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Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: MONDAY, January 1, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 01/01/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Monday on the NewsHour, Israel's Supreme Court strikes down a controversial overhaul of the nation's judiciary, a blow to the prime minister already facing scrutiny amid the war. An investigation finds auditors overlook child migrants being put to work in unsafe and illegal conditions. Plus, the consolidation of healthcare services into corporate hospital systems drives some doctors to unionize.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: TUESDAY, January 2, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 01/02/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Tuesday on the NewsHour, as the war in Gaza rages on, we speak with a former Israeli hostage in her first interview since being released by Hamas. The president of Harvard resigns after igniting controversy with comments regarding responses to the Israel-Hamas war. Plus, big cities in the U.S. contend with an influx of migrants, including thousands sent by Republican governors.

Series Title: HIKI NŌ on PBS Hawai'i  
Program Title: #1505  
Distributor: PBS Hawai'i  
Date: 01/02/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: On this special episode of HIKI NŌ on PBS Hawai'i, find out which schools produced the winning entries of the HIKI NŌ on PBS Hawai'i 2023 Fall Challenge, with host Sloan Billingsley, a junior at Campbell High School.

A day before the storytelling contest began, on Oct. 18, 2023, dozens of students and their teachers joined HIKI NŌ for an online educational workshop, in which they learned about how to find a compelling story for public television, how to strategize and work collaboratively as a production team and how to capture high-quality video and audio.

They also received tips from PBS Hawai'i professionals about weaving their reporting together with interviews and discussed topics including journalistic integrity while working as HIKI NŌ student reporters for their original segments on PBS Hawai'i.

The following morning, on Oct. 19, PBS Hawai‘i announced the Fall 2023 Challenge story prompt: “A Sign of the Times.” Students were given five days to answer the call and find stories that met the prompt. During a whirlwind five days, they modeled professional journalists and conducted interviews, captured footage and edited their stories without any hands-on help from teachers or HIKI NŌ’s industry professionals.

HIKI NŌ Challenges are held three times a school year and provide students with the opportunity to review and learn HIKI NŌ production standards, test their skills, and get a taste for what it is like to produce work under professional deadlines. During the normal, non-competitive HIKI NŌ on PBS Hawai‘i production cycle, students have several weeks and sometimes months to complete their projects and receive one-on-one mentorship from HIKI NŌ on PBS Hawai‘i mentors.

The winning stories’ scores were based on production and storytelling criteria as well as how they fit the prompt. Watch this episode of HIKI NŌ on PBS Hawai‘i to see the stories they chose to tell.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: WEDNESDAY, January 3, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 01/03/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Wednesday on the NewsHour, Israel kills a key Hamas leader with a drone strike in Lebanon, raising the risk that the war could spread across the region. Facing a surge in migrants, Chicago city officials call on the White House for more help. Plus, with the investigation into Jan. 6 straining FBI resources, ordinary citizens have started to track down suspected rioters themselves.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: THURSDAY, January 4, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 01/04/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Thursday on the NewsHour, the future of Ukraine's fight against Russia hangs in the balance amid a combat stalemate and questions over U.S. support. New documents from House Democrats detail how Donald Trump's businesses received millions from foreign governments while he was president.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: FRIDAY, January 5, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 01/05/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Friday on the NewsHour, the Supreme Court takes up the case of whether Donald Trump can be kept off the 2024 ballot. The longtime leader of the National Rifle Association steps down, raising questions about the organization's influence. Plus, marking three years since Jan. 6, President Biden warns that rising political violence poses a grave threat to the nation's democracy.

Series Title: PBS NEWS WEEKEND  
Program Title: SATURDAY, January 6, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 01/06/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: Saturday on PBS News Weekend, what's behind the current surge in COVID infections and what it tells us about how we deal with the disease moving forward. Then, the latest on massive protests in Serbia accusing the president, a strong Putin ally, of rigging elections.

Series Title: PBS NEWS WEEKEND  
Program Title: SUNDAY, January 7, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 01/07/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: Sunday on PBS News Weekend, the worsening humanitarian crisis for children in Gaza, as Israel's war with Hamas enters its fourth month. Then, how some children around the U.S. born during the pandemic are struggling with speech delays, and what one state is doing to help them catch up.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: MONDAY, January 8, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 01/08/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Monday on the NewsHour, Israel kills militant group leaders in Lebanon and Syria as the U.S. tries to stave off a broader conflict in the Middle East. Why the White House and the public weren't told about Defense Secretary Austin's hospitalization. Plus, hundreds of flights are canceled after the Alaska Airlines blowout prompted federal authorities to ground the Boeing 737 Max 9 aircraft.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: TUESDAY, January 9, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 01/09/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Tuesday on the NewsHour, Donald Trump appears in court to argue that he's immune from criminal charges stemming from his time in office. The Pentagon reveals Defense Secretary Austin is being treated for prostate cancer. Plus, 2023 blows past the last record for the hottest year and nears a critical global warming threshold that countries have been trying to avoid.

Series Title: HIKI NŌ on PBS Hawai'i  
Program Title: #1506  
Distributor: PBS Hawai'i  
Date: 01/09/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: On this episode of HIKI NŌ on PBS Hawai'i, watch a special collection of stories from Hawai'i's New Wave of Storytellers' first round of shows this season.

Maya and Miya Tasaka, 5th graders at Waikīkī Elementary School, join as hosts, making history as HIKI NŌ's first twin hosts.

They share two videos they produced with their classmates at Waikīkī Elementary School, the first of which tells the story about how they addressed wayward dodgeballs at recess, and another explainer video they produced about how to use a Braille typewriter.

The episode continues with stories from students at Highlands Intermediate School on O'ahu, covering the latest science behind criminal justice and a profile of a woman in Palolo who narrowly escaped a boulder that crashed into her house.

Samuel Paci, a senior at H.P. Baldwin High School on Maui, profiles his stepfather, a Maui firefighter.

Highlighted work also includes student reflections from Mari Iwata, a senior at Waiākea High School on Hawai'i Island and Sophia Santos, a freshman at Pearl City High School on O'ahu, who share what's going on in their lives as they pursue extracurricular activities.

From Hawai'i Island, watch a profile story of a kumu hula and Hawaiian studies teacher by students at Hawai'i Preparatory Academy, along with a feature story about a pizza parlor and video game arcade produced by Hilo High School students, who received second place in the 2023 Fall Challenge.

Kua O Ka Lā Public Charter School students also share how they are contributing to an online virtual tour initiative and bringing a global audience to their home in Miloli'i.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: WEDNESDAY, January 10, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 01/10/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Wednesday on the NewsHour, Gaza pleads for more food aid and global leaders condemn the largest Houthi attack on ships in the Red Sea. Israeli and Palestinian mental health experts work together to address the lasting impact the conflict will have on children for generations. Plus, House Republicans holding dual hearings scrutinizing the Secretary of Homeland Security and Hunter Biden.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: THURSDAY, January 11, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 01/11/24 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Thursday on the NewsHour, an increase in food, housing and energy prices complicates efforts to lower the pace of inflation and interest rates. A judge hears closing arguments in former President Trump's months-long civil fraud trial. Plus, before an international court, South Africa accuses Israel of committing genocide against the Palestinian people.

Series Title: INSIGHTS ON PBS HAWAI'I  
Program Title: 2024 Legislative Preview  
Distributor: PBS Hawai'i  
Date: 01/11/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: In this election year, what are the priorities for the state lawmakers as they convene another session? Will it be help for Maui following the devastating wildfires last summer or requests associated with Gov. Josh Green's emergency proclamation on affordable housing, or both or something else.  
Guests:  
Chad Blair, Honolulu Civil Beat  
Rep. Lauren Matsumoto (R), House Minority Leader-Mililani, Waipi'o Acres, Mililani Mauka  
Rep. Geggor Ilagan (D), Vice Speaker-Pāhoa, Pohoiki, Kalapana, Hawaiian Paradise Park  
Sen. Stanley Chang (D), Hawai'i Kai, Kāhala, Diamond Head

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: FRIDAY, January 12, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 01/12/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Friday on the NewsHour, Houthi rebels vow revenge for U.S. strikes in Yemen in response to attacks on ships in the Red Sea. We examine the critical white evangelical vote ahead of the first contest in the GOP race for the White House. Plus, Taiwan is preparing to choose its next leader in an election that could have major implications for its relationship with China and alliance with the U.S.

Series Title: PBS NEWS WEEKEND  
Program Title: SATURDAY, January 13, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 01/13/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: Saturday on PBS News Weekend, as Taiwan picks a new president, we look at what the ruling party's win means for the region and U.S.-China relations. The, how the once rarely used process of impeachment has become a partisan political weapon. Plus, two new studies find we're drinking and eating more microplastics than we may have previously thought.

Series Title: PBS NEWS WEEKEND  
Program Title: SUNDAY, January 14, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 01/14/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: Sunday on PBS News Weekend, candidates make their final pitch in bitterly cold Iowa on the eve of the first contest of the 2024 presidential election. Then, the growing humanitarian crisis in Afghanistan, two and a half years after the Taliban's return to power. Plus, why American farmers have some of the highest suicide rates of any occupation, and what some rural communities are doing to help.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: MONDAY, January 15, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 01/15/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Monday on the NewsHour, Iowans face freezing temperatures in the first electoral contest of 2024. The actions of Iranian-backed groups in the Middle East raise the threat of drawing the United States into a wider regional conflict. Plus, the politics of



immigration become deadly as a woman and two children drown trying to enter the country amid a standoff between Texas and federal officials.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: TUESDAY, January 16, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 01/16/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Tuesday on the NewsHour, Donald Trump's win in Iowa solidifies his hold on the GOP and a tough road ahead for his Republican challengers. Israeli leaders increasingly disagree in public over the best path forward as the international community works to get more aid to Gaza. Plus, a law capping insulin prices brings relief for some people with diabetes but the cost remains high for others.

