



Southern-inspired macaroni and cheese, Rhode Island-style fried calamari and Korean chicken tacos are just some of the tasty

dishes featured on New Hampshire PBS' new Friday night series, **THE GREAT AMERICAN RECIPE**. The program highlights talented home cooks sharing their signature dishes in a bid to win a national search for the next "Great American Recipe."

The series celebrates the multiculturalism that is essential to American life, sharing stories about the connection between food, family and community.

Seacoast chef David Vargas understands this interplay between the past and the future. At his Portsmouth restaurant, Vida Cantina, Chef Vargas serves dishes reflecting his Mexican heritage, his Southern California upbringing and his time spent living — and cooking — in the U.S. Virgin Islands. But the focus of his fusion is local ingredients, underpinned by his commitment to sustainable food systems and respect for the land.

"It's about really digging deep into a region and figuring out its heartbeat. For Mexicans, one of our biggest staples is maize — the corn — but Native Americans in New England also grew maize as a staple of their diets," said Vargas. "We started a local company called Vida Tortilla to sell organic tortillas, and we've gone from growing one acre of native corn to harvesting 30 acres."

Growing up, Vargas says his family gathered every weekend to eat — roasting a goat, grilling carne asada or slow cooking a pot of beans to serve with tortillas.

"You come over to our house, and we're going to feed you, as that's what we have available to show our love and respect for being part of our family or our circle of friends," says Chef Vargas. "That's what we try to adapt into our restaurant every day."

Climate change, political factors, cost and supply chain issues are all impacting the viability of our food systems and the ability for people to access the food they need. "We cannot continue in the form we are going — to take and take and take. There won't be anything left," says the James Beard Award-nominated chef. Instead, Vargas advocates making our diets more vegetable-forward, focused on biodiversity and ingredients that are sustainable over time.

Chef Vargas sees a recent interest in Native American cooking as a welcome trend. "It's the first cuisine of our region, and we haven't touched one percent of it. We need to promote it on our platforms, and we need to support chefs who are sharing this cuisine," says Chef Vargas. "And first and foremost, we need to appreciate and give thanks to Native Americans for letting us stay on their lands right now."

For home cooks, Vargas' advice is simple: "Start with good ingredients, and you'll end up with something good on your plate."

Chef Vargas shared a family recipe for Tacos de Papa (potato tacos) with NHPBS viewers. His family would buy potatoes at local markets or grow their own for this inexpensive meal. See the recipe or share your own family recipe at our food page, nhpbs.org/food, and win a prize!

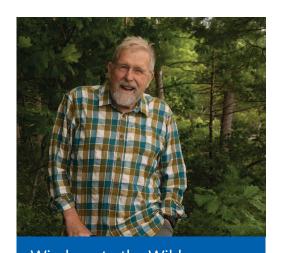
Learn more about local restaurants in NH through our Flavors of Our Neighbors project at nhpbs.org/neighbors! And tune in to THE GREAT AMERICAN RECIPE, Fridays at 9 PM through Aug. 12th and on-demand for NHPBS Passport members.

# NHPBS PRIMETIME PICKS



Gardenfit
WEEKDAYS | 7 AM NHPBS Explore

Bring gardening and fitness together to care for your body while you tend to your garden. A different guest gardener from around the country shares distinctive insights and tips during tours of their gardens.



Windows to the Wild
WEEKDAYS | 7 PM NHPBS
WEDNESDAYS | 7:30 PM NHPBS
Bust out your hiking sticks and
grab your favorite trail buddy! Host
Willem Lange is on the move and
enjoying stories about hiking cats,

rowers, long-distance paddlers and

exploring the great outdoors. Join

us for a summer of adventure!



Chasing Silver: The Story of Gorham THU Aug 4 | 8 PM NHPBS

Trace the fascinating and varied history of the Gorham Manufacturing Company based in Providence, Rhode Island. Established in 1831 as a small silversmithing enterprise, the company grew to become a global titan of silver manufacturing.



## Magnificent Beast THU Aug 11 | 8 PM NHPBS

Explore the unique relationship of pigs as food, friend and foe to humans. Interviews with archaeologists, farmers, chefs, hunters and pet owners reveal the complicated bond between people and pigs, including the "pork taboo."



Great Performances: Vienna
Philharmonic Summer Night Concert
FRI Aug 26 | 9 PM NHPBS

Enjoy the Vienna Philharmonic's annual summer night concert with cellist Gautier Capuçon under the direction of guest conductor Andris Nelsons at Austria's Schönbrunn Palace.



