experienced

operatives is tasked with tracking down a missing nuclear device. The films also star Mary-Louise Parker ("Weeds"), Karl Urban ("Star Trek," 2009), David Thewlis

("The Theory of Everything," 2014), Neal McDonough ("Minority Report," 2002), Richard Dreyfuss ("Close Encounters of the Third Kind," 1977) and more.



**Richard Dreyfuss, John Malkovich, Morgan Freeman and Bruce Willis in "RED"**



**Dustin Hoffman and Sissy Spacek in "Sam & Kate"**



# prime video this week

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**"Red, White & Royal Blue" (2023)**  
Based on Casey McQuiston's critically acclaimed New York Times bestseller of the same name, the new rom-com "Red, White & Royal Blue" premieres on Prime Video Friday, Aug. 11. Alex Claremont-Diaz (Taylor Zakhar Perez, "Minx"), the son of the first woman president of the United States (Uma Thurman, "Kill Bill: Vol. 1," 2003), has everything going for him, from his stunning good looks and undeniable charisma to his international popularity. While he shares all of this and more with Britain's Prince Henry (Nicholas Galitzine, "Chambers"), they also share a complete and total disdain for one another. When their long-standing feud comes to a head in a disastrous and very public way, their powerful families force them to come to a staged truce. While forced to work together to save their public image, Alex and Henry find their icy relationship melting into unexpected sparks. Directed by Matthew López ("The Newsroom") and written for the screen by López and Ted Malawer ("Rise"), the film also stars Sarah Shahi ("Sex/Life"), Clifton Collins Jr. ("Star Trek," 2009), Ellie Bamber ("Willow"), Stephen Fry ("V for Vendetta," 2005), Gaia Mondadori ("The Witcher"), Rachel Hilson ("Love, Victor"), Sharon D Clarke ("Holby City") and Thomas Flynn ("Bridgerton").

**"Destination NBA: A G League Odyssey" (2023)**  
Produced by Religion of Sports and The Ringer, the new documentary "Destination NBA: A G League Odyssey," premiering Tuesday, Aug. 8, on Prime Video, follows some of the most intriguing prospects in the NBA's developmental league, the NBA G League, as they compete to earn the ultimate reward



**Nicholas Galitzine and Taylor Zakhar Perez star in "Red, White & Royal Blue"**

of an NBA roster spot. The film follows along as the 2022-23 season unfolds, journeying from passionate basketball locales including Las Vegas, Mexico City, Detroit, Portland, Maine, and Fort Wayne, Indiana, as a unique group of athletes navigate the highs and lows of chasing their shared dream of reaching the pinnacle of professional basketball and earning their spot on an NBA roster. From directors Liam Hughes ("Fall Into Me") and Bryant Robinson ("Everything's Gonna Be All White"), "A G League Odyssey" is executive produced by Ameeth Sankaran ("Tom vs. Time") and Gotham Chopra ("Headstrong: Mental Health in Sports," 2019) of Religion of Sports and Bill Simmons ("30 for 30") of The Ringer.

**"Bones and All" (2022)**  
From director Luca Guadagnino ("Call Me by Your Name," 2017), the bone-chilling and heart-stopping film "Bones and All" (2022) makes its streaming

debut, Tuesday, August 8, on Prime Video. Based on the 2015 novel of the same name and written by author

Camille DeAngelis, this film adaptation stars Taylor Russell ("Lost in Space") as Maren and Timothée Chalamet ("Dune,"

2021) as Lee, a pair of young cannibals who flee on a cross-country road trip during the late 1980s. Together, the pair search for Maren's biological mother, soon digging into a twisted and terrifying past that neither is fully prepared to face. Throughout their odyssey, Maren and Lee develop all-consuming feelings for each other, forming a bond unlike any other. Written by David Kajganich ("A Bigger Splash," 2015) and DeAngelis, "Bones and All" also stars Mark Rylance ("Bridge of Spies," 2015), Kendle Coffey ("Freaky Profiling," 2022), Ellie Parker ("Echo Rhyme," 2016), Andre Holland ("Moonlight," 2016), Madeleine Hall ("Thundercats"), Christine Dye ("Aftermath," 2017), Sean Bridgers ("Room," 2015), Anna Cobb ("We're All Going to the World's Fair," 2021), David Gordon Green ("Prince Avalanche," 2013), Michael Stuhlbarg ("A Serious Man," 2009), Jake Horowitz ("The Vast of Night," 2019) and more.



**A scene from "Destination NBA: A G League Odyssey"**

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# NETFLIX this week

By Raye Smith  
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## "Painkiller"

Netflix presents viewers with a new view of America's opioid crisis in the eight-episode limited series "Painkiller," premiering Thursday, Aug. 10. Based on the book "Pain Killer" by Barry Meier, and the New Yorker Magazine article "The Family That Built the Empire of Pain" by Patrick Radden Keefe, this fictionalized retelling of events digs into the origins and aftermath of the opioid crisis, "highlighting the stories of the perpetrators, victims and truth-seekers whose lives are forever altered by the invention of OxyContin," while examining "crime, accountability and the systems that have repeatedly failed hundreds of thousands of Americans" (per Netflix). Starring Uzo Aduba ("Orange is the New Black"), Matthew Broderick ("Ferris Bueller's Day Off," 1986), Taylor Kitsch ("Friday Night Lights"), Dina Shihabi ("Tom Clancy's Jack Ryan"), West Duchovny ("Saint X") and John Rothman ("One Mississippi"), the series is directed by Peter Berg ("Chicago Hope") and Dan Skene ("Shoresy") and written by Micah Fitzerman-Blue ("Transparent") and Noah Harpster ("For All Mankind").

## "Heart of Stone" (2023)

A battle for the fate of humanity rages on in the new action flick "Heart of Stone," premiering on Netflix, Friday, Aug. 11. Secret Agent Rachel Stone (Gal Gadot, "Wonder Woman," 2017) is not your average operative — she is a member of an elusive and mysterious group of elite spies known as the Charter, the most highly trained agents



Jamaal Grant and Uzo Aduba in "Painkiller"

of all, with no political leanings and no national allegiances, who work together to keep peace in a turbulent world. Relying on a one-of-a-kind, advanced artificial intelligence called the Heart to achieve their lofty goals, Agent Stone and her fellow operatives find themselves embroiled in a fight for world power when a hacker sets out to steal control of the Heart for their own nefarious plans. Also starring Jamie Dornan

("Belfast," 2021), Alia Bhatt ("Highway," 2014), Sophie Okonedo ("Slow Horses"), Jing Lusi ("Gangs of London") and Paul Ready ("Motherland"), "Heart of Stone" is directed by Tom Harper ("War & Peace") and features a screenplay written by Greg Rucka ("Stumptown") and Allison Schroeder ("Hidden Figures," 2016).

## "Untold: Johnny Football" (2023)

The critically acclaimed docuseries "Untold" returns with Vol. 3, a four-week summer event that pulls back the curtain on tales from the wide (and wild) world of sports.

The second installment, "Johnny Football," premiering Tuesday, Aug. 8, looks at Johnny Manziel, who, in 2012, was the brightest star in all of sports as an undersized freshman quarterback at unheralded Texas A&M. Dubbed "Johnny Football," the magnetic football player captured the nation's attention and initially relished his alter ego. But as the money rolled in, the scrutiny heightened, and Manziel rejected his newfound fame and suddenly lost his way. Now, Manziel — along with his family, coaches, friends and agent — gets candid about the grit, resilience, heartbreak and triumph of his

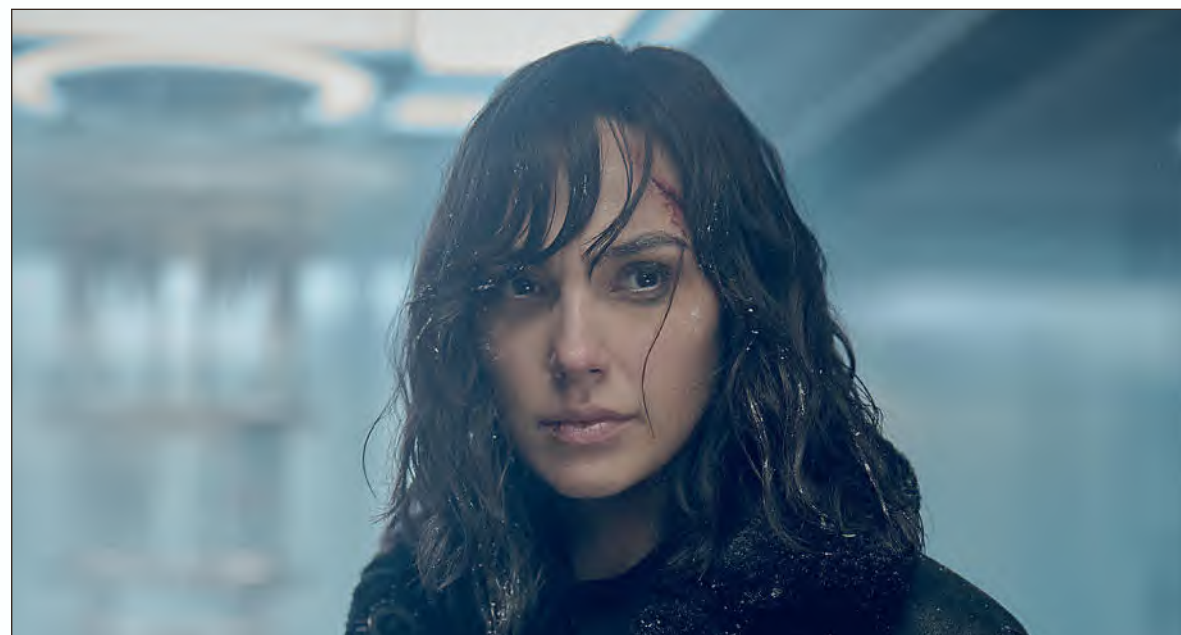
career, and his search for inner peace and happiness with a quieter life. From director Ryan Duffy ("Home Game"), "Untold: Johnny Football" is executive produced by Howard Owens ("30 Days"), Ben Silverman ("The Office"), Isabel San Vargas ("American Song Contest"), Chapman Way ("Wild Wild Country") and Maclain Way ("The Lionheart," 2023).

## "The Seven Deadly Sins: Grudge of Edinburgh Part 2" (2023)

The sequel spinoff movie to Nkaba Suzuki's anime series of the same name, 2023's "The Seven Deadly Sins: Grudge of Edinburgh Part 2" will officially be available to stream as of Tuesday, Aug. 8, on Netflix. The final installment of this two-part adventure, the film begins as Prince Tristan is reunited with Lancelot for the first time since a devastatingly tragic accident. A description given by Netflix explains: "14 years since the Kingdom of Liones defeated the Demon Clan and brought peace to the land, Prince Tristan is tormented by his inability to control two great powers: the Demon Clan power of his father, Meliodas, who served as captain of the Seven Deadly Sins as the Dragon Sin of Wrath, and the Goddess Clan power of his mother, Elizabeth." When Elizabeth's life is threatened, however, Tristan quickly flees the castle in search of Deathpierce — a member of the kingdom's Holy Knights — in order to unravel the knight's intentions and save his mother's life. "The Seven Deadly Sins: Grudge of Edinburgh Part 2" will feature the voice acting talents of the original cast, each reprising their roles save for Maaya Sakamoto, as Merlin. Stars include: Ayumu Murase ("Haikyu!!"), Mikako Komatsu ("The Garden of Words," 2013), Koki Uchiyama ("Horimiya: The Missing Pieces," 2023), Yuki Kaji ("Attack on Titan") and more.



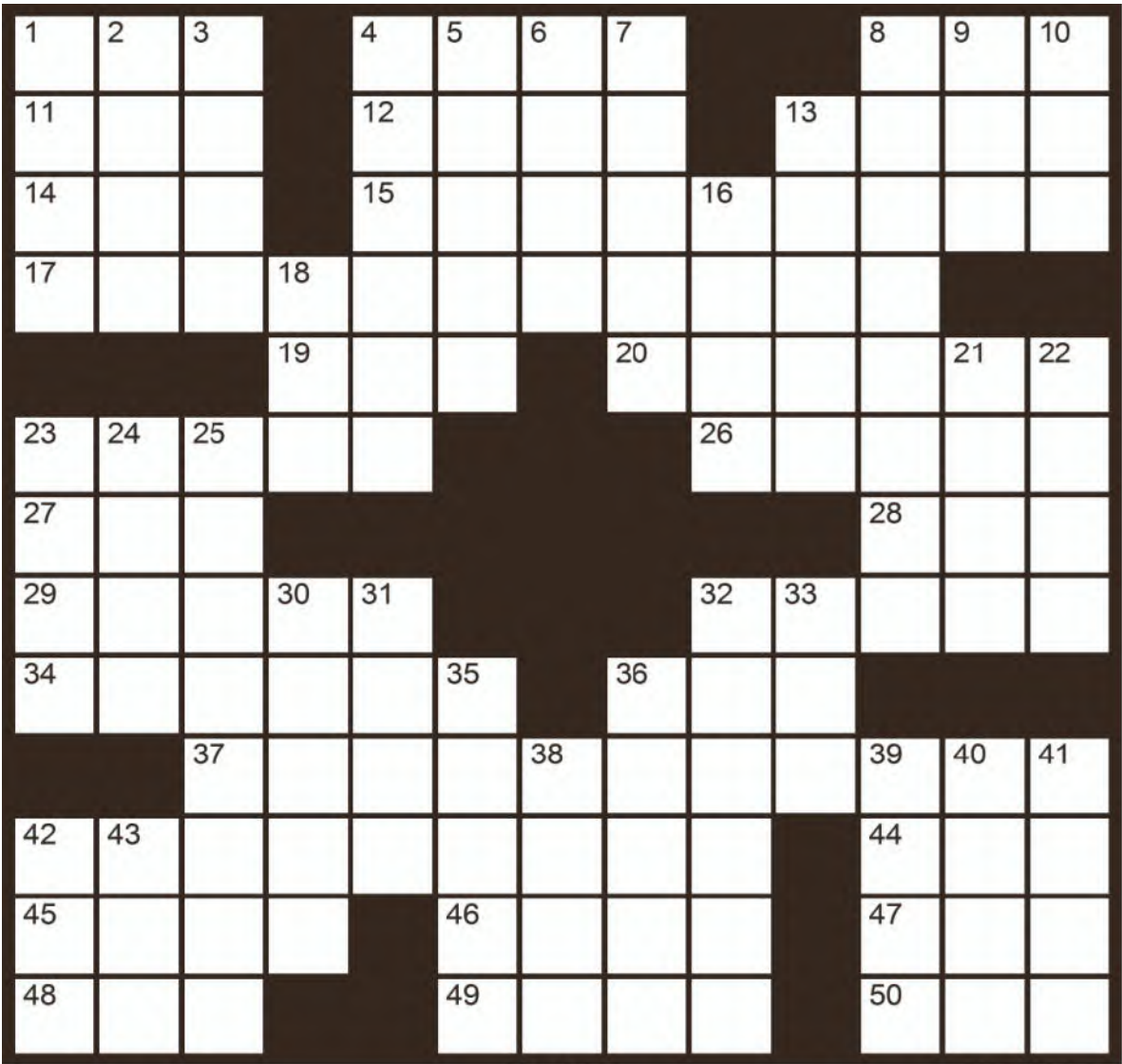
Johnny Manziel stars in "Untold: Johnny Football"



Gal Gadot stars in "Heart of Stone"



Television Crossword



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- ACROSS**

  - 1 "Futurama" character
  - 4 Cheese in a ball
  - 8 Clingy seed case
  - 11 "Seinfeld" uncle
  - 12 Prefix with drama
  - 13 Nobleman
  - 14 Ring bearer, maybe
  - 15 TV show viewers
  - 17 With 20 Across, a hit TV show
  - 19 Suffix with glob
  - 20 Above average ability
  - 23 Dwarf planet found between Jupiter and Mars
  - 26 Lash of old westerns
  - 27 "This \_\_\_\_ test"
  - 28 In poor health
  - 29 Famous gymnast Comaneci
  - 32 Hoops
  - 34 "Star Trek" movie franchise star Zachary
  - 36 Pitcher's pride
  - 37 Reality series featuring "The Gambler" Darrell Sheets
- DOWN**

  - 1 Dog biter
  - 2 Paper purchase
  - 3 Yesteryear
  - 4 Writes to
  - 5 Tennis score
  - 6 Hawkeye player in "M\*A\*S\*H"
  - 7 Like some towelettes
  - 8 They're often cultured
  - 9 Suffix with press
  - 10 "Treasure Island" author's inits.
- 13 \_\_\_\_ Gay (W.W. II plane)
  - 16 Like five to 23 Down
  - 18 Golden Girl Blanche
  - 21 Nonexistent
  - 22 Game show "To \_\_\_\_ the Truth"
  - 23 Roulette bet
  - 24 Biblical twin
  - 25 Big name in hotels
  - 30 Lay to rest
  - 31 Suffix with fabric
  - 32 German city and state
  - 33 Audi competitor
  - 35 Shaped into a sphere
  - 36 Capital of Guam, old-style
  - 38 Unsubstantial
  - 39 Gelatin substitute
  - 40 Sitcom about a Texas soccer mom
  - 41 Whole lot
  - 42 Topper
  - 43 In the past

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# Monday Best Bets



**Yolanda Gampp, Joel McHale and Curtis Stone host “Crime Scene Kitchen”**

## The Bachelorette

④ **8 p.m.**

Charity Lawson continues her search for prince charming as handsome and eligible men continue to vie for her attention. While she’s already started to spark with a few, she’ll need to whittle the group down even further if she hopes to find the one.

## Street Outlaws: Mega Cash Days

DISC **8 p.m.**

Gas prices? No problem. In the fourth bracket, Murder Nova, Scott Taylor, and both Boddies make their first passes in good stead. But while Boddie Jr. has to line up against an old teammate, Boosted needs to make a tough call, and Jerry Bird struggles.

## Ugliest House in America

HGTV **8 p.m.**

Retta is undaunted by seriously ugly domiciles as she tours properties that were nominated based on gaudy designs, botched renovations and amazingly terrible taste. Four homes look for the title of “worst” in a new episode from Season 4.

## #TextMeWhenYouGetHome

LIFE **8 p.m.**

This season premiere features the terrifying stories of women who have been abducted, assaulted or murdered — as told through emotional interviews, re-creations, texts, phone records and other digital clues that investigators used to solve the cases.

## Crime Scene Kitchen

④⑤ **9 p.m.**

Joel McHale hosts a new episode of this true crime-inspired baking competition, following as bakers try and decode what dessert was made using only the leftover crumbs and clues left behind in their kitchens. Guest judge Dwight Howard.

