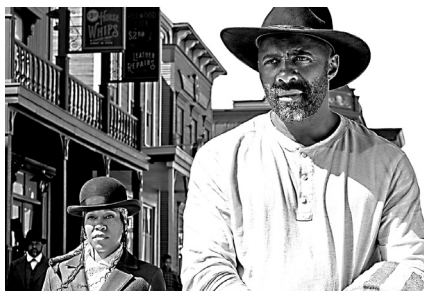


ORIGINAL FILMS



The Harder They Fall

Available Nov. 3

In this new-school Western, when outlaw Nat Love (Jonathan Majors) discovers that his enemy Rufus Buck (Idris Elba) is being released from prison, he rounds up his gang to seek revenge. Zazie Beetz, Regina King, LaKeith Stanfield, Edi Gathegi and RJ Cyler also star. Hip-hop star Jay-Z is a producer on the film and also created original music for the production.



Red Notice

Available Nov. 12

Dwayne Johnson, Gal Gadot and Ryan Reynolds headline this action comedy. Johnson plays an Interpol agent regarded as the world's greatest tracker who may meet his match after his organization issues a "red notice" – a global alert to capture the world's most wanted – and he must pursue the world's greatest art thief (Gadot) and the world's greatest con man (Reynolds).



tick, tick...BOOM!

Available Nov. 19

Pulitzer Prize and Tony Award winner Lin-Manuel Miranda (*Hamilton*) makes his feature directorial debut with this adaptation of the autobiographical musical by Jonathan Larson. The film follows Jon (Andrew Garfield), a young theater composer who is waiting tables at a New York City diner in 1990 while writing what he hopes will be the next great American musical.



The Claus Family

Available Nov. 1

In this Dutch-Belgian film, when his grandfather (Jan Decleir) suddenly falls ill, holiday-hating Jules (Mo'Nique) learns of his family's magical legacy and realizes he is the only hope to save Christmas.

Father Christmas Is Back

Available Nov. 7

In this British comedy, four feuding sisters get a crash course in family togetherness when their long-lost father shows up for Christmas at their posh manor. Elizabeth Hurley, John Cleese and Kelsey Grammer star.



A Boy Called Christmas

Available Nov. 24

This is a magical and comic origin story for Father Christmas from England. Henry Lawfull, Stephen Merchant, Jim Broadbent, Sally Hawkins, Toby Jones, Maggie Smith and Kristen Wiig star.



A Cop Movie

Available Nov. 5

Through an experimental style of narrative and documentary storytelling, director Alonso Ruizpalacios' unpredictable action film/documentary set in the Mexican police force propels the viewer into an unusual cinematic space.



Passing

Available Nov. 10

This drama follows two mixed-race friends. Irene (Tessa Thompson) identifies as Black and has married a Black doctor (André Holland); Clare (Ruth Negga) "passes" as white and has married a prejudiced white man (Alexander Skarsgård).



Bruised

Available Nov. 24

Halle Berry stars in and makes her directorial debut with this triumphant story of a mixed martial arts fighter who reclaims her power in and out of the ring when everyone has counted her out.



Love Hard

Available Nov. 5

This romantic comedy chronicles the efforts of L.A. girl Natalie (Nina Dobrev) to reel in love after she falls for an East Coast guy on a dating app, only to discover that she's been catfished. Lochlyn Munro and Harry Shum Jr. also star.



The Princess Switch 3: Romancing the Star

Available Nov. 18

When a priceless relic is stolen, Queen Margaret (Vanessa Hudgens), Princess Stacy (Hudgens) and Margaret's lookalike cousin Fiona (Hudgens) seek to get it back.



A Castle for Christmas

Available Nov. 26

Famed author Sophie Brown (Brooke Shields) travels to Scotland hoping to buy a small castle of her own, but the prickly owner, Duke Myles (Cary Elwes), is reluctant to sell to a foreigner.



Website: tv.apple.com

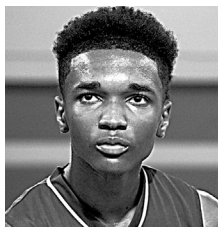
Subscription Cost: \$4.99/month, after a seven-day free trial.

