

**WNYE-TV
ISSUES/PROGRAMS REPORT
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July 1, 2020 THROUGH September 30, 2020**

ARTS/CULTURE

92Y on NYC LIFE

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Length: 60 minutes

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Build Series NYC on NYC Life

Airdate: Fridays at 8:30 pm

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Channel: Channel 25.1 NYC Life

Program Description: *Build Series NYC* features leaders in media and entertainment who have a love for New York City and for the craft of television and filmmaking, including a discussion with filmmakers Betsy West and Julie Cohen about their documentary *RBG* that explores the exceptional life and career of Ruth Bader Ginsburg.

From the Vault: The City in Cinema

Airdate: Fridays at 9:00 pm

Length: 90 minutes

Channel: Channel 25.1 NYC Life

Program Description: A tribute to the history of cinema with a broadcast of classic films with New York City themes and settings. An example of programming is a broadcast of *Second Chorus* (1940), a musical comedy starring Fred Astaire about two music students who rather than face the responsibilities of life, repeatedly fail their exams so that they can stay in college.

Made in New York Talks

Airdate: Fridays at 10:30 pm

Length: 60 minutes

Channel: Channel 25.1 NYC Life

Program Description: A series of panels provided by the NYC Mayor's Office of Media and Entertainment aimed at informing and educating New Yorkers about working in the film, television, theatre and digital media industries. An example of programming includes a discussion with journalists from BuzzFeed and other digital media outlets about their approach to reporting LGBTQ issues in the news and when covering political campaigns.

Canvassing the World with Sean Diediker

Airdate: Sundays at 10:00 pm

Length: 30 minutes

Channel: Channel 25.1 NYC Life

Program Description: The series takes viewers on adventures to exotic locations to explore creativity, experience the people, and reveal the places that spark the inspiration for Sean's original paintings. An example of programming includes an episode where Sean traveled to New Mexico to explore its artistic heritage and to trace his own family roots in New Mexico.

Museum Access

Airdate: Thursday at 10:30 pm

Length: 30 minutes

Channel: Channel 25.1 NYC Life

Program Description: The program introduces viewers to great museums including an episode featuring the Bruce Museum in Greenwich, Connecticut that promotes the understanding and appreciation of art and science to enrich the lives of all people.

Live from the Artists' Den

Airdate: Thursdays at 1:00 am

Length: 60 minutes

Channel: Channel 25.1 NYC Life

Program Description: The program features performances at independent venues throughout the country. The programming included a special performance by singer-songwriter Vance Joy performing songs like "Lay It On Me," "Georgia," "Mess is Mine" and "Riptide."

BUSINESS

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A Day's Work

Airdate: Mondays at 9:00 pm

Length: 30 minutes

Channel: Channel 25.1 NYC Life

Program Description: Explores the almost unimaginable number of ways to make a living in New York, the world's leading city for business. An example of programming included a music themed episode featuring a day at work with a blues and jazz vocalist, a music director for the house band of a late night talk show, and a classical clarinetist.

The Vanguard: Women in Media

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CHILDREN

Ribert and Robert’s WonderWorld

Airdate: Mondays through Fridays at 8:00 am and Saturdays at 7:00 am

Length: 30 minutes

Channel: Channel 25.1 NYC Life

Program Description: The series combines animated and live-action elements to help preschool children feel more curious, knowledgeable and confident. Featuring a charming, energetic little “wonderoad with a heart of gold” named Ribert, and his best friend Robert, the series explores topics appealing and relevant to three- to six-year-olds, like art, science, dance, music and nature.

Bali

Airdate: Tuesdays and Thursdays at 8:30 am and Saturdays at 7:30 am

Length: 30 minutes

Channel: Channel 25.1 NYC Life

Program Description: Targeted to preschoolers, the animated series *BALI* features a painterly graphic style with bold colors, along with a strong musical score and original songs designed to encourage movement. Each half-hour episode focuses on a theme, including helping those in need, dealing with new experiences, asking for help, facing a challenge and following instructions.

Wunderkind Little Amadeus

Airdate: Fridays and Saturdays at 8:30 am

Length: 30 minutes

Channel: Channel 25.1 NYC Life

Program Description: This animated series entertains and educates children between the ages of 4 and 8 about music and inspires them to make their own music.

Kid Stew

Airdate: Mondays at 8:30 am and Fridays at 9:00 am

Length: 30 minutes

Channel: Channel 25.1 NYC Life

Program Description: A series that's by kids, about kids and for kids, encouraging their interest in art, music and reading. The show puts an emphasis on learning with a little bit of fun mixed in. The purpose of the show is to inspire and enlighten kids of all ages to learn more about books,

music, the arts and science. Other segments feature kids with artistic abilities as well as features stories on artistic influences from around the world.