Series Title: HIKI NŌ on PBS Hawai'i  
Program Title: #1507  
Distributor: PBS Hawai'i  
Date: 01/16/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: In this episode of HIKI NŌ on PBS Hawai'i, watch stories from HIKI NŌ students who recently took home national storytelling awards, learn from the newest segment of HIKI NŌ called, "Did You Know?" and witness the power of storytelling in a collection of more stories from Hawai'i's New Wave of Storytellers.

To open the show, students at Wai'anae High School on O'ahu share a story about how inflation affects their hometown grocery store. The student team received second place in the national Student Television Network, or STN, Challenge last November.

Students at Wai'anae Intermediate School on O'ahu share a HIKI NŌ "Did You Know?" piece about interesting research behind human and dog relationships. They also contribute a Student Reflection from a young athlete, Tatiana Plunkett, who has a story to tell about returning to her favorite sport after taking a break during the peak of the COVID pandemic.

At Moanalua High School on O'ahu, students profile a fellow classmate who is a dual threat in both chess and volleyball. Their story received an honorable mention in the Sports Story category of the national STN Challenge contest in November 2023.

Reece Lustik, a student at Hawai'i Preparatory Academy on Hawai'i Island, tells the story of falling in love with the ocean after moving to the islands from the land-locked state of Colorado.

Jadynn-Kalena Young, a student at Pearl City High School on O'ahu, shares her Student Reflection in which she explores how hula has shaped her identity and Chiefess Kamakahelei Middle School students on Kaua'i explore their school's namesake in a final "Did You Know?" special segment for HIKI NŌ.

After the credits, stick around for a special segment featuring Mr. John Allen III and senior Denise Cabrera, who make up part of the stellar HIKI NŌ team of storytellers at Wai‘anae High School on O‘ahu.

Pearl City High School freshman Sophia Santos, who has been involved with HIKI NŌ since she attended Highlands Intermediate School, hosts the show.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: WEDNESDAY, January 17, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 01/17/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Wednesday on the NewsHour, as President Biden meets with congressional leaders to strike a funding deal, we ask the former head of NATO what's at stake for Ukraine. The U.S. declares Houthi militants a specially designated global terrorist group as part of its response to attacks in the Red Sea. Plus, a Supreme Court case involving a small fish could have big implications on federal regulations.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: THURSDAY, January 19, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 01/18/24 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Thursday on the NewsHour, Congress passes a stopgap measure to keep the government funded and avert a shutdown. The Justice Department issues a scathing review of the police response to the 2022 Uvalde school massacre. Plus, a doctor who worked in Gaza details the increasingly dire humanitarian situation faced by civilians caught in the Israel-Hamas war.

Series Title: INSIGHTS ON PBS HAWAI‘I  
Program Title: Invasive Species Alert  
Distributor: PBS Hawai‘i  
Date: 01/18/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Invasive species are nothing new but the urgency of how to deal with them has increased dramatically in recent years. Is there a plan to address these menacing problems?  
Guests:  
Sharon Hurd, Hawai‘i Board of Agriculture Chair  
Keith Weiser, Deputy Incident Commander-Coconut Rhinoceros Beetle Response – University of Hawai‘i  
Michelle Montgomery, Research Manager, Hawai‘i Ant Lab  
Indrajit Gunasekara, NiU NOW! Coconut Tree Advocate – University of Hawai‘i, West O‘ahu

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: FRIDAY, January 19, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 01/19/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Friday on the NewsHour, the Biden administration cancels another \$5 billion in student loans, Judy Woodruff speaks with New Hampshire's governor ahead of the primaries about why he's trying to stop Donald Trump from becoming the Republican nominee, and an American who was helping Afghans start their own businesses is held captive by the Taliban.

Series Title: PBS NEWS WEEKEND  
Program Title: SATURDAY, January 20, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 01/20/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: Saturday on PBS News Weekend, why reproductive rights could end up on the ballot in November in about a dozen states. Then, as air travel returns to pre-pandemic levels, how airlines are cashing in with added fees. Plus, a declining trout population in Montana has fishermen, businesses and officials searching for answers.

Series Title: PBS NEWS WEEKEND  
Program Title: SUNDAY, January 21, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 01/21/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: Sunday on PBS News Weekend, as New Hampshire prepares for its primary, will Trump's remaining opponent be able to erode his support? Then, how the discovery of lead in some applesauce pouches is exposing issues about how food reaches our shelves and who has oversight. Plus, a new method of execution set to be used in Alabama raises questions about how states carry out the death penalty.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: MONDAY, January 22, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 01/22/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Monday on the NewsHour, New Hampshire voters prepare to make their choice between the only two remaining Republican presidential candidates. Israeli leaders become increasingly divided over the war with Hamas, the idea of a ceasefire in exchange for hostages and a two-state solution. Plus, millions of Americans lose health insurance because of policy changes since the pandemic.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: TUESDAY, January 23, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 01/23/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Tuesday on the NewsHour, Nikki Haley hopes to gain ground on Donald Trump in New Hampshire where Republicans are deciding who should be the GOP nominee. The war in Gaza sees one of its deadliest days yet for Israeli forces as a brutal ground offensive grinds on. Plus, the parents of a mass shooter face a manslaughter trial over whether they can be held accountable for their actions and inactions.

Series Title: HIKI NŌ on PBS Hawai‘i  
Program Title: #1508  
Distributor: PBS Hawai‘i  
Date: 01/23/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: In this episode of HIKI NŌ on PBS Hawai‘i, watch the latest stories from Hawai‘i’s New Wave of Storytellers, representing schools on O‘ahu, Hawai‘i Island, Maui and Kaua‘i, and see some of their nationally recognized and award winning work.

Pearl City High School freshman Sophia Santos, who has been involved with HIKI NŌ since she attended Highlands Intermediate School, hosts the show for a second time.

Gavin Simon, a senior at McKinley High School on O‘ahu, shares an update on the health of the Ala Wai Canal in Waikiki in a special segment titled, “Did you know? These Mudballs Can Eat Sludge!”

Liana Doppmann, an 8th grader at Hawai‘i Preparatory Academy on Hawai‘i Island, shares the challenges and rewards of preparing for a Jewish right of passage in her Student Reflection entitled, “Becoming a Bat Mitzvah.”

Students at Wai‘anae High School on O‘ahu, many of whom have participated with HIKI NŌ throughout their school careers, received national recognition at the Student Television Network Challenge competition in November 2023. They adapted their first place award-winning feature story about the traditions of the Hawaiian Makahiki season for HIKI NŌ on PBS Hawai‘i.

The HIKI NŌ students at Wai‘anae High School also pull back the curtain on their own student broadcast production program in a special behind-the-scenes vlog video, which received second place in the Vlog category at the 2023 STN Challenge last November.

On Kaua‘i, students at Chiefess Kamakahahei Middle School dive into the traditions behind their longtime school morning show in a special HIKI NŌ segment called, “Did You Know? The History Behind CKMS’ Award-Winning Morning Broadcast.”

Finally, students at Wai‘anae Intermediate School share a feature story about an impressive mother-daughter baking team on O‘ahu who raised funds for people affected by the Maui wildfires in August 2023.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: WEDNESDAY, January 24, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 01/24/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Wednesday on the NewsHour, after winning in New Hampshire, Donald Trump sharpens his attacks on Nikki Haley as her campaign looks ahead to South Carolina. As the U.S. strikes back against militants attacking interests in the Middle East, we look at the fine line the Biden administration is walking to avoid a regional war. Plus, alcohol-related deaths surge in Colorado and other western states.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: THURSDAY, January 25, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 01/25/24 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Thursday on the NewsHour, negotiations over funding for Ukraine and the southern border are derailed by Republican infighting, threatening a crucial, emerging deal. Donald Trump takes the stand in the federal defamation case brought by writer E. Jean Carroll. Plus, the governor of Texas defies a Supreme Court ruling to remove razor wire at the border.

Series Title: KAKOU: HAWAI‘I’S TOWN HALL  
Program Title: Social Media: The Good, The Bad, The Ugly  
Distributor: PBS Hawai‘i  
Date: 01/25/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 90  
Description: Social media is a big part of modern life. People use it to connect with others and to gather and share information. Businesses that are not on social media have a tougher time competing against businesses that are. Social media use has grown exponentially around the globe. Many utilize more than one platform such as Facebook, Instagram, TikTok, X (formerly Twitter), and there are others. Social media can be fun, educational and convenient. Some say it can also be addicting and a conduit for misinformation and scams.  
Guests:  
Kamaka Dias, Social Media Influencer  
Malika Dudley, Social Media Influencer  
Wayne Buente, Professor, University of Hawai‘i School of Communication and Information

Brian Grantham, Educational Technology Director at Mid-Pacific  
Denise Cabrera, Wai‘anae High School Senior  
Natasha Strongosky, Mid-Pacific Junior  
Kayleen Fukushima, University of Hawai‘i Graduate Student in Communications  
Chris Duque, Cybercrime Expert  
Emi Hart Sorenson, Social Media PR & Marketing  
Britt Young, Family Therapist  
Burt Lum, State of Hawai‘i Broadband Coordinator and Bytemarks Cafe Host, HPR

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: FRIDAY, January 26, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 01/26/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Friday on the NewsHour, a jury decides former Donald Trump must pay writer E. Jean Carroll \$83.3 million for defamation. Then, the U.N.'s top court orders Israel to prevent acts of genocide in Gaza, but does not call for a ceasefire. Plus, Alabama carries out the nation's first known execution with nitrogen gas, reigniting debate over the death penalty.