ORIGINAL SERIES



The Shrink Next Door

First Three Episodes Available Nov. 12; Subsequent New Episodes Available Fridays
Will Ferrell and Paul Rudd star in this eight-episode limited series about the unusual relationship between psychiatrist Dr. Isaac "Ike" Herschkopf (Rudd) and his longtime patient, Martin "Marty" Markowitz (Ferrell). See the Top 15 section on page 15 for more details.



Swagger
First Three Episodes Available Oct. 29; Subsequent New Episodes Available Fridays

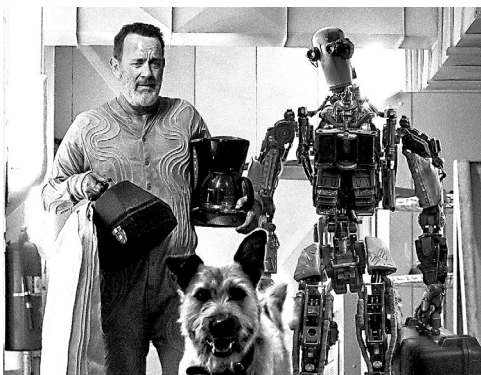
NBA superstar Kevin Durant is an executive producer on this 10-episode drama inspired by his experiences. The series explores the world of youth basketball, and the players, their families and coaches who walk the fine line between dreams and ambition, and opportunism and corruption. Off the court, the show reveals what it's like to grow up in America. The cast is led by O'Shea Jackson Jr. as Ike, a former star player who is now a youth basketball coach; Isaiah Hill as Jace Carson, a basketball phenom who is one of the top-ranked youth players in the country; Shinelle Azoroh as Jenna, Jace's mother who is determined to chart NBA success for her son; and Quvenzhané Wallis as Crystal, a top young basketball player.



Dickinson (Season 3)
First Three Episodes Available Nov. 5; Subsequent New Episodes Available Fridays

The critically acclaimed, Peabody Award-winning comedy that fancifully follows the life of famed 19th-century poet Emily Dickinson (Hailee Steinfeld) returns for its 10-episode third and final season. In Season 3, Emily's most productive time as an artist falls amid the raging Civil War and an equally fierce battle that divides her own family. As she tries to heal the divides around her, Emily wonders if art can help keep hope alive, and whether the future can be better than the past. New guest stars include Ziwe as Sojourner Truth, Billy Eichner as Walt Whitman and Chloe Fineman as Sylvia Plath, who join returning favorites Zosia Mamet as Louisa May Alcott and Will Pullen as Nobody.

FEATURE FILM EXCLUSIVE



Finch
Available Nov. 5
Tom Hanks leads this postapocalyptic sci-fi comedy/drama that was originally intended for theatrical release, but was delayed several times by the pandemic

and now makes its premiere on Apple TV+. Hanks plays Finch, a robotics engineer and one of the few survivors of a cataclysmic solar event that has left the world a wasteland. Finch has built a world of his own in an underground bunker that he shares with his dog, Goodyear, and creates a robot, who names himself Jeff (played by Caleb Landry Jones in a motion-capture performance), to watch over the dog when he no longer can. As the trio embarks on a perilous journey into a desolate American West, Finch strives to show Jeff the joy and wonder of what it means to be alive – and faces difficulties in trying to goad Jeff and Goodyear to get along.

STREAMING EXCLUSIVE



A Charlie Brown Thanksgiving

Available Now

This Emmy-winning 1973 animated *Peanuts* favorite is as much a November tradition as Lucy holding a football and then yanking it away just as Charlie Brown is about to kick it, as seen in the famous scene that opens this special. All *Peanuts* holiday specials, including this one, are always available to stream year-round on Apple TV+. A *Charlie Brown Thanksgiving* can also be seen Sunday, Nov. 21, on PBS and PBS Kids.



Website:
amazon.com/primevideo

Subscription Cost: Amazon Prime is \$12.99/month, \$119/year. Prime Video is \$8.99/month; 30-day free trial.

ORIGINAL SERIES



Always Jane All Four Episodes Available Nov. 12

This four-part docuseries is a true coming-of-age story that offers an intimate look into the life of transgender teen Jane Noury and

her family as she nears graduation and prepares to leave the nest. Navigating deeply personal and challenging issues, the Noury family's uplifting humor and kindness is always present, revealing the transformative power of acceptance.