# MONDAY PRIME TIME

C = Comcast S1 = DISH S2 = DIRECTV

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	C	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30	S1	S2		
②	KDKA	2	KDKA-TV News at Six	News at 6:30pm (N)	CBS Evening News (N)	KDKA-TV News (N)	Neighbor	Bob Hearts Abishola	NCIS "Kompromat"	NCIS: Hawai'i "Money Honey"	News at Eleven (N)	Late Show-Colbert	▶	2	2		
④	WTAE	4	Action News 4 (N)	ABC World News (N)	Inside Edition (N)	Ent. Tonight (N)	The Bachelorette (N)			Claim to Fame "Absolutely Shredded" (N)	Action News 4 (N)	J. Kimmel	▶	4	4		
⑤	WDTV	5	First News	CBS News	Ent. Tonight	Inside Ed.	Neighbor	Bob Heart	NCIS "Kompromat"	NCIS: Hawai'i	5 News	Colbert	▶	-	-		
⑦	WTRF	-	7News at	CBS News	Ent. Tonight	Inside Ed.	Neighbor	Bob Heart	NCIS "Kompromat"	NCIS: Hawai'i	7News at	Colbert	▶	-	-		
⑨	WTOV	-	News 9 at Six (L) (N)	NBC Nightly News (N)	Jeopardy!	Wheel of Fortune	American Ninja Warrior Semifinals 2 (N)	The Wall "David and Chris"		Weakest Link "Drag Extravaganza!"	News 9 Tonight (N)	Tonight Show	▶	-	-		
⑪	WPXI	11	Channel 11	NBC News	Wheel	Jeopardy!	Ninja Warrior Semifinals 2	The Wall "David and Chris"		Weakest Link	News	J. Fallon	▶	11	11		
⑫	WBOY	12	News	NBC News	Jeopardy!	Wheel	Ninja Warrior Semifinals 2	The Wall "David and Chris"		Weakest Link	News	J. Fallon	▶	-	-		
⑬	WQED	13	PBS NewsHour (N)		BBC News America (N)	NEBBY	Antiques Roadshow "Cleveland Hour 2" (N)	Great American The remaining home cooks get ready for a grand finale feast.		The Hook	Amanpour and Company (N)			13	13		
⑫⑫	WCWB	22	Two and a Half Men	Two and a Half Men	Modern Family	Modern Family	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit "Coerced"	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit "Choice"		iCRIME - Vargas	iCRIME - Vargas	The National Desk (L) (N)		19	19		
⑫④	WNPB	8	BBC News The Context	BBC News America	PBS NewsHour (N)		Antiques Roadshow "Cleveland Hour 2"	The Great American Recipe (SF) (N)		The Great American Recipe	Amanpour and Company (N)			-	-		
⑫⑥	WVFX	14	5 News at 6pm (N)	Mom	Last Man Standing	Last Man Standing	Stars on Mars "We Are Not Alone" (N)	Crime Scene Kitchen (N)		WVFX News at 10:00PM	Seinfeld "The Label Maker"	Seinfeld "The Truth"	American Housewife	-	-		
⑫⑤③	WPGH	6	Big Bang	News at 6:30	Big Bang	Sheldon	Stars on Mars (N)	Crime Scene Kitchen (N)		Channel 11 News (N)	Seinfeld	Seinfeld		53	53		
	A&E	43	The First 48 "Devil's Trail"		The First 48		Critical Minutes		Secrets of Playboy (N)	Secrets of Playboy (N)	The First 48 "Truly Lost"		▶	118	265		
	AMC	63	★★★ John Wick: Chapter 3 -- Parabellum ('19) Halle Berry, Keanu Reeves. Hit man John Wick fights for his life when he becomes the target of the world's top assassins.						★★★ John Wick: Chapter 3 -- Parabellum ('19) Halle Berry, Keanu Reeves. Hit man John Wick fights for his life when he becomes the target of the world's top assassins.						130	254	
	ANPL	40	Naked and Afraid		Naked and Afraid		Naked and Afraid		Naked and Afraid		Naked and Afraid				184	282	
	BET	61	★★ S.W.A.T. (2003, Action)		Colin Farrell, Michelle Rodriguez, Samuel L. Jackson.			★★ Shooter (2007, Action)		Michael Peña, Danny Glover, Mark Wahlberg. (P)						875	329
	BRAVO	57	Below Deck Down Under		Below Deck Down Under		Below Deck Down Under "All Wrong" (N)			Watch What	Below Deck Down Under "All Wrong"			▶	129	237	
	AT&TSP	37	Bensinger	Pirates	MLB Baseball Atlanta Braves at Pittsburgh Pirates From PNC Park in Pittsburgh. (L) (N)						Postgame	Baseball	MLB Baseball		▶	-	-
	CMT	82	Last Man	Last Man	Last Man	Last Man	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mike	Mike	Mike	Mike	166	327	
	CNBC	45	Mad Money (N)		Last Call (L) (N)		Shark Tank		Shark Tank		Shark Tank		Shark Tank		208	355	
	CNN	32	Situation Room (L) (N)		E. B. OutFront (L) (N)		Anderson Cooper 360 (N)		CNN Primetime (L) (N)		CNN Tonight (L) (N)		CNN Tonight (L) (N)		200	202	
	COM	51	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	South Park	107	249		
	CSN	-	Phillies	MLB Baseball	Washington Nationals at Philadelphia Phillies (L) (N)					Phil. Postgame (L) (N)		Birds Huddle	Birds Huddle	Greatest	424	642	
	DISC	53	Street Outlaws: Red Line "Let's Get Boosted"		Street Outlaws: Red Line "Say It Ain't Smoke" (N)		Street Outlaws: Mega Cash Days "Make the Call" Boddie Jr. lines up against an old teammate. (N)			Street Outlaws "After Hours: Prank Wars" (N)		Street Outlaws: Locals Only "Bring It, Boddie"		182	278		
	DISN	41	Hamster & Gretel	Hamster & Gretel	Kiff	Kiff	★★★ Incredibles 2 (2018, Animated) Voices of Holly Hunter, Sarah Vowell, Craig T. Nelson.		Marvel's Moon Girl	Marvel's Moon Girl	The Villains	The Villains		172	290		
	EI	98	★★ The Change-Up ('11) Jason Bateman, Leslie Mann, Ryan Reynolds.				★★ The Change-Up ('11) Jason Bateman, Leslie Mann, Ryan Reynolds.				EI News (N)		Sex-City	114	236		
	ESPN	35	⚡ LLWSS Teams TBA		LLS World Series Teams TBA (L) (N)			Little League West Regional, First Semifinal: Teams TBA			SportsCenter (L) (N)				140	206	
	ESPN2	36	SportsCenter (L) (N)		NFL Live		Great American Events			Great American Events					144	209	
	EWTN	265	EWTN News	Living	Daily Mass: Olam		The Journey Home (N)		EWTN News	Rosary	World Over Live		Women of	Real	261	370	
	FLIX	235	★★★ Fatal Attraction ('87)		Glenn Close, Michael Douglas.		★★ Blue Chips ('94) Mary McDonnell, Nick Nolte.			★★ Major League ('89) Tom Berenger.		Clerks (P)		▶	333	557	
	FNC	33	Special Report (L) (N)		The Ingraham Angle (L) (N)		Jesse Watters (L) (N)		Hannity (L) (N)		Gutfeld! (N)		Fox News at Night (L) (N)		205	360	
	FOOD	39	Beat Bobby	Beat Bobby	Beat Bobby	Beat Bobby	BBQ Brawl "Hurts So Good"		BBQ Brawl (N)		BBQ USA (N)		Beat Bobby	Beat Bobby	110	231	
	Freeform	50	⚡ ★★★ Jumanji: Welcome to the Jungle				★★ National Treasure (2004, Adventure) Diane Kruger, Justin Bartha, Nicolas Cage.				The 700 Club				180	311	
	FX	47	⚡ Fantastic Four: Rise of the Silver Surfer			★★★ Thor ('11) Natalie Portman, Anthony Hopkins, Chris Hemsworth.			Breeders (N)		Breeders	Breeders	The Rock	▶	136	248	
	GOLF	38	Golf Central		PGA TOUR		Golf		U.S. Open Epics (L) (N)		PGA Tour Golf Wyndham Championship, Final Round				▶	401	218
	HALL	255	The Love Club: Nicole's Pen Pal ('23) Brittany Bristow.				The Love Club: Sydney's Journey ('23) Lily Gao.				Gold Girls	Gold Girls	Gold Girls	Gold Girls	185	312	
	HBO	201	⚡ ★★★ Good Will Hunting Matt Damon.				★★★ X-Men: Days of Future Past ('14) James McAvoy, Hugh Jackman.				Winning Time		John Wilson	The Family	▶	300	501
	HBO2	202	★★★ The Descent ('05) Shauna Macdonald.				Winning Time (N)		★★ Beauty Shop ('05) Alicia Silverstone, Queen Latifah.		★★ Hotel Artemis (P)		▶		301	502	
	HGTV	58	Dream Home	Dream Home	Dream Home	Dream Home	Ugliest	Ugliest	Lil Jon Wants (N)		Flip the Strip (N)		Lil Jon Wants to Do What?		112	229	
	HIST	31	⚡ History's-Mysteries		History's-Mysteries		History's-Mysteries		History's-Mysteries (N)		Dark Marvels (N)		History's-Mysteries		▶	120	269
	LIFE	29	#TextMeWhen (N)		#TextMeWhen (N)		#TextMeWhen (N)		#TextMeWhen (N)		Meet, Marry, Murder (N)		#TextMeWhen (N)		▶	108	252
	MAX	270	★★ Limitless ('11) Robert De Niro, Bradley Cooper.				★★ Aeon Flux ('05) Charlize Theron.		★★ The Maze Runner ('14) Dylan O'Brien.			Movie		310	515		
	MMAX	271	⚡ How to Talk to Girls at Pa...		★★★ Music From Another Room ('98) Jude Law.			★★★ Edward Scissorhands Johnny Depp.		★★★ Little Miss Sunshine Greg Kinnear.		▶		312	517		
	MSNBC	266	The Beat With (L) (N)		The ReidOut (L) (N)		All In With (L) (N)		Rachel Maddow Show (N)		The Last Word With (L) (N)		11th Hour (L) (N)		209	356	
	MTV	49	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	160	331	
	NEWSN	27	Vargas Report (N)		On Balance (N)		Cuomo (N)		Dan Abrams Live (L) (N)		Banfield (N)		Cuomo		239	307	
	NICK	42	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	★★ Dr. Seuss' the Lorax ('12) Danny DeVito.			Friends		Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	170	299	
	PARMT	59	Two Men		Two Men		Movie						★★ Old School		▶	168	241
	SHO	221	⚡ ★★★ Forrester Gump (P)		★★ Last Holiday ('06) Queen Latifah. (P)			The Chi "New Chi City"		Why Women Kill		★★★ Boogie Nights		▶	318	545	
	SHO2	222	★★ Indiana Jones and the Kingdom of the Crystal Skull			★★ The Contractor ('22) Ben Foster, Chris Pine.			The Chi "New Chi City"		★★ Stillwater		▶		320	547	
	SYFY	54	⚡ ★★ 2012 (2009, Action)		Chiwetel Ejiofor, Amanda Peet, John Cusack.			★★★ I Am Legend ('07) Alice Braga, Will Smith.			★★ The Hunt		▶		122	244	
	TBS	34	Sheldon	Sheldon	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Miracle	Miracle	American	American	139	247		
	TCM	141	⚡ ★★★ Billy Budd ('62) Terence Stamp, Robert Ryan.				★★ Berlin Express ('48) Merle Oberon.		★★★ The Set-Up ('49) Robert Ryan.			On Dangerous Ground		▶	132	256	
	TLC	52	90 Day: Other		90 Day: Other		90 Day Fiancé: The Other Way "My So-Called Wi-Fi" (N)			90 Day: Other (N)		Match Me Abroad		183	280		
	TNT	56	⚡ ★★ Jurassic World ('15) Chris Pratt.				★★★ Avengers: Age of Ultron ('15) Chris Hemsworth, Mark Ruffalo, Robert Downey Jr..			★★ Mortal Kombat		▶		138	245		
	TOON	83	Teen	Adventure	King/Hill	King/Hill	King/Hill	King/Hill	King/Hill	Burgers	American	American	Rick	176	296		
	TRAV	46	Mysteries of the Unknown				Mysteries of the Unknown (N)			Mysteries of the Unknown					215	277	
	TRUTV	259	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	★★ Horrible Bosses ('11) Charlie Day, Jason Bateman.					204	246	
	TVLAND	60	Griffith	Griffith	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	King	King	106	304		
	USA	55	Chicago Fire		Chicago Fire		WWE Monday Night RAW (L) (N)					Killing It		▶	105	242	
	VH1	48	⚡ ★★ Harlem Nights ('89) Richard Pryor, Eddie Murphy.				Love & Hip Hop Miami (N)		Love & Hip Hop Miami		★★ Boomerang ('92) Halle Berry, Eddie Murphy.			▶		162	335
	WE	140	To Be Announced		To Be Announced		To Be Announced		To Be Announced		To Be Announced		To Be Announced		128	260	
	TMC	351	★★★ Up in the Air ('09) Vera Farmiga, George Clooney.				★★★ Emma ('96) Jeremy Northam, Gwyneth Paltrow.			★★ The Stepford Wives Nicole Kidman.			Movie		327	554	



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	C	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30	S1	S2			
②	KDKA	2	KDKA-TV News at Six	News at 6:30pm (N)	CBS Evening News (N)	KDKA-TV News (N)	FBI "Second Life"		FBI: International "Money Is Meaningless"	FBI: Most Wanted "Karma"		News at Eleven (N)	Late Show-Colbert ▶	2	2			
④	WTAE	4	Action News 4 (N)	ABC World News (N)	Inside Edition (N)	Ent. Tonight (N)	Celebrity Wheel of Fortune		Jeopardy! Masters "Games 7 & 8"	The Chase		Action News 4 (N)	J. Kimmel ▶	4	4			
⑤	WDTV	5	First News	CBS News	Ent. Tonight	Inside Ed.	FBI "Second Life"		FBI: International	FBI: Most Wanted "Karma"		5 News	Colbert ▶	-	-			
⑦	WTRF	-	7News at	CBS News	Ent. Tonight	Inside Ed.	FBI "Second Life"		FBI: International	FBI: Most Wanted "Karma"		7News at	Colbert ▶	-	-			
⑨	WTOV	-	News 9 at Six (L) (N)	NBC Nightly News (N)	Jeopardy!	Wheel of Fortune	America's Got Talent "Auditions 9" A variety of acts audition for the chance to win \$1 million. (N)			Hot Wheels-Challenge "Grand Finale, Part 2" (N)		News 9 Tonight (N)	Tonight Show ▶	-	-			
⑪	WPXI	11	Channel 11	NBC News	Wheel	Jeopardy!	America's Got Talent "Auditions 9" (N)			Hot Wheels-Challenge (N)		News	J. Fallon ▶	11	11			
⑫	WBOY	12	News	NBC News	Jeopardy!	Wheel	America's Got Talent "Auditions 9" (N)			Hot Wheels-Challenge (N)		News	J. Fallon ▶	-	-			
⑬	WQED	13	PBS NewsHour (N)			BBC News America (N)	Actors on Actors	Finding Your Roots "Italian Roots"		Al Capone: Icon		Frontline "Inside the Iranian Uprising" (N)		Amanpour and Company (N)	13	13		
⑫	WCWB	22	Two and a Half Men	Two and a Half Men	Modern Family	Modern Family	Chicago Fire "Mon Amour"		Chicago Fire "Professional Courtesy"	iCRIME - Vargas	iCRIME - Vargas	The National Desk (L) (N)			19	19		
⑫	WNPB	8	BBC News The Context	BBC News America	PBS NewsHour (N)			Finding Your Roots "Italian Roots"		Al Capone: Icon		Frontline "Inside the Iranian Uprising" (N)		Amanpour and Company (N)	-	-		
⑫	WVFX	14	5 News at 6pm (N)	Mom	Last Man Standing	Last Man Standing	Beat Shazam "Father's Day Face Off!"		Don't Forget the Lyrics! "Rock or Opera!" (N)	WVFX News at 10:00PM		Seinfeld "The Race"	Seinfeld "The Dog"	American Housewife	-	-		
⑫	WPGH	6	Big Bang	News at 6:30	Big Bang	Sheldon	Beat Shazam		Don't Forget the Lyrics! (N)	Channel 11 News (N)		Seinfeld	Seinfeld	53	53			
	A&E	43	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage ▶	118	265		
	AMC	63	⚡ ⚡ ⚡ ⚡ Patriots Day (2016, Thriller) Kevin Bacon, John Goodman, Mark Wahlberg.				★★★ Hacksaw Ridge ('16) Sam Worthington, Andrew Garfield. U.S. Army medic Desmond Doss (Andrew Garfield) saves 75 men during World War II's Battle of Okinawa.				★★ The Magnificent Seven ('16) Denzel Washington. ▶				130	254		
	ANPL	40	North Woods Law			North Woods Law			North Woods Law			Yellowstone Wardens			Yellowstone Wardens	184	282	
	BET	61	Celebrity Family Feud			Celebrity Family Feud			College Hill (N)			American Gangster (N)			College Hill	875	329	
	BRAVO	57	Below Deck			Below Deck			The Real Housewives (N)			Watch What Happens		Housewives/NYC	Housewives ▶	129	237	
	AT&TSP	37	Perfect	Pirates	MLB Baseball Atlanta Braves at Pittsburgh Pirates From PNC Park in Pittsburgh. (L) (N)				Postgame		Baseball	MLB Baseball			▶	-	-	
	CMT	82	Last Man	Last Man	Last Man	Last Man	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	166	327		
	CNBC	45	Mad Money (N)		Last Call (L) (N)		Shark Tank		Shark Tank		Shark Tank		Shark Tank		208	355		
	CNN	32	Situation Room (L) (N)		E. B. OutFront (L) (N)		Anderson Cooper 360 (N)		CNN Primetime (L) (N)		CNN Tonight (L) (N)		CNN Tonight (L) (N)		200	202		
	COM	51	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	South Park		107	249		
	CSN	-	Phillies	MLB Baseball	Washington Nationals at Philadelphia Phillies (L) (N)					Phil. Postgame (L) (N)		Birds Huddle		Birds Huddle	Winning Golf	424	642	
	DISC	53	Deadliest Catch "The Better Captain"		Deadliest Catch "Battle Scars"		Deadliest Catch "Uncharted Grounds" (N)		Bering Sea Gold "Evolve or Die" (N)		Contraband: Seized at the Border (N)		Survive the Raft "This B... Bites"			182	278	
	DISN	41	Hamster & Gretel	Hamster & Gretel	Kiff	Kiff "Principal Dance Socks"	★★ High School Musical 3: Senior Year (2008, Children) Vanessa Hudgens, Ashley Tisdale, Zac Efron.			Marvel's Moon Girl	Marvel's Moon Girl	Pretty Freekin Scary	Pretty Freekin Scary		172	290		
	EI	98	Mod Fam	Mod Fam	★★ Shrek Forever After ('10) Mike Myers.				★★ Shrek Forever After ('10) Mike Myers.				EI News (N)	Sex-City	114	236		
	ESPN	35	⚡ Little League Baseball		Baseball Mid-Atlantic Regional, First Semifinal: Teams TBA				The Ultimate Fighter		The Ultimate Fighter		SportsCenter (L) (N)		140	206		
	ESPN2	36	SportsCenter (L) (N)		LLS World Series Game 12: Teams TBA (L) (N)				Baseball West Regional, Second Semifinal: Teams TBA		ESPN FC			144	209			
	EWTN	265	EWTN News		The Heresies	Daily Mass: Olam		Mother Angelica Live		EWTN News		Rosary	Scripture and		Women of	Rites	261	370
	FLIX	235	⚡ ⚡ ⚡ ⚡ Mississippi Burning		('88) Gene Hackman. (P)		★★★ The Talented Mr. Ripley ('99) Gwyneth Paltrow, Matt Damon.				★★★★ American Beauty Kevin Spacey. ▶				333	557		
	FNC	33	Special Report (L) (N)			The Ingraham Angle (L) (N)			Jesse Watters (L) (N)		Hannity (L) (N)		Gutfeld! (N)		Fox News at Night (L) (N)		205	360
	FOOD	39	Chopped			Chopped			Chopped (N)		Supermarket Stakeout		Chopped		Chopped		110	231
	Freeform	50	⚡ ⚡ ⚡ Sisters				★ Mr. Deeds ('02, Com) Winona Ryder, Peter Gallagher, Adam Sandler.				★★ Good Boys ('19) Keith L. Williams, Jacob Tremblay. (P)		The 700 Club			180	311	
	FX	47	⚡ ⚡ ⚡ Spider-Man 3 ('07) Tobey Maguire.				★★★ Captain America: The First Avenger ('11) Chris Evans.				Justified: City Primeval (N)		Justified: City "You Good?"			136	248	
	GOLF	38	Golf Central			Golf	PGA TOUR	GOLF Films			U.S. Open Epics		U.S. Open Epics			401	218	
	HALL	255	Nature of Love ('20) Christopher Russell, Emilie Ullerup.				Winter Castle ('19) Kevin McGarry, Emilie Ullerup.				Gold Girls	Gold Girls	Gold Girls	Gold Girls		185	312	
	HBO	201	★★ Knowing ('09) Rose Byrne, Nicolas Cage.				★★ Taken 3 ('14) Forest Whitaker, Liam Neeson.				Hard Knocks (SP) (N)		Winning Time		▶	300	501	
	HBO2	202	⚡ Winning Time			REAL Sports			★★★ Dawn of the Planet of the Apes ('14) Andy Serkis.			★★ Unbreakable ('00) Samuel L. Jackson, Bruce Willis.				301	502	
	HGTV	58	Down Home Fab			Windy City Rehab:			Windy City Rehab:		Windy City Rehab: (N)		Hunters	Hunters Int'l	Hunters	Hunters Int'l	112	229
	HIST	31	Skinwalker Ranch			Skinwalker Ranch			Secret of Skinwalker (N)		Skinwalker Ranch (N)		Beyond Skinwalker (N)		Beyond Skinwalker Ranch ▶		120	269
	LIFE	29	Property	Property	Property	Property	Property	Property	Property	Property	Property	Property	Property	Property	▶	108	252	
	MAX	270	★★★ A Most Violent Year ('14) Oscar Isaac.				★★★ Winter's Bone Jennifer Lawrence.				★★ Dark Places ('15) Nicholas Hoult, Charlize Theron.		★★★ Lucy ▶			310	515	
	MMAX	271	⚡ ⚡ Blended ('14) Adam Sandler.			★★ The Perfect Score Erika Christensen.			★★ Horrible Bosses 2 Jason Bateman.		★★★ Neighbors ('14) Seth Rogen.				▶	312	517	
	MSNBC	266	The Beat With (L) (N)			The ReidOut (L) (N)			All In With (L) (N)		Alex Wagner Tonight (N)		The Last Word With (L) (N)		11th Hour (L) (N)		209	356
	MTV	49	Love & Hip Hop: Atlanta			Love & Hip Hop: Atlanta			Love, Hip Hop (N)		Caught in the (N)		The Chi (N)		The Chi (N)		160	331
	NEWSN	27	Vargas Report (N)			On Balance (N)			Cuomo (N)		Dan Abrams Live (L) (N)		Banfield (N)		Cuomo		239	307
	NICK	42	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	★★ The Addams Family ('19) Oscar Isaac.				Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends		170	299	
	PARMT	59	Two Men	Two Men	Two Men	Two Men	★★ Old School ('03) Will Ferrell, Luke Wilson.				Movie				▶	168	241	
	SHO	221	★★★ Pearl ('22) David Corenswet, Mia Goth.				★★ The Midnight Meat Train (P)				★★★ X ('22) Jenna Ortega, Martin Henderson, Mia Goth.			Black Rock ▶		318	545	
	SHO2	222	⚡ ⚡ Sahara			★★★★ Forrest Gump ('94) Robin Wright Penn, Gary Sinise, Tom Hanks.				★★★ The Fabelmans ('22) Paul Dano, Seth Rogen, Michelle Williams.					320	547		
	SYFY	54	⚡ ⚡ ⚡ I Am Legend ('07) Will Smith.			★★ The Hunt ('20) Betty Gilpin, Ike Barinholtz.			★★ Colombianiana ('11) Jordi Mollà, Zoe Saldaña.				Primal ('19) ▶		122	244		
	TBS	34	Sheldon	Leadoff	MLB Baseball Houston Astros at Baltimore Orioles (L) (N)						MLB Close	Sheldon	Sheldon	Sheldon		139	247	
	TCM	141	★★ Dames ('34) Dick Powell, Ruby Keeler, Joan Blondell.			★★★ Gold Diggers of 1933 ('33) Joan Blondell.				★★ Footlight Parade ('33) Joan Blondell, James Cagney.					132	256		
	TLC	52	Doubling Down			OutDaughtered			OutDaughtered (N)		OutDaughtered (N)		Doubling Down (N)		Welcome "I Wasn't Invited"		183	280
	TNT	56	⚡ ⚡ Now You See Me 2 ('16) Jesse Eisenberg.				★★★ Knives Out ('19, Mystery) Chris Evans, Ana de Armas, Daniel Craig.				★★ Now You See Me Jesse Eisenberg.			▶	138	245		
	TOON	83	Teen	Adventure	King/Hill	King/Hill	King/Hill	King/Hill	Burgers	Burgers	American	American	American	Rick		176	296	
	TRAV	46	Ghost Adventures			Ghost Adventures			Ghost Adventures		Ghost Adventures		Ghost Adventures			215	277	
	TRUTV	259	Jokes	Jokes	Jokes	Jokes	Jokes	Jokes	Jokes	Jokes	Jokes	★★★ Sausage Party ('16) Seth Rogen.		Movie		204	246	
	TVLAND	60	Griffith	Griffith	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	King	King		106	304	
	USA	55	Law & Order: SVU			Law & Order: SVU			WWE NXT (L) (N)		Celebrity Prank Wars (N)		Law & Order: SVU		▶	105	242	
	VH1	48	⚡ The Wood		★★ ATL ('06, Com.-Dra) Lauren London, Mykelti Williamson, Tip Harris.				★★ Tyler Perry's Meet the Browns ('08) Angela Bassett, Tyler Perry.				Martin			162	335	
	WE	140	Law & Order "Judge Dread"		Law & Order "Deep Vote"			Law & Order		Law & Order		Law & Order		Law & Order			128	260
	TMC	351	The Death of Dick Long ('19) Michael Abbott Jr..				★★★ Bodies Bodies Bodies				★★★ Better Watch Out ('16) Levi Miller.			★ Drunk Wedding ▶		327	554	

Tuesday Best Bets



Howie Mandel from "America's Got Talent"

America's Got Talent  
⑨ ⑪ ⑫ 8 p.m.  
The show must go on, and does with a new episode. Hosted by Terry Crews, this series sees judges Simon Cowell, Heidi Klum, Howie Mandel and Sofia Vergara critiquing performances from amateur performers – including singers, dancers, magicians and more.