Series Title: PBS NEWS WEEKEND  
Program Title: SATURDAY, January 27, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 01/27/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: Saturday on PBS News Weekend, how a nationwide shortage of special education teachers is affecting students with disabilities and the educators trained to work with them. Then, the changing face of motherhood and professional sports, and the push for paid maternity leave in the United States. Plus, a 14-year-old science phenom talks about his quest to develop a soap that fights skin cancer.

Series Title: PBS NEWS WEEKEND  
Program Title: SUNDAY, January 28, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 01/28/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: Sunday on PBS News Weekend, Uganda awaits a constitutional court ruling on an anti-homosexuality law that threatens fines, life imprisonment and even death. A doctor discusses her memoir that intertwines historical health care inequities and her own family history. Plus, how communities in Montana are working to preserve one of the last remaining intact prairies on the planet.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: MONDAY, January 29, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 01/29/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Monday on the NewsHour, President Biden vows to respond to a deadly drone attack on a U.S. base in Jordan, and places blame on an Iranian-backed militia. Then, NATO Secretary-General Jens Stoltenberg discusses the uncertain future of western support for Ukraine. Also, the Biden administration cites climate concerns as it puts the brakes on a major liquid natural gas project and pauses new exports.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: TUESDAY, January 30, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 01/30/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Tuesday on the NewsHour, Qatar mediates the push for a pause in fighting between Israel and Hamas. Then, protesters demand their city councils pass resolutions pressuring the Biden administration to act on the Israel-Hamas war. Plus, House Republicans continue the process of impeaching Homeland Security Secretary Alejandro Mayorkas.

Series Title: HIKI NŌ on PBS Hawai‘i  
Program Title: #1509  
Distributor: PBS Hawai‘i  
Date: 01/30/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: In this episode of HIKI NŌ on PBS Hawai‘i, host Liana Doppman, an 8th grader at Hawai‘i Preparatory Academy, shares multiple Student Reflection videos from her classmates’ HIKI NŌ class project along with other stories from Hawai‘i’s New Wave of Storytellers.

From Hawai‘i Preparatory Academy on the Big Island, three 8th graders share their experiences and journeys of what it is like to be young in today’s world.

The HIKI NŌ Student Reflections come from Eli O‘Meara, who shares a personal story about finding the right support system when navigating difficult situations and hateful interactions, Arlo Sprio, who speaks about moving to Hawai‘i and finding a fresh start after dealing with bullying at another school in California, and Luke Vincent, who shares the piece he produced about discovering the importance of native Hawaiian fish.

From Waiākea High School on Hawai‘i, Austin Hocson shares a Student Reflection about how a scary diagnosis he received when he was young has changed his perspective on life and outlook as he pursues success on the school’s soccer team.

Chase Matsumoto, a student at Pearl City High School on O‘ahu, shares a story about embarking upon a musical journey from playing the flute to composing sheet music on his laptop.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: WEDNESDAY, January 31, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 01/31/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Wednesday on the NewsHour, Big Tech executives are grilled by federal lawmakers, accusing them of failing to protect children online. Then, the U.S. blames a powerful Iran-backed militia in Iraq for the deadly attack on a U.S. base in Jordan as it prepares to strike back. Plus, a conservative critic of Donald Trump discusses what his possible renomination could mean for the GOP and the country.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: THURSDAY, February 1, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 02/01/24 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Thursday on the NewsHour, Defense Secretary Lloyd Austin holds his first press conference since his cancer treatment and the killing of American troops in Jordan. A look at swatting, the phenomenon of targeting someone's home by calling in fake reports that trigger a police response. Plus, a former Russian politician is forced to flee after publicly denouncing the war in Ukraine.

Series Title: INSIGHTS ON PBS HAWAI‘I  
Program Title: Has the Worker Shortage Problem Improved?  
Distributor: PBS Hawai‘i  
Date: 02/01/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: The unemployment rate in Hawai‘i is the lowest it has been in years but local businesses and the public sector continue to grapple with the challenge of finding and retaining workers. From entry level to highly skilled positions, the workforce shortage is impacting both the private and public employers. Join the conversation on the workforce shortage problem.

Guests:

Tina Yamaki – President, Retail Merchants of Hawaii

Sherry Menor-McNamara – President/CEO, Chamber of Commerce Hawaii

Gemma Weinstein – President, UNITE HERE Local 5

Carl Bonham – Executive Director, Professor of Economics, University of Hawai‘i Economic Research Organization



Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: FRIDAY, February 2, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 02/02/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Friday on the NewsHour, the United States strikes Iranian-backed militias in Iraq and Syria in retaliation for a deadly attack on American troops. A stronger than expected jobs report shows the resiliency of the economy but raises concerns that the Fed might not lower interest rates soon. Plus, Rep. Clyburn discusses President Biden's support among Black voters ahead of the South Carolina primary.

Series Title: PBS NEWS WEEKEND  
Program Title: SATURDAY, February 3, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 02/03/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: Saturday on PBS News Weekend, the latest developments as the U.S. launches retaliatory strikes against Iran-backed militias in the Middle East. Then, after deepfake explicit images of Taylor Swift surfaced on social media, pressure grows on Congress to take action. Plus, as coral reefs around the world disappear, conservationists take drastic measures to preserve what remains.

Series Title: PBS NEWS WEEKEND  
Program Title: SUNDAY, February 4, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 02/04/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: Sunday on PBS News Weekend, the U.S. promises further retaliation for the killing of American troops in Jordan. How upcoming elections in Pakistan and other South Asian countries are testing democracy in the region. After the release of the Epstein files, we examine the challenges in policing sex trafficking..

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: MONDAY, February 5, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 02/05/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Monday on the NewsHour, a bipartisan Senate deal to fund border security, Israel and Ukraine looks like a no-go after House Speaker Johnson says it's "dead on arrival." Secretary of State Blinken returns to the Middle East to push for a truce and release of hostages held in Gaza. Plus, delays in Donald Trump's insurrection case push his court dates further into election season.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: TUESDAY, February 6, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 02/06/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Tuesday on the NewsHour, a court rejects Trump's claim of immunity with major implications for his election interference case. The mother of a Michigan school shooter is convicted in a trial that questioned whether parents could be held criminally responsible for their children's actions. Plus, a look at the slow-moving recovery in Turkey and Syria one year after a devastating earthquake.

Series Title: HIKI NŌ on PBS Hawai'i  
Program Title: #1510  
Distributor: PBS Hawai'i  
Date: 02/06/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: In this episode of HIKI NŌ on PBS Hawai'i, host Koen-Zae Walker, an 8th grader at Hawai'i Preparatory Academy, shares multiple Student Reflection videos from his classmates' HIKI NŌ class project along with other stories from Hawai'i's New Wave of Storytellers.

Walker's Student Reflection piece about finding a new sport after saying goodbye to an old one due to safety reasons.

Also from Hawai'i Preparatory Academy on the Big Island, Umi Radcliffe Suzuki, shares a Student Reflection about learning to make friends in her second home, Japan, and Khloe Nakagawa speaks about dedicating her life to hula and following in her mom's footsteps to become a competitive hula dancer.

Marcos Belloto Portes, a student at Waiākea High School on Hawai'i island, speaks about how he's kept his focus on his goal of becoming an actor and working in the film industry, even after moving across the globe.

Students at Ka'u High and Pahala Elementary School on Hawai'i Island tell viewers what it's like to battle anxiety at school.

H.P. Baldwin High School students on Maui share their profile story about a passionate basketball coach whose hearing impairment hasn't changed his love or ability to teach the sport.

To close the show, Hawai'i Preparatory Academy teachers Mellon Monello and Nicole Kūwalu Anakalea share their experience teaching the HIKI NO curriculum in a special HIKI NŌ Teacher Spotlight segment.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: WEDNESDAY, February 7, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 02/07/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Wednesday on the NewsHour, Senate Republicans block a major bipartisan border security deal. We ask Sen. Joe Manchin about what happens next. Israeli Prime Minister Netanyahu rejects Hamas' cease-fire terms and says "complete victory" is just months away. Plus, tensions remain high in Iraq as Shia militias regroup after widespread strikes by U.S. forces.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: THURSDAY, February 8, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 02/08/24 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Thursday on the NewsHour, Supreme Court justices appear to side with Donald Trump over Colorado's attempt to remove him from the state's primary ballot. The Justice Department says President Biden willfully withheld classified documents but it will not seek charges. Plus, a new report details the destruction of the Ukrainian city of Mariupol and accuses Russian forces of war crimes.

Series Title: INSIGHTS ON PBS HAWAI'I  
Program Title: Is the Illegal Fireworks Task Force Doing Enough?  
Distributor: PBS Hawai'i  
Date: 02/08/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Law enforcement teams have seized several dozen tons of illegal fireworks in the last year. Are the efforts paying off?  
Guests:  
Jordan Lowe, Hawai'i Department of Law Enforcement Director  
Maj. Mike Lambert, Honolulu Police Department  
Rep. David Tarnas (D), Judiciary Committee Chair  
Tiana Wilbur, Wai'anae Coast Neighborhood Board Interim Chair

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: FRIDAY, February 9, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 02/09/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Friday on the NewsHour, President Biden pushes back at the special counsel's comments on his mental fitness. A climate scientist's million dollar legal victory shines a light on conservatives' attacks on science. Plus, the father of a Palestinian American teenager killed in the West Bank remembers his son.

