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## LOCAL PROGRAMS

10/03/19 19:00:00 HATTEBERG'S PEOPLE #602H

10/13/19 15:30:00 HATTEBERG'S PEOPLE #401H

10/17/19 19:00:00 HATTEBERG'S PEOPLE #603H

On Hatteberg's People tonight at 7, a Kansas man follows his dream and helps turn around the fortunes of his small town.

Plus, meet a woman whose philosophy of life included exercise and love of country.

Also, meet twin sisters who had an amazing gift for turning simple wheat into amazing works of art.

See why their incredible pieces remain hot commodities in the Kansas art market.

10/31/19 19:00:00 HATTEBERG'S PEOPLE #604H

Meet a Wichita junk dealer whose son was the Secretary of Agriculture.

Also see the amazing tricks of a teenage yo-yo champion from 2001,

and see him today and learn what has happened in his life.

11/07/19 19:00:00 HATTEBERG'S PEOPLE #605H

You'll see why Dorothy Hobson was so loved by so many, and set the gold standard for early childhood education in Kansas.

Also, blacksmithing is hard, hot work and Tom Smith loved every bit of it. See how he practiced this old time profession

that was once common, but is now almost unheard of.

11/14/19 19:00:00 HATTEBERG'S PEOPLE #606H

Virgil Tingley understood the importance of sharing love and laughter with youngsters, the kind of things

he didn't have when he was a child. Also, he was a popular character actor in the golden days of movies and TV.

Larry sat down to visit with him after he'd moved back to Kansas to retire.

11/21/19 19:00:00 HATTEBERG'S PEOPLE #607H

11/28/19 19:00:00 HATTEBERG'S PEOPLE #310 2018 PLEDGE SPECIAL

12/19/19 19:00:00 HATTEBERG'S PEOPLE #608H

On this week's Hatteberg's People, Larry travels to Africa to document the amazing work of a Goddard Woman who is delivering babies and working to improve women's healthcare in Ghana. Also, learn about the life of a 1980s supermodel who called Wichita home.

12/24/19 17:00:00 HATTEBERG'S PEOPLE #410H THE CHRISTMAS EPISODE 2018

12/26/19 19:00:00 HATTEBERG'S PEOPLE #609H

Learn how a Wichita woman's generosity and love of nature has been a gift to South Central Kansas. Also, meet the small town postmaster who defied the naysayers to follow her dream.

10/03/19 19:30:15 ONE-ON-ONE WITH VICTOR HOGSTROM #512H STEVE SOUTH

10/04/19 12:00:00 ONE-ON-ONE WITH VICTOR HOGSTROM #107 LAVONTA WILLIAMS

10/04/19 12:30:00 ONE-ON-ONE WITH VICTOR HOGSTROM #108 SUSAN PETERS

10/11/19 12:00:00 ONE-ON-ONE WITH VICTOR HOGSTROM #109 KARLA BURNS

10/11/19 12:30:00 ONE-ON-ONE WITH VICTOR HOGSTROM #110 DR GALICHIA

10/17/19 19:30:15 ONE-ON-ONE WITH VICTOR HOGSTROM #513H DR. CECIL RINEY

Victor Hogstrom goes One on One with Cecil Riney, acclaimed Friends University music professor.

They talk about the international success of the Singing Quakers Choir, and the inspiring story of his musical career.

10/18/19 12:00:00 ONE-ON-ONE WITH VICTOR HOGSTROM #111 DAVE FREEMAN

10/18/19 12:30:00 ONE-ON-ONE WITH VICTOR HOGSTROM #201H RON ESTES, US CONGRESS 4TH DISTRICT

10/20/19 16:00:15 ONE-ON-ONE WITH VICTOR HOGSTROM #514H SCHUYLER JONES

10/25/19 12:00:00 ONE-ON-ONE WITH VICTOR HOGSTROM #202H NOREEN CARROCCI  
10/25/19 12:30:00 ONE-ON-ONE WITH VICTOR HOGSTROM #203H LUIS "BIG LOU" LOPEZ  
10/27/19 16:00:00 ONE-ON-ONE WITH VICTOR HOGSTROM #401H JAY PRICE  
10/31/19 19:30:15 ONE-ON-ONE WITH VICTOR HOGSTROM #601H LYNN ROGERS - LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

Victor sits down with Lieutenant Governor Lynn Rogers to talk about life and politics.

