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## MY SOURCE

### VIEWER GUIDE SYMBOLS

Local productions are identified by the symbol (L).

Listings are as accurate as possible at press time, but programming is subject to change.

Find the most up-to-date schedule information online at [www.aptv.org](http://www.aptv.org).

## 1 TUESDAY

### 7:00 NOVA

*Is There Life on Mars?*

This program showcases the scientific results from the Mars rovers and Phoenix probe, which are poised to reveal provocative new clues in the tantalizing search for water and life on the Red Planet.

### 8:00 NOVA scienceNOW

How and why earthquakes strike in the heartland; the role of sleep in strengthening memories; profile of marine geologist Sang-Mook Lee; and evolutionary evidence of creatures that evolved into primates.

### 9:00 The Rape of Europa

The Rape of Europa relates how Europe's art treasures survived the systematic theft and deliberate destruction perpetrated by Germany's Third Reich during World War II.

## 2 WEDNESDAY

### 7:00 American Masters

*Trumbo*

This profile of Hollywood writer Dalton Trumbo, who refused to testify before HUAC in 1947 and was imprisoned, is adapted from his son Christopher's 2003 play and based on Trumbo's letters.

### 8:30 PBS Previews: The National Parks: America's Best Idea

PBS presents a preview of the new Ken Burns film *The National Parks: America's Best Idea*.

### 9:00 Wide Angle

*Time for School 3*

The third installment of the series that spotlights the global crisis in access to basic education.

### 10:00 Chasing Churchill: In Search of My Grandfather Worth Doing Once

In this, the third chapter of Churchill's life, Celia Sandys travels to Morocco and to the South of

France in search of those places that gave Churchill particular pleasure.

## 3 THURSDAY

### 7:00 The This Old House Hour

At the project house in Brooklyn, master carpenter Norm Abram learns how local wood refinisher John Thomas is using a faux painting technique to disguise old and damaged woodwork.

### 8:00 Antiques Roadshow

*Tucson, AZ*

Host Mark Walberg gets a taste of Tucson, Arizona, history from the seat of an antique buggy, part of the impressive stable of horse-drawn conveyances housed at the Tucson Rodeo Parade Museum and proudly mobilized for the annual Tucson Rodeo Parade.

### 9:00 MI5

Action-packed drama taking us into the thrilling world of MI5, the clandestine security service, and the people who make up the elite team.

### 10:00 We Have Signal! (L)

*Young Widows*

### 10:30 We Have Signal! (L)

*Teen Getaway*

## 4 FRIDAY

### 7:00 Washington Week

7:30 Now on PBS

### 8:00 Bill Moyers Journal

### 9:00 Capitol Journal: Week in Review

### 10:00 The McLaughlin Group

### 10:30 Inside Washington

## 5 SATURDAY

### 6:00 The Lawrence Welk Show

### 7:00 Classic Gospel

*Ryman Gospel Reunion*

Turn your radio on, "The Unclouded Day" and much more...

### 8:00 Keeping Up Appearances - The Memoirs of Hyacinth Bucket

Hyacinth plans to hold one of her celebrated candlelight suppers in order to impress Emmet, head of the local amateur operatic society, with her vocal talents.

### 8:30 As Time Goes By

### 9:00 Are You Being Served?

*The Hold Up*

The staff have to work late to finish stocktaking.

Then two burglars pay an unwelcome visit.

### 9:30 Last of the Summer Wine

### 10:00 To the Manor Born

### 10:30 The Vicar of Dibley

## 6 SUNDAY

### 6:00 Antiques Roadshow

### 7:00 Nature

*Life in Death Valley*

It is a visual wonderland, where imposing mountains rise almost two vertical miles above sprawling salt flats, and canyons are painted in strokes of blue, pink, violet and green from sunrise to sunset. This is Death Valley—one of the most inhospitable places on the planet. Nowhere else is a landscape so exquisite yet brutal, stunning yet harsh.

### 8:00 Discovering Alabama (L)

*Sipsey Wilderness*

Dr. Phillips takes the viewer through the Sipsey Wilderness and recalls the influence of 19th century Romanticism and the emergence of a national movement for the preservation of America's wilderness regions.

