

Best Bets

Brian and Maggie

Two old friends, politician-turned-journalist Brian Walden and Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher, sit for one of the most famous political exchanges of all time.

TUNE IN OCT. 5 QNE 12 AT 8 P.M.

Independent Lens: Breaking the Code

A groundbreaking look at Phil Sharp's rise from being a rural Kentucky farm boy who battled dyslexia to Nobel Prize-winning scientist.

TUNE IN ON OCT. 6 AT 10 P.M.

Miss Austen on MASTERPIECE

The fictional story of the lives and loves of British writer Jane Austen and her sister Cassandra.

TUNE IN ON SUNDAYS AT 8 P.M. BEGINNING OCT. 19

FRONTLINE: The Rise of RFK, Jr.

How the scion of a storied dynasty endured tragedy and scandal, broke with the Democratic Party and his family, stoked conspiracy theories and is reshaping government and public health.

TUNE IN ON OCT. 21 AT 10 P.M.

Ben Franklin, a Film by Ken Burns

Ken Burns's four-hour documentary explores the revolutionary life of one of the 18th century's most consequential figures.

TUNE IN ON OCT. 24 AND 31 AT 9 P.M.

Antiques Roadshow: Kooky and Spooky

Celebrate Halloween with thrilling and chilling finds, like a rag doll nicknamed "Chucky," a nightmarish Leonora Carrington painting, and an eye-catching "Bride of Frankenstein" pressbook.

TUNE IN ON OCT. 27 AT 9 P.M.



*The four-part series premieres
Sunday, Oct. 19 at 8 p.m.*

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DAYTIME

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MONDAY-FRIDAY

6:00 Arthur
30/The Cat in the Hat Knows a Lot About Halloween
31/Arthur: The Haunted Tree House

6:30 Odd Squad

7:00 Wild Kratts
31/Wild Kratts: Creepy Creatures

7:30 Weather Hunters

8:00 Lyla in the Loop

8:30 Carl the Collector

9:00 Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood

9:30 Rosie's Rules

10:00 Sesame Street
31/The Cat in the Hat Knows a Lot About Halloween

10:30 Work It Out Wombats
17/Arthur: The Haunted Tree House
20/The Cat in the Hat Knows a Lot About Halloween

11:00 Donkey Hodie
16/Wild Kratts: Creepy Creatures

11:30 Pinkalicious & Peterrific
8/The Cat in the Hat Knows a Lot About Halloween
17/UF Homecoming Parade 2025

12:00 Elinor Wonders Why
28/Arthur: The Haunted Tree House

12:30 Alma's Way

1:00 Molly of Denali
22/Wild Kratts: Creepy Creatures
29/The Cat in the Hat Knows a Lot About Halloween

1:30 Xavier Riddle and the Secret Museum

2:00 Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood
31/Arthur: The Haunted Tree House

2:30 Arthur
21/Arthur: The Haunted Tree House
20/The Cat in the Hat Knows a Lot About Halloween

3:00 Alma's Way
31/Wild Kratts: Creepy Creatures

3:30 Wild Kratts

4:00 Rick Steves' Europe
1,8,15,22,29/Greater Good

4:30 6,13,20,27/Rosendo's Steppin' Out
7,14/In the America's with David Yetman
21,28/Fork & Hammer
1,8,15,22,29/Weekends with Yankee
2,9,16/Burt Wolf: Travels & Traditions
23,30/The Good Road
3,10,17,24,31/Greater Good

5:00 WUFT News First at Five

5:30 BBC News America

6:00 Deutsche Welle News

6:30 BBC News The Context

7:00 PBS News Hour

SATURDAY

6:00 Mister Rogers' Neighborhood

6:30 Arthur
25/Arthur: The Haunted Tree House

7:00 Wild Kratts

7:30 Weather Hunters

8:00 Lyla in the Loop

8:30 Carl the Collector

9:00 Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood
25/The Cat in the Hat Knows a Lot About Halloween

