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Welcome to Primetime – a simplified schedule of primetime OPB TV listings. Visit opb.org/schedules for the full TV schedule. Thank you for your membership support of OPB!

1 FRIDAY

- 7:00 **OPB** PBS News Hour | **OPB** American Experience *The American Vice President*
- 8:00 **OPB** Call the Midwife *S11E7* | **OPB** Bloomberg Wall Street Week
- 9:00 **OPB** The Great American Recipe *S4E4* | **OPB** Washington Week With the Atlantic
- 9:30 **OPB** Oregon Experience *Bill Bowerman*
- 10:00 **OPB** Miss Friman's War *S2E1*. Swedish Homes is divided when young Britta is accused of a crime. | **OPB** Life at the Waterhole *E2/3*
- 11:00 **OPB** Masterpiece *Ridley Road: E1*. A young Jewish spy infiltrates London's homegrown neo-Nazi movement in 1962.

2 SATURDAY

- 7:00 **OPB** Rick Steves' Europe *Vienna and the Danube/The Czech Republic Off the Beaten Path* | **OPB** A French Village *S1E12* |
- 8:00 **OPB** Vienna Blood *S2E4*. In 1900s Vienna, Dr. Max Liebermann and DI Oskar Rheinhardt uncover some of the city's most mysterious and deadly cases. | **OPB** Evolution Earth *Earth*
- 9:00 **OPB** Traces *S2E3*. Lab assistant Emma Hedges trains to be a forensic chemist after her mother's murder case resolved. | **OPB** Fight the Power: How Hip Hop Changed the World *The Foundation*
- 10:00 **OPB** Professor T *S3E5* | **OPB** America Outdoors With Baratunde Thurston *Death Valley: Life Blooms*
- 11:00 **OPB** Help! We Bought a Village *S2E9* | **OPB** Evolution Earth *Earth* (R)

3 SUNDAY

- 7:00 **OPB** The Great American Recipe *S4E4* (R) | **OPB** Doc World *Afghanistan: The Wounded Land, Pt 1*
- 8:00 **OPB** Wisdom Keepers Explore life's fundamental questions with the world's most profound thinkers. | **OPB** Spy in the Ocean: A Nature Miniseries *Deep Thinkers*
- 9:00 **OPB** Masterpiece *Grantchester: S10E8*. In the season finale, Alphy and Geordie keep an eye on rising tensions as a controversial figure is invited to speak at the university. | **OPB** Walking With Dinosaurs *Island of Giants*
- 10:00 **OPB** Masterpiece *Atlantic Crossing: E8* | **OPB** Finding Your Roots *Mean Streets*
- 11:00 **OPB** Austin City Limits *Jason Isbell and the 400 Unit* | **OPB** Doc World *Afghanistan: The Wounded Land, Pt 1* (R)

4 MONDAY

- 7:00 **OPB** PBS News Hour | **OPB** Life at the Waterhole *E3* (R)
- 8:00 **OPB** Antiques Roadshow *Palm Springs, Hr 2* | **OPB** Dementia and Living Well
- 9:00 **OPB** Oregon Experience *Luther Cressman: Quest for First People*. In the 1930s, Cressman uncovered Ice Age sandals in an Oregon cave. | **OPB** Kerry: Tides of Time *E1/2* |
- 10:00 **OPB** Antiques Roadshow *Palm Springs, Hr 3*
- 11:00 **OPB** Atomic People Witness the lasting impact of atomic warfare. | **OPB** SoCal Snowy Owl
- 11:30 **OPB** Stories From the Stage *Up Close and Personal*

5 TUESDAY

- 7:00 **OPB** PBS News Hour | **OPB** Walking With Dinosaurs *The Journey North*
- 8:00 **OPB** Finding Your Roots *Dreamers One and All*. Featuring Sharon Stone and Chrissy Teigen. | **OPB** From Fear To Hope: The HIV and AIDS Journey
- 9:00 **OPB** American Experience *Victory in the Pacific*. Examine the final months of World War II from the perspectives of the Japanese and Americans. | **OPB** NOVA *Ancient Maya Metropolis*
- 10:00 **OPB** Human Footprint *Vanishing Act*
- 11:00 **OPB** The Last Independent Automaker *The Missionary/The Now Cars*. Explore how the U.S. car market boomed after World War II. | **OPB** Expedition With Steve Backshall *Expedition Unseen*

