

TOGETHER WE CAN ACHIEVE NEW GOALS



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New Hampshire PBS is no stranger to change. In the time that I've been with NHPBS, our small but mighty team has adapted to ever-changing technologies, experienced a \$2.7 million loss in state funding and innovated new ways to work and deliver content during the pandemic. These are just a few of the changes we have faced together.

We thrive on tackling challenges and figuring out how best to serve our neighbors, but it is our incredible community of sustainers, BritWit Club members, major donors, Passport viewers, local businesses, foundations and members like YOU who have come together to make NHPBS stronger.

Our "Together We" campaign kicked off our 60th anniversary in 2019, and has carried us throughout the pandemic and resonates even more today. Your unfailing support has allowed us to create a brand-new digital series — THE STATE WE'RE IN — that has given us an enormous opportunity to engage the community, talk to experts, have meaningful conversations and develop solutions to issues that are facing Granite Staters.

When we wanted to deliver on our mission to cover the governor's press conferences, a transformative gift from Dr. Geoffrey Clark and Senator Martha Fuller Clark allowed us to acquire new equipment to LIVE stream critical information to all platforms to serve the state. It is members, like you and the Clarks, who have provided the much-needed support to New Hampshire PBS.

Looking back over the year, there is so much

to celebrate. ***Yet, we are looking forward to creating a future of opportunities in the new year with you.***

Your support will help us get more boots on the ground to listen to the needs of our communities. Your support will allow us to be proactive and invest in new digital technologies. Your support will transform the infrastructure at all five of our transmitter sites. Your support will create the foundation for innovative programs and educational services for New Hampshire residents of all ages.

As we enter the final days of 2021, ***you have an opportunity to keep the momentum moving forward so we are ready to take on the next challenges.*** You can give a gift of stock, plan a gift in your will, become a monthly sustainer, allocate a gift from a donor-advised fund or join thousands of other members who enjoy our NHPBS Passport video-on-demand service.

As members, you know the power of your philanthropy will strengthen New Hampshire PBS. I hope to hear from you in the new year that together we can build a stronger future.

My staff and I wish you and your families a happy and healthy holiday season.

Sincerely,

Peter Frid
New Hampshire PBS President & CEO



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NHPBS PRIMETIME PICKS



Nitty Gritty Dirt Band: 50 Years and Circlin' Back

FRI Dec 3 | 9:30 PM

Celebrate the groundbreaking band's musical milestones and hits along with special guests Vince Gill, John Prine, Jackson Browne, Alison Krauss, Rodney Crowell, Jerry Jeff Walker, Jimmy Ibbotson, Sam Bush, Jerry Douglas and Byron House.



Land Girls

SUN Dec 5 | 4 PM

Follow the lives, loves, highs and lows of four members of the Women's Land Army during World War II. As men fought on the battlefields, women from all walks of life worked the farms that fed the nation, doing their part to keep the home front running.



Celtic Woman: Postcards from Ireland

SUN Dec 5 | 8:30 PM

Celtic Woman is sending musical postcards to fans, written with the songs from their latest album and filmed in 14 different locations around the island of Ireland. Explore some of the most stunning landscapes across the country.



America's Forests with Chuck Leavell: US Capitol Christmas Tree

FRI Dec 10 | 7 PM

In search of the perfect Christmas tree for the U.S. Capitol, Chuck Leavell follows the journey — from selection and cutting to ornament making — of what will become the U.S. Capitol Christmas Tree.



The Fabulous History of Skiing

THU Dec 23 | 9 PM

Trace the evolution of locomotion on two slats of wood — from cave art and a form of 19th century transportation to the leisure sport we know today — revealing surprising insights and unexpected stories from archival material and sports personalities.



Rick Steves: A Symphonic Journey

FRI Dec 31 | 8 PM

Travel host Rick Steves teams up with the Cascade Symphony Orchestra and maestro Michael Miropolsky for a musical journey that begins in the United States and touches down in seven different European countries.

5 CHANNEL SPOTLIGHT



CELEBRATING PBS NEWHOUR

SUN Dec 12 | 5 PM NHPBS

Explore how the award-winning newscast has set the standard for broadcast journalism. Go behind the scenes and meet the reporters, editors, producers and on-air team and discover how it all comes together for broadcast.



CRANFORD

SAT Dec 18 | 3 PM NHPBS EXPLORE

This period drama, based on a trio of novels by Elizabeth Gaskell, follows the upheaval faced by the residents of Cranford and how they react to the specter of change as the Industrial Age bears down on their town.