9:30 Rosie's Rules

10:00 Pati's Mexican Table

10:30 Sara's Weeknight Meals

11:00 America's Test Kitchen

11:30 Cook's Country

12:00 America the Bountiful

12:30 The Life of LOL: Mediterranean Secrets
25/Kitchen Curious w/Vivian Howard

1:00 Chris Kimball's Milk Street Television

1:30 This Old House

2:00 Ask This Old House

2:30 Motorweek

3:00 Florida Roadtrip
4/Sanford
11/Fort Myers
18/UCF
25/Collier County

3:30 Greater Good

4:00 People of the North

4:30 Samantha Brown's Places to Love

5:00 11/GNV on the Move
Burt Wolf: Travels and Traditions

5:30 Rick Steves' Europe

6:00 PBS News Weekend

SUNDAY

6:00 Mister Rogers' Neighborhood

6:30 Arthur

7:00 Molly of Denali
28/Wild Kratts: Creepy Creatures

7:30 Weather Hunters

8:00 Lyla in the Loop

8:30 Carl the Collector

9:00 Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood

9:30 Rosie's Rules

10:00 Best of Sewing with Nancy

10:30 It's Sew Easy

11:00 Conseulo Mack Wealthtrack

11:30 Firing Line with Margaret Hoover

12:00 Noticias WUFT

12:30 Capitol Update

1:00 Ilene Silverman Show

1:30 Greater Good

2:00 Celebrity Antiques Road Trip

3:00 5/LBJ: American Experience
12/Jimmy Carter: American Experience
19, 26/American Buffalo

5:00 5/Deadly Alliance: Leopold and Loeb
12/In Their Own Words: Jimmy Carter
19/Why Dinosaurs?
28/From Rails to Trails

6:00 PBS News Hour Weekend

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1 — Wednesday

8:00 Big Cats 24/7

New Beginnings. Young Xudum lionesses return north as Pobe faces tragedy, and Lediba struggles to feed her cub.

9:00 NOVA

Human: Neanderthal Encounters. Discover how Homo sapiens outlasted Neanderthals — and how they helped make us who we are today.

11:00 BBC News

11:30 Ask This Old House

12:00 Amanpour & Company

1:00 Greater Good

2 — Thursday

8:00 This Old House

8:30 Ask This Old House

9:00 Doc Martin

How Long Has This Been Going On? While checking on a sick sheep farmer, Doc runs into Stewart James, a patient who used to suffer from delusions that he lived with a giant squirrel. When Stewart begins to behave oddly, Al worries he's having a mental breakdown.

10:00 Astrid

Gold Blood. A fashion photographer is found dead with a stake through the heart.

11:00 BBC News

11:30 Ask This Old House

12:00 Amanpour & Company

1:00 Greater Good

3 — Friday

8:00 Washington Week with the Atlantic

8:30 Greater Good

Episode 48. Alachua County Youth Orchestra, Center for nonprofit Excellence, The Jesus Infusion, Elder Options.

9:00 Great Performances

The Magic of Grace Bumbry. How Black Missouri native Grace Bumbry became the toast of the 1960s international opera scene, a rise that began in an era of 1950s racism.

10:00 American Masters

Julia Alvarez: A Life Reimagined. Explore the story of Dominican-American poet and novelist Julia Alvarez, who burst onto the literary scene and blazed a trail for a generation of Latino authors.

12:00 Amanpour & Company

1:00 Greater Good

4 — Saturday

6:30 Knight Talks

Barby K. Siegel.

7:00 Antiques Roadshow

Vintage Raleigh.

8:00 Sherlock on MASTERPIECE

A Scandal in Belgravia. A case of blackmail threatens to topple the monarchy itself, but soon Sherlock and John discover there is even more to it than that. They find themselves battling international terrorism, rogue CIA agents, and a secret conspiracy involving the British government. However, this case will cast a longer shadow on their lives than they could ever imagine.

9:30 Recorded Live at Analog

Chase Rise.

10:30 WUFT Amplified

Tonight featuring Dan Mangan.

11:00 Austin City Limits

Finneas.