6 WEDNESDAY

- 7:00 **OPB** PBS News Hour | **OPB** Expedition With Steve Backshall *Expedition Unseen* (R)
- 8:00 **OPB** Nature *The Hummingbird Effect* | **OPB** Future of Farming |
- 9:00 **OPB** NOVA *Ancient Builders of the Amazon* | **OPB** POV Shorts *Recorded Memory*
- 9:30 **OPB** Pictures From a Hiroshima Schoolyard |
- 10:00 **OPB** Pompeii: The New Dig *House of Treasures*. Join Italian archaeologists in the final chapter of Pompeii's largest excavation in a generation. |
- 10:30 **OPB** Atomic People (R)
- 11:00 **OPB** Evolution Earth *Islands*

7 THURSDAY

- 7:00 **OPB** PBS News Hour | **OPB** Human Footprint *Vanishing Act* (R)
- 8:00 **OPB** Outdoor Idaho *Ghosts of the Frank/Right of Way*. An Idaho backcountry skier sets off on an epic adventure. | **OPB** Atomic Echoes: Untold Stories From World War II |
- 9:00 **OPB** Velvet *S1E1*. In 1950s Madrid, it's the golden age of haute couture. | **OPB** Marathon *Big Cats 24/7* (until 12am)
- 10:30 **OPB** Sisi: Austrian Empress *S2E1*. An unexpected reunion could jeopardize everything Franz and Sisi have built. |
- 11:30 **OPB** NDIGO STUDIO *Building a Community*

8 FRIDAY

- 7:00 **OPB** PBS News Hour | **OPB** Big Cats 24/7 *E3* (R)
- 8:00 **OPB** Call the Midwife *S11E8* | **OPB** Bloomberg Wall Street Week
- 9:00 **OPB** The Great American Recipe *S4E5* | **OPB** Washington Week With the Atlantic
- 9:30 **OPB** Oregon Experience *William Gladstone Steel*
- 10:00 **OPB** Miss Friman's War *S2E2* | **OPB** American Experience *Victory in the Pacific* (R)
- 11:00 **OPB** Masterpiece *Ridley Road: E2*

9 SATURDAY

- 7:00 **OPB** Rick Steves' Europe *Athens and Side Trips/Greece's Peloponnese* | **OPB** A French Village *S2E1* |
- 8:00 **OPB** Vienna Blood *S2E5* | **OPB** Evolution Earth *Islands* (R)
- 9:00 **OPB** Traces *S2E4* | **OPB** Fight the Power: How Hip Hop Changed the World *Under Siege*
- 10:00 **OPB** Professor T *S3E6* | **OPB** America Outdoors With Baratunde Thurston *Idaho: Tied to the Land*
- 11:00 **OPB** Help! We Bought a Village *S2E10* | **OPB** Evolution Earth *Islands* (R)

10 SUNDAY

- 7:00 **OPB** The Great American Recipe *S4E5* (R) | **OPB** Doc World *Afghanistan: The Wounded Land, Pt 2*
- 8:00 **OPB** Lucy Worsley Investigates *Princes in the Tower* | **OPB** Spy in the Ocean: A Nature Miniseries *Deep Feelings*
- 9:00 **OPB** Paul Hollywood Goes To Hollywood *New York/Savannah* | **OPB** Nature *The Hummingbird Effect* (R)

PRIMETIME TV LISTINGS

10:00 **OPB** **Finding Your Roots** *Dreamers One and All* (R)

11:00 **OPB** **Austin City Limits** *Tanya Tucker/ Brittny Spencer* | **OPB** **Doc World** *Afghanistan: The Wounded Land, Pt 2* (R)

11 MONDAY

7:00 **OPB** **PBS News Hour** | **OPB** **Finding Your Roots** *Dreamers One and All* (R)

8:00 **OPB** **Antiques Roadshow** *Salt Lake City, Hr 1* | **OPB** **Blue: The Life and Art of George Rodrigue**

9:00 **OPB** **Oregon Experience** *The Jewish Frontier. Jewish pioneers were among the earliest settlers in the Far West.* | **OPB** **Horse Relative**

10:00 **OPB** **Antiques Roadshow** *Salt Lake City, Hr 2* | **OPB** **The Mustangs: America's Wild Horses**

11:00 **OPB** **Craft in America** *California*

11:30 **OPB** **Stories From the Stage** *Newsworthy*

12 TUESDAY

7:00 **OPB** **PBS News Hour** | **OPB** **Walking With Dinosaurs** *Island of Giants* (R)

8:00 **OPB** **WWII Mega Weapons** *The Tunnels of Okinawa/Battleship Yamato* | **OPB** **Upstream, Downriver: Uniting for Water Justice**

9:00 **OPB** **NOVA** *Ancient Builders of the Amazon* (R)

10:00 **OPB** **My Grandparents' War** *Toby Jones* | **OPB** **Pompeii: The New Dig** *The Bodies/ Escape*

