The ‘People’ have chosen

Vin Diesel leads the cast of eight-time nominee “F9: The Fast Saga”
**ON THE COVER**

‘This Is’ Ours: People vote NBC drama, Bieber and ‘Fast Saga’ among year’s best

By Rachel Jones

TV Media

The power is in the hands of the people once more as fans and stars alike celebrate the best in music, film and TV with the 47th annual People’s Choice Awards, airing Tuesday, Dec. 7, on NBC and E! For audiences, it will be another star-studded night, complete with bowls of popcorn and wardrobe critique. For celebrities and icons, it’s another chance to dress up and celebrate everyone’s success this year.

At the top of the nomination board is the NBC drama ‘This Is Us,’ which has built a dedicated following over five seasons. The heart-warming series created by Dan Fogelman (“Life Itself,” 2018) follows a set of triplets and their parents as they navigate life struggles. “A Walk to Remember’s” (2002) Mandy Moore and “Gilmore Girls” Milo Ventimiglia are among the cast members, as are Chrissy Metz (“Breakthrough,” 2019), Justin Hartley (“Injustice,” 2021) and Sterling K. Brown (“Black Panther,” 2018).

But isn’t all emotional family drama this year; ‘F9: The Fast Saga’ is getting a lot of love, too. There’s no shortage of Vin Diesel (“Guardians of the Galaxy,” 2014) in our lifetime, and he, Michelle Rodriguez (“Lost”) and the cast of “F9” are off to the races at this year’s ceremony.

‘F9’ follows the Fast & Furious franchise’sometimes-protagonist, sometimes-antagonist lead, Dom Toretto (Diesel), as he faces another threat to his off-the-grid peace. He must face his past and fight off a global threat, though, of course, not without the help of his crew.

If the diversity of the two highest nominated productions weren’t enough of an indication, the People’s Choice categories are known to showcase a wide array of media and performance. On the music side, Latinx stars Becky G, J Balvin and Daddy Yankee compete against the likes of Justin Bieber and Adele, while in Reality TV land, Symone from “RuPaul’s Drag Race” goes head-to-head with JoJo Siwa from “Dancing With the Stars.”

Also to keep an eye on are athletes Naomi Osaka, Bubble Babba Wallis and Simone Biles in the Game Changer category, and Bo Burnham (“Inside”) and Alli Wong (“Birds of Prey,” 2020) for Comedy Act of the Year.

Social Star nominees include none other than pop culture icons Justin Bieber, Lil Nas X and the recently “free” Britney Spears, to name a few.

Hosting this fun event is “Saturday Night Live” royal Kenan Thompson (“Home Sweet Home Alone,” 2020), who is also nominated for two awards this year: Comedy TV Star and Male TV Star. The Emmy-nominated actor is the longest-running cast member on SNL and will also be returning for Season 2 of his self-titled NBC comedy series, “Kenan.”

And while the voting officially closed online and on Twitter as of midnight on Wednesday, Nov. 17, it’s important to note that the “commit-tee” in charge of selecting the winners are, of course, the fans (or, “people”). That’s how it’s been since the PCAs’ inception — even though the voting system has evolved with the times.

Celebrate your favorites on Tuesday, Dec. 17, when the 47th annual People’s Choice Awards air on NBC and E!

---

**Chrry Metz, Sterling K. Brown and Justin Hartley star in six-time nominee “This Is Us”**

---

**SOUTHERN STATES Carroll County Coop. Inc.**

Hillsville Branch
505 E. Stuart Dr.
Hillsville, WV 24343
(276) 728-2912
Fax: (276) 728-3421

Galax Branch
201 Meadow St.
Galax, VA 24333
(276) 236-2181
Fax: (276) 236-9064

Wytive Branch
1055 Industry Rd.
Wytivelie, WV 24382
(276) 228-3401
Fax: (276) 228-3143

**G L. GORDON IRON & METAL COMPANY**

A Tradition in Conserving Natural Resources Since 1917

**FAMILY OWNED FOR OVER 100 YEARS**

- Ferrous Specialties, All Grades
- Non-Ferrous Specialties, All Grades
- Trailer & Container Services

**GORDON’S RECYCLERS - MT. AIRY**

1688 Sparger Rd., Mount Airy, NC 27030
336-546-6033 • gordoniron.com

---

**TRADITION | INTEGRITY | SERVICE**

for over 50 years

At Johnson Funeral Home, the friendship of those we serve is our most valued reward.

**Johnson Funeral Home**

“Serving the Tri-County for 50 years”
615 West Main Street • Elkin, NC 28621
336.835.3211 • www.johnson-funeral.com
FRIDAY BEST BETS

Rudolph’s Shiny New Year
(35) AMC 9:00 am
In this sequel to Rankin and Bass’s 1964 special, “Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer,” Father Time asks Santa for help in finding Baby New Year. Santa sends Rudolph out searching, but if he doesn’t succeed, the date is due to remain Dec. 31 forever.

The Renovator
(39) HGTV 11:00 am
In this premiere episode, entrepreneur, advocate and philanthropist Marcus Lemonis advises homeowners who want to keep their current home but who have major renovations to set in motion in order to make their current living space work for them.