The Boleyns: A Scandalous Family SUN Aug 28 | 8 PM NHPBS

Discover the scandalous rise and fall of the Boleyns in this epic three-part series. Get immersed in this story of love, betrayal, and obsession told from the unique perspective of the Boleyn family.

## **5 CHANNEL SPOTLIGHT**

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#### **HOG HAVEN**

THU Aug 11 | 10 PM NHPBS

Meet Erin, a woman whose life's mission is to rescue and rehabilitate pigs who would otherwise be farmed for food. This is Erin's story about her physical and mental recovery from a tragic event that transforms her into the co-founder of one of the largest and most respected pig sanctuaries in the country.



#### **HAPPY YOGA WITH SARAH STARR**

MON Aug 1 | 6 AM NHPBS EXPLORE

Relax and recharge while enjoying the beauty of nature's most tranquil and scenic settings with certified yoga instructor Sarah Starr. Enjoy a variety of yoga sessions as Sarah guides viewers through an accessible practice using a chair for support and intermediate yoga sessions, taking your practice to the mat.



#### BARE FEET WITH MICKELA MALLOZZI

WED Aug 31 | 5 PM NH CREATE

Come on a journey and experience the world through dance! Join Mickela as she travels the world via the five boroughs of New York City. She'll highlight the ongoing recovery of this resilient city through stories of the rich arts and small businesses that make up these diverse community neighborhoods.



## OPERATION MANEATER

MON Aug 22 | 2 PM NH WORLD

Veterinarian Mark Evans uses technology to tackle three deadly predators: the great white shark, Nile crocodile and polar bear. When these animals attack humans, both sides lose. As more people are killed or maimed, more animals are killed in retaliation. Evans wants to find ways to break this circle of violence and protect both humans and animals.



## **SESAME STREET: THE MONSTER AT THE END OF THIS STORY** MON Aug 15 | 11 AM **NHPBS**

Join Grover for an animated SESAME STREET special inspired by the classic book, *The Monster at the End of this Story*. This special shows how Grover learns to face his fears with a little help from his friends.