Windy City Rehab: Alison's Dream Home

HGTV 9 p.m.  
It may have taken every bit of 10 months, but Alison is laser focused on finally having a place of her own in Chicago. Unfortunately, the push to the finish line isn't easy. She needs more money and has to ride the contractors hard to wrap it up.

The Secret of Skinwalker Ranch

HIST 9 p.m.  
A new episode airs between all-new installments of both "Digging Deeper" and "Beyond Skinwalker Ranch." This time, Dr. Travis Taylor relives the most shocking and compelling phenomena that have taken place in the past year on Skinwalker Ranch.

Hot Wheels: Ultimate Challenge

⑨ ⑪ ⑫ 10 p.m.  
Rev up your engines! Contestants transform cars from their past into the life-sized Hot Wheels of their dreams — in the hopes of winning a life-changing cash prize in this season finale. The winner has their creation made into a Hot Wheels die-cast toy.

The Ultimate Fighter

ESPN 10 p.m.  
Mike Tyson famously said "Everyone has a plan until they get punched in the mouth." And a lot of plans are going out the window as Team McGregor takes on Team Chandler in this episode as the world's best train up-and-coming Ultimate Fighters.



# Wednesday Best Bets



Captain Scott Woods from “LA Fire & Rescue”

## Big Brother

② ⑥ ⑦ **8 p.m.**  
This historic 25th season heats up with a brand-new episode, offering an inside look at what happens when strangers must coexist in an isolated house. With all-new competitors, this season offers some classic “BB” must haves, like 24/7 live-streams.

## LA Fire & Rescue

⑨ ⑪ ⑫ **8 p.m.**  
The season finale airs, following the day-to-day emergencies and personal lives of the members of the LA County Fire Department as they protect millions of people through wildfire suppression, search and rescue, EMS, air support, beach patrol and more.

## The Real Housewives of Miami

**BRAVO** **9:30 p.m.**  
Things are getting steamy. On the last night of the trip, Adriana tries to figure out her date’s marital status. Then Lisa and Larsa confront Lenny and his girlfriend at the Formula 1 event. And Guerdy finds her boiling point with the group.

## My Strange Addiction: Still Addicted?

**TLC** **10 p.m.**  
Addictions come in all shapes and sizes. This episode takes an intimate look at the fascinating lives of individuals struggling with strange and unusual behaviors — including eating car seat foam, constant bodybuilding and extreme hair care.

## America’s Funniest Home Videos

④ **10 p.m.**  
Just. Hit. Record. It could be worth cash. Alfonso Ribeiro hosts nine of the season’s winners as they compete for \$100,000 in cold hard cash. Among the videos: mishaps during musical performances, and kids making up excuses for their bad behavior.

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②	KDKA	2	KDKA-TV News at Six	News at 6:30pm (N)	CBS Evening News (N)	KDKA-TV News (N)	Big Brother (N)	Superfan "LL Cool J" (P) (N)		So Help Me Todd		News at Eleven (N)	Late Show-Colbert	2	2	
④	WTAE	4	Action News 4 (N)	ABC World News (N)	Inside Edition (N)	Ent. Tonight (N)	Judge Steve Harvey "Run Me My Coins"	The Wonder Years (N)	Abbott Elementary	America's Funniest Home Videos		Action News 4 (N)	J. Kimmel	4	4	
⑤	WDTV	5	First News	CBS News	Ent. Tonight	Inside Ed.	Big Brother (N)	Superfan "LL Cool J" (P) (N)		So Help Me Todd		5 News	Colbert	-	-	
⑦	WTRF	-	7News at	CBS News	Ent. Tonight	Inside Ed.	Big Brother (N)	Superfan "LL Cool J" (P) (N)		So Help Me Todd		7News at	Colbert	-	-	
⑨	WTOV	-	News 9 at Six (L) (N)	NBC Nightly News (N)	Jeopardy!	Wheel of Fortune	LA Fire & Rescue "Passing the Torch" (SF) (N)	Chicago Fire "Never, Ever Make a Mistake"		Chicago P.D. "New Life"		News 9 Tonight (N)	Tonight Show	-	-	
⑪	WPXI	11	Channel 11	NBC News	Wheel	Jeopardy!	LA Fire & Rescue (N)	Chicago Fire		Chicago P.D. "New Life"		News	J. Fallon	11	11	
⑫	WBOY	12	News	NBC News	Jeopardy!	Wheel	LA Fire & Rescue (N)	Chicago Fire		Chicago P.D. "New Life"		News	J. Fallon	-	-	
⑬	WQED	13	PBS NewsHour (N)		BBC News America (N)	Wild Hope	Nature "The Bat Man of Mexico" (N)	Human Footprint "The Ground Below" (F) (N)		NOVA "Bat Superpowers"		Amanpour and Company (N)		13	13	
22	WCWB	22	Two and a Half Men	Two and a Half Men	Modern Family	Modern Family	Dateline "Hinkley: Diary of a Dangerous Mind"		Dateline "The Waiting Car"		iCRIME - Vargas	iCRIME - Vargas	The National Desk (L) (N)		19	19
24	WNPB	8	BBC News The Context	BBC News America	PBS NewsHour (N)		Nature "The Bat Man of Mexico"		Human Footprint "The Ground Below" (F) (N)		NOVA "Bat Superpowers"		Amanpour and Company (N)	-	-	
46	WVFX	14	5 News at 6pm (N)	Mom	Last Man Standing	Last Man Standing	MasterChef "United Cakes of America" (N)		Gordon Ramsay's Food Stars "Feast Your Eyes" (N)		WVFX News at 10:00PM	Seinfeld "The Scofflaw"	Seinfeld "The Library"	American Housewife	-	-
53	WPGH	6	Big Bang	News at 6:30	Big Bang	Sheldon	MasterChef (N)		Gordon Ramsay-Food (N)		Channel 11 News (N)		Seinfeld	Seinfeld	53	53
A&E	43	Court Cam	Court Cam	Court Cam	Court Cam	Court Cam	Court Cam	Court Cam	Court Cam	Arrest	Arrest	Court Cam	Court Cam	118	265	
AMC	63	★★★★ HackSaw Ridge (2016, War) Sam Worthington, Luke Bracey, Andrew Garfield.				★★★ Avatar (2009, Sci-Fi) Zoe Saldana, Sigourney Weaver, Sam Worthington. A former Marine (Sam Worthington) falls in love with a native (Zoe Saldana) of a lush alien world.				Last Witch Hunter				130	254	
ANPL	40	Gator Boys			Gator Boys			Gator Boys			Gator Boys			184	282	
BET	61	Celebrity Family Feud			Celebrity Family Feud			Celebrity Family Feud			Tyler Perry's Sistas			875	329	
BRAVO	57	Housewives/OC			Housewives/OC (N)			Housewives/OC (N)			Real Housewives (N)		Housewives/OC		129	237
AT&TSP	37	Immortals	Pirates	MLB Baseball Atlanta Braves at Pittsburgh Pirates			From PNC Park in Pittsburgh. (L) (N)			Postgame	Baseball	MLB Baseball			-	-
CMT	82	Last Man	Last Man	Last Man	Last Man	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	166	327	
CNBC	45	Mad Money (N)		Last Call (L) (N)		Shark Tank		Shark Tank		Shark Tank		Shark Tank		208	355	
CNN	32	Situation Room (L) (N)		E. B. OutFront (L) (N)		CNN Anderson Cooper 360 (N)		CNN Primetime (L) (N)		CNN Tonight (L) (N)		CNN Tonight (L) (N)		200	202	
COM	51	South Park	South Park	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	South Park	107	249	
CSN	-	Phillies	MLB Baseball	Washington Nationals at Philadelphia Phillies (L) (N)					Phil. Postgame (L) (N)		Birds Huddle		Birds Huddle	Inside Golf	424	642
DISC	53	Expedition Unknown		Expedition Unknown		Expedition X "Ghosts of Eloise Asylum, Part 1"		Expedition X "Ghosts of Eloise Asylum, Part 2" (N)		Ghost Adventures "Village of Lost Souls" (N)		Ghost Adventures "Vengeance in Oxnard" (N)		182	278	
DISN	41	Hamster & Gretel	Hamster & Gretel	Kiff	Kiff	Big City Greens	Big City Greens	Miraculous: Ladybug	Miraculous: Ladybug	Marvel's Moon Girl	Marvel's Moon Girl	Raven's Home	Raven's Home	172	290	
EI	98	Botched	Mod Fam	Mod Fam	Mod Fam	Mod Fam	Mod Fam	Mod Fam	Mod Fam	Mod Fam	Mod Fam	EI News (N)	Botched	114	236	
ESPN	35	Little League Baseball		LLS World Series Teams TBA (L) (N)				LLS World Series Teams TBA (L) (N)				SportsCenter (L) (N)		140	206	
ESPN2	36	Softball	Softball	Athletes Sftb. Team Gold vs. Team Purple (N)				USL Soccer FC Tulsa at Colorado Springs Switchbacks FC				30 for 30		144	209	
EWTN	265	EWTN News	Daily Mass: Olam	Kenosis		EWTN Live (N)		EWTN News	Rosary	Father Spitzer's Universe			Women of	Crossing	261	370
FLIX	235	★★ In Too Deep ('99, Cri) LL Cool J, Nia Long, Omar Epps.			★★★ Drop Zone ('94) Wesley Snipes.			★★★ New Jack City ('91) Ice-T, Wesley Snipes.			Movie			333	557	
FNC	33	Special Report (L) (N)		The Ingraham Angle (L) (N)		Jesse Watters (L) (N)		Hannity (L) (N)		Gutfeld! (N)		Fox News at Night (L) (N)		205	360	
FOOD	39	Guy's Grocery Games		Guy's Grocery Games		Guy's Grocery Games		Guy's Grocery Games (N)		Guy's Grocery Games		Guy's Grocery Games		110	231	
Freeform	50	★★★ Good Boys ('19) Jacob Tremblay.			The Office		The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	grown-ish	grown-ish	The 700 Club	180	311	
FX	47	★★★★ The Amazing Spider-Man ('12) Andrew Garfield.			★★ The Amazing Spider-Man 2 ('14, Act) Emma Stone, Jamie Foxx, Andrew Garfield.			Golf Central (L) (N)			Lessons	PGA TOUR	Women's Golf	136	248	
GOLF	38	Women's Golf U.S. Women's Amateur, Round of 64 (L) (N)					Golf Central (L) (N)			Lessons	PGA TOUR	Women's Golf	401	218		
HALL	255	The Perfect Catch ('17) Andrew Walker, Nikki Deloach.				Sweet Autumn ('20) Andrew Walker, Nikki Deloach.				Gold Girls		Gold Girls	Gold Girls	Gold Girls	185	312
HBO	201	★★★★ The Silence of the Lambs ('91) Jodie Foster.				★★★ Fargo ('96) Frances McDormand.				Winning Time			Hard Knocks		300	501
HBO2	202	★★★★ Avatar: The Way of Water Sam Worthington.				Hard Knocks				★★★ The Skeleton Twins ('14) Bill Hader.		★★★ Shakespeare in Love			301	502
HGTV	58	Holmes Family Rescue		Holmes Family Rescue		Holmes Family Rescue		Holmes Family Rescue (N)		Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	112	229	
HIST	31	American Pickers		American Pickers		American Pickers		American Pickers "Beware of Deere; Boom or Bust" (N)				American Pickers		120	269	
LIFE	29	Castle "Number One Fan"		Castle "Time Will Tell"		Castle "Get a Clue"		Castle		Castle		Castle "Disciple"		108	252	
MAX	270	Barely Lethal ('15) Jessica Alba, Hailee Steinfeld.				★★★ Locke ('13) Ruth Wilson, Tom Hardy.				★★ Drive Angry ('11) Nicolas Cage.		★★★ The Company Men			310	515
MMAX	271	Man From U.N.C.L.E.		★★★ Hellboy ('04) John Hurt, Selma Blair, Ron Perlman.				★★★ Prince Avalanche Paul Rudd. (P)			A Glimpse Inside the Mind of Charles Swa...			312	517	
MSNBC	266	The Beat With (L) (N)		The ReidOut (L) (N)		All In With (L) (N)		Alex Wagner Tonight (N)		The Last Word With (L) (N)		11th Hour (L) (N)		209	356	
MTV	49	Catfish: The TV Show		Teen Mom: The		Teen Mom: The (N)		Jersey Shore		Ridiculous		Ridiculous		160	331	
NEWSN	27	Vargas Report (N)		On Balance (N)		Cuomo (N)		Dan Abrams Live (L) (N)		Banfield (N)		Cuomo		239	307	
NICK	42	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	★★ Bee Movie ('07) Jerry Seinfeld.				Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	170	299	
PARMT	59	Two Men	Two Men	Two Men	Two Men	Movie						★★★ Pretty Woman			168	241
SHO	221	★★★★ Indiana Jones and the Raiders of the Lost Ark				★★★ Indiana Jones and the Temple of Doom				★★★ Indiana Jones and the Last Crusade				318	545	
SHO2	222	The Forger		★★★ Aftersun ('22) Frankie Corio, Paul Mescal.		Emily ('22) Fionn Whitehead, Emma Mackey. (P)		★★★ Pearl Mia Goth.							320	547
SYFY	54	★★★★ Colombiana ('11) Jordi Mollà, Zoe Saldana.			★★ Pitch Black (2000, Sci-Fi) Vin Diesel, Cole Hauser, Radha Mitchell.			★★ The Chronicles of Riddick							122	244
TBS	34	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	All Elite Wrestling: Dynamite (L) (N)				Sheldon	Sheldon	Sheldon	Sheldon	139	247	
TCM	141	★★ Orchestra Wives ('42) George Montgomery.				★★★ Stormy Weather ('43) Lena Horne.		★★★ Sun Valley Serenade Sonja Henie.		★★ Down Argentine Way				132	256	
TLC	52	Addiction	Addiction	Dr. Pimple Popper		Dr. Pimple Popper (N)		Dr. Pimple Popper (N)		My Strange Addiction (N)		The Bad Skin Clinic (N)		183	280	
TNT	56	Lucifer		Lucifer "Love Handles"		★★★ Transformers (2007, Action) Tyrese Gibson, Josh Duhamel, Shia La Beouf.						★ Pixels Adam Sandler.			138	245
TOON	83	Teen	Adventure	King/Hill	King/Hill	King/Hill	King/Hill	Burgers	Burgers	American	American	American	American	Rick	176	296
TRAV	46	Paranormal Ca		Paranormal Ca		Paranormal Ca		Paranormal Ca		Paranormal Ca		Paranormal Ca		215	277	
TRUTV	259	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	★★★ Avengers: Age of Ultron ('15) Chris Hemsworth, Mark Ruffalo, Robert Downey Jr..						204	246	
TVLAND	60	Griffith	Griffith	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	King	King	106	304	
USA	55	Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Temptation Island (N)		The Big D (N)		Law & Order: SVU			105	242
VH1	48	★★★★ ATL		★★ Tyler Perry's Meet the Browns ('08) Angela Bassett, Tyler Perry.				★★★ Hustlers ('19, Com.-Dra) Jennifer Lopez, Julia Stiles, Constance Wu.				Martin		162	335	
WE	140	NCIS "Moonlighting"		NCIS "Obsession"		NCIS "Borderland"		NCIS "Patriot Down"		NCIS "Rule Fifty-One"		NCIS "Spider and the Fly"			128	260
TMC	351	Queen Bees ('21) James Caan, Ann-Margret, Ellen Burstyn.				Tijuana Jackson: Purpose Over Prison				Pirates ('21) Jordan Peters, Elliot Edusah.		★★★ The Disaster Artist			327	554