FRIDAY EVENING DECEMBER 3, 2021

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>BROADCAST</th>
<th>TW</th>
<th>4 PM</th>
<th>5 PM</th>
<th>6 PM</th>
<th>7 PM</th>
<th>8 PM</th>
<th>9 PM</th>
<th>10 PM</th>
<th>11 PM</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>WCWG</td>
<td>3</td>
<td>Modern Family</td>
<td>Modern Family</td>
<td>Modern Family</td>
<td>Modern Family</td>
<td>Modern Family</td>
<td>Modern Family</td>
<td>Modern Family</td>
<td>Modern Family</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>WBKN</td>
<td>6</td>
<td>Goldberg</td>
<td>Goldberg</td>
<td>Sheldon</td>
<td>Sheldon</td>
<td>Sheldon</td>
<td>Sheldon</td>
<td>Sheldon</td>
<td>Sheldon</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>WTVI</td>
<td>10</td>
<td>Kelly Clarkson (NC)</td>
<td>Ram. Read</td>
<td>Ram. Read</td>
<td>News (N)</td>
<td>News (N)</td>
<td>News (N)</td>
<td>News (N)</td>
<td>NCAA Football Pac-12 Championship Site:</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>WXLI</td>
<td>10</td>
<td>Missy</td>
<td>Mania</td>
<td>Mr. Scoop to See You</td>
<td>Mr. Scoop to See You</td>
<td>Mr. Scoop to See You</td>
<td>Mr. Scoop to See You</td>
<td>Mr. Scoop to See You</td>
<td>Mr. Scoop to See You</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>WGHP</td>
<td>10</td>
<td>Fox News at 4 (N)</td>
<td>Fox News at 5 (N)</td>
<td>Fox News at 6 (N)</td>
<td>Fox News at 7 (N)</td>
<td>Fox News at 8 (N)</td>
<td>Fox News at 9 (N)</td>
<td>Fox News at 10 (N)</td>
<td>Fox News at 11 (N)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>WXII</td>
<td>16</td>
<td>Judge Mathis (NC)</td>
<td>Judge Mathis (NC)</td>
<td>Judge Mathis (NC)</td>
<td>Judge Mathis (NC)</td>
<td>Judge Mathis (NC)</td>
<td>Judge Mathis (NC)</td>
<td>Judge Mathis (NC)</td>
<td>Judge Mathis (NC)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>WXMY</td>
<td>16</td>
<td>New Year's Eve 0</td>
<td>New Year’s Eve 0</td>
<td>New Year’s Eve 0</td>
<td>New Year’s Eve 0</td>
<td>New Year’s Eve 0</td>
<td>New Year’s Eve 0</td>
<td>New Year’s Eve 0</td>
<td>New Year’s Eve 0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>FREE</td>
<td>10</td>
<td>Family Guy</td>
<td>Family Guy</td>
<td>Family Guy</td>
<td>Family Guy</td>
<td>Family Guy</td>
<td>Family Guy</td>
<td>Family Guy</td>
<td>Family Guy</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>CNBC</td>
<td>23</td>
<td>Closing Bell</td>
<td>Closing Bell</td>
<td>Closing Bell</td>
<td>Closing Bell</td>
<td>Closing Bell</td>
<td>Closing Bell</td>
<td>Closing Bell</td>
<td>Closing Bell</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>NICK</td>
<td>24</td>
<td>Hot Transylvania 2</td>
<td>Hot Transylvania 2</td>
<td>Hot Transylvania 2</td>
<td>Hot Transylvania 2</td>
<td>Hot Transylvania 2</td>
<td>Hot Transylvania 2</td>
<td>Hot Transylvania 2</td>
<td>Hot Transylvania 2</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>CNN</td>
<td>25</td>
<td>The Lead</td>
<td>The Lead</td>
<td>The Lead</td>
<td>The Lead</td>
<td>The Lead</td>
<td>The Lead</td>
<td>The Lead</td>
<td>The Lead</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>LIFE</td>
<td>26</td>
<td>Twinkle All the Way</td>
<td>Twinkle All the Way</td>
<td>Twinkle All the Way</td>
<td>Twinkle All the Way</td>
<td>Twinkle All the Way</td>
<td>Twinkle All the Way</td>
<td>Twinkle All the Way</td>
<td>Twinkle All the Way</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>A&amp;E</td>
<td>27</td>
<td>First 48 &amp; The Zodiac</td>
<td>First 48 &amp; The Zodiac</td>
<td>First 48 &amp; The Zodiac</td>
<td>First 48 &amp; The Zodiac</td>
<td>First 48 &amp; The Zodiac</td>
<td>First 48 &amp; The Zodiac</td>
<td>First 48 &amp; The Zodiac</td>
<td>First 48 &amp; The Zodiac</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>TBS</td>
<td>30</td>
<td>Friends (CC)</td>
<td>Friends (CC)</td>
<td>Friends (CC)</td>
<td>Friends (CC)</td>
<td>Friends (CC)</td>
<td>Friends (CC)</td>
<td>Friends (CC)</td>
<td>Friends (CC)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>BET</td>
<td>31</td>
<td>John Q.</td>
<td>(CC)</td>
<td>John Q.</td>
<td>(CC)</td>
<td>John Q.</td>
<td>(CC)</td>
<td>John Q.</td>
<td>(CC)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ESPN2</td>
<td>32</td>
<td>Jake &amp; Amir</td>
<td>(CC)</td>
<td>Jake &amp; Amir</td>
<td>(CC)</td>
<td>Jake &amp; Amir</td>
<td>(CC)</td>
<td>Jake &amp; Amir</td>
<td>(CC)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ESPN</td>
<td>33</td>
<td>NFL Live (NC)</td>
<td>NFL Live (NC)</td>
<td>NFL Live (NC)</td>
<td>NFL Live (NC)</td>
<td>NFL Live (NC)</td>
<td>NFL Live (NC)</td>
<td>NFL Live (NC)</td>
<td>NFL Live (NC)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>AMC</td>
<td>35</td>
<td>The Great Outdoors</td>
<td>The Great Outdoors</td>
<td>The Great Outdoors</td>
<td>The Great Outdoors</td>
<td>The Great Outdoors</td>
<td>The Great Outdoors</td>
<td>The Great Outdoors</td>
<td>The Great Outdoors</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>USA</td>
<td>36</td>
<td>Saved</td>
<td>Saved</td>
<td>Saved</td>
<td>Saved</td>
<td>Saved</td>
<td>Saved</td>
<td>Saved</td>
<td>Saved</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>CMT</td>
<td>37</td>
<td>Last Man</td>
<td>Last Man</td>
<td>Last Man</td>
<td>Last Man</td>
<td>Last Man</td>
<td>Last Man</td>
<td>Last Man</td>
<td>Last Man</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>COM</td>