11:00 **OPB** **The Last Independent Automaker** *The Odd Couple/The Pacer* (P)

13 WEDNESDAY

7:00 **OPB** **PBS News Hour** | **OPB** **Pompeii: The New Dig** *Escape* (R)

8:00 **OPB** **Marathon** *Changing Planet* (until 11pm). Explore the planet's most threatened ecosystems. | **OPB** **The Piping Plovers of Moonlight Bay**

9:00 **OPB** **Lion: The Rise and Fall of the Marsh Pride**

10:30 **OPB** **POV** *Fauna*

11:00 **OPB** **Evolution Earth** *Heat*

14 THURSDAY

7:00 **OPB** **PBS News Hour** | **OPB** **Big Cats** *24/7 E1* (R)

8:00 **OPB** **Outdoor Idaho** *Beyond the Buzz/Dogs With Jobs*. Examine the status of bees in Idaho. (P) | **OPB** **Thirst for Power**

9:00 **OPB** **Velvet** *S1E2* | **OPB** **Marathon** *Big Cats* *24/7* (until 12am)

10:30 **OPB** **Sisi: Austrian Empress** *S2E2* (P)

11:30 **OPB** **NDIGO STUDIO** *Building a Cultural Community* (P)

15 FRIDAY

7:00 **OPB** **PBS News Hour** | **OPB** **Big Cats** *24/7 E6* (R)

8:00 **OPB** **Call the Midwife** *S12E1* | **OPB** **Bloomberg Wall Street Week**

9:00 **OPB** **The Great American Recipe** *S4E6* (P) | **OPB** **Washington Week With the Atlantic**

9:30 **OPB** **Oregon Experience** *Portland Noir*

10:00 **OPB** **Miss Friman's War** *S2E3* (P) | **OPB** **Animals With Cameras: A Nature Miniseries** *S1E2/3*

11:00 **OPB** **Masterpiece** *Ridley Road: E3*

16 SATURDAY

7:00 **OPB** **Rick Steves' Europe** *Copenhagen/ Denmark: Beyond Copenhagen* | **OPB** **A French Village** *S2E2* (P)

8:00 **OPB** **Vienna Blood** *S2E6* | **OPB** **Evolution Earth** *Heat* (R)

9:00 **OPB** **Traces** *S2E5* | **OPB** **Fight the Power: How Hip Hop Changed the World** *Culture Wars*

10:00 **OPB** **Astrid** *S3E1*. Astrid investigates the death of an astrophysicist. (P) | **OPB** **America Outdoors With Baratunde Thurston** *LA: It's a Vibe*

11:00 **OPB** **Help! We Bought a Village** *S1E11* | **OPB** **Evolution Earth** *Heat* (R)

17 SUNDAY

7:00 **OPB** **The Great American Recipe** *S4E6* (R) | **OPB** **Doc World** *Afghanistan: The Wounded Land, Pt 3*

8:00 **OPB** **Lucy Worsley Investigates** *The Black Death* | **OPB** **Spy in the Ocean: A Nature Miniseries** *Deep Relationships*

9:00 **OPB** **Paul Hollywood Goes To Hollywood** *Santa Fe/Los Angeles* | **OPB** **Ireland's Wild Coast** *E1/2*

11:00 **OPB** **Austin City Limits** *Norah Jones/ Hurray for the Riff Raff* | **OPB** **Doc World** *Afghanistan: The Wounded Land, Pt 3* (R)

18 MONDAY

7:00 **OPB** **PBS News Hour** | **OPB** **Animals With Cameras: A Nature Miniseries** *S1E3* (R)

8:00 **OPB** **Antiques Roadshow** *Salt Lake City, Hr 3* | **OPB** **Creole Pig: Haiti's Great Loss** (P)

9:00 **OPB** **Oregon Experience** *Vanport*. Once the second-largest city in Oregon, Vanport was destroyed by a catastrophic flood. | **OPB** **Return of the Trumpeters**

10:00 **OPB** **Antiques Roadshow** *Virginia Beach, Hr 1* | **OPB** **Monadnock: The Mountain That Stands Alone**

11:00 **OPB** **POV** *Emergent City*. Explore the erupting battle over the future of New York City as residents of Sunset Park, Brooklyn, face threats to their community. (P) | **OPB** **On Grizzly Ground**

11:30 **OPB** **Stories From the Stage** *Second Chance*

19 TUESDAY

7:00 **OPB** **PBS News Hour** | **OPB** **Monadnock: The Mountain That Stands Alone** (R)

8:00 **OPB** **Finding Your Roots** *Viewers Like You*. Featuring three everyday families. | **OPB** **Unknown Destination: A Love Story**