### 8:30 Discovering Alabama (L)

*Forever Wild*

Alabama forests are part of the larger southern forest ecosystem, the most productive forest regions in the nation. This unique forest region is especially diverse due to its climate and soils, and because of geological conditions associated with particular events of prehistoric times.

### 9:00 Masterpiece Mystery!

Inspector Lewis Series II: Music to Die For  
The worlds of no-rules boxing, Oxford dons and Cold War intrigue surround the death of a prominent don.

### 10:30 Crown of the Continent - Alaska's Wrangell - St. Elias

## 7 MONDAY

### 7:00 Antiques Roadshow

*Tucson, AZ*

Host Mark Walberg is at the picturesque Arizona Inn for a conversation about traditional American Indian jewelry of the Southwest.

### 8:00 History Detectives

The site where a bridge may have been burned to thwart General Sherman's attempt to cross into Columbia, South Carolina; a penny stamp that may be connected to a landmark civil rights

case; and metal sheets that look like printing plates for Billy Strayhorn's "Take the A Train," performed by Duke Ellington.

### 9:00 Wild River: The Colorado

Follow the Colorado River from its headwaters in Rocky Mountain National Park through Utah's Westwater Canyon; the national parks of Canyonlands, Arches, Capitol Reef and Zion; the fragile beauty and rapids of the Grand Canyon; and into Mexico.

### 10:00 Great Lodges of the National Parks

*Grand Lodges*

This program tells the story of Yellowstone's Old Faithful Lodge, the first of the grand park lodges, and Yosemite's Ahwahnee Hotel, considered by many to be the park system's most luxurious.

## 8 TUESDAY

### 7:00 NOVA

*Mystery of the Megavolcano*

A remote lake in Southeast Asia conceals evidence of Earth's greatest volcanic cataclysm of the last 100,000 years. Miles beneath its placid surface lies a magma chamber that exploded so violently during the Ice Age that gases and ash may have encircled the globe and blotted out the sun for years on end.

### 8:00 Yellowstone: Land to Life

Filmmaker John Grabowska presents a lyrical interpretation of the sweeping geologic story of Yellowstone, the world's first and most famous national park.

### 8:30 PBS Previews: The National Parks: America's Best Idea

### 9:00 Alan Alda's Scientific American Frontiers Forever Wild?

What exactly does it take to make wild places work the way they must? This episode includes the first important results to emerge from research being conducted inside Biosphere 2 in Arizona.

### 10:00 Wild River: The Colorado

Follow the Colorado River from its headwaters in Rocky Mountain National Park through Utah's Westwater Canyon.

## 9 WEDNESDAY

### 7:00 Families Stand Together: Feeling Secure in Tough Times

This special features brief documentaries of real-life families and the story of a Muppet family coping with the ups and downs of these uncertain economic times. Hosted by Al Roker, Deborah Roberts, Elmo and friends, the program offers help, hope, and strategies for families and encourages children to express their feelings and ideas as their families adjust to a new life.

### 8:00 Your Life, Your Money

Hosted by Donald Faison, this program presents a broad range of fundamental financial information for young adults; from basic banking to credit debt.

### 9:00 Wide Angle

*Time For School 3*

### 10:00 Inside

*Operation Wildfire*

How do you control a force of nature as destructive and unpredictable as a wildfire?

## 10 THURSDAY

### 7:00 The This Old House Hour

After a brief visit to the Brooklyn Navy Yard, master carpenter Norm Abram helps local builder Michael Streaman reinstall old interior door trim in the new library area.

### 8:00 Antiques Roadshow

*Tucson, AZ*

Roadshow experts at the Tucson Convention Center continue their own tradition of discovering hidden treasure, including a vibrant 19th-century Navajo chief's blanket.

### 9:00 MI5

### 10:00 We Have Signal! (L)

*Cordero*

### 10:30 We Have Signal! (L)

*Young Widows*

## 11 TUESDAY

### 7:00 Washington Week

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### 8:00 Bill Moyers Journal

### 9:00 Capitol Journal: Week in Review (L)

### 10:00 The McLaughlin Group

### 10:30 Inside Washington

## 12 SATURDAY

### 6:00 The Lawrence Welk Show

### 7:00 Classic Gospel

### 8:00 Keeping Up Appearances - The Memoirs of Hyacinth Bucket

Hyacinth is fearful that the tumultuous lives of her family members will cast a pall on the carefully polished image she tries so hard to maintain.

