

# Educational Services Quarterly



2nd Quarter- December 2007, January , February 2008 *Middle/High School Edition*  
<http://www.wpbstv.org/EducationalServices.htm>



## Broadcast Schedule

Monday - 12/17 Frontnac vs. Sydenham

Tuesday - 12/18 Bayridge vs. Napanee

Canadian Championship - 8:00pm (1 hour)

Wednesday - 12/19

International Match - 8:00pm (1 hour)

Thursday - 12/20

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*Tune in on the following dates to learn more:*

Wednesday, January 2nd @ 7:30 PM

Saturday, January 4th @ 11:30 AM

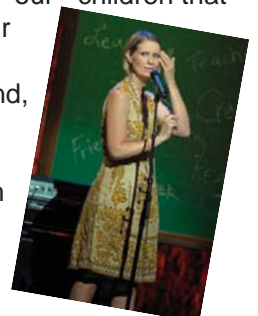
Saturday, January 26th @ 5:30 PM

Tuesday, January 29th @ 10:30 PM

## A TRIBUTE TO THE TEACHERS OF AMERICA

SUNDAY, JANUARY 13TH AT 3:00 PM

Remember that favorite teacher and the impact he or she had on your life? Rosie O'Donnell, Bill Cosby, Cynthia Nixon, and Tim McCarver of Fox Sports recall theirs - keenly, affectionately and humorously - as they lead A Tribute to the Teachers of America, an all-star back-to-school special. Providing the musical honors: icons Peter Yarrow and Noel (Paul) Stookey of Peter, Paul & Mary fame, Judy Collins, Tom Paxton, and Odetta, plus Steve Seskin, folk duo Bethany and Rufus, 16-year-old Houston rapper Jonathan "Baby Jay" Gutierrez, and 16-year-old rock/pop singer Christine Evans. Not quite in school but also on hand to pay tribute is Sesame Street's favorite rambunctious four-year-old, Elmo, as is his creator Kevin Clash, to sing a special song as Peter, Paul & Elmo, written to honor the teachers and, as the song's lyrics say, thank them for "helping all of us to learn" and "being kind and helpful, making us who we are today." "Next to our parents, our teachers may be the most important people in our lives," says Peter Yarrow, who organized the concert. "They do their job with a gentle grace, not for fame and fortune, but because they want to participate in the amazing process of bringing inspiration and skills to our children that they will need as future citizens of our country and the world. Teachers are centrally responsible for our future and, in important ways, for the health and happiness of society. How privileged we are, as performers, to honor them and acknowledge them, as they so richly deserve, in this wonderful 'Tribute' public television concert special."



# Educational Program Highlights

## Friday, January 4

10:00 **Savage Seas** *Killer Waves* From Hawaii's unsurpassed surf to South Africa's ferocious coastline, *Killer Waves* explores the treacherous boundary between oceans and land. (cc)

## Tuesday, January 8

8:00 **Nova** *Absolute Zero - Part 1* This new, two-part "Absolute Zero" presents the epic story of humanity's struggle to master extreme cold. (cc)

9:00 **Frontline** *The Medicated Child* With over four million children now on behavior modifying medications -- some starting as young as two years old -- FRONTLINE continues its investigation into the controversial practice of medicating kids. (cc)

## Friday, January 11

10:00 **Savage Seas** *Rescue* In winter, the hazard of the cold is added to the danger of the waves. *Rescue* graphically illustrates how deadly the coldest waters can be. (cc)

## Saturday, January 12

6:00 **History Project** *The Battle for Christendom* In 1571 the Mediterranean Sea was the battleground for the greatest naval clash in world history - the battle between "The Holy League," the Christians of Europe, and the Ottomans of Turkey - at the Battle of Lepanto. (cc)

## Monday, January 14

9:00 **American Experience** *Oswald's Ghost* The assassination of President Kennedy in Dallas on November 22, 1963, left a psychic wound on America. Few Americans, then or now, accept that a lone, inconsequential gunman could bring down a president and alter history. (cc)

10:30 **The March of the Bonus Army** In the darkest days of the Depression, unemployed World War II veterans marched on Washington, looking for an advance on the bonus compensation promised to them years earlier. After camping throughout Washington for two months, the veterans were driven out by force, as rising military figures General Douglas MacArthur, Major Dwight Eisenhower and Major George Patton cleared out the "Bonus Army" and burned their camps. (cc)