# MORE TO EXPLORE



POV: He's My Brother MON Aug 1 | 10 PM NHPBS



Shakespeare & Hathaway THU Aug 4 | 8 PM NHPBS EXPLORE



Hope Street FRI Aug 12 | STREAMING NHPBS PASSPORT



The Great American Recipe | FINALE FRI Aug 12 | 9 PM NHPBS



The Hunter SUN Aug 28 | 11 PM NHPBS



# **AUGUST 2022 PROGRAM SCHEDULE**

	6:30 PM	7:00 PM	7:30 PM	8:00 PM	8:30 PM	9:00 PM	9:30 PM	10:00 PM	
Mon. 8/1	Steven Raichlen's Project Fire	PBS NewsHour		Midsomer Murders		Trouble with Maggie Cole		Unforgotten on Masterpiece**	
Tue. 8/2	Steven Raichlen's Project Fire	PBS NewsHour		In Their Own Words Queen Elizabeth II		Grantchester (	On Masterpiece	Cobra**	
Wed. 8/3	Steven Raichlen's Project Fire	PBS NewsHour		Howards End On Masterpiece		The Indian Doctor		Thou Shalt Not Kill**	
Thu. 8/4	Steven Raichlen's Project Fire	PBS NewsHour		Shakespeare & Hathaway-Private Investigators		Agatha Christie's: Poirot		Broadchurch**	
Fri. 8/5	Steven Raichlen's Project Fire	PBS NewsHour		Washington Week	Firing Line with Margaret Hoover	The Open Mind	Froi	Frontline	
Sat. 8/6	The Lawrence Welk Show*	Finding Your Roots Italian Roots		Antiques Roadshow Recut		rough The Lens e Wall		Music Through The Lens On The Net	
Sun. 8/7	Expedition with Steve Backshall*	The Green Planet Human Worlds		Nova NOVA Universe Revealed: Black Holes		America Outdoors with Baratunde Thurston Tidewater: Homecoming		Finding Your Roots**	
Mon. 8/8	Steven Raichlen's Project Fire	PBS NewsHour		Midsomer Murders		Trouble with Maggie Cole		Unforgotten on Masterpiece**	
Tue. 8/9	Steven Raichlen's Project Fire	PBS NewsHour		In Their Own Words Princess Diana		Grantchester On Masterpiece		Cobra**	
Wed. 8/10	Steven Raichlen's Project Fire	PBS NewsHour		Howards End On Masterpiece		The Indian Doctor		Thou Shalt Not Kill**	
Thu. 8/11	Steven Raichlen's Project Fire	PBS NewsHour		Shakespeare & Hathaway-Private Investigators		Agatha Christie's: Poirot		Broadchurch**	
Fri. 8/12	Steven Raichlen's Project Fire	PBS NewsHour		Washington Week	Firing Line with Margaret Hoover	The Open Mind		Own Words lenson	
Sat. 8/13	The Lawrence Welk Show*	Conversation with Ken		3urns This Lar		nd Is Your Land (My Music)		Eat Your Medicine: The Pegan Diet with Mark Hyman, MD	
Sun. 8/14	Bela Fleck: My Bluegrass Heart*	Roy Orbison Forev		31		On Broadway		Suze Orman's Ultimate Retirement Guide	
Mon. 8/15	Steven Raichlen's Project Fire	PBS NewsHour		Doo Wop, Pop		and Soul Generations (My Music)			
Tue. 8/16	Steven Raichlen's Project Fire	PBS NewsHour		Tom Lehrer - Live In Copenh		agen 1967 The World of Wi		sdom & Wonder**	
Wed. 8/17	Steven Raichlen's Project Fire	PBS NewsHour		Howards End On Masterpiece		Ken Burns: The Civil V		Var**	
Thu. 8/18	Steven Raichlen's Project Fire	PBS NewsHour		Bee Gees: One Night		Mu		Your Land (My sic)**	
Fri. 8/19	Steven Raichlen's Project Fire	PBS NewsHour		Washington Firing Line with Margaret Hoover		•		Diet with Mark	
Sat. 8/20	The Lawrence Welk Show*	Riverdance 25th Annive		Anniversary Show	·		Chris Botti & The Dallas Symphony Orchestra		
Sun. 8/21	Keto Diet with Dr Josh Axe*		Rogers Farewell Concert Celebration: All In For The Gambler		60s	60s Pop, Rock & Soul (My Music Presents)		ents)	
Mon. 8/22	Steven Raichlen's Project Fire	PBS News	PBS NewsHour		Midsomer Murders		Trouble with Maggie Cole		
Tue. 8/23	Steven Raichlen's Project Fire	PBS NewsHour		This Land Is Your Land (M		y Music)	Kenny Rogers F	arewell Concert**	
Wed. 8/24	Steven Raichlen's Project Fire	PBS NewsHour		Death In Paradise		The Indian Doctor		Thou Shalt Not Kill**	
Thu. 8/25	Steven Raichlen's Project Fire	PBS NewsHour		Shakespeare & Hathaway-Private Investigators		Agatha Christie's: Poirot		Broadchurch**	
Fri. 8/26	Steven Raichlen's Project Fire	PBS NewsHour		Washington Firing Line with Week Margaret Hoover		The Murder		Experience of Emmett Till	
Sat. 8/27	The Lawrence Welk Show*	Roy Orbison Forev		er All Creatures G		reat and Small: The Next Chapter		Build A Better Memory Through Science	
Sun. 8/28	Rick Steves Fascism In Europe*	Riverdance 25th		Anniversary Show		60s Pop, Rock & Soul (My Mus		ic Presents)**	
Mon. 8/29	Steven Raichlen's Project Fire	PBS NewsHour		Midsomer Murders		Trouble with Maggie Cole		Unforgotten on Masterpiece**	
Tue. 8/30	Steven Raichlen's Project Fire	PBS NewsHour		The Boleyns: A Scandalous Family Ambition		Guilt On Masterpiece		Guilt On Masterpiece**	
Wed. 8/31	Steven Raichlen's Project Fire	PBS NewsHour		Death In Paradise		The Indian Doctor		Thou Shalt Not Kill**	

