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EDITOR'S NOTE

# Where Did That Season Go?

I feel like some of our favorite series just began, and now they are already wrapping up for the season. CBS delivered a shocker when it announced the cancellation of *NCIS: New Orleans*. For the youngest series in the *NCIS* franchise (the flagship series has been around since 2003), this month marks the end of Scott Bakula and the rest of the *New Orleans* cast and crew's seven-season run. Although deals are still being finalized, there are discussions on another spinoff, *NCIS: Hawaii*, in the works — we'll update you later as things firm up. Also ending this month after eight seasons is Allison Janney's *Mom*. Inside, we give you more details on both, as well as a rundown of season finales.




It's good to hear a familiar *Friend* back in a regular primetime slot. Lisa Kudrow chatted with us on her new animated role as a standard poodle who leads group therapy sessions for her neighborhood's pets and stray animals in FOX's new *Housebroken*. Analyzing what pets are really thinking — and focusing on their issues — is good, good humor. We also caught up with Catherine Bell, star of Hallmark's *Good Witch*, which is returning for Season 7, who tells us, "I think it's one of my favorite seasons yet."

Lastly, Happy Viewing and Happy Mother's Day to all you moms!

Barb Oates

Barb Oates, Editor in Chief

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## The Crew



### Barb

**First on my list to DVR:** Series finale of *Mom*

**Must-watch movie flashback:** *Sixteen Candles* (1984, AMC), part of the '80s Memorial Day Marathon



### Jeff

**First on my list to DVR:** *Tulsa: The Fire and the Forgotten* on PBS

**Must-watch returning series:** *Critter Fixers: Country Vets* on Nat Geo Wild

**Most promising-looking new series:** *Ziwe* on Showtime



### Ryan

**First on my list to DVR:** *Housebroken* on FOX

**Favorite cartoon dog:** *Family Guy*'s Brian Griffin

**All-time favorite racecar driver:** Rusty Wallace



### Taylor

**First on my list to stream:** *Lucifer* Season 5B on Netflix

**If you're looking for something sunny and cheerful:** *Good Witch* on Hallmark

**The final season begins:** *Pose* on FX



### Paul

**First On Demand movie to watch:** *The Marksman*

**Mom would enjoy:** *Raya and the Last Dragon*

**Must-see season finale:** *The Simpsons* on FOX

# RANDOM
# Rants & Raves

## They Were Robbed!

We asked which movie you think should have won a Best Picture Oscar but didn't.

*Apocalypse Now*. – Patricia C.

*The Shining*. – Jill T.

*It's a Wonderful Life*. – Jerry F.

*The Shawshank Redemption*. – Barb O.

QUESTION OF THE MONTH:

## Which *Top Chef* contestant's restaurant would you most like to visit?

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**This month, TV critic Matt Roush (tvinsider.com) helps answer viewer questions.**

## NCIS: New Orleans

Disappointing to hear of the end of *NCIS: New Orleans*. It remains my favorite. I suspect too many cast changes did not help. Any chance it will migrate to another network? – Gary

*It's unlikely that it would be picked up by another network. CBS has typically canceled its crime dramas after a number of years in order to refresh the lineup, and that looks to be the case here. "New Orleans" is the youngest: seven seasons, compared to the mother ship's 18 and 12 for "L.A."*

## And (Maybe) "NCIS: Hawaii"

With the rumored new *NCIS: Hawaii* spinoff, any chance David James Elliott would be cast? – Matt

*The Hawaii-based spinoff has not been officially announced. Former "NCIS: New Orleans" showrunner Chris Silber is expected to take that role again for the new series if it would happen; potential cast and crew are supposedly in the works at the network. As for Harm (Elliott) and Mac (Bell), it seems more likely that they'd be tapped for a "JAG" reboot, if that were to happen, but anything is possible!*



*NCIS: New Orleans* may be coming to an end, but an *NCIS: Hawaii* spinoff may be in the works

## Happy News For "CSI" Fans

Could any of *CSI* ever come back? I'm all for a spinoff. – Sandra

*Good news for you! Though rumors originally suggested the network was thinking of a limited-run series, CBS recently announced the debut of "CSI: Vegas," which is being described as a sequel to the original flagship show. William Petersen (Gil), Jorja Fox (Sara) and Wallace Langham (David) will reprise their original roles, and the cast will be rounded out with newcomers Paula Newsome, Matt Lauria, Mel Rodriguez and Mandeep Dhillon.*

## What's Happening With "American Gods"?

I can't believe Starz has canceled *American Gods* – it is my favorite show! – Tom

*In March, Starz announced that "American Gods" would end after the third season, breaking the hearts of fans devoted to the fantasy series based on Neil Gaiman's novel. However, shortly after that announcement, production company Fremantle announced that "American Gods" was not fully dead and that they were looking at other options that would allow the show to continue. Best bets are that the show will go to a streaming service, likely Amazon or Netflix.*

## Where's "Evil"?

Any news on when we might see the return of *Evil*? I can't believe how much I miss this show. I guess it's true what they say: Absence makes the heart grow fonder. – Justin

*Filming for Season 2 of "Evil" was initially delayed by the pandemic, though it did begin in October 2020. As we went to press, there was no news on a specific return date, but it seems likely that "Evil" will return later this summer.*

## Congratulations!

Our March Reader Rewards winner of a doggie tote, masks and Grounds & Hounds coffee is Betty K.

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David Olusoga

# HOW WE ARE LIVING LONGER

## Four-Part Series Links Past Pandemics To Modern Medicine. By Meredith Ennis

Filmed during the current COVID-19 pandemic, PBS' *Extra Life: A Short History of Living Longer* (Tuesdays beginning May 11) is a timely series that examines some of the lessons that were learned during previous pandemics (including smallpox, cholera and Spanish flu) that have helped us live longer, healthier lives. The doctors, scientists, activists and others on the front lines of these health crises are the unsung heroes of many of the innovations that are standard practice in modern medicine today.

Over four episodes, bestselling author Steven Johnson and historian and broadcaster David Olusoga examine 300 years of science and innovation that have conquered disease and saved millions of lives. They highlight the scientific breakthroughs and collective efforts of individuals around the world and across varied disciplines that have resulted in extraordinary health outcomes, including a doubling of the human lifespan in less than 100 years – one of the greatest scientific achievements in human history.

# AWARDS SEASON AIN'T OVER YET!

By Jeff Pfeiffer

The best in movies, TV and music will be celebrated with three awards shows this month.



**1. 2021 MTV Movie & TV Awards – Sunday, May 16, live on MTV.** The annual ceremony returns with a two-night celebration of movies and TV (continuing with a new ceremony the following evening). Hosts, honorees, performers, presenters and other details were unavailable at presstime; visit mtv.com/movie-and-tv-awards for more info.

**2. 2021 MTV Movie & TV Awards: UNSCRIPTED – Monday, May 17, MTV.** This inaugural event celebrates the most memorable moments from the year in reality television.

**3. 2021 Billboard Music Awards – Sunday, May 23, live on NBC.** This live broadcast showcases spectacular performances, unexpected collaborations, buzzworthy pop-culture moments and more. Billboard Music Awards nominees and winners are based on key fan interactions with music tracked by Billboard and its data partners. Nominees and other details had not been announced at presstime; visit billboard.com/hub/billboard-music-awards for more info.

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Remember when word of mouth and water-cooler talk were how you discovered new TV shows, good restaurants and your next great read? Now we've got recommendation engines matching us up to what to watch next. Here we keep it simple.

| IF YOU **LIKE THIS** | **TRY THIS** |
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| *Dirty Jobs* | *Breaking Bobby Bones* (Nat Geo) ► |
| *Web Therapy*, Lisa Kudrow | *Housebroken* (FOX) |
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# 5 Questions With JON TAFFER

By Barb Oates



It's thrilling to see *Bar Rescue*'s Jon Taffer back on his crusade in helping struggling owners salvage their businesses. After 51 weeks, Taffer and his crew of over 50 are finally back to work on Season 8 (Sundays beginning May 2) of Paramount Network's hit series. This season is beyond personal for Taffer, as he lends his expertise in his hometown of Las Vegas and will celebrate the series' 200th episode. Here he answers our "5 Questions."

**1 Did you have to change the format at all with the show?**

Oh, yes. This is the first year that we are allowing people to see how we produce the show. We're going to show them what we're doing. We have three COVID officers on set [monitoring safety protocols and staff]. We're now in our fifth episode, and we're doing great. It's working.

**2 I imagine it's more emotional than ever when you show up?**

We've done the hurricane episodes and the flood episodes where these aren't owners who caused their own failure – these are owners who were doing well and Mother Nature took the business away. This season is very much like that. These are operators who were successful before COVID. So I can't look at them and say, "You're a failure." I've got to look at them and say, you know, "I've got to help you get out of this." So it's very different. It's very emotional for me, quite candidly. ... These are good people who really got hurt this year. So it's a different kind of show.

