



WSKG-HD

January 2021

expanded listings

1 Friday

8pm Washington Week

8:30pm Chasing The Dream (WSKG)

War On Poverty Legacy

9pm Great Performances

From Vienna: The New Year's Celebration 2021

Riccardo Muti and the Vienna Philharmonic perform a festive selection of Strauss Family waltzes.

10:30pm Sympathetic Strings:

Stories of the Hardanger Fiddle

Fiddle makers, musicians and dancers have formed a community of folk tradition practice in Norway.

11pm Amanpour and Company

12am BBC World News

12:30am Firing Line with

Margaret Hoover

CEO Albert Bourla discusses Pfizer's eight-month race to develop a COVID-19 vaccine.

2 Saturday

8pm Midsomer Murders

Not In My Back Yard, Part 2

As the development of a pristine part of the village is debated, a mysterious killer strikes.

9pm Father Brown

The Angel of Mercy

10pm The Carol Burnett Show - Carol's Favorites

11pm Waiting for God

11:30pm Acl Hall of Fame: The First Six Years

A collection of performances from

the first six years of Austin City Limits Hall of Fame specials.

12:30am Songs at the Center

Singer-songwriter Eric Gnezda hosts a performance by three-time Grammy award winner Janis Ian.

3 Sunday

9pm Elizabeth Is Missing On Masterpiece

A woman desperately tries to solve two mysteries as she declines ever deeper into dementia.

11pm Modus

Ingvar and Inger Johanne can only trust each other, as their private lives are put to the test.

12am Prince Albert: A Victorian Hero Revealed

The little-known yet profound role Prince Albert played in shaping Victorian Britain is explored.

4 Monday

8pm Antiques Roadshow

American Stories

Standout treasures such as a Navajo belt and a World War I peach can label letter are appraised.

9pm Sammy Davis, Jr.: American Masters

The vastly talented entertainer strove to achieve the American Dream in a time of racial prejudice.

11pm Amanpour and Company

12am BBC World News

12:30am History with David

Rubenstein

Cokie Roberts

An interview with the late Cokie Roberts, political commentator and author, is showcased.

5 Tuesday

8pm Finding Your Roots

Breaking The Silences

Family secrets of journalist Gayle King, director Jordan Peele and comedian Issa Rae are explored.

9pm PBS American Portrait

I Dream

Self-shot stories explore the meaning and state of the American dream.

10pm Frontline

American Voices: A Nation In Turmoil

Americans confront the pandemic, racial tensions, the polarizing election and its aftermath.

11pm Amanpour and Company

12am BBC World News

12:30am Playing by the Rules: Ethics at Work

Engine Trouble

The biggest scandal in the history of the auto industry involved the German automaker Volkswagen.

6 Wednesday

8pm Nature

A Squirrel's Guide to Success

Join some of the world's top squirrel scientists who are making groundbreaking discoveries.

9pm Nova

Prediction by the Numbers

Discover how predictions underpin many aspect of our lives and why some succeed while others fail.

10pm When Disaster Strikes

A Perfect Storm: Mozambique

The extraordinary story of bravery and hope after Cyclone Idai strikes Mozambique is chronicled.

11pm Amanpour and Company

12am BBC World News

12:30am Articulate with Jim Cotter

The Exceptionals

The works of poet Billy Collins effortlessly magnify the small details that make life worth living.

7 Thursday

8pm Expressions (WSKG)

Clarinetist Timothy Perry & Margaret Pej Reitz

9pm Murder on the Home Front

Pathologist Lennox Collins investigates the murders of young women in London during World

War II.

10:30pm Jazz

Gumbo (Beginnings to 1917)

At the turn of the 20th century in the unique musical cauldron of New Orleans, jazz is born.

12am BBC World News

12:30am Laura Flanders Show

Transportation Is A Human Right

Laura explores how public transportation systems are going to survive in the midst of the pandemic.

8 Friday

8pm Washington Week

8:30pm Chasing The Dream (WSKG)

Trauma Informed Care & Adverse Childhood Experiences

9pm Frontline

A Thousand Cuts

Philippine President Duterte is crackdowning on journalists and his prime target is Maria Ressa.