THURSDAY PRIME TIME

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	C	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30	S1	S2
②	KDKA	2	KDKA-TV News at Six	News at 6:30pm (N)	CBS Evening News (N)	KDKA-TV News (N)	Young Sheldon	Ghosts	Big Brother (L) (N)	The Challenge: USA (SP) (N)	News at Eleven (N)	Late Show-Colbert	▶	2	2
④	WTAE	4	Action News 4 (N)	ABC World News (N)	Inside Edition (N)	Ent. Tonight (N)	Generation Gap "The Six Million Dollar Woman" (N)	The Prank Panel "Three Omens; Sexeee Grannee"	Shark Tank	Action News 4 (N)	J. Kimmel	▶	4	4	
⑤	WDTV	5	First News	CBS News	Ent. Tonight	Inside Ed.	Sheldon	Ghosts	Big Brother (L) (N)	The Challenge: USA (SP) (N)	5 News	Colbert	▶	-	-
⑦	WTRF	-	7News at	CBS News	Ent. Tonight	Inside Ed.	Sheldon	Ghosts	Big Brother (L) (N)	The Challenge: USA (SP) (N)	7News at	Colbert	▶	-	-
⑨	WTOV	-	News 9 at Six (L) (N)	NBC Nightly News (N)	Jeopardy!	Wheel of Fortune	Password "Tony Hale & Jimmy Fallon"	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit "Bad Things"	Law & Order: SVU "The One You Feed"	News 9 Tonight (N)	Tonight Show	▶	-	-	
⑪	WPXI	11	Channel 11	NBC News	Wheel	Jeopardy!	Password	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	News	J. Fallon	▶	11	11	
⑫	WBOY	12	News	NBC News	Jeopardy!	Wheel	Password	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	News	J. Fallon	▶	-	-	
⑬	WQED	13	PBS NewsHour (N)	BBC News America (N)	The David Rubenstein	Breakfast Special	Country Music "Will the Circle Be Unbroken? (1968-1972)"	Amanpour and Company (N)	The National Desk (L) (N)	13	13				
⑫	WCWB	22	Two and a Half Men	Two and a Half Men	Modern Family	Modern Family	Dateline "Broken Circle"	Chicago P.D. "Natural Born Storyteller"	Channel 11 News on Fox 53 at 10 (N)	The National Desk (L) (N)	19	19			
⑫	WNPB	8	BBC News The Context	BBC News America	PBS NewsHour (N)	Miss Scarlet "The Vanishing"	This Land Is Your Land (My Music Presents)	Defending the Dark	Amanpour and Company (N)	-	-				
⑫	WVFX	14	5 News at 6pm (N)	Mom	Last Man Standing	Last Man Standing	FIFA Women's World Cup Live (L) (N)	FIFA Women's World Cup 2023 Quarterfinal: Teams TBA From Sky Stadium in Wellington, , New Zealand. (L) (N)	WVFX News at 10:00PM	American Housewife	-	-			
⑫	WPGH	6	Big Bang	News at 6:30	Big Bang	Sheldon	World Cup (L) (N)	Women's World Cup Quarterfinal: Teams TBA (L) (N)	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	53	53			
A&E	43	The First 48	The First 48	After the First 48 (N)	60 Days In (N)	Booked: First Day In (N)	The First 48	▶	118	265					
AMC	63	◀ ★★★ Avatar (2009, Sci-Fi) Zoe Saldaña, Sigourney Weaver, Sam Worthington.	★★ San Andreas ('15) Dwayne Johnson. A rescue pilot must save his family after a magnitude 9 earthquake devastates California.	★★ The Punisher (2004, Action) John Travolta, Will Patton, Thomas Jane.	▶	130	254								
ANPL	40	Finding Bigfoot	Finding Bigfoot	Finding Bigfoot	Finding Bigfoot	Finding Bigfoot	Finding Bigfoot	Finding Bigfoot	Finding Bigfoot	184	282				
BET	61	Celebrity Family Feud	Celebrity Family Feud	Celebrity Family Feud	Tyler Perry's Sistas	Stellar Gospel Music Awards	875	329							
BRAVO	57	◀ ★★★ Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets ('02) Rupert Grint, Daniel Radcliffe.	Project Runway "Freedom" (N)	Watch What Happens Live	Housewives/NYC	129	237								
AT&TSP	37	◀ MLB Baseball	Fight Sports MMA	Champ. Kickboxing	Grand Sumo	World Boxing	▶	-	-						
CMT	82	Last Man Standing	Last Man Standing	Last Man Standing	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	166	327		
CNBC	45	Mad Money (N)	Last Call (L) (N)	Shark Tank	Shark Tank	Shark Tank	Shark Tank	Shark Tank	Shark Tank	208	355				
CNN	32	Situation Room (L) (N)	E. B. OutFront (L) (N)	Anderson Cooper 360 (N)	CNN Primetime (L) (N)	CNN Tonight (L) (N)	CNN Tonight (L) (N)	CNN Tonight (L) (N)	CNN Tonight (L) (N)	200	202				
COM	51	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	107	249				
CSN	-	Phillies	MLB Baseball	Washington Nationals at Philadelphia Phillies (L) (N)	Phil. Postgame (L) (N)	Birds Huddle	Birds Huddle	Bensinger	424	642					
DISC	53	Homestead Rescue "All the Pretty Horses"	Homestead Rescue "Back in the Saddle"	Homestead Rescue "Rubble With a Cause"	Homestead Rescue "Subarctic S.O.S." (N)	Homestead Rescue "Bus, Sweat and Tears"	Homestead Rescue "Black Hills Hope"	182	278						
DISN	41	Hamster & Gretel	Hamster & Gretel	Kiff	Kiff	Big City Greens	Big City Greens	Miraculous: Ladybug	Miraculous: Ladybug	Marvel's Moon Girl	Marvel's Moon Girl	Bunk'd: Learn	Bunk'd: Learn	172	290
EI	98	Mod Fam	Mod Fam	Mod Fam	Mod Fam	Mod Fam	Mod Fam	Botched	Botched (N)	E! News (N)	Botched	▶	114	236	
ESPN	35	◀ Little League Baseball	Little League Baseball	Auto Racing Superstar Racing Experience (L) (N)	SportsCenter (L) (N)	140	206								
ESPN2	36	◀ Little League Baseball	Football	To Be Announced	Little League Baseball Southwest Regional: Texas East vs. Arkansas Game 3.	▶	144	209							
EWTN	265	EWTN News	Vaticano	Daily Mass: Olam	The World Over "News" (N)	EWTN News	Rosary	Pro-Life	Catholic	Women of	Battle Ready	261	370		
FLIX	235	★★★ A Fish Called Wanda ('88) John Cleese.	★★★ Witness ('85) Kelly McGillis, Harrison Ford.	★★ Regarding Henry ('91) Harrison Ford.	Babysitter	▶	333	557							
FNC	33	Special Report (L) (N)	The Ingraham Angle (L) (N)	Jesse Watters (L) (N)	Hannity (L) (N)	Gutfeld! (N)	Fox News at Night (L) (N)	205	360						
FOOD	39	Beat Bobby	Beat Bobby	Beat Bobby	Beat Bobby	Beat Bobby	Beat Bobby	Beat Bobby	Beat Bobby	Beat Bobby	Beat Bobby	110	231		
Freeform	50	Movie	★★★ Up ('09) Edward Asner.	★★★ Ratatouille ('07) Voices of Ian Holm, Lou Romano, Patton Oswalt.	The 700 Club	180	311								
FX	47	◀ ★★★ Iron Man ('08) Robert Downey Jr..	★★ Iron Man 2 ('10) Gwyneth Paltrow, Don Cheadle, Robert Downey Jr..	What We Do	What We Do	What We Do	★★ Con Air	▶	136	248					
GOLF	38	Women's Golf U.S. Women's Amateur, Round of 16 (L) (N)	Golf Central (L) (N)	PGA Golf FedEx St. Jude Championship, First Round	▶	401	218								
HALL	255	Sand Dollar Cove ('21) Aly Michalka.	Making Waves ('23, Romance) Corey Cott, Holland Roden.	Gold Girls	Gold Girls	Gold Girls	Gold Girls	185	312						
HBO	201	◀ ★★★ The Hobbit: The Battle of the Five Armies	Winning Time	★★ Magic Mike's Last Dance ('23) Channing Tatum.	★★ Kingpin	▶	300	501							
HBO2	202	◀ ★★★ Knocked Up	★★ The Nun ('18) Taissa Farmiga, Demián Bichir.	John Wilson	The Golden Boy Part I	The Golden Boy Part II	▶	301	502						
HGTV	58	Christina in the Country	Christina in the Country	Christina on the Coast	Christina on the Coast (N)	Revealed "Family Values"	Hunters	Hunters Int'l	112	229					
HIST	31	Alone "Aftermath"	Alone "Infestation"	Alone "Splintered"	Alone "Rats" (N)	Alone Australia "Day 1" (N)	Alone	▶	120	269					
LIFE	29	Castle "Under Fire"	Castle "Deep Cover"	Castle "Limelight"	Castle "Dressed to Kill"	Castle	Castle "Room 147"	▶	108	252					
MAX	270	★★★ Focus ('15) Margot Robbie, Will Smith.	★★★ Ex Machina ('14) Domhnall Gleeson.	★★ Aeon Flux ('05) Charlize Theron.	Frank Miller's Sin City	▶	168	241							
MMAX	271	◀ Edward Scissorhands	★★★ Last Night in Soho ('21) Anya Taylor-Joy.	★ The Haunting ('99) Liam Neeson.	★ Legion ('10) Lucas Black, Paul Bettany.	▶	312	517							
MSNBC	266	The Beat With (L) (N)	The ReidOut (L) (N)	All In With (L) (N)	Alex Wagner Tonight (N)	The Last Word With (L) (N)	11th Hour (L) (N)	209	356						
MTV	49	Catfish: The TV Show	Jersey Shore	Jersey Shore (N)	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	160	331				
NEWSN	27	Vargas Report (N)	On Balance (N)	Cuomo (N)	Dan Abrams Live (L) (N)	Banfield (N)	Cuomo	239	307						
NICK	42	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	★★★ The Croods: A New Age (2020, Animated)	SpongeBob	Friends	Friends	Friends "The Last One"	Friends	170	299				
PARMT	59	Two Men	Two Men	Two Men	Two Men	★★★ Pretty Woman (1990, Romance) Julia Roberts, Ralph Bellamy, Richard Gere.	★★★★ Titanic	▶	168	241					
SHO	221	◀ The Forger	★★★ The Fabelmans ('22) Paul Dano, Seth Rogen, Michelle Williams.	Emily ('22, Hist) Fionn Whitehead, Oliver Jackson-Cohen, Emma Mackey.	The Chi	▶	318	545							
SHO2	222	◀ ★★★ Enemy at the Gates ('01) Jude Law, Joseph Fiennes.	★★ Devotion ('22) Glen Powell, Jonathan Majors. (P)	Dead for a Dollar ('22) Willem Dafoe, Christoph Waltz.	▶	320	547								
SYFY	54	◀ ★★★ The Chronicles of Riddick ('04) Vin Diesel.	★★ Riddick (2013, Sci-Fi) Karl Urban, Jordi Mollà, Vin Diesel.	★★ The Great Wall ('16) Matt Damon.	▶	122	244								
TBS	34	Sheldon	Sheldon	Sheldon	Sheldon	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Tacoma FD	Get Hard	▶	139	247	
TCM	141	★★★★ Out of the Past ('47) Jane Greer, Robert Mitchum.	★★★ While the City Sleeps ('56) Dana Andrews.	★★★ The Killer Is Loose Joseph Cotten.	Movie	132	256								
TLC	52	My 600-Lb. Life	My 600-Lb. Life	Dr. Pimple Popper	Dr. Pimple Popper (N)	My 600-Lb. Life "Robert's Story"	183	280							
TNT	56	◀ ★★★ Transformers ('07) Tyrese Gibson, Shia La Beouf.	★ Pixels ('15) Kevin James, Adam Sandler.	★★★ Blades of Glory ('07) Jon Heder, Will Ferrell.	138	245									
TOON	83	Teen	Adventure	King/Hill	King/Hill	Burgers	Burgers	American	American	American	Rick	176	296		
TRAV	46	Paranormal Emergency	Eli Roth Presents: A	Eli Roth Presents: A	Eli Roth Presents: A (N)	Help! My Ho (N)	Help! My House Is Haunted	215	277						
TRUTV	259	Jokes	Jokes	Jokes	Jokes	Jokes	Jokes	Jokes	Jokes	204	246				
TVLAND	60	Griffith	Griffith	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	King	King	106	304		
USA	55	Law & Order: SVU "Storm"	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU "Blast"	★★ The Heat ('13) Melissa McCarthy, Demián Bichir, Sandra Bullock.	Movie	105	242							
VH1	48	◀ Hustlers	★ The Cookout (2004, Comedy) Tim Meadows, Jenifer Lewis, Ja Rule.	Wild 'n Out	Wild 'n Out	★ Waist Deep ('06) Meagan Good, Tyrese Gibson. (P)	▶	162	335						
WE	140	Law Order: CI "Anti-Thesis"	Love After Lockup	Love- Loc.	Love- Loc.	Love- Loc.	Love- Loc.	Love After Lockup	Love- Loc.	Love- Loc.	128	260			
TMC	351	Deadlock ('21) Bruce Willis, Patrick Muldoon.	★★★ Bridge of Spies ('15, History) Mark Rylance, Alan Alda, Tom Hanks.	★★★ Road to Perdition Tom Hanks.	▶	327	554								

Thursday Best Bets



Kelly Ripa from "Generation Gap"

Generation Gap  
④ 8 p.m.  
Let's do the "Time Warp": A new episode of this game show airs, forcing teams of seniors and juniors to work together in challenges and answer questions about pop culture from each other's generations, spanning from rotary phones to touch screens.

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# Friday Best Bets



Nischelle Turner, host of “Secret Celebrity Renovation”

## Secret Celebrity Renovation

**6 7 8 p.m.**  
Season 3 continues with a new episode, following as big-name celebrities in sports, music and entertainment give over-the-top, surprise home renovations to the meaningful people who helped guide them to success, gifting some truly tangible thank yous.

## All Up in the Biz

**(SHO) 8 p.m.**  
This unique documentary shines a light on the talent and joy of hip-hop icon Biz Mar- kie through celebrity interviews (Nick Cannon, Dapper Dan, etc.) and archival footage that helps provide insight into the life and legacy of one of the genre’s he- roes.

## Dateline NBC

**9 11 12 9 p.m.**  
Lester Holt anchors this new episode, re- visiting stories from NBC’s renowned newsmagazine. An exceptional feat of journalism and storytelling, the series pieces together real-life events to present a comprehensive picture of the case in question.

## Witness to Murder: Digital Evidence

**(A&E) 9 p.m.**  
This new series reveals how technology has become the new frontier in solving homicides, illustrating how cell phones, smart watches, GPS devices, doorbell and traffic cameras, gaming devices, social media and more can be used in investiga- tions.

## My Lottery Dream Home

**(HGTV) 9 p.m.**  
It’s a “Dream Home” marathon, as the luckiest of the lucky – lottery winners – go out to search for their big, new dream home. Episodes include massive houses, blended families, a Miami millionaire, new builds in cow country, big emotions and more.

# FRIDAY PRIME TIME

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	C	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30	S1	S2			
②	KDKA	2	KDKA-TV News at Six	Steelers Kickoff (N)	NFL Football Pittsburgh Steelers at Tampa Bay Buccaneers From Raymond James Stadium in Tampa, Fla. (L) (N)					Extra Point (N)	Nightly Sports Call	News at Eleven (N)	Late Show-Colbert	2	2			
④	WTAE	4	Action News 4 (N)	ABC World News (N)	Inside Edition (N)	Ent. Tonight (N)	Will Trent "Manhunt"		20/20			Action News 4 (N)	J. Kimmel	4	4			
⑤	WDTV	5	First News	CBS News	Ent. Tonight	Inside Ed.	Celebrity Renovation (N)		Fire Country "Bad Guy"	Blue Bloods		5 News	Colbert	-	-			
⑦	WTRF	-	7News at	CBS News	Ent. Tonight	Inside Ed.	Celebrity Renovation (N)		Fire Country "Bad Guy"	Blue Bloods		7News at	Colbert	-	-			
⑨	WTOV	-	News 9 at Six (L) (N)	NBC Nightly News (N)	Jeopardy!	Wheel of Fortune	Hot Wheels-Challenge "Grand Finale, Part 2"		Dateline NBC (N)			News 9 Tonight (N)	Tonight Show	-	-			
⑪	WPXI	11	Channel 11	NBC News	Wheel	Jeopardy!	Hot Wheels-Challenge		Dateline NBC (N)			News	J. Fallon	11	11			
⑫	WBOY	12	News	NBC News	Jeopardy!	Wheel	Hot Wheels-Challenge		Dateline NBC (N)			News	J. Fallon	-	-			
⑬	WQED	13	PBS NewsHour (N)		BBC News America (N)	GZERO World	Washington Week (N)	Firing-Hoover (N)	Great American The remaining home cooks get ready for a grand finale feast.		Festive Europe	Amanpour and Company (N)		13	13			
22	WCWB	22	Two and a Half Men	Two and a Half Men	Modern Family	Modern Family	Chicago P.D. "Actual Physical Violence"		Chicago P.D. "Debts of the Past"	iCRIME - Vargas	iCRIME - Vargas	The National Desk (L) (N)		19	19			
24	WNPB	8	BBC News The Context	BBC News America	PBS NewsHour (N)		Washington Week (N)	Firing-Hoover (N)	Great American The remaining home cooks get ready for a grand finale feast.		Isabel and Roy	Amanpour and Company (N)		-	-			
46	WVFX	14	5 News at 6pm (N)	Mom	Last Man Standing	Last Man Standing	WWE Friday Night SmackDown (L) (N)			WVFX News at 10:00PM	Seinfeld "The Beard"	Seinfeld	American Housewife	-	-			
53	WPGH	6	Big Bang	News at 6:30	Big Bang	Sheldon	WWE Friday Night SmackDown (L) (N)			Channel 11 News (N)	Seinfeld	Seinfeld		53	53			
	A&E	43	The First 48		The First 48 "Deadly Bluff"		The First 48 "Jackpot" (N)		Witness-Murder (N)		Women on Death Row (N)		The First 48					
	AMC	63	★ ★ ★ San Andreas (2015, Action) Carla Gugino, Alexandra Daddario, Dwayne Johnson.				★ ★ Police Academy (1984, Comedy) Kim Cattrall, Michael Winslow, Steve Guttenberg.			★ ★ Police Academy 2: Their First Assignment ('85) Michael Winslow, Colleen Camp, Steve Guttenberg.					130	254		
	ANPL	40	Insane Pools			Insane Pools		Insane Pools			Insane Pools "Pool-a-Vida"		Insane Pools		184	282		
	BET	61	Movie	★ ★ ★ Straight Outta Compton (2015, Drama) Corey Hawkins, Jason Mitchell, O'Shea Jackson Jr..							★ ★ Get Rich or Die Tryin' Curtis "50 Cent" Jackson.						875	329
	BRAVO	57	★ ★ ★ Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire ('05, Fantasy) Rupert Grint, Emma Watson, Daniel Radcliffe.						★ ★ ★ Harry Potter and the Order of the Phoenix Daniel Radcliffe.							129	237	
	AT&TSP	37	Shortlist	Pirates	MLB Baseball Cincinnati Reds at Pittsburgh Pirates From PNC Park in Pittsburgh. (L) (N)					Postgame	Baseball	MLB Baseball			-	-		
	CMT	82	Last Man	Last Man	Last Man	Last Man	Jeff Dunham		CMT Summer Sessions (N)		CMT Summer Camp (N)		CMT Summer Camp		166	327		
	CNBC	45	CNBC Special Report (N)		Last Call (L) (N)		American Greed		American Greed		American Greed		American Greed		208	355		
	CNN	32	Situation Room (L) (N)		E. B. OutFront (L) (N)		Anderson Cooper 360 (N)		CNN Primetime (L) (N)		CNN Tonight (L) (N)		CNN Tonight (L) (N)		200	202		
	COM	51	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	Jeff Dunham:		107	249			
	CSN	-	Birds Huddle	Phillies	Birds Huddle	World Poker Tour		Winning Golf		Fantasy Football (N)		Phil. Postgame (L) (N)		Birds Huddle	Golfer	424	642	
	DISC	53	Gold Rush-Res. "The Nugget Factor"		Gold Rush: Mine Rescue Pay Dirt "Golden Boy" (N)		Gold Rush-Res. "Brothers in Arms" (N)		Hoffman Family Gold "Warning Shots" (N)		Outback Opal Hunters (N)		Gold Rush-Res. "Last Chance Gold"		182	278		
	DISN	41	★ ★ ★ Big Hero 6 (2014, Animated) Voices of Scott Adsit, T.J. Miller, Ryan Potter.				The Villains (N)	Pretty Freekin Scary	Pretty Freekin Scary	Hailey's on It!	Hailey's on It!	Hailey's on It!	The Villains	Pretty Freekin Scary	172	290		
	EI	98	★ ★ ★ The Other Woman ('14) Cameron Diaz.				★ ★ ★ Bridesmaids (2011, Comedy) Maya Rudolph, Rose Byrne, Kristen Wiig.				Mike & Dave Need Weddin...				114	236		
	ESPN	35	★ Little League Baseball		Little League Metro Regional, Championship: Teams TBA				Baseball Mountain Regional, Championship: Teams TBA			SportsCenter (L) (N)			140	206		
	ESPN2	36	SportsCenter (L) (N)		LLS World Series Game 18: Teams TBA (L) (N)				Mexico	UFC Live	30 for 30 The American Gladiators Documentary, Part 2			144	209			
	EWTN	265	EWTN News		Finding God		Daily Mass: Olam		EWTN News In-Depth (N)		EWTN News	Life/Rock	Icons	Women of	Long Ride	261	370	
	FLIX	235	★ ★ Major League ('89) Charlie Sheen, Tom Berenger.				★ ★ ★ Clerks Brian Christopher O'Halloran.			★ ★ ★ Chasing Amy ('97) Joey Lauren Adams, Ben Affleck.			★ ★ ★ Reds		333	557		
	FNC	33	Special Report (L) (N)		The Ingraham Angle (L) (N)		Jesse Watters (L) (N)		Hannity (L) (N)		Gutfeld! (N)		Fox News at Night (L) (N)		205	360		
	FOOD	39	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	110	231		
	Freeform	50	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Praise Petey	Praise Petey	The 700 Club		180	311		
	FX	47	★ ★ ★ Baby Driver ('17) Kevin Spacey, Ansel Elgort.				★ ★ The Fate of the Furious ('17, Action) Dwayne Johnson, Charlize Theron, Vin Diesel.				The Fate of the Furious				136	248		
	GOLF	38	Women's Golf U.S. Women's Amateur, Quarterfinals (L) (N)					Golf Central (L) (N)			PGA Tour Champions Golf Boeing Classic, First Round (N)				401	218		
	HALL	255	The Professional Bridesmaid ('23) Hunter King.				Three Wise Men and a Baby ('22) Paul Campbell.				Gold Girls	Gold Girls	Gold Girls	Gold Girls	185	312		
	HBO	201	★ I, Tonya	★ ★ ★ Moneyball ('11) Jonah Hill, Brad Pitt.				★ ★ ★ Good Will Hunting ('97) Robin Williams, Ben Affleck, Matt Damon.			John Wilson	Winning			300	501		
	HBO2	202	★ ★ ★ Miss Sloane ('16) Jessica Chastain. (P)				Hard Knocks		Winning Time		★ ★ ★ Live Free or Die Hard ('07) Bruce Willis.				301	502		
	HGTV	58	Dream Home	Dream Home	Dream Home	Dream Home	Dream Home	Dream Home	Dream Home	Dream Home	Hunters	Hunters	Barbie Dreamhouse		112	229		
	HIST	31	Ancient Aliens		Ancient Aliens		Ancient Aliens		Ancient Aliens (N)		The Proof Is Out There (N)		The Proof Is Out There		120	269		
	LIFE	29	Rizzoli & Isles		Rizzoli & Isles		What Happened to My Sister? ('22) Lauryn Speights. (P)			Maid for Revenge ('23) Matt Wells, Kathryn Kohut.					108	252		
	MAX	270	★ ★ ★ Gone Girl ('14) Rosamund Pike, Ben Affleck.				★ The Hunted ('95) Christopher Lambert.		★ ★ ★ A Most Violent Year ('14) Oscar Isaac.			Movie		310	515			
	MMAX	271	★ Exodus: Gods and Kings		★ ★ Redemption ('13) Agata Buzek, Jason Statham.			★ ★ ★ The Cabin in the Woods			★ ★ Assassination Nation Odessa Young.				312	517		
	MSNBC	266	The Beat With (L) (N)		The ReidOut (L) (N)		All In With (L) (N)		Alex Wagner Tonight (N)		The Last Word With (L) (N)		11th Hour (L) (N)		209	356		
	MTV	49	Behind the Music		Behind the Music		MTV Special		MTV Special		MTV Special				160	331		
	NEWSN	27	Vargas Report (N)		On Balance (N)		Cuomo (N)		Dan Abrams Live (L) (N)		Banfield (N)		Cuomo		239	307		
	NICK	42	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	★ ★ Sonic the Hedgehog ('20)		Jim Carrey, Ben Schwartz, James Marsden.		Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	170	299			
	PARMT	59	Two Men	Two Men	Two Men	Two Men	★ ★ ★ ★ Titanic (1997, History) Kate Winslet, Billy Zane, Leonardo DiCaprio.								168	241		
	SHO	221	Wu-Tang Clan		Wu-Tang Clan		All Up in the Biz (2023, Documentary) (P)			Bellator MMA 298: Storley vs. Ward (N)					318	545		
	SHO2	222	★ ★ ★ Need for Speed ('14) Dominic Cooper, Aaron Paul.				★ ★ ★ Everything Everywhere All at Once ('22) Michelle Yeoh.			★ ★ ★ X ('22) Jenna Ortega, Mia Goth.				320	547			
	SYFY	54	★ ★ The Great Wall ('16) Jing Tian, Matt Damon.				★ ★ The Hitman's Bodyguard ('17) Samuel L. Jackson, Ryan Reynolds.			★ The Hitman's Wife's Bodyguard				122	244			
	TBS	34	Sheldon	Sheldon	Sheldon	Sheldon	★ ★ Get Hard ('15) Kevin Hart, Will Ferrell.		★ ★ Ride Along ('14) Kevin Hart, Ice Cube.			Movie		139	247			
	TCM	141	★ ★ Drum Beat ('54) Audrey Dalton, Alan Ladd.				★ ★ ★ ★ Shane ('53) Jean Arthur, Van Heflin, Alan Ladd.			★ ★ ★ This Gun for Hire ('42) Veronica Lake, Alan Ladd.				132	256			
	TLC	52	90 Day Fiancé		90 Day Fiancé		90 Day Fiancé: Before the 90 Days (N)			90 Day	Match Me Abroad		90 Day	183	280			
	TNT	56	★ Birds of Prey (and the Fantabulous Eman...				★ ★ Suicide Squad (2016, Action) Jared Leto, Margot Robbie, Will Smith.			All Elite Wrestling (N)		★ ★ ★ Shazam!			138	245		
	TOON	83	Adventure	Adventure	King/Hill	King/Hill	King/Hill	King/Hill	Burgers	Burgers	American	American	American	American	176	296		
	TRAV	46	The Phenomenon (2020, Documentary)				Alien Abduction: Betty and Barney Hill			Alien Abduction: Travis Walton					215	277		
	TRUTV	259	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	204	246			
	TVLAND	60	Griffith	Griffith	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	King	King	106	304			
	USA	55	9-1-1 "Haunted"		9-1-1 "Buck, Actually"		9-1-1 "Triggers"		9-1-1 "Rage"		9-1-1 "Ghost Stories"		9-1-1 "Defend in Place"		105	242		
	VH1	48	Hip Hop	Love & Hip Hop Miami	★ ★ Four Brothers ('05) Tyrese Gibson, André Benjamin, Mark Wahlberg.		★ ★ Waist Deep ('06) Meagan Good, Tyrese Gibson.								162	335		
	WE	140	Law & Order "Born Again"		Love After Lockup		Love After Lockup		Love After Lockup (N)		Love After Lockup		Love After Lockup		128	260		
	TMC	351	★ ★ ★ The Bad News Bears				★ ★ The Bad News Bears in Breaking Training			★ ★ The Bad News Bears Go to Japan			The Match Franco Nero.			327	554	