**3 What are your three favorite drinks of choice?**

My first favorite drink of choice would be a Godfather. The Godfather is in a rocks glass. It's scotch and amaretto. Probably my second favorite drink would be a, I'm going to be very boring here for a moment, probably a Salty Dog, which is vodka, grapefruit juice with a little salt on the rim. My third favorite cocktail in the world, that I've ever had in my life, happens to be one that we created, which is the Resurrection, which is at Spirits on Bourbon, a cocktail made out of coconut water and a number of other ingredients. It's blue, and it's a very famous cocktail. We put it on Bourbon Street, and they sell about 20,000 a month of them. And I'm not saying it because it's mine; it happens to be one of my favorite cocktails.

**4 When flipping through your channel lineup, what's a movie you'll always stop to rewatch?**

*Rocky* is one of them. I love the movie *Rocky*. *Butch Cassidy and the Sundance Kid* is another one that I love. *The Godfather*.

**5 What three *Jeopardy!* categories would you absolutely dominate?**

Obviously, bar and beverage I think I would own. I think travel/geography would be a very strong category for me. And American history. I'm a bit of a history buff. I love the history of our nation.

Bar Rescue: Jon Taffer; Credit: Paramount Network. Gordon Ramsay: Uncharted; Credit: National Geographic/Justin Mandel



Gordon Ramsay: Uncharted

## Returning Favorites

**American Ninja Warrior** NBC (May 31)
**Black Monday** Showtime (May 23)
**The Chi** Showtime (May 23)
**Critter Fixers: Country Vets** Nat Geo Wild (May 22)
**DC's Legends of Tomorrow** The CW (May 2)
**Duncanville** FOX (May 23)
**Dynasty** The CW (May 7)
**The Girlfriend Experience** Starz (May 2)
**Good Witch** Hallmark Channel (May 16)
**Gordon Ramsay: Uncharted** Nat Geo (May 31)
**Jurassic World: Camp Cretaceous** Netflix (May 21)
**Little People, Big World** TLC (May 11)
**Million Dollar Listing New York** Bravo (May 6)
**Pose** FX (May 2)
**The Real Housewives of Beverly Hills** Bravo (May 19)
**The Real Housewives of New York City** Bravo (May 4)
**Selena: The Series** Netflix (May 14)
**Very Scary People** HLN (May 2)

## They're Back, Baby!:

### Recently Renewed Shows

Starz has greenlit Season 7 of ***Outlander***, which will be based on Diana Gabaldon's bestselling novel *An Echo in the Bone*, the seventh of her to date eight *Outlander* books. The season will continue the adventures of Claire and Jamie in Revolutionary-era America as well as feature more time travel. ... Queen Latifah's new series ***The Equalizer*** will be back for Season 2 on CBS. Also at CBS, ***FBI*** has been renewed for Season 4, and ***FBI: Most Wanted*** for Season 3. ... ***The Simpsons*** keeps on keepin' on — FOX has renewed the animated comedy for Seasons 33 and 34, which will take it to 2023 and a total of 757 episodes. ... ***Resident Alien*** will continue his stay on Earth with a second season on Syfy. ... The acclaimed FX drama ***Snowfall*** has been renewed for Season 5. ... ***Stanley Tucci: Searching for Italy*** will return with Season 2 on CNN in 2022, with the host exploring the culture and cuisine of new regions throughout Italy.

# IN THE WORKS

By Taylor Neumann
















## NEW SHOWS ON SHOWTIME

Showtime has cast its starring roles in its upcoming series ***The Man Who Fell to Earth***, which was originally meant to air on Paramount+ but has since moved to the cable network. ① Chiwetel Ejiofor leads as an alien who comes to Earth at an important point in human evolution. Jimmi Simpson will play Spencer Clay, a CIA agent obsessed with discovering the alien's true identity. And finally, Naomie Harris will play Justin Falls, a scientist and engineer. The series is based off of the Walter Tevis novel of the same name and the 1976 film that famously starred David Bowie. … Showtime is getting in the ② David Duchovny business by adapting his recent novel ***Truly Like Lightning*** and also tapping the actor to star. Duchovny will also write the adaptation and executive produce. The story follows the life of former Hollywood stuntman Bronson Powers and his large family – made up of three wives and 10 children – as he lives in the desert and deals with the possibility of losing his land.

## TABLETOP TITANS

With the success of FOX's *LEGO Masters*, the network is taking a gamble on another brick-like game: dominos. It has ordered ***Domino Masters***, which will premiere during the 2021-22 season. The series will be hosted by Eric Stonestreet (*Modern Family*) and feature teams playing the game tournament-style in hopes of becoming champions and earning the crown of Domino Master.

## ABC PILOTS

③ Jane Lynch has joined the ABC pilot ***Bucktown*** in one of the lead roles. The series follows Amy, played by Shannon Woodward, who, after breaking up with her boyfriend and being kicked out of her apartment, moves in with her mother in the neighborhood where she grew up. Lynch will play the mother, Helen. … ABC has also found a lead for its fairy tale drama pilot ***Epic***. Eleanor Fanyinka will star in the project, which comes from the creators of previous ABC show *Once Upon a Time* and is described as a romantic anthology series reinventing fairy tales. … ④ Rebecca Rittenhouse has been chosen to play the title role in ABC's comedy pilot ***Maggie***, following a young woman dealing with the troubles in her life while also coming to terms with her powers as a psychic. She can see the future, but it's not helping her with her present.

## FROM A DOCTOR TO A PILOT

Having just wrapped three seasons on the ABC drama *The Good Doctor*, now ⑤ Nicholas Gonzalez is moving to NBC for its sci-fi drama ***La Brea***. When a massive sinkhole opens up in L.A., a family is torn in half with a mother and son on one side and a father and daughter on the other, alongside a city trying to figure out what happened and where to go from here. Gonzalez will play Levi Brooks, an Air Force pilot put in charge of the mission to save those who fell into the sinkhole.

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## YANKED!: Recently Canceled Shows

BBC America's ***Killing Eve*** will slay us for one more season. An eight-episode fourth season will conclude the saga in 2022. … ***World of Dance*** has foxtrotted out the door at NBC after four seasons. … USA Network's ***Queen of the South*** will abdicate its throne at the conclusion of its current fifth season. … Iyanla Vanzant will wrap ***Iyanla: Fix My Life*** after eight seasons on OWN. A two-hour farewell special airs May 22. … The third and final season of FX's ***Pose*** debuts May 2. … Hallmark Channel's ***Home & Family*** daytime series will end after its current ninth season. … The syndicated newsmagazine series ***All Access*** will end in June after two seasons. … There will be no sixth season for Netflix's sitcom ***Kim's Convenience***.



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Formula 1 returns to the streets of Monaco after last year's Grand Prix was canceled

# Back On Track

## The Biggest Month In Motorsports Revs Up For A Return.

By Ryan A. Berenz

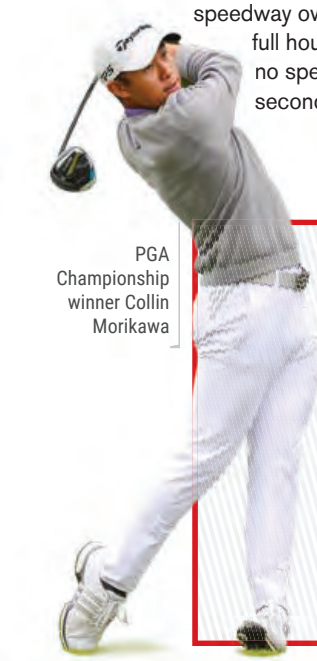
The COVID pandemic stalled so many traditions in 2020, and the Sunday of wall-to-wall Formula 1, IndyCar and NASCAR racing on Memorial Day weekend was one of them. Fortunately, some normalcy returns to the May motorsports calendar, but with some new twists. Here's a preview of this month's action:

**NTT IndyCar Series** A later start to the season means a compressed schedule and more IndyCar events in May. Things start off with a pair of races at Texas Motor Speedway as Scott Dixon, Josef Newgarden, Colton Herta, Will Power and other contenders race in the Genesys 300 May 1 and the Xpel 375 May 2, both on NBCSN. The Brickyard is the place to be for the rest of the month as drivers battle it out on Indianapolis Motor Speedway's 14-turn road course in the GMR Grand Prix May 15 on NBC. The 105th Indianapolis 500 is run May 30 on NBC, and speedway owner Roger Penske is hopeful to have a nearly full house after the Greatest Spectacle in Racing had no spectators in August to see Takuma Sato win his second career Indy 500.