5 — Sunday

6:30 Between the Covers

7:00 Astrid

Gold Blood. See listing on 10/2 at 10 p.m.

8:00 Brian and Maggie

Episode 1. Two old friends, politician-turned-journalist Brian Walden and Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher, sit for one of the most famous political exchanges of all time, one that would end a political era and a long-term friendship as it reshaped national opinion and triggered the downfall of the Iron Lady.

9:00 Maigret on MASTERPIECE

Maigret and the Lazy Burglar. Follow Maigret as he investigates a series of bank robberies plaguing Paris. (Part 1/2)

10:00 The Gold on MASTERPIECE

To Be King. Six armed men steal gold from the Brink's-Mat security depot and scramble to find ways to dispose of the bullion. DCI Brian Boyce sets up a task force to investigate.

11:00 Anika on MASTERPIECE, Season 1

6 — Monday

8:00 Antiques Roadshow

Vintage Raleigh. (Part 2/2)

9:00 Antiques Roadshow

Vintage Orlando. Learn how outstanding Orlando items have held up in the market, including a \$120K-\$180K! (Part 2/2)

10:00 Independent Lens

Cracking the Code: Phil Sharp and the Biotech Revolution. A groundbreaking look at Phil Sharp's rise from being a rural Kentucky farm boy who battled dyslexia to Nobel Prize-winning scientist.

11:30 BBC News

12:00 Amanpour & Company

1:00 Greater Good

7 — Tuesday

8:00 Finding Your Roots

Family Recipes. Henry Louis Gates, Jr. explores the ancestry of notable chefs José Andrés and Sean Sherman.

9:00 Finding Your Roots

Anchormen. Journalists Jim Acosta and Van Jones uncover the ancestors who blazed a trail for them.

10:00 FRONTLINE

Born Poor. An indelible look at the realities of

growing up poor in America. Filmed over 14 years with kids from three families, from adolescents to adults with kids of their own, navigating an economy with more obstacles than opportunities.

- 11:00 BBC News
- 11:30 Ask This Old House
- 12:00 Amanpour & Company
- 1:00 Greater Good

8 — Wednesday

- 8:00 Big Cats 24/7

Succession. A new generation of big cats rises in the Okavango Delta.

- 9:00 NOVA

Human: Into the Americas. Follow ancient humans' perilous journey into the Americas, where a frigid Ice Age landscape, mammoths, and other fearsome beasts tested their resilience.

- 10:00 Secrets of the Dead

The Rise & Fall of the Colosseum. The jewel of ancient Rome, the Colosseum exhibited Rome's immense wealth and influence as well as its power and downfall.

- 11:00 BBC News
- 11:30 Ask This Old House
- 12:00 Amanpour & Company
- 1:00 Greater Good

9 — Thursday

- 8:00 This Old House
- 8:30 Ask This Old House
- 9:00 Doc Martin

Everlasting Love. Martin rubs up against the new herbalist and Penhale, Louisa and James are all interested in Janice's new pedicure fish. Martin's ex-flame invites him to speak as keynote speaker at Imperial College, and Ruth is back from Mexico with more than maracas.

- 10:00 Astrid

The Flowers of Evil. The lifeless body of a biologist with a passion for plant intelligence is found inside a tropical greenhouse. Could her past research projects have something to do with her murder?

- 11:00 BBC News
- 11:30 Ask This Old House
- 12:00 Amanpour & Company
- 1:00 Greater Good

10 — Friday

- 8:00 Washington Week with the Atlantic



- 8:30 Greater Good

Episode 49. Smathers Libraries, SKY UF, United Way of Marion County and North Florida Foundation for Research and Education.

9:00 King of Them All: The Story of King Records Exploring the groundbreaking legacy of Cincinnati's King Records, and the central role it played in shaping American popular music.

10:00 Ocklawaha: Tales My Father Told Peter Coyote narrates the symphonic tales of the Ocklawaha River and its people.

10:30 Soundwaves of the Bandshell The Miami Beach Bandshell stage welcomes Locos Por Juana and solo artist Kaylan Arnold.