The Wheel of Time First Three Episodes Available Nov. 19; Subsequent New Episodes Available Fridays

Based on Robert Jordan's bestselling fantasy novels, this highly anticipated series is set in a sprawling, epic world where magic exists and only certain women are allowed to access it. Rosamund Pike stars

as Moiraine, a member of the incredibly powerful, all-female Aes Sedai organization. She embarks upon a journey with five young women and men, one of whom is prophesied to be the Dragon Reborn, who will either save or destroy humanity. Daniel Henney, Josha Stradowski, Madeleine Madden, Marcus Rutherford, Zoë Robins and Barney Harris also star.

FEATURE FILM EXCLUSIVE



The Electrical Life of Louis Wain Available Nov. 5

Benedict Cumberbatch leads this biopic as its title subject in a film that tells the extraordinary true story of eccentric British artist Louis Wain, whose playful, sometimes even psychedelic, pictures helped transform the public's perception of cats forever. Moving from the late 1800s through the 1930s, the drama follows the incredible adventures of this inspiring, unsung hero as he seeks to unlock the "electrical" mysteries of our world and, in so doing, better understand his own life and the profound love he shared with his wife, Emily Richardson (Claire Foy). The cast also includes Andrea Riseborough, Toby Jones, Olivia Colman and Taika Waititi.

IMDb TV

Website: amazon.com/imdbtv

Subscription Cost: IMDb TV is Amazon's free, ad-supported streaming service.

ORIGINAL SERIES



Judy Justice

New Episodes Available Weekdays Beginning Nov. 1

Viewers who miss *Judge Judy* are in luck – iconic TV judge Judy Sheindlin is back on the bench in this new courtroom series, adjudicating real-life cases from all over the country in a brand-new format. Judge Sheindlin is joined by bailiff Kevin Rasco, a retired Los Angeles probation officer and entrepreneur; court stenographer Whitney Kumar, a board-certified court reporter in the state of California; and Sarah Rose, a law clerk and Sheindlin's granddaughter, who brings in a new generation of legal analysis. If you're interested in doing more than just watching *Judy Justice*, you can submit a potential claim to be considered for the series at judyjustice.tv.



Website:
discoveryplus.com

Subscription Cost: Starts at \$4.99/month; ad-free version available for \$6.99/month. Verizon customers will receive up to 12 months of discovery+ on select plans. Seven-day free trial.

ORIGINAL SERIES



90 Day: The Single Life Season 2 Episodes Available Fridays Beginning Nov. 12

In Season 2 of the reality spinoff, *90 Day* franchise hopefuls are on a mission to prove it's never too late to find love. Moving past their failed romances, some of the biggest names in the *90 Day* universe are looking to start fresh with better and stronger relationships. To do so, they must navigate the modern dating world and overcome cringeworthy encounters, ghosting and even traveling to other continents for a first date. For the first time in *90 Day* history, two singles from different *90 Day* relationships connect and spark an interest in each other after ending things with their American exes. The season starts with a two-hour premiere.



Kendra Sells Hollywood Available Nov. 17

This six-part docuseries follows single mother and former *Playboy* model Kendra Wilkinson as she joins a Los Angeles real estate firm to learn the ropes of the business and land her first sale.

"I got my real estate license almost a year ago," Wilkinson explains, "and I just decided to actually pursue real estate without anyone knowing about it. I went and studied and took a test and passed the test."

"To be honest with you, it hasn't been easy, and I have already been through my fair share of trials and errors, and ones that real estate agents probably wouldn't want on camera. I'm giving it to you: the raw, authentic journey of what it's like to start a business."

Meet Your Makers Showdown

Available Nov. 27

This competition series is hosted by *This Is Us* star and crafting enthusiast Chrissy Metz, and features singer-songwriter LeAnn Rimes as "inspiration judge" and TV host Mark Montano as craft expert judge. In each of the six hourlong episodes, four top artisans will complete two challenges that test their creativity, skills and passion for their craft. Rimes will lead fellow judges on a walkthrough among contestants that delves into their creative process, and Montano will evaluate their technique and originality. Together with a weekly guest judge who specializes in the featured trade, they will award \$10,000 to one maker.