**Formula 1** The F1 series is on the Iberian Peninsula for the Portuguese Grand Prix May 2 and the Spanish Grand Prix May 9, both on ESPN. After being canceled last year, the prestigious Monaco Grand Prix returns to the streets of Monte Carlo, though it won't share a date with the Indy 500. Sebastian Vettel, Max Verstappen and 2019 race winner Lewis Hamilton take to the scenic 19-turn circuit May 23, with ESPN2 airing the race live in the morning and ABC airing an afternoon encore.

**NASCAR Cup Series** The Cup Series holds five races this month, starting May 2 at Kansas Speedway with the Buschy McBusch Race 400 on FS1. (That's what happens when sponsors let fans name the races.) Then it's on to Darlington Raceway May 9, Dover International Speedway May 16 and the first ever Cup Series race on the road course at Circuit of the Americas in Austin, Texas, May 23, all on FS1. NASCAR's longest race, the Coca-Cola 600 at Charlotte Motor Speedway, is back in its traditional spot on the calendar May 30 on FOX. The All-Star Race, usually held at Charlotte in May, now takes place June 13 at Texas Motor Speedway.

Lewis Hamilton: Credit: Charles Coates/ Getty Images. Collin Morikawa: Credit: Sean M. Haffey/ Getty Images.



PGA Championship winner Collin Morikawa

## The DEPTH CHART

### PGA Championship

Collin Morikawa looks to defend the PGA Championship title he won in August as the year's second major tournament takes place at South Carolina's Kiawah Island Golf Resort May 20-23 on **ESPN** and **CBS**.

### NBA Playoffs

A play-in tournament May 18-21 will determine the eighth seed in each conference. The standard 16-team playoff format begins May 22. **ABC**, **ESPN**, **TNT** and **NBA TV** air playoff games.

### French Open Tennis

Will Rafa's reign continue? Rafael Nadal tries for his fifth straight (and 14th overall) title at Roland Garros. Poland's Iga Swiatek is defending women's singles champion. **Tennis Channel** and **NBC** air the tournament May 30-June 13.

### Triple Crown

Hot Rod Charlie, Like the King, Known Agenda and Rebel's Romance could be among the top horses in the starting gate as the Kentucky Derby (May 1), Preakness Stakes (May 15) and Belmont Stakes (June 6) air on **NBC**.

# Eyes On The Byes

## Two Celebrated CBS Stalwarts Sign Off With Series Finales. By Ryan A. Berenz




### MOM

**Series finale:** May 13
**Total run:** Eight seasons, 170 episodes
**How it started:** Newly sober single mom Christy (Anna Faris) tries to pull her life together by reuniting with her mother, Bonnie (Allison Janney), in Napa Valley.
**Signature episode:** "Terrorists and Gingerbread," Season 3, Episode 1: Bonnie and Christy disagree about forgiveness when Bonnie's estranged mom wants to be a part of their lives.
**Awards:** Primetime Emmy Awards 2014-15, Outstanding Supporting Actress in a Comedy Series (Janney)
**Notable guest stars:** Yvette Nicole Brown, Ellen Burstyn, Kristin Chenoweth, Beverly D'Angelo, Patti LuPone, Joe Manganiello, Emily Osment, Kevin Pollak, Richard Schiff, Octavia Spencer, June Squibb, French Stewart, Kathleen Turner, Steven Weber, Bradley Whitford, Rainn Wilson
**How will it end?** Janney wishes *Mom* had more time for a bigger ramp-up to the finale, but at least the series will go out on its own terms. Bringing Faris back for a guest appearance would give a proper send-off for Christy, but that path might be too worn for a show that has continually shunned expectations.




### NCIS: NEW ORLEANS

**Series finale:** May 23
**Total run:** Seven seasons, 155 episodes
**How it started:** Special Agent Dwayne Pride (Scott Bakula) heads up the NCIS field office investigating criminal cases involving military personnel in New Orleans.
**Signature episode:** "Matthew 5:9," Season 6, Episode 6: Special Agent Christopher LaSalle (original cast member and fan favorite Lucas Black) meets his fate while searching for the drug ring responsible for his brother's murder.
**Notable guest stars:** Tom Arnold, LeVar Burton, Mark Harmon, Kelly Hu, Mario Lopez, Wendie Malick, Pauley Perrette, Annie Potts, Wilmer Valderrama, Steven Weber
**How will it end?** The end of one *NCIS* might mark the beginning of another. *NCIS: Hawaii* is in the works, and it would be shocking if the door wasn't left open for NOLA characters to make future trips to the Aloha State.

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# Summer Vacation

## Notable season/series finales:

### ABC

American Idol, May 23
America's Funniest Home Videos, May 23
black-ish, May 25
Call Your Mother, May 12
The Conners, May 19
The Good Doctor (Part 1), May 31
mixed-ish, May 25
Pooch Perfect, May 18
The Rookie, May 16

### CBS

All Rise, May 24
B Positive, May 13
Blue Bloods, May 14
Bob (Hearts) Abishola, May 17
Bull, May 17
The Equalizer, May 23
FBI, May 25
FBI: Most Wanted, May 25
Magnum P.I., May 7
Mom (Series Finale), May 13
NCIS, May 25
NCIS: Los Angeles, May 23
NCIS: New Orleans (Series Finale), May 23
The Neighborhood, May 17
SEAL Team, May 19
S.W.A.T., May 19
Young Sheldon, May 13

### FOX

Bob's Burgers, May 23
Family Guy, May 16
Game of Talents, May 19
The Great North, May 16
Last Man Standing (Series Finale), May 20
The Masked Singer, May 26
The Moodys, May 13
9-1-1, May 24
9-1-1: Lone Star, May 24
Prodigal Son, May 18
The Resident, May 18
The Simpsons, May 23

### NBC

The Blacklist, June
Chicago Fire, May 26
Chicago Med, May 26
Chicago P.D., May 26
Debris, May 24
Law & Order: Organized Crime, June 3
Law & Order: Special Victims Unit, June 3
Manifest, June 10
New Amsterdam, June 8
This Is Us, May 25
The Voice, May 25
Young Rock, May 4
Zoey's Extraordinary Playlist, May 16

### Others

Atlantic Crossing (Series Finale), PBS, May 23
A Black Lady Sketch Show, HBO, May 28
Breeders, FX, May 17
City on a Hill, Showtime, May 16
Confronting a Serial Killer (Series Finale), Starz, May 16
Couples Therapy, Showtime, May 16
Iyanla: Fix My Life (Series Finale), OWN, May 22
The Kominsky Method (Series Finale), Netflix, May 28
Mare of Easttown, HBO, May 30
Mayans M.C., FX, May 11
Miz & Mrs, USA Network, May 17
Race to the Center of the Earth, Nat Geo, May 10
When Calls the Heart, Hallmark Channel, May 9

# SUMMER FOODIE Road Trip

By Barb Oates




For 18 seasons we've been salivating over the culinary creations of Bravo's Top Chefs. While the series has introduced us to terms like amuse-bouche (a complimentary hors d'oeuvre) and sabayon (a foamy egg sauce), and dishes like Hong Kong Milk Tea Tiramisu and roasted foie gras with roasted peaches, it's the masterminds behind these plates that have captured our attention and piqued our palates. As Season 18 of *Top Chef* continues this summer (Thursdays on Bravo), we decided to map out a cross-country road trip highlighting some of this season's revolving judges and their latest establishments.

## 1 MELISSA KING

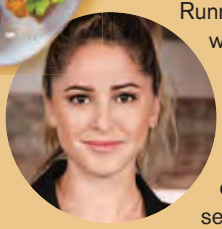
*San Francisco, California*

The All-Stars: Los Angeles winner and fan favorite who set the bar for winning the most challenges ever has made her mark on the San Francisco area. King has been recognized as "one of the best female chefs in San Francisco" and was named on the "40 Under 40: Rising Stars" list. While she's helmed several Michelin-starred kitchens in San Francisco, she's currently growing partnerships and is owner of King Sauce, a small-batched sauce and spice line available in her online shop.



## 2 BROOKE WILLIAMSON

*Los Angeles, California*



Runner-up for Season 10, winner of Season 14 and winner of 2020's Tournament of Champions, the Los Angeles native has quickly made her mark on the West Coast. While serving as executive chef at the Brentwood eatery Zax, she met her husband and business partner, Nick Roberts. In 2014, the couple opened a unique four-in-one restaurant concept, Playa Provisions, which features the grab-and-go marketplace King Beach; an artisanal ice cream shop, Small Batch; a seafood dining spot, Dockside; and an intimate whiskey bar, Grain.

