

## Quarterly Issues/Program List for KCTS 9 Public Television For the period of July - September 2015

(The following are selected examples of representative issues and programs)

### 1. Abortion

*To the Contrary with Bonnie Erbe* (Interview/Discussion/Review ½ hour)

Panelists discuss the Pope's announcement on abortions and sexual assault surveys accuracy.

*Airdate: 9/5 @ 5:00pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*PBS NewsHour* (News 5 minute segment)

Undercover Planned Parenthood video stokes abortion debate: A hidden camera video showing a Planned Parenthood staff member discussing the transfer of fetal tissue has enflamed the longstanding abortion debate; conservative lawmakers have called for investigations. Political director Lisa Desjardins reports, offering a look at the unedited version of the video.

*Airdate: 7/17 @ 6:00pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*PBS NewsHour* (News 7 minute segment)

Planned Parenthood funding fight fires up the campaign trail: Undercover videos by anti-abortion activists have ignited a campaign among Republican lawmakers and presidential candidates to defund the women's health organization Planned Parenthood. Political director Lisa Desjardins reports.

*Airdate: 8/26 @ 6:00pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*PBS NewsHour* (News 7 minute segment)

Colorado program that reduces teen pregnancy in jeopardy: For six years, the Colorado Family Planning Initiative has been providing free long-term birth control to teens and low-income women. The program has reduced unplanned teen pregnancies by 39 percent and the abortion rate by 42 percent. The group has been lobbying for state funding, but Republican lawmakers have said no. Special correspondent Mary McCarthy reports.

*Airdate: 7/23 @ 6:00pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*PBS NewsHour* (News 5 minute segment)

The timing and strategy behind Pope Francis' abortion forgiveness: Pope Francis announced that Catholic priests will be given discretion to forgive women who have had abortions across the coming year. Judy Woodruff discusses the change in rhetoric with Elizabeth Dias of TIME.

*Airdate: 9/1 @ 6:00pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*To the Contrary with Bonnie Erbe* (Interview/Discussion/Review ½ hour)

Pope & Abortion: Pope Francis authorizes all priests to forgive "the sin of abortion" for the "year of mercy." Sexual Assault Stats: Research calls into question the statistic that one in five women are raped in college. Black Women & Unions: The book "And Still I Rise" chronicles

struggles and triumphs. PANEL: Del. Eleanor Holmes Norton, Patricia Sosa, Darlene Kennedy, Francesca Chambers.

*Airdate: 9/5 @ 5:00am on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

## **2. Alcohol/Drug Abuse/Addiction**

*POV Tough Love* (Documentary 90 minutes)

Having lost custody of their children, two parents fight to win back the trust of the courts and reunite their families. Acknowledging their past parenting mistakes, both contend with a complex bureaucracy to prove they deserve a second chance.

*Airdate: 7/6 @ 10:00pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*Charlie Rose* (Interview/Discussion/Review 60 minutes)

A discussion about El Chapo Guzman's escape from a maximum security prison with former Mexican foreign minister Jorge Castaneda, The New Yorker's Patrick Radden Keefe, and Don Winslow, author of The Cartel.

*Airdate: 7/14 @ 3:00am on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*Frontline Drug Lord: The Legend of Shorty* (Documentary 90 minutes)

A feature documentary about two filmmakers who set out to interview El Chapo Guzman, leader of one of the biggest drug cartels in history. Before his capture in 2014, he had been on the run from the U.S. and Mexican governments for over a decade.

*Airdate: 7/21 @ 10:00pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*PBS NewsHour* (News 6 minute segment)

How the 'quietest' drug epidemic has ravaged the U.S.: Former Los Angeles Times reporter Sam Quinones examines the dramatic surge of heroin use in the U.S. in his new book, "Dreamland: The True Tale of America's Opiate Epidemic." Quinones paints a graphic portrait of the national problem in a conversation with Jeffrey Brown.

*Airdate: 8/12 @ 6:00pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*PBS NewsHour* (News 6 minute segment)

'Straight Outta Compton' calls out racial divide that lingers today: The album "Straight Outta Compton" by rap group NWA burst onto the hip hop scene in 1988, evoking the turmoil of gang violence, crack cocaine and poverty and the tension between young black Americans and the police. A new movie, borrowing the same name, details the rise of those musicians and resonates with ongoing struggles today. Jeffrey Brown reports.