ORIGINAL DOCUMENTARIES



Set!

Available Nov. 12

This documentary chronicles how, once a year, a group of feverishly determined table setters vie for the Best of Show ribbon at the Orange County Fair table-setting competition, often

referred to as the "Olympics of Table Setting." Old rivalries, controversy and eccentric personalities come to a head and show the extent to which a hobby can become a passion.



Keep Sweet

Available Nov. 24

Warren Jeffs was the Prophet of the FLDS, an offshoot of Mormonism, whose controversial reign ended with a conviction for sexual assault with underage girls, landing him in jail for life. After Jeffs' downfall, some in the

community pledged their loyalty to him, while others turned their backs on him and FLDS altogether. Ten years after his arrest, those left behind attempt to rebuild their community. This documentary chronicles these events and is an allegory for the unsettling reality we are living through.

ORIGINAL SERIES

MAGNOLIA NETWORK ON DISCOVERY+



The Established Home

Available Nov. 19

In this series, designer Jean Stoffer takes on some of her most ambitious projects to date around her hometown of Grand Rapids, Michigan, and shares the inspiration behind her stunning designs, as well as the important role family plays in her life and business.



The Katie Button Project

Available Nov. 19

Award-winning chef and restaurateur Katie Button explores the origins and stories behind different delicious ingredients. She also shares her knowledge of cooking techniques to inspire others to be curious, creative and joyful cooks.



Website: paramountplus.com

Subscription Cost: \$4.99/month or \$49.99/year with limited commercials, \$9.99/month or \$99.99/year commercial free. Free trial available.

ORIGINAL SERIES



The Game

Episodes Available Thursdays Beginning Nov. 11

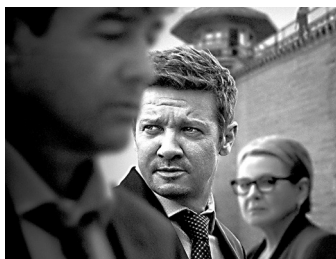
The hugely popular sitcom that aired its original nine seasons on The CW (2006-09) and then BET (2011-15) is back in this revival.

Returning with a mix of new players and original cast members – and relocating its setting from San Diego to Las Vegas – *The Game* will again offer a modern-day examination of Black culture through the prism of pro football.

"We're back!" exclaims showrunner/executive producer/writer Devon Gregory. "We're fresher than ever, starting with our theme of second chances. And that's what we're going to try to bring to this. It's a second chance for us to speak on issues that we probably couldn't speak about earlier. ... So, get your popcorn ready."

Along with Gregory, original series creator Mara Brock Akil is also on hand as an EP. Familiar faces reprising their original roles include Wendy Raquel Robinson as sports agent Tasha Mack, Hosea Chanchez as footballer Malik Wright, Brittany Daniel as Kelly Pitts, Pooch Hall as Derwin Davis and Coby Bell as Jason Pitts.

Notable newcomers to *The Game* include Tim Daly as self-made billionaire Col. Ulysses S. Thatcher; Toby Sandeman as Garret Evans, a top football player in the league; Adriyan Rae as Brittany Pitts, daughter of Jason and Kelly; and Vaughn Hebron as Jamison Fields, an undrafted free agent.



Mayor of Kingstown

Episodes Available Sundays Beginning Nov. 14

"There's a lot of things that define Mike McLusky," says *Mayor of Kingstown* star/executive producer Jeremy Renner of his character in the series. "And it all starts with

the family. It will always start with the family."

The McLusky family is the focus of this 10-episode drama from *Yellowstone* cocreator Taylor Sheridan. The clan are power brokers in Kingstown, Michigan, where the business of incarceration is the only thriving industry. Tackling themes of systemic racism, corruption and inequality, the series provides a stark look at the McLuskys' attempt to bring order and justice to a town that has neither.

Renner says that he believes his show's thematic approach "will widen it to be not just a prison drama, or this or that. It really expands itself into a much more poetic and emotional context of the family and sacrifices."

Mayor of Kingstown costars Kyle Chandler, Dianne Wiest and series cocreator Hugh Dillon, who also stars in Sheridan's *Yellowstone*. And *Yellowstone* will serve as a launching pad for this series; Paramount Network will simulcast the *Kingstown* series premiere on Nov. 14 following a new episode of the former series.