- 11:00 BBC News
- 11:30 Ask This Old House
- 12:00 Amanpour & Company
- 1:00 Greater Good

11 — Saturday

- 6:30 Knight Talks

Artie Kempner.

- 7:00 Antiques Roadshow

Vintage Raleigh. See listing on 10/6 at 8 p.m.

- 8:00 Sherlock on MASTERPIECE

The Hounds of the Baskerville. Something terrible has happened to Henry Knight; Sherlock and John investigate the truth about the monstrous creature which apparently killed their client's father. A hound from hell? What seems like fantasy in Baker Street is a very different prospect in the ultra-secret army base that looms over Dartmoor.

9:30 Recorded Live at Analog
George Thorogood & The Destroyers.

10:30 WUFT Amplified
Tonight featuring Orbiter.

11:00 Austin City Limits
The Marias.

12 — Sunday

- 6:30 Between the Covers

- 7:00 Astrid

The Flowers of Evil. See listing on 10/9 at 10 p.m.

- 8:00 Brian and Maggie

Episode 2. Margaret seems unstoppable, but when respected Chancellor Nigel Lawson resigns, Thatcher's leadership plunges into a crisis. Will her interview with her old friend Brian Walden help Maggie regain control of the narrative?

- 9:00 Maigret on MASTERPIECE

Maigret and the Lazy Burglar. Despite being demoted, Maigret continues to pursue justice for Honoré Cuendet. (Part 2/6)

- 10:00 The Gold on MASTERPIECE

There's Something Going on in Kent. The criminals create a system to smelt the Brink's-Mat gold and sell it back into the market.

- 11:00 Anika on MASTERPIECE, Season 2

Episode 1. A phone with a recording of a brutal drowning is handed into police headquarters, and Annika and the team must track down the murderer.

13 — Monday

- 8:00 Antiques Roadshow

Vintage Phoenix. Discoveries include Art Deco lapel watches, a Lakota Sioux doctor's bag, ca. 1895 and a Tiffany Studios peacock mirror, ca. 1905. One musical find's value doubles in today's market! (Part 1/2)

- 9:00 Antiques Roadshow

Vintage Spokane. A 1905 Spokane bird's-eye view lithograph; Abraham Lincoln letters and signed carte de visite; a yellow diamond and platinum ring. (Part 1/2)

- 10:00 POV

A Mother Apart. Poet and activist Staceyann Chin

chronicles her journey of healing, forgiveness, and mothering.

11:30 BBC News

12:00 Amanpour & Company

1:00 Greater Good

14 — Tuesday

8:00 Finding Your Roots

The Butterfly Effect. Actresses Debra Messing and Melanie Lynskey explore the stories of their ancestors whose bold decisions reshaped their families.

9:00 American Masters

Marlee Matlin: Not Alone Anymore. Learn about the life and career of 4-time Emmy nominee Marlee Matlin as she shares her story in her native American Sign Language. Known for roles in *The West Wing* and *CODA*, at 21 years old, Matlin became the first Deaf actor to win an Oscar.

11:00 BBC News

11:30 Ask This Old House

12:00 Amanpour & Company

1:00 Greater Good

15 — Wednesday

8:00 NATURE

Dracula's Hidden Kingdom. Discover Transylvania, one of Europe's last true wildernesses in central Romania.

9:00 NOVA

Human: Building Empires. Discover how two revolutionary ancient inventions changed the course of humanity forever.

10:00 Secrets of the Dead

Cleopatra's Last Temple. This episode follows Kathleen Martinez, a criminal lawyer from the Dominican Republic turned maverick archaeologist, as she embarks on a quest to solve the mystery of Cleopatra's final resting place.

11:00 BBC News

11:30 Ask This Old House

12:00 Amanpour & Company

1:00 Greater Good

16 — Thursday

8:00 This Old House

8:30 Ask This Old House

9:00 Doc Martin

Fly Me to the Moon. Louisa is shocked when her father, Terry, makes an unannounced visit. Terry agrees to let Martin examine him, but that backfires on the Doc, who is now bound by the

NATURE: Dracula's Hidden Kingdom Oct. 15 at 8 p.m.



rules of medical confidentiality. Ruth employs an unconventional method to test Martin's blood phobia, and Bert tries to get a squatter to vacate his trailer park.

