Pioneer PBS

A CAPITOL FOURTH

MONDAY, JULY 4 AT 7 P.M.
Dear valued Pioneer PBS members,

I want to again thank you for your patience as we finalize upgrading equipment to be able to provide you the best broadcast signal that we can. We ran into a few snags so you are likely noticing that our schedules remain a bit off at times. We hope to return to our optimized schedule very soon. We have new transmitters arriving later this summer and fall that will complete these improvements and should have us in good standing for years to come! The engineering department here at Pioneer PBS is back to being fully staffed, and they are working on overriding to get this completed for you.

The hard working crews of Postcards, Prairie Sportsman, Prairie Yard & Garden, Your Legislators and Compass are out across the region capturing new stories to share next year. We are also beginning work on some compelling local documentaries for the coming year as well as planning on debates for the fall. For all you summer gardeners, don’t forget to check out Pioneer PBS’s YouTube channel for plenty of tips and tricks from your friends at Prairie Yard & Garden! Those inspirations you watched in the spring can now be fully realized!

I spent a week in Washington, D.C. at the PBS general manager meetings in May and got a chance to preview some of the exciting programming arriving in the fall. We’ll be airing a new Ken Burns series called “The U.S. and the Holocaust” which looks to be incredibly compelling! He mentioned this has been one of the hardest, and most important, pieces he’s ever worked to create.

Pioneer PBS has also embarked on a digital transformation project with other public media organizations to keep us on the leading edge of innovation and customer service. A team of our staff are getting intensive training and plan to launch a digital initiative soon. Stay tuned!

We hope you’ll see us out and about this summer as we continue to provide screenings and events throughout the region. If you’re at an event and see a Pioneer PBS booth, please stop by and say hello. We’d love to chat with you.

We do what we do because of you, valuable members of our growing and resilient Pioneer PBS family. Thank you so much for watching, for volunteering, for partnering and for supporting Pioneer PBS!

We truly appreciate you!

Respectfully,

Shari Lamke
President & General Manager
In these uncertain times, Pioneer PBS relies more than ever on the support of our members and business sponsors. Please, if you live in a town with a Pioneer PBS business sponsor, reach out to them and say “thank you.”

**WE ARE IN THIS TOGETHER**

Please thank these business supporters of Pioneer PBS!

**POTENTIAL BUSINESS SUPPORTERS**

More people are watching and streaming Pioneer PBS than ever before as the most trusted network in the nation. Align your brand with ours—we will help get your message out to the loyal PBS viewers you need to reach!
At a time of loss, a memorial gift brings solace to family and friends while nurturing a commitment to an organization that has a special place in the hearts of the givers. An honorarium gift is a way of remembering or honoring a loved one on a special day.

A gift has been given to Pioneer PBS in memory of...

Daniel Christianson
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Every great organization depends on a core of faithful patrons whose commitment surpasses that of the customary gift. At Pioneer PBS it is the Cornerstone Builders. These members are very aware of the impact, and even more importantly, the tremendous potential Pioneer PBS has had and still has for enriching lives in our region for more than 50 years.

Gene & Kathy Fynboh
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Memorial & Honorarium Gifts

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Pioneer Partners with FreeWill

A new resource for you and your family.

Almost 70% of American adults don't have a legal estate plan in place. Pioneer PBS has partnered with FreeWill and now our viewers can write a legal will in less than 30 minutes for free. It is a simple online tool to use, and the result is peace of mind knowing you've got a plan in place with your in mind.

This online tool is safe and secure and requires no sensitive security information on your part.

Stay tuned for more details.
WHAT TO WATCH

Sesame Street 50th Anniversary Celebration
Sunday, Nov. 17 at 6 p.m.

WHAT TO WATCH

GREAT PERFORMANCES VIENNA PHILHARMONIC
SUMMER NIGHT CONCERT 2022
FRIDAY, AUG. 26 AT 9:00 P.M.

NOVA:ULTIMATE SPACE TELESCOPE
WEDNESDAY, JULY 13 AT 8 P.M.

THE BOLEYNs: A SCANDALOUS FAMILY
SUNDAY, AUG. 28 AT 8 P.M.

GUILT ON MASTERPIECE SEASON 2
SUNDAY, AUG. 28 AT 9 P.M.

AMERICA OUTDOORS
WITH BARATUNDE THURSTON
TUESDAY, JULY 5 AT 8:00 P.M.

NOVA:ULTIMATE SPACE TELESCOPE
WEDNESDAY, JULY 13 AT 8 P.M.

POV “WINTER’S YEARNING”
MONDAY, JULY 25 AT 9 P.M.

TUNE IN TONIGHT

THE GREEN PLANET
WEDNESDAY, JULY 6 AT 7 P.M.
1. Prairie Sportsman interviewed Kevin Wier, coordinator of the Trout Unlimited “Foster the Outdoors” program at Phalen Park in St. Paul, where mentors are matched with youth who learn how to fly fish.

2. The Sundowners RV group came to tour their favorite PBS station — Pioneer PBS!

3. Long-time volunteer Annie Ruth Eggert of Tyler celebrated her 90th birthday with the Pioneer PBS development team, Shari Lamke and Annie Ruth’s niece, Jill Hubbs (general manager of WSRE PBS) of Pensacola, Florida.

4. Compass producer Amanda Anderson and videographer Esmeralda Ziemer made a trip to the Nobles County Art Center in Worthington to interview Sureeporn Sompamitwong about her Ignite Rural Artist project to make a clothing line that addresses mental health.

5. Eileen O’Keefe, Beth O’Keefe and Leya Hale were all presenters at the “Bring Her Home” film screening and discussion event held at the Pioneer PBS studio.