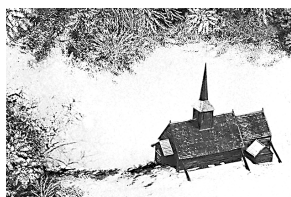
Star Trek: Discovery (Season 4)

Episodes Available Thursdays Beginning Nov. 18

The fourth season of this *Star Trek* entry finds Capt. Burnham (Sonequa Martin-Green) and the crew of the USS *Discovery* facing a threat unlike any they've ever encountered. With

Federation and non-Federation worlds alike feeling the impact, they must confront the unknown and work together to ensure a hopeful future for all.

FEATURE FILM EXCLUSIVES



Paranormal Activity: Next of Kin

Available Oct. 29

The *Paranormal Activity* franchise, one of the progenitors of the modern "found-footage" subgenre of horror films, returns with its seventh installment, whose planned theatrical release earlier this year was ultimately canceled by the pandemic.

In *Next of Kin*, which serves as a reboot of the franchise, a documentary filmmaker follows Margot (Emily Bader) as she heads to a secluded Amish community in the hopes of meeting her long-lost mother and extended family. Following strange occurrences and discoveries, she soon realizes this community that welcomed them into their home might be hiding something sinister.

The documentary film *Unknown Dimension: The Story of Paranormal Activity*, about the *Paranormal Activity* movies, is also available beginning Oct. 29.



Clifford the Big Red Dog

Available Nov. 10

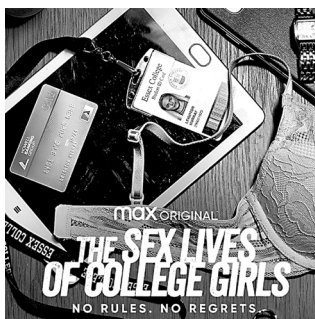
The beloved pooch from the popular children's books makes his feature film debut in this family movie that streams on Paramount+ beginning the same day it also hits theaters. When middle schooler Emily Elizabeth (Darby Camp) meets a magical animal rescuer (John Cleese) who gifts her a little red puppy, she does not anticipate waking up to find a giant 10-foot hound in her small New York City apartment. Sienna Guillory and Jack Whitehall costar.

HBOMAX

Website: hbomax.com

Subscription Cost: \$9.99/month or \$99.99/year with ads; \$14.99/month or \$149.99/year ad-free.

ORIGINAL SERIES



The Sex Lives of College Girls

Available Thursdays Beginning Nov. 18

The 10-episode comedy is created by Mindy Kaling and Justin Noble, and follows four college roommates as they arrive at New England's prestigious Essex College. A bundle of contradictions and hormones, these girls are equal parts lovable and infuriating as they live out their new, free lives on campus. Stars Pauline Chalamet, Amrit Kaur, Renée Rapp and Alyah Chanelle Scott.

ORIGINAL DOCUMENTARY



15 Minutes of Shame

Available Now

Monica Lewinsky and filmmaker Max Joseph (*Catfish*) examine the human price of public shaming and cyber-harassment, profiling people who have experienced them firsthand – while investigating the bullies, bystanders and experts in between.

ORIGINAL DOCUMENTARY SERIES



The Way Down

Available Now

This five-part documentary series explores the Tennessee-based Remnant Fellowship Church and its charismatic leader Gwen Shamblin Lara, author and founder of the Christian weight-loss program "The Weigh Down Workshop." The series explores Lara's rise to fame and power as a diet guru and

church leader, revealing the surprising truth behind her carefully curated image and detailing the abusive and exploitative practices of the church.

ORIGINAL STAND-UP



Phoebe Robinson: Sorry, Harriet Tubman

Available Now

After a "truly trash" year, actor, producer and *New York Times* bestselling author

Phoebe Robinson (HBO's *2 Dope Queens*) is finally out of quarantine and ready to get back onstage. Bringing her signature brand of authentic confessional humor to her first ever solo stand-up special, Robinson gets real about therapy, interracial dating, reparations, hanging out with Michelle Obama, aging out of watching civil rights movies and more.



