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Our book club wraps up 2023!

We hope you’ve had a chance to read our last All Books Considered Book Club selection of the year: This Other Eden, by Paul Harding. That book club meeting is coming right up – Thursday, December 7, at 7:00 p.m. – and will be hosted by Bill Nemitz. A season ending twist – just like in any classic thriller! – is that the narrator for the audio version of This Other Eden, Edoardo Ballerini, will be joining the meeting as well.

Have a question in advance for the author? Send it over to us at fun@mainepublic.org and Bill will do his best to work it into the conversation. Be sure to pick up a copy from a Bull Moose location or from any of our book club partner bookstores found on our website, mainepublic.org. Maine Public’s All Books Considered Book Club is made possible through the generous support of Bull Moose and Coffee by Design.

If you’d like to suggest a title or two for 2024, send us a note to fun@mainepublic.org or mail us at Fun, Maine Public, 1450 Lisbon Street, Lewiston, Maine, 04240. We are looking for compelling fictional pieces either written by Maine authors or set in Maine itself.

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December Television Specials

Agatha Christie: Lucy Worsley on the Mystery Queen
Premieres Sunday, December 3, 8:00 pm

In her new three-part series, popular British historian Lucy Worsley turns her powers of investigation to the mysterious figure of author Agatha Christie, uncovering the story of one of the most famous and complex women of the 20th century. How did this seemingly conventional British matron write so convincingly about the dark art of murder? Lucy traces the novelist’s footsteps from the Devon coast to Istanbul and Egypt and analyzes the many hints of her life that the novelist planted in her works. She uncovers surprising new evidence and some carefully concealed secrets that illuminate the life of a writer whose work continues to delight readers worldwide.

Season of Light:
Christmas with The Tabernacle Choir
Tuesday, December 12, 8:00 pm
Friday, December 22, 9:00 pm

The beloved annual holiday special returns for its 20th televised year with award-winning artists Lea Salonga and Sir David Suchet. Salonga joins The Tabernacle Choir and Orchestra at Temple Square in singing favorite holiday tunes as well as performing a World War II-era song in Tagalog, “Payapang Daigdig,” to honor her Filipina heritage. As the evening’s narrator, Suchet powerfully recounts the story of Sir Nicholas Winton, an English stockbroker who worked tirelessly in the months before World War II to save endangered Jewish children from Nazi-occupied Czechoslovakia. Combining timeless music with real-life examples of sharing light, it is a moving program that invites the spirit of sharing goodness this holiday season.

Christmas at Westminster: An Evening of Readings and Carols
Monday, December 25, 2:00 pm

The popular concert returns with an hour of music and readings. Westminster Choir College presents their yearly holiday event. Recorded in the Princeton University Chapel, the program features more than 400 musicians in five different choirs, including the Symphonic Choir, Jubilee Singers, and the Concert Bell Choir. The musical numbers performed in the concert encompass a variety of styles, including traditional Christmas carols with audience participation, beloved choral works, a diverse array of holiday standards, and contemporary arrangements that both surprise and delight. Together with a number of secular readings, the program brings beauty and comfort to audiences at this special time of year.

Celebrate the Holiday Season in the Treeborhood!

An all-new Work It Out Wombats! episode – The Treeborhood Parranda/ Happy New Acorn Year! – premieres on Monday, December 4! A lot of excitement for the littlest learners in your house! The Flapping Feathers’ bus derails on its way to the Parranda, and super fans Sammy and Louisa save the celebration! Later, the Wombats can stay up late to watch the New Year’s Eve Acorn Drop – if they can keep from falling asleep!