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	C	9 AM	9:30	10 AM	10:30	11 AM	11:30	12 PM	12:30	1 PM	1:30	2 PM	2:30	3 PM	3:30	4 PM	4:30	5 PM	5:30	S1	S2		
②	KDKA	2	⚡ CBS Saturday Morning (N)		KDKA-TV News This Morning 10 AM (N)		Hometown High Q	Hometown High Q	Lucky Dog "Sonny"	Innovation Nation	3ICE Championship: Teams TBA From Wells Fargo Center in Philadelphia. (L) (N)			PGA Tour Golf FedEx St. Jude Championship, Third Round From TPC Southwind in Memphis, Tenn. (L) (N)							2	2	
④	WTAE	4	⚡ Pittsburgh's Action News 4 (N)		Good Morning America (N)		Wildlife Nation	oh baby!	Homeowner	Big Deal	The Incredible Dog Challenge		To Be Announced		Spanish Soccer Athletic Bilbao vs. Real Madrid From San Mames Stadium in Bilbao, Biskaia, Spain. (L) (N)				Golf Res.	4	4		
⑤	WDTV	5	CBS Saturday Morning (N)					Lucky Dog	Invention	Morgant	Homeowner	3ICE Championship: Teams TBA (L) (N)			PGA Tour Golf FedEx St. Jude Championship, Third Round (L) (N)							-	-
⑦	WTRF	-	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Innovation	Hope-Wild	Mission	Invention	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	3ICE Championship: Teams TBA (L) (N)			PGA Tour Golf FedEx St. Jude Championship, Third Round (L) (N)							-	-	
⑨	WTOV	-	⚡ News 9 Saturday Morning Edition (L) (N)		Earth Odyssey	Wild Child	Play It	One Team-Sports	Paid Prog.	Premier League Soccer Newcastle United vs. Aston Villa (L) (N)			Prem Goal Zone (L) (N)	Motorcycle Racing Pro Motocross Championship: Unadilla National From New Berlin, N.Y. (L) (N)				Chasing Gold: Paris 2024		-	-		
⑪	WPXI	11	⚡ Channel 11 Saturday		Earth Ody.	Wild Child	Play It	One Team	Paid Prog.	Premier Soccer Newcastle United vs. Aston Villa			Goal Zone	Motorcycle Racing				Chasing Gold		11	11		
⑫	WBOY	12	⚡ To Be Announced		Earth Ody.	Wild Child	Play It	One Team	TBA	Premier Soccer Newcastle United vs. Aston Villa			Goal Zone	Motorcycle Racing				Chasing Gold		-	-		
⑬	WQED	13	Members' Favorite							Members' Favorite					Members' Favorite							13	13
⑫②	WCWB	22	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	The Rookie "Bad Blood" (L) (N)		LIV Golf League LIV Golf League Bedminster, Day 2 From Trump National Golf & Country Club Bedminster in Bedminster, N.J. (L) (N)											19	19
⑫④	WNPB	8	Camp TV	Into the Outdoors	Family-Garden	Garden Smart	Wine First "Rheingau"	Facing Waves	Radical	Woodsmith Shop	Energy Switch	This Old House	This Old House	Motor-Week (N)	Ask This Old House	Ask This Old House	Tim Farmer	Milk Street	Ireland Made With Love	▶	-	-	
⑫⑥	WVFX	14	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Awesome Planet	Xploration Space	Life 2.0	Pets	Wonderrama	Homeowner	Last Man Standing	Last Man Standing	Horse Racing Saratoga Saturday Featuring The Fourstardave Handicap. From Saratoga Race Course in Saratoga Springs, New York. (L) (N)					-	-		
⑫⑤	WPGH	6	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	The National Desk (N)		Big Bang	Two Men	Horse Racing Saratoga Saturday (L) (N)					53	53		
A&E	43	Zombie House Flipping		Zombie House Flipping		Best	Best	Delicious	Delicious	Customer	Customer	Customer	Customer	Customer	Customer	Neighbor.	Neighbor.	Neighbor.	Neighbor.	118	265		
AMC	63	Two and a Half Men	Two and a Half Men	Two and a Half Men	Two and a Half Men	★★★ Fast Times at Ridgemont High ('82, Com) Jennifer Jason Leigh, Judge Reinhold, Sean Penn.				★★★ Sixteen Candles ('84, Com) Anthony Michael Hall, Michael Schoeffling, Molly Ringwald.				★★★ Real Genius ('85) Gabriel Jarret, Val Kilmer. Prodigies (Val Kilmer, Gabe Jarret) learn laser work is for death beam.				Weekend at Bernie's ▶	130	254			
ANPL	40	Pit Bulls and Parolees		Pit Bulls and Parolees		Pit Bulls and Parolees		Pit Bulls and Parolees		Pit Bulls and Parolees		Pit Bulls and Parolees		Pit Bulls and Parolees		Crikey! It's the Irwins		Crikey! It's the Irwins		184	282		
BET	61	Browns	Browns	Celebrity Family Feud		Celebrity Family Feud		Celebrity Family Feud		Celebrity Family Feud		★★★ Life ('99, Com.-Dra) Martin Lawrence, Obba Babatunde, Eddie Murphy.			▶ 875				329				
BRAVO	57	⚡ Harry Potter & the Pri...		★★★ Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire ('05) Rupert Grint, Daniel Radcliffe.						★★★ Harry Potter and the Order of the Phoenix ('07) Daniel Radcliffe.				Harry Potter & the Half-Blood Prince▶				129	237				
AT&TSP	37	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Golf Life	Golf	Swing	18 Holes	Baseball Pony League World Series: Teams TBA					Baseball Pony League World Series: Teams TBA (L) (N)					-	-		
CMT	82	Hot 20 Countdown (N)							Sheldon	Sheldon	Sheldon	Sheldon	Sheldon	Sheldon	Sheldon	Sheldon	Sheldon	Ferris Bueller's Day Off ▶	166	327			
CNBC	45	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Para Swim Manchester 2023: Highlights				ARCA West Series		Undercover Boss		Undercover Boss		Undercover Boss		208	355		
CNN	32	Smerconish (N)		CNN Newsroom (N)		CNN Newsroom (N)		CNN Newsroom (N)		CNN Newsroom (N)		CNN Newsroom (N)		Smerconish		CNN Newsroom (N)		CNN Newsroom (N)		200	202		
COM	51	Parks	Parks	Parks and Recreation		Parks	Parks	Parks	Parks	Parks	Parks	Parks	Parks	Parks	Parks	Parks	Parks	Parks	Parks	107	249		
CSN	-	⚡ Baseball	Harness	Go Racing	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	World Poker Tour		World Poker Tour		World Poker Tour		Softball				Birds	Phillies	424	642		
DISC	53	Expedition X "Thailand's UFO Cult"		Expedition X "The Amazon's Cursed Ruins"		Expedition X "Ghosts of Eloise Asylum, Part 2"		Explorers Club "Highest Hights, Lowest Lows"		Explorers Club "Polar Extremes"		Explorers Club "Monsters and Myths"		Explorers Club "The Race to Space"		Tales From the Explorers Club		Explorers Club "Wild Rides"		182	278		
DISN	41	Hamster & Gretel	Marvel's Moon Girl	Hailey's on It! (N)	Hailey's on It!	Miraculous: Ladybug	Miraculous: Ladybug	Miraculous: Ladybug	Miraculous: Ladybug	Big City Greens	Big City Greens	Bluey	Bluey	Bluey	Bluey	Kiff	Kiff	Kiff	Big City Greens	172	290		
EI	98	Password		Password		Password		Shark Tank		Shark Tank		Shark Tank		Shark Tank		Shark Tank		Shark Tank		114	236		
ESPN	35	SportsCenter (L) (N)		SportsCenter (L) (N)		SportsCenter (L) (N)		30 for 30		UFC 292 Countdown		LLS World Series Game 20: Teams TBA (L) (N)			UFC Prelims (L) (N)			▶	140	206			
ESPN2	36	AKC National Agility Dog Championship				ESPN FC		Ultimate 2023 U.S. Open		Ultimate Championships		UFC Live	Athletes Sftb. Team Purple vs. Team Orange (N)		Mexico	LLS World Series			▶	144	209		
EWTN	265	Holy	Adventure	Catholic	Cat Chat	At Home	Bob	Daily Mass: Olam		Religious	Dominican	Oldest Gospel (N)		Chaplet	Rosary	Called to Communion		Catechism	Mercy	261	370		
FLIX	235	⚡★★★ My Girl		★★★ Guinevere ('99) Stephen Rea.		★★★ Moonlight and Valentino				★★★ Wolf ('94) Michelle Pfeiffer, Jack Nicholson.				★★★ Mississippi Burning ('88) Willem Dafoe, Gene Hackman.				333	557				
FNC	33	FOX & Friends (L) (N)		Cavuto Live (L) (N)		Cavuto Live (L) (N)		Fox News Live (L) (N)		Fox News Live (L) (N)		Fox News Live (L) (N)		Journal Editorial		Fox News Live (L) (N)		The Five		205	360		
FOOD	39	Trisha's	Trisha's	Pioneer	Pioneer	The Kitchen (N)		Symon	Symon	Outchef'd	Outchef'd	BBQ Brawl		BBQ Brawl		BBQ Brawl		BBQ Brawl		110	231		
Freeform	50	⚡★★★ Mrs. Doubtfire ('93) Robin Williams.				★★★ Matilda ('96) Danny DeVito, Mara Wilson.				★★★ The Edge of Seventeen ('16) Hailee Steinfeld.				★ 10 Things I Hate About You Heath Ledger.				Movie	180	311			
FX	47	Movie	★★ Stuber ('19) Kumail Nanjiani, Dave Bautista.	★★★ Ford v Ferrari (2019, History) Christian Bale, Jon Bernthal, Matt Damon.		★★★ Baby Driver ('17) Kevin Spacey, Lily James, Ansel Elgort.								Movie				136	248				
GOLF	38	⚡ PGA Tour Golf		PGA Champions Boeing Classic, First Round				Golf Central Pregame		PGA Tour Golf				Women's Golf U.S. Women's Amateur, Semifinals (L) (N)							401	218	
HALL	255	Reba	Reba	My Secret Valentine ('18) Lacey Chabert.				The Wedding Veil Legacy ('22) Alison Sweeney.			Hearts in the Game ('23) Erin Cahill.		The 27-Hour Day ('21) Autumn Reeser.				185	312					
HBO	201	⚡★★★ The Soloist ('09) Jamie Foxx.		★★★ Ghost ('90) Demi Moore, Patrick Swayze.		★★★ X-Men: Days of Future Past ('14) Hugh Jackman.				★★★ Sleepy Hollow Johnny Depp.				Hard Knocks		Movie		300	501				
HBO2	202	Movie	★★★ Downton Abbey ('19) Hugh Bonneville.			★★★ Wild ('14) Laura Dern, Reese Witherspoon.			Hard Knocks		★★★ Hereditary ('18) Toni Collette.			★★ Immortals ('11) Henry Cavill.				▶	301	502			
HGTV	58	Married to Real Estate		Barbie Dreamhouse		Barbie Dreamhouse		Barbie Dreamhouse		Barbie Dreamhouse		Christina on the Coast		Christina on the Coast		Christina on the Coast		Christina on the Coast		112	229		
HIST	31	Alone "Splintered"			Alone "Rats"			The UnXplained		The UnXplained		The UnXplained		The UnXplained		The UnXplained		The UnXplained		120	269		
LIFE	29	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Beyond the Headlines		Cleveland Abduction ('15) Taryn Manning.				Abducted: The Mary Stauffer Story				Kidnapped: The Hannah Anderson Story				108	252		
MAX	270	⚡★★★ Colossal		★★★ District 9 ('09) Sharlto Copley.		★★★ Winter's Bone ('10) Jennifer Lawrence.		★★ Johnson Family Vacation				★ The Mud Squad Claire Danes.			Harold & Kumar Escape From Guan...▶				310	515			
MMAX	271	⚡★★★ 42		★★ Orphan ('09) Peter Sarsgaard, Vera Farmiga.		★★ The Perfect Score				★★ Moonfall ('22) Patrick Wilson, Halle Berry.				★★ Run All Night ('15) Ed Harris, Liam Neeson.			★★ Anna Sasha Luss.		▶	312	517		
MSNBC	266	The Saturday Show (N)		Velshi (L) (N)		Velshi (L) (N)		Alex Witt Reports (N)		Alex Witt Reports (N)		Yasmin Vossoughian		Yasmin Vossoughian		Symone (L) (N)		PoliticsNation (L) (N)		209	356		
MTV	49	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	MTV Special	▶	160	331		
NEWSN	27	Blue Bloods		Blue Bloods		Blue Bloods		Blue Bloods		Blue Bloods		Blue Bloods		Blue Bloods		Blue Bloods		Blue Bloods		239	307		
NICK	42	★★ Sonic the Hedgehog ('20) Jim Carrey, James Marsden.					SpongeBob		SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	170	299	
PARMT	59	NCIS		NCIS		NCIS		NCIS		★★★ Apollo 13 (1995, History) Bill Paxton, Kevin Bacon, Tom Hanks.							★★★ Air Force One Harrison Ford.				▶	168	241
SHO	221	Bellator MMA 298: Storley vs. Ward							Dead for a Dollar Christoph Waltz.			★★★ Need for Speed ('14) Dominic Cooper, Aaron Paul.				★★★★ Forrest Gump ('94) Tom Hanks.				▶	318	545	
SHO2	222	Movie	★★★ Lady Bird ('17) Saoirse Ronan.			Emily ('22) Fionn Whitehead, Emma Mackey. (P)		★★★ Stop-Loss ('08) Abbie Cornish, Ryan Phillippe.				★★★ The Inspection ('22) Jeremy Pope.				The Untouchables				▶	320	547	
SYFY	54	Resident Alien		Resident Alien		Resident Alien		★ Dolittle ('20) Robert Downey Jr..				★★ The Hitman's Bodyguard ('17) Ryan Reynolds.				★ The Hitman's Wife's Bodyguard▶				122	244		
TBS	34	American	American	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	★★ 17 Again ('09) Leslie Mann, Zac Efron.				★★★ Easy A ('10) Penn Badgley, Emma Stone.			★ Billy Madison ('95) Adam Sandler.				139	247			
TCM	141	⚡ Life & Death of Colonel Blimp			★★★ Quo Vadis (1951, History) Deborah Kerr, Peter Ustinov, Robert Taylor.							★★★ Young Bess ('53) Jean Simmons.			★★★ King Solomon's Mines ('50) Deborah Kerr.			Movie	132	256			
TLC	52	OutDaughtered		OutDaughtered		OutDaughtered		Dr. Pimple Popper		Dr. Pimple Popper		Dr. Pimple Popper		My Strange Addiction		My Strange Addiction		My Strange Addiction		183	280		
TNT	56	NCIS: New Orleans		★★★ Shazam! ('19) Mark Strong, Asher Angel, Zachary Levi.				★★ Suicide Squad ('16) Jared Leto, Margot Robbie, Will Smith.				Birds of Prey (and the Fantabulous Emancipation ...							The Suicide Squad ▶		138	245	
TOON	83	Teen	Looney	Bears	Total	Total	Total	Craig	Craig	Teen Titans Gol	Teen	Teen	Gumball	Gumball	Gumball	Gumball	Gumball	Gumball	Gumball	176	296		
TRAV	46	Mysteries at		Mysteries at		Mysteries at		Mysteries at		Mysteries at		Mysteries at		Mysteries at		Mysteries at		Mysteries at		215	277		
TRUTV	259	Step/Step	Step/Step	Step/Step	Step/Step	Step/Step	Step/Step	Matters	Matters	Matters	Matters	Jokes	Jokes	Jokes	Jokes	Jokes	Jokes	Jokes	Jokes	204	246		
TVLAND	60	Roseanne	Roseanne	Roseanne	Roseanne	Roseanne	Roseanne	Roseanne	Roseanne	Mike	Mike	Mike	Mike	Mike	Mike	Mike	Mike	Mike	Mike	106	304		
USA	55	⚡ 2023 AIG Women's Open Third Round From Walton Heath Golf Club in Surrey, England, United Kingdom. (L) (N)								IndyCar		IndyCar		IndyCar Racing Gallagher Grand Prix (L) (N)				IndyCar		Countdown NASCAR ▶	105	242	
VH1	48	Cheaters	Cheaters	Cheaters	Cheaters	Love & Hip Hop Miami		Cheaters	Cheaters	Cheaters	★★★ 8 Mile ('02) Kim Basinger, Brittany Murphy, Eminem.				★★★ Four Brothers ('05) Mark Wahlberg.				▶	162	335		
WE	140	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	NCIS "Short Fuse"		NCIS		NCIS "Dead Air"		NCIS "Cracked"		NCIS "Broken Arrow"		NCIS "Enemies Foreign"		NCIS		NCIS "False Witness"		128	260		
TMC	351	The Survivalist ('21) John Malkovich.			Operation Odessa Juan Almeida.			★★★ Anvil! The Story of Anvil				★★★ 54 ('98) Ryan Phillippe.			★★★ Street Smart Christopher Reeve.			★★★ Good Time Robert Pattinson.			▶	327	550



# Saturday Best Bets



Matthew Lintz and Iman Vellani in “Ms. Marvel”

## Premier League Soccer

⑨ ⑪ ⑫ 12:30 p.m.

Newcastle United takes on Aston Villa in action from the English Premier League from St. James’ Park in Newcastle upon Tyne in Tyne and Wear, England. Newcastle United holds a large lead in the head-to-head series though they tied in their last matchup.

## 3ICE

② ⑥ ⑦ 1 p.m.

It’s been a season of “overtime all the time,” creating tons of excitement for hockey fans in need of extra adrenaline. The 3-on-3 format has brought the best part of hockey front and center as the season’s two best teams fight for the championship.

## UFC Fight Night: Luque vs. dos Anjos

(ESPN) 7 p.m.

It’s a battle of Brazilians when welterweight Vicente Luque takes on fellow countryman Rafael dos Anjos from the UFC Apex in Las Vegas. Luque has a definitive reach advantage. Women’s strawweights Polyana Viana and Iasmin Lucindo also hail from Brazil.

## A Safari Romance

(HALL) 8 p.m.

Megan Henry (Brittany Bristow), a dedicated biologist, is working on protecting the wildlife in Africa. But she’s forced to team up with theme park designer Tim Ericson (Andrew W. Walker) who wants to create an over-the-top safari attraction.

## Ms. Marvel

④ 10 p.m.

The final three episodes of this miniseries air back-to-back, following as the super Ms. Marvel – aka Kamala (Iman Vellani) – travels the world to solve a mystery tied to her family history. In the final episode, Kamala must fight to save her friends.