What Happened, Brittany Murphy?

Available Now

This intimate, in-depth character portrait of actress Brittany Murphy goes beyond the headlines to explore the mysterious circumstances surrounding her tragic death at 32 years old in 2009. Featuring new archival footage and interviews with those closest to her, the series goes beyond the tabloid

rumors to examine the impact of Hollywood's sexism on her struggles, as well as lingering concerns about her relationship with her husband Simon Monjack.



SUNDANCE NOW

Website: sundancenow.com

Subscription Cost: Seven-day free trial then \$6.99/month or \$59.99/year.

U.S. PREMIERE SERIES



Stella Blómkvist (Season 2)

All Six Episodes Available Nov. 11

The neo-noir crime drama from Iceland returns for Season 2. Set two years after the events in the Ministry that changed the political landscape of Iceland, the new season finds cunning lawyer Stella (Heida Reed) back defending criminals and hustling her way through

the court system. Meanwhile, Stella's ex-lover/current Prime Minister Dagbjört (Sara Dögg Ásgeirsdóttir) is causing massive social upheaval.

Hollington Drive

Episodes Available Thursdays Beginning Nov. 18

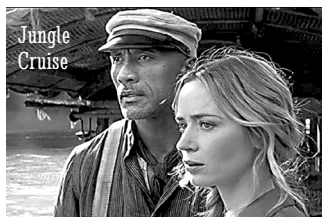
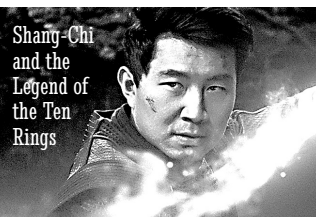
This four-episode British psychological thriller begins on a summer evening in the seemingly idyllic suburb of Hollington Drive, when 10-year-old Alex is declared missing. As grief tears through the community, sisters Theresa (Anna Maxwell Martin) and Helen (Rachael Stirling) fight to hold their lives and their families together, and secrets and lies begin to surface as long-held facades falter.



Website: disneyplus.com

Subscription Cost: \$7.99/month or \$79.99/year. Free with some Verizon Wireless plans for a limited time.

DISNEY+ DAY



Friday, Nov. 12

Disney+ celebrates its second anniversary on Nov. 12 all across the Disney empire, including at its parks. The streaming service itself will, of course, be a primary hub for celebration, offering new content releases and sneak peeks of things to come. Disney+ Day content-premiere highlights on Disney+ include:

■ **Shang-Chi and the Legend of the Ten Rings (Streaming Premiere)** – The most recent Marvel Cinematic Universe feature film is the first MCU title to spotlight an Asian superhero, and it features a primarily Asian cast. It premiered only in theaters in September but can be streamed on Disney+ starting Nov. 12. Simu Liu stars as Shang-Chi, who must confront the past he thought he left behind when he is drawn into the web of the mysterious Ten Rings organization. The film also stars Awkwafina, Michelle Yeoh, Tony Chiu-Wai Leung and Benedict Wong (reprising his character of Wong from the *Doctor Strange* and *Avengers* movies).

■ **Home Sweet Home Alone (Original Film Premiere)** – An all-new installment of the *Home Alone* film franchise, this adventure

comedy follows Max Mercer (Archie Yates), a mischievous and resourceful young boy who has been left behind while his family is in Japan for the holidays. So when a married couple attempting to retrieve a priceless heirloom set their sights on the Mercer family's home, it's up to Max to protect it from the trespassers, with high jinks of epic proportions ensuing. Ellie Kemper, Rob Delaney, Aisling Bea and Kenan Thompson costar.

■ **Jungle Cruise** movie available to stream for all subscribers.

■ All-new series of animated shorts called **Olaf Presents**, featuring the snowman from *Frozen* retelling classic Disney tales.

■ First five episodes from Season 2 of **The World According to Jeff Goldblum** from National Geographic.

■ A special celebrating the origins and legacy of legendary *Star Wars* bounty hunter Boba Fett, ahead of next month's premiere of the series *The Book of Boba Fett*.

■ A special celebrating the MCU on Disney+ with a look at what's ahead.

■ And more.