<td>38</td>
<td>South Park</td>
<td>South Park</td>
<td>South Park</td>
<td>South Park</td>
<td>South Park</td>
<td>South Park</td>
<td>South Park</td>
<td>South Park</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>NICJKR</td>
<td>44</td>
<td>Holidays</td>
<td>Holidays</td>
<td>Holidays</td>
<td>Holidays</td>
<td>Holidays</td>
<td>Holidays</td>
<td>Holidays</td>
<td>Holidays</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>BSSO</td>
<td>46</td>
<td>Snowm (N)</td>
<td>Snowm (N)</td>
<td>Snowm (N)</td>
<td>Snowm (N)</td>
<td>Snowm (N)</td>
<td>Snowm (N)</td>
<td>Snowm (N)</td>
<td>Snowm (N)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>TNT</td>
<td>49</td>
<td>Bones</td>
<td>Bones</td>
<td>Bones</td>
<td>Bones</td>
<td>Bones</td>
<td>Bones</td>
<td>Bones</td>
<td>Bones</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>HIST</td>
<td>51</td>
<td>UnXplained</td>
<td>UnXplained</td>
<td>UnXplained</td>
<td>UnXplained</td>
<td>UnXplained</td>
<td>UnXplained</td>
<td>UnXplained</td>
<td>UnXplained</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>TCM</td>
<td>57</td>
<td>Madeleine (49, Dram)</td>
<td>Leslie Banks, Ann Todd (CC)</td>
<td>Madeleine (49, Dram)</td>
<td>Leslie Banks, Ann Todd (CC)</td>
<td>Madeleine (49, Dram)</td>
<td>Leslie Banks, Ann Todd (CC)</td>
<td>Madeleine (49, Dram)</td>
<td>Leslie Banks, Ann Todd (CC)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>FINC</td>
<td>59</td>
<td>Your Wish</td>
<td>Your Wish</td>
<td>Your Wish</td>
<td>Your Wish</td>
<td>Your Wish</td>
<td>Your Wish</td>
<td>Your Wish</td>
<td>Your Wish</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>TOON</td>
<td>60</td>
<td>Craigo Craigo</td>
<td>Craigo Craigo</td>
<td>Craigo Craigo</td>
<td>Craigo Craigo</td>
<td>Craigo Craigo</td>
<td>Craigo Craigo</td>
<td>Craigo Craigo</td>
<td>Craigo Craigo</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>HALL</td>
<td>62</td>
<td>A Christmas Carol</td>
<td>A Christmas Carol</td>
<td>A Christmas Carol</td>
<td>A Christmas Carol</td>
<td>A Christmas Carol</td>
<td>A Christmas Carol</td>
<td>A Christmas Carol</td>
<td>A Christmas Carol</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ANPL</td>
<td>63</td>
<td>Tanked (CC)</td>
<td>Tanked (CC)</td>
<td>Tanked (CC)</td>
<td>Tanked (CC)</td>
<td>Tanked (CC)</td>
<td>Tanked (CC)</td>
<td>Tanked (CC)</td>
<td>Tanked (CC)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>FOOD</td>
<td>67</td>
<td>Honey</td>
<td>Honey</td>
<td>Honey</td>
<td>Honey</td>
<td>Honey</td>
<td>Honey</td>
<td>Honey</td>
<td>Honey</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>INSIP</td>
<td>88</td>
<td>Gunsmoke: Return to the Pariah</td>
<td>Gunsmoke: Return to the Pariah</td>
<td>Gunsmoke: Return to the Pariah</td>
<td>Gunsmoke: Return to the Pariah</td>
<td>Gunsmoke: Return to the Pariah</td>
<td>Gunsmoke: Return to the Pariah</td>
<td>Gunsmoke: Return to the Pariah</td>
<td>Gunsmoke: Return to the Pariah</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>HGTV</td>
<td>89</td>
<td>Property Brothers</td>
<td>Property Brothers</td>
<td>Property Brothers</td>
<td>Property Brothers</td>
<td>Property Brothers</td>
<td>Property Brothers</td>
<td>Property Brothers</td>
<td>Property Brothers</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>BSSE-NW</td>
<td>71</td>
<td>NBA Basketball</td>
<td>NCAA Basketball</td>
<td>NCAA Basketball</td>
<td>NCAA Basketball</td>
<td>NCAA Basketball</td>
<td>NCAA Basketball</td>
<td>NCAA Basketball</td>
<td>NCAA Basketball</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>EI</td>
<td>72</td>
<td>Mary Poppins &amp; Little</td>
<td>Mary Poppins &amp; Little</td>
<td>Mary Poppins &amp; Little</td>
<td>Mary Poppins &amp; Little</td>
<td>Mary Poppins &amp; Little</td>
<td>Mary Poppins &amp; Little</td>
<td>Mary Poppins &amp; Little</td>
<td>Mary Poppins &amp; Little</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>WE</td>
<td>74</td>
<td>Mandy</td>
<td>Mandy</td>
<td>Mandy</td>
<td>Mandy</td>
<td>Mandy</td>
<td>Mandy</td>
<td>Mandy</td>
<td>Mandy</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>WGN</td>
<td>77</td>
<td>Blue, Loved by the Three</td>
<td>Blue, Loved by the Three</td>
<td>Blue, Loved by the Three</td>
<td>Blue, Loved by the Three</td>
<td>Blue, Loved by the Three</td>
<td>Blue, Loved by the Three</td>
<td>Blue, Loved by the Three</td>
<td>Blue, Loved by the Three</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>HBO</td>
<td>70</td>
<td>The Photograph (20)</td>
<td>The Photograph (20)</td>
<td>The Photograph (20)</td>
<td>The Photograph (20)</td>
<td>The Photograph (20)</td>
<td>The Photograph (20)</td>
<td>The Photograph (20)</td>
<td>The Photograph (20)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>MAX</td>
<td>715</td>
<td>Too</td>
<td>Too</td>
<td>Too</td>
<td>Too</td>
<td>Too</td>
<td>Too</td>
<td>Too</td>
<td>Too</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>TMX</td>
<td>745</td>
<td>The Last Night</td>
<td>The Last Night</td>
<td>The Last Night</td>
<td>The Last Night</td>
<td>The Last Night</td>
<td>The Last Night</td>
<td>The Last Night</td>
<td>The Last Night</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>STARZ</td>
<td>750</td>
<td>Movie</td>
<td>Movie</td>
<td>Movie</td>
<td>Movie</td>
<td>Movie</td>
<td>Movie</td>
<td>Movie</td>
<td>Movie</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