All PBS Kids Programming on Maine Public is available for FREE over-the-air across Maine on both Maine Public Television and the PBS 24/7 Kids Channel and can be streamed online for FREE on mainepublic.org. The access to this important educational content is made possible by Maine Public’s membership and by the community-focused team at McSea Books. Thank you!
Not To Be Missed

Michael Flatley’s Lord of the Dance: The Impossible Tour
Friday, December 8, 9:00 pm

For 25 years, Michael Flatley’s Lord of the Dance has dazzled audiences around the world with its unique combination of high-energy Irish dancing, original music, storytelling and sensuality. In The Impossible Tour, the legendary dance show returns with a new generation, led onstage by Michael Flatley’s handpicked successor, Matt Smith, one of only four people in the world capable of performing Michael’s legendary “Feet of Flames” solo.

Lookingglass Alice
Friday, December 15, 9:00 pm

An exhilarating live theatrical adaptation of “Alice in Wonderland,” was created and performed by Chicago’s Tony Award-winning Lookingglass Theatre Company. Inspired by Lewis Carroll’s beloved stories and infused with physical risk world-class circus arts, this “Alice” transports audiences down the rabbit hole with new twists on the beloved characters and story, creating a wildly entertaining adventure for all ages. It’s “Spectacular… Pure, unadulterated magic” noted the Chicago Sun-Times. (Photo: Liz Lauren.)

Let Maine Public once again be the soundtrack for your holiday season!

Celebrate the season with Maine Public’s Classical Holiday Stream — a delightful selection of seasonal music from the Boston Pops, the Tanglewood Festival Chorus, the Canadian Brass, the Cambridge Singers, and a host of others.

The Classical Holiday stream is available day and night at mainepublic.org and on the Maine Public app whenever you need just the right music to accompany your holiday preparations and celebrations. Unsure of how to access our streaming services including the holiday stream? Go to Maine Public’s website — mainepublic.org — and click on the “All Radio Streams” icon on the top right of the page to access the stream.

The Maine Public Classical Holiday Stream is made possible by the support of our members — thank you! — and the generosity of the Good Shepherd Food Bank, Eastern Basements (a division of Eastern Mold Remediation), Rising Tide Co-op, Richard Parks Furniture, Sherman’s Maine Coast Book Shops, and the Dead River Company.

Barbra Streisand: Back to Brooklyn airs Friday, December 29, at 9:00 p.m. The legendary superstar performed two magical concerts in October 2012 in her New York hometown borough. Her guests included trumpeter Chris Botti, singing group Il Volo, and Streisand’s son, actor-director Jason Gould. (Photo: Russell James.)

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Say for String Orchestra; Casarrubios: Overture and Chorale; Bach: Chaconne from Partita in D minor for Solo Violin; Schubert: String Quartet No. 14, “Death and the Maiden.”

8:00-10:00 pm Chicago Symphony Orchestra
Ravel: Menuet ancien; Shostakovich: Violin Concerto No. 1 in A minor, Op. 77; Vadim Gluzman, violin; Debussy: La mer; Ravel: La valse; Webern: Im Sommerwind.

8:00-10:00 pm Maine Stage
Portland Symphony Orchestra. Contreras: Mariachiattan; Piazzolla: The Four Seasons of Buenos Aires; Schuman: Symphony No. 1.

8:00-10:00 pm New York Philharmonic
Copland: El Salón México; Rouse: Flute Concerto, Robert Langenheim, flute; Ravel: Gaspard de la nuit; Boléro, Debussy: Ibéria.

11:00 am Songbook: Hygge Holidays
A wide variety of songs inspire Scandinavian coziness.

1:00-5:00 pm Metropolitan Opera
Mozart: The Magic Flute.

8:00-10:00 pm SymphonyCast
WDR Symphony Orchestra, Lucas and Arthur Jussen, piano. Mendelssohn: Overture to A Midsummer Night’s Dream; Concerto in E for Two Pianos and Orchestra; Prokofiev: Romeo and Juliet Suites.

8:00-10:00 pm Chicago Symphony Orchestra
Kabalevsky: Colas Breugnon Overture; Haydn: Symphony No. 88; Weinerberger: Polka and Fugue from Schwanda the Bagpiper; Liebmann: Concerto for Jazz Band and Orchestra; Mahler: Symphony No. 4, Lisa Della Casa, soprano.