*Airdate: 8/14 @ 6:00pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*Prescription for Abuse* (Documentary ½ hour)

Prescription for Abuse – KCTS 9 and Investigate West report on the alarming increase in prescription drug addiction in Washington State.

*Airdate: 7/29 @ 12:00am on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

### 3. American History/Biography

*The Abolitionists: American Experience* (Documentary 60 minutes)

William Lloyd Garrison, Harriet Beecher Stowe and other powerful abolitionist voices are showcased.

*Airdate: 7/7 @ 8:00pm and 9:00pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*Blackout: American Experience* (Documentary 60 minutes)

Look back at what happened in New York City the night the lights went out in summer 1977, plunging seven million people into darkness. The event led to both horrifying lawlessness and acts of selflessness and generosity.

*Airdate: 7/14 @ 9:00pm and 7/20 @ 4:00am on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*Charlie Rose* (Interview/Discussion/Review 20 minutes)

A discussion about *The Stanford Prison Experiment*, a new film based on a famous Stanford behavioral study, with director Kyle Alvarez, actor Billy Crudup and psychologist Philip Zimbardo.

*Airdate: 7/17 @ 3:00 am on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*History Detectives* (Documentary 60 minutes)

What does the evocative symbol of a bird dropping a bomb mean? Did two patches with the symbol belong to a World War II unit? Then, Gwen Wright connects a tiny swatch of tattered red fabric to a pivotal moment in U.S. Civil War history. Did a neckpiece and leggings once belong to Chief Black Kettle, known as a Cheyenne Peace Chief? Finally, did President Lincoln actually sign this note?

*Airdate: 7/31 @ 8:00pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*JFK & LBJ: A Time for Greatness* (Documentary 60 minutes)

President LBJ is chiefly remembered for the Vietnam War. But 50 years ago, he engineered two of the most important laws Congress ever passed, the 1964 Civil Rights Act and the 1965 Voting Rights Act. This special examines how LBJ transformed America.

*Airdate: 8/4 @ 9:00pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*Secrets of the Dead JFK: One PM Central Standard Time* (Documentary 60 minutes)

This program tells the story of two men: one, the president of the United States — shot in Dallas and rushed to Parkland hospital, his fate unknown — the other, respected CBS anchor Walter Cronkite, knowing he had to get the story right amid the uncertainties of that tragic day. Narrated by George Clooney and featuring an interview with President Bill Clinton, the special recounts the riveting story of the reporting from Dallas and the New York CBS Newsroom from the moment President Kennedy was shot until Cronkite's emotional pronouncement of his death at 1:00 p.m. CST. The program features moving memories from the producers, writers and reporters who were there on the day, including Dan Rather, Bob Schieffer, Marvin Kalb and Marianne Means.

*Airdate: 8/4 @ 8:00pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*Ken Burns: The Civil War* (Documentary 90 minutes)

Celebrate the 25th anniversary of the landmark series in September 2015 with this in-depth overview of the iconic documentary. See video clips and interviews with Ken Burns, Geoffrey Ward, Ric Burns, Buddy Squires and others.

*Airdate: 8/9 @ 8:00pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*Katrina Ten Years After: A Second Life A Second Chance* (Documentary 60 minutes)

Katrina Ten Years After: A Second Life A Second Chance looks back at those ill-fated days and how, ten years later, the city of New Orleans has achieved what seemed almost unimaginable a decade ago – the resurrection of one of America’s most beloved cities.

*Airdate: 8/27 @ 7:00pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*PBS NewsHour* (News 8 minute segment)

Will reimagined New Orleans hospital meet the needs of its most vulnerable? After Hurricane Katrina, New Orleans’ much-loved state-run hospital was declared unfit to reopen. A new medical center, a decade in the making and costing in excess of \$1 billion, has now opened its doors. While many are thrilled with the new facility, others fear that it does not share the mission of serving patients no matter the cost. Special correspondent Jackie Judd reports from New Orleans.

*Airdate: 8/26 @ 6:00pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*Walt Disney: American Experience* (Documentary 120 minutes)

Explore the life and legacy of one of America’s most enduring and influential storytellers. See rare footage from the Disney vaults and scenes from some of his greatest films as well as interviews with animators, artists and biographers.