## 3 AMAR SANTANA

*Orange County, California*



Born in the Dominican Republic, Season 13 runner-up Amar Santana has established new roots in California, where he cooks from the heart as executive chef/partner at Broadway by Amar Santana in Laguna Beach, and Vaca Restaurant in Costa Mesa. At Broadway you'll most likely see the chef in action and can try out a long list of dishes like his Miso Marinated Chilean Seabass or his Slow Braised Wagyu Beef Cheek Mole.

## 4 CARRIE BAIRD

*Boulder, Colorado*

The *Top Chef* Season 15 finalist professes that "great food comes from cooking from your heart." Following her work as executive chef of Bar Dough in Denver, Baird moved on to open her own restaurant, Rose's Classic Americana in Boulder, where the menu boasts her *Top Chef* fancy toast, Bobby Flay-bustin' huevos rancheros and all things Americana.

## 5 TIFFANY DERRY

*Austin & Plano, Texas*

The Season 7 (Washington, D.C.) and All-Star Season 8 competitor is owner of Roots Chicken Shak, with two locations in Plano and Austin, Texas. The popular eatery is home to Derry's famous Duck-Fat Fried Chicken. One



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look at her original chicken sandwich, The Big Bird, and you know immediately why this Shak is the place to eat.

## 6 KRISTEN KISH

*Austin, Texas*

Winner of Season 10, Kish launched her first restaurant, Arlo Grey, in 2017. Inside the luxurious LINE Austin hotel, the restaurant includes a menu that reflects her culinary style that melds "precise training and technique rooted in French and Italian traditions with a nostalgia for dishes from her upbringing, her world travels and her exploration of the bountiful ingredients of Central Texas."

## 7 NINA COMPTON

*New Orleans, Louisiana*

The Season 11 runner-up helms New Orleans' Compère Lapin (French for "brother rabbit") where "meals aren't about trends, shock value or opulence" and instead are about "moments, memories and those who surround you at your table." Compton mixes the rich culinary heritage of New Orleans with her Caribbean roots and tops it off with her love of French and Italian cuisine. Anyone up for her Buttermilk Biscuits with Honey and Bacon Butter for a starter?

Tiffany Derry chicken sandwich: Credit: Tiffany Derry. Richard Blais chicken sandwich: Credit: Richard Blais.

## 8 RICHARD BLAIS

*Atlanta, Southern California*



Winner of All-Stars Season 8, Richard Blais has also appeared on *Iron Chef America* and *Chopped All-Stars*, as well as serving as a judge for numerous food-related shows. He currently owns and operates Trail Blais, a culinary consulting company that helped design and operate popular restaurants, including Flip Burger Boutique in Atlanta, and the quickly expanding fried chicken restaurant called The Crack Shack (I'll take that Double Clucker for lunch and a BAE for breakfast!), which are located in Los Angeles, Las Vegas and multiple spots around Southern California.

## 9 EDWARD LEE

*Louisville, Kentucky*

The Season 9 competitor and host of PBS' Emmy-winning series *The Mind of a Chef* is all over the map as chef/owner of multiple Louisville establishments including 610 Magnolia; his whiskey and burger bar, Whiskey Dry; and his Cincinnati-based Khora. Check out his five-course tasting menu for 610 and you'll be heading there in no time.

## 10 KWAME ONWUACHI

*Middleburg, Virginia*



The Bronx native and Season 13 contestant opened five restaurants before turning 30, including the groundbreaking Afro-Caribbean restaurant Kith/Kin on D.C.'s Southwest Waterfront. Since leaving his executive chef position in 2020, Onwuachi has been busy. This summer he will spend nine days in residence at the Salamander Resort & Spa in Middleburg, Virginia, as part of the hotel's multi-day event, The Family Reunion, which celebrates diversity in the hospitality community through cooking classes and demonstrations, wine tastings, exclusive dinners and more.

## 11 DALE TALDE

*Tarrytown, New York*

Chicago native and Seasons 4, 8 and Duels competitor Dale Talde is no stranger to TV's food circuit. He's competed on *Chopped*, *Iron Chef America* and *Knife Fight*, and has served as judge for multiple shows. In 2019, Talde opened Goosefeather at the Tarrytown House Estate on the Hudson, where he has taken traditional Cantonese cuisine to another level.





Lisa Kudrow records the voice of Honey

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Will Forte: © 2019 Getty Images. Credit: Leon Bennett

Furry Friends

# HOUSEBROKEN

## Lisa Kudrow On Her Sweet Role As Honey In FOX's New Animated Sitcom.

By Ryan A. Berenz

## The Group

Meet The Animals In Honey's Therapy Circle:

**Bubbles** (Greta Lee) A snarky teenage goldfish.



**Diablo** (Tony Hale) A high-strung terrier with OCD.

**Chico** (Sam Richardson) A rotund, codependent orange cat.

**Max** (Hale) George Clooney's egocentric pet pig.

**Elsa** (Clea DuVall) An aggressively Type A corgi who works as a fake service dog.

**The Gray One** (Jason Mantzoukas) A streetwise, one-eyed alley cat.

**Nibbles** (Bresha Webb) A psychopathic hamster whose mate died under suspicious circumstances.

**Shel** (Will Forte) A sex-positive tortoise with intimacy issues.



It's like *The Secret Life of Pets* if all the pets were neurotic.

*Housebroken*, the latest addition to FOX's stable of animated comedies, comes from writers/executive producers Clea DuVall, Jennifer Crittenden and Gabrielle Allan, and features Lisa Kudrow, Nat Faxon, Tony Hale and Will Forte leading an all-star ensemble voice cast.

Honey (Kudrow) is a standard poodle who leads group therapy sessions for the neighborhood's pets and stray animals to work out their issues with their owners and each other. Meanwhile, Honey's arranged marriage to a big, fun-loving, oafish Saint Bernard named Chief (Faxon) often leaves her feeling unfilled.

Kudrow let us in on what it's like playing canine counselor to a crew of complicated companion animals:

**What was it like working with the cast and recording the voices during the pandemic?**

**Lisa Kudrow:** We started I think before COVID, and then we were doing table reads and scratch recordings virtually during lockdown. And when it was safe, I'd go into a studio. I got to record a lot with Nat Faxon. That was so great. He is so funny. Well, no kidding – that's not exactly like big breaking news. It was just so funny, his laughing as Chief. I don't know how many things I ruined just because I was laughing. It was hard not to. It was so funny at the table reads just to hear everyone. It's really fun. Clea, Jen and Gabby, who created the show, are so great. One or all were there every session. They're just so open to, "Oh, yeah, let's try that. Let's try that." You're allowed to pitch things. And they really also just helped me find Honey.

**DuVall's relationship with her cat was the springboard for *Housebroken*. Do you have any pets of your own?**

Yeah, I have a little dog. She loves me. What more does a pet owner want out of their animal? I'm loved. She's a Maltese mix. She's really great. We just sort of attribute human behaviors and thoughts to our animals and read into every expression as if it's our own. It all makes sense the way they depict these animals. And then there are little misinterpretations of their humans' behavior, which was really funny to me.

**Honey and Chief have an arranged marriage, and they're kind of a mismatch. What's their relationship like?**

They're just total opposites. Chief is just full of energy, everything is just for fun and he has a coarse sense of humor. Honey is obviously analytical and she thinks of herself as a therapist because her human is a therapist. Honey really just wants to talk, and Chief is really not interested. But he's so sweet. Of course she has to like him. What's not to like? He's just so lovable. I think because she's so analytical, she thinks, "I don't know if this is the right match." And you *don't* have to think too much about things. So it almost feels like that's Honey's journey in all of this.

**Doesn't Honey also have eyes on someone else in the neighborhood?**

There's a coyote. I think she has this attraction to the wild side. But guess what, Honey: He's also the opposite of you. And he's sexy. Chief is not sexy. He's just fun and lovable.

**Since they're both therapists, do Honey and Jill (Maria Bamford) overanalyze each other?**

Jill is the human, and it doesn't feel like she's analyzing them too much. It feels like she just loves them with all her heart, which is so nice.

**How would you compare Honey's therapeutic philosophy to that of your Fiona character from *Web Therapy*?**

Fiona is like the opposite of offering anything therapeutic. Honey's really ... she's really, really trying. I think underneath it all, she can't help but sort of feel a little superior to everyone in group, which she thinks she masks really well. And it's also her tragic attempt every time to be fun-sy. She's not. That stuff makes me laugh, I have to say.

**Housebroken**
FOX,
Mondays beginning May 31
▶ Stream on Hulu & fox.com

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**Tabitha** (Sharon Horgan) An aging Persian cat beauty queen.

**Tchotchke** A silent slow loris who may possess magical abilities.





Still Smiling!

# BREAKING BOBBY BONES

## The Radio/TV Personality Gets Out Of His Comfort Zone To Share Touching Underdog Stories. By Barb Oates

**Breaking Bobby Bones** Nat Geo, Premieres Monday, May 31, airs Sundays beginning June 6

Fight. Grind. Repeat. That's the mantra of Bobby Bones.