8:00-10:00 pm Maine Stage

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Monday

6:00 am Montserrat Boy Choir
7:00 am A Festival of Nine Lessons and Carols
Christmas eve services air from King’s College in Cambridge, England.
9:00 am All Is Bright
Choral music tells the traditional Christmas story.
10:00 am Carols as Home with the Imani Winds
The wind quintet plays traditional holiday music. Oboist Toyin Spellman-Diaz hosts.
11:00 am A Handel & Haydn Society Christmas
The Boston group performs Christmas choral music.
12:00 pm Maine Public Classical Holiday Special
3:00 pm A Choral Christmas With Stile Antico
Stile Antico offers radiant sacred music from the Renaissance.
4:00 pm The Ballad of the Brown King
The dark-skinned king, Balthazar, journeyed to Bethlehem to witness the birth of Jesus.

Tuesday

6:00 pm A Season’s Grift
Kwanzaa is celebrated in story and song.
7:00 pm The Sounds of Kwanzaa
Kwanzaa’s history, its guiding principles and music honor the holiday.
8:00-10:00 pm Chicago Symphony Orchestra
Handel: Messiah Part 1; Gabrieli: Selections; Tchaikovsky: The Nutcracker selections.

Wednesday

8:00-10:00 pm Maine Stage

Thursday

8:00-10:00 pm New York Philharmonic
Concert to be announced.

Friday

7:00-8:00 pm Candles Burning Brightly
Food, traditional activities and music celebrate Chanukah.

Sunday

8:00-9:00 pm Selected Shorts: Unwrapping the Holidays
Three stories reveal the holidays’ associations: family, friends, food, gifts, and goodwill, in different ways.

Monday

12:00-1:00 am A Choral Christmas With Stile Antico
9:00 am St. Olaf Christmas Festival
11:00 am-12:00 pm Tinsel Tales 3
“More NPR Christmas Favorites”
1:00 pm All Is Bright
Choral music tells the Christmas story.
2:00 pm A Choral Christmas With Stile Antico
Stile Antico offers radiant sacred music from the Renaissance.
3:00-4:00 pm Carols as Home with the Imani Winds
The wind quintet plays holiday music.
7:00 pm Tinsel Tales 4
“So Much More NPR Favorites”
8:00 pm Joy to the World
“Holiday in Pink” The little orchestra Pink Martini plays songs from across the globe.
9:00 pm An Afro Blue Christmas
Howard University’s a cappella group and pianist Cyrus Chestnut perform.
10:00 pm Christmas with the Morehouse and Spelman Glee Clubs
The choirs perform a joyous mixture of spirituals and carols.
11:00 pm-12:00 am Jazz Piano Christmas 39
Pianist and vocalist Melvis Santa and Cuban jazz pianist Alfredo Rodriguez are guests.
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<td>Rolling Stones Rock and Roll Circus - In 1968, the Stones Headlined a TV special that featured aerialists, fire-eaters, and acrobats with the day's top rock talent, including The Who, Jethro Tull, Taj Mahal, Marianne Faithfull, Yoko Ono, John Lennon, and Eric Clapton.</td>
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**World**
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**PBS Kids**
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  - 8:00 pm: Cyberchase Hero Elementary
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**Main (HD)**
- **8 Fri**
  - 8:00 pm: Washington Week with the Atlantic
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**Create**
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**Main (HD)**
- **9 Sat**
  - 8:00 pm: Kenny Rogers Farewell Concert
  - 9:00 pm: The Great American Recipe
  - 9:30 pm: Joy of Painting Forest Edge

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  - 8:00 pm: Agatha Christie: Lucy Worsley on the Mystery Queen Destination Unknown (2 of 3)
  - 8:30 pm: Antiques Roadshow Tearjerkers Featured: An 1888 Joseph Nawahi oil, a Navajo Ute First Phase blanket, and a Gambinus beer stein.
  - 9:00 pm: America's Kitchen Beef Wellington