Series Title: PBS NEWS WEEKEND  
Program Title: SATURDAY, February 10, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 02/10/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: Saturday on PBS News Weekend, we examine the role that social media and tech companies are playing in the 2024 elections. Then, what a wave of German protests against the rise of the far-right means for the nation and its politics. Plus, how people in the disability community are navigating relationships and finding love.

Series Title: PBS NEWS WEEKEND  
Program Title: SUNDAY, February 11, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 02/11/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: Sunday on PBS News Weekend, as the gambling capital of the world prepares to host the 2024 Super Bowl, we look at the growing ties between pro sports and sports betting companies. Then, what's behind a nationwide surge in syphilis cases and what can be done to reverse the trend. Plus, writer and filmmaker Curtis Chin reflects on what he learned growing up in his family's Chinese restaurant.

Series Title: PBS NEWS HOUR  
Program Title: MONDAY, February 12, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 02/12/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Monday on the NewsHour, a look at the aftermath of the Israeli raid that rescued two hostages but killed dozens of Palestinians in the process. Donald Trump's positions grow more extreme with him advocating for mass deportation and encouraging Russia to attack NATO allies if they don't pay up. Plus, both parties work to turn out New York voters to fill the seat of expelled Rep. George Santos.

Series Title: PBS NEWS HOUR  
Program Title: TUESDAY, February 13, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 02/13/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Tuesday on the NewsHour, the Senate passes a bipartisan bill for aid to Israel and Ukraine but hardline immigration politics threaten its future in the House. Doctors sound the alarm about a cheap and easy to find drug known as "gas station heroin." Plus, fresh off re-election, the president of El Salvador continues his gang crackdown which fueled mass arrests and concerns about democracy.

Series Title: HIKI NŌ on PBS Hawai‘i  
Program Title: #1511  
Distributor: PBS Hawai‘i  
Date: 02/13/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: In this episode of HIKI NŌ on PBS Hawai‘i, discover the talent of Hawai‘i’s New Wave of Storytellers and go behind the scenes as they experience the second annual SHOOTs Summit Hawai‘i 2024, a statewide student media conference and contest.

The SHOOTs Summit attracted a record of more than 400 students along with dozens of teachers, chaperones, and volunteers from elementary, middle and high schools from O‘ahu, Maui, Kaua‘i and Hawai‘i Island.

The event was organized by the teachers of Hawaii Creative Media.

There were 24 contest categories at this year’s event, including broadcast news segment, music video, animation, commercial and promotional video, short film, silent film, Public Service Announcement, and even a weather report category. Students also tested their skills in still photography, portraits and vlogs.

HIKI NŌ on PBS Hawai‘i provided several professional mentors and staff to conduct educational breakout sessions about journalism, video production and storytelling.

This special episode is hosted by Mari Iwata, a senior at Waiākea High School on Hawai‘i Island, who shares some of the award winning work that was produced during the conference.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: WEDNESDAY, February 14, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 02/14/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Wednesday on the NewsHour, a top congressional intelligence leader issues an urgent warning about a national security threat. The political fallout from the historic impeachment of Homeland Security Secretary Mayorkas. Plus, in this consequential election year, Judy Woodruff visits a mock presidential convention to hear what young voters think about the candidates and the nation's deep divisions.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: THURSDAY, February 15, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 02/15/24 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Thursday on the NewsHour, Kansas City reels after a deadly shooting at its Super Bowl celebration parade. A New York judge denies former President Trump's request

to delay a criminal case that stems from hush money paid to an adult film star. Plus, shelling and air strikes between Israel and Hezbollah escalate, endangering civilians living near the border with Lebanon.

Series Title: INSIGHTS ON PBS HAWAI‘I  
Program Title: Are We Doing Enough to Prevent Wildfires?  
Distributor: PBS Hawai‘i  
Date: 02/15/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Heavy rain fueled grassland growth early in the current wet season. As dry El Niño weather takes over, what are we doing to prevent wildfires?  
Guests:  
Rep. Linda Ichiyama (D), Fort Shafter Flats, Salt Lake, Pearl Harbor, Co-Chair, State House Wildfire Prevention Working Group  
Elizabeth Pickett, Co-Executive Director, Hawai‘i Wildfire Management Organization  
Mike Walker, State Protection Forester, State Division of Forestry and Wildlife Department of Land and Natural Resources  
Samantha DeCorte, Nānākuli-Mā‘ili Neighborhood Board

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: FRIDAY, February 16, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 02/16/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Friday on the NewsHour, Russian opposition leader Alexei Navalny’s death sparks global outcry. Also: The U.S. tries to reassure NATO allies, a judge hands down millions in penalties for Donald Trump in his civil fraud case, Secretary Buttigieg on one year since a toxic train derailment, Brooks and Capehart analyze the week’s political news, Iowa’s Caitlin Clark breaks an NCAA record and more.

Series Title: PBS NEWS WEEKEND  
Program Title: SATURDAY, February 17, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 02/17/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: Saturday on PBS News Weekend, Egypt’s foreign minister discusses the effect Israel’s war in Gaza is having on its neighbors and hopes for a cease-fire. Then, from France to India, why farmers around the world are protesting against climate change policies, red tape and crop prices. Plus, how increasingly frequent space launches are affecting the Earth’s atmosphere.

Series Title: PBS NEWS WEEKEND  
Program Title: SUNDAY, February 18, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 02/18/2024 6:30:00 PM

Length: 30  
Description: Sunday on PBS News Weekend, we look at why eating disorders are affecting more and more adolescent boys. Then, what the Biden administration is doing to tackle hidden fees that are hitting low-income families the hardest. Plus, the often misunderstood legacy of the Black Panther Party and its influence on today's struggle for civil rights.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: MONDAY, February 19, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 02/19/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Monday on the NewsHour, Alexei Navalny's widow accuses the Kremlin of covering up her husband's death and vows to continue his fight for a free Russia. Then, Poland's foreign minister discusses the war in Ukraine and the impact Congress is having by withholding U.S. support. Plus, the conservative group behind claims of illegal ballot stuffing in Georgia's 2020 election admits it has no evidence.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: TUESDAY, February 20, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 02/20/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Tuesday on the NewsHour, Wikileaks founder Julian Assange makes a last-ditch attempt to avoid extradition to the U.S. on spying charges. Then, Taiwan's top diplomat in Washington discusses the island's relations with the U.S. as both confront China. Plus, we look at the presidential race as President Biden breaks a fundraising record and Nikki Haley tries to gain ground on Donald Trump.

Series Title: HIKI NŌ on PBS Hawai'i  
Program Title: #1512  
Distributor: PBS Hawai'i  
Date: 02/20/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: In this episode of HIKI NŌ on PBS Hawai'i, watch some of the most memorable student work from the most recent Winter round of shows produced by Hawai'i's New Wave of Storytellers.

Jadynn-Kalena Young, a student at Pearl City High School on O'ahu, contributes an artistic and thoughtful Student Reflection about how hula has shaped her life.

Students at Wai'anae High School on O'ahu explore how the Hawaiian Makahiki season and traditions are preserved and celebrated in modern times and what it means to local Native Hawaiians.

Luke Vincent and his classmate, Eli O'Meara, 8th graders at Hawai'i Preparatory Academy on Hawai'i island, each contribute their own Student Reflection videos about discovering passions and staying true to themselves.

A HIKI NŌ "Did You Know" segment from McKinley High School on O'ahu explores what the community is doing to address the major sludge in the Ala Wai Canal on O'ahu.

Waiākea High School's Marcos Belloto Portes, a 10th grader, describes his move to the islands from Brazil and why he is sticking with his passion of acting and filmmaking.

Tatiana Plunkett, who attends Wai'anae Intermediate School on O'ahu, shares her personal story about the trials of returning to her favorite sport, soccer, after a hiatus during the peak of the COVID-19 pandemic.

Students at Wai'anae Intermediate School also contribute a story about a mother-daughter baking duo who raised thousands of dollars for people who were affected by the 2023 wildfires on Maui.

Students at Moanalua High School on O'ahu profile a student athlete who is a dual threat in both volleyball and chess and H.P. Baldwin High School students on Maui profile a beloved local basketball coach with an inspirational story.

This episode is hosted by Mari Iwata, a senior at Waiākea High School on Hawai'i Island.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: WEDNESDAY, February 21, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 02/21/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Wednesday on the NewsHour, the Supreme Court considers the Biden administration's plan to reduce pollution drifting between states. A key informant in the investigation of Hunter Biden is accused of lying and having ties to Russia. Plus, the future of the U.N. humanitarian aid agency in Gaza hangs in the balance after allegations some employees helped with Hamas' Oct. 7 attack.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: THURSDAY, February 22, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 02/22/24 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Thursday on the NewsHour, continued Israeli airstrikes flatten parts of Rafah as negotiators make progress for a cease-fire in Gaza. The fight over spending on Capitol Hill intensifies, pushing the country ever closer to a government shutdown. Plus, the state of the war in Ukraine nearly two years into Russia's invasion.



Series Title: INSIGHTS ON PBS HAWAI‘I  
Program Title: Maui Recovery Efforts  
Distributor: PBS Hawai‘i  
Date: 02/22/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Six months ago, wildfires on Maui killed 100 people and destroyed thousands of homes and businesses, mostly in Lahaina. As slow-paced cleanup efforts continue, many survivors are still looking for long-term housing. The Legislature vowed to make Lahaina a priority this session.  
Guests:  
Sen. Angus McKelvey (D) – West Maui, Mā‘alaea, Waikapū, South Maui  
Archie Kalepa, Lele Aloha  
Michelle Gordon, West Maui Hotel Worker

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: FRIDAY, February 23, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 02/23/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Friday on the NewsHour, on the second anniversary of Russia's invasion of Ukraine, we speak to a top State Department official and a Ukrainian soldier about the state of the war. The boyfriend of a dual Russian-American citizen speaks out after she was arrested in Russia. Plus, with Nikki Haley struggling to close the gap with Donald Trump, a look ahead to the South Carolina Republican primary.