11/01/19 12:00:00 ONE-ON-ONE WITH VICTOR HOGSTROM #311H FR. TOM WELK  
11/01/19 12:30:00 ONE-ON-ONE WITH VICTOR HOGSTROM #205H DON REINHOLD  
11/07/19 19:30:15 ONE-ON-ONE WITH VICTOR HOGSTROM #602H JOHN GERING - PRESIDENT BETHEL COLL

Bethel College President Jon Gering explains his passion for science and for education, and discusses why molding the minds of young people is so dear to his heart.

11/14/19 19:30:00 ONE-ON-ONE WITH VICTOR HOGSTROM #603H CARL BREWER/FORMER WICHITA MAYOR

Former Wichita Mayor Carl Brewer explains how he rose from humble beginnings to become the leader of Kansas' largest city.

11/15/19 12:00:00 ONE-ON-ONE WITH VICTOR HOGSTROM #206H PRISCA BARNES  
11/15/19 12:30:00 ONE-ON-ONE WITH VICTOR HOGSTROM #207H BOB SCOTT  
11/21/19 19:30:15 ONE-ON-ONE WITH VICTOR HOGSTROM #604H BALBIR MATHUR/TREES FOR LIFE

President & Founder, Trees for Life reflects on his mission and life since immigrating from India.

11/22/19 12:00:00 ONE-ON-ONE WITH VICTOR HOGSTROM #208H LARRY STECKLINE  
11/22/19 12:30:00 ONE-ON-ONE WITH VICTOR HOGSTROM #209H SIERRA SCOTT

12/19/19 19:30:00 ONE-ON-ONE WITH VICTOR HOGSTROM #605H LISA TEACHMAN/KSN WEATHER

This week on One on One, KSN Chief Meteorologist Lisa Teachman explains how she became facinated with the

weather at a young age, and how she became the first woman to lead a Kansas television weather department.

12/26/19 19:30:00 ONE-ON-ONE WITH VICTOR HOGSTROM #606H TED AYERS/RETIRED WSU COUNSEL

12/27/19 12:00:00 ONE-ON-ONE WITH VICTOR HOGSTROM #301H DAVID PARKS

12/27/19 12:30:00 ONE-ON-ONE WITH VICTOR HOGSTROM #302H JAY PRATER

10/04/19 20:00:00 POSITIVELY KANSAS #604H

10/11/19 20:00:00 POSITIVELY KANSAS #605H

10/18/19 20:00:00 POSITIVELY KANSAS #606H

During this week's Positively Kansas at 8, we visit a reunion of Vietnam vets that seemed unthinkable just a few years ago.

Also, we'll meet a couple of artists in Valley Center who do amazing glasswork, and we'll visit a Wichita destination that makes shopping a real cultural experience.

10/25/19 20:00:00 POSITIVELY KANSAS #607H

SOME WICHITA NATIVES HAVE PUBLISHED A BOOK OF POETRY THEY WROTE FIFTY YEARS AGO ABOUT LIFE IN WICHITA DURING THE EARLY DAYS OF THE COLD WAR.

AND NOW THEY ARE ON A NATIONWIDE SEARCH TO FIND THEIR LONG LOST CLASSMATE WHOSE POEMS ARE ALSO INCLUDED IN THE BOOK.

AND WE VISIT A WICHITA DESTINATION THAT IS SURE TO AMAZE!

THERE AREN'T MANY PLACES YOU CAN SEE A TYRANOSAURUS REX....BUT ONE LIVES HERE.