*Airdate: 9/14 @ 9:00pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*American Masters Billie Jean King* (Documentary 90 minutes)

The series’ first profile of a sports figure commemorates the 40th anniversaries of the famous Billie Jean King/Bobby Riggs battle of the sexes tennis match and the launch of the Women’s Tennis Association. King presents her own story, with perspective from Rosie Casals, Chris Evert, Venus Williams, Gloria Steinem, Riggs’ son Larry and others.

*Airdate: 8/22 @ 9:00pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*In Their Own Words Muhammad Ali* (Documentary 60 minutes)

Follow Muhammad Ali’s path from a gym in Louisville to boxing successes, conversion to Islam, opposition to the draft, exile from the ring, comeback fights, Parkinson’s disease and his inspirational re-emergence at the Atlanta Olympics.

*Airdate: 9/13 @ 8:00pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*Latino Americans Foreigners in Their Own Land*

Survey the history and people from 1565-1880, as the first Spanish explorers enter North America, the U.S. expands into territories in the Southwest that had been home to Native

Americans and English and Spanish colonies, and as the Mexican-American War strips Mexico of half its territories by 1848.

*Airdate: 9/17 @ 8:00pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

#### **4. Community Politics/Government**

*PBS NewsHour (News 10 minute segment)*

Two cities, two very different responses to rising sea levels: While New York City is taking aggressive action to prevent future catastrophes like Hurricane Sandy, other vulnerable cities, such as Charleston, South Carolina, are not tackling the threat of rising sea level and climate change with the same urgency. Special correspondent Jackie Judd reports.

*Airdate: 7/2 @ 6:00pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*PBS NewsHour (News 10 minute segment)*

How do you cool down urban violence when summer heats up? Along with high-profile cases like the shooting at Emmanuel AME in Charleston and some of the killings of unarmed individuals by police, cities across the U.S. are experiencing a significant surge in gun violence. Gwen Ifill discusses this trend with Baltimore Mayor Stephanie Rawlings-Blake, New Orleans Mayor Mitch Landrieu and Gary Slutkin of Cure Violence.

*Airdate: 7/7 @ 6:00pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*PBS NewsHour Weekend (News 25 minute segment)*

On this edition for Saturday, July 4th, 2015, voters in Greece prepare to choose either spending cuts and higher taxes or possible ejection from the Eurozone, negotiators in Vienna may be closer than ever to making a deal with Iran over its nuclear program, and in our signature segment, California's historic drought has farmers desperate for water. Hari Sreenivasan anchors from New York.

*Airdate: 7/4 @ 6:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*PBS NewsHour (News 9 minute segment)*

Court gives SeaTac workers a raise after \$15 minimum wage exclusion: In SeaTac, Washington, home of the Seattle-Tacoma International Airport, citizens voted in 2013 to raise the minimum wage to \$15 an hour. But airport businesses challenged the law in court, excluding 5,000 or so workers from receiving the increased benefits. Now the state Supreme Court has ruled in favor of the employees. Economics correspondent Paul Solman reports.

*Airdate: 8/27 @ 6:00pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*PBS NewsHour (News 7 minute segment)*

News Wrap: California to sharply scale back solitary confinement: In our news wrap Tuesday, a new California policy limits the use of solitary confinement to gang members who commit new crimes in prison. Also, a county clerk in Kentucky has refused again to issue marriage licenses to same-sex couples, even after the Supreme Court rejected her appeal.

*Airdate: 9/1 @ 6:00pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*PBS NewsHour (News 7 minute segment)*

The free community college experiment everyone is watching: Tennessee is expecting record enrollment at its community colleges this year, under a new program that guarantees two years of tuition for free for students who meet some simple requirements. But can schools keep the students enrolled? Special correspondent Yasmeen Qureshi reports on an educational experiment that's being watched around the country.

*Airdate: 9/10 @ 6:00pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*PBS NewsHour (News 7 minute segment)*

What we've learned about racial inequity in Ferguson: A new report by the Ferguson Commission, appointed to respond to racial inequity, calls for 200 changes to policing, education, housing, health care access and more across St. Louis and Missouri. Gwen Ifill discusses the reform recommendations with Rev. Starsky Wilson of the Ferguson Commission and Maria Chappelle-Nadal, a Missouri state senator.