# SATURDAY PRIME TIME

C = Comcast S1 = DISH S2 = DIRECTV

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		C	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30	S1	S2				
②	KDKA	2	KDKA-TV News (N)	CBS News	KDKA-TV News (N)		NCIS: Hawai'i "Sudden Death"		Blue Bloods "Family Matters"		48 Hours		News at Eleven (N)	Paid Prog.	▶	2	2			
④	WTAE	4	ABC World News (N)	Action News 4 (N)	Entertainment Tonight (N)		Ms. Marvel "Seeing Red" (N)		Ms. Marvel "Time and Again" (N)		Ms. Marvel "No Normal" (SF) (N)		Action News 4 (N)	Carbonaro	▶	4	4			
⑤	WDTV	5	5 News at 5	CBS News	Entertainment Tonight (N)		NCIS: Hawai'i		Blue Bloods		48 Hours		5 News	Invest.	▶	-	-			
⑦	WTRF	-	News	CBS News	Inside Ed.	Cash	NCIS: Hawai'i		Blue Bloods		48 Hours		7News Week	Paid Prog.		-	-			
⑨	WTOV	-	News 9 at Six (L) (N)	NBC Nightly News (N)	Jeopardy!	Wheel of Fortune	Baking It "Explosive Master Bakes" (N)		America's Got Talent "Auditions 6" A variety of acts audition for the chance to win \$1 million.				News 9 Tonight (N)	Saturday Night Live	▶	-	-			
⑪	WPXI	11	11 News	NBC News	Jeopardy!	Wheel	Baking It (N)		America's Got Talent "Auditions 6"				Channel 11	SNL	▶	11	11			
⑫	WBOY	12	12 News	NBC News	Jeopardy!	Wheel	Baking It (N)		America's Got Talent "Auditions 6"				12 News	SNL	▶	-	-			
⑬	WQED	13	Members' Favorite (N)							Members' Favorite								13	13	
⑫②	WCWB	22	The Liquidator	WalkFit!	Modern Family	Modern Family	Chicago P.D. "Seven Indictments"		Raw Travel	WalkFit!	Bob's Burgers	Bob's Burgers	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.		19	19			
⑫④	WNPB	8	◀ Ireland Made	Lawrence Welk: God Bless America							Before We Die		Doc Martin "S.W.A.L.K"		Austin City Limits "Duran Duran"		-	-		
⑫⑥	WVFX	14	Mom	Mom	MLB Baseball (L) (N)							Sports Gone Wild		Special Forces "Interrogation"		-	-			
⑫③	WPGH	6	Big Bang	Two Men	MLB Baseball (L) (N)							News	Paid Prog.	Special Forces		53	53			
	A&E	43	Neighbor.	Neighbor.	Neighbor.	Neighbor.	Neighbor.	Neighbor.	To Be Announced (P) (N)		Hip Hop Treasures (N)		Neighbor.	Neighbor.	▶	118	265			
	AMC	63	◀ ★★ Weekend at Bernie's ('89) Jonathan Silverman, Terry Kiser, Andrew McCarthy.			★★ National Lampoon's European Vacation (1985, Comedy) Beverly D'Angelo, Dana Hill, Chevy Chase.			★★ National Lampoon's Vacation (1983, Comedy) Beverly D'Angelo, Christie Brinkley, Chevy Chase.			Willy Wonka & the Choc... ▶			130	254				
	ANPL	40	Crikey! It's the Irwins		Crikey! It's the Irwins		Crikey! It's the Irwins		Crikey! It's the Irwins		Crikey! It's the Irwins		Crikey! It's the Irwins		184	282				
	BET	61	◀ ★★ Boomerang ('92) Halle Berry, Eddie Murphy.				★★★ Coming to America (1988, Comedy) Arsenio Hall, John Amos, Eddie Murphy.						★★★ Harlem Nights		▶	875	329			
	BRAVO	57	◀ ★★ Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince				★★★ Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows: Part 1 ('10) Daniel Radcliffe.						Harry Potter & the Deathly ... ▶		129	237				
	AT&TSP	37	Poker Night	Pirates	MLB Baseball		Cincinnati Reds at Pittsburgh Pirates From PNC Park in Pittsburgh. (L) (N)					Postgame	Baseball	MLB Baseball		▶	-	-		
	CMT	82	◀ ★★ Ferris Bueller's Day Off			★★★ The Breakfast Club ('85) Emilio Estevez.			★★★ Dazed and Confused ('93) Wiley Wiggins, Jason London.						166	327				
	CNBC	45	Undercover Boss "Maaco"		Undercover Boss		Undercover Boss		Undercover Boss		Undercover Boss		Undercover		208	355				
	CNN	32	CNN Newsroom (N)		CNN Newsroom (N)		CNN Special Program		CNN Special Program		CNN Special Program		CNN Special Program		200	202				
	COM	51	★★★ Ted (2012, Comedy) Mila Kunis, Seth MacFarlane, Mark Wahlberg.				★★ Ted 2 ('15, Com) Seth MacFarlane, Amanda Seyfried, Mark Wahlberg.				★★★ Superbad Jonah Hill. ▶				107	249				
	CSN	-	MLB Baseball Minnesota Twins at Philadelphia Phillies (L) (N)							Phil. Postgame (L) (N)		Eagles Postgame Live (N)		MLB Baseball		▶	424	642		
	DISC	53	Expedition Unknown "The Quest for El Dorado"		Expedition Unknown		Expedition Unknown "Finding Italy's Lost Empire"		Expedition Unknown		Expedition Unknown		Expedition Unknown		182	278				
	DISN	41	Big City Greens	Big City Greens	Big City Greens	Summer Shortstacular	★★★ Finding Dory ('16, Ani) Albert Brooks, Ed O'Neill, Ellen DeGeneres.			Hailey's on It!	Big City Greens	Summer Shortstacular	Molly McGee	Miraculous: Ladybug	172	290				
	EI	98	Shark Tank		Shark Tank		★★ Twilight ('08, Rom) Robert Pattinson, Billy Burke, Kristen Stewart.				★★ The Twilight Saga: New Moon				▶	114	236			
	ESPN	35	◀ UFC Prelims (L) (N)		UFC Fight Night: Luque vs. dos Anjos (L) (N)							Boxing Top Rank Boxing: Navarrete vs. Valdez (L) (N)						140	206	
	ESPN2	36	◀ LLS World Series		Premier Lacrosse Atlas LC vs. Waterdogs LC (L) (N)							30 for 30 Jeanette Lee Vs.		E60	SportsCenter (L) (N)		144	209		
	EWTN	265	The Miracle	Salvation	Daily Mass: Olam		Two Crowns		Rosary		Mary of Nazareth "Part 1"			EWTN Book		261	370			
	FLIX	235	★★★ Road to Perdition ('02) Paul Newman, Tom Hanks.			★★ The Peacemaker ('97) George Clooney.							★★★ The Manchurian Candidate Denzel Washington. ▶				333	557		
	FNC	33	Fox Report (L) (N)		The Big Weekend Show (N)		One Nation (N)		Lawrence Jones (L) (N)		FOX Saturday (L) (N)		Gutfeld!			205	360			
	FOOD	39	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	110	231			
	Freeform	50	◀ ★★ Pitch Perfect ('12) Skylar Astin, Anna Kendrick.				★★ Pitch Perfect 2 (2015, Musical) Rebel Wilson, Hailee Steinfeld, Anna Kendrick.				★★ Pitch Perfect 3				▶	180	311			
	FX	47	◀ ★★ Bumblebee ('18) John Cena, Hailee Steinfeld.				★★★ Jumanji: Welcome to the Jungle ('17) Dwayne Johnson.				★★ Night School ('18) Kevin Hart.						▶	136	248	
	GOLF	38	PGA Champions Boeing Classic, Second Round (L) (N)				Golf Central (L) (N)		PGA Tour Golf FedEx St. Jude Championship, Third Round								▶	401	218	
	HALL	255	Love's Greek to Me ('23) Torrey DeVitto.				A Safari Romance ('23) Brittany Bristow. (P)				Royal Matchmaker ('18) Will Kemp, Bethany Joy Lenz.				▶		185	312		
	HBO	201	◀ ★★ Live Free or Die Hard ('07) Bruce Willis.				★★★ The Bourne Ultimatum ('07) Matt Damon.				Winning Time		John Wilson		Mexican	▶	300	501		
	HBO2	202	◀ Immortals	★★★ Kingsman: The Secret Service ('14) Michael Caine, Colin Firth.					★★ Empire of Light ('22) Micheal Ward, Olivia Colman.		★★★ I Love You, Man				▶	301	502			
	HGTV	58	Christina on the Coast		Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	Vacation House Rules		House Hunters (N)		Hunters	Hunters	112	229				
	HIST	31	The UnXplained		The UnXplained							The UnXplained		The UnXplained		▶	120	269		
	LIFE	29	The Girl Who Escaped: The Kara Robinson Story				Abducted by My Teacher: The Elizabeth Thomas Story						Eliz. Thomas (N)		Abducted by My Teacher: ... ▶		108	252		
	MAX	270	★ Tammy ('14) Susan Sarandon, Melissa McCarthy.				★ Father Figures ('17) Ed Helms.				★★★ Dodgeball: A True Underdog Story Vince Vaughn.				Full Monty ▶		310	515		
	MMAX	271	◀ ★★ Anna ('19) Sasha Luss.		★★★ The Ring Two ('05) Simon Baker, Naomi Watts.			★★★ Hellboy ('04) John Hurt, Selma Blair, Ron Perlman.			The Man From U.N.C.L.E. ▶				312	517				
	MSNBC	266	American Voices (L) (N)		American Voices (L) (N)		Ayman (L) (N)		Ayman (L) (N)		American Voices		Ayman		209	356				
	MTV	49	◀ MTV Special		MTV Special							★★ Central Intelligence ('16) Kevin Hart, Amy Ryan, Dwayne Johnson.						160	331	
	NEWSN	27	Blue Bloods		NewsNation Prime (L) (N)		NewsNation Prime (L) (N)		NewsNation Prime (L) (N)		NewsNation Prime		NewsNation Prime		239	307				
	NICK	42	SpongeBob SquarePants		★★ Dr. Seuss' the Lorax ('12) Danny DeVito.				Friends		Friends		Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	170	299		
	PARMT	59	◀ ★★ Air Force One ('97) Harrison Ford.				Movie		★★★ Air Force One ('97) Gary Oldman, Harrison Ford.							▶		168	241	
	SHO	221	Movie		★★ Devotion ('22, Dra) Glen Powell, Christina Jackson, Jonathan Majors.							Boxing						▶	318	545
	SHO2	222	◀ ★★ The Untouchables		★★★ Fatal Attraction ('87) Glenn Close, Michael Douglas.			All Up in the Biz (2023, Documentary) (P)			The Chi "New Chi City"			Panama		▶	320	547		
	SYFY	54	Movie		★★★ Bill & Ted's Excellent Adventure Keanu Reeves.			★★ Bill & Ted's Bogus Journey ('91) Keanu Reeves.			★★★ Bill & Ted Face the Music (P)					▶	122	244		
	TBS	34	★★ Happy Gilmore ('96) Adam Sandler.				Burgers	Burgers	Burgers	Burgers	Burgers	Miracle	★★★ Dumb & Dumber				▶	139	247	
	TCM	141	◀ ★★ The Sundowners ('60) Deborah Kerr.				★★★ Heaven Knows, Mr. Allison ('57) Deborah Kerr.				★★★ Black Narcissus ('47) Sabu, Deborah Kerr.						132	256		
	TLC	52	90 Day: Other		90 Day: Other		90 Day Fiancé: The Other Way (N)				90 Day Fiancé: The Other Way (N)						183	280		
	TNT	56	◀ ★★ The Suicide Squad ('21) Margot Robbie.				All Elite Wrestling: Collision (N)				★★★ The Suicide Squad ('21) Idris Elba, Margot Robbie.				▶		138	245		
	TOON	83	Movie		Gumball	King/Hill	King/Hill	King/Hill	Rick	Rick	American	American	American	American	176	296				
	TRAV	46	Mysteries at the Museum		Mysteries at the Museum		Mysteries at the Museum		Buckingham Palace		Smithsonian		Mysteries at the Museum		215	277				
	TRUTV	259	Tacoma FD		American	American	American	American	American	American	Jokes	Jokes	Tacoma FD		Jokes	204	246			
	TVLAND	60	Mike		Mike	Mike	Mike	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	King	King	106	304				
	USA	55	◀ NASCAR Pennzoil 150 presented by Advance Auto Parts				Post Race		Chicago P.D. "8:30 PM"		Chicago P.D. "My Way"		Chicago P.D. "The Docks"		Chicago	▶	105	242		
	VH1	48	Movie		★★ Shooter (2007, Action) Michael Peña, Danny Glover, Mark Wahlberg.			★ Obsessed (2009, Thriller) Beyoncé Knowles, Ali Larter, Idris Elba.			Movie				162	335				
	WE	140	NCIS "Ships in the Night"		NCIS "Recruited"		NCIS "Freedom"		NCIS		NCIS "Defiance"		NCIS "Kill Screen"		128	260				
	TMC	351	◀ Good Time		The Survivalist ('21) John Malkovich.		V for Vengeance ('22) Jocelyn Hudon.			Aquarium of the Dead ('21) Vivica A. Fox.			Jackass Presents: Bad Gran... ▶		327	554				



Movie Zone

SUNDAY

**8 a.m.** (TBS) **Back to the Future** ★★★ (Com, '85) Michael J. Fox, Christopher Lloyd. Teen (Michael J. Fox) goes to 1955 in crackpot's (Christopher Lloyd) DeLorean time machine. (2h30)

**8:30 a.m.** (AMC) **Contagion** ★★★ (Thrill, '11) Marion Cotillard, Matt Damon. Around the world, doctors race to find a cure for a rapidly spreading virus that kills within days. (2h30)

**(SYFY) The Gift** ★★★ (Thrill, '15) Jason Bateman, Rebecca Hall. A horrifying secret emerges when a married couple encounter an acquaintance from the man's past. (2h27)

**8:50 a.m.** (FLIX) **Searching for Bobby Fischer** ★★★ (Dra, '93) Joe Mantegna, Max Pomeranc. A boy (Max Pomeranc) becomes a world-class chess prodigy at age seven. (1h50)

**9 a.m.** (NETCK) **The Secret Life of Pets** ★★★ (Ani, '16) Voices of Louis C.K., Eric Stonestreet. A terrier and his canine pal encounter a rebellious bunny and his gang of abandoned pets. (2h)

**9:05 a.m.** (TMC) **Pride** ★★★ (Com.-Dra, '14) Bill Nighy, Imelda Staunton. Gays and lesbians from London lend their support to striking coal miners in 1984 Wales. (2h10)

**9:25 a.m.** (SHD) **The Inspection** ★★★ (Dra, '22) Jeremy Pope, Raúl Castillo. A young gay man finds unexpected strength, camaraderie and support after he joins the Marines. (1h35)

**10 a.m.** (Freeform) **Sing** ★★★ (Ani, '16) Voices of Matthew McConaughey, Reese Witherspoon. A pig, a mouse, a porcupine, a gorilla, an elephant and other animals enter a singing competition. (2h35)

**10:30 a.m.** (TBS) **Back to the Future Part II** ★★★ (Com, '89) Michael J. Fox, Christopher Lloyd. Young man (Michael J. Fox) and an inventor (Christopher Lloyd) take a time machine to 2015. (2h30)

**10:45 a.m.** (TCM) **The Catered Affair** ★★★ (Com.-Dra, '56) Bette Davis, Ernest Borgnine. An Irish cabby in the Bronx watches his wife go overboard planning their daughter's wedding. (1h45)

**11 a.m.** (AMC) **Twister** ★★★ (Act, '96) Helen Hunt, Bill Paxton. Storm-chasers (Helen Hunt, Bill Paxton) follow tornadoses in Oklahoma. (2h30)

**11:15 a.m.** (TMC) **Bridge of Spies** ★★★ (Hist, '15) Tom Hanks, Mark Rylance. Lawyer James Donovan tries to negotiate a prisoner exchange for captured pilot Francis Gary Powers. (2h30)

**11:30 a.m.** (E) **Do the Right Thing** ★★★ (Dra, '89) Danny Aiello, Ossie Davis. A race riot starts at Sal's (Danny Aiello) pizza parlor on a hot day in Brooklyn. (2h30)

**Noon** (CMT) **The Karate Kid** ★★★ (Dra, '84) Ralph Macchio, Pat Morita. Bullied teen (Ralph Macchio) learns karate from handyman Mr. Miyagi (Noriyuki "Pat" Morita). (3h)

**(COM) The 40-Year-Old Virgin** ★★★ (Rom, '05) Steve Carell, Catherine Keener. Three co-workers unite to help their buddy's (Steve Carell) sex life. (2h30)

**(FX) Logan** ★★★ (Act, '17) Hugh Jackman, Patrick Stewart. A weary Logan cares for an ailing Professor X while protecting a young mutant girl from dark forces. (3h)

**(TNT) Jurassic Park** ★★★ (Adv, '93) Sam Neill, Laura Dern. Scientists (Sam Neill, Laura Dern, Jeff Goldblum) visit a park of DNA-regenerated dinosaurs. (2h45)

**12:35 p.m.** (Freeform) **How to Train Your Dragon: The Hidden World** ★★★ (Ani, '19) Voices of Jay Baruchel, America Ferrera. Hiccup and Toothless journey to a hidden world to discover their true destinies as dragon and rider. (2h30)

**1 p.m.** (TBS) **Back to the Future Part III** ★★★ (Com, '90) Michael J. Fox, Christopher Lloyd. A young man (Michael J. Fox) and an inventor (Christopher Lloyd) visit the Old West. (2h30)

**1:30 p.m.** (AMC) **Speed** ★★★ (Act, '94) Keanu Reeves, Dennis Hopper. A SWAT team ace (Keanu Reeves) must save a bus from a madman's (Dennis Hopper) bomb. (2h30)

**1:45 p.m.** (TMC) **The Manchurian Candidate** ★★★ (Thrill, '04) Denzel Washington, Meryl Streep. A Gulf War vet (Denzel Washington) is

suspicious of a political candidate (Liev Schreiber). (2h15)

**2 p.m.** (HBO) **Edge of Tomorrow** ★★★ (Sci-Fi, '14) Tom Cruise, Emily Blunt. Caught in a time loop, a soldier (Tom Cruise) repeatedly relives the battle in which he died. (1h55)

**2:05 p.m.** (MAX) **Gone Girl** ★★★ (Mys, '14) Ben Affleck, Rosamund Pike. The husband (Ben Affleck) of a missing woman becomes the chief suspect in her disappearance. (2h30)

**(SHD) Pearl** ★★★ (Hor, '22) Mia Goth, David Corenswet. Pearl, trapped on a farm with her controlling parents, longs to escape and get her revenge. (1h45)

**2:15 p.m.** (TCM) **The Unsinkable Molly Brown** ★★★ ('64) Debbie Reynolds, Harve Presnell. A woman (Debbie Reynolds) enters society after her husband (Harve Presnell) hits gold. (2h15)

**3 p.m.** (VHT) **The Italian Job** ★★★ (Thrill, '03) Mark Wahlberg, Charlize Theron. A thief (Mark Wahlberg) and his crew plan to steal back their gold. (2h30)

**3:05 p.m.** (Freeform) **Matilda** ★★★ (Child, '96) Mara Wilson, Danny DeVito. Neglected girl (Mara Wilson) develops extraordinary mental abilities. (2h05)

**3:30 p.m.** (TBS) **Back to the Future** ★★★ (Com, '85) Michael J. Fox, Christopher Lloyd. See 8:00 AM (2h30)

**3:55 p.m.** (HBO) **Live Free or Die Hard** ★★★ (Act, '07) Bruce Willis, Justin Long. A digital villain attacks the computer infrastructure of the United States. (2h10)

**4 p.m.** (AMC) **John Wick** ★★★ (Act, '14) Keanu Reeves, Michael Nyqvist. An ex-hitman (Keanu Reeves) comes out of retirement to hunt down the mobsters who ruined his life. (2h15)

**(TMC) Logan Lucky** ★★★ (Com, '17) Channing Tatum, Adam Driver. Three siblings team up with a demolition expert to steal money from the Charlotte Motor Speedway. (2h)

**4:30 p.m.** (BET) **The Help** ★★★ (Dra, '11) Viola Davis, Emma Stone. An aspiring writer turns her 1960s Mississippi town on its ear by interviewing Black women. (3h30)

**5 p.m.** (53) **The Hero** ★★★ (Dra, '17) Sam Elliott, Laura Prepon. An ailing actor tries to reconcile with his estranged daughter while pursuing a romantic interest. (2h)

**(COM) Wedding Crashers** ★★★ (Com, '05) Owen Wilson, Vince Vaughn. Partygoers (Owen Wilson, Vince Vaughn) spend a wild weekend with a politician's family. (2h30)

**5:30 p.m.** (FX) **Deadpool** ★★★ (Act, '16) Ryan Reynolds, Morena Baccarin. Armed with accelerated healing powers, Deadpool hunts down the man who nearly destroyed his life. (2h30)

**6 p.m.** (TCM) **Singin' in the Rain** ★★★ (Mus, '52) Gene Kelly, Debbie Reynolds. A silent-film star (Gene Kelly) loves a chorus girl (Debbie Reynolds). (2h)

**(TMC) Full Metal Jacket** ★★★ (War, '87) Matthew Modine, Adam Baldwin. A Marine and his companions endure basic training under a sadistic drill sergeant. (2h)

**6:15 p.m.** (AMC) **John Wick: Chapter 2** ★★★ (Act, '17) Keanu Reeves, Common. Legendary hit man John Wick squares off against some of the world's deadliest killers in Rome. (2h45)

**6:25 p.m.** (MAX) **Dodgeball: A True Underdog Story** ★★★ (Com, '04) Vince Vaughn, Christine Taylor. Dodgeball teams (Vince Vaughn, Christine Taylor, Ben Stiller) compete for \$50,000 in Las Vegas. (1h33)

**6:40 p.m.** (HBO) **Dawn of the Planet of the Apes** ★★★ (Sci-Fi, '14) Andy Serkis, Jason Clarke. Caesar's genetically evolved apes and the human survivors of a deadly virus battle for supremacy. (2h20)

**7 p.m.** (SHD2) **The Aviator** ★★★ (Hist, '04) Leonardo DiCaprio, Cate Blanchett. Howard Hughes (Leonardo DiCaprio) produces movies and flies airplanes. (2h50)

**8 p.m.** (FLIX) **Muriel's Wedding** ★★★ (Rom, '94) Toni Collette, Bill Hunter. An Australian social outcast (Toni Collette) gains validation. (1h50)

**(FX) Deadpool 2** ★★★ (Act, '18) Ryan Reynolds, Josh Brolin. Wisecracking mercenary Deadpool joins forces with a team of mutants to fight the all-powerful Cable. (2h30)

**(TCM) The Tender Trap** ★★★ (Com, '55) Debbie Reynolds, Frank Sinatra. Actress (Debbie Reynolds) flirts demurely with swinging Manhattan bachelor (Frank Sinatra). (2h)

**(VHT) Straight Outta Compton** ★★★ (Dra, '15) O'Shea Jackson Jr., Corey Hawkins. N.W.A revolutionizes music and pop culture with their depiction of life in Southern Los Angeles. (3h30)