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  - 8:30 pm: Antiques Roadshow Body of Work Featured: A Willie Sutton prison-escape head and hand, an over-the-shoulder saxhorn, and a Victorian puffy heart charm necklace.
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  - 8:00 pm: Cyberchase Hero Elementary
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- **12 Tue**
  - 8:00 pm: Season of Light: Christmas with the Tabernacle Choir - Performers Lea Salonga and Sir David Suchet join the choir in a festive and uplifting Christmas concert that includes timeless carols, treasured songs and moving narration.
  - 8:30 pm: Chris Kimball Chicken Soups
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<td>Great Yellowstone Thaw (1 of 3) A Yellowstone winter is a brutal one and wildlife have to find strategies to survive. Some animals leave, some hide and some tough it out. (Ends 11:00 pm)</td>
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<td>Mary Berry’s Highland Christmas - In her mother’s homeland of Scotland, Mary enjoys traditional festive delights and cooks up some of her own indulgent dishes.</td>
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<td>25 Years with Lidia: A Culinary Jubilee - Chef Lidia Bastianich, her family and her friends look at the memorable moments of her life, both on and off the screen. (Ends 11:00 pm)</td>
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<td>Finding Your Roots Country Roots</td>
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<td>Frontline Netanyahу, America &amp; The Road to War in Gaza Frontline covers the long struggle between the Israeli leader and multiple U.S. presidents over Middle East peace. (Ends 11:00 pm)</td>
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<td>Nature Santa’s Wild Home</td>
<td>NOVA Decoding the Great Pyramid Stunning new evidence provides clues about the Egyptians who built the Great Pyramid of Giza, and how they did it.</td>
<td>Great Yellowstone Thaw (2 of 3) Spring in Yellowstone brings many new challenges. Cameras follow owls, beavers and bears as winter ends and the spring thaw begins. (Ends 11:00 pm)</td>
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<td>Maine’s Home Movies: Treasures from Northeast Historic Film - A century of Maine life caught on film by Maine people reflects family, friends, livelihoods and places loved.</td>
<td>Little Bird Bineshi Kwe (6 of 6) The Little Bird family comes together to mourn death and celebrate life. Esther and Goldie’s bond is strengthened. (Ends 11:00 pm)</td>
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<td>Season of Light: Christmas with the Tabernacle Choir - Performers Lea Salonga and Sir David Suchet join the choir in a festive and uplifting Christmas concert that includes timeless carols, treasured songs and moving narration.</td>
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<td>Christmas Greetings from Aroostook</td>
<td>Mary Berry’s Ultimate Christmas - The beloved British home cook and friends prepare her ultimate Christmas feast with all the trimmings.</td>
<td>Our House (4 of 4) Fi discovers the truth behind the house sale and confronts those responsible. Meanwhile, Bram, on the run, must come to terms with his own actions. (Ends 11:00 pm)</td>
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<td>Masterpiece All Creatures Great and Small 3 (6 of 7) As war comes in September 1939, everyone faces decisions small and large.</td>
<td>Masterpiece All Creatures Great and Small 3 (7 of 7) It’s Christmas at Skeldale and Siegfried has to decide whether to protect Tristan at the cost of River’s welfare. (Ends 11:00 pm)</td>
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<td>American Experience: Sandra Day O’Connor: The First She was the Supreme Court’s first female justice. A pioneer who both reflected and shaped an era, O’Connor was the deciding vote in cases on some of the 20th century’s most controversial issues – including race, gender and reproductive rights. (Ends 11:00 pm)</td>
<td>Chris Kimball’s Feast for 7th Day</td>
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<td>Cultural Expressions: Kwanzaa - The seven principles that are the foundation of Kwanzaa are shared in seven real-life stories of impact.</td>
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<td>Island Winter - Winter on a Maine island is seen through the eyes of those who live it each year on Vinalhaven.</td>
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<td>Little Bird: Wanna Icipus Kupi (Coming Home) - The movement for Indigenous narrative sovereignty goes behind the scenes of the series “Little Bird.” (Ends 11:30 pm)</td>
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<td>Moments to Remember - Patti Page and Nick Clooney host musical classics from the late ’50s and ’60s pop era. Performers include Frankie Laine, The Four Lads, Roger Williams, Herb Reed’s Platters, Rosemary Clooney, Perry Como and others.</td>
<td>No Passport Required Chicago</td>
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<td>This Land Is Your Land - The Smothers Brothers and Judy Collins take a musical journey through the evolution of modern American folk music, from its roots in bluegrass to clubs in Greenwich Village. (Ends 11:00 pm)</td>
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<td>Next at the Kennedy Center A New Year’s Eve Celebration Ring in the New Year with a star-studded musical celebration on stage at the Kennedy Center.</td>
<td>Lionel Richie: The Library of Congress Gershwin Prize - Singer-songwriter Lionel Richie receives the Gershwin prize for Popular Song. (Ends 11:00 pm)</td>
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Main (HD) Television Weekend Listings