## Friday, January 18

10:00 **Savage Seas** *The Deep* The sea's innermost depths are shrouded in mystery, a dangerous and alien place where humans fear to go. *The Deep* takes a fascinating journey into this world of silence, darkness and pressure. One of South Africa's leading surfers tells of a great white shark that bit through his surfboard, and almost through his leg. A Florida-based lifeguard is haunted by a shark attack that occurred during her first pregnancy. And men who were aboard the U.S.S. Indianapolis remember a horrifying shark attack in 1945. After being torpedoed by a Japanese submarine, approximately 900 survivors floated in the water while their blood drew sharks. For five excruciating days, sharks stalked and attacked. When rescuers finally arrived, only 317 men were left alive. (cc)

## Monday, January 21

9:00 **American Experience** *The Lobotomist* The lobotomy was hailed by The New York Times as a "surgery of the soul" and "history making," a groundbreaking medical procedure that promised hope to the most distressed families and desolate mentally ill patients. (cc)

10:00 **American Idealist: The Story of Sargent Shriver** "American Idealist" is a biographical documentary about Robert Sargent Shriver, the founder of the Peace Corps, VISTA, Community Action, Head Start, Legal Services for the Poor, Youth Corps, Job Corps and more. (cc)

## Tuesday, January 22

8:00 **Nova** *Family That Walks On All Fours* An intense scientific debate has ignited around a quiet but extraordinary family living in rural Turkey -- a family with five adults who walk on all fours. (cc)

9:00 **Frontline** *Growing Up Online* FRONTLINE looks at the impact of the Internet on adolescence through the eyes of teens and their parents. (cc)

## Friday, January 25

10:00 **Savage Seas** *Killer Storms* From Bangladesh to California, from Peru to the Gulf of Saint Lawrence, it is the great oceans that dominate our weather and keep our climate in balance. (cc)

## Tuesday, January 30

10:00 **pm Keeping Score** Michael Tilson Thomas discovers how Aaron Copland created a revolution in American music. With members of the San Francisco Symphony.

## Monday, January 28

9:00 **American Experience** *Buffalo Bill* William "Buffalo Bill" Cody's legendary exploits helped create the myth of the American West - one that endures today. (cc)

10:00 **America at a Crossroads** *Stand Up: Muslim American Comics Come of Age* An exploration of the emergence of Muslim- and Arab-American comedians in the wake of 9/11 demonstrates how they use humor to take on stereotypes about Middle Easterners and terrorism. The film provides an inspiring chronicle of the impact 9/11 has had on their lives -- both professionally and personally. (cc)

## Tuesday, January 29

8:00 **Nova** *Parthenon* Erected by the ancient Greeks as a temple to Athena, the Parthenon has served as a church, a fortress, an ammunition dump and the model for countless banks, courthouses and museums across the world. It has been shot at, exploded, set on fire, rocked by earthquakes, looted for its magnificent sculptures and subjected to restorations that have been termed "catastrophic." Despite so much abuse and renown as an icon of Western civilization, the question of how the Parthenon was built has been largely ignored until recently. (cc)

# Jane Austen



Emma 3/23 Sense and Sensibility 3/30 & 4/6 Mansfield Park 2/3 Persuasion 1/13 Pride and Prejudice\* 2/17, 2/24 & 3/16 Northanger Abbey 1/20  PBS

\*\*Please note: WPBS-TV will be pre-empting programming on 1/27 for our Antique Auction and on 3/1 - 3/9 for our Spring Into March Membership Drive.

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A historical scene set in a shop, likely a pottery or ceramics store. A man in a dark blue coat and white cravat is writing in a notebook. A woman in a blue floral dress and white bonnet stands to the left. A young girl in a light blue dress and white bonnet holds a large wicker basket. A woman in a brown vest and green skirt stands to the right. The background is filled with shelves of white ceramic dishes and plates. A sign above the counter reads "For Ready Money" in a cursive font.

*For Ready Money*

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*January 10, 2008 at 1:00 pm*

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*Over Me*

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*February 7, 2008 at 1:00 pm*

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