FRIDAY EVENING DECEMBER 3, 2021

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>TW - Time Warner</th>
</tr>
</thead>
</table>

**Angels and Demons**
(42) SYFY 3:00 pm
Tom Hanks stars as Professor Robert Langdon, a man on a mission to take back a vial of antinatter from Illuminati terrorists in this thriller. From director Ron Howard, this sequel to "The Da Vinci Code" also stars Ayelet Zurer and Evan McGregor.

**90 Day Fiancé: The Other Way**
(48) TLC 7:00 pm
The third season of this popular spinoff chronicles Americans in love who leave the country to live abroad with their foreign partners: Armando and Kenny in Mexico, Ellie and Victor in Ecuador, Corey and Evelin in Colombia and Sumit and Jenny in India.

**Kenny and Armando from “90 Day Fiancé: The Other Way”**
**SATURDAY EVENING DECEMBER 4, 2021**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>TW</th>
<th>4:30 PM</th>
<th>5:30 PM</th>
<th>6:00 PM</th>
<th>7:00 PM</th>
<th>8:00 PM</th>
<th>9:00 PM</th>
<th>10:00 PM</th>
<th>11:00 PM</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>WCWG</td>
<td>Modern Ram</td>
<td>Modern Ram</td>
<td>Goldberg</td>
<td>Goldberg</td>
<td>Shenon</td>
<td>News (N)</td>
<td>American Ninja</td>
<td>Silent Night: A Song for the World (CC)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>WIGC</td>
<td>Modern Ram</td>
<td>Modern Ram</td>
<td>Goldberg</td>
<td>Goldberg</td>
<td>Shenon</td>
<td>News (N)</td>
<td>American Ninja</td>
<td>Silent Night: A Song for the World (CC)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>WXLV</td>
<td>NCAA Basketball (L)</td>
<td>NCAA Football (L)</td>
<td>Scoreboard</td>
<td>Scoreboard</td>
<td>NCAA Football ACC Championship (L)</td>
<td>NCAA Football ACC Championship (L)</td>
<td>Country Pop Legends (My Music) (CC)</td>
<td>Country Pop Legends (My Music) (CC)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>WCIV</td>
<td>NCAA Football (L)</td>
<td>NCAA Football ACC Championship (L)</td>
<td>Scoreboard</td>
<td>Scoreboard</td>
<td>NCAA Football ACC Championship (L)</td>
<td>NCAA Football ACC Championship (L)</td>
<td>Country Pop Legends (My Music) (CC)</td>
<td>Country Pop Legends (My Music) (CC)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>WMYF</td>
<td>NCAA Football (L)</td>
<td>NCAA Football ACC Championship (L)</td>
<td>Scoreboard</td>
<td>Scoreboard</td>
<td>NCAA Football ACC Championship (L)</td>
<td>NCAA Football ACC Championship (L)</td>
<td>Country Pop Legends (My Music) (CC)</td>
<td>Country Pop Legends (My Music) (CC)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>WGH</td>
<td>NCAA Football (L)</td>
<td>NCAA Football ACC Championship (L)</td>
<td>Scoreboard</td>
<td>Scoreboard</td>
<td>NCAA Football ACC Championship (L)</td>
<td>NCAA Football ACC Championship (L)</td>
<td>Country Pop Legends (My Music) (CC)</td>
<td>Country Pop Legends (My Music) (CC)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>WJIZ</td>
<td>NCAA Football (L)</td>
<td>NCAA Football ACC Championship (L)</td>
<td>Scoreboard</td>
<td>Scoreboard</td>
<td>NCAA Football ACC Championship (L)</td>
<td>NCAA Football ACC Championship (L)</td>
<td>Country Pop Legends (My Music) (CC)</td>
<td>Country Pop Legends (My Music) (CC)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>WMYV</td>
<td>NCAA Football (L)</td>
<td>NCAA Football ACC Championship (L)</td>
<td>Scoreboard</td>
<td>Scoreboard</td>
<td>NCAA Football ACC Championship (L)</td>
<td>NCAA Football ACC Championship (L)</td>
<td>Country Pop Legends (My Music) (CC)</td>
<td>Country Pop Legends (My Music) (CC)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>WFXK</td>
<td>NCAA Football (L)</td>
<td>NCAA Football ACC Championship (L)</td>
<td>Scoreboard</td>
<td>Scoreboard</td>
<td>NCAA Football ACC Championship (L)</td>
<td>NCAA Football ACC Championship (L)</td>
<td>Country Pop Legends (My Music) (CC)</td>
<td>Country Pop Legends (My Music) (CC)</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Fried Claus**