THIS OLD HOUSE

MON - SAT | 8 AM NH CREATE

Follow home renovations from start to finish with America's favorite team of experts – Tom Silva, Richard Trethewey, Jenn Nawada and Kevin O'Connor.



THREE FAITHS, ONE GOD: JUDAISM, CHRISTIANITY, ISLAM

MON Dec 13 | 7 PM NH WORLD

Examine the religious beliefs and practices shared by Jews, Christians and Muslims to illustrate how many in the Abrahamic faith communities are dealing with historical conflicts and their dedication to facilitating understanding and respect.



A CHARLIE BROWN CHRISTMAS

SUN Dec 19 | 7:30 PM NH PBS KIDS & NHPBS

Feeling down about the commercialism of Christmas, Charlie Brown becomes the director of the gang's holiday play. Can he overcome his friends' preference for dancing over acting, find the "perfect" tree and discover the true meaning of Christmas?

CELEBRATE HOLIDAYS



CHRISTMAS ON THE DANUBE

FRI Dec 3 | 7 PM NHPBS



DEAN MARTIN & FRANK SINATRA FAMILY CHRISTMAS SHOW

SUN Dec 5 | 2:30 PM NHPBS



SARAH BRIGHTMAN:

A CHRISTMAS SYMPHONY

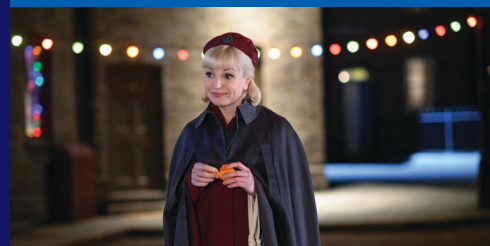
SUN Dec 5 | 10:30 PM NHPBS



20 YEARS OF CHRISTMAS WITH THE

TABERNACLE CHOIR

MON Dec 13 | 8 PM NHPBS



CALL THE MIDWIFE CHRISTMAS SPECIAL

SAT Dec 25 | 9 PM NHPBS

	6:30 PM	7:00 PM	7:30 PM	8:00 PM	8:30 PM	9:00 PM	9:30 PM	10:00 PM
Wed. 12/1	America's Test Kitchen From Cook's Illustrated	PBS NewsHour		Riverdance 25th Anniversary Show				Mindfulness Goes Mainstream**
Thu. 12/2	America's Test Kitchen From Cook's Illustrated	PBS NewsHour		The Dean Martin and Frank Sinatra Family Christmas Show			Pink Floyd: Live In Venice**	
Fri. 12/3	Cook's Country	PBS NewsHour		Washington Week	Open Mind	Suze Orman's Ultimate Retirement Guide**		
Sat. 12/4	Woody Guthrie All Star Tribute Concert -- 1970			Member Favorites		It's What's Happening Baby (My Music Presents)**		
Sun. 12/5	Suze Orman's Ultimate Retirement Guide*			Riverdance 25th Anniversary Show				Brain Secrets with Dr. Michael Merzenich
Mon. 12/6	America's Test Kitchen From Cook's Illustrated	PBS NewsHour		Midsomer Murders		Traces		Press On Masterpiece**
Tue. 12/7	America's Test Kitchen From Cook's Illustrated	PBS NewsHour		Member Favorites		Food Fix with Mark Hyman, Md**		
Wed. 12/8	America's Test Kitchen From Cook's Illustrated	PBS NewsHour		Mallorca Files		Royal House of Windsor		Professor T**
Thu. 12/9	Curious George: A Very Monkey Christmas*	PBS NewsHour		Frankie Drake Mysteries		Wallander		
Fri. 12/10	Cook's Country	PBS NewsHour		Washington Week	Open Mind	Easy Yoga: The Secret to Strength and Balance with Peggy Cappy		Member Favorites**
Sat. 12/11	Great Performances Broadway: Beyond The Golden Age				Burt Bacharach's Best (My Music Presents)			Food Fix with Mark Hyman, Md
Sun. 12/12	This Land Is Your Land (My Music)*	The Dean Martin and Frank Sinatra Family Christmas Show			Country Music: Live at the Ryman			