**9 p.m.** (TBS) **Avengers: Age of Ultron** ★★★ (Act, '15) Robert Downey Jr., Chris Hemsworth. Things go awry when Tony Stark tries to jump-start a dormant peacekeeping program. (3h)

**9:20 p.m.** (Freeform) **Jumanji: Welcome to the Jungle** ★★★ (Adv, '17) Dwayne Johnson, Kevin Hart. Four teens find adventure as adults inside a video game that transports them to the jungle. (2h40)

**9:30 p.m.** (CMT) **The Karate Kid** ★★★ (Dra, '84) Ralph Macchio, Pat Morita. See 12:00 PM (3h)



**9:50 p.m.** (SHD2) **The Untouchables** ★★★★★ (Cri, '87) Kevin Costner, Sean Connery. Eliot Ness (Kevin Costner) and men fight Al Capone (Robert De Niro) in Chicago. (2h)

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**8:25 a.m.** (MAX) **Garden State** ★★★ (Com, '04) Zach Braff, Ian Holm. A disaffected actor (Zach Braff) finds a soulmate in a quirky woman. (1h43)

**(FLIX) Witness** ★★★ (Cri, '85) Harrison Ford, Kelly McGillis. Hunted detective (Harrison Ford) moves in with Amish widow (Kelly McGillis) and her son. (2h)

**8:40 a.m.** (HBO2) **Whip It** ★★★ (Com.-Dra, '09) Ellen Page, Marcia Gay Harden. A rebellious teenager from small-town Texas joins a roller-derby team in Austin. (1h55)

**10:25 a.m.** (FLIX) **Moonlight and Valentino** ★★★★★ (Com.-Dra, '95) Elizabeth Perkins, Whoopi Goldberg. Insecurities are exposed when a friend, a sister and an ex-stepmother help a widow get on with life. (1h50)

**10:30 a.m.** (TCM) **The Naked Spur** ★★★ (Wes, '53) James Stewart, Janet Leigh. A bounty hunter (James Stewart) has a rival for an outlaw's daughter (Janet Leigh). (1h45)

**10:35 a.m.** (HBO2) **The Verdict** ★★★ (Dra, '82) Paul Newman, Charlotte Rampling. A boozing Boston lawyer (Paul Newman) fights a law-firm dean (James Mason). (2h10)

**11:10 a.m.** (TMC) **Anvil! The Story of Anvil** ★★★★★ (Doc, '08) Steve "Lips" Kudlow, Robb Reiner. Canadian rockers pursue their music dreams despite a lack of big-time success. (1h20)

**Noon** (SHD) **Uncut Gems** ★★★★★ (Thrill, '19) Adam Sandler, LaKeith Stanfield. A jeweler must balance business, family and adversaries on all sides after making a high-stakes bet. (2h15)

**(SHD2) Indiana Jones and the Raiders of the Lost Ark** ★★★★★ (Adv, '81) Harrison Ford, Karen Allen. Indiana Jones (Harrison Ford) braves snakes and Nazis to find the biblical ark of the covenant. (2h)

**(MAX) The Legend of Baggar Vance** ★★★★★ (Dra, '00) Will Smith, Matt Damon. A golf caddy (Will Smith) helps a disillusioned young war veteran (Matt Damon). (2h07)

**12:30 p.m.** (FX) **The Rock** ★★★ (Act, '96) Sean Connery, Nicolas Cage. Escapee (Sean Connery)

leads Navy SEALs to rebel soldiers on Alcatraz. (3h)

**1:15 p.m.** (AMC) **First Blood** ★★★ (Act, '82) Sylvester Stallone, Richard Crenna. Rambo (Sylvester Stallone) takes on sheriff (Brian Dennehy) and National Guard. (2h)

**2 p.m.** (SHD2) **Indiana Jones and the Temple of Doom** ★★★ (Adv, '84) Harrison Ford, Kate Capshaw. Jones (Harrison Ford), a singer (Kate Capshaw) and an orphan (Ke Huy Quan) look for missing stones. (2h)

**2:25 p.m.** (HBO2) **The Conjuring** ★★★ (Hor, '13) Vera Farmiga, Patrick Wilson. Paranormal investigators (Vera Farmiga, Patrick Wilson) confront a powerful demonic entity. (1h55)

**(MMAX) (500) Days of Summer** ★★★ (Rom, '09) Joseph Gordon-Levitt, Zooey Deschanel. After his lover dumps him, a writer tries to figure out where their relationship went wrong. (1h36)

**3:15 p.m.** (AMC) **John Wick: Chapter 2** ★★★ (Act, '17) Keanu Reeves, Common. See Sunday at 6:15 PM (2h45)

**4 p.m.** (HBO) **Night Catches Us** ★★★ (Dra, '10) Anthony Mackie, Kerry Washington. A former Black Panther faces enmity from family and neighbors when he returns home for a funeral. (1h35)

**(SHD2) Indiana Jones and the Last Crusade** ★★★★★ (Adv, '89) Harrison Ford, Sean Connery. Jones (Harrison Ford) and his father (Sean Connery) race Nazis to the Holy Grail. (2h10)

**4:20 p.m.** (HBO2) **The Lobster** ★★★★★ (Fan, '15) Colin Farrell, Rachel Weisz. Single people must find a mate within 45 days or be transformed into an animal of their choice. (2h)

**4:30 p.m.** (SHD) **Forrest Gump** ★★★★★ (Com.-Dra, '94) Tom Hanks, Robin Wright Penn. An innocent man (Tom Hanks) enters history from the '50s to the '90s. (2h30)

**5:30 p.m.** (Freeform) **Jumanji: Welcome to the Jungle** ★★★★★ (Adv, '17) Dwayne Johnson, Kevin Hart. See Sunday at 9:20 PM (2h30)

**5:35 p.m.** (HBO) **Good Will Hunting** ★★★ (Dra, '97) Matt Damon, Robin Williams. A therapist (Robin Williams) counsels a janitor (Matt Damon) with a genius IQ. (2h10)

**5:45 p.m.** (TCM) **Billy Budd** ★★★ (Dra, '62) Robert Ryan, Terence Stamp. Melville's sailor hero (Terence Stamp) opposes Claggart (Robert Ryan), the cruel master-at-arms. (2h15)

**6 p.m.** (AMC) **John Wick: Chapter 3 -- Parabellum** ★★★★★ (Act, '19) Keanu Reeves, Halle Berry. Hit man John Wick fights for his life when he becomes the target of the world's top assassins. (3h)

**(FLIX) Fatal Attraction** ★★★ (Thrill, '87) Michael Douglas, Glenn Close. A lawyer (Michael Douglas) with a wife (Anne Archer) sleeps with a twisted client (Glenn Close). (2h)

**(TMC) Up in the Air** ★★★ (Com.-Dra, '09) George Clooney, Vera Farmiga. A corporate downsizing specialist faces an end to life on the road as he nears a travel milestone. (2h)

**6:20 p.m.** (HBO2) **The Descent** ★★★★★ (Hor, '05) Shauna Macdonald, Natalie Mendoza. Cave explorers (Shauna Macdonald, Natalie Mendoza, Alex Reid) encounter underground predators. (1h40)

**7:15 p.m.** (MMAX) **Music From Another Room** ★★★★★ (Rom, '98) Jude Law, Gretchen Mol. A

man (Jude Law) feels fated to marry an engaged woman (Gretchen Mol). (1h45)

**7:30 p.m.** (FX) **Thor** ★★★ (Act, '11) Chris Hemsworth, Natalie Portman. After his reckless actions reignite an ancient war, the Norse god is banished to Earth. (2h30)

**7:45 p.m.** (HBO) **X-Men: Days of Future Past** ★★★★★ (Act, '14) Hugh Jackman, James McAvoy. The X-Men join forces with their earlier selves to change a pivotal historical event. (2h15)

**8 p.m.** (DISN) **Incredibles 2** ★★★★★ (Ani, '18) Voices of Craig T. Nelson, Holly Hunter. Elastigirl battles a mad criminal, while Mr. Incredible stays home and takes care of three children. (2h05)

**(TNT) Avengers: Age of Ultron** ★★★★★ (Act, '15) Robert Downey Jr., Chris Hemsworth. See Sunday at 9:00 PM (3h)

**(TMC) Emma** ★★★★★ (Rom, '96) Gwyneth Paltrow, Jeremy Northam. In the 1800s, a matchmaker's (Gwyneth Paltrow) machinations prove disastrous. (2h)

**9 p.m.** (SYFY) **I Am Legend** ★★★ (Sci-Fi, '07) Will Smith, Alice Braga. Vampires created by a man-made plague surround a lone survivor as he searches for a cure. (2h)

**(AMC) John Wick: Chapter 3 -- Parabellum** ★★★★★ (Act, '19) Keanu Reeves, Halle Berry. See 6:00 PM (3h)

**(MMAX) Edward Scissorhands** ★★★★★ (Fan, '90) Johnny Depp, Winona Ryder. A deceased inventor's creation becomes a celebrity when a cheery suburbanite brings him home. (1h45)

**9:45 p.m.** (TCM) **The Set-Up** ★★★ (Dra, '49) Robert Ryan, Audrey Totter. Aging boxer (Robert Ryan) leaves his wife (Audrey Totter), enters a fixed fight. (1h30)

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**9:20 a.m.** (HBO2) **The Artist** ★★★★★ (Dra, '11) Jean Dujardin, B  r  nice Bejo. The use of sound in cinema affects two silent-film stars in different ways. (1h45)

**9:45 a.m.** (TCM) **The King and the Chorus Girl** ★★★★★ ('37) Fernand Gravey, Joan Blondell. A bored ex-king (Fernand Gravey) in Paris meets an American (Joan Blondell) in the Folies Berg  re. (1h45)

**10 a.m.** (HBO) **Walk the Line** ★★★★★ (Hist, '05) Joaquin Phoenix, Reese Witherspoon. The story of music legends Johnny Cash (Joaquin Phoenix) and June Carter Cash (Reese Witherspoon). (2h20)

**10:05 a.m.** (MAX) **Signs** ★★★★★ (Thrill, '02) Mel Gibson, Joaquin Phoenix. A widower (Mel Gibson) investigates huge circles in his crop fields. (1h47)

**10:50 a.m.** (FLIX) **My Girl** ★★★ (Child, '91) Anna Chlumsky, Macaulay Culkin. Undertaker's (Dan Aykroyd) daughter (Anna Chlumsky) meets boy (Macaulay Culkin) in summer of '72. (1h45)

**11 a.m.** (FX) **Spider-Man** ★★★★★ (Act, '02) Tobey Maguire, Willem Dafoe. Peter Parker (Tobey Maguire) battles his archenemy, the Green Goblin (Willem Dafoe). (2h30)

**11:05 a.m.** (HBO2) **Strange Days** ★★★★★ (Thrill, '95) Ralph Fiennes, Angela Bassett. A black-marketeer (Ralph Fiennes) tries to save a woman (Juliette Lewis). (2h25)

**11:35 a.m.** (SHD2) **1917** ★★★★★ (War, '19) George MacKay, Dean-Charles Chapman. Two British soldiers cross over into enemy territory to save 1,600 comrades during World War I. (2h)

**12:05 p.m.** (SHD) **The Last Boy Scout** ★★★★★ (Act, '91) Bruce Willis, Damon Wayans. Private eye (Bruce Willis) and ex-quarterback (Damon Wayans) team up on dirty case. (1h55)

**1:30 p.m.** (FX) **Spider-Man 2** ★★★★★ (Act, '04) Tobey Maguire, Kirsten Dunst. Peter Parker (Tobey Maguire) fights a man who has mechanical tentacles. (3h)

**(HBO2) Downton Abbey** ★★★★★ (Dra, '19) Hugh Bonneville, Jim Carter. The Crawleys and their intrepid staff prepare for a royal visit from the king and queen of England. (2h05)

**1:35 p.m.** (SHD2) **Bill & Ted's Excellent Adventure** ★★★★★ (Com, '89) Keanu Reeves, Alex Winter. Dopey dudes (Keanu Reeves, Alex Winter) time-travel to fetch celebrities for a school project. (1h35)



# Movie Zone

**2 p.m.** (AMC) **Face/Off** ★★★ (Act, '97) John Travolta, Nicolas Cage. An FBI agent (John Travolta) and his nemesis (Nicolas Cage) trade physical identities. (3h)

(SHO) **Minority Report** ★★★ (Sci-Fi, '02) Tom Cruise, Colin Farrell. A cop (Tom Cruise) tries to establish his innocence in a future crime. (2h30)

**3:35 p.m.** (HBO2) **Milk** ★★★★★ (Dra, '08) Sean Penn, Emile Hirsch. The life story of Harvey Milk (Sean Penn), an openly gay elected official in 1970s San Francisco. (2h10)

**4:05 p.m.** (FLIX) **Breakdown** ★★★ (Thrill, '97) Kurt Russell, J.T. Walsh. A man's (Kurt Russell) wife (Kathleen Quinlan) disappears in the desert Southwest. (1h40)

**5 p.m.** (AMC) **Patriots Day** ★★★ (Thrill, '16) Mark Wahlberg, Kevin Bacon. A citywide manhunt begins when two bombs explode during the Boston Marathon on April 15, 2013. (3h)

**5:30 p.m.** (SYFY) **I Am Legend** ★★★ (Sci-Fi, '07) Will Smith, Alice Braga. See Monday at 9:00 PM (2h)

**5:45 p.m.** (FLIX) **Mississippi Burning** ★★★ (Mys, '88) Gene Hackman, Willem Dafoe. FBI agents (Gene Hackman, Willem Dafoe) investigate the 1964 slaying of three civil-rights workers. (2h15)

**5:55 p.m.** (MAX) **A Most Violent Year** ★★★ (Thrill, '14) Oscar Isaac, Jessica Chastain. In 1981 New York, violence, corruption and decay threaten to destroy a fuel supplier's business. (2h05)

**6:15 p.m.** (SHO) **Pearl** ★★★★★ (Hor, '22) Mia Goth, David Corenswet. See Sunday at 2:05 PM (1h45)

**7 p.m.** (SHO2) **Forrest Gump** ★★★★★ (Com.-Dra, '94) Tom Hanks, Robin Wright Penn. See Monday at 4:30 PM (2h30)

**7:30 p.m.** (FX) **Captain America: The First Avenger** ★★★ (Act, '11) Chris Evans, Hayley Atwell. An experimental program turns Steve Rogers into the supersoldier known as Captain America. (2h30)

**8 p.m.** (AMC) **Hacksaw Ridge** ★★★ (War, '16) Andrew Garfield, Sam Worthington. U.S. Army medic Desmond Doss (Andrew Garfield) saves 75 men during World War II's Battle of Okinawa. (3h)

(FLIX) **The Talented Mr. Ripley** ★★★ (Thrill, '99) Matt Damon, Gwyneth Paltrow. One young man (Matt Damon) begins to assume the identity of another (Jude Law). (2h30)

(HBO2) **Dawn of the Planet of the Apes** ★★★ (Sci-Fi, '14) Andy Serkis, Jason Clarke. See Sunday at 6:40 PM (2h10)

(MAX) **Winter's Bone** ★★★ (Dra, '10) Jennifer Lawrence, John Hawkes. Facing the loss of her home if she fails, a teen sets out on a dangerous quest to find her father. (1h40)

(TCM) **Gold Diggers of 1933** ★★★ (Mus, '33) Joan Blondell, Ruby Keeler. A songwriter's (Dick Powell) check puts chorus girls (Joan Blondell, Ruby Keeler) to work. (2h)

(TNT) **Knives Out** ★★★ (Mys, '19) Daniel Craig, Chris Evans. A detective sifts through a web of lies while questioning a dead novelist's dysfunctional family. (2h45)

(TMC) **Bodies Bodies Bodies** ★★★ (Hor, '22) Amandla Stenberg, Maria Bakalova. Stranded at a remote mansion, a group of 20-somethings play a party game that goes very, very wrong. (1h35)

**9:30 p.m.** (SHO2) **The Fabelmans** ★★★ (Dra, '22) Michelle Williams, Paul Dano. Young Sammy Fabelman falls in love with filmmaking after watching "The Greatest Show on Earth." (2h30)

**9:35 p.m.** (TMC) **Better Watch Out** ★★★ (Hor, '16) Levi Miller, Olivia DeJonge. A baby sitter must defend herself and a 12-year-old boy when intruders invade a suburban home. (1h30)

**9:45 p.m.** (SHO) **X** ★★★★★ (Hor, '22) Mia Goth, Jenna Ortega. Actors making an adult film in rural Texas find themselves in a desperate fight for their lives. (1h50)

**10 p.m.** (TRUTV) **Sausage Party** ★★★ (Ani, '16) Voices of Seth Rogen, Kristen Wiig. Frank (Seth Rogen) the sausage and his supermarket pals try to save themselves from becoming a meal. (1h45)

## WEDNESDAY

**8:15 a.m.** (TCM) **The Emperor Jones** ★★★ (Dra, '33) Paul Robeson, Dudley Digges. Fugitive railroad porter (Paul Robeson) becomes king of Caribbean island. (1h30)

**8:30 a.m.** (FX) **Spider-Man** ★★★ (Act, '02) Tobey Maguire, Willem Dafoe. See Tuesday at 11:00 AM (2h30)

**9:20 a.m.** (MAX) **Never Say Never Again** ★★★ (Act, '83) Sean Connery, Klaus Maria Brandauer. Aging agent 007 (Sean Connery) seeks hijacked warheads and finds SPECTRE's Largo and Fatima Blush. (2h15)

**9:45 a.m.** (SHO2) **Marcel the Shell With Shoes On** ★★★ (Com, '21) Voices of Jenny Slate, Isabella Rossellini. A viral film brings a 1-inch-tall shell millions of fans and new hope of reuniting with his family. (1h30)

**10:45 a.m.** (FLIX) **Bounce** ★★★ (Rom, '00) Gwyneth Paltrow, Ben Affleck. An ad executive (Ben Affleck) falls in love with a young widow (Gwyneth Paltrow). (1h50)

**10:50 a.m.** (HBO2) **Good Will Hunting** ★★★ (Dra, '97) Matt Damon, Robin Williams. See Monday at 5:35 PM (2h10)

**11 a.m.** (AMC) **The Hurt Locker** ★★★ (War, '08) Jeremy Renner, Anthony Mackie. Members (Jeremy Renner, Anthony Mackie) of an elite bomb squad pull hazardous duty in Iraq. (3h)

(FX) **Spider-Man 2** ★★★ (Act, '04) Tobey Maguire, Kirsten Dunst. See Tuesday at 1:30 PM (3h)

**11:25 a.m.** (TMC) **The Disaster Artist** ★★★ (Com.-Dra, '17) James Franco, Dave Franco. Filmmaker Tommy Wiseau embarks on the hilarious odyssey of making the cult classic "The Room." (1h45)

**12:30 p.m.** (TCM) **Tap** ★★★ (Mus, '89) Gregory Hines, Suzanne Douglas. Ex-con (Gregory Hines) loves daughter (Suzanne Douglas) of old-time tap-dancer (Sammy Davis Jr.). (2h)

**12:35 p.m.** (FLIX) **Emma** ★★★ (Rom, '96) Gwyneth Paltrow, Jeremy Northam. See Monday at 8:00 PM (2h05)

**1:15 p.m.** (SHO) **Thelma & Louise** ★★★ (Adv, '91) Susan Sarandon, Geena Davis. Arkansas gals (Susan Sarandon, Geena Davis) shoot rapist, flee in '66 T-Bird. (2h15)

**1:20 p.m.** (MAX) **Dodgeball: A True Underdog Story** ★★★ (Com, '04) Vince Vaughn, Christine Taylor. See Sunday at 6:25 PM (1h33)

**2:30 p.m.** (TCM) **The Pirate** ★★★ (Mus, '48) Judy Garland, Gene Kelly. Actor (Gene Kelly) woos islander (Judy Garland) by posing as pirate (Walter Slezak) of her dreams. (1h45)

**3:10 p.m.** (MMAX) **The Ghost and the Darkness** ★★★ (Hist, '96) Michael Douglas, Val Kilmer. An engineer (Val Kilmer) and a hunter (Michael Douglas) stalk man-eating African lions. (1h50)

**3:15 p.m.** (SHO2) **Mr. Malcolm's List** ★★★ (Rom, '22) Freida Pinto, Sope Dirisu. A young woman courts a mysterious, wealthy suitor in 19th-century England. (2h)

**3:30 p.m.** (SHO) **Rosemary's Baby** ★★★★★ (Hor, '68) Mia Farrow, John Cassavetes. Satanists (John Cassavetes, Ruth Gordon) want a pregnant woman (Mia Farrow) to bear the Antichrist. (2h30)

**4:10 p.m.** (HBO) **The Terminator** ★★★★★ (Sci-Fi, '84) Arnold Schwarzenegger, Linda Hamilton. Killer cyborg (Arnold Schwarzenegger) visits 1984 Los Angeles to alter history. (1h50)

**4:45 p.m.** (HBO2) **Avatar: The Way of Water** ★★★★★ (Sci-Fi, '22) Sam Worthington, Zoe Saldana. When a familiar threat resurfaces, Jake and Neytiri must protect their children and their planet. (3h15)

**5 p.m.** (AMC) **Hacksaw Ridge** ★★★ (War, '16) Andrew Garfield, Sam Worthington. See Tuesday at 8:00 PM (3h)

(FX) **The Amazing Spider-Man** ★★★★★ (Act, '12) Andrew Garfield, Emma Stone. Having acquired superhuman powers, Peter Parker begins a quest to solve his parents' disappearance. (3h)

**6 p.m.** (HBO) **The Silence of the Lambs** ★★★★★ (Thrill, '91) Jodie Foster, Anthony Hopkins. An FBI agent (Jodie Foster) uses one murderer (Anthony Hopkins) to catch another. (2h)

(SHO) **Indiana Jones and the Raiders of the Lost Ark** ★★★★★ (Adv, '81) Harrison Ford, Karen Allen. See Monday at 12:00 PM (2h)