When Santa’s (Paul Giamatti) brother, Fred (Vince Vaughn), ends up in jail, Santa bails him out and brings him home to the North Pole. Tragedy strikes when Santa sustains an injury and it’s now up to Fred to save Christmas in this family-friendly comedy.

**Silent Night: A Song for the World**

This special examines the creation and impact of the famous Christmas carol composed in 1818 and translated into 140 languages through performances by artists from around the world, including Kelly Clarkson, Joss Stone, Josh Groban and many more.

**It’s a Wonderful Life**

This Christmas classic follows George Bailey (James Stewart), a down-on-his-luck banker who wishes he’d never been born. When a guardian angel shows him what the world would be like without him, he begins to see the good in his life. Donna Reed co-stars.

**SATURDAY BEST BETS**

**The Christmas Setup**

**LIFE 11:00 am**

When a lawyer travels home for the holidays, he finds out that his sneaky match-making sister has arranged a meeting between him and the high-school friend he had a secret crush on. Ben Lewis, Blake Lee and Fran Drescher star in this holiday romance.

**Karolyn Grimes and James Stewart in “It’s a Wonderful Life”**

**BROADCAST**

| WCWG | 3 | Modern Ram | Modern Ram | Goldberg | Goldberg | Shenon | News (N) | American Ninja | Silent Night: A Song for the World (CC) |
| WIGC | 3 | Modern Ram | Modern Ram | Goldberg | Goldberg | Shenon | News (N) | American Ninja | Silent Night: A Song for the World (CC) |
| WXLV | 3 | NCAA Football | The American Championship (L) | Scoreboard | Scoreboard | NCAA Football ACC Championship (L) | NCAA Football ACC Championship (L) | Country Pop Legends (My Music) (CC) | Country Pop Legends (My Music) (CC) |
| WCIV | 3 | NCAA Football | The American Championship (L) | Scoreboard | Scoreboard | NCAA Football ACC Championship (L) | NCAA Football ACC Championship (L) | Country Pop Legends (My Music) (CC) | Country Pop Legends (My Music) (CC) |
| WMYF | 3 | NCAA Football | The American Championship (L) | Scoreboard | Scoreboard | NCAA Football ACC Championship (L) | NCAA Football ACC Championship (L) | Country Pop Legends (My Music) (CC) | Country Pop Legends (My Music) (CC) |
| WGH | 3 | NCAA Football | The American Championship (L) | Scoreboard | Scoreboard | NCAA Football ACC Championship (L) | NCAA Football ACC Championship (L) | Country Pop Legends (My Music) (CC) | Country Pop Legends (My Music) (CC) |
| WJIZ | 3 | NCAA Football | The American Championship (L) | Scoreboard | Scoreboard | NCAA Football ACC Championship (L) | NCAA Football ACC Championship (L) | Country Pop Legends (My Music) (CC) | Country Pop Legends (My Music) (CC) |
| WMYV | 3 | NCAA Football | The American Championship (L) | Scoreboard | Scoreboard | NCAA Football ACC Championship (L) | NCAA Football ACC Championship (L) | Country Pop Legends (My Music) (CC) | Country Pop Legends (My Music) (CC) |
| WFXK | 3 | NCAA Football | The American Championship (L) | Scoreboard | Scoreboard | NCAA Football ACC Championship (L) | NCAA Football ACC Championship (L) | Country Pop Legends (My Music) (CC) | Country Pop Legends (My Music) (CC) |

**Silent Night: A Song for the World**

**WCW 8:00 pm**

This special examines the creation and impact of the famous Christmas carol composed in 1818 and translated into 140 languages through performances by artists from around the world, including Kelly Clarkson, Joss Stone, Josh Groban and many more.

**It’s a Wonderful Life**

**WXII 8:00 pm**

This Christmas classic follows George Bailey (James Stewart), a down-on-his-luck banker who wishes he’d never been born. When a guardian angel shows him what the world would be like without him, he begins to see the good in his life. Donna Reed co-stars.
Hero World Challenge

Par: 5, 71 D:

Show: T.V.

Show: "T.V."

Show: 71 M:

Show: A:

Show: 71:

Show: T.V.

Show: 71:

Show: T.V.

Show: 71:

Show: T.V.

Show: 71:

Show: T.V.

Show: 71:

Show: T.V.

Show: 71:

Show: T.V.

Show: 71:

Show: T.V.

Show: 71:

Show: T.V.

Show: 71:

Show: T.V.

Show: 71:

Show: T.V.