11pm Amanpour and Company

12am BBC World News

12:30am Firing Line with

Margaret Hoover

9 Saturday

8pm Midsomer Murders

Fit for Murder, Part 1

Barnaby enrolls in a spa at a remodeled manor house and bodies start to pile up when he's there.

9pm Father Brown

The Face of the Enemy

10pm The Carol Burnett Show - Carol's Favorites

11pm Waiting for God

11:30pm Austin City Limits

Foo Fighters Rock Austin City Limits

Enjoy highlights from rock band Foo Fighters' 2009 and 2015 episodes of Austin City Limits.

12:30am Songs at the Center

Eric Brace, Peter Cooper and

Thom Jutz weave stories, songs, harmonies and great guitar playing.

10 Sunday

9pm All Creatures Great and

Small On Masterpiece

Episode 1

James Herriot begins a job with a harried Yorkshire veterinarian. His first day is full of surprises.

10pm The Unseen Alistair Cooke On Masterpiece

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A revealing portrait of Alistair Cooke, one of the most celebrated broadcasters of the 20th century.

11pm Modus

Swedish police search for a mole in their own ranks. Inger Johanne takes matters into her own hands.

12am Vermeer, Beyond Time

Steve Martin narrates a look at 17th century Dutch painter Johannes Vermeer's work and family life.

11 Monday

8pm Antiques Roadshow

Vintage Baltimore 2021 Hour 1

Plains and Prairie American Indian art and an 1885 Opening Day baseball program are appraised.

9pm American Experience

The Codebreaker

Cryptanalyst Elizebeth Smith Friedman helped bring down Al Capone and break up a Nazi spy ring.

10pm Independent Lens

A Day in the Life of

America/American Nomads

On July 4, 2017, more than 90 film crews across the nation captured Americans in the midst of life.

11:30pm Amanpour and Company

12:30am History with David

Rubenstein

Michael Beschloss

Presidential historian and New York

Times bestselling author Michael Beschloss is interviewed.

12 Tuesday

8pm Finding Your Roots

Coming to America

Nancy Pelosi, Norah O'Donnell and Zac Posen learn about the journeys of their ancestors.

9pm PBS American Portrait

I Work

Everyday people, teachers to truck drivers, share self-shot stories about their jobs and careers.

10pm Frontline

Plastic Wars

The fight over the future of plastics is investigated, as the industry expands like never before.

11pm Amanpour and Company

12am BBC World News

12:30am Playing by the Rules: Ethics at Work

The Bank Job

Wells Fargo preyed on millions of ordinary customers, fraudulently opening accounts in their names.

13 Wednesday

8pm Nature

The Alps: The High Life

Enjoy the Alps in spring and summertime as newborn animals grow up to face the coming brutal winter.

9pm Nova

Secrets In Our Dna

10pm When Disaster Strikes

The Silent Killer: Somalia

Humanitarians race to meet the basic needs of the most vulnerable as a drought strikes Somalia

11pm Amanpour and Company

12am BBC World News

12:30am Articulate with Jim Cotter

Beyond The Status Quo

Musician Esperanza Spalding, author Lee Child and

award-winning tenor Nicholas Phan

are featured.

14 Thursday

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Classical Series: Alexei Aceto

9pm All Creatures Great and Small On Masterpiece

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10pm Jazz

The Gift (1917-1924)

The rhythms and spirit of jazz music mirror the world that emerged in the wake of World War I.

12am BBC World News

12:30am Laura Flanders Show

The Economics of Abolition

Laura explores the "Defund the police" movement that became a rallying cry in the summer of 2020.

15 Friday

8pm Washington Week

8:30pm Chasing The Dream (WSKG)

Community Collaboration & Wellness

9pm In Concert at the Hollywood Bowl

Musicals and the Movies

Listen to Kristin Chenoweth sing "Over the Rainbow" and Audra McDonald perform "Moon River."

10pm Great Performances

The Magic of Callas

Explore the legacy of superstar Maria Callas in this documentary detailing her comeback in 1964.

11pm Amanpour and Company

12am BBC World News

12:30am Firing Line with Margaret Hoover

16 Saturday

8pm Midsomer Murders

Fit for Murder, Part 2

Barnaby enrolls in a spa at a

remodeled manor house and bodies start to pile up when he's there.