10:00 Astrid

Underground. While investigating the murder of a homeless man, Astrid finds herself face to face with the very criminal her father was pursuing when he was murdered a few years ago.

11:00 BBC News

11:30 Ask This Old House

12:00 Amanpour & Company

1:00 Greater Good

17 — Friday

8:00 Washington Week with the Atlantic

8:30 Greater Good

Episode 50. The Hutchinson Foundation Inc., Latina Women's League and Peaceful Paths.

9:00 Prohibition

A Nation of Hypocrites. By the late 1920s, many Americans believe that Prohibition has failed. (Part 3/3)

11:00 BBC News

11:30 Ask This Old House

12:00 Amanpour & Company

1:00 Greater Good

18 — Saturday

6:30 Knight Talks

7:00 Antiques Roadshow

Vintage Phoenix. See listing on 10/13 at 8 p.m.

8:00 Sherlock on MASTERPIECE

The Blind Banker. When a banker is found dead inside his locked apartment, Sherlock follows the clues. (Part 2/3)

9:30 Recorded Live at Analog

Dave Stewart Does Dylan.

10:30 WUFT Amplified

Tonight featuring Mason Via.

11:00 Austin City Limits

Foo Fighters.

19 — Sunday

6:30 Between the Covers

7:00 Astrid

Underground. See listing on 10/16 at 10 p.m.

8:00 Miss Austen on MASTERPIECE

Episode 1. Notoriously known for burning Jane's letters, did Cassandra Austen truly protect her famous sister's reputation? Immerse in this literary mystery, reimagined as a fascinating, witty, and heart-breaking tale of sisterly love.

9:00 Maigret on MASTERPIECE

Maigret's Failure. Maigret's case is derailed when ordered to investigate billionaire Ferdinand Fumal's death threats. (Part 1)

10:00 The Gold on MASTERPIECE

The Consequences are Mine. The task force set up surveillance on Noye and are led to Palmer and more of the suspects. A police raid ends in tragedy in Noye's garden.

11:00 Anika on MASTERPIECE, Season 2

Episode 2. The team is sent to Edinburgh to investigate the death of a recently released prisoner whose body is pulled out of the Forth River.

20 — Monday

8:00 Antiques Roadshow

Vintage Phoenix. Highlights include a 1956 David Klein TWA poster, a 1921 Lyonel Feininger watercolor and an enamel and rock crystal pendant watch, ca. 1910. (Part 2/2)

9:00 Antiques Roadshow

Vintage Spokane. Journey to the Pacific Northwest to learn if the values held strong or headed south! (Part 2/2)

10:00 Independent Lens

Ratified. A bipartisan coalition continues a century-long fight to add gender equality into the Constitution.

11:30 BBC News

12:00 Amanpour & Company

1:00 Greater Good

21 — Tuesday

8:00 Finding Your Roots

Moving on Up. Exploring the long-lost roots of actress Sheryl Lee Ralph and historian Lonnie Bunch.

9:00 Breaking the Deadlock

A power play sparks civil dialogue in polarized times. Guided by UC Davis Law Professor Aaron Tang, a diverse panel explores ethical dilemmas in a fictional tale of executive power—told through two fictional U.S. Presidents from opposing parties. Complex, timely, and thought-provoking.

10:00 FRONTLINE

The Rise of RFK, Jr. The dramatic and controversial rise of Robert F. Kennedy Jr. How the scion of a storied dynasty endured tragedy and scandal, broke with the Democratic Party and his family, stoked conspiracy theories and is reshaping government and public health.

11:00 BBC News

11:30 Ask This Old House

12:00 Amanpour & Company

1:00 Greater Good

22 — Wednesday

8:00 NATURE

Walrus: Life on Thin Ice. See how the Arctic's most enigmatic animals are coping as the sea ice melts.