Show: 71:

Show: T.V.

Show: 71:

Show: T.V.

Show: 71:

Show: T.V.

Show: 71:

Show: T.V.

Show: 71:

Show: T.V.

Show: 71:

Show: T.V.

Show: 71:

Show: T.V.

Show: 71:

Show: T.V.

Show: 71:

Show: T.V.

Show: 71:

Show: T.V.

Show: 71:

Show: T.V.

Show: 71:

Show: T.V.

Show: 71:

Show: T.V.

Show: 71:

Show: T.V.

Show: 71:

Show: T.V.

Show: 71:

Show: T.V.

Show: 71:

Show: T.V.

Show: 71:

Show: T.V.

Show: 71:

Show: T.V.

Show: 71:

Show: T.V.

Show: 71:

Show: T.V.
<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Frequency</th>
<th>Start Time</th>
<th>End Time</th>
<th>Channel</th>
<th>Show Name</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>FREE</td>
<td>7:00 AM</td>
<td>7:00 AM</td>
<td>1</td>
<td>TVLand 700th Series</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>DISN</td>
<td>9:30 AM</td>
<td>9:30 AM</td>
<td>2</td>
<td>The Jerry Springer Show</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>WCMG</td>
<td>11:30 AM</td>
<td>11:30 AM</td>
<td>3</td>
<td>The Price Is Right</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>WGNY</td>
<td>1:30 PM</td>
<td>1:30 PM</td>
<td>4</td>
<td>The View</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>WQMX</td>
<td>3:00 PM</td>
<td>3:00 PM</td>
<td>5</td>
<td>The Price Is Right</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>WPIX</td>
<td>2:00 PM</td>
<td>2:00 PM</td>
<td>6</td>
<td>The Price Is Right</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>WCBS</td>
<td>4:00 PM</td>
<td>4:00 PM</td>
<td>7</td>
<td>The Price Is Right</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>WQSB</td>
<td>5:00 PM</td>
<td>5:00 PM</td>
<td>8</td>
<td>The Price Is Right</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>WNET</td>
<td>6:00 PM</td>
<td>6:00 PM</td>
<td>9</td>
<td>The Price Is Right</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>WNNY</td>
<td>7:00 PM</td>
<td>7:00 PM</td>
<td>10</td>
<td>The Price Is Right</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>WNYC</td>
<td>8:00 PM</td>
<td>8:00 PM</td>
<td>11</td>
<td>The Price Is Right</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>WPIX</td>
<td>9:00 PM</td>
<td>9:00 PM</td>
<td>12</td>
<td>The Price Is Right</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>WNET</td>
<td>10:00 PM</td>
<td>10:00 PM</td>
<td>13</td>
<td>The Price Is Right</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>WPIX</td>
<td>11:00 PM</td>
<td>11:00 PM</td>
<td>14</td>
<td>The Price Is Right</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Notes:**
- Some shows are repeated throughout the day.
- The schedule is subject to change.
- All times are in Eastern Standard Time (EST).
ALLSPICE  CLOVE  NUTMEG
ANISE     DILL    ONION
ANNATTO   EPAZOTE OREGANO
BASIL     GINGER  PARSLEY
BERBERE  HYSSOP PEPPER
BORAGE    JASMINE SAFFRON
CAROB     FLOWERS SAGE
CHERVIL   LAVENDER SUMAC
CHICORY   LOVAGE  TARRAGON
CHIVES    MACE    THYME
CICELY    MINT    VANILLA
CILANTRO NASTURTIUM WASABI

Season(ing)’s Greetings
WHAT’S NEW ON PRIME

“The Expanse” - Season 6

The mission continues with the Season 6 premiere of “The Expanse,” available to stream on Prime beginning Friday, Dec. 10, with episodes airing weekly on Fridays thereafter. Based on the series of novels of the same name by James S.A. Corey (the joint pen name of authors Daniel Abraham and Ty Franck), this sci-fi epic follows the story of humanity hundreds of years into the future, when humans have colonized the solar system. With a fragile balance held between the colonies and war always too close for anyone’s comfort, James Holden (Steven Strait, “The Covenant,” 2006), Naomi Nagata (Dominique Tipper, “Fantastic Beasts and Where To Find Them,” 2016), Amos Burton (Wes Chatham, “The Hunger Games: Mockingjay - Part 1,” 2014) and their friends are ready to join the fight for the solar system against new and unexpected enemies. From series creators and writers Abraham, Franck and Mark Fergus (“Iron Man,” 2008), this series is directed by Andy Fickman (“Race to Witch Mountain,” 2009) and featuring a screenplay by Doan La (“Keep Hope Alive,” 2020), the film also stars Gary Anthony Williams (“Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles: Out of the Shadows,” 2016), Daniel Sunjata (“The Devil Wears Prada,” 2006), Alexis Carra (“The Answer,” 2015), Beth Lacke (“High School Musical: The Musical - The Series”) and Meg T alken (“ER”).