9pm Father Brown

The Devil You Know

10pm The Carol Burnett Show - Carol's Favorites

11pm Waiting for God

11:30pm Austin City Limits

The War and Treaty/Ruthie Foster

Revel in modern Southern soul with Nashville's The War and Treaty and Austin's Ruthie Foster.

12:30am Songs at the Center

Some of our season's most compelling artists perform great, original material. Eric Gnezda hosts.

17 Sunday

8pm Miss Scarlet and the Duke On Masterpiece Mystery!

Inheritance

Thrown onto her own, Eliza goes to work as a private detective to get out of debt.

9pm All Creatures Great and Small On Masterpiece

Episode 2

Fresh from veterinary college, Siegfried's fun-loving brother, Tristan, arrives to help out.

10pm Inside The Mind of Agatha Christie

Interviews and archive material help create an unprecedented portrait of the "complex" author.

11pm Modus

Inger Johanne ends up in a conflicted situation when Helen Tyler does not want to be found.

12am Miss Scarlet and the Duke On Masterpiece Mystery!

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18 Monday

8pm Antiques Roadshow

Vintage Baltimore 2021 Hour 2

A Johnny Unitas Baltimore Colts championship jacket and a Klondike Gold Rush archive are revisited.

9pm Civil Rights: Then and Now. New York State Cel

10pm American Masters

How It Feels to Be Free

The lives and trailblazing careers of iconic African American entertainers are explored.

12am BBC World News

12:30am History with David Rubenstein

Doris Kearns Goodwin

Presidential historian and Pulitzer Prize-winning author Doris Kearns Goodwin is interviewed.

19 Tuesday

8pm Finding Your Roots

To The Manor Born

Glenn Close and John Waters are introduced to ancestors who are as bold and independent as they are.

9pm PBS American Portrait

I Keep

People film themselves as they try to preserve or change traditions in their lives and communities.

10pm Frontline

President Biden

The story of how crisis and tragedy prepared Joe Biden to become America's next president.

11pm Amanpour and Company

12am BBC World News

12:30am Playing by the Rules: Ethics at Work

Taking Advantage?

Lawsuits allege that some Medicare Advantage insurance companies are systematically committing fraud.

20 Wednesday

8pm Nature

The Alps: Winter's Fortress

Experience the hostile and bitter

cold ecosystems of the Alps, shaped by blizzards and avalanches.

9pm Nova

Decoding Da Vinci

The impact of Leonardo da Vinci's art on his science, and his science on his art are explored.

10pm When Disaster Strikes

Paradise Lost: Bahamas

Hear an epic tale of survival as one of the Caribbean's strongest hurricanes strikes The Bahamas.

11pm Amanpour and Company

12am BBC World News

12:30am Articulate with Jim

Cotter

By The Horns

World-renowned architects Tod Williams and Billie Tsien and author Carmen Maria Machado appear.

21 Thursday

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10pm Jazz

Our Language (1924-1928)

The careers of Louis Armstrong, Duke Ellington, Ethel Waters and more great artists are showcased.

12am BBC World News

12:30am Laura Flanders Show

The Pandemic Economy

Laura interviews economic professionals to discuss their visions of creating an equitable economy.

22 Friday

8pm Washington Week

8:30pm Chasing The Dream (WSKG)

A Grocery Store for Binghamton's North Side

9pm In Concert at the Hollywood Bowl

Hecho En Mexico (Made In Mexico)

Performances by Natalia Lafourcade and more Mexican and Mexican American artists are showcased.

10pm Great Performances

The Magic of Horowitz

Legendary pianist Vladimir Horowitz performs favorites in a sold-out concert in Russia in 1986.

11pm Amanpour and Company

12am BBC World News

12:30am Firing Line with

Margaret Hoover

23 Saturday

8pm Midsomer Murders

Death in the Slow Lane, Part 1

New DCI John Barnaby investigates when a local DJ is crushed to death at a girls' boarding school.

9pm Father Brown

The Dance of Death

10pm The Carol Burnett Show -

Carol's Favorites

11pm Waiting for God

11:30pm Austin City Limits

Ray Wylie Hubbard

Legendary Texas songwriter Ray Wylie Hubbard plays favorites and songs from his album Co-starring.

12:30am Songs at the Center

24 Sunday

8pm Miss Scarlet and the Duke On Masterpiece Mystery!