11/03/19 16:30:00 POSITIVELY KANSAS #608H

Discover how a Wichita company helped change the way people across America eat lunch!

And, no lawnmower, no gasoline, it might be the greenest way to cut your grass -- see how a Kansas woman's

goat business is the hottest thing going in lawn care!

11/10/19 16:30:00 POSITIVELY KANSAS #609H

New York has the statue of Liberty, St. Louis has the Gateway Arch and Wichita has the Keeper of the Plains.

Discover the unlikely story of how the city's signature landmark came to be and why visitors find it so inspiring.

Also, we'll visit a Kansas pet store with a purpose beyond just keeping your pampered pooch stocked with toys and snacks.

Every sale aims to help animals who are not as fortunate as yours. Plus, it's a special ceremony along the Arkansas River

that never seems to get much attention, but helps tell an important story about American history.

11/17/19 16:30:00 POSITIVELY KANSAS #610H

A new art project may have you visiting some unusual places in downtown Wichita.

Also, see how an up and coming fashion designer creates unique clothes with a Native American flair.

Plus, it's a trip back to a simpler time. See a little escape that a Halstead man crafted in order to re-live the

good old days. And, we visit a Wichita destination that offers authentic Australian flavors.

11/22/19 20:00:00 POSITIVELY KANSAS #611H

11/24/19 16:30:00 POSITIVELY KANSAS #611H

12/20/19 20:00:00 POSITIVELY KANSAS #612H CHRISTMAS EPISODE

#### Selected PBS Programming October

Category: Agriculture

NOLA: PNWE 001229

Series Title: PBS NewsHour Weekend

Length: 30 minutes

Airdate: 10/12/2019 5:00:00 PM

Service: PBS

Format: Interview/Discussion/Review

Segment Length: 00:25:00

On this edition for Saturday, October 12, the latest acting director of the Department of Homeland Security steps down, a longtime head of security at The Met discusses a new book about his extraordinary career, and in our "Future of Food " series, a look at what farmers in Iowa are doing to help grow more sustainable practices for the future. Megan Thompson anchors from New York.

Category: Business/Industry

NOLA: MLNH 012679

Series Title: PBS NewsHour

Length: 60 minutes

Airdate: 10/17/2019 6:00:00 PM

Service: PBS

Format: News (live news only)

Segment Length: 00:06:21

Boeing is facing new questions about its dealings with federal safety regulators over the grounded 737 MAX jet. At issue are 2016 messages from a Boeing pilot who says he lied to officials about a flight-control system now linked to two deadly crashes. The FAA wants to learn what else Boeing knew about the flaw -- and when. Amna Nawaz talks to David Shepardson of Reuters, who broke the story.

Category: Health/Health Care

NOLA: MLNH 012669

Series Title: PBS NewsHour

Length: 60 minutes

Airdate: 10/3/2019 6:00:00 PM

Service: PBS

Format: News (live news only)

Segment Length: 00:06:43

Since 2014, Flint, Michigan, has been synonymous with tainted water. Five years on, not all of the city's residents have access to safe water. Some wait for hours in line to obtain bottled water, while others deal with the physical and emotional fallout of exposure to high lead levels from corrosion of city pipes. John Yang reports from Flint on what has changed -- and what hasn't.

Category: National Politics/Government

NOLA: MLNH 012667

Series Title: PBS NewsHour

Length: 60 minutes

Airdate: 10/1/2019 6:00:00 PM

Service: PBS

Format: News (live news only)

Segment Length: 00:07:31

While Secretary of State Mike Pompeo on Tuesday pushed back on demands by House Democrats for testimony and documents related to the Ukraine investigation, Republican Sen. Chuck Grassley defended the whistleblower who filed a complaint about President Trump's actions. Lisa Desjardins and Yamiche Alcindor join Judy Woodruff for more developments.