WHAT’S NEW ON APPLE TV+

“For Auld Lang Syne” (2021)

The Peanuts gang is back with the all-new holiday television special “For Auld Lang Syne,” available to stream on Apple TV+ on Friday, Dec. 10. Charlie Brown’s grandmother can’t visit for the holidays, and the whole Peanuts gang is disappointed by the news. In an effort to cheer up herself and everyone else, Lucy decides to throw her own New Year’s party while Charlie Brown tries to accomplish just one of his New Year’s resolutions before midnight. Based on the beloved “Peanuts” comic strip by Charles M. Schulz, “For Auld Lang Syne” is written by Alex Galatis and Scott Montgomery (“The Snoopy Show,” 2021), produced by Clay Kaytis (“The Christmas Chronicles,” 2018), and also directed the film. Charles M. Schulz’s sons, Craig and Bryan Schulz (“The Peanuts Movie,” 2015), executive produce the special along with Cornelius Uliano (also of “The Peanuts Movie,” 2015), Charles M. Schulz Creative Associates and WildBrain Studios. And for those who can’t get enough of Charlie Brown and his friends, Apple TV+ is also streaming more beloved specials from the Peanuts franchise, including “It’s the Great Pumpkin, Charlie Brown” (1966), “A Charlie Brown Thanksgiving” (1973) and 1965’s “A Charlie Brown Christmas.”

WHAT’S NEW ON NETFLIX

“David and the Elves” (2021)


“Back to the Outback” (2021)


WHAT’S NEW ON HULU

“Crossing Swords” - Season 2

“Crossing Swords” returns to Hulu with its second season on Friday, Dec. 10, and this hilarious stop-motion animated sitcom is not one to miss. Set in a fantastical, medieval-esque kingdom, this comedy series for adults voice stars Nicholas Hoult (“Mad Max: Fury Road,” 2015) as the good-natured peasant, Patrick. With big dreams of becoming a knight, Patrick lands a coveted job as a squire in the castle. His dream job quickly turns disappointing, however, when he discovers the kingdom is being run by greedy, promiscuous, self-serving charlatans. To make matters worse, Patrick’s criminal siblings have come back to make his life as difficult as they can. Amid war, murder, double-crossing and romance, Season 2 sees Patrick off on another mighty adventure to do right in a often hilariously corrupt kingdom. Created by “Robot Chicken” producers John Harvatine IV and Tom Root, the series also voice stars Luke Evans (“Dracula Untold,” 2014), Adam Pally (“Iron Man 3,” 2013), Alanna Ubach (“Coco,” 2017), Seth Green (“Robot Chicken”), Tony Hale (“Arrested Development”), Adam Ray (“The Heat,” 2013) and Tara Strong (“The Powerpuff Girls”).
By Michelle Rose
TV Media

‘Mexican Beverly Hills’: Whenever a series’ regular’s name is linked to a new TV project, fans often fear that their favorite character may soon be written off the show. This was recently the case with “NCIS” star Wilmer Valderrama, who is involved in a new series currently being developed for CBS.

A single-camera family comedy, “Mexican Beverly Hills” is the story of a working-class Mexican American family that moves to the wealthy and heavily Latinx city of Downey (dubbed Mexican Beverly Hills). Once there, the family members soon realize they fit in and stand out in the most unexpected ways.

As reported by Deadline, the potential comedy series is inspired by a New York Times personal essay written by Telly Award-winning writer Erick Galindo. Galindo will write and serve as executive producer alongside comedy writer/director Aaron Ikek (“Broke”), who is an alumus of the CBS Writers Mentoring Program. Valderrama is also on board as an executive producer along with Katie Saltzman, vice-president and head of scripted at Valderrama’s production company, WV Entertainment.

While many took to social media to congratulate Valderrama on his new project, some fans — perhaps those still reeling from the departures of Sloane (Maria Bello, “Grown Ups,” 2010), Bishop (Emily Wickersham, “Gone,” 2012) and Gibbs (Mark Harmon, “Freaky Friday,” 2003) — worried about what it meant for Nick Torres’ (Valderrama) future. But Valderrama, who welcomed his first child earlier this year, has worked on several other projects since joining the cast of “NCIS” in 2016. He’s also attached to “Mexican Beverly Hills” as an executive producer instead of a starring role, so it seems “Congratulations” may be in order instead of a preemptive “Farewell.”

Back to the past: With rib knits, baggy jeans and lug-sole boots dominating fashion right now, the ’90s are back in a big way. But who would have thought that our feelings of nostalgia would extend beyond fashion and into the workplace?

Johnny Galecki, who starred as Leonard Hofstadter in all 12 seasons of “The Big Bang Theory,” has teamed up with “Will & Grace” executive producer John Quaintance to develop a new workplace comedy for CBS.

Titled “AOK” (no relation to the viral TikTok hit “A-O-K” from singer Tai Verdes), the half-hour multi-cam sitcom is set at an internet startup company in “pre-AOL 1991. The potential series focuses on a group of “young and mostly idealistic entrepreneurs who work together, hang out together and fall in and out of love with each other, all while trying to change their world and hold up a mirror to ours” (per CBS).

“This specific period of time is personal to many, including all of us involved, so it’s important to make the show feel as authentic as possible,” Galecki told Deadline, which first broke the news of this new project. “We are excited to reimagine the ’90s sitcom through a modern lens as John [Quaintance] has created something truly special. We hope to surprise people in a familiar place with characters you will fall in love with.”

No word yet on whether Galecki will remain behind the scenes or if he’ll make an appearance on screen. This one is still early in the production stage, so expect more news to come.

Post ‘Crown’: Emma Corrin has earned rave reviews and even an Emmy nomination for her performance as Princess Diana in Season 4 of Netflix’s “The Crown,” and she’ll be front and center when Season 5 debuts in 2022.

But given the series’ unusually high cast turnover rate — the lead roles are recast every two seasons in order to reflect the characters’ aging in real life — no one can fault her for lining up a few post-“Crown” projects.