Mon. 12/13	America's Test Kitchen From Cook's Illustrated	PBS NewsHour		Midsomer Murders		Traces		Press On Masterpiece**
Tue. 12/14	America's Test Kitchen From Cook's Illustrated	PBS NewsHour		Upstart Crow	Christmas Revels: All Shall Be Well Again	All Creatures Great and Small On Masterpiece		All Creatures Great and Small On Masterpiece**
Wed. 12/15	Curious George: A Very Monkey Christmas*	PBS NewsHour		Mallorca Files		Royal House of Windsor		Professor T**
Thu. 12/16	America's Test Kitchen From Cook's Illustrated	PBS NewsHour		Frankie Drake Mysteries		Wallander		
Fri. 12/17	Cook's Country	PBS NewsHour		Washington Week	Open Mind	Firing Line with Margaret Hoover	Member Favorites**	
Sat. 12/18	Cranford*	Cranford		Return to Cranford		Return to Cranford		Return to Cranford**
Sun. 12/19	Lidia Celebrates America*	America's Test Kitchen Special: Home for the Holidays		Member Favorites				20 Years of Christmas with the Tabernacle Choir
Mon. 12/20	America's Test Kitchen From Cook's Illustrated	PBS NewsHour		Midsomer Murders		Jack The Ripper- The Case Reopened		Miss Scarlet and the Duke On Masterpiece**
Tue. 12/21	America's Test Kitchen From Cook's Illustrated	PBS NewsHour		Upstart Crow	Christmas Revels: All Shall Be Well Again	All Creatures Great and Small On Masterpiece		All Creatures Great and Small On Masterpiece**
Wed. 12/22	America's Test Kitchen From Cook's Illustrated	PBS NewsHour		Father Brown		Bletchley Circle - San Francisco		Professor T**
Thu. 12/23	America's Test Kitchen From Cook's Illustrated	PBS NewsHour		Lucy Worsley's 12 Days of Tudor Christmas		Wallander		
Fri. 12/24	Curious George: A Very Monkey Christmas*	PBS NewsHour		Washington Week	Open Mind	Firing Line with Margaret Hoover	American Experience** Voice of Freedom	
Sat. 12/25	Great Performances at the Met Jonas Kaufmann In Concert		Great Performances at the Met Sondra Radvanovsky & Piotr Beczala In Concert		Great Performances at the Met Anna Netrebko In Concert		Great Performances at the Met Adriana Lecouvreur	
Sun. 12/26	Great Performances at the Met* Akhnaten		Great Performances at the Met Bryn Terfel & Friends in Concert		Great Performances at the Met Lise Davidsen In Concert		Great Performances**	
Mon. 12/27	America's Test Kitchen From Cook's Illustrated	PBS NewsHour		Midsomer Murders		Inside The Mind of Agatha Christie		Miss Scarlet and the Duke On Masterpiece**
Tue. 12/28	America's Test Kitchen From Cook's Illustrated	PBS NewsHour		Secrets of the Royal Kitchens		All Creatures Great and Small On Masterpiece		All Creatures Great and Small On Masterpiece**
Wed. 12/29	America's Test Kitchen From Cook's Illustrated	PBS NewsHour		Father Brown		Bletchley Circle - San Francisco		Professor T**
Thu. 12/30	America's Test Kitchen From Cook's Illustrated	PBS NewsHour		Queen's Grocer: Inside Fortnum & Mason		Wallander		
Fri. 12/31	Cook's Country	PBS NewsHour		Washington Week	Open Mind	Firing Line with Margaret Hoover	Frontline	