Category: Recreation/Leisure/Sports

NOLA: MLNH 012673

Series Title: PBS NewsHour

Length: 60 minutes

Airdate: 10/9/2019 6:00:00 PM

Service: PBS

Format: News (live news only)

Segment Length: 00:03:30

When Minda Dentler was a baby she contracted polio, which paralyzed her legs. Adopted by an American family, she grew up watching other kids run and jump. It wasn't until business school that she finally felt the wind through her hair -- and now she is an Ironman world champion. Dentler gives her Brief but Spectacular take on living with a disability.

Category: Science/Technology  
NOLA: FLMH 000314  
Series Title: Firing Line with Margaret Hoover  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/4/2019 5:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:46

Science educator Bill Nye joins Firing Line to discuss the science and impact of climate change. The former host of Bill Nye the Science Guy talks about the role of innovation, investment, policy and education in addressing the problem. Nye also explains why he debates climate change skeptics and evolution deniers.

Category: Science/Technology  
NOLA: NOVA 004618  
Series Title: NOVA  
Episode Title: Why Bridges Collapse  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/16/2019 9:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

On a rainy August morning in 2018, a massive section of the Polcevera Bridge in Genoa, Italy, collapsed and killed 43 people. As emergency responders raced to rescue survivors, authorities began investigating the cause of the collapse. For 50 years, the iconic bridge had stood up to the ever-increasing traffic, a testament to the strength of its pre-stressed concrete and cable stays. So what went wrong that fateful day? Through eyewitness testimony, expert interviews, and dramatic archive footage, NOVA pieces together the sequence of events-and investigates what may have led to the bridge's downfall. But the Polcevera Bridge isn't alone. Across the United States and Europe, thousands of



bridges are listed as structurally deficient. Join experts as they compare what happened to the Polcevera with other deadly bridge collapses, including Minnesota's I-35W bridge over the Mississippi and the famed Silver Bridge over the Ohio River. How can new technologies and engineering improvements make bridges across the world safer and more durable than ever before?

Category: Women

NOLA: MLNH 012689

Series Title: PBS NewsHour

Length: 60 minutes

Airdate: 10/31/2019 6:00:00 PM

Service: PBS

Format: News (live news only)

Segment Length: 00:06:36

Nashville's Thistle Farms is no ordinary business — it's a nonprofit staffed by women who have survived addiction, sexual abuse or trafficking. The organization's two-year program offers participants housing, free therapy and medical care, as well as opportunities to work on its line of home and body products or in its adjoining cafe. John Yang reports on this sisterhood-based community.

Selected PBS Programming November

Category: American History/Biography

NOLA: COMU 000101

Series Title: Country Music

Episode Title: The Rub (Beginnings –1933)

Length: 120 minutes

Airdate: 11/11/2019 1:00:00 PM

Service: PBS

Format: Documentary

Segment Length: 00:00:00

After centuries of percolating in the American South, what was first called “hillbilly music” begins reaching more people through the new technologies of phonographs and radio. The Carter Family, with their ballads and old hymns, and Jimmie Rodgers, with his combination of blues and yodeling, became its first big stars. Rodgers’ career ends when he dies young from tuberculosis.

Category: American History/Biography

NOLA: COMU 000104

Series Title: Country Music

Episode Title: I Can’t Stop Loving You (1953 –1963)

Length: 120 minutes

Airdate: 11/12/2019 2:00:00 PM

Service: PBS

Format: Documentary

Segment Length: 00:00:00

In Memphis, the confluence of blues and hillbilly music at Sun Studios gives birth to “rockabilly,” the precursor of rock and roll. Elvis Presley and Johnny Cash are at the forefront. Rhythm and blues star Ray Charles surprises the industry by deciding to record an album of country songs. In the recording studios of Music City, country music’s twang is replaced by something smoother: the Nashville Sound. Patsy Cline becomes one of its biggest stars before her untimely death.