9:00 NOVA

Ancient Desert Death Trap. Explore mysterious 9,000-year-old Stone Age megastructures found in the Arabian Desert.



10:00 Secrets of the Dead

Cracking the Queen's Code. Three codebreakers succeed in decoding 57 encrypted letters from Mary, Queen of Scots, detailing efforts to free herself from imprisonment.

11:00 BBC News

11:30 Ask This Old House

12:00 Amanpour & Company

1:00 Greater Good

23 — Thursday

8:00 This Old House

8:30 Ask This Old House

9:00 Doc Martin

Return to Sender. Martin and Louisa are off to London for Martin to present his research paper - Janice is looking after the children, but things don't go smoothly when Penhale tries to help. Martin also has a few hiccups, including an unexpected proposition or two.

10:00 Doc Martin

Love Will Set You Free. The news of Martin's invitation to be dean of Imperial College spreads through Portwenn, before Martin and Louisa can decide whether he will take the job; Mrs. Tishell and Penhale are crushed; Morwenna questions what she wants to do with her life.

11:00 BBC News

11:30 Ask This Old House

12:00 Amanpour & Company

1:00 Greater Good

24 — Friday

8:00 Washington Week with the Atlantic

8:30 Greater Good

Episode 48. See listing on 10/5 at 8:30 p.m.

9:00 Benjamin Franklin

Join or Die (1706-1774). Leaving behind his Boston childhood, Franklin reinvents himself in Philadelphia where he builds a printing empire and a new life with his wife, Deborah. Franklin's lightning rod and experiments in electricity earn him worldwide fame.

11:00 BBC News

11:30 Ask This Old House

12:00 Amanpour & Company

1:00 Greater Good

25 — Saturday

6:30 Knight Talks

Amy Climenhage.

7:00 Antiques Roadshow

Vintage Phoenix. See listing on 10/20 at 8 p.m.

8:00 Sherlock on MASTERPIECE

The Empty Hearse. Two years after the loss of his best friend, Dr. John Watson has got on with his life, but with London under threat of a huge terrorist attack, Sherlock Holmes is about to rise from the grave with all the theatricality that comes so naturally to him.

WUFT-TV UNDERWRITERS

Flying Biscuit
Hippodrome Theatre
Hoggtowne Music

Honeybaked Ham
IQ Fiber
PNC Bank

Law Office of Robert Rush
Showcase Properties
Wildbirds Unlimited

9:30 Recorded Live at Analog
Deborah Silver.

10:30 WUFT Amplified
Tonight featuring Coyboi.

11:00 Austin City Limits
Charley Crockett; Waxahatchee.

26 — Sunday

6:30 Between the Covers

7:00 Lucy Worsley Investigates

The Witch Hunts. Lucy Worsley re-investigates some of the most dramatic chapters in British history. She uncovers forgotten witnesses, re-examines old evidence and follows new clues.

8:00 Miss Austen on MASTERPIECE

Episode 2. As Cassandra falls ill, her mind is flooded with memories of difficult times.

9:00 Maigret on MASTERPIECE

Maigret's Failure. As Maigret reels from his failure to protect Fumal, he also suffers a devastating personal blow.(Part 2)

10:00 The Gold on MASTERPIECE

Vengeance is Easy, Justice is Hard. In Tenerife, Palmer discovers that he is wanted by the police. Cooper and Parry have successfully moved the cash across Europe. Meanwhile, Noye's murder trial reaches a dramatic conclusion.

11:00 Anika on MASTERPIECE, Season 2

Episode 3. Annika reflects on Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde as she and the team investigate a Scottish millionaire found dead in his own shark tank.

27 — Monday

8:00 Antiques Roadshow

Kooky & Spooky. Celebrate Halloween with thrilling and chilling finds, like a rag doll nicknamed "Chucky," a nightmarish Leonora Carrington painting, and an eye-catching "Bride of Frankenstein" pressbook.

9:00 American Experience

Kissinger, Part One. Explore Kissinger's life, from his childhood in Germany to architect of American foreign policy.