ORIGINAL SERIES



Hawkeye

First Two Episodes Available Nov. 24; Subsequent New Episodes Available Wednesdays

Merry Christmas from Marvel! The initial trailer for this Marvel Cinematic Universe (MCU) limited series entry was filled with a fun holiday vibe, indicating that the show's action takes place

in New York City during the Christmas season (there's even a hilarious glimpse of an ad for a cheesy-looking original Captain America-inspired Broadway production called *Rogers: The Musical*).

Jeremy Renner reprises his role from the *Avengers* films as sharpshooter Clint Barton, aka Hawkeye, who joins forces with another well-known Marvel archer, Kate Bishop (Hailee Steinfeld). In the comics, Bishop takes on the mantle of Hawkeye from Barton, so this series may very well feature a similar passing of the torch. Florence Pugh also reprises her big-screen MCU role, playing Yelena Belova, and if you saw her post-credits scene at the end of *Black Widow*, you have some idea how Belova may figure here. *Hawkeye* will also introduce Alaqua Cox as Maya Lopez, aka Echo, a superhero who can perfectly copy another person's movements and is one of the few deaf characters in comic books. Vera Farmiga also stars.



The Beatles: Get Back

Three-Part Docuseries Available Nov. 25-27

This original, three-part documentary from director Peter Jackson (*The Lord of the Rings*) about the Beatles includes six hours of never-before-seen footage, including the band's final live performance, as it chronicles preparations for their first live show in over two years. See the Top 15 article on page 14 for more details.

hulu

Website: hulu.com

Subscription Cost: Limited commercials \$6.99/month, commercial-free \$12.99/month, Live (plus library with limited commercials) \$64.99/month, Live (commercial-free library) \$70.99/month. Free trial available.

ORIGINAL SERIES



The Great Season 2

Available
Nov. 19

Catherine (Elle Fanning) decides now is the time to seize the day and

take the throne of Russia for her own, no matter the consequences – and dealing with her husband Peter (Nicholas Hoult) is at the top of the list. Also complicating matters is the arrival of her mother (Gillian Anderson). Catherine soon discovers how difficult it is to liberate a country that just doesn't want to be liberated.

Taste the Nation: Holiday Edition

Available Nov. 4

The series that takes viewers around the country along with Emmy-nominated host Padma Lakshmi is this time highlighting the unique food traditions that exist among different immigrant cultures in the United States during the holidays. Examples include Korean New Year in Los Angeles and Cuban Christmas in Miami.

The Curse of Von Dutch

Available Nov. 18

This three-episode docuseries tells the true story of how the 2000s iconic fashion brand rose from nothing to become one of the most recognizable on Earth – and how it disappeared. The series tells the dramatic tale of surfers, gangsters and Hollywood stars who tried to control the brand in its heyday. Now, a decade later, the truth about what happened will come out.

Animaniacs Season 2

Available Nov. 5

Yakko, Wakko and Dot are back for another season causing trouble everywhere they go. Fan favorites Pinky and the Brain are also back, creating chaos, as are the new additions from Season 1, Starbox and Cindy. Season 2 also promises "some rejected *Animaniacs* characters that were left on the cutting room floor."

peacock

Website: peacocktv.com

Subscription Cost: Peacock Free tier is no cost; Peacock Premium is \$4.99/month; Peacock Premium Plus (ad-free) is an additional \$5/month.

ORIGINAL SERIES

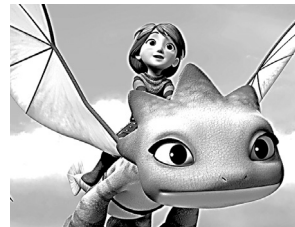


Siwa's Dance Pop Revolution

First Three Episodes Available Nov. 4;
Subsequent New Episodes Available
Thursdays

Jessalyn Siwa, mom and manager to pop sensation JoJo Siwa, teams up with her daughter for this reality competition series

in which young talent (who also happen to be major JoJo fans) compete for a role in XOMG Pop, a brand-new pop group that Jessalyn will manage. Eleven tweens will participate in a series of performances and challenges while JoJo serves as choreographer and mentor. As part of the grand prize, the newly crowned pop group will serve as an opening act for JoJo.