Category: American History/Biography

NOLA: COMU 000106

Series Title: Country Music

Episode Title: Will the Circle Be Unbroken? (1968 –1972)

Length: 120 minutes

Airdate: 11/13/2019 7:00:00 AM

Service: PBS

Format: Documentary

Segment Length: 00:00:00

With the Vietnam War intensifying, America is more divided than ever. Country music is not immune to the divisions. Kris Kristofferson, a former Rhodes Scholar and Army captain, becomes a writer whose lyricism sets a new standard for country songs. Bob Dylan, the Byrds, and other non-country artists find Nashville a creative place to record. And a hippie band from California, the Nitty Gritty Dirt Band, comes to town to create a landmark album that bridges the gap between generations.

Category: American History/Biography  
NOLA: EDAY 000000  
Series Title: 8 Days: To the Moon and Back  
Length: 90 minutes  
Airdate: 11/13/2019 5:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Join Apollo 11 on its historic journey. The film seamlessly blends mission audio featuring conversations among Neil Armstrong, Buzz Aldrin and Michael Collins with new footage, NASA archive and stunning CGI to recreate the first moon landing.

Category: American History/Biography  
NOLA: COMU 000107  
Series Title: Country Music  
Episode Title: Are You Sure Hank Done It This Way? (1973 –1983)  
Length: 150 minutes  
Airdate: 11/14/2019 7:00:00 AM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Country music enters a vibrant era of new voices and attitudes. Dolly Parton crosses over to mainstream success and becomes the most famous woman in country music. George Jones and Tammy Wynette seemingly live out their songs' tragic lyrics. Hank Williams, Jr. and Rosanne Cash emerge from their

fathers' shadows. Willie Nelson and Waylon Jennings launch the "Outlaw" movement, and Emmylou Harris bridges folk and rock with country music in a way that influences a new generation of artists.

Category: Culture

NOLA: COMU 000107

Series Title: Country Music

Episode Title: Are You Sure Hank Done It This Way? (1973 –1983)

Length: 150 minutes

Airdate: 11/14/2019 7:00:00 AM

Service: PBS

Format: Documentary

Segment Length: 00:00:00

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Category: Culture

NOLA: MLNH 012699

Series Title: PBS NewsHour

Length: 60 minutes

Airdate: 11/14/2019 6:00:00 PM

Service: PBS

Format: News (live news only)

Segment Length: 00:07:27

In April, the world watched in horror as flames engulfed Notre Dame Cathedral, the beloved Gothic symbol of Paris dating to the Middle Ages. Now, seven months later, a debate swirls over how to repair the structure, which lost its famous spire and roof in the fire. As Jeffrey Brown reports from Paris, questions about environmental hazards, stability and aesthetics are all sources of heated debate.

Category: Culture  
NOLA: MLNH 012707  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/26/2019 6:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:08:25

In the U.S., 30 to 40 percent of food produced never makes it to a dining table. Much of that waste ends up in landfills. But some companies are pursuing new techniques to reduce and redistribute surplus -- plus process discarded food in environmentally friendly, sustainable ways that will reduce greenhouse gas emissions. NPR's Allison Aubrey reports from California, which is leading the charge.

Category: Education  
NOLA: COLB 000101 Stacked  
Series Title: College Behind Bars  
Length: 120 minutes  
Airdate: 11/25/2019 9:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Meet the incarcerated men and women admitted to the rigorous Bard Prison Initiative (BPI). Some students make great strides academically, only to discover BPI keeps raising the bar. Being sent to solitary puts an education in jeopardy.

Category: Education  
NOLA: COLB 000103 Stacked

Series Title: College Behind Bars  
Length: 120 minutes  
Airdate: 11/26/2019 9:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

The students embark on yearlong senior projects. The prison debate team faces West Point and Harvard. Some students face the realities of going home. Bachelor's and associate degrees are awarded on graduation day.

Category: Health/Health Care  
NOLA: MLNH 012692  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/5/2019 6:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:10:15

Pete Buttigieg, mayor of South Bend, Indiana, and a Democratic 2020 presidential hopeful, hailed this week's election results in Virginia and Kentucky, where Democrats won close elections in traditionally Republican areas.