**7 p.m.** (MMAX) **Hellboy** ★★★ (Fan, '04) Ron Perlman, John Hurt. The son (Ron Perlman) of the devil fights paranormal creatures. (2h02)

**7:15 p.m.** (SHO2) **AfterSun** ★★★ (Dra, '22) Paul Mescal, Frankie Corio. A girl and her loving, idealistic father take a final trip together at a resort. (1h45)

**8 p.m.** (AMC) **Avatar** ★★★ (Sci-Fi, '09) Sam Worthington, Zoe Saldana. A former Marine (Sam Worthington) falls in love with a native (Zoe Saldana) of a lush alien world. (3h30)

(HBO) **Fargo** ★★★ (Thrill, '96) Frances McDormand, Steve Buscemi. An overextended salesman (William H. Macy) hires goons to kidnap his wife. (1h40)

(MAX) **Locke** ★★★ (Dra, '13) Tom Hardy, Ruth Wilson. A man's life unravels as he drives to London to be present for the birth of his child. (1h25)

(SHO) **Indiana Jones and the Temple of Doom** ★★★★★ (Adv, '84) Harrison Ford, Kate Capshaw. See Monday at 2:00 PM (2h)

(TCM) **Stormy Weather** ★★★ (Mus, '43) Lena Horne, Bill Robinson. Entertainer (Bill Robinson) recalls wife (Lena Horne) and life, from 1911 to 1936. (1h30)

(TNT) **Transformers** ★★★ (Act, '07) Shia La Beouf, Tyrese Gibson. Humanity's fate hangs in the balance when two races of robots bring their war to Earth. (3h)

**9 p.m.** (HBO2) **The Skeleton Twins** ★★★ (Com.-Dra, '14) Bill Hader, Kristen Wiig. A set of near-tragedies forces estranged twins to come to terms with their lives and relationships. (1h35)

(MMAX) **Prince Avalanche** ★★★ (Com.-Dra, '13) Paul Rudd, Emile Hirsch. Two road-crew workers spend the summer of 1988 isolated and away from their city lives. (1h34)

(TRUTV) **Avengers: Age of Ultron** ★★★ (Act, '15) Robert Downey Jr., Chris Hemsworth. See Sunday at 9:00 PM (3h)

(VHT) **Hustlers** ★★★ (Com.-Dra, '19) Constance Wu, Jennifer Lopez. Four strippers turn the tables on their Wall Street clients after the 2008 economic collapse. (2h30)

**9:30 p.m.** (TCM) **Sun Valley Serenade** ★★★ (Mus, '41) Sonja Henie, John Payne. A pianist (John Payne) falls for a Norwegian refugee (Sonja Henie) at the Idaho ski resort. (1h45)

**9:45 p.m.** (FLIX) **New Jack City** ★★★ (Cri, '91) Wesley Snipes, Ice-T. Undercover officers (Ice-T, Judd Nelson) and their boss target a crack king (Wesley Snipes). (1h45)

**10 p.m.** (SHO) **Indiana Jones and the Last Crusade** ★★★★★ (Adv, '89) Harrison Ford, Sean Connery. See Monday at 4:00 PM (2h15)

## THURSDAY

**8 a.m.** (BRAVO) **Fantastic Beasts and Where to Find Them** ★★★ (Fan, '16) Eddie Redmayne, Katherine Waterston. Magizoologist Newt Scamander battles dark forces while tracking down magical creatures in 1926. (3h)

(HBO2) **My Big Fat Greek Wedding** ★★★ (Rom, '02) Nia Vardalos, John Corbett. A woman (Nia Vardalos) wants her family to accept her true love (John Corbett). (1h35)

**8:25 a.m.** (FLIX) **The Odd Couple** ★★★ (Com, '68) Jack Lemmon, Walter Matthau. Fussy Felix (Jack Lemmon) moves in with sloppy Oscar (Walter Matthau). (1h50)

**8:35 a.m.** (SHO2) **Finding Neverland** ★★★ (Child, '04) Johnny Depp, Kate Winslet. Writer J.M. Barrie (Johnny Depp) creates the character Peter Pan. (1h50)

**10:15 a.m.** (FLIX) **Hugo** ★★★ (Adv, '11) Ben Kingsley, Sacha Baron Cohen. An orphan (Asa Butterfield) embarks on a quest to unlock a secret left to him by his father. (1h15)

**10:55 a.m.** (MMAX) **Obvious Child** ★★★ (Com, '14) Jenny Slate, Jake Lacy. An immature comic must navigate adulthood after a tryst results in her unplanned pregnancy. (1h25)

**11:35 a.m.** (HBO) **Napoleon Dynamite** ★★★ (Com, '04) Jon Heder, Jon Gries. A gawky teen (Jon Heder) helps a friend run for class president. (1h35)

**11:45 a.m.** (SHO) **The Aviator** ★★★ (Hist, '04) Leonardo DiCaprio, Cate Blanchett. See Sunday at 7:00 PM (3h)

**1:10 p.m.** (MAX) **Garden State** ★★★ (Com, '04) Zach Braff, Ian Holm. See Monday at 8:25 AM (1h43)

**1:20 p.m.** (HBO2) **Morris From America** ★★★ (Com.-Dra, '16) Craig Robinson, Carla Juri. A 13-year-old rapper falls for a classmate after moving from the U.S. to Germany with his father. (1h35)

**1:30 p.m.** (FX) **The Amazing Spider-Man** ★★★ (Act, '12) Andrew Garfield, Emma Stone. See Wednesday at 5:00 PM (3h)

**2 p.m.** (BRAVO) **Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone** ★★★★★ (Child, '01) Daniel Radcliffe, Rupert Grint. An orphan (Daniel Radcliffe) attends a school of witchcraft and wizardry. (3h30)

(Freeform) **The Simpsons Movie** ★★★★★ (Ani, '07) Homer (Dan Castellaneta) must save the world from a catastrophe that he created. (2h)

**2:10 p.m.** (HBO) **Walk the Line** ★★★ (Hist, '05) Joaquin Phoenix, Reese Witherspoon. See Tuesday at 10:00 AM (2h20)

**2:40 p.m.** (TMC) **A Ghost Story** ★★★ (Dra, '17) Casey Affleck, Rooney Mara. A couple separated by a shocking loss discover an eternal connection and a love that is infinite. (1h35)

**2:45 p.m.** (SHO) **1917** ★★★ (War, '19) George MacKay, Dean-Charles Chapman. See Tuesday at 11:35 AM (2h)

**3 p.m.** (BET) **Hustlers** ★★★ (Com.-Dra, '19) Constance Wu, Jennifer Lopez. See Wednesday at 9:00 PM (3h)

(TNT) **Blades of Glory** ★★★ (Com, '07) Will Ferrell, Jon Heder. Banned from singles competition, rival male skaters find a way to compete as a pair. (2h)

**3:30 p.m.** (TCM) **Home Before Dark** ★★★ (Dra, '58) Jean Simmons, Dan O'Herlihy. New England woman (Jean Simmons) comes home after nervous breakdown. (2h30)

**3:40 p.m.** (MMAX) **(500) Days of Summer** ★★★ (Rom, '09) Joseph Gordon-Levitt, Zooey Deschanel. See Monday at 2:25 PM (1h36)

**4 p.m.** (Freeform) **Ron's Gone Wrong** ★★★ (Ani, '21) Voices of Zach Galifianakis, Jack Dylan Grazer. An awkward schoolboy receives a malfunctioning robot that's supposed to be his best friend. (2h30)

**5 p.m.** (TNT) **Transformers** ★★★ (Act, '07) Shia La Beouf, Tyrese Gibson. See Wednesday at 8:00 PM (3h)

**6 p.m.** (TCM) **Out of the Past** ★★★★★ (Thrill, '47) Robert Mitchum, Jane Greer. A gambler's (Kirk Douglas) no-good girlfriend (Jane Greer) crosses a private eye (Robert Mitchum). (2h)

**6:10 p.m.** (FLIX) **A Fish Called Wanda** ★★★ (Com, '88) John Cleese, Jamie Lee Curtis. A crook's girl (Jamie Lee Curtis) flirts with a barrister (John Cleese) for diamonds. (1h50)

**6:30 p.m.** (Freeform) **Up** ★★★ (Ani, '09) Voices of Edward Asner, Christopher Plummer. A crotchety balloon salesman (Ed Asner) discovers a stow-away aboard his flying house. (2h)

**6:45 p.m.** (SHO) **The Fabelmans** ★★★★★ (Dra, '22) Michelle Williams, Paul Dano. See Tuesday at 9:30 PM (2h30)

**7 p.m.** (NICK) **The Croods: A New Age** ★★★ (Ani, '20) The prehistoric Crood family is challenged by a family who claims to be better and more evolved. (2h15)

**7:05 p.m.** (MMAX) **Last Night in Soho** ★★★ (Thrill, '21) Anya Taylor-Joy, Thomasin McKenzie. A woman mysteriously time travels to 1960s London, but the glamour turns to something far darker. (1h57)

**8 p.m.** (PARNT) **Pretty Woman** ★★★ (Rom, '90) Richard Gere, Julia Roberts. A corporate raider (Richard Gere) hires a hooker (Julia Roberts) to act as a business escort. (3h)

(FLIX) **Witness** ★★★ (Cri, '85) Harrison Ford, Kelly McGillis. See Monday at 8:25 AM (2h)

(MAX) **Ex Machina** ★★★★★ (Sci-Fi, '14) Domhnall Gleeson, Oscar Isaac. A young programmer is chosen to evaluate the capabilities of a beautiful, self-aware robot. (1h49)

(TCM) **While the City Sleeps** ★★★ (Mys, '56) Dana Andrews, Ida Lupino. Newsmen use report-

er (Dana Andrews) and women (Ida Lupino, Rhonda Fleming) to find Lipstick Killer. (2h)

(TMC) **Bridge of Spies** ★★★★★ (Hist, '15) Tom Hanks, Mark Rylance. See Sunday at 11:15 AM (2h30)

**8:30 p.m.** (Freeform) **Ratatouille** ★★★ (Ani, '07) Voices of Patton Oswalt, Ian Holm. A French rat (Patton Oswalt) enjoys good food and longs to become a chef. (2h30)

## FRIDAY

**8 a.m.** (TCM) **The McConnell Story** ★★★ (Dra, '55) Alan Ladd, June Allyson. Jet ace Joseph McConnell Jr. (Alan Ladd), his life and wife (June Allyson). (2h)

**9 a.m.** (SHO2) **Young Adult** ★★★ (Rom, '11) Charlize Theron, Patton Oswalt. A writer (Charlize Theron) returns to her hometown to recapture her glory days and an old flame. (1h35)

**11 a.m.** (BRAVO) **Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets** ★★★★★ (Child, '02) Daniel Radcliffe, Rupert Grint. See Thursday at 5:30 PM (4h)

**11:15 a.m.** (HBO2) **Barbershop 2: Back in Business** ★★★★★ (Com, '04) Ice Cube, Cedric the Entertainer. A corporation puts pressure on a barbershop owner (Ice Cube). (1h50)

**12:15 p.m.** (MAX) **Lucy** ★★★ (Act, '14) Scarlett Johansson, Morgan Freeman. A drug mule's illicit cargo is absorbed into her system, giving her incredible powers. (1h30)

**12:40 p.m.** (SHO2) **The Aviator** ★★★ (Hist, '04) Leonardo DiCaprio, Cate Blanchett. See Sunday at 7:00 PM (2h50)

**1:45 p.m.** (MAX) **The Grey** ★★★ (Adv, '12) Liam Neeson, Frank Grillo. Wolves pursue survivors (Liam Neeson, Frank Grillo) of a plane crash through the Alaskan wild. (1h58)

**2 p.m.** (FX) **Ford v Ferrari** ★★★ (Hist, '19) Matt Damon, Christian Bale. An auto designer builds a revolutionary race car to compete against the Ferrari at the 1966 Le Mans. (3h30)

**2:30 p.m.** (E) **Bridesmaids** ★★★★★ (Com, '11) Kristen Wiig, Maya Rudolph. A woman's life unravels as she helps the bride, her lifelong friend, prepare for the wedding. (3h)

**2:45 p.m.** (HBO2) **Pieces of April** ★★★★★ (Com.-Dra, '03) Katie Holmes, Patricia Clarkson. A woman (Katie Holmes) invites her estranged family for Thanksgiving. (1h20)

**3 p.m.** (BRAVO) **Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban** ★★★★★ (Child, '04) Daniel Radcliffe, Rupert Grint. The young wizard (Daniel Radcliffe) confronts the fugitive Sirius Black. (3h)

**4:30 p.m.** (HBO) **I, Tonya** ★★★ (Dra, '17) Margot Robbie, Sebastian Stan. Scandal and controversy rocks the world of figure skater Tonya Harding in 1994. (2h)

**5:15 p.m.** (TNT) **Birds of Prey (and the Fantabulous Emancipation of One Harley Quinn)** ★★★★★ (Act, '20) Margot Robbie, Rosie Perez. Harley Quinn, Huntress, Black Canary and Renee Montoya battle Gotham crime boss Black Mask. (2h15)

**5:30 p.m.** (FX) **Baby Driver** ★★★ (Act, '17) Ansel Elgort, Kevin Spacey. A young getaway driver must face the music when a doomed heist threatens his life, love and freedom. (2h30)

(MAX) **Gone Girl** ★★★★★ (Mys, '14) Ben Affleck, Rosamund Pike. See Sunday at 2:05 PM (2h29)

**5:45 p.m.** (HBO2) **Miss Sloane** ★★★ (Dra, '16) Jessica Chastain, Mark Strong. A lobbyist makes powerful new enemies by supporting a bill that imposes regulations on firearms. (2h15)

**6 p.m.** (BRAVO) **Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire** ★★★★★ (Ani, '05) Daniel Radcliffe, Rupert Grint. Harry's friends help him prepare for a tournament with Europe's best student wizards. (3h30)

(TMC) **The Bad News Bears** ★★★★★ (Child, '76) Walter Matthau, Tatum O'Neal. Pee-wee team manager (Walter Matthau) bribes girl pitcher (Tatum O'Neal) to spark it. (1h45)

**6:15 p.m.** (DISN) **Big Hero 6** ★★★★★ (Ani, '14) Voices of Ryan Potter, Scott Adsit. A child prodigy, his robot and a reluctant crew of novice crime-fighters team up to save their city. (1h45)

**6:30 p.m.** (BET) **Straight Outta Compton** ★★★★★ (Dra, '15) O'Shea Jackson Jr., Corey Hawkins. See Sunday at 8:00 PM (3h30)



Movie Zone

(HBO) **Moneyball** ★★★ (Dra, '11) Brad Pitt, Jonah Hill. A baseball manager (Brad Pitt) on a tight budget takes a new approach to assembling his team. (2h20)

**8 p.m.** (PARMT) **Titanic** ★★★★★ (Hist, '97) Leonardo DiCaprio, Kate Winslet. A woman (Kate Winslet) falls for an artist (Leonardo DiCaprio) aboard the ill-fated ship. (4h)

(E) **Bridesmaids** ★★★ (Com, '11) Kristen Wiig, Maya Rudolph. See 2:30 PM (3h)

(FLIX) **Clerks** ★★★ (Com, '94) Brian Christopher O'Halloran, Jeff Anderson. A young man (Brian O'Halloran) works at a New Jersey convenience store. (1h35)

(TCM) **Shane** ★★★★★ (Wes, '53) Alan Ladd, Jean Arthur. An ex-gunfighter (Alan Ladd) defends Wyoming homesteaders (Jean Arthur, Van Heflin). (2h15)

**8:05 p.m.** (SHO2) **Everything Everywhere All at Once** ★★★ (Com, '22) Michelle Yeoh, Stephanie Hsu. An unlikely hero uses newfound powers to fight fearsome and bewildering dangers from the multiverse. (2h25)

**8:50 p.m.** (HBO) **Good Will Hunting** ★★★ (Dra, '97) Matt Damon, Robin Williams. See Monday at 5:35 PM (2h10)

**9 p.m.** (MMAX) **The Cabin in the Woods** ★★★ (Hor, '11) Kristen Connolly, Chris Hemsworth. Bad things happen when five friends go to a remote woodland cabin. (1h36)

**SATURDAY**

**8 a.m.** (Freeform) **Mrs. Doubtfire** ★★★ (Child, '93) Robin Williams, Sally Field. Estranged dad (Robin Williams) plays nanny to be with his kids. (3h)

**9:30 a.m.** (SHO2) **Lady Bird** ★★★ (Com.-Dra, '17) Saoirse Ronan, Laurie Metcalf. A teen (Saoirse Ronan) navigates a loving but turbulent relationship with her strong-willed mother. (1h35)

**9:35 a.m.** (HBO2) **Downton Abbey** ★★★ (Dra, '19) Hugh Bonneville, Jim Carter. See Tuesday at 1:30 PM (2h05)

**9:55 a.m.** (MAX) **District 9** ★★★ (Sci-Fi, '09) Sharlto Copley, Jason Cope. South Africa assigns a restricted area for extraterrestrial refugees. (1h53)

**10 a.m.** (BRAVO) **Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire** ★★★ (Fan, '05) Daniel Radcliffe, Rupert Grint. See Friday at 6:00 PM (3h30)

(TNT) **Shazam!** ★★★★★ (Act, '19) Zachary Levi, Mark Strong. A 14-year-old transforms into the adult superhero Shazam and battles the evil Dr. Thaddeus Sivana. (2h30)

**10:30 a.m.** (HBO) **Ghost** ★★★ (Fan, '90) Patrick Swayze, Demi Moore. Slain yuppie (Patrick Swayze) reaches his lover (Demi Moore) with psychic's (Whoopi Goldberg) help. (2h10)

(TCM) **Quo Vadis** ★★★★★ (Hist, '51) Robert Taylor, Deborah Kerr. A Roman aristocrat earns Nero's disfavor when he falls in love with a young Christian. (3h)

**11 a.m.** (AMC) **Fast Times at Ridgemont High** ★★★ (Com, '82) Sean Penn, Jennifer Jason Leigh. Teens (Sean Penn, Jennifer Jason Leigh, Judge Reinhold) date, dream, party and aggravate teachers. (2h)

**11:30 a.m.** (FX) **Ford v Ferrari** ★★★ (Hist, '19) Matt Damon, Christian Bale. See Friday at 2:00 PM (3h30)

**11:40 a.m.** (HBO2) **Wild** ★★★ (Dra, '14) Reese Witherspoon, Laura Dern. A woman (Reese Witherspoon) begins an 1,100-mile solo hike as a way to cope with a recent tragedy. (2h)

**11:45 a.m.** (FLIX) **Moonlight and Valentino** ★★★★★ (Com.-Dra, '95) Elizabeth Perkins, Whoopi Goldberg. See Monday at 10:25 AM (1h50)

**11:50 a.m.** (MAX) **Winter's Bone** ★★★ (Dra, '10) Jennifer Lawrence, John Hawkes. See Tuesday at 8:00 PM (1h40)

**12:05 p.m.** (TCM) **Anvil! The Story of Anvil** ★★★★★ (Doc, '08) Steve "Lips" Kudlow, Robb Reiner. See Monday at 11:10 AM (1h25)

**12:40 p.m.** (HBO) **X-Men: Days of Future Past** ★★★★★ (Act, '14) Hugh Jackman, James McAvoy. See Monday at 7:45 PM (2h15)

**1 p.m.** (PARMT) **Apollo 13** ★★★★★ (Hist, '95) Tom Hanks, Bill Paxton. April 1970 astronauts (Tom Hanks, Bill Paxton, Kevin Bacon) try to return alive. (3h30)

Hollywood Q&A

By Adam Thomlison  
TV Media

**Q: What did Bob Barker do before "The Price Is Right"?**  
A: The magic Bob Barker brought to "The Price Is Right" was in how he interacted with the contestants. And it was his gift with audiences that got him into the TV business in the first place.  
He actually studied as an economist but soon moved to a job in radio. His job at KTTS in Springfield, Missouri, gave him his first taste of crowd work.

"All the hosts were taking unrehearsed contestants out of the studio audience and creating spontaneous entertainment with them," he told Emmys.com (after being inducted into the Emmys Hall of Fame in 2004). "I had never been in a school play and I had never been in front of an audience before, but I found that I thoroughly enjoyed it. My wife had heard the show and when I got home she said, 'That's what you should do. You do that better than you've done anything else.'"

That's the sort of advice you shouldn't ignore, and he didn't. He soon moved with his wife to Los Angeles to do his own radio show, "The Bob Barker Show." And when TV producer Ralph Edwards heard Barker on his car radio, he knew he'd found what he was looking for: someone to host the new, daytime version of the hit game show "Truth or Consequences."

Barker hosted that for 18 years. During the final two of those years, he moonlighted with another hosting gig, on "The Price Is Right."

And the rest is daytime TV history.  
I mean that literally, by the way — across his 35-year run, Barker made history on "The Price Is Right," setting precedents (shortly after he joined, it was expanded to become the first hour-long game show in TV history) and breaking records (in 2002, he broke Johnny Carson's record for continuous performances on the same network television show).

**Q: What's Dylan McDermott doing now? I last saw him on "American Horror Story," but I figured he'd have a new show by now.**



Bob Barker and Drew Carey from "The Price Is Right"

A: Far from not having a show on TV in the past few years, at one point Dylan McDermott had two.

The ruggedly handsome leading man, still best known for his role on the long-running legal drama "The Practice" (from 1997 to 2004), was starring in two separate procedural cop dramas last year: "FBI: Most Wanted" and "Law & Order: Organized Crime."

To be fair, there are reasons why you might not have known that.

He actually played a bad guy in "Organized Crime" — a crime boss being pursued by the show's good guys — and he left midway through the show's second season.

He immediately signed on to do "FBI: Most Wanted" after that, joining it mid-way through its third season.

He says he was grateful for the opportunity "FBI" gave him to be a "good guy" again.

In September 2022, he told E! News, "I played a lot of good characters in my career, but recently, the last 10 years, I think they've been more questionable — certainly from 'American Horror Story' to 'Organized Crime' and some movies in there. So it was time to go back to the good."

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