Series Title: PBS NEWS WEEKEND  
Program Title: SATURDAY, February 24, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 02/24/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: Saturday on PBS News Weekend, it's primary day for Republicans in South Carolina — how will the results affect Nikki Haley's fight for the presidential nomination? Then, as Ukraine marks the second anniversary of the war with Russia, we look at the effect of the conflict on its people and what lies ahead. Plus, the growing problem and health consequences of social disconnection and loneliness.

Series Title: PBS NEWS WEEKEND  
Program Title: SUNDAY, February 25, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 02/25/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 30

Description: Sunday on PBS News Weekend, we look at the state of health care for children of low-income families in Florida, and what a federal lawsuit could mean there and the rest of the country. Then, how vaccine hesitancy and misinformation are playing into rising rates of measles and COVID. Plus, the story of a Black midwife who served the community where she had been enslaved.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: MONDAY, February 26, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 02/26/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60

Description: Monday on the NewsHour, the latest on hostage negotiations and Israel's plan to evacuate Palestinian civilians before full-scale operations to eliminate Hamas in Rafah get underway. The Supreme Court hears arguments on whether social media platforms have First Amendment free speech rights. Plus, trials show a new asthma drug reduces dangerous reactions for those with severe food allergies.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: TUESDAY, February 27, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 02/27/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60

Description: Tuesday on the NewsHour, congressional leaders meet President Biden to negotiate a spending deal and stop the government shutting down. We hear from Michigan's Democratic party chair as voters head to the polls for the state's presidential primaries. Plus, outrage over the alleged murder of a Georgia woman by a Venezuelan migrant adds more heat to the debate over the politics of immigration.

Series Title: HIKI NŌ on PBS Hawai'i  
Program Title: #1513  
Distributor: PBS Hawai'i  
Date: 02/27/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 30

Description: In this episode of HIKI NŌ on PBS Hawai'i, find out which schools produced the winning entries of HIKI NŌ's 2024 Winter Challenge competition with host Nai'a Ka'aikaula, a Highlands Intermediate School 7th grader from O'ahu.

Usually students have weeks to work on projects for HIKI NŌ, and lots of help from our teachers and industry mentors. During seasonal HIKI NŌ Challenges, students are given five days to answer the call and find stories that meet the prompt.

For the 2024 HIKI NŌ on PBS Hawai‘i Winter Challenge, the call was for videos based on the prompt “Common Ground.”

HIKI NŌ Challenges are held three times a school year and provide students with the opportunity to review and learn HIKI NŌ production standards, test their skills, and get a taste for what it is like to produce work under professional deadlines.

The students model professional journalists and conduct interviews, capture footage and edit their stories without any hands-on help from teachers or HIKI NŌ’s industry professionals.

The winning stories’ scores were based on production and storytelling criteria as well as how they fit the prompt. Watch this episode of HIKI NŌ on PBS Hawai‘i to see the stories they unearthed.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: WEDNESDAY, February 28, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 02/28/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Wednesday on the NewsHour, the Supreme Court agrees to hear arguments on whether Donald Trump is immune from prosecution in the 2020 election interference case. Republican Mitch McConnell announces he's stepping down from Senate leadership after 17 years at the helm. Plus, the results of Michigan's presidential primary and the warning signs they contain for leading candidates of both parties.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: THURSDAY, February 29, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 02/29/24 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Thursday on the NewsHour, death and desperation in Gaza as more than a hundred people trying to pull food from an aid convoy are killed. President Biden and Donald Trump hold dueling events at the Texas border, showcasing conflicting immigration policies. Plus, women who have struggled to get pregnant share their experiences and views on the Alabama Supreme Court ruling that jeopardizes IVF.

Series Title: KAKOU: HAWAI‘I’S TOWN HALL  
Program Title: Artificial Intelligence: Embrace It or Fear it?  
Distributor: PBS Hawai‘i  
Date: 02/29/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 90  
Description: Artificial intelligence is here, whether we acknowledge it or not. Do you know what it is and what it can do?  
Guests:  
Kamuela Enos, Director of the University of Hawai‘i Office of Indigenous Knowledge & Innovation

Ryley Higa, Senior Machine Learning Engineer, Sumo Logic  
Deborah Morita, Hawai'i Technology Academy Teacher  
Al Ogata – Chief Executive Officer, CyberHawaii  
Ryan Ozawa, Journalist and Technologist  
David Pickett, Software Engineer, Purple Mai'a Foundation  
Scott Robertson, Professor and Chair, University of Hawai'i Information and Computer Sciences Department  
Liya Safina, Head of Digital Design and Innovation, Safina & Shekhtman, Inc  
Samantha Sneed – Director and Attorney, ES&A Law Corporation  
Clara Steele, Hilo High School Student  
Sean Watase, BlockStudio3 Founder

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: FRIDAY, March 1, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 03/01/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Friday on the NewsHour, thousands gather for the funeral of Russian opposition leader Alexei Navalny, defying the Kremlin and fears of a police crackdown. Four years after the first COVID death in the U.S., we speak to the CDC director about new guidance. Plus, a Nobel Peace Prize winner working to combat poverty in his home country of Bangladesh defends his reputation against corruption charges.

Series Title: PBS NEWS WEEKEND  
Program Title: SATURDAY, March 2, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 03/01/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: Saturday on PBS News Weekend, why support for crisis pregnancy centers is surging after the Supreme Court struck down Roe v. Wade. Then, with only two northern white rhinos left in the world, how a potential scientific breakthrough may help save the species from extinction. Plus, how a grieving mother was inspired to create an organization to provide bereavement care for families and children.

Series Title: PBS NEWS WEEKEND  
Program Title: SUNDAY, March 3, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 03/03/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: Sunday on PBS News Weekend, we look at how residents of Mexico City are managing a worsening water crisis. Then, while millions of people around the world struggle to find love, is artificial intelligence a sufficient substitute for the real thing? Plus, history-making performances in both college and professional basketball, from the sport's biggest stars.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: MONDAY, March 4, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 03/04/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Monday on the NewsHour, the Supreme Court rules that states cannot remove Donald Trump from their presidential ballots. Vice President Kamala Harris calls for an "immediate cease-fire" in Gaza as negotiations to release Israeli hostages held by Hamas falter. Plus, a look at how America's social safety net began, the political fights around it and who it serves nearly 90 years later.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: TUESDAY, March 5, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 03/05/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Tuesday on the NewsHour, voters in more than a dozen states cast ballots in Super Tuesday's primaries. Then, the loved ones of Israeli hostages captured by Hamas on Oct. 7 offer opposing perspectives on a resolution in Gaza. Plus, we look at what's behind the shocking increase in alcohol-related deaths in America and what can be done to counter the loss of life.

Series Title: HIKI NŌ on PBS Hawai‘i  
Program Title: #1507  
Distributor: PBS Hawai‘i  
Date: 03/05/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: In this episode of HIKI NŌ on PBS Hawai‘i, watch stories from HIKI NŌ students who recently took home national storytelling awards, learn from the newest segment of HIKI NŌ called, “Did You Know?” and witness the power of storytelling in a collection of more stories from Hawai‘i’s New Wave of Storytellers.

To open the show, students at Wai‘anae High School on O‘ahu share a story about how inflation affects their hometown grocery store. The student team received second place in the national Student Television Network, or STN, Challenge last November.

Students at Wai‘anae Intermediate School on O‘ahu share a HIKI NŌ “Did You Know?” piece about interesting research behind human and dog relationships. They also contribute a Student Reflection from a young athlete, Tatiana Plunkett, who has a story to tell about returning to her favorite sport after taking a break during the peak of the COVID pandemic.

At Moanalua High School on O‘ahu, students profile a fellow classmate who is a dual threat in both chess and volleyball. Their story received an honorable mention in the Sports Story category of the national STN Challenge contest in November 2023.

Reece Lustik, a student at Hawai‘i Preparatory Academy on Hawai‘i Island, tells the story of falling in love with the ocean after moving to the islands from the land-locked state of Colorado.

Jadynn-Kalena Young, a student at Pearl City High School on O‘ahu, shares her Student Reflection in which she explores how hula has shaped her identity and Chiefess Kamakahelei Middle School students on Kaua‘i explore their school’s namesake in a final “Did You Know?” special segment for HIKI NŌ.

After the credits, stick around for a special segment featuring Mr. John Allen III and senior Denise Cabrera, who make up part of the stellar HIKI NŌ team of storytellers at Wai‘anae High School on O‘ahu.

Pearl City High School freshman Sophia Santos, who has been involved with HIKI NŌ since she attended Highlands Intermediate School, hosts the show.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: WEDNESDAY, March 6, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 03/06/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Wednesday on the NewsHour, Nikki Haley ends her presidential run after former President Trump dominates Super Tuesday, setting up a rematch with Trump and President Biden. Then, we speak with White House Press Secretary Karine Jean-Pierre on the eve of President Biden's State of the Union address. Plus, residents of Texas towns destroyed in wildfires struggle with loss and the road to recovery.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: THURSDAY, March 7, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 03/07/24 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Thursday on the NewsHour, President Biden prepares to speak to Congress and the American people in his annual State of the Union address. Then, a cyberattack on the nation's biggest medical payment processing company cripples much of the U.S. health care system. Plus, the UK government proposes new legislation to punish those responsible for the rising racial tensions triggered by the war in Gaza.