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NH PBS DECEMBER 2021 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
Wed. 12/1	PBS NewsHour*	Greater Boston	Nature Equus: Story of the Horse: Origins			Brain Secrets with Dr. Michael Merzenich**		
Thu. 12/2	PBS NewsHour*	Greater Boston	Aging Backwards 3 with Miranda Esmonde-White		It's What's Happening Baby (My Music Presents)			
Fri. 12/3	PBS NewsHour*	Christmas on the Danube	Big Band Years				Nitty Gritty Dirt Band: 50 Years and Circlin' Back**	
Sat. 12/4	Il Volo - Tribute to Ennio Morricone			Rick Steves European Christmas				Pink Floyd: Live In Venice**
Sun. 12/5	Land Girls*	Classical Rewind (My Music)			Celtic Woman: Postcards from Ireland			
Mon. 12/6	PBS NewsHour*	Greater Boston	Happy Holidays with Bing and Frank	Suze Orman's Ultimate Retirement Guide				Aging Backwards 3 with Miranda Esmonde-White**
Tue. 12/7	PBS NewsHour*	Greater Boston	Henry Louis Gates, Jr. - Uncovering America				This Land Is Your Land (My Music)**	
Wed. 12/8	PBS NewsHour*	Greater Boston	Ken Burns: The National Parks			Johnny Cash: A Night to Remember		
Thu. 12/9	PBS NewsHour*	Greater Boston	This Land Is Your Land (My Music)			Country Music: Live at the Ryman**		
Fri. 12/10	PBS NewsHour*	America's Forests with Chuck Leavell: Us Capitol Christmas Tree	Rick Steves European Christmas				Great Performances**	
Sat. 12/11	This Land Is Your Land (My Music)			The Dean Martin and Frank Sinatra Family Christmas Show			Suze Orman's Ultimate Retirement Guide**	
Sun. 12/12	Carpenters: Close to You (My Music Presents)			The Carpenters: Christmas Memories (My Music Presents)	Rick Steves European Christmas			
Mon. 12/13	PBS NewsHour*	Greater Boston	Rick Steves' Europe	20 Years of Christmas with the Tabernacle Choir				Independent Lens The King
Tue. 12/14	PBS NewsHour*	Greater Boston	Rick Steves' Europe	Lidia Celebrates America		The Nutcracker and the Mouse King		
Wed. 12/15	PBS NewsHour*	Greater Boston	Windows to the Wild	Nature Santa's Wild Home		Nova Decoding Da Vinci		Impossible Builds**
Thu. 12/16	PBS NewsHour*	Greater Boston	Rick Steves' Europe	Upstart Crow	Christmas Revels: All Shall Be Well Again	Member Favorites**		
Fri. 12/17	PBS NewsHour*	European Christmas Markets	Basic Black	The St. Olaf Christmas Festival: A New Song of Grace and Truth		A Christmas Celtic Sojourn 2021		Live from Bradley Symphony Center: Milwaukee Symph**
Sat. 12/18	Tell Me More with Kelly Corrigan	Escape to the Chateau DIY		The Great British Baking Show		The Great British Baking Show		The Great British Baking Show**
Sun. 12/19	The Nutcracker and the Mouse King*		A Charlie Brown Christmas	All Creatures Great and Small On Masterpiece		All Creatures Great and Small On Masterpiece		All Creatures Great and Small On Masterpiece**
Mon. 12/20	PBS NewsHour*	Greater Boston	Rick Steves' Europe	Antiques Roadshow		Christmas at Belmont		Independent Lens** Pipe Dreams
Tue. 12/21	PBS NewsHour*	Greater Boston	Rick Steves' Europe	Finding Your Roots		American Experience** Voice of Freedom		
Wed. 12/22	PBS NewsHour*	Greater Boston	Windows to the Wild	Nature Mystery Monkeys of Shangri-La		Nova Decoding The Great Pyramid		Extinction: The Facts**
Thu. 12/23	PBS NewsHour*	Greater Boston	Rick Steves' Europe	Upstart Crow	Christmas Revels: All Shall Be Well Again	Fabulous History of Skiing		Craft In America**
Fri. 12/24	PBS NewsHour*	The Magic of Christmas In Alsace	Basic Black	Holiday Handbells: The Raleigh Ringers		20 Years of Christmas with the Tabernacle Choir**		
Sat. 12/25	The French Chef	Queen's Grocer: Inside Fortnum & Mason		Secrets of the Royal Kitchens		Call The Midwife Holiday Special		
Sun. 12/26	Norman Lear: American Masters*		Call The Midwife Holiday Special			All Creatures Great and Small On Masterpiece		All Creatures Great and Small On Masterpiece**
Mon. 12/27	PBS NewsHour*	Greater Boston	Rick Steves' Europe	Antiques Roadshow		P.O.V. Unapologetic		
Tue. 12/28	PBS NewsHour*	Greater Boston	Rick Steves' Europe	In Their Own Words Angela Merkel		American Experience The Codebreaker		Frontline** Opioids, Inc.
Wed. 12/29	PBS NewsHour*	Greater Boston	Windows to the Wild	Earth Emergency		Nova Secrets of the Forbidden City		Climate Change The Facts**
Thu. 12/30	PBS NewsHour*	Greater Boston	River City Drumbeat			Miles Davis: American Masters**		
Fri. 12/31	PBS NewsHour*	Windows to the Wild	Basic Black	Rick Steves Symphonic Journey		United In Song: Celebrating The American Dream		

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