The Woman In Red

A man is caught with a bloodied knife at a murder scene and Eliza is hired to prove his innocence.

9pm All Creatures Great and Small On Masterpiece

Episode 3

James is put to the test with an ailing racehorse and Tristan faces a familiar temptation.

10pm Agatha Christie's England

Retrace the beloved author's footsteps to see the real places that inspired her literary universe.

11pm Modus

Ingvar is forced to cooperate with FBI agent Warren to find Inger Johanne and Helen Tyler.

12am Miss Scarlet and the Duke On Masterpiece Mystery!

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25 Monday

8pm Antiques Roadshow

Vintage Tucson 2021 Hour 1

Picasso Madoura pottery, an 1861 Charles Dickens letter and more great items are revisited.

9pm Antiques Roadshow Recut Newport, Part 5

An Edward Bannister oil, 1979 Tage Frid stools and more interesting items are appraised.

9:30pm POV

The Mole Agent

A private investigator becomes involved with the lives of residents while working in a nursing home.

11pm Amanpour and Company

12am BBC World News

12:30am History with David

Rubenstein

Ron Chernow

Ron Chernow is a Pulitzer Prize winning author best known for his biography of Alexander Hamilton.

26 Tuesday

8pm Finding Your Roots

Against All Odds

Media personality Andy Cohen and radio journalist Nina Totenberg learn about interesting ancestors.

9pm PBS American Portrait

I Rise

The lives of people working to create an antiracist American future are explored.

10pm Frontline

China's Covid Secrets

The untold story of the beginning of the coronavirus pandemic and how China responded.

11:30pm Amanpour and Company

12:30am Playing by the Rules: Ethics at Work

Driven

Examine the rapid rise of Uber, the scandals which followed and lessons on Silicon Valley culture.

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27 Wednesday

8pm Nature

Octopus: Making Contact

A professor raises and studies a pet octopus in his home and makes remarkable discoveries.

9pm Nova

Forgotten Genius

The vivid saga of Percy Julian's dazzling scientific achievements and often stormy personal life.

11pm Amanpour and Company

12am BBC World News

12:30am Articulate with Jim Cotter

Wayfinders

Pulitzer prize-winning author Elizabeth Strout and celebrated violinist Pamela Frank are featured.

28 Thursday

8pm Expressions (WSKG)

Dave Eggar Quartet

9pm All Creatures Great and Small On Masterpiece

Episode 3

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10pm Jazz

The True Welcome (1929-1935)

As swing dancing catches on across America, a new kind of big band jazz begins to emerge.

12am BBC World News

12:30am Laura Flanders Show

Unforget, Dream, Build

Laura speaks with Latinx Americans who are advocating for immigration policy reform.

29 Friday

8pm Washington Week

8:30pm Chasing The Dream (WSKG)

Addiction & Recovery

9pm In Concert at the Hollywood Bowl

Jazz at the Hollywood Bowl

Performances by Dianne Reeves, Ivan Lins, Herbie Hancock, Carlos Santana and more are featured.

10pm Lidia Celebrates America

A Salute to First Responders

Join Chef Lidia Bastianich on a trip across the country to visit those serving on the front lines.

11pm Amanpour and Company

12am BBC World News

12:30am Firing Line with Margaret Hoover

30 Saturday

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8pm Midsomer Murders

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9pm Father Brown

The Cat of Mastigatus

10pm The Carol Burnett Show - Carol's Favorites

11pm Waiting for God

11:30pm Austin City Limits

The Best of Spoon

Savor the best of Austin alternative rock band Spoon's four appearances on Austin City Limits.

12:30am Songs at the Center

31 Sunday

8pm Miss Scarlet and the Duke

On Masterpiece Mystery!

Deeds Not Words

The Duke hires Eliza to spy on

suffragettes. Going beyond instructions, she gets involved in a plot.

9pm All Creatures Great and Small On Masterpiece

Episode 4

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While Tristan gives Tricky-Woo the spa treatment, James deals with Helen's champion bull.

10pm Long Song On Masterpiece

Episode 1

A slave named July reflects on her life during the final days of slavery in 19th century Jamaica.

11pm Modus

The Swedish police and the FBI now know where Helen Tyler is, but will they get there in time?

12am Miss Scarlet and the Duke

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