Series Title: INSIGHTS ON PBS HAWAI‘I  
Program Title: What Can Be Done About Feral Chickens?  
Distributor: PBS Hawai‘i  
Date: 03/07/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: State lawmakers are considering several bills to address feral chickens in the islands. What do you think should be done?  
Guests:  
Rep. Scot Matayoshi (D) – Kāne‘ohe, Maunawili  
Kim Hashiro, Director – Department of Customer Services, City and County of Honolulu  
Matthew Kurano – Division Chief, Environmental Health Services, State Department of Health  
Mitchell Tynanes – ‘Ewa, West O‘ahu Resident

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: FRIDAY, March 8, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 03/08/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Friday on the NewsHour, the Senate races to pass a spending package and avoid a government shutdown. Why many Americans feel unhappy about the economy despite indicators that say it’s improving. Hungary’s far-right prime minister Viktor Orbán visits the U.S. and is meeting with Trump, but not Biden. Plus, the sound designer of “The Zone of Interest” discusses his Oscar-nominated work on the film.

Series Title: PBS NEWS WEEKEND  
Program Title: SATURDAY, March 9, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 03/09/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: Saturday on PBS News Weekend, after Trump’s commanding win on Super Tuesday, we look at the present and future of the Republican Party. Then, what the SAT going digital means for accessibility and the role of the test in college admissions. Plus, the daughter of Somali immigrants gives her Brief But Spectacular take on caring for refugees and immigrants who have survived violence.

Series Title: PBS NEWS WEEKEND  
Program Title: SUNDAY, March 10, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 03/10/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: Sunday on PBS News Weekend, ahead of the 96th annual Academy Awards, we look at the role and recognition of women in front of and behind the camera. Then, a new book examines the relationship between Saddam Hussein and the U.S. across four

administrations. Plus, what's behind the recent push for legislation that gives fetuses the legal rights of a person.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: MONDAY, March 11, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 03/11/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Monday on the NewsHour, we reported from Mexico's border with Guatemala where we meet migrants from around the world and a smuggler helping to move them to the United States. Regional leaders meet to discuss the crisis in Haiti as armed gangs expand their control, moving the beleaguered nation to the brink of collapse. Plus, a look at the bureaucratic burdens preventing some families living below the poverty line from accessing government aid.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: TUESDAY, March 12, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 03/12/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Tuesday on the NewsHour, we report from the U.S.-Mexico border, where migrant arrivals are straining resources and dividing communities on how to respond. A look at bipartisan legislation that could force TikTok's Chinese parent company to sell or face a nationwide ban. Plus, a look at how the illegal trafficking of high-caliber guns from the U.S. is helping to fuel the gang violence in Haiti.

Series Title: HIKI NŌ on PBS Hawai'i  
Program Title: #1508  
Distributor: PBS Hawai'i  
Date: 03/12/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description:

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: WEDNESDAY, March 13, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 03/13/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Wednesday on the NewsHour, a bipartisan majority in the house passes legislation that could result in a TikTok ban in the U.S. if its Chinese owners don't sell. The race for the White House is officially a rematch of 2020 after Biden and Trump clinch their parties' nominations. Plus, the dangerous journey migrant children take, many on their own, seeking safety in the U.S.



Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: THURSDAY, March 14, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 03/14/24 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Thursday on the NewsHour, we hear from the European Union's top diplomat on global efforts to get more aid into Gaza and to support Ukraine. A legal settlement allows Florida teachers and students to talk about LGBTQ+ issues, but some restrictions remain. Plus, the pregnancy struggles of both Israeli survivors of Oct. 7 and Gazans under siege.

Series Title: INSIGHTS ON PBS HAWAI'I  
Program Title: Hurricane Insurance for Condos  
Distributor: PBS Hawai'i  
Date: 03/14/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: When disaster happens, insurance kicks in to reimburse you for covered losses, but it comes at a cost. That's especially true for Hawai'i condominium owners who need hurricane insurance, especially if they have a mortgage. Insurance rates are rising as extreme weather and climate risks intensify here and around the country. Those mounting costs have led to hundreds of buildings in the state to be underinsured. What's being done to address the issue?  
Guests:  
Sue Savio – President, Insurance Associates  
Victor Brock – Legislative Chair, Hawai'i Mortgage Bankers Association  
Mike Golojuch – President, Palehua Townhouse Association  
Rep. Adrian Tam (D), Waikīkī

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: FRIDAY, March 15, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 03/15/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Friday on the NewsHour, a ruling in former President Trump's Georgia election interference case allows DA Fani Willis to stay on. Also: An exclusive interview with Secretary Mayorkas, hostage talks continue as an aid ship reaches Gaza, efforts to put a third-party candidate on the ballot, a new book on Jewish faith and identity, plus the political analysis of Brooks and Capehart.

Series Title: PBS NEWS WEEKEND  
Program Title: SATURDAY, March 16, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 03/16/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 30

Description: Saturday on PBS News Weekend, we examine the safety and reliability of helicopters after a string of fatal crashes. Then, the myth of plastic recycling and how the plastics industry knew for decades that it wasn't a viable solution. Plus, the human implications of a shark conservation success story off the coast of Cape Cod.

Series Title: PBS NEWS WEEKEND  
Program Title: SUNDAY, March 17, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 03/17/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 30

Description: Sunday on PBS News Weekend, with hundreds of thousands of Americans relying on Catholic hospitals, why some people are facing barriers to reproductive health care. Then, we look at concerns over declining support for LGBTQ+ rights, reversing years of increasing support. Plus, how pioneering chemist Stephanie Kwolek followed her passion and invented a revolutionary fiber.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: MONDAY, March 18, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 03/18/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60

Description: Monday on the NewsHour, Russian President Vladimir Putin extends his reign after securing a landslide but rigged seventh term. A look at former President Donald Trump's use of violent and discriminatory language. Plus, why federal housing assistance is shrinking at the same time rental prices, and homelessness, are at historic highs.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: TUESDAY, March 19, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 03/19/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60

Description: Tuesday on the NewsHour, an immigration ruling from the Supreme Court means Texas police can now arrest and deport migrants. Experts warn of famine in Gaza as Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu fights to keep his grip on power. Plus, how social media influencers are playing an outsized role in this presidential election.

Series Title: HIKI NŌ on PBS Hawai'i  
Program Title: #1509  
Distributor: PBS Hawai'i  
Date: 03/19/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 30

Description: In this episode of HIKI NŌ on PBS Hawai‘i, host Liana Doppman, an 8th grader at Hawai‘i Preparatory Academy, shares multiple Student Reflection videos from her classmates’ HIKI NŌ class project along with other stories from Hawai‘i’s New Wave of Storytellers.

From Hawai‘i Preparatory Academy on the Big Island, three 8th graders share their experiences and journeys of what it is like to be young in today’s world.

The HIKI NŌ Student Reflections come from Eli O‘Meara, who shares a personal story about finding the right support system when navigating difficult situations and hateful interactions, Arlo Sprio, who speaks about moving to Hawai‘i and finding a fresh start after dealing with bullying at another school in California, and Luke Vincent, who shares the piece he produced about discovering the importance of native Hawaiian fish.

From Waiākea High School on Hawai‘i, Austin Hocson shares a Student Reflection about how a scary diagnosis he received when he was young has changed his perspective on life and outlook as he pursues success on the school’s soccer team.

Chase Matsumoto, a student at Pearl City High School on O‘ahu, shares a story about embarking upon a musical journey from playing the flute to composing sheet music on his laptop.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: WEDNESDAY, March 20, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 03/20/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Wednesday on the NewsHour, legal limbo on the southern border after an appeals court puts a Texas law allowing police to arrest and deport migrants back on hold. Congress and the White House reach a deal to fund the government, but will it pass before a shutdown? Plus, a look at some of the down-ballot results from Tuesday's primary elections.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: THURSDAY, March 21, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 03/21/24 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Thursday on the NewsHour, the Justice Department and 16 state attorneys general sue Apple for maintaining a monopoly. With a vote to avoid a government shutdown set for Friday, House Speaker Mike Johnson works to keep his chaotic majority intact. Plus, an Arizona lawmaker talks about why she publicly announced her decision to terminate her non-viable pregnancy.

Series Title: INSIGHTS ON PBS HAWAI‘I  
Program Title: Domestic Violence: Do Protective Orders Work?  
Distributor: PBS Hawai‘i  
Date: 03/21/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: What is the best way to protect people in abusive situations from their abuser? Police believe ex-partners killed two women on two islands recently. Both victims had gone through the process of securing protective orders issued by the courts. But that wasn’t enough. What more can the system and the community do to protect those at risk.  
Guests:  
Monique Ibarra – CEO, Domestic Violence Action Center  
Jessi Hall, State Family Court Judge  
Detective Alan Lu – Honolulu Police Department  
Chantrelle Wai‘alae – Family Law Attorney, Pu‘uhonua ‘o Ka ‘Uluhehua

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: FRIDAY, March 22, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 03/22/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Friday on the NewsHour, Congress works to avoid a partial government shutdown, but could it cost House Speaker Johnson his gavel? Princess Kate announces she has cancer after weeks of speculation about her health. Plus, the first Muslim nominated to be on the federal appeals court hits a roadblock with both Republicans and Democrats voicing concerns.

Series Title: PBS NEWS WEEKEND  
Program Title: SATURDAY, March 23, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 03/23/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: Saturday on PBS News Weekend, the deadliest massacre in Russia in decades leaves the country on edge, just days after President Putin was re-elected. Then, we look at working conditions for migrant farm workers and the role they play in U.S. economic growth. Plus, how the residents of a small Wisconsin town are dealing with a surge of migrants.