EDUCATION

SciTech Now

Airdate: Tuesdays at 7:00 pm

Length: 30 minutes

Channel: Channel 25.1 NYC Life

Program Description: *SciTech Now* captures the latest breakthroughs in science, technology and innovation. An example of programming includes an episode that discussed scientists who discover a giant aquifer beneath the ocean floor; programs to help students gain experience working with composites; a team working to make skin cancer detection less invasive; and citizen scientists in Alaska sharing information about events on land and sea.

Changing Seas

Airdate: Wednesdays at 11:30 am

Length: 30 minutes

Channel: Channel 25.1 NYC Life

Program Description: *Changing Seas* gives viewers a fish-eye view of life in the deep blue. The program joins scientists as they study earth's last frontier and discover the mysteries of our liquid planet. An example of programming includes an episode that featured male humpback whales performing an elaborate and haunting song in breeding grounds in the Hawaiian Islands.

ETHNIC/LOCAL CULTURE

Aktina TV

Airdate: Sundays at 6:00 pm

Length: 60 minutes

Channel: Channel 25.1 NYC Life

Program Description: News and cultural programming from Greece and Cyprus, as well as features on the local Greek-American and Cypriot-American communities.

Afropop: The Ultimate Cultural Exchange

Airdate: Sundays at 7:00 am

Length: 60 minutes

Channel: Channel 25.1 NYC Life

Program Description: A series of short films that celebrates the cultural and historical growth that has occurred in Africa over the past generation.

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Cultural Caravan TV

Airdate: Sundays at 5:30 pm

Length: 30 minutes

Channel: Channel 25.1 NYC Life

Program Description: *Cultural Caravan* is dedicated to celebrating the history, culture and artistic expressions of people of African ancestry by featuring in-depth interviews and profiles of celebrities, artists and community activists.

Haiti Premiere Classe

Airdate: Sundays at 8:00 am

Length: 120 minutes

Channel: Channel 25.1 NYC Life

Program Description: A review of news from Haiti and local news from the Haitian-American community in the New York City area.

Slovenian Magazine

Airdate: Sundays at 2:00 pm

Length: 30 minutes

Channel: Channel 25.1 NYC Life

Program Description: News and cultural programming from Slovenia.

Romanian Voice

Airdate: Sundays at 12:30 pm

Length: 30 minutes

Channel: Channel 25.1 NYC Life

Program Description: News and cultural programming from Romania and features on local Romanian-American community.

HEALTH/WELLNESS

Classical Stretch

Airdate: Mondays through Fridays at 6:00 am

Length: 30 minutes

Channel: Channel 25.1 NYC Life

Program Description: Focuses on overall wellness and physical fitness. Designed in consultation with a physician and a physiotherapist, the movements are simple, safe, effective and appropriate for all ages and fitness levels.

Life on the Line

Airdate: Tuesdays at 2:30 pm

Length: 30 minutes

Channel: Channel 25.1 NYC Life

Program Description: a series that tells positive real life stories about the strength of the human spirit to overcome adversity. An example of programming includes an episode that tells the story of a hospital chaplain returning to the town of Paradise, California after the community was ravaged by a fire.

HISTORY

Blueprint: New York City

Airdate: Wednesdays at 8:30 pm

Length: 30 minutes

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Neighborhood Slice

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Secrets of New York

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History Presents on NYC Life

Airdate: Tuesdays at 8:00 pm

Length: 45 minutes

Channel: Channel 25.1 NYC Life

Program Description: Historical profiles of New York City landmarks. An example of programming is an episode featuring expert analysis and dramatic re-creations of the history of British General William Howe, the conqueror of New York City in the American Revolutionary War.

We're Still Here

Airdate: Tuesday September 29 at 11:00 pm

Length: 60 minutes

Channel: Channel 25.1 NYC Life

Program Description: First Nation indigenous hip-hop artists in Canada work to right long standing social injustices.

Warrior Women

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LIFESTYLE

\$9.99

Airdate: Wednesdays at 10:00 pm

Length: 30 minutes

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Program Description: A hosted series which takes viewers around the five boroughs of New York City and explains how to enjoy the culture and history of the city in an economically friendly way. An example of programming includes an episode featuring a trip around the waterfront community of Red Hook, Brooklyn.

Firehouse Kitchen

Airdate: Fridays at 1:00 pm and Saturday at 2:30 pm

Length: 30 minutes

Channel: Channel 25.1 NYC Life

Program Description: Featuring delicious recipes, budget friendly meals, and fire safety tips, each episode of Firehouse Kitchen offers an inside look into the unique lifestyle and camaraderie of local firefighters. An example of programming includes an episode that features actor and writer, Joe Maruzzo, who joins Ray in the kitchen to prepare homemade pizza.

