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President & CEO

## WE'RE POWERED BY YOUR SUPPORT

There's nothing better than, at the end of the year, to reflect on all that we've accomplished here at New Hampshire PBS. As we approach the end of 2023, I find that it is your comments, letters and phone calls, and the folks who literally stop by to let us know we're on the right track, that make us feel proud of what we do.

It's great when our members, viewers and supporters reach out to let us know what is on their minds, how we could improve and what they enjoy watching on New Hampshire PBS. Sheila H., who loves watching *WINDOWS TO THE WILD WITH WILLEM LANGE*, said, *"I'm excited to be donating to New Hampshire PBS and to watch your shows. I've moved away from New Hampshire, but it is still home in my heart. I'll be enjoying your broadcasting from Oregon."*

It means a lot to us when we receive a note from a longtime GRANITE STATE CHALLENGE coach who speaks to the value of our high school quiz show. *"Granite State Challenge is such an amazing experience for the kids, coaches and families...because of all the hard work that you and your team put into the production of the show. Every single student I've had come through my program in the last decade, win or lose, loves their GSC experience, from the qualifying test to their time in-studio. We love NHPBS, and especially GSC,"* said Sara Campbell, the GSC coach from Merrimack High School.

If you've called in to the station, you've probably talked with Linda Howe, who has been with us for over 35 years and can chase down answers to just about any of your questions about our programming schedule or how to watch our shows. Or perhaps you spoke to either Terry Douglass or Diamond LeGrande, both of whom are on the front lines of our

membership department. They'll help you get started watching all your favorite shows with NHPBS Passport or ensure that you have your tickets in hand for one of our concerts, or they'll just listen to your feedback on how we're doing.

We loved hearing from Emily B. of Allenstown, NH, who thinks NHPBS has *"wonderful programming that is educational, interesting and entertaining."* Our friend Lori D. from Center Conway wrote to us saying, *"I support NHPBS for all the diverse great programs, which are either entertaining or learning experiences. I support PBS for the great programming all year round."* Janet C. from Dover said, *"NHPBS is the only television I watch. It is relevant and essential."*

But sometimes you reach out to let us know that things aren't quite right. Michael P. in Swanzey, who's had intermittent problems receiving our TV signal, has been in touch several times with our engineering department to troubleshoot this problem. You may be asking yourself, does a television station making house calls? In some cases, yes, we do. Michael sent us a letter after his in-home visit expressing, *"In my experience, Steve and Tom's collective act of kindness and service to NHPBS members is more than noteworthy - it's remarkable."*

I want to take this moment to thank you for your continued support throughout the year. We have accomplished so much together, and I'm incredibly proud of our small but mighty team who serve you every day. I'm excited about new ways to serve our community. We have ambitious goals for the new year, and I know that we can achieve them together with your continued financial support—and your moral support. Please keep your comments coming!

I wish you all a happy and healthy holiday season



# NHPBS PRIMETIME PICKS



## Agatha Christie: Lucy Worsley on the Mystery Queen

SUN Dec 3 | 8 PM NHPBS

Lucy Worsley explores the enigma of Agatha Christie. Over three episodes, she applies her historian's powers of investigation to the Queen of Crime. And she uncovers a complex woman whose life – and work – reflects the upheavals of the 20th century.



## Christmas in New England

TUE Dec 12 | 9:30 PM NHPBS

From the coast of Maine to the hills of the Berkshires, New England is a uniquely magical place to celebrate the holidays. Join host Lindsay Paris as she visits eight regional destinations to take a look at the traditions and events that make Christmas in New England so special.



## Mary Berry's Highland Christmas

MON Dec 18 | 9 PM NHPBS

Beloved home cook Dame Mary Berry is heading to the Highlands on a winter break, cooking up some truly indulgent dishes that can be enjoyed over the festive season. But this isn't just any Christmas — it's deeply meaningful for Mary because she's spending it in her mother's homeland, Scotland.



## Musher

THU Dec 21 | 10 PM NHPBS

Experience a year in the lives of four sled dog racers –mushers - and their dogs. The changing seasons set the scene as puppies are born, young dogs are trained and everybody yearns for the coming winter's races and the joys of being back on the snowy trails.