Series Title: PBS NEWS WEEKEND  
Program Title: SUNDAY, March 24, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 03/24/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: Sunday on PBS News Weekend, with the Supreme Court set to hear arguments Tuesday in a case about mifepristone, we look at the ways the executive branch can shape reproductive rights and abortion access in post-Roe America. Then, as a cease-fire remains

elusive, what the Israel-Hamas war is doing to education in Gaza. Plus, fears of a wider regional conflict rise as fighting in the Congo worsens.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: MONDAY, March 25, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 03/25/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Monday on the NewsHour, the rift between the U.S. and Israel widens due to a United Nations resolution demanding a cease-fire in Gaza. Former President Trump gets a break on his multi-million dollar bond while he appeals a civil fraud ruling. Plus, how a pandemic-era child tax credit lifted some families out of poverty, but only temporarily.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: TUESDAY, March 26, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 03/26/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Tuesday on the NewsHour, a Baltimore bridge collapses after being struck by a container ship. Reproductive rights are back before the Supreme Court with access to a commonly used abortion pill at stake. Plus, Israel's defense minister meets his American counterpart in Washington as the two nations are increasingly at odds over the war in Gaza.

Series Title: HIKI NŌ on PBS Hawai'i  
Program Title: #1510  
Distributor: PBS Hawai'i  
Date: 03/26/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: In this episode of HIKI NŌ on PBS Hawai'i, host Koen-Zae Walker, an 8th grader at Hawai'i Preparatory Academy, shares multiple Student Reflection videos from his classmates' HIKI NŌ class project along with other stories from Hawai'i's New Wave of Storytellers.

Walker's Student Reflection piece about finding a new sport after saying goodbye to an old one due to safety reasons.

Also from Hawai'i Preparatory Academy on the Big Island, Umi Radcliffe Suzuki, shares a Student Reflection about learning to make friends in her second home, Japan, and Khloe Nakagawa speaks about dedicating her life to hula and following in her mom's footsteps to become a competitive hula dancer.

Marcos Belloto Portes, a student at Waiākea High School on Hawai'i island, speaks about how he's kept his focus on his goal of becoming an actor and working in the film industry, even after moving across the globe.

Students at Ka‘u High and Pahala Elementary School on Hawai‘i Island tell viewers what it’s like to battle anxiety at school.

H.P. Baldwin High School students on Maui share their profile story about a passionate basketball coach whose hearing impairment hasn’t changed his love or ability to teach the sport.

To close the show, Hawai‘i Preparatory Academy teachers Mellon Monello and Nicole Kūwalu Anakalea share their experience teaching the HIKI NO curriculum in a special HIKI NŌ Teacher Spotlight segment.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: WEDNESDAY, March 27, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 03/27/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Wednesday on the NewsHour, investigators try to understand what went wrong leading up to the deadly Baltimore bridge collapse. A look at the tenuous nature of Trump’s newest business venture, turning his social media platform into a publicly traded company. Plus, a normally raucous holiday in Israel turns somber as families reflect on the war in Gaza and the loss of loved ones.

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: THURSDAY, March 28, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 03/28/24 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Thursday on the NewsHour, disgraced cryptocurrency mogul Sam Bankman-Fried is sentenced to 25 years in prison for defrauding investors. The sister of the American journalist jailed in Russia for a year speaks out about his detention. Plus, the legacy and impact of the late senator and vice presidential nominee Joe Lieberman.

Series Title: INSIGHTS ON PBS HAWAI‘I  
Program Title: Are Owners Held Accountable When Dogs Attack?  
Distributor: PBS Hawai‘i  
Date: 03/28/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Dogs killed two people in Hawai‘i within the last year. Are owners held accountable when their animals kill or maim others?  
Guests:  
Rep. Chris Todd (D) – House District 3 (Hilo-Kea‘au)  
Matthew Runnells – Administrator, Hawai‘i County Animal Control & Protection Agency  
Ashley Kierkiewicz – Hawai‘i County Council member (Puna)

Series Title: PBS NEWSHOUR  
Program Title: FRIDAY, March 29, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 03/29/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Friday on the NewsHour, efforts to curb carbon emissions turn to heavy industries, like cement and steel, that greatly contribute to climate change. Gang violence in Haiti displaces hundreds of thousands of people and traps Americans trying to flee. Plus, a new investigation details how police tactics meant only to stop people often end up killing them.

Series Title: PBS NEWS WEEKEND  
Program Title: SATURDAY, March 30, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 03/30/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: Saturday on PBS News Weekend, three UN observers and a Lebanese interpreter were wounded in an explosion near the border between Lebanon and Israel, Ukrainian President Zelenskyy fired more top aides in his ongoing government reshuffle, Peruvian President Boluarte's home was raided amid a luxury watch investigation, and Pope Francis presided over an Easter Vigil service in St. Peter's Basilica.

Series Title: PBS NEWS WEEKEND  
Program Title: SUNDAY, March 31, 2024  
Distributor: PBS  
Date: 03/31/2024 6:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: Sunday on PBS News Weekend, why more Americans are saying that religion is losing influence in public life. Then, we look at Georgia's unique and controversial program to expand Medicaid coverage, but only for those who meet a work requirement. Plus, a Brief But Spectacular look at vanishing structures throughout rural America.

## CULTURE & ARTS

### JANUARY

Series Title: NĀ MELE

Program Title: Paula Fuga

Distributor: PBS Hawai'i

Date: 01/01/2024 7:30:00 PM

Length: 30

Description: Paula Fuga took a break from touring the world to share that remarkable gift on the Nā Mele stage. Accompanied by an all-star band including Mike Love and Brad Watanabe from The Green, Paula performs songs from her catalogue and her 2022 Nā Hōkū Hanohano award winning album for Contemporary Album of the Year, *Rain on Sunday*.

Series Title: PBS HAWAI'I CLASSICS

Program Title: #220

Distributor: PBS Hawai'i

Date: 01/03/2024 7:30:00 PM

Length: 30

Description: In the Path of Kīlauea

Series Title: PBS HAWAI'I PRESENTS

Program Title: Hawaiiiana

Distributor: PBS Hawai'i

Date: 01/04/2024 8:30:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: Aunt Nona Beamer tells her own story along with family members, and describes the very best of all things Hawaiian: the people, their knowledge, culture, wisdom and aloha.

Series Title: NĀ MELE

Program Title: Keola Beamer, Nona Beamer and Moana Beamer

Distributor: PBS Hawai'i

Date: 01/08/2024 7:30:00 PM

Length: 30

Description: A vintage in-studio concert, Keola Beamer plays alongside his mother, the late Aunt Nona Beamer and his wife, Moana Beamer.

Series Title: PBS HAWAI'I CLASSICS

Program Title: #221



Distributor: PBS Hawai'i  
Date: 01/10/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: The Old Waiohai Hotel

Series Title: PBS HAWAI'I PRESENTS  
Program Title: Kai Piha: Nā Loko I'a  
Distributor: PBS Hawai'i  
Date: 01/11/2024 8:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: For centuries, loko i'a, or fishponds, were a vital part of the Native Hawaiian food system, connecting freshwater sources to the ocean, using rock-wall enclosures to raise and eventually harvest fish. In recent decades, there has been a resurgence of this indigenous way of aquafarming. looks at how four fishponds on O'ahu are being restored.

Series Title: NĀ MELE  
Program Title: Kulāiwi  
Distributor: PBS Hawai'i  
Date: 01/15/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: Three of Hawai'i's most talented musicians come together in this Nā Mele. Lehua Kalima Alvarez of Na Leo Pilimehana, along with Kawika Kahiapo and Shawn Kekoa Pimental, have teamed up to create the group, Kulāiwi.

Series Title: PBS HAWAI'I CLASSICS  
Program Title: #222  
Distributor: PBS Hawai'i  
Date: 01/17/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: Scots, Small Presses, St. Andrew's Bells

Series Title: PBS HAWAI'I PRESENTS  
Program Title: The Queen's Influence – The Vanishing Culture of Hiko in Tonga  
Distributor: PBS Hawai'i  
Date: 01/18/2024 8:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Why do all the women in Tonga know how to juggle? Filmmaker Paprika Leaverton explores the origins of the native juggling art known as "hiko" and how it was revived by one of Tonga's most revered monarchs. The film also takes a closer look at the country's gender and power dynamics and how hiko is helping to empower women in a male-dominated society.

Series Title: NĀ MELE  
Program Title: The Art of Solo 'Ukulele  
Distributor: PBS Hawai'i  
Date: 01/22/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: This episode from 2000 features the artistry of 'ukulele maestros Byron Yasui, Benny Chong, Gordon Mark, Blane Kanno and Jake Shimabukuro.

Series Title: PBS HAWAI'I CLASSICS  
Program Title: #223  
Distributor: PBS Hawai'i  
Date: 01/24/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: John Topolinski Hālau Ka Pā Hula Hawai'i

Series Title: PBS HAWAI'I PRESENTS  
Program Title: Homegrown Hawai'i  
Distributor: PBS Hawai'i  
Date: 01/25/2024 9:00:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: Homegrown Hawai'i investigates why Hawai'i imports an estimated 85 to 90 percent of the food consumed here and asks, "Can we reverse this?" Farmers and ranchers from all four counties and reveal the risks, challenges and rewards of farming and ranching in Hawai'i.

Series Title: NĀ MELE  
Program Title: Kamakakēhau Fernandez  
Distributor: PBS Hawai'i  
Date: 01/29/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: Born in Little Rock, Arkansas and adopted by a Maui family when he was an infant, singer Kamakakēhau Fernandez grew up immersed in the Hawaiian culture.