### 8:30 As Time Goes By

### 9:00 Are You Being Served?

*Gambling Fever*

Work is disrupted when everyone becomes obsessed with betting on the horses.

### 9:30 Last of the Summer Wine

### 10:00 To the Manor Born

### 10:30 The Vicar of Dibley

## 13 SUNDAY

### 6:00 Red Grange Remembers

He was football's first superstar. Nicknamed the Galloping Ghost, Harold "Red" Grange was a three-time All-American halfback from the University of Illinois who helped launch professional football as a player for the Chicago Bears.

### 7:00 Nature

*The Good, the Bad, and the Grizzly*

Once on the edge of extinction, grizzlies have made a remarkable recovery. But this fierce predator is no longer content to forage in the back country. Today, bears are everywhere. And everyone has something to say about it. The return of the grizzly is a conservation success story that comes with a price.

### 8:00 Alabama State Parks (L)

This program explores Alabama's state parks from north to south, including the activities and facilities featured at each park.

### 9:00 Masterpiece Mystery!

*Inspector Lewis Series II: Life Born of Fire*

A serial killer seems to be targeting a religious group that claims to give guidance to lost souls.  
10:30 Yellowstone: Land to Life

## 14 MONDAY

### 7:00 Antiques Roadshow

*Tucson, AZ*

Antiques Roadshow wraps up its trip to Tucson, Arizona, as host Mark Walberg and appraiser Colleen Fesko tour the Tucson Museum of Art, rounding up works of art depicting horses.

### 8:00 History Detectives

*Shipwreck Cannons*

Beachcombers on the Oregon Coast spotted what looked like large, rusty rocks sticking out of the sand. The state of Oregon, which has recovered the encrusted objects, believes they house priceless artifacts: cannons from the 1846 shipwreck of the USS Shark.

### 9:00 Note by Note: The Making of Steinway

This documentary follows the construction of a Steinway Model D-274 piano over a year, from the search for wood in Alaska to a display at Manhattan's Steinway Hall.

### 10:00 Great Lodges of the National Parks

*Canyon Lodges*

This episode features great lodges in some of the most dramatic landscapes in the country.

## 15 TUESDAY

### 7:00 NOVA

*Arctic Dinosaurs*

How is it that dinosaurs managed to survive and even thrive in the gloom of the dark and frigid

polar regions? This is one of today's most intriguing, little-known enigmas in paleontology. Now, a unique field expedition, covered exclusively by NOVA, will set out for Alaska's North Slope to defrost a jackpot of new fossil clues.

### 8:00 Retirement Revolution

*The New Reality*

The months since Spring of 2008 have not been kind to the American economy or to the retirement accounts of millions of Americans. Retirement Revolution: The New Reality undertakes a new mission, to help older citizens do better with a bit less and to navigate tougher financial waters with determination and good cheer. This 90-minute PBS television special features various, personal stories as well as expert commentaries and is hosted by Paula Zahn.

### 9:30 Brown Is the New Green: George Lopez and the American Dream

Latinos, this nation's largest and fastest-growing minority group, are big business. This smart, fast-paced program examines how efforts to profit from this group are shaping the contemporary Latino identity.

### 10:30 Discovering Alabama (L)

## 16 WEDNESDAY

### 7:00 Live from Lincoln Center

*New York Philharmonic Opening Night Gala Concert*

Concert launches the New York Philharmonic's 168th season and Alan Gilbert's first as the orchestra's music director. Renowned soprano Renée Fleming joins the orchestra. Alec Baldwin hosts.

### 9:00 Great Performances

*Vienna Philharmonic Summer Night's Concert 2009*

The world-renowned Vienna Philharmonic presents an open-air concert at the magnificent gardens of Austria's Imperial Schoenbrunn Palace.

### 10:30 Discovering Alabama (L)

## 17 THURSDAY

### 7:00 The This Old House Hour

### 8:00 Antiques Roadshow

*Tucson, AZ*

At the Tucson Convention Center, crowds brave the 104-degree heat to bring in some cool objects, including a rare collection of 1956 Olympics memorabilia saved by the owner's father, trainer for the gold medal-winning American basketball team that included Bill Russell.