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Tue. 8/2	PBS NewsHour*	Windows to the Wild Sectional Hiker	Rick Steves' Europe	ů .			rs with Baratunde rston	Frontline** Ukraine: Life Under Russia's Attack
Wed. 8/3	PBS NewsHour*	Windows to the Wild School at Sea	Windows to the Wild Exploring Wild Iceland	The Green Planet Human Worlds		Nova NOVA Universe Revealed: Black Holes		Expedition with Steve Backshall**
Thu. 8/4	PBS NewsHour*	Windows to the Wild Community Outing	Rick Steves' Europe	Chasing Silver: The Story of Gorham		Icon: Music Through The Lens On The Wall		Icon: Music Through The Lens** On The Net
Fri. 8/5	PBS NewsHour*	Windows to the Wild Outdoor Classroom	Rick Steves' Europe	Stories from the Stage	Stories from the Stage	The Great American Recipe Family		One Voice: The Songs We Share
Sat. 8/6	Welcome to My Farm Lobster Bake	Escape to t	he Chateau	In Their Own Words Grantchester On Queen Elizabeth II		On Masterpiece	Cobra**	
Sun. 8/7	60s Pop, Rock & Soul (My Music Presents)*			In Their Own Words Princess Diana		Grantchester On Masterpiece		Cobra
Mon. 8/8	PBS NewsHour*	Windows to the Wild One Thousand Hours Outside	Rick Steves' Europe	Antiques I	Roadshow	P.O.V.** President		
Tue. 8/9	PBS NewsHour*	Windows to the Wild Rowing The Erie Canal	Rick Steves' Europe		our Roots he Beholder	America Outdoors with Baratunde Thurston		Frontline** Afghanistan Undercover
Wed. 8/10	PBS NewsHour*	Windows to the Wild Hiking with David	Windows to the Wild A Trek Through Scotland		ture Land of Lions	Nova NOVA Universe Revealed: Big Bang		Expedition with Steve Backshall**
Thu. 8/11	PBS NewsHour*	Windows to the Wild Flags On NH's 48	Rick Steves' Europe	Magnifice	ent Beast	The Last Pig		Hog Haven**
Fri. 8/12	PBS NewsHour*	Windows to the Wild Seek The Peak	Rick Steves' Europe	Stories from the Stage	Stories from the Stage	The Great American R The Great American R		
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Sun. 8/14	James Taylor: One Man Band* All Creatures 0			reat and Small: The Next Chapter		Grantchester On Masterpiece		Cobra**
Mon. 8/15	PBS NewsHour*	Windows to the Wild Adirondack Hut Boy	Roy Orbison Forever			Eat Your Medicine: The Pegan Diet with Mark Hyman, MD**		
Tue. 8/16	PBS NewsHour*	Windows to the Wild Thoreau at Walden Pond	Freedom Songs: The Music of the Civil Rights Movement			Suze Orman's Ultimate Retirement Guide**		
Wed. 8/17	PBS NewsHour*	Windows to the Wild Barry Burbank Takes A Hike	Ken Burns: The National Parks			Nova Mysteries of Sleep		
Thu. 8/18	PBS NewsHour*	Windows to the Wild Finding Your Way	Frankie Valli & The Four Seasons: Too Good to Be True			Bee Gees: One Night Only		
Fri. 8/19	PBS NewsHour*	Windows to the Wild Rico The Hiking Cat	John W	John Williams: The Berlin Concert		Roy Orbison Forever		er
Sat. 8/20	Tom Lehre	er - Live In Copenh	agen 1967 Bee Gees: One Night			Only	James Taylor: (	One Man Band**
Sun. 8/21	John Williams: The Berlin Concert*		Concert f	Concert for George			piece: 50 Fabulous	s Years!
Mon. 8/22	PBS NewsHour*	Windows to the Wild The Mountain Wanderer	Riverdance 25th Anniversary Show					Dr Josh Axe**
Tue. 8/23	PBS NewsHour*	Windows to the Wild Kayaking with Outdoor Afro	Suze Orman's Ultimate Retirement Gu			ide	Bee Gees: Or	e Night Only**
Wed. 8/24	PBS NewsHour*	Windows to the Wild Forest Therapy with Dogs	Kenny Rogers Farewell Concert Celebration: All In For The Gambler			C	Concert for George	**
Thu. 8/25	PBS NewsHour*	Windows to the Wild Memorial Hike	60s Pop, Rock & Soul (My Music Prese			ents)	3 Steps to Pai	n-Free Living**
Fri. 8/26	PBS NewsHour*	Windows to the Wild High Places		Chris Botti & The Dallas Symphony Orchestra			Great Performance monic Summer Nig	ht Concert 2022
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Tue. 8/30	PBS NewsHour*	Windows to the Wild A Trek Through Scotland	Rick Steves' Europe	Finding Your Roots Rise of the Bolsonal Criminal Kind				
Wed. 8/31	PBS NewsHour*	Windows to the Wild Memories of Hurricane Island	Windows to the Wild Hiking with Atticus The Dog	Nature Cuba's Wild Revolution		Nova A to Z: The First Alphabet		Surviving The Dust Bowl: American Experience**

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