*Airdate: 9/14 @ 6:00pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

## **5. Disabled/Handicapped**

*Fixed: The Science/Fiction of Human Enhancement (Documentary 60 minutes)*

From botox to bionic limbs, the human body is more "upgradeable" than ever. But how much of it can we alter and still be human? What do we gain or lose in the process? Award-winning documentary, *Fixed: The Science/Fiction of Human Enhancement*, explores the social impact of human biotechnologies. Haunting and humorous, poignant and political, *Fixed* rethinks "disability" and "normalcy" by exploring technologies that promise to change our bodies and minds forever.

*Airdate: 8/26 @ 7:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*Hidden Pictures (Documentary 60 minutes)*

When filmmaker Delaney Ruston learns that worldwide over 450 million people have some type of mental illness, she wonders why their stories are rarely heard. *HIDDEN PICTURES* depicts Delaney's journey to uncover deeply personal mental health stories in India, China, South Africa, France and the United States. The filmmaker explores questions around cultural attitudes toward mental illness, the desolating experience of stigma, and the challenge of coping in countries where access to mental health treatments are severely limited and human rights violations are common. The stories uncover a surprising reality...globally; when it comes to experiences of mental illness, we are far more similar than different. Ultimately, *HIDDEN PICTURES* instills hope by featuring the anti-stigma campaigns of mental health advocates such as former Congressman Patrick Kennedy and actor Glenn Close.

*Airdate: 7/1 @ 4:00 am on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*POV Web Junkie (Documentary 60 minutes)*

Follow the treatment of three Chinese teenagers, obsessive gamers who prefer the virtual world to the real one. The military-style rehab program may set a standard as the world comes to grips with the consequences of excessive internet use.

*Airdate: 7/13 @ 10:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

## 6. Economy

*Charlie Rose* (Interview/Discussion/Review 20 minute segment)

Peter Kiernan, a former senior partner at Goldman Sachs, discusses the middle class and his new book, *American Mojo*.

*Airdate: 7/28 @ 3:00 am on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*PBS NewsHour* (News 8 minute segment)

IMF chief: Europe must do much more to reduce Greek debt: Even as Greece moves closer to a new European bailout deal, the International Monetary Fund has been pushing for debt relief for the struggling nation, adding tension to an already fraught situation. Gwen Ifill speaks to managing director Christine Lagarde about the IMF's stance.

*Airdate: 7/16 @ 6:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*PBS NewsHour* (News 8 minute segment)

Why minority kids are being left behind by the economic recovery: Child poverty is worse now than it was before the Great Recession, despite strides toward economic recovery. That's according to a new report by the Annie E. Casey Foundation, which found that rates were most severe for African-American and Native American children. Gwen Ifill talks to Annie E. Casey Foundation President Patrick McCarthy and Mark Hugo Lopez of the Pew Research Center.

*Airdate: 7/21 @ 6:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*PBS NewsHour* (News 8 minute segment)

Sudden Chinese currency devaluation has global consequences: Following market forces, China again devalued the yuan, rocking world stock and currency markets for a second straight day. According to some analysts, the change could hurt U.S. companies that do a lot of business inside China, like Apple and Coca-Cola. Judy Woodruff gets analysis from Eswar Prasad of Cornell University and Michael McDonough of Bloomberg.

*Airdate: 8/12 @ 6:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*PBS NewsHour* (News 8 minute segment)

News Wrap: Death toll rises from China industrial blasts: In our news wrap Thursday, the death toll from explosions at port facilities in Tianjin, China, rose to 50 and is still expected to increase. Also, China dismissed talk that it might allow a 10 percent currency decline after the yuan fell again for a third day.

*Airdate: 8/13 @ 6:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*PBS NewsHour* (News 8 minute segment)

What's driving the global glut of oil: A year ago, crude oil was trading at more than \$100 a barrel. Now, the price of oil is down more than 60 percent from its peak. Gwen Ifill speaks to *The Wall Street Journal's* Russell Gold to understand the drop and how it affects the U.S. economy.

*Airdate: 8/25 @ 6:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*PBS NewsHour* (News 8 minute segment)

How disadvantaged neighborhoods amplify racial inequality: Where you grow up can profoundly affect your life in real, measureable ways. For young, poor children, moving out of high poverty neighborhoods can substantially improve long-term economic prospects. What are the implications for addressing racial inequality in America? Special correspondent Charlayne Hunter-Gault talks to Raj Chetty, visiting professor at Harvard University.