### 9:00 MI5

### 10:00 We Have Signal! (L)

*Sword Enemies*

### 10:30 We Have Signal! (L)

*Cordero*

## 18 FRIDAY

### 7:00 Washington Week

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## 19 SATURDAY

### 6:00 The Lawrence Welk Show

### 7:00 Classic Gospel

### 8:00 Keeping Up Appearances - The Memoirs of Hyacinth Bucket

Onslow's birthday celebration may only come around once a year, but that is far too often as far as Hyacinth is concerned.

### 8:30 As Time Goes By

### 9:00 Are You Being Served?

*The Night Club*

A new nightclub is set up in the store, and the staff have to film a commercial to promote it.

### 9:30 Last of the Summer Wine

### 10:00 To the Manor Born

### 10:30 The Vicar of Dibley

## 20 SUNDAY

### 6:00 Antiques Roadshow

*Tucson, AZ*

### 7:00 Nature

*Violent Hawaii*

Hawaii's breathtaking beauty was forged in fire, created by the awesome power of volcanoes on land and in the sea, by earthquakes and tsunamis, natural wonders that continue to shape the islands today.

### 8:00 Discovering Alabama (L)

*National Forests in Alabama*

Marking Discovering Alabama's 20th anniversary and honoring the 100th anniversary of the U.S. Forest Service, this program provides a grand aerial tour of the entire system of the National Forests in Alabama.

### 8:30 Discovering Alabama (L)

*Trails*

### 9:00 Masterpiece Mystery!

*Inspector Lewis, Series II: The Great and the Good*

The prime suspect in the assault of a teenage girl has a seemingly watertight alibi from three pillars of the Oxford community.

## 21 MONDAY

### 7:00 Antiques Roadshow

### 8:00 Alabama State Parks (L)

### 9:00 Discovering Alabama (L)

*Wildlife History*

Our nation is rooted in a rich, natural heritage that helped define our national identity. Central to this heritage is the history of our society's changing relationship with wildlife. This program gives an overview of Alabama's role as a national leader in wildlife conservation and restoration.

### 9:30 Discovering Alabama (L)

*National Forests in Alabama*

Dr. Phillips visits with naturalists, historians and others who highlight the historical role of the U.S. Forest Service and examine the many ways National Forest lands add to the quality of life in Alabama.

### 10:00 Great Lodges of the National Parks

*Glacier Lodges*

This episode features three lodges and a smaller mountain chalet in Glacier National Park, high in the mountains of northwestern Montana.

## 22 TUESDAY

### 7:00 NOVA

*The Ghost in Your Genes*

In a provocative report from the frontiers of biology, NOVA explores new findings that call into question the long-held belief that all inherited traits are passed on by our genes. The fast-growing field of epigenetics investigates hidden influences that could affect not only our health today but that of our descendants far into the future. It now seems that our environment makes small chemical changes to our DNA without affecting the gene's overall makeup.

8:00 Blueprint America: Reimagining the Future

### 9:00 Discovering Alabama (L)

*Dugger Mountain Wilderness*

The Dugger Mountain Wilderness contains Alabama's second highest peak, Dugger Mountain, and is one of several federally designated "wilderness areas" in the state.

### 9:30 Discovering Alabama (L)

*Trails*

### 10:00 Great Lodges of the National Parks Pacific Northwest Lodges

This episode showcases the spectacular lodges in Washington and Oregon.

## 23 WEDNESDAY

### 7:00 Great Lodges of the National Parks

This episode takes viewers to the surreal desert

landscape of Death Valley and the Furnace Creek Inn, a historic four-diamond hotel that rises from the red rock like a shimmering oasis.

### 8:00 Great Lodges of the National Parks

Rocky Mountain National Park is just outside the back door of the grand and graceful Stanley Hotel, which may look familiar to fans of Stephen King's *The Shining*.

### 9:00 Wallace Stegner

This film is a portrait of the conservationist and Pulitzer Prize-winning author Wallace Stegner. He was many things: teacher, historian and environmentalist but, above all, Wallace Stegner was a writer.

### 10:00 Discovering Alabama (L)

*Forever Wild*

This program highlights the importance of Alabama forests in context with the history and significance of the southern forest system.