## Call the Midwife Holiday Special

MON Dec 25 | 8 PM NHPBS

Billie Jean King and seven female sports icons discuss how Title IX and their own achievements changed the course of women's sports. Featured are Nancy Lieberman, Chloe Kim, Naomi Osaka, Jackie Joyner-Kersey, Julie Foudy, Diana Flores and Suni Lee.



## Cultural Expressions: Kwanzaa

THU Dec 28 | 9:30 PM NHPBS

Explores the seven principles that are the foundation of Kwanzaa by sharing seven real-life stories of impact. These stories reveal how each principle plays a role in the Black community, enhanced by cultural elements of dance, storytelling, music, and spoken word.



# 5 CHANNEL SPOTLIGHT

OUR PRIMARY CHANNEL, NHPBS, IS NOW STREAMED LIVE AT [NHPBS.ORG/LIVESTREAM](http://NHPBS.ORG/LIVESTREAM)



## A CHRISTMAS CAROL GOES WRONG

SAT Dec 23 | 7:30 PM NHPBS

The Cornley Polytechnic Drama Society have been blacklisted by the BBC after ruining Peter Pan, however, they are not taking their ban lying down and force themselves back on the BBC by hijacking the jewel of the Christmas schedule, a 'live' production of A Christmas Carol.



## 25 YEARS WITH LIDIA: A CULINARY JUBILEE

MON Dec 25 | 10 PM NHPBS EXPLORE

With one of the longest running cooking shows on PBS, Lidia is also a life-long restaurateur and bestselling cookbook author. In honor of her silver anniversary, join Lidia's family and celebrity friends to roll back the years and get an intimate look at the memorable moments of her life, both on and off the screen.



## TASTEMAKERS

WEDNESDAYS | 5 PM NH CREATE

Explore the food world through the lens of innovation. From a look at sustainable seafood at an inland shrimp farm to a doctor who is peppering abandoned urban spaces with bee colonies, host Cat Neville takes viewers into the lives of makers, farmers and chefs to discover stories that engage, educate and inspire.



## GLOBAL SPIRIT

MON Dec 11 | 2 PM NH WORLD

Investigate philosophical and existential issues of the 21st century, tracing the eternal, yet still evolving human quest for meaning, truth and wisdom. The series brings together a rich mixture of philosophers, writers, scientists, religious and spiritual teachers, and practitioners of a wide range of faiths and traditions.



## NATURE CAT: NATURE CAROL

FRI Dec 1 | 7 PM NHPBS KIDS

In the tradition of the Dickens holiday classic, Nature Cat is visited by the spirits of Nature Past (Daisy), Present (Squeeks) and Future (Hal) on Christmas Eve.

# NOTEWORTHY SHOWS



## NEIL DIAMOND: THANK YOU AUSTRALIA

SAT Dec 2 | 5:30 PM



## JOE BONAMASSA: TALES OF TIME

SAT Dec 2 | 10:30 PM | TICKETS [nhpbs.org/events](http://nhpbs.org/events)



## CELTIC WOMAN 20TH ANNIVERSARY CONCERT

SUN Dec 3 | 6 PM



## ALL CREATURES GREAT AND SMALL

SUN Dec 3 | 9:30 PM



## Farewell Doc Martin

SAT Dec 3 | 9 PM

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# NH PBS DECEMBER 2023 PROGRAM SCHEDULE