Food.Curated.

Airdate: Thursdays at 8:00 pm

Length: 30 minutes

Channel: Channel 25.1 NYC Life

Program Description: Host Liza de Guia provides tips on unique local food to look out for to really get a taste of summer. An example of programming includes an episode that features Liza heading out to meet farmers and chefs who are putting action into the future of sustainable food.

Potluck

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Program Description: *Potluck* brings everyone to the table with the best of food and drink in New York City. The series goes behind the scenes with Host Ali Rosen as she interviews chefs, restaurateurs, mixologists and producers. An example of programming includes an episode that gets viewers ready for Fall with a ginger cocktail, a healthier take on a classic pasta, and a dessert that works for all seasons.

What's Eating Harlem

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Twice as Good

Airdate: Thursdays at 9:00 am

Length: 30 minutes

Channel: Channel 25.1 NYC Life

Program Description: The series travels to different locales each week to demonstrate how to cook the local cuisine while introducing viewers to local highlights. One representative episode featured a taste of New Mexico, with trips to Pueblo de Taos, White Sands National Monument and Carlsbad Caverns National Park.

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We Speak NYC

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Program Description: *We Speak NYC* is New York City's English language learning program, a comedic drama based on true-to-life stories of immigrants making their way in the Big Apple. Each episode provides useful information on essential City of New York services and shows how people working across ethnic lines can access resources and solve common problems. An example of programming includes a discussion about social services like SNAP and food pantries told through the story of a college student named Shumi.

NEWS

BBC World News America

Airdate: Mondays through Fridays at 5:30 pm

Length: 30 minutes

Channel: Channel 25.1 NYC Life

Program Description: In-depth reports on the major US and international news of the day.

BBC World News

Airdate: Mondays through Fridays at 7:00 am

Length: 30 minutes

Channel: Channel 25.1 NYC Life

Program Description: In-depth reports on the major international news of the day.

SENIORS

Sit and Be Fit

Airdate: Mondays through Fridays at 6:30 am

Length: 30 minutes

Channel: Channel 25.1 NYC Life

Program Description: Low-impact exercises to encourage health maintenance for seniors and others for whom more strenuous forms of exercise would be ineffective or unsafe.

Food Over 50

Airdate: Mondays at 1:30 pm

Length: 30 minutes

Channel: Channel 25.1 NYC Life

Program Description: Nutrition and healthy lifestyle series for maturing adults who recognize the challenges of aging and want to stay healthy, fit and active throughout a long life, and enjoy delicious food all along the way.

Growing Bolder

Airdate: Mondays at 1:00 pm

Length: 30 minutes

Channel: Channel 25.1 NYC Life

Program Description: Shares the inspirational stories of ordinary people living extraordinary lives; men and women who are smashing stereotypes and proving that when it comes to living big, bold lives, it's not about age, it's about attitude. An example of programming includes an episode featuring an inventor, entrepreneur and adventurer who has built a life around doing what he loves!

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Fannie Lou Hamer: Stand Up

Airdate: Monday August 3rd at 7:00 pm and Wednesday August 5 at 12:00 am

Length: 60 minutes

Channel: Channel 25.1 NYC Life

Program Description: The life of voting and women's rights activist and civil rights legend Fannie Lou Hamer is examined.

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COVID-19

Mayoral Live Press Conferences

Airdate: Typically 10:00am, and whenever else the Mayor goes live in July, August, September

Length: The duration of the update

Channel: Channel 25.2 NYC Gov

Program Description: critical updates on the City's fight against COVID-19 and other issues.

Public Service Announcements: COVID-19

Airdate: Daily in July, August, September

Length: 15 seconds, 30 seconds and 60 second announcements

Channel: Channel 25.1 NYC Life and Channel 25.2 NYC Gov

Program Description: Important announcements in multiple languages on a variety of topics relating to COVID-19, including mental health, face coverings, school and business re-openings and more. The announcements are airing at different intervals throughout the schedule.

GOVERNMENT/CIVIC LIFE

The Council

Airdate: Varies, but typically Mondays through Fridays 4:00 pm-12:00 am

Length: Varies, but typically 8 hours

Channel: Channel 25.2 NYC Gov

Program Description: Coverage of New York City Council hearings, including re-broadcasts of Council Live meetings, gives citizens an unedited, transparent view of the government of the City of New York at work.

Public Service Announcement: Flu Vaccine

Initial Airdate: September 23

Length: 15 and 30 seconds

Channel: Channel 25.1 NYC Life and Channel 25.2 NYC Gov

Description: Public service announcement campaign from the New York City Department of Health and Mental Hygiene raising awareness about getting a flu shot this year. In addition to its premiere airing, it airs throughout the schedule during its broadcast run.