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2 Saturday

9:00 am All Creatures Great and Small “Christmas in the Dales”
10:30 am Mary Berry’s Ultimate Christmas
12:00 pm Suze Orman’s Ultimate Retirement
2:00 pm Farewell Doc Martin
A behind-the-scenes special shares details about the series.
3:00 pm Last of the Breed
Willie Nelson, Merle Haggard and Ray Price perform some of their greatest songs.
4:30 pm The Highwaymen Live at Nassau Coliseum
6:00 pm Washington Week with the Atlantic
6:30 pm PBS News Weekend
7:00 pm Steve & Eydie: Memories of My Mom and Dad
Steve Lawrence and Eydie Gorme performed songs from the 1950s and ’60s, Tin Pan Alley, Broadway and The American Songbook.
9:00 pm Bee Gees One Night Only
The group’s 1997 concert features many of their greatest disco and pop hits.
10:30 pm-12:30 am 60s Pop, Rock & Soul
Featured are hits and favorites of the AM radio era.

3 Sunday

8:00 am Borealis
The comeback of the alevife; a new group is teaching fly fishing.
8:35 am Borealis
Appalachian Trail with Nyle Sockbeson; wood turtle hunting.
9:15 am Borealis
Marine Mammals of Maine rescues injured seals; citizen scientists count loons.
10:00 am The Brain-Gut Connection with Dr. Emeran Mayer
11:30 am Rick Steves’ Festive Europe
12:00 pm Bee Gees One Night Only
The group’s 1997 concert features many of their greatest disco and pop hits.
1:30 pm Celtic Woman 20th Anniversary

9 Saturday

8:00 am Suze Orman’s Ultimate Retirement
10:00 am Demystifying Detox
12:00 pm James Taylor: One Man Band
1:30 pm Steve & Eydie: Memories of My Mom and Dad
Steve Lawrence and Eydie Gorme performed songs from the 1950s and ’60s, Tin Pan Alley, Broadway and The American Songbook.
3:30 pm The Lawrence Welk Holiday Special
6:00 pm Washington Week with the Atlantic
6:30 pm PBS News Weekend
7:00 pm Kenny Rogers Farewell Concert Celebration: All in for the Gambler
Dolly Parton, Reba McEntire and others celebrate Kenny Rogers’ farewell to Nashville.
8:30 pm The Highwaymen Live at Nassau Coliseum
10:00 pm-12:00 am Ken Burns: Country Music
Singer Kathy Mattea hosts this look at the most revealing moments from the 8-part epic film “Country Music.”