Category: Health/Health Care  
NOLA: MLNH 012693  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/6/2019 6:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS

Format: News (live news only)

Segment Length: 00:06:05

Health care is a top 2020 political issue. Democratic candidates are debating whether to build upon the Affordable Care Act, or 'Obamacare,' or replace it with Medicare for All. Meanwhile, President Trump wants to dismantle the ACA entirely. As millions of Americans enter the time of year when they choose their health plans, Amna Nawaz gets the latest from Margot Sanger-Katz of The New York Times.

Category: Health/Health Care

NOLA: MLNH 012698

Series Title: PBS NewsHour

Length: 60 minutes

Airdate: 11/13/2019 6:00:00 PM

Service: PBS

Format: News (live news only)

Segment Length: 00:06:11

A new report from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention indicates that we are losing ground in the battle against so-called superbugs -- the harmful or deadly bacteria resistant to nearly all our antibiotic defenses. William Brangham talks to Dr. Arjun Srinivasan, who works on infection control at the CDC and helped compile the report, about how we can prevent these dangerous infections.

Category: Health/Health Care

NOLA: MLNH 012705

Series Title: PBS NewsHour

Length: 60 minutes

Airdate: 11/22/2019 6:00:00 PM

Service: PBS

Format: News (live news only)

Segment Length: 00:05:34

Nearly 6 million Americans currently live with Alzheimer's disease, and the number continues to rise. For many, this terminal diagnosis represents the start of a life with limitations. But as a program called Contemporary Journeys shows, it's a life that can still offer both great joy and meaningful experiences – through the power of art. Kate McDonald of Twin Cities PBS in Minneapolis reports.

Category: Health/Health Care  
NOLA: PNWE 001242  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour Weekend  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 11/24/2019 5:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:24:55

On this edition for Sunday, November 24, the latest on the impeachment inquiry, Michael Bloomberg officially enters the 2020 presidential race, a look at racial bias in algorithms used by hospitals, and reenacting the largest slave rebellion in U.S. history more than two centuries later. Hari Sreenivasan anchors from New York.

Category: Religion/Ethics  
NOLA: NOVA 004620  
Series Title: NOVA  
Episode Title: Dead Sea Scroll Detectives  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/6/2019 9:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

The Dead Sea Scrolls are one of the greatest archeological finds of all time. First discovered in a cave by a Bedouin shepherd boy in 1947, these fragile parchment relics were written around the time of Christ two millennia ago and include the oldest known versions of the Hebrew Bible. They not only reveal that



early Judaism was far richer and more varied than previously thought, but also hold vital clues to the birth of Christianity. But who compiled them and do more scrolls await discovery? While certain scrolls have survived intact, others have been ravaged by time-burnt, decayed, or torn into pieces and remain an enigma. Now, scientists are using new technologies to read the unreadable, solve mysteries that have endured for millennia, and even discover million-dollar fakes!

Category: Community Politics, Government

NOLA: PNWE 001248

Series Title: PBS NewsHour Weekend

Length: 30 minutes

Airdate: 12/15/2019 5:00:00 PM

Service: PBS

Format: Interview/Discussion/Review

Segment Length: 00:24:49

On this edition for Sunday, December 15, the House prepares for a historic impeachment vote, how the decline of local news is impacting civic engagement, a new documentary sheds light on Border Patrol expansion, and the Italian town of Riace went from being a haven for migrants to becoming a relative ghost town. Hari Sreenivasan anchors from New York.

Selected PBS Programming December

Category: Culture

NOLA: PLPR 000000

Series Title: Plastic Problem: PBS NewsHour Presents; The

Length: 60 minutes

Airdate: 12/1/2019 3:00:00 AM

Service: PBS

Format: Documentary

Segment Length: 00:00:00

By 2050, there will be more plastic than fish in the oceans. PBS NewsHour takes a closer look at this now ubiquitous material, how it's impacting the world and ways we can break our plastic addiction.