Dragons Rescue Riders: Heroes of the Sky

Available Nov. 24

This latest series spinoff of DreamWorks' *How to Train Your Dragon* animated film franchise

follows Viking twins Dak and Leyla, who were rescued and raised by dragons, growing up learning to speak their language. Along with young dragons Winger, Summer, Cutter and Burple, they defend and protect other dragons on exciting adventures around their home of Huttsgalor.

ORIGINAL FILM



Psych 3: This Is Gus

Available Nov. 18

This is the third film spinoff of the quirky, cult-favorite former *Psych* series. In preparation for a shotgun wedding before the birth of Baby Guster, Shawn (James Roday Rodriguez) and Groomzilla Gus (Dulé Hill) go rogue in an attempt to track down Selene's (Jazmyn Simon) estranged husband, as Lassiter (Timothy Omundson) grapples with the future of his career.

ORIGINAL SPECIAL

Madagascar: A Little Wild Holiday Goose Chase

Available Nov. 26

The gang from DreamWorks' animated *Madagascar* film franchise is back in a new seasonal special. It's holiday time in New York, and Melman is determined to add another sticker to his yearly "nice" list. When he meets Hank, a goose who has been separated from his family, Melman, Alex, Marty and Gloria embark on a wild goose chase around the city to reunite Hank with his merry flock.



Website: amcplus.com

Subscription Cost: Check with your TV provider. Free trial available.

ORIGINAL SERIES



Ragdoll

Available Nov. 11

From the producers of *Killing Eve* comes this six-part modern-day Faustian serial killer thriller based on the novel by Daniel Cole. Six people have been

murdered, dismembered and sewn into the shape of one grotesque body – nicknamed the “Ragdoll.” Assigned to the shocking case are DS Nathan Rose (Henry Lloyd-Hughes), recently reinstated to the London Met; his best friend and boss, DI Emily Baxter (Thalissa Teixeira); and the unit’s new recruit, DC Lake Edmunds (Lucy Hale). The Ragdoll Killer taunts the police by sending them a list of his next victims, with Rose’s name among them.

Hale, popular with a large fanbase of young people thanks to her starring roles on series like Freeform’s *Pretty Little Liars* (2010-17) and The CW’s *Katy Keene* (2020), welcomed this departure into a different and more-adult-type of role that she describes as feeling “like not even a new chapter, [but] like a new book. ... A darker, new book.

“I gravitate towards these shows anyway, and I always say I’ve been preparing my whole life for a show like this because I’m the first girl to listen to any true-crime podcast or watch any of the crime shows. I think a lot of the people that support me have grown up with me, and so I think that the people that are still watching everything that I do will hopefully know what they’re stepping into. ... Buckle up, baby.”

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This six-episode Italian series is a dystopian story of a ravaged world destroyed by a virus that kills adults but spares children. On the island of Sicily, among parched fields and mysterious forests, and the crumbling husks of shopping malls and abandoned cities, exist savage communities of survivors, most of whom are children. One of them, teenager Anna (Giulia Dragotto), only has one guide: a book left by her mother with instructions on how to survive. But with each passing day she discovers that the old rules no longer apply and she instead must make up new ones as she goes along.



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enigmatic Inspector Adam Dalglish. A recent widower and acclaimed poet, Dalglish employs his exceptional empathy and insight to plumb the darker depths of the human psyche while investigating complex crimes in 1970s England. Season 1 of the series consists of three two-part mysteries that each feature its own

unique setting and cast.

About his character also being a poet, Carvel says that was one of the things he found fascinating about Dalglish.

“When I first read the script,” Carvel recalls, “I thought, ‘This is interesting. This detective, who’s also a poet, but what’s that about?’ There’s no mention of his poetry. We don’t get to know what kind of a poet he is. Someone sort of says he’s a poet.

“What I love about that is that it hints at a kind of hinterland. In other words, these [characters] have lives away from the screen, and then it’s up to me to go and figure out what his poetry might be and to dig a little deeper as to why maybe we don’t get to, in our series, see that side of his life. In fact, I think his pen has been dry since the death of his wife which, again, happens offscreen. So there’s a whole kind of story that in P.D. James’ novels she doesn’t knit together for you ... [and] as an actor, it becomes the fertile pasture, the deeper layer of your performance in trying to tie these stories.”