A man who has carried many titles over his career – comedian, nationally syndicated radio show host (*The Bobby Bones Show*), *American Idol* mentor, *Dancing With the Stars* winner, bestselling author and, now, adventurist.

In Nat Geo's new 16-part series, *Breaking Bobby Bones*, the spirited Bones travels the country spotlighting everyday heroes who have extraordinary jobs, hobbies and abilities. These individuals give him a crash course in their specialized skills, and Bones attempts to live a day in their lives by learning their trade and story. Almost always, Bones is pushed past his own comfort zone (dangling over the Grand Canyon 4,000 feet above the Colorado River turned into quite a day), but, ultimately, he connects with these individuals to share their life.

"It's taken me screwing up a lot and learning, but also having a real empathy," Bones says, when speaking of his own life. "I think the best thing that I have in my career, in my tool belt, is empathy. And this kind of rooted how the show started. I always felt alone in how I grew up; meaning, I grew up with a mom who was an addict, an alcoholic, who died in her 40s. I never had a dad. He left when I was young. … I'd gone through all the stuff and I always felt like, why me? I was resentful of that until I got older and started to realize this is why me. Like, this is the reason I'm doing this is to be able to go out and share my story. As I started to not feel alone, I thought there have got to be other people out there who have been through a bunch, come out the other side and want to help others as well. And that was the root of this idea."

In the series we meet Lonnie, a man blinded from a gunshot to the face, who kayaks through whitewater rapids (Bones says he almost died on the river). We meet Mike, who was in jail and has turned his life around, who takes Bones up into turbines and dangling over the Grand Canyon. We watch Bones play para sled hockey in Denver with a veteran who lost his legs while on deployment.

"I love connecting with real, hardworking Americans to hear their stories of dedication, survival and how they turn their challenges into extraordinary opportunities," says Bones. "I've hated doing a lot of these actual missions, but there was never a second that I was not going to do them. I believe you don't grow unless you're uncomfortable. I've grown about 10 feet tall after this season."

Breaking Bobby Bones: Credit: National Geographic.



Offensive. Bombastic. Satirical.

# ZIWE

## A New Voice Brings Laughs And Thoughtful Commentary. By Taylor Neumann

Showtime's newest series introduces a new voice on the scene – Ziwe, a writer and performer who you may have seen on another one of the network's shows, *Desus & Mero*. She's funny, intelligent and tuned in to society, and now she has her own show to show the world what she's capable of.

*Ziwe* is different from other sketch comedy shows in that it leans more toward what you would call a "variety show" – every episode features musical performances from Ziwe herself, as well as interviews with actors, comedians and political figures. She brings her own unique comedic talents to each minute of the show, which promises to be timely, thought-provoking and unafraid to cover a wide variety of topics.

Ziwe, from Lawrence, Massachusetts, is the daughter of immigrant parents who fled a civil war in Nigeria and came to the United States in the 1980s. "Growing up as Nigerian American has allowed me to really see different aspects of American living," explained Ziwe. "I've just been able to move through different spaces and come up with a comprehensive understanding of what I believe to be my experience, and how I can relay that in my art is always a privilege."

She was also a big hit on social media – spending most of 2020 doing Instagram Live shows – before landing her Showtime series, something she credits with furthering her career. "The secret to breaking out on social media is having a specific voice that you cultivate all to your own. You can never copy someone because it's just not as good as the original," said Ziwe. "I found that with social media I was able to break through glass ceilings. … It's helped me in ways I cannot begin to calculate for sure."

When asked to sum up what viewers can expect from the series, Ziwe had this to say: "Offensive, bombastic, satirical. That's my brand of comedy." For audiences looking for topical, fresh humor from a strong voice who isn't afraid to roast everyone from civil rights leaders to celebrities, *Ziwe* is a great option.

**Ziwe**
**Showtime**, Sundays beginning May 9
▶ Stream on showtime.com

# DEATH & NIGHTINGALES

Three-Part Limited Series

## Matthew Rhys, Ann Skelly And Jamie Dornan Lead This Intense Drama Set In 19th Century Ireland. By Barb Oates

Based on Eugene McCabe's 1992 acclaimed novel of the same name, this three-part melodrama originally aired on BBC in 2018 but finally finds its home for American audiences on Starz this month.

Set in the lavish Irish countryside in 1885, the miniseries introduces us to a beautiful young woman, Beth Winters (Ann Skelly), whose identity and innocence is compromised by the men in her life. Through flashbacks and lean dialogue, we learn that Beth's Protestant stepfather, Billy (Matthew Rhys, *The Americans*), was duped by her Catholic mother and Beth was not his kin.

When Beth was 12, her father showed her his safe filled with 100-year-old gold, gold that he said had been passed and stolen among varying families for decades. Gold that if she could "mind her step, bide her time and play her part" could all be hers. But what part, she battled, would that be – dairymaid, housekeeper, wife – in her toxic environment?

Disgusted by her father's drunken advances and violent outbursts, Beth confides in and falls for the charming and handsome Liam Ward (Jamie Dornan, *50 Shades of Grey*). Together they construct their happily-ever-after plan.

Mixed in these complex love stories are the political (Irish vs. the Crown) and religious (Protestant vs. Catholic) tensions of the time, where loyalty and trust are quick to be questioned. In the end, this is a slow-burn story of love, betrayal, deception and revenge.



**Death & Nightingales**
**Starz**, Sunday, May 16, 23 & 30
▶ Stream on starz.com

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Kaavan the elephant

Keeping A Promise

# CHER & THE LONELIEST ELEPHANT

## How One Celebrity's Compassion And Star Power Helped Save An Elephant. By Jeff Pfeiffer



Cher

This emotional and dramatic documentary chronicles the efforts of music superstar Cher, and a team of wildlife veterinarians, animal aid groups and sanctuary owners, to free a long-suffering captive elephant and move him to a wildlife sanctuary more than 2,000 miles away – in the middle of a global pandemic. The actions seen in this special speak to what people can accomplish when they come together on a shared mission.

In Pakistan, a 4-ton, malnourished elephant named Kaavan spent nearly 20 years in chains, living in a tiny, dilapidated shed under the scorching sun. Kaavan became the poster elephant for the plight of captive animals, igniting a social media uproar that caught Cher's attention.

"I saw all the people being affected by it all over the world," says Cher. "People don't want to see animals suffer. And I know people are suffering too, but this is a story that can brighten their lives."

Cher began using the power of her celebrity to initiate change. She cofounded Free the Wild to boost the movement, and recorded a song, "Walls," to give further voice to the rising calls for Kaavan's release.

These efforts paid off in May 2020, when the Pakistani high court ordered Kaavan be freed. Working with an international rescue organization, the team identified a potential new home for him in a Cambodian wildlife sanctuary.

The stage had been set for an amazing rescue operation, but as logistical challenges piled up, there were serious doubts whether the team could actually pull it off. In November 2020, Cher flew halfway around the world to help ensure that Kaavan would be saved.

"I was frightened, but then I thought, 'You made a promise, and you have to go,'" she recalls. "I have a saying on my Twitter: 'Stand and be counted or sit and be nothing.' And I wasn't going to sit and be nothing."

**Cher & the Loneliest Elephant**
**Smithsonian Channel**, Wednesday, May 19
▶ Stream on Paramount+

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Cher & the Loneliest Elephant: Credit: Smithsonian Channel

Long-Buried History Comes To Light

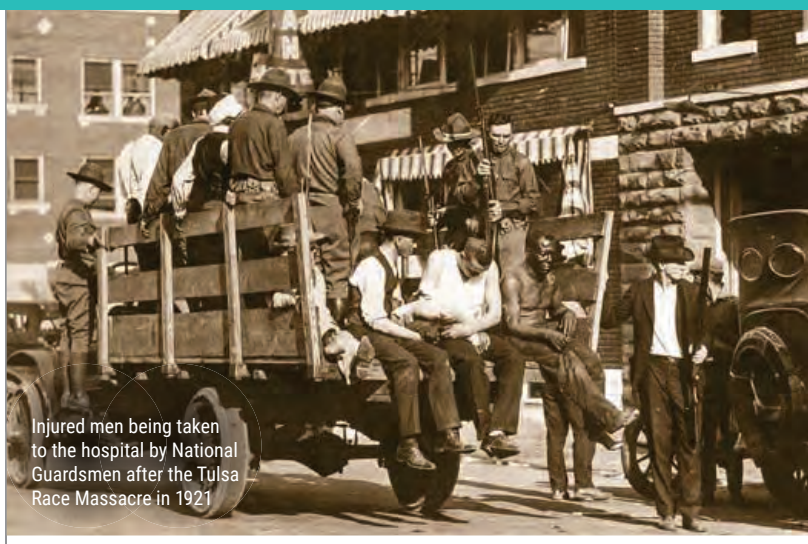
# TULSA: THE FIRE AND THE FORGOTTEN

## Shedding More Light On A Shameful Chapter In American History. By Jeff Pfeiffer

Among the unforgettable elements that the exceptional 2019 miniseries *Watchmen* offered was raising awareness of the previously little-talked-about – and, likely, to most people, completely unknown – 1921 Tulsa Race Massacre, one of the worst incidents of racial violence in American history. Since that real-life event was incorporated into the popular dramatic series, people have become more interested in learning about it.