9:00 **OPB** **American Experience** *My Lai*. Examine how an ordinary American infantry unit came to murder more than 300 unarmed Vietnamese civilians. | **OPB** **NOVA** *Cat Tales*

10:00 **OPB** **Iconic America: Our Symbols and Stories With David Rubenstein** *Fenway Park* | **OPB** **Pompeii: The New Dig** *The Final Hours*

11:00 **OPB** **The Last Independent Automaker** *The Alliance/The Betrayal* (P) | **OPB** **Pompeii: The New Dig** *House of Treasures* (R)

20 WEDNESDAY

7:00 **OPB** **PBS News Hour** | **OPB** **Pompeii: The New Dig** *House of Treasures* (R)

8:00 **OPB** **Nature** *The Platypus Guardian* | **OPB** **The Living Land**

9:00 **OPB** **NOVA** *Lost Tombs of Notre Dame* | **OPB** **POV** *King Coal*

10:00 **OPB** **Secrets of the Dead** *Last Days of Pompeii*

10:30 **OPB** **POV** *Emergent City* (R)

11:00 **OPB** **Evolution Earth** *Ice*

21 THURSDAY

7:00 **OPB** **PBS News Hour** | **OPB** **Big Cats** *24/7 E2* (R)

8:00 **OPB** **Outdoor Idaho** *Return of the Giants*. Learn the impact that Idaho's western white pine tree has had on society. (P) | **OPB** **Barakan Discovers Amami Oshima: Isson's Treasure Island**

9:00 **OPB** **Velvet** *S1E3* | **OPB** **Marathon** *Wild Metropolis* (until 12am)

10:30 **OPB** **Sisi: Austrian Empress** *S2E3* (P)

11:30 **OPB** **Grown Up Dad** *S1E1*. Wanting to be more for his own son, one dad sets out on a journey across the United States and Australia after being inspired by the hit TV show, Bluey.

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22 FRIDAY

7:00 **OPB** PBS News Hour | **OPB** Wild
Metropolis Survivors (R)

8:00 **OPB** Call the Midwife S12E2 | **OPB**
Bloomberg Wall Street Week

9:00 **OPB** Islam's Greatest Stories of Love A
heartbroken woman seeks solace in five great
stories of love and loss from the Islamic
tradition. P | **OPB** Washington Week With
the Atlantic

9:30 **OPB** Oregon Experience Vortex

10:00 **OPB** Animals With Cameras: A Nature
Miniseries S2E2

11:00 **OPB** Masterpiece Ridley Road: E4 | **OPB**
Beauty on the Wing: Life Story of the
Monarch Butterfly

23 SATURDAY

7:00 **OPB** Rick Steves' Europe Istanbul/Iran: Tehran
and Side Trips | **OPB** A French Village S2E3 P

8:00 **OPB** Vienna Blood S3E1 | **OPB** Evolution
Earth Ice (R)

9:00 **OPB** Traces S2E6 | **OPB** Fight the Power:
How Hip Hop Changed the World Still Fighting

10:00 **OPB** Astrid S3E2 P | **OPB** America
Outdoors With Baratunde Thurston
Appalachia: A Different Way

11:00 **OPB** Help! We Bought A Village S1E12 |
OPB Evolution Earth Ice (R)

24 SUNDAY

7:00 **OPB** Celebrity Antiques Road Trip Ricky
Tomlinson & Micky Starke | **OPB** Doc World
Afghanistan: The Wounded Land, Pt 4

8:00 **OPB** Professor T S4E1. A woman vanishes
at sea. P | **OPB** Spy in the Ocean: A Nature
Miniseries Deep Trouble

9:00 **OPB** Masterpiece The Marlow Murder Club:
S2E1. Judith, Becks and Suzie are back on the
case after a groom dies. P | **OPB** Nature The
Platypus Guardian (R)

10:00 **OPB** Masterpiece Unforgotten: S6E1. When
a spine is dredged out of Whitney Marsh, DI
Sunny Kahn and DCI Jess James spring back
in action. P | **OPB** Finding Your Roots
Viewers Like You (R)

11:00 **OPB** Austin City Limits Rodrigo y Gabriela
Featuring the Austin Symphony Orchestra |
OPB Doc World Afghanistan: The Wounded
Land, Pt 4 (R)

25 MONDAY

7:00 **OPB** PBS News Hour | **OPB** Beauty on the
Wing: Life Story of the Monarch Butterfly (R)

8:00 **OPB** Antiques Roadshow Virginia Beach,
Hr 2 | **OPB** Voices Over the Water