Next up for Corrin is a role in FX’s upcoming mystery drama “Retreat.” From “The OA” creators Brit Marling and Zal Batmanglij, the limited series centers on Darby Hart (Corrin), an amateur detective who attempts to solve a murder at a secluded retreat. Hart and 11 other guests were invited by a reclusive billionaire, but when one of them is found dead, Darby must move quickly to prove it was murder “against a tide of competing interests and before the killer takes another life.”

“Retreat” is currently in pre-production but is expected to land sometime in 2022. In the meantime, Corrin is busy filming Netflix’s TV adaptation of D.H. Lawrence’s classic novel, “Lady Chatterley’s Lover,” in which she portrays the title character. That one is also due out in 2022, as is Amazon Studios’ “My Policeman,” in which Corrin stars opposite Harry Styles.

“My Policeman” doesn’t have an official release date yet, but it’s currently in post-production and may debut in mid-to-late 2022.

NEW ON VIDEO

Cry Macho
Mike Milo (Eastwood) was once a rodeo star until a back injury ended his career. Now he’s taken a job from his former boss to travel to Mexico City and return with the man’s son, Rafo (Minett), rescuing him out of an alcoholic home. But Mike faces a challenging road back to Texas with the troubled boy as he learns there is more to the story he was told. Facing henchmen, thieves and police, Mike teaches Rafo what being a “good man” really means.


13 Minutes
The residents of a small Heartland town are used to big storms during springtime, but they never expected to be hit by the biggest tornado on record. Given just 13 minutes to seek shelter, chaos ensues as families race to find each other before the storm ravages the town, destroying everything in its path. If four of these families can dismiss past transgressions and help each other, they might have a chance at survival.


Clint Eastwood as seen in “Cry Macho”
Avatar

This record-breaking sci-fi blockbuster is set in the future, where a paraplegic former marine (Sam Worthington) becomes torn between worlds when displaced, in deep cover, to infiltrate an alien race. Zoe Saldana and Sigourney Weaver also star.

The Santa Stakeout

Tamera Mowry-Housley and Paul Campbell star in this holiday film about two police detectives posing as newlyweds to solve a string of recent Christmas party heists. Their cover gets in the way of their work, however, when they fall in love.

Olivia Colman and David Thewlis star in "Landscrapers"

Landscrapers

Big-name stars Olivia Colman and David Thewlis play Susan and Chris Edwards, a real-life couple who have become the leading suspects in a vicious crime after two bodies were found in their garden. The four-part series comes from director Will Sharpe.

Michael Buble's Christmas in the City

Canadian crooner Michael Buble returns to the Rockefeller Center’s Studio 8H to host this holiday special featuring stand-up comedy routines, musical guests, extra-special celebrity appearances and, of course, the joy of the Christmas season.
Seth Rogen and Rose Byrne star as new parents Mac and Kelly, who...
**WEDNESDAY BEST BETS**

**Law & Order: Special Victims Unit**

**USA 8:00 am**

The grisly murder and dismemberment of a New York cabbie draws the attention of the elite Special Victims Unit of the NYPD, including veteran Det. Elliot Stabler (Christopher Meloni) and his partner, Det. Olivia Benson (Mariska Hargitay).

**Annie**

**AMC 11:00 am**

A classic musical comes to the small screen in this timeless adaptation starring Albert Finney, Carol Burnett and Bernadette Peters. An adorable red-headed orphan is temporarily adopted by a billionaire and changes his entire perspective on life.

---

**WEDNESDAY EVENING DECEMBER 8, 2021**

**21 Bridges**

**728 SHOW 2:15 pm**

Chadwick Boseman stars as Det. Andre Davis of the NYPD in this Manhattan-based action film. When his father is killed while on the job as a cop, Andre makes his goal to catch “cop-killers” once he joins the force. Sienna Miller also stars.

**Alter Ego**

**10 WGHF 9:00 pm**

Rosci Diaz hosts this new competition series in which contestants create an avatar alter ego and use it to perform a series of songs. Canadian icon Alanis Morissette, 98 Degrees’ Nick Lachey, Black Eyed Peas rapper will.i.am and Grimes act as judges.

---

**Night Journey from “Alter Ego”**

---

**The Mount Airy News — Friday, December 3, 2021 — Page 13**

---
To Grandmother’s House We Go

Twins Julie and Sarah (Mary-Kate and Ashley Olsen) think their mom is sick of them, so they sneak off to visit grandma. Along the way, they meet up with kidnappers claiming to be Santa’s elves, putting them against the clock to come up with ransom money.

Hitchcock

Anthony Hopkins stars as legendary filmmaker Alfred Hitchcock in this acclaimed film, which takes a look at the director’s personal life. Helen Mirren portrays Hitchcock’s wife Alma, who works with him on his influential 1960 thriller film “Psycho.”

Michael Weatherly stars in “Bull”

Bull

Michael Weatherly stars as Jason Bull, a brilliant doctor who uses technology and his knowledge of psychology to assist lawyers. He and his team help clients in the courtroom in this new episode of the drama based on the early career of Dr. Phil McGraw.

Legacies

Danielle Rose Russell stars in another new episode of this popular supernatural drama as her character, Hope, gets in over her head. Meanwhile, Josie (Kaylee Bryant) goes looking for her own set of answers with Cleo (Omoni Oboli). Nick Fink co-stars.
Sudoku

Fill in the grid so that every row, every column, and every 3x3 box contains the digits 1 through 9.
Solution on page 16.
No matter how consumers receive their newspapers – whether in print or online, on smartphones or tablets – readers rely on newspaper media for their local news, advertising and other information. In today's opt-out world, consumers opt in to newspapers.