6. Larry Olsen, Sally Rakow, Janet Suckow, Tracy Hanson and Jon Wendinger posed before the Pioneer PBS sponsored polka dance at the Willmar Life Connections event.

7. A screening of the new Pioneer PBS documentary “Made in Sweden” was
8. Pioneer PBS Office Administrator Mollie Londgren worked with a half-dozen volunteers to get our fiscal year-end mailing out to our supporters. It takes a village to run this TV station!

9. Eliza Blue of Bison, South Dakota, performed recently at the YES! House in Granite Falls. Pioneer PBS will be carrying Eliza’s show, “Wish You Were Here,” later this fall.

10. Compass producer Amanda Anderson, editor Esmeralda Ziemer and intern Isatu Shirek met with Lower Sioux Indian Community’s Grace Goldtooth, Bruce Helsper and Mat Pendleton at Cansayapi’s new cultural incubator building to talk about story ideas.

11. The Pioneer PBS Postcards team of Kris Gieske, Ben Dempcy and Dana Conroy answered audience questions after the world premiere of “Made in Sweden” at the American Swedish Institute in Minneapolis.

12. Pioneer PBS board member Paul Raymo of KLQP mixed it up with Super Why! at the Stampede to Fun event held at the LqP County Fairgrounds.
**FRIDAY, JULY 22**

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Happy Yoga with Sarah Starr

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**Program Listings**

- **Check out our new 24/7 Kids channel!**
  10:5 in Appleton, 20:5 in Worthington and 8:5 in Fergus Falls
  or go to pioneer.org/kids.

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**Pioneer Kids schedule is subject to change.**

**Pioneer Kids is now on YouTube TV!**

**Weekdays**

- Xavier Riddle: Nature Cat
- Hero Elementary
- Clifford the Big Red Dog
- Daniel Tiger’s Neighborhood
- Let’s Go Luna!
- Donkey Hodie
- Elmo Wonders Why
- Sesame Street
- Pinkalicious & Peterrific
- Dinosaur Train (MWF)
- Curious George (TTh)
- 3:00-4:00 p.m.
- 5:00-6:00 p.m.
- 7:00-8:00 p.m.
- 8:00-9:00 p.m.
- 9:00-10:00 p.m.
- 10:00-11:00 p.m.
- 11:00-12:00 a.m.

**Saturdays & Sundays**

- 5:00 a.m.: Mister Roger’s Neighborhood
- 5:30 a.m.: Daniel Tiger’s Neighborhood
- 6:00 a.m.: Molly of Denali
- 6:30 a.m.: Wild Kratts
- 7:00 a.m.: Hero Elementary
- 7:30 a.m.: Alma’s Way
- 8:00 a.m.: Curious George
- 8:30 a.m.: Daniel Tiger’s Neighborhood

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**Prince and the Revolution on their legendary Purple Rain Tour, featuring hits like “Let’s Go Crazy,” “Little Red Corvette,” “When Doves Cry” and an 18-plus minute version of “Purple Rain.” Market to Market The Great American Recipe TVPG.** It’s time for the season finale as the three remaining cooks go head-to-head to win “The Great American Recipe.” They’ll have some surprise helpers for their final chance to wow the judges with a very special dinner.

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**SUNDAY, AUG. 14**

- **Midnight:** Nature TVPG
- **10:00 p.m.:** Expedition with Steve Backshall TVPG
- **11:00 p.m.:** Washington Week
- **12:00 a.m.:** In Their Own Words TVPG
- **1:00 a.m.:** Finding Your Roots TVPG
- **2:00 a.m.:** Broadchurch TVMA
- **3:00 a.m.:** Ask This Old House
- **4:00 a.m.:** This Old House
- **5:00 a.m.:** Firing Line with Margaret Hoover
- **6:00 a.m.:** Xavier Riddle: Nature Cat
- **7:00 a.m.:** Clifford the Big Red Dog
- **8:00 a.m.:** Welcome to Fish!
- **9:00 a.m.:** Action Packed
- **10:00 a.m.:** Dinosaur Train (MWF)
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- **3:00 p.m.:** Hero Elementary
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- **5:00 p.m.:** Curious George
- **6:00 p.m.:** Wild Kratts
- **7:00 p.m.:** Outdoor Survival
- **8:00 p.m.:** Great Scenic Railway Journeys
- **9:00 p.m.:** The Great American Recipe TVPG
- **10:00 p.m.:** Rick Steves’ European Travel Tips and Tricks
- **11:00 p.m.:** Saturday Night All-Star Basketball TVPG
THE GREAT AMERICAN RECIPE  
FRIDAY, AUG. 12 AT 9 P.M.  
WEDNESDAY, AUG. 17 AT 7 P.M.

DOO WOP, POP AND SOUL GENERATIONS  
SATURDAY, AUG. 13 AT 6:30 P.M.  
SATURDAY, AUG. 20 AT 8 P.M.

COLDPLAY: LIVE IN SAN PAULO  
SATURDAY, AUG. 13 AT 9 P.M.  
FRIDAY, AUG. 19 AT 10 P.M.

BELLA FLECK: MY BLUEGRASS HEART  
SATURDAY, AUG. 13 AT 5 P.M.

FRANKIE VALLI & THE FOUR SEASONS:  
A LIFE ON STAGE  
WEDNESDAY, AUG. 17 AT 8:30 P.M.  
SATURDAY, AUG. 20 AT 5 P.M.

CHRISS BOTTI & THE DALLAS SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA  
TUESDAY, AUG. 16 AT 8:30 P.M.

LAST OF THE BREED  
MONDAY, AUG. 15 AT 7 P.M.  
FRIDAY, AUG. 19 AT 7 P.M.

LATE SUMMER MEMBERSHIP DRIVE  
AUGUST 12 - 21