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Fri. 12/1	PBS NewsHour*	Joseph Rosendo's Travelscope	Rick Steves' Europe	Washington Week with the Atlantic	Firing Line with Margaret Hoover	John Sebastian's Folk Rewind (My Music Presents)**		
Sat. 12/2	Neil Diamond: Thank You Australia*	Steve & Eydie: Memories of My Mom and Dad				Celtic Woman 20th Anniversary Concert**		
Sun. 12/3	Celtic Woman 20th Anniversary Concert*			Agatha Christie: Lucy Worsley on the Mystery Queen			All Creatures Great and Small: Christmas in the Dales**	
Mon. 12/4	PBS NewsHour*	Joseph Rosendo's Travelscope	Rick Steves' Europe	Antiques Roadshow		Antiques Roadshow		Dreaming of a Jewish Christmas**
Tue. 12/5	PBS NewsHour*	Joseph Rosendo's Travelscope	Afro-Latino Travels with Kim Haas	Finding Your Roots Laughing on the Inside		The Jewish Journey: America		Frontline** Inside The Uvalde Response
Wed. 12/6	PBS NewsHour*	Joseph Rosendo's Travelscope	Windows to the Wild Forest Bathing	Nature American Arctic		Nova Ghosts of Stonehenge		Great Polar Bear Feast**
Thu. 12/7	PBS NewsHour*	Joseph Rosendo's Travelscope	Rick Steves' Europe	Windows to the Wild Forest Bathing	Stories from the Stage	Counting On Birds		Bird Tales**
Fri. 12/8	PBS NewsHour*	Joseph Rosendo's Travelscope	Rick Steves' Europe	Washington Week with the Atlantic	Firing Line with Margaret Hoover	Crane Candlelight Concert		Mary Berry's Ultimate Christmas**
Sat. 12/9	PBS Arts Talk Misty Copeland with Nathaniel Mary Quinn	Celebrity Antiques Road Trip		The Goes Wrong Show	Bad Move	Farewell Doc Martin		Death In Paradise**
Sun. 12/10	Mr. Bean	Lucy Worsley's 12 Days of Tudor Christmas		Agatha Christie: Lucy Worsley on the Mystery Queen		All Creatures Great and Small On Masterpiece		All Creatures Great and Small On Masterpiece**
Mon. 12/11	PBS NewsHour*	Joseph Rosendo's Travelscope	Rick Steves' Europe	Antiques Roadshow		Antiques Roadshow		P.O.V. How to Have An American Baby
Tue. 12/12	PBS NewsHour*	Joseph Rosendo's Travelscope	Afro-Latino Travels with Kim Haas	Season of Light: Christmas with the Tabernacle Choir			Christmas In New England	Frontline** The Discord Leaks
Wed. 12/13	PBS NewsHour*	Joseph Rosendo's Travelscope	Windows to the Wild Winter in the White Mountains	Nature Canada: Surviving The Wild North		Nova The Next Pompeii		Great Yellowstone Thaw**
Thu. 12/14	PBS NewsHour*	Joseph Rosendo's Travelscope	Rick Steves' Europe	Windows to the Wild Winter in the White Mountains	Stories from the Stage	America's Forests with Chuck Leavell: Us Capitol Christmas Tree	Not On This Night**	
Fri. 12/15	PBS NewsHour*	Joseph Rosendo's Travelscope	Rick Steves' Europe	Washington Week with the Atlantic	Firing Line with Margaret Hoover	Lookingglass Alice**		
Sat. 12/16	PBS Arts Talk Rhiannon Giddens with Elvis Costello	Celebrity Antiques Road Trip		The Goes Wrong Show	Bad Move	Doc Martin		Death In Paradise**
Sun. 12/17	Agatha and the Curse of Ishtar*			Agatha Christie: Lucy Worsley on the Mystery Queen		All Creatures Great and Small On Masterpiece		All Creatures Great and Small On Masterpiece**
Mon. 12/18	PBS NewsHour*	Joseph Rosendo's Travelscope	Rick Steves' Europe	Antiques Roadshow		Mary Berry's Highland Christmas		25 Years with Lidia: A Culinary Jubilee**
Tue. 12/19	PBS NewsHour*	Joseph Rosendo's Travelscope	Afro-Latino Travels with Kim Haas	Finding Your Roots Country Roots		America at a Crossroads with Judy Woodruff		Frontline**
Wed. 12/20	PBS NewsHour*	Joseph Rosendo's Travelscope	Windows to the Wild Winter On Mt. Washington	Nature Santa's Wild Home		Nova Decoding The Great Pyramid		Great Yellowstone Thaw**
Thu. 12/21	PBS NewsHour*	Joseph Rosendo's Travelscope	Rick Steves' Europe	Windows to the Wild Winter On Mt. Washington	Stories from the Stage	Real Rail Adventures: Swiss Winter Magic		Musher**
Fri. 12/22	PBS NewsHour*	Joseph Rosendo's Travelscope	Rick Steves' Europe	Washington Week with the Atlantic	Firing Line with Margaret Hoover	Season of Light: Christmas with the Tabernacle Choir		
Sat. 12/23	PBS Arts Talk Henry Winkler with Jimmy Kimmel	Christmas In New England	Christmas Carol Goes Wrong		Bad Move	Doc Martin		Death In Paradise**
Sun. 12/24	Christmas In New England	Mary Berry's Highland Christmas		All Creatures Great and Small On Masterpiece		All Creatures Great and Small On Masterpiece		All Creatures Great and Small On Masterpiece**
Mon. 12/25	PBS NewsHour*	Joseph Rosendo's Travelscope	Rick Steves' Europe	Call The Midwife Holiday Special			Call The Midwife Holiday Special**	
Tue. 12/26	PBS NewsHour*	Joseph Rosendo's Travelscope	Afro-Latino Travels with Kim Haas	Finding Your Roots Beyond The Pale		Finding Your Roots Secrets & Lies		Finding Your Roots** Homecomings
Wed. 12/27	PBS NewsHour*	Joseph Rosendo's Travelscope	Windows to the Wild One Thousand Hours Outside	Nature Penguins: Meet The Family		Nova Alaskan Dinosaurs		Great Yellowstone Thaw**
Thu. 12/28	PBS NewsHour*	Joseph Rosendo's Travelscope	Rick Steves' Europe	Windows to the Wild One Thousand Hours Outside	Stories from the Stage	Let's Go London 2024	Cultural Expressions: Kwanzaa	
Fri. 12/29	PBS NewsHour*	Joseph Rosendo's Travelscope	Rick Steves' Europe	Washington Week with the Atlantic	Firing Line with Margaret Hoover	Craft In America		Craft In America**
Sat. 12/30	PBS Arts Talk Misty Copeland with Twyla Tharp	Celebrity Antiques Road Trip		To Be Announced		Doc Martin		Death In Paradise**
Sun. 12/31	Let's Go London 2024	Rod Stewart - Live at Royal Albert Hall		Next at the Kennedy Center A New Year's Eve Celebration		Kenny Rogers Farewell Concert Celebration: All In For The Gambler		Roy Orbison Forever**