A great place to discover more this month is in the new PBS documentary *Tulsa: The Fire and the Forgotten*, airing to coincide with the 100th anniversary of that event, which took place May 31-June 1, 1921, in Tulsa, Oklahoma. Over those days, mobs of white residents set fire to Black-owned businesses and homes in the Greenwood District – known familiarly as "Black Wall Street." An estimated 100-300 Black residents were killed, an estimated 10,000 Black residents were left homeless, and the once thriving area never recovered.

Produced and reported by *The Washington Post*'s DeNeen L. Brown, who interviews descendants of Greenwood residents along with today's community activists, *The Fire and the Forgotten* examines how this explosion of racial terror was compounded by the ensuing silence. No one was punished for the crimes, and history textbooks often made no reference to them, so many Americans have remained unaware of this history, perhaps until seeing *Watchmen*.



Injured men being taken to the hospital by National Guardsmen after the Tulsa Race Massacre in 1921

"[Even] many students who went to school in Oklahoma were not taught about this massacre that occurred in their hometown," says Brown. "After the massacre occurred, many of the leaders in Tulsa deliberately set out to cover up the massacre. … Many of the white people would not talk about it because their grandparents were perpetrators. Many of the Black people often whispered about it because some had a fear that it might reoccur."

That attitude may finally be changing. The film chronicles how the city decided in 2018 to search for mass graves from 1921, and how last year, one such grave was discovered.

"This spring," Brown says, "the city of Tulsa plans to commemorate the 100th anniversary of the massacre, as descendants of survivors demand reparations for what was lost and protest against current oppression and racism."

"Without truth, you can't have justice," adds producer/director Jonathan Silvers. "And I think without truth, you can't have a better society, a more perfect society, which I think is our goal."

**Tulsa: The Fire and the Forgotten**
PBS, Monday, May 31
▶ Stream on pbs.org

Tulsa: The Fire and the Forgotten: Credit: Hulton Archive/Getty Images
The Titans That Built America: © 2021 A+E Networks

Three-Night Miniseries

# THE TITANS THAT BUILT AMERICA

## New Miniseries From The People Behind "The Men Who Built America." By Jeff Pfeiffer

History recently announced that it is expanding its *That Built* franchise of documentary programming. In the planning stages are the upcoming docuseries *The Toys That Built America, The Machines That Built America* and *The Engineering That Built the World*.

Already finished and ready to debut this month is *The Titans That Built America*. This three-night miniseries is a follow-up to the 2012 miniseries *The Men Who Built America*, and comes from the people behind that program, who are joined by executive producer Leonardo DiCaprio.

The first series chronicled how late 19th/early 20th century industrialists like Vanderbilt and Rockefeller revolutionized modern society with their industrial innovations and business empires even as their ruthlessness and greed earned them reputations as infamous "robber barons."

*The Titans That Built America* takes a similar approach as it moves further along into the 20th century. The three episodes chronicle the incredible rise and fierce rivalries of industrial heavy-hitters Henry Ford, William Boeing, Walter Chrysler, J.P. Morgan Jr. and Pierre du Pont. The ruthless, innovative and cunning titans battled each other – and FDR – to create entirely new industries (automobiles, airplanes, arms and skyscrapers) at a time when the country was in absolute peril. Out of that rubble, a new age of robber barons emerged who not only resurrected our nation in a time of need, but ultimately banded together to help defeat our country's greatest enemy in World War II.



Actors reenact moments in the lives of great industrialists Henry and Edsel Ford

**The Titans That Built America**
History, May 31-June 2




Alex Gibney

Two-Part Documentary

# THE CRIME OF THE CENTURY

## Exposing The Corruption That Led To America's Deadly Opioid Epidemic.

By Jeff Pfeiffer

"We, for years, have defined the opioid epidemic and an opioid crisis as if it's just something that happened, like a wildfire," says acclaimed documentary filmmaker Alex Gibney (*Going Clear: Scientology and the Prison of Belief*), introducing his latest film. "And to me, what was so revealing as I got into this … was to understand that actually it wasn't a crisis at all, it was a crime, and that the body count was extremely high."

Gibney's understanding will also become the viewers' understanding when they see the compelling evidence he has revealed in *The Crime of the Century*, an HBO documentary airing over two evenings this month. The result of over two years of investigation, the film is a searing indictment of Big Pharma and the political operatives and government regulations that enable overproduction, reckless distribution and abuse of synthetic opiates.

Exploring the origins, extent and fallout of one of the most devastating public health tragedies of our time – with half a million deaths from overdoses this century alone – Gibney's film reveals that America's opioid epidemic is not a public health crisis that came out of nowhere. As it has previously done in films about Enron and Scientology, Gibney's lens also puts a sweltering spotlight on much of the, at best, dubious – if not outright criminal – behavior among many across the business, medical, marketing and political spectrums who escalated this deadly situation under the guise of trying to ease people's pain.

"One really major difference between Big Tobacco and Big Opioid is that tobacco never pretended that they were selling medicine that would actually make you better," says Dr. Anna Lembke, an addiction specialist featured in the film. "Whereas, the opioid industry, that was their winning ticket: 'This is medicine. We're healers. We would never hurt you.' And that's why their campaign to misrepresent opioids was so insidious, so destructive and really, in many ways, very evil."

Insightful commentary from experts like Lembke is coupled with examples of some of those disingenuous campaigns she references; heart-wrenching chronicles of just a few of those who have lost their lives to opioid overdoses and those who have experienced the human devastation firsthand; and enraging evidence – much of it not seen before, and including correspondence like internal company emails – that shows who knew what and when about how highly addictive these money-making drugs really are.

"I think you're going to see a tremendous amount of evidence in this film that's never really been seen before," says Gibney, "and never really been put together in this way, to give you a sense of a kind of conspiracy so immense that it deserves the title 'the Crime of the Century.'"

**The Crime of the Century**
HBO,
May 10-11
Stream on
HBO Max

The Crime of the Century: Courtesy of HBO  Alex Gibney: © 2020 Getty Images. Credit: John Lamparski



Sondi (Corbin Reid), Ella (Andrea Bordeaux), Whitney (Amber Stevens West) and Renee (Bresha Webb) at Ginny's Supper Club

A Modern-Day "Sex And The City"

# RUN THE WORLD

## Fashion Is At The Forefront In This New Girlfriend Series. By Barb Oates

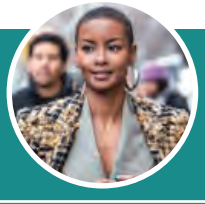
Remember the days when you were 21 and could party all night, hydrate in the morning and be able to shake it off? For a group of fiercely loyal best friends living in Harlem, they think those days may be long gone, as they reinvent their careers and begin to settle down. Starz's new eight-episode, half-hour series is a modern-day version of *Sex and the City*, as it follows the love lives, careers and friendships of this unapologetic foursome – Ella (Andrea Bordeaux, *NCIS: Los Angeles*), Whitney (Amber Stevens West, *The Carmichael Show*), Sondi (Corbin Reid, *Valor*) and Renee (Bresha Webb, *Marlon*).

Ella's a bit Carrie Bradshaw-like, a writer who failed to impress critics with her first book, so she's forced to take a job beneath her at a tabloid website. She's got a "Big" (Chris Noth reference from *Sex and the City*) love interest, as well.

Renee is the tell-it-as-it-is friend, quick to dole out advice – "try to be more likable, like one of those nice colored girls in Georgia we went to school with" – and who's not afraid to have a good time. Sondi's the intellect, an expert contrarian and Ph.D. advisee to her esteemed boyfriend (she's also helping raise his 6-year-old daughter). Whitney's planning her upscale wedding and has (ahem!) real problems like whether branzino, "a glorified tilapia" to her, is the dish of choice, but may also start second-guessing her choice in men.

All of these ladies share an undeniable fashion sense. And, just as *Sex and the City* introduced us to Manolo Blahniks, these women will inspire as well. We caught up with *Run the World*'s costume designer, Tracy L. Cox (*Sex and the City*, *The Devil Wears Prada*), who gave us some insights on the show's fashions.