9:00 **OPB** Oregon Experience Oregon's Japanese
Americans. Follow the history of Oregon's
Japanese Americans. | **OPB** Islam's
Greatest Stories of Love (R)

10:05 **OPB** Antiques Roadshow Virginia Beach,
Hr 3

11:00 **OPB** POV A New Kind of Wilderness. On a
small farm in a Norwegian forest, one family
strives to live wild and free. P | **OPB** Raptors!
Kings of the Sky

11:30 **OPB** Stories From the Stage Unexpected

26 TUESDAY

7:00 **OPB** PBS News Hour | **OPB** Raptors!
Kings of the Sky (R)

7:30 **OPB** On Grizzly Ground (R)

8:00 **OPB** Finding Your Roots La Famiglia.
Featuring Joy Behar and Michael Imperioli. |
OPB Nature The Platypus Guardian (R)

9:00 **OPB** American Experience Clearing the Air:
The War on Smog. Examine the struggle
against airborne toxins that led to the creation
of the Clean Air Act. P | **OPB** NOVA Lost
Tombs of Notre Dame (R)

10:00 **OPB** Iconic America: Our Symbols and
Stories With David Rubenstein The
Hollywood Sign | **OPB** Secrets of the Dead
Last Days of Pompeii (R)

11:00 **OPB** American Masters Janis Ian: Breaking
Silence. Discover the captivating journey of a
trailblazing artist. P | **OPB** NOVA Dog Tales

27 WEDNESDAY

7:00 **OPB** PBS News Hour | **OPB** NOVA Dog
Tales (R)

8:00 **OPB** Nature Gorilla | **OPB** Pathways To
Invention

9:00 **OPB** NOVA Building the Eiffel Tower | **OPB**
POV Shorts Between Earth and Sky

9:30 **OPB** Independent Lens One With the Whale

10:00 **OPB** Secrets of the Dead The End of the
Romans

11:00 **OPB** Evolution Earth Grasslands | **OPB**
POV A New Kind of Wilderness (R)

28 THURSDAY

7:00 **OPB** PBS News Hour | **OPB** POV A New
Kind of Wilderness (R)

8:00 **OPB** Outdoor Idaho The Field Recordings.
Enjoy a peaceful and nature-filled journey
through music. P | **OPB** Truth Tellers

9:00 **OPB** Velvet S1E4 | **OPB** Marathon Dogs in
the Wild: A Nature Miniseries (until 12am)

10:30 **OPB** Sisi: Austrian Empress S2E4 P

11:30 **OPB** Grown Up Dad S1E2

29 FRIDAY

7:00 **OPB** PBS News Hour | **OPB** Dogs in the
Wild: A Nature Miniseries Defending Wild
Dogs (R)

8:00 **OPB** Call the Midwife S12E3 | **OPB**
Bloomberg Wall Street Week

9:00 **OPB** Statue of Liberty Explore the creation
of this iconic statue. | **OPB** Washington
Week With the Atlantic

9:30 **OPB** Oregon Experience Astoria

10:00 **OPB** Miss Friman's War S2E4 P | **OPB**
American Experience My Lai (R)

11:00 **OPB** Luna & Sophie S3E1 | **OPB** American
Experience Clearing the Air: The War on Smog (R)

30 SATURDAY

7:00 **OPB** A French Village S2E4 P

7:30 **OPB** Carole King & James Taylor Live at
the Troubadour Carole King and James Taylor
reunited to celebrate the venue's 50th
anniversary. P

8:00 **OPB** Evolution Earth Grasslands (R)

9:00 **OPB** Deconstructing the Beatles Delve into
the creative process behind the band's iconic
music. | **OPB** American Experience The War
on Disco

10:00 **OPB** America Outdoors With Baratunde
Thurston Oregon: New Heights

10:30 **OPB** RAYE: Live at Royal Albert Hall Join
RAYE as she takes to the stage of London's iconic
venue to perform songs from her award-
nominated album 'My 21st Century Blues.' P

11:00 **OPB** Evolution Earth Grasslands (R)

31 SUNDAY

7:00 **OPB** Doc World Facing the Dragon

8:00 **OPB** Professor T S4E2 P

8:30 **OPB** SoCal Snowy Owl (R)

9:00 **OPB** Masterpiece The Marlow Murder Club:
S2E2 P | **OPB** Nature Gorilla (R)

10:00 **OPB** Masterpiece Unforgotten: S6E2 P |
OPB Finding Your Roots La Famiglia (R)

11:00 **OPB** American Revolution: An Inside
Look Get an early sneak peek at Ken Burns'
newest documentary series. P | **OPB** Doc
World Facing the Dragon (R)

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