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Sat. 12/2	The Lawrence Welk Show*	Suze Orman's Ultimate Retirement Guide				Memory Makeover with Daniel Amen, MD**		
Sun. 12/3	Memory Makeover with Daniel Amen, MD*			Buffalo Soldiers: Fighting On Two Fronts: A Local, USA Special			Becoming Frederick Douglass**	
Mon. 12/4	Samantha Brown's Places to Love	PBS NewsHour		Midsomer Murders		Father Brown		Traces**
Tue. 12/5	Samantha Brown's Places to Love	PBS NewsHour		Agatha Christie: Lucy Worsley on the Mystery Queen			Agatha and the Midnight Murders**	
Wed. 12/6	Samantha Brown's Places to Love	PBS NewsHour		Death In Paradise		Hope Street		RFDS: Royal Flying Doctor Service**
Thu. 12/7	Samantha Brown's Places to Love	PBS NewsHour		Sister Boniface Mysteries		Agatha Christie's: Poirot		Inside The Mind of Agatha Christie**
Fri. 12/8	Samantha Brown's Places to Love	PBS NewsHour		Finding Your Roots Laughing on the Inside		Civilizations		Fly Brother with Ernest White II
Sat. 12/9	The Lawrence Welk Show*	Finding Your Roots Laughing on the Inside		Norman Lear: American Masters			Counting On Birds	
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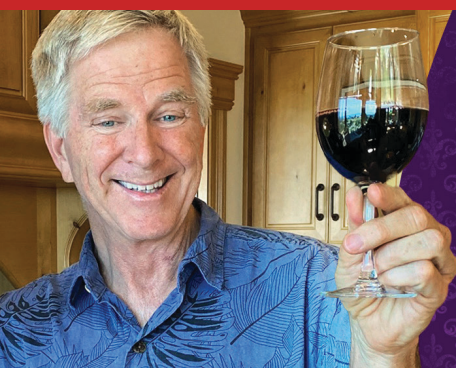
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