10:30 The American Revolution: An Inside Look Step behind the scenes of Ken Burns's new film, The American Revolution.

11:30 BBC News

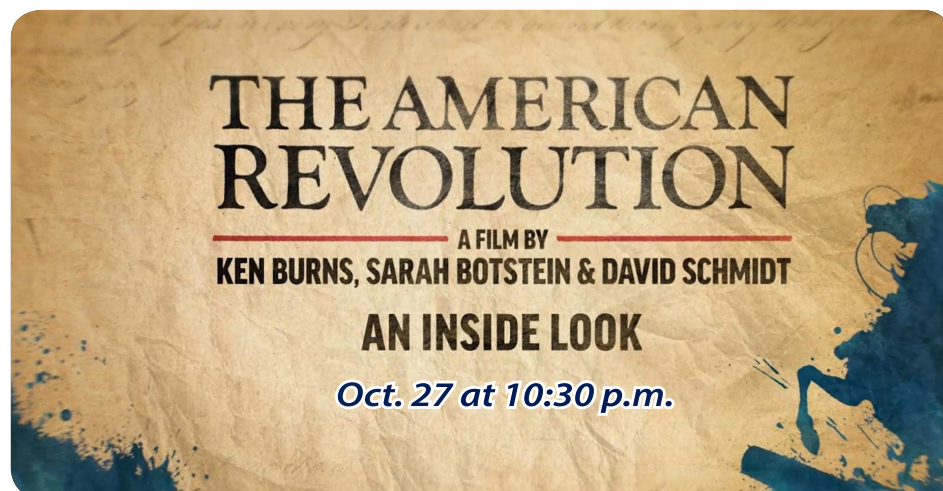
12:00 Amanpour & Company

1:00 Greater Good

28 — Tuesday

8:00 Finding Your Roots

Finding My Roots. DNA detective work solves



longstanding family mysteries for actor Laurence Fishburne and scholar Henry Louis Gates Jr.

9:00 American Experience

Kissinger, Part Two. Discover how Kissinger's anti-Communism would shape U.S. foreign policy, from Vietnam to the USSR.

10:30 The American Revolution: An Inside

Step behind the scenes of Ken Burns's new film, The American Revolution.

11:00 BBC News

11:30 Ask This Old House

12:00 Amanpour & Company

1:00 Greater Good

29 — Wednesday

8:00 NATURE

Willow: Diary of a Mountain Lion. Follow a female mountain lion in the Montana mountains over the course of a decade.

9:00 NOVA

Superfloods. Find out why deadly flash floods are on the rise and how we can protect ourselves from them.

10:00 Secrets of the Dead

Chasing the Plague. A look at the societal impacts of the bubonic plague on medieval Europe as scientists today track down the earliest known bubonic plague victims.

11:00 BBC News

11:30 Ask This Old House

12:00 Amanpour & Company

1:00 Greater Good

30 — Thursday

8:00 This Old House

8:30 Ask This Old House

9:00 Doc Martin

Our Last Summer. As the Ellinghams prepare to leave for London, Ruth admits to Martin that she's been writing a paper on his blood phobia; Ruth is counseling Mrs. Tishell on how to overcome her obsession with the Doc.

10:00 Doc Martin

Christmas Special. Portwenn is full of festive cheer until Martin tells Leonard he needs to stop playing Santa while he awaits the results of his medical tests; Leonard decides to show Doc the Grinch the magic of Christmas; Louisa works to arrange a Christmas parade.

11:00 BBC News

11:30 Ask This Old House

12:00 Amanpour & Company

1:00 Greater Good

31 — Friday

8:00 Washington Week with the Atlantic

8:30 Greater Good

Episode 40. See listing on 10/10 at 8:30 p.m.

9:00 Benjamin Franklin

An American (1775-1790). Benjamin Franklin helps Thomas Jefferson craft the Declaration of Independence in Philadelphia; in Paris, Franklin wins French support for the American Revolution; Franklin works on the U.S. Constitution.

11:00 BBC News

11:30 Ask This Old House

12:00 Amanpour & Company

1:00 Greater Good