Series Title: HOME IS HERE  
Program Title: Hawaii Theatre, Hurt 100  
Distributor: PBS Hawai'i  
Date: 01/31/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 30

Description: This month's episode of Home is Here features two stories that are grand in very different ways. We begin at the edge of Chinatown in Downtown Honolulu at the historic Hawaii Theatre. Our second story is not for the faint of heart. Tens of thousands of Hawai'i residents have participated in the 26.2-mile Honolulu Marathon. But how many people can say they've completed the HURT100?

Series Title: PBS HAWAI'I PRESENTS

Program Title: PROOF OF LOYALTY: Kazuo Yamane and the Nisei Soldiers of Hawai'i

Distributor: PBS Hawai'i

Date: 02/01/2024 8:30:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: Kazuo Yamane and the Nisei Soldiers of Hawai'i tells the story of a Japanese American who played a crucial strategic role in World War II.

Series Title: NĀ MELE

Program Title: Melveen Leed

Distributor: PBS Hawai'i

Date: 02/05/2024 7:30:00 PM

Length: 30

Description: Singer Melveen Leed takes the stage to share her deep roots in traditional Hawaiian mele.

Series Title: PBS HAWAI'I CLASSICS

Program Title: #224

Distributor: PBS Hawai'i

Date: 02/07/2024 7:30:00 PM

Length: 30

Description: Trio of Island Arts

Series Title: PBS HAWAI'I PRESENTS

Program Title: Voices Behind Barbed Wire: Stories from Hawai'i

Distributor: PBS Hawai'i

Date: 02/08/2024 9:00:00 PM

Length: 30

Description: Eighty years ago in February 1942, President Franklin D. Roosevelt signed Executive Order 9066, which resulted in the establishment of internment camps for people of Japanese ancestry. Relocation centers were stationed throughout the country with several in Hawai'i on multiple islands. This film that shares untold first-hand accounts of Hawai'i residents and their experiences of being detained during World War II.

Series Title: NĀ MELE  
Program Title: Waipuna  
Distributor: PBS Hawai'i  
Date: 02/12/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: Enjoy selections from Waipuna's first album, Mana'o Pili to their fourth E Mau Ke Aloha.

Series Title: PBS HAWAI'I CLASSICS  
Program Title: #225  
Distributor: PBS Hawai'i  
Date: 02/14/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: Moloka'i: Kanikapila

Series Title: PBS HAWAI'I PRESENTS  
Program Title: Removed by Force: The Eviction of Hawai'i's Japanese Americans During World War II  
Distributor: PBS Hawai'i  
Date: 02/15/2024 9:00:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: Removed by Force: The Eviction of Hawai'i's Japanese Americans During World II. The film sheds light on the relatively unknown experiences of the 1,500 Americans of Japanese ancestry from 23 geographic areas in Hawai'i who were evicted, but not interned, during World War II.

Series Title: NĀ MELE  
Program Title: Raiatea Helm  
Distributor: PBS Hawai'i  
Date: 02/19/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: Raiatea Helm performs and talks about her influences, recordings and responsibilities as a Hawaiian artist.

Series Title: PBS HAWAI'I CLASSICS  
Program Title: #225  
Distributor: PBS Hawai'i  
Date: 02/21/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: Kaua'i

Series Title: PBS HAWAI'I PRESENTS  
Program Title: The Adventures of SUPER CW  
Distributor: PBS Hawai'i  
Date: 02/22/2024 8:30:00 PM  
Length: 60

Description: People described Christa Wittmier as an inspiration, a rock star, a force to be reckoned with. She headlined the social scene of the era through her work as a club DJ as well as a blogger, photographer and columnist. Yet, her lasting legacy may be her battle against cancer.

Series Title: NĀ MELE  
Program Title: Cyril Pahinui and Peter Moon Jr.  
Distributor: PBS Hawai'i  
Date: 02/26/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: Cyril Pahinui and Peter Moon Jr. perform.

Series Title: HOME IS HERE  
Program Title: Sumida Farm, Kodama Koi Farm, Mina's Fish House Sommeliers  
Distributor: PBS Hawai'i  
Date: 02/28/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: Two farms raising very different products—one to eat and one to cherish—and fish masters who share their expertise with hungry consumers are the stories in this Home is Here.

Series Title: PBS HAWAI'I PRESENTS  
Program Title: Our Makawao  
Distributor: PBS Hawai'i  
Date: 02/29/2024 9:00:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: This film recounts the diverse history of the rich, fertile area on the slopes of Haleakalā from the days before Western contact to the present. The film weaves together stories from dozens of Upcountry residents who lived and worked on the sugar and pineapple plantations; paniolos who made a living raising cattle; and long-time merchants and historians who call Makawao home.

Series Title: NĀ MELE  
Program Title: Genoa Keawe & Family  
Distributor: PBS Hawai'i  
Date: 03/04/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: The late Aunty Genoa Keawe, beloved for her aloha spirit and her legendary falsetto singing, was joined in this performance by her sons and grandchildren to kani ka pila in

the old-time, good-fun family way. Aunty Genoa plays with sons Eric K. Keawe on guitar and vocals, Arthur Keawe on ukulele and vocals, and Gary Keawe Aiko on upright bass and vocals. Granddaughter Pomaika'i Keawe performs on ukulele and vocals. Two other granddaughters, Kawahineu'iokalani and Sanoe Keawe, provide hula artistry.

Series Title: PBS HAWAI'I CLASSICS  
Program Title: #226  
Distributor: PBS Hawai'i  
Date: 03/06/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: Making Portuguese Bread in Makawao

Series Title: PBS HAWAI'I PRESENTS  
Program Title: The History of the Sons of Hawai'i  
Distributor: PBS Hawai'i  
Date: 03/07/2024 8:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: This 80 minute feature length documentary, tells the story of a charismatic band. Spanning forty years of Hawai'i's rich musical tradition, the film offer an intimate look at a unique group of performers and composers, their songs, their humor, their devotion to a sound that continues to convey something essential about the Hawaiian spirit.

Series Title: NĀ MELE  
Program Title: Ledward Kaapana and Family  
Distributor: PBS Hawai'i  
Date: 03/11/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: This special Nā Mele features Ledward and his sisters Lei Aken, Lehua Nash and Rhoda Kekona, playing their music in Ledward's garage. Ledward's falsetto voice leads off with "Nani," and Lei, Lehua and Rhoda take vocal solos on "Kaneohe," "Kalapana" and "Holei."

Series Title: PBS HAWAI'I CLASSICS  
Program Title: #227  
Distributor: PBS Hawai'i  
Date: 03/13/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: Girl Scouting in Hawai'i, Hawaiian Music Hall of Fame, Tomb Treasures from China

Series Title: PBS HAWAI'I PRESENTS  
Program Title: Keep It a Secret  
Distributor: WORLD

Date: 03/14/2024 8:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Keep It a Secret recounts the inspiring true story of the dawn of Irish surfing and how the sport's brave pioneers found peace in the surf during the most violent years of The Troubles conflict.

Series Title: NĀ MELE  
Program Title: George Kahumoku Jr.  
Distributor: PBS Hawai'i  
Date: 03/18/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: In this vintage performance, one of Hawai'i's most celebrated slack key guitar players, George Kahumoku Jr., plays a selection of songs including: "36 Mile Marker," "Ho'okupa" and "Hi'ilawe."

Series Title: PBS HAWAI'I CLASSICS  
Program Title: #228  
Distributor: PBS Hawai'i  
Date: 03/20/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: Seniors Teaching Kids and Gardening on Kaua'i

Series Title: PBS HAWAI'I PRESENTS  
Program Title: Reel Wāhine of Hawai'i 4  
Distributor: PBS Hawai'i  
Date: 03/21/2024 8:30:00 PM  
Length: 60  
Description: Produced by Hawai'i Women in Filmmaking, profiles six women who have made or are making a difference in the local film industry. The film is a collection of shorts. The stories are not only about women, they are created, directed, written, and edited by women. The camera and sound crews are women. Each director also mentored young women in the making of the film.

Series Title: NĀ MELE  
Program Title: Ahumanu  
Distributor: PBS Hawai'i  
Date: 03/25/2024 7:30:00 PM  
Length: 30  
Description: We're proud to present the all-wāhine Hawaiian music trio Ahumanu, from Maui. Members Kekai Robinson, Marja Lehua Apisaloma and Liz Morales say their work in the community outside the entertainment realm brings to their music a dimension of authenticity, service and responsibility. The trio, whose name translates to "a gathering of birds," performs

songs including “E ‘Ano ‘Ano Ē” and “Kahi Aloha.” Guitarist Josh Kahula and steel guitarist Casey Olsen are also featured, with Leina‘ala Kuloloio Vedder providing hula accompaniment.

Series Title: HOME IS HERE

Program Title: Hawai‘i Walls

Distributor: PBS Hawai‘i

Date: 03/27/2024 7:30:00 PM

Length: 30

Description: The Hawai‘i Walls festival started in 2011 under the name Pow!Wow! Hawai‘i. Jasper Wong came back home to Hawai‘i from Hong Kong and wanted to create an event where artists from diverse backgrounds and communities could come together and create art in the public sphere.

Series Title: PBS HAWAI‘I PRESENTS

Program Title: This is Kohala

Distributor: PBS Hawai‘i

Date: 03/28/2024 8:30:00 PM

Length: 30

Description:

The Kohala Oral History Project began in 2019 when Lucas Manuel- Scheibe recorded the stories of his 80-year-old grandmother, Martina Manuel, a long-time resident of Kohala. With the help of his mother, Jocelyn Manuel, Lucas set out to film more of the “old timers.” The interviews were assembled for the film. In it, you’ll hear the stories about growing up in the plantation camps and the simple life that was enjoyed.