*Airdate: 9/1 @ 6:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*PBS NewsHour* (News 8 minute segment)

Europe grapples with how to help refugees fleeing conflict: The steady flow of desperate migrants and asylum seekers has sparked humanitarian and economic tensions in Europe. Gwen Ifill talks to Nancy Lindborg of the United States Institute of Peace and Astrid Ziebarth of the German Marshall Fund for a closer look at the crisis, including how different European governments are responding and whether the U.S. could take more refugees.

*Airdate: 9/2 @ 6:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*PBS NewsHour* (News 5 minute segment)

Is the economy strong enough for an interest rate rise? Though unemployment fell to its best place since early 2008, the number of jobs created in August was quite modest, falling below expectations. Combined with the volatility of the market and worries over sluggish wage growth, how will the Federal Reserve take the latest labor report into consideration as they weigh raising interest rates? Diane Swonk of Mesirow Financial joins Hari Sreenivasan.

*Airdate: 9/4 @ 6:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*PBS NewsHour* (News 9 minute segment)

How does the fight for \$15 affect the labor market? Three years since a small group of fast-food workers began protesting in demand of higher pay and better conditions, a minimum wage of \$15 an hour is becoming a reality for many across the country. Jeffrey Brown gets two perspectives from Michael Strain of the American Enterprise Institute and former Secretary of Labor Robert Reich.

*Airdate: 9/7 @ 6:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

## **7. Immigration/Refugees**

*Frontline Escaping ISIS* (Documentary 60 minutes)

The gripping, first-hand accounts of women who escaped the brutal reign of ISIS. This film explores the lives of women who were held as sex slaves, the people who saved them and women who endured -- and also enforced -- ISIS' harsh rules.

*Airdate: 7/14 @ 10:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*PBS NewsHour* (News 8 minute segment)

Rick Santorum on Iran's nuclear path, economics of immigration: Former Sen. Rick Santorum, a Republican presidential candidate, sits down with Judy Woodruff to discuss his track record on national security and why he opposes the Iran nuclear agreement, navigating a crowded field of

GOP contenders, how he thinks America can address high child poverty, plus his take on Donald Trump and the issue of immigration reform.

*Airdate: 7/21 @ 6:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*PBS NewsHour Weekend (News 25 minute segment)*

On this edition for Sunday, July 26th, 2015, President Obama vows to stand by Kenyans in its fight against terrorism, Tunisian fishermen are saving the lives of migrants stranded in the Mediterranean Sea, and altered images and the dilemma for photojournalism. Hari Sreenivasan anchors from New York.

*Airdate: 7/26 @ 6:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*POV Neuland (Documentary 90 minutes)*

Meet the young migrants in a Swiss integration class, who have made long and arduous journeys for a new life. Separated from their families, they struggle to learn a new language, prepare for employment and reveal their innermost hopes and dreams.

*Airdate: 8/17 @ 10:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*PBS Newshour (News 8 minute segment)*

John Kasich: Hunting down undocumented immigrants is 'not what America is': Ohio Gov. John Kasich, a Republican presidential candidate, joins Gwen Ifill to discuss why he's ready to run and win, plus the need for a tight border and a path to citizenship for immigrants, setting high educational standards, putting boots on the ground to fight the Islamic State and more.

*Airdate: 8/19 @ 6:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*PBS Newshour (News 8 minute segment)*

Should citizenship be a birthright? Why some GOP candidates say no: On Sunday, Donald Trump called for ending constitutionally mandated birthright citizenship. He's not the only Republican presidential candidate who believes that children born in the U.S. should not automatically be granted citizenship regardless of their parents' status. Gwen Ifill gets legal and political perspective from Suzanna Sherry of Vanderbilt University and Alan Gomez of USA Today.

*Airdate: 8/20 @ 6:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*PBS Newshour (News 8 minute segment)*

Thousands of migrants journey through Macedonia, Serbia en route to Europe: In Europe, it's the summer of mass migration. Lindsey Hilsum of Independent Television News follows along as thousands of refugees from the Middle East and North Africa travel by train from Macedonia to Serbia, hoping to eventually reach Germany and other points north.