10 Sunday

8:00 am Borealis
Whitewater kayak competitors; wild mushroom; women as registered Maine Guides.
8:40 am Borealis
Mountain biking mecca; scientists study seawater; trail hike in Wells.
9:30 am Nature “Soul of the Ocean”
11:00 am Classic Christmas
Gavin MacLeod and Marion Ross host a nostalgic celebration of traditional carols and holiday standards.
1:00 pm Les Misérables: The Staged Concert
One of the world’s most popular musicals stars Michael Ball as Javert and Alfie Boe as Jean Valjean.
4:30 pm Michael Flatley’s Lord of the Dance: The Impossible Tour
The legendary dance show returns with a new generation of performers.
6:00 pm Firing Line with Margaret Hoover
6:30 pm PBS News Weekend
7:00 pm Antiques Roadshow
8:00 pm Agatha Christie: Lucy Worsley on the Mystery Queen “Destination Unknown” (2 of 3) Lucy unravels Agatha’s mysterious 1926 disappearance.
9:00 pm Masterpiece “All Creatures Great and Small 3” (1 of 7)
James and Helen’s wedding date approaches.
10:00 pm Masterpiece “All Creatures Great and Small 3” (2 of 7)
James and Helen enter married life, while James settles in uneasily as Siegfried’s partner.
11:00 pm-12:30 am All Creatures Great and Small “Christmas in the Dales”

16 Saturday

9:00 am J Schwanke
9:30 am Fons & Porter’s Love of Quilting
10:00 am Ciao Italia
10:30 am Family Ingredients
11:00 am Christina Cooks
11:30 am Lidia’s Kitchen
12:00 pm Sara’s Weeknight Meals

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11:00 am Christina Cooks
11:30 am Lidia’s Kitchen
12:00 pm Sara’s Weeknight Meals
12:30 pm Chris Kimball
1:00 pm Cook’s Country
1:30 pm America’s Test Kitchen
2:00 pm Maine’s Home Movies
3:00 pm Ask This Old House
3:30 pm This Old House
4:00 pm The Caverns Sessions
4:30 pm Ray Stevens Cabaray Nashville
5:00 pm The Lawrence Welk Show
6:00 pm Washington Week with the Atlantic
6:30 pm PBS News Weekend
7:00 pm As Time Goes By

24 Sunday

8:00 am Nature
8:30 pm Christmas Greetings from Aroostook
9:00 am NOVA
9:30 am This Land Is Your Land
10:00 am Masterpiece
10:30 am Masterpiece
11:00 am-12:00 am RFDS: Royal Flying Doctor Service

31 Sunday

8:00 am Nature
8:30 am 5 Minute Yoga Fix with Peggy Cappy
9:30 am Suze Orman’s Ultimate Retirement
10:30 am Masterpiece
12:00 pm Masterpiece
12:30 pm Nitty Gritty Dirt Band: 50 Years and Circin’ Back
2:00 pm The Highwaymen Live at Nassau Coliseum
3:30 pm Doo Wop, Pop and Soul Generations
6:00 pm Firing Line with Margaret Hoover
6:30 pm PBS News Weekend
7:00 pm Steve & Eydie: Memories of My Mom and Dad
8:00 pm Our House
9:00 pm Masterpiece
9:30 pm Masterpiece
10:00 pm America’s Forests with Chuck Leavell
10:30 pm Firing Line with Margaret Hoover
11:00 pm-12:00 am RFDS: Royal Flying Doctor Service
IN CELEBRATION OF THE 100TH BIRTHDAY of the Strand Theatre, filmmaker Dale Schierholtz has directed a new documentary on its history. The Strand’s story begins in the early 1920s when Ida Dondis and her husband Joseph saw opportunity and a future in the movies and built a new theater for Rockland on the site of a devastating fire. Over the ensuing decades, the Strand assumed its role as Rockland’s community gathering place in times of struggle and celebration. Then, at the dawn of the new millennium, the Strand experienced three dark years of closure before its glorious rebirth. Listed on the National Register of Historic Places, the building underwent an extensive renovation in 2005, which included new sound and projection equipment, a fully restored interior and exterior, and a bright new marquee. The film culminates with the Strand’s evolution into the community supported nonprofit institution it is today.

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