**Run the World**
Starz, Sundays beginning May 16
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| | ELLA  | WHITNEY  | SONDI  | RENEE  |
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| How would you describe each woman's style? | Eclectic chameleon. | Classic with a modern twist. | Studious bohemia. | Spicy and provocative. |
| What's your current favorite piece from each woman's wardrobe, and when will we see it air? | Giamba black satin jacket with lipstick motif (Ep. 106). | Vivienne Westwood pearls (Ep. 107 & 108). | Christopher John Rogers taffeta plaid top (Ep. 107). | Green vintage straw hat (Ep. 106). |
| What brands will viewers walk away researching/wanting after seeing her in it? | Magenta fun fur by Dries Van Noten (Ep. 107). | Dramatic ruffle top by Anne Fontaine (Ep. 102). | Hanifa green knit wrap dress (Ep. 105). | LaQuan Smith satin plunging dress (Ep. 104). |

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Pure Magic

# GOOD WITCH

## Catherine Bell On Playing Cassie For Over A Decade And The Exciting Season Coming Up. By Taylor Neumann

Hallmark's popular show *Good Witch* is back for Season 7, and it marks 13 years of Catherine Bell playing the title character, Cassie Nightingale, in both the Hallmark original films and the series itself. But Bell is excited by what's to come.

"I got to say, I think it's one of my favorite seasons yet," teased Bell about the upcoming episodes. "We had some changes last season where we had the cousin come in, the Merriwick witchy cousin. We really continue with that this year. There's a lot of fun with the three of us where you find out more about our powers – whatever you want to call them – our witchy abilities. There's a mystery that kind of goes through the entire season. We start to lose our magic; something's happening as part of the mystery we're trying to figure out.

"It goes way back to our roots and some messages that our ancestors planted along the way that we have to uncover and try to figure out. It carries through the whole season and gets more and more exciting, and builds toward the end. I really loved that; I loved the magic. There was a lot more intensity. With that going on in Cassie's life, it affects her in a lot of ways – it affects her and Sam [played by James Denton]. It just kind of rocks her world a little bit, so that was just fun to play with as an actor."

Bell has been around since Day 1, and has watched the show evolve as the years have gone by and beloved characters – like her daughter on the show, Grace, played by Bailee Madison – have left. But she started with those original films – seven in all, which aired from 2008 to 2014 before the show began in 2015. Bell remembers the conversations that took place when trying to expand the universe from those movies into a full-blown series. "We all thought, 'Hey, if we're going to do this as a weekly thing, Cassie can't always know everything, and everything's always perfect, because that just won't be fun to watch week after week. … I mean, God, when I did that first movie, I had no idea we would do a second one even, let alone what it's turned into."



Catherine Bell with her onscreen husband James Denton

And now, after Madison's departure, the show has taken on a decidedly more adult tone – while still remaining the family-friendly kind of series viewers can watch with their kids. "The show is still a very positive show, and it's something that you're going to feel good watching," explained Bell. "I think we have that appeal, but it's nice to have a little bit of like, 'What's going to happen with that?' Cassie doesn't know what to do, she's a little troubled, or her and Sam might have a little something going on at one point in the season – again, it's not awful. You won't be crying over it or anything, but there's a little bit of drama, and a bit of ups and downs of life. It's become more

Good Witch: Catherine Bell: © Crown Media United States, LLC. Credit: Caitlin Cronenberg Good Witch: Inset: © Crown Media United States, LLC. Credit: Peter H. Stranks

mature, and we're growing up a little, within the same sweet, lovely, fun and whimsical frame that we've always been in."

Has playing Cassie changed for Bell over the years? To the actress, not really. "I think at the core, Cassie's still the same – she's still positive, sees the best in everyone, trusts that people will do the right thing. … I love that, because I do think that when we look for the best in people, you do get the best from them, you know what I mean? I think she's still the same person; she was just growing up and evolving as well."

Fans can be assured that even with the restrictions in place this year because of the coronavirus, the season will still be the usual 10 episodes long. Bell, who normally splits her time between filming the series in Toronto and being home with her family in Los Angeles, had to commit to being in Toronto for several months. But she says her wonderful cast and crew more than made up for the unusual circumstances. "We banded together so much; it was such a beautiful sense of camaraderie and closeness. I think probably because we're all so grateful to be out again, and working again, despite masks and face shields and lots of testing."

Playing Cassie for so many years also means Bell has heard from her fair share of fans who adore the character. "A lot of people say they wish Cassie was their best friend – she just makes people feel good; [she's] positive and uplifting. … It's just so lovely when people come up to me and just thank me. … This show has such a positive effect, and it's nice to be a part of that."

**Good Witch**
Hallmark Channel,
Sundays beginning May 16

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# THE GIRLFRIEND EXPERIENCE

## The Anthology Series Returns With An Intriguing, Tech-Themed Season 3.

By Jeff Pfeiffer



Julia Goldani Telles

Starz's anthology series *The Girlfriend Experience* – a reimagining of executive producer Steven Soderbergh's acclaimed 2009 movie of the same name – chronicles the relationships between exclusive escorts and their clients, for whom they provide far more than just sex.

If the show's title and description have you thinking it's something of a purely titillating nature, you should reconsider. Starz promotes the series as part of its "commitment to spotlighting premium stories and narratives by, about and for women and underrepresented audiences," and any viewing of the series so far has made that clear; while at times erotic, it is no late-night "Skinamax" title, but a compelling study of human nature and connections.

Season 3, premiering this month, is no exception. It, in fact, may be the most cinematic and artfully presented season to date, written and stylishly directed by filmmaker Anja Marquardt (*She's Lost Control*), who brilliantly uses sight and sound in an almost hypnotic manner to give the technology-themed season an air of feeling sort of like something out of *Blade Runner* or *Black Mirror*.

Julia Goldani Telles (*The Affair*), who leads the cast this season, explains what makes the series not what people might expect.

"The problem with TV and films for forever," she explains, "is it's been from the male gaze. And so, of course, [some people] assumed that *The Girlfriend Experience* is something titillating for people to objectify a woman and get off on. … [But] it's more about the experience, and it's more about the empowering, choice-driven woman who has the privilege of being able to be compensated quite nicely to provide a service, and also has an entire life and story and motivation behind her, beyond providing service for these men. And [she is] actually gaining more from these men in their games, in the long run."

Telles plays Iris, an American neuroscience major who takes a hiatus from school to work at a London tech firm by day, and for an escort service known as The V at night. As she begins to explore the transactional world of the Girlfriend Experience, Iris quickly learns that her client sessions provide her with a compelling edge in the relationship-based AI tech her firm is working on, and vice versa. She then begins to question whether her actions are driven by free will and heads down a deep path of exploration.

"[Iris is] a very complicated character," Telles says. "She is extremely intellectual and she intellectualizes her emotions. … She's very methodical and really trying to observe people and plan her next step. She loves information. She wants to collect data. … I think that what motivates technology, in part, is our fears and our desires, and our fears and our desires can help create these things that we crave. [And Iris is] really interested in how human wants, needs and desires intersect with technology.

"Along with that, she wants control. She wants power. … I think that the great thing about this show is that people can draw their own conclusions about where [Iris] stands."

**The Girlfriend Experience**
Starz,
Sundays beginning May 2
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# Movies On Demand



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## Above Suspicion

(Action) A woman in a small Kentucky town becomes a star witness in an FBI agent's big case. In becoming that witness, the woman grows close to the agent, leading to an illicit affair between the two. *Emilia Clarke, Jack Huston, Johnny Knoxville* (R, 1:44) **Premieres May 7**



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## Together Together

(Comedy) A single man in his 40s finds a young woman to agree to carry a surrogate child for him. Although they have no relationship, they both try to survive a process that can naturally be stressful, but even more so when you don't have a deeper connection. *Patti Harrison, Ed Helms, Rosalind Chao* (R, 1:30) **Premieres May 11**



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## Land

(Drama) Edee, dealing with the aftermath of an unfathomable event in her life, finds solace by retreating to the American wilderness. The landscape is vast, remote, beautiful and isolated. When trouble arises, Edee is found by a hunter who takes her under his wing and teaches her how to survive. *Robin Wright, Demián Bichir, Sarah Dawn Pledge* (PG-13, 1:29) **Premieres May 11**



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## The Marksman

(Action) During a random check of his farm on the southern U.S. border, a rancher comes across a woman and her son trying to enter the country. Normally he simply turns the case over to the authorities, but this case is different, as some members of a cartel open fire on him. *Liam Neeson, Katheryn Winnick, Juan Pablo Raba, Jacob Perez* (PG-13, 1:48) **Premieres May 11**