### 10:30 Discovering Alabama (L)

## 24 THURSDAY

### 7:00 The This Old House Hour

With the Brooklyn brownstone nearly complete, master carpenter Norm Abram and host Kevin O'Connor arrive to find a bustling sidewalk with both sod and furniture being delivered.

### 8:00 PBS Special Report on Health Care Reform

The NewsHour, NOW on PBS and Tavis Smiley collaborate to provide a 90-minute program that examines the urgent topic of health care reform.

### 9:30 M15

### 10:30 We Have Signal! (L)

*Sword Enemies*

## 25 FRIDAY

### 7:00 Washington Week

### 7:30 Now on PBS

### 8:00 Bill Moyers Journal

### 9:00 Capitol Journal: Week in Review (L)

### 10:00 The McLaughlin Group

### 10:30 Inside Washington

## 26 SATURDAY

### 6:00 The Lawrence Welk Show

### 7:00 Classic Gospel

### 8:00 Keeping Up Appearances - The Memoirs of Hyacinth Bucket

Hyacinth suddenly decides to take Daddy out for a picnic in the country, but Daddy equally suddenly decides that he will take her car!

### 8:30 As Time Goes By

### 9:00 Are You Being Served?

*The Apartment*

Mrs. Slocombe moves into a "show flat" on the top floor of the store. She has plenty of visitors

during her first evening "in residence."

### 9:30 Last of the Summer Wine

### 10:00 To the Manor Born

### 10:30 The Vicar of Dibley

## 27 SUNDAY

### 6:00 Alabama State Parks (L)

### 7:00 The National Parks: America's Best Idea

*The Scripture of Nature (1851-1890)*

In 1851, word spreads across the country of a beautiful area of California's Yosemite Valley, attracting visitors who wish to exploit the land's scenery for commercial gain and those who wish to keep it pristine. Among the latter is a Scottish-born wanderer named John Muir, for whom protecting the land becomes a spiritual calling. In 1864, Congress passes an act that protects Yosemite from commercial development for public use, resort and recreation—the first time in world history that any government has put forth this idea—and hands control of the land to California.

### 9:00 The National Parks: America's Best Idea

*The Scripture of Nature (1851-1890)*

The astonishing beauty of Yosemite Valley and the geyser wonderland of Yellowstone give birth to the radical idea of creating national parks for the enjoyment of everyone; John Muir becomes their eloquent defender.

## 28 MONDAY

### 7:00 The National Parks: America's Best Idea

*The Last Refuge (1890-1915)*

By the end of the 19th century, widespread industrialization has left many Americans worried about whether the country—once a vast wilderness—will have any pristine land left. At the same time, poachers in the parks are rampant, and visitors think nothing of littering or carving their names near iconic sites like Old Faithful. Congress has yet to establish clear judicial authority or appropriations for the protection of the parks.

### 9:30 The National Parks: America's Best Idea

*The Last Refuge (1890-1915)*

A young president, Theodore Roosevelt, becomes one of the national parks' greatest champions.

## 29 TUESDAY

### 7:00 The National Parks: America's Best Idea

*The Empire of Grandeur (1915-1919)*

In the early 20th century, America has a dozen national parks, but they are a haphazard patchwork of special places under the supervision of different federal agencies.

The conservation movement, after failing to stop the Hetch Hetchy dam, pushes the government to establish one unified agency to oversee all the parks, leading to the establishment of the National Park Service in 1916.

### 9:00 The National Parks: America's Best Idea

*The Empire of Grandeur (1915-1919)*

In John Muir's absence, a new leader steps forward on behalf of America's remaining pristine places; a new federal agency is created to protect the parks; and in Arizona, a fight breaks out over the fate of the grandest canyon on earth.

## 30 WEDNESDAY

### 7:00 The National Parks: America's Best Idea

*Going Home (1920-1933)*

While visiting the parks was once predominantly the domain of Americans wealthy enough to afford the high-priced train tours, the advent of the automobile allows more people than ever before to visit the parks.

### 9:00 The National Parks: America's Best Idea

*Going Home (1920-1933)*

As America embraces the automobile, a Nebraska housewife searches for peace and inspiration in park after park, while a honeymoon couple seeks fame and adventure in the Grand Canyon; and the future of the Great Smoky Mountains becomes caught in a race with the lumbermen's saws.