Category: Education

NOLA: VOCP 000301

Series Title: Voces on PBS

Episode Title: The Pushouts

Length: 60 minutes

Airdate: 12/20/2019 10:00:00 PM

Service: PBS

Format: Documentary

Segment Length: 00:00:00

Meet Victor Rios, a high school dropout and former gang member turned award-winning professor, author and expert on the school to prison pipeline, who works with young people who have been pushed out of school for reasons beyond their control.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters

NOLA: MLNH 012718

Series Title: PBS NewsHour

Length: 60 minutes

Airdate: 12/11/2019 6:00:00 PM

Service: PBS

Format: News (live news only)

Segment Length: 00:06:37

Trees can add beauty and serenity to a neighborhood -- but can they also improve the health of its residents? In Kentucky, the University of Louisville -- with help from the National Institutes of Health and The Nature Conservancy -- aims to find out. Called Green Heart Louisville, the initiative involves a large-scale scientific study of how greenspaces affect public health. John Yang reports.

Category: Health/Health Care

NOLA: PNWE 001244  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour Weekend  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 12/1/2019 5:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:22:18

On this edition for Sunday, December 1, severe weather disrupts holiday travel across the U.S., and on World AIDS Day, how inequality impacts those living with HIV. Also, how Mac DeMarco is harnessing the internet to thrive as an indie artist. Alison Stewart anchors from New York.

Category: Health/Health Care  
NOLA: MLNH 012722  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/17/2019 6:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:06:12

Newly released court documents reveal that the family behind Purdue Pharmaceuticals, maker of highly addictive painkiller OxyContin, withdrew over \$10 billion from the company as the opioid epidemic grew worse. The developments are increasing scrutiny of the Sackler family and its liability for the deadly crisis. William Brangham reports and talks to Massachusetts Attorney General Maura Healey.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: PPOD 000000  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour & POLITICO Democratic Debate  
Length: 180 minutes

Airdate: 12/19/2019 8:00:00 PM

Service: PBS

Format: Event Coverage

Segment Length: 03:00:00

The PBS NewsHour and POLITICO are hosting the sixth Democratic debate on Thursday, Dec. 19, 2019, from Loyola Marymount University in Los Angeles. The debate features Andrew Yang, former Vice President Joe Biden, Mayor Pete Buttigieg, Sen. Amy Klobuchar, Sen. Bernie Sanders, Tom Steyer and Sen. Elizabeth Warren.

Category: Religion/Ethics

NOLA: ORWO 000000

Series Title: Ornament of the World; The

Length: 120 minutes

Airdate: 12/17/2019 8:00:00 PM

Service: PBS

Format: Documentary

Segment Length: 00:00:00

The Ornament of the World tells the story of a remarkable time in history when the Muslims, Christians and Jews forged a common cultural identity that frequently transcended their religious differences.

Category: Transportation

NOLA: MLNH 012721

Series Title: PBS NewsHour

Length: 60 minutes

Airdate: 12/16/2019 6:00:00 PM

Service: PBS

Format: News (live news only)

Segment Length: 00:05:10

In our news wrap Monday, Boeing said it will temporarily suspend production on its 737 Max airliners in January. The plane was grounded worldwide in March after two crashes killed a total of 346 people; an FAA review is ongoing. Also, the Trump administration sought to reassure Mexico after it objected to having U.S. officials monitor enforcement of Mexican labor laws as part of a new trade pact.

Category: Transportation

NOLA: MLNH 012722

Series Title: PBS NewsHour

Length: 60 minutes

Airdate: 12/17/2019 6:00:00 PM

Service: PBS

Format: News (live news only)

Segment Length: 00:06:06

Earlier this fall, Boeing said it expected its 737 Max jets to fly again in January 2020. But as a Federal Aviation Administration investigation continues and concerns about the plane's safety persist, the aerospace giant has announced it is pausing its production instead. Miles O'Brien joins Judy Woodruff to discuss effects on the aviation industry and why the FAA itself has come under scrutiny.