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## My Zoe

(Drama) A mother will go to every extreme to protect her daughter, and when tragedy strikes the family, she does everything she can think of to keep going in spite of the obstacles in her path. *Julie Delpy, Richard Armitage, Daniel Brühl, Gemma Arterton* (R, 1:40) **Premieres May 25**



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## The Water Man

(Drama) A young boy sets out to find a mythical man who just might hold the secret to helping his mother, who is ill. *David Oyelowo, Rosario Dawson, Lonnie Chavis* (PG, 1:32) **Premieres May 25**



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## The Little Things

(Thriller) Joe Deacon is sent to Los Angeles to acquire some needed evidence for a case in Kern County. While there, he finds himself teaming up with the new lead detective, who soon realizes that Deacon's old-school methods may just be what he needs to solve the case. *Denzel Washington, Rami Malek, Jared Leto* (R, 2:08) **Available Now**



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## Cosmic Sin

(Action) A group of rogue soldiers launches a preemptive strike against a new alien civilization in hopes of stopping a war before it starts. *Bruce Willis, Frank Grillo, Adelaide Kane* (R, 1:28) **Available Now**



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## The Killing of Two Lovers

(Drama) David and Nikki agree to a separation, but David struggles with his wife's new relationship. As he works to keep his family together, can he prevent himself from falling apart? *Clayne Crawford, Sepideh Moafi, Chris Coy* (R, 1:25) **Premieres May 14**




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## Four Good Days

(Drama) A mother desperately tries to reach her daughter and it will take every bit of strength she has to help her survive her addiction. *Glenn Close, Mila Kunis, Stephen Root* (R, 1:40) **Premieres May 21**




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## Senior Moment

(Comedy) After a man is stripped of his driver's license due to reckless driving, he needs to avail himself of the area's public transportation. He meets a woman on the local bus who helps him get back into life and just might reignite something more within. *William Shatner, Jean Smart, Christopher Lloyd* (NR, 1:32) **Available Now**

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# At-A-Glance

## May On Demand Movies

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| Aquarium of the Dead | 5/21 |
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| Blast Beat | 5/21 |
| Blurred Vision | 5/11 |
| Captive | 5/21 |
| Dara of Jasenovac | 5/11 |
| D-Day Veterans Return to Normandy | 5/18 |
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| Four Good Days | 5/21 |
| French Exit | 5/11 |
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## ORIGINAL SERIES



### The Upshaws

**Available May 12**

In this comedy cocreated by Regina Hicks and executive producer/costar Wanda Sykes, Bennie Upshaw (Mike Epps, also an executive producer), the head of a Black working-class family in Indianapolis, is a charming, well-intentioned mechanic and lifelong mess just trying his best to step up and care for his family – wife Regina (Kim Fields), their two young daughters (Khali Daniya-Renee Spraggins, Journey Christine) and firstborn son (Jermelle Simon); and the teenage son (Diamond Lyons) he fathered with another woman (Gabrielle Dennis) – and tolerate his sardonic sister-in-law (Sykes), all without a blueprint for success. But the Upshaws are determined to make it work, and make it to the next level, together.



### Selena: The Series Part 2

**Available May 4**

The series launches its concluding set of episodes. The biographical drama explores the journey of Selena Quintanilla (Christian Serratos) from singing small gigs to becoming the Queen of Tejano Music and one of the most successful female Latin artists of all time during her brief life that was cut tragically short when she was shot and killed at age 23.



### The Circle

**Season 2 Finale Available May 5**

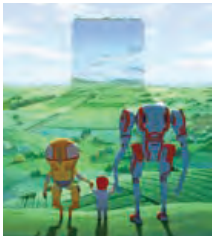
The reality competition series ends its second season with this episode. In the series, contestants bond, flirt and plot, all in an effort to earn clout exclusively through a unique social media platform. With $100,000 on the line, everyone's competing to gain influence and avoid getting voted out. But who's for real and who's a catfish?



### Jupiter's Legacy

**Available May 7**

Based on the graphic novels by Mark Millar and Frank Quitely, this series is an epic superhero drama that spans decades and navigates the complex dynamics of family, power and loyalty. After nearly a century of keeping humanity safe, the world's first generation of superheroes must look to their children to continue the legacy. But tensions rise as the young superheroes struggle to live up to their parents' legendary public reputations – and exacting personal standards. Josh Duhamel, Leslie Bibb, Ben Daniels and Elena Kampouris star.



### Eden

**Available May 27**

This anime series is set thousands of years in the future, where a city known as Eden 3 is inhabited solely by robots whose former masters vanished a long time ago. On a routine assignment, two farming robots accidentally awaken a human baby girl from stasis, questioning all they were taught to believe – that humans were nothing more than a forbidden ancient myth. Together, the two robots secretly raise the child in a safe haven outside Eden.

## NEW ORIGINAL DOCUMENTARY



### Headspace Guide to Sleep

**Available April 28**

In this series, learn all about sleep, your relationship with it and how to build healthy habits for a more restful night. Over the course of seven 15-minute animated episodes, Headspace Director of Meditation and Mindfulness teacher Eve Lewis Prieto reveals the science behind a healthy night's sleep and provides tips on how to get the best sleep you've ever had. Each episode explores a different aspect of our relationship with sleep – such as insomnia, stress, our phones and even sleeping pills – followed by a guided wind-down designed to help you on your journey to a better sleep.

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# May

We Break Down The Month's Biggest And Best Programming So You Never Miss A Must-See Minute.

## 1

**Horse Racing: Kentucky Derby,** NBC

## 2

**The Story of Late Night,** CNN – New Series
**DC's Legends of Tomorrow,** The CW – Season Premiere
**NASCAR Cup Series: Buschy McBusch Race 400,** FS1
**Pose,** FX – Season Premiere
**Very Scary People,** HLN – Season Premiere
**The Girlfriend Experience,** Starz – Season Premiere

## 4

**The Real Housewives of New York City,** Bravo – Season Premiere

## 6

**Million Dollar Listing New York,** Bravo – Season Premiere

## 7

**Dynasty,** The CW – Season Premiere
**Jupiter's Legacy,** Netflix – New Series

## 9

**When Calls the Heart,** Hallmark Channel – Season Finale
**Ziwe,** Showtime – New Series

## 10

**The Crime of the Century,** HBO

## 11

**Mayans M.C.,** FX – Season Finale
**Extra Life: A Short History of Living Longer,** PBS – New Series

## 13

**Mom,** CBS – Series Finale
**Young Sheldon,** CBS – Season Finale
**Paranormal Caught on Camera,** Travel Channel – Season Premiere

## 14

**Blue Bloods,** CBS – Season Finale
**Ferry,** Netflix – Original Film
**The Woman in the Window,** Netflix – Original Film

## 15

**Horse Racing: Preakness Stakes,** NBC

## 16

**Good Witch,** Hallmark Channel – Season Premiere
**2021 MTV Movie & TV Awards,** MTV
**Death & Nightingales,** Starz – New Miniseries
**Run the World, Starz** – New Series ↓



## 17

**Breeders,** FX – Season Finale

## 19

**SEAL Team,** CBS – Season Finale
**S.W.A.T.,** CBS – Season Finale
**Cher & the Loneliest Elephant,** Smithsonian Channel

## 20

**Golf: PGA Championship: First Round,** ESPN

## 22

**Iyanla: Fix My Life,** OWN – Series Finale

## 23

**American Idol,** ABC – Season Finale
**NCIS: Los Angeles,** CBS – Season Finale
**NCIS: New Orleans,** CBS – Series Finale
**Formula 1 Racing: Monaco Grand Prix,** ESPN2
**Duncanville,** FOX – Season Premiere
**2021 Billboard Music Awards,** NBC
**Black Monday,** Showtime – Season Premiere
**The Chi,** Showtime – Season Premiere

## 24

**9-1-1,** FOX – Season Finale
**9-1-1: Lone Star,** FOX – Season Finale

## 25

**FBI,** CBS – Season Finale
**FBI: Most Wanted,** CBS – Season Finale
**NCIS,** CBS – Season Finale

## 27

**The Red Nose Day Special,** NBC
**Eden,** Netflix – New Series

## 28

**The Kominsky Method,** Netflix – Series Finale

## 30

**NASCAR Cup Series: Coca-Cola 600,** FOX
**Mare of Easttown,** HBO – Season Finale
**NTT IndyCar Series: 105th Indianapolis 500,** NBC

## 31

**Housebroken,** FOX – New Series
**The Titans That Built America,** History – New Miniseries
**Breaking Bobby Bones,** Nat Geo – New Series
**Gordon Ramsay: Uncharted,** Nat Geo – Season Premiere
**American Ninja Warrior,** NBC – Season Premiere
**Small Fortune,** NBC – New Series
**Tulsa: The Fire and the Forgotten,** PBS

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