*Airdate: 8/24 @ 6:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*Washington Week with Gwen Ifill (Interview/Discussion/Review ½ hour)*

Donald Trump Shapes the Policy Debate and Hillary Clinton's Emails Continue to Weigh on Campaign: With Donald Trump still polling high, fellow Republican candidates work to differentiate themselves by rolling out their policy platforms. Marco Rubio and Scott Walker

would repeal Obamacare; Jeb Bush wants to improve education and veterans affairs, while Trump would end birthright citizenship to illegal immigrants. Who's been the hurt the most by what Politico's Josh Gerstein calls Trump's "defiance of political gravity"? Molly Ball of The Atlantic, Ed O'Keefe of the Washington Post, and Reid Wilson of Morning Consult weigh in. Meanwhile, Clinton continues to field questions on the FBI investigation over her personal email server despite her insistence that no classified information was sent during her tenure as secretary of state. Gerstein reports on the email controversy that continues to weigh on Clinton's campaign.

*Airdate: 8/21 @ 7:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*Charlie Rose – The Week* (Interview/Discussion/Review ½ hour)

Conversations included ambassador Peter Wittig of Germany on his country's decision to open its doors to refugees; Mike Allen, Politico's chief White House correspondent, on the week in politics and news of the Democratic and Republican presidential candidates; Bloomberg Businessweek's Josh Tyrangiel on Apple, Inc.'s new product announcements; the latest from the U.S. Tennis Open with coach Nick Bollettieri; and Chiwetel Ejiofor on his role in the new film *Z* for Zachariah; and a remembrance of the late Oliver Saks.

*Airdate: 9/11 @ 7:30 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*Life on the Line: Coming of Age Between Nations* (Documentary ½ hour)

This half-hour documentary follows a year in the life of 11-year-old Kimberly Torrez. Living steps from the border in Nogales, Mexico, Kimberly crosses each day to attend school just across the line in Arizona. Kimberly's unemployed father, stricken with Hepatitis C, needs a liver transplant; Kimberly's mother desperately awaits the visa that will allow her to live in the U.S. with her American children if her husband dies. A slice-of-life portrait film told through Kimberly's eyes, *Life on the Line* illuminates the changing face of America through the story of this one family.

*Airdate: 9/23 @ 11:30 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*PBS NewsHour* (News 7 minute segment)

News Wrap: Desperate migrants start to march toward Germany: In our news wrap Friday, thousands of refugees and migrants who had been trapped at a railway station in Budapest set out by foot to reach Germany, hundreds of miles away. Also, 45 soldiers from the United Arab Emirates and Bahrain were killed in Yemen in a fight with Shiite rebels.

*Airdate: 9/4 @ 6:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*PBS NewsHour* (News 5 minute segment)

Desperate conditions push refugees in Lebanon to dream of Europe: While the surge of refugees in Europe is relatively new, Lebanon has been inundated by fleeing Syrians for four years; a quarter of the country's residents are refugees. In Beirut, some families are living in the rubble of bombed-out houses. Alex Thomson of Independent Television News reports that some are now contemplating life elsewhere.

*Airdate: 9/9 @ 6:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

## 8. Minorities/Civil Rights

*POV Web Junkie* (Documentary 60 minutes)

Follow the treatment of three Chinese teenagers, obsessive gamers who prefer the virtual world to the real one. The military-style rehab program may set a standard as the world comes to grips with the consequences of excessive internet use.

*Airdate: 7/13 @ 10:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*PBS NewsHour* (News 3 minute segment)

News Wrap: Texas grand jury to hear Sandra Bland case: our news wrap Friday, a Texas grand jury will take up the case of Sandra Bland, a black woman who police say hanged herself Monday after being jailed for a traffic violation. Friends and family say they doubt she would have committed suicide. Also, Islamic State bombers set off a car bomb that killed more than 100 people near Baghdad. The blast brought down buildings in a busy marketplace.

*Airdate: 7/17 @ 6:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*PBS NewsHour* (News 3 minute segment)

Body camera footage of Samuel DuBose death contradicts indicted cop's claim: Ray Tensing, a white police officer, was indicted on murder charges for killing Samuel DuBose, a black motorist, during a traffic stop for not having a front license plate. Tensing said he was dragged by the car and forced to shoot DuBose, but body camera footage revealed a different sequence of events. Gwen Ifill learns more from Sharon Coolidge of the Cincinnati Enquirer.

*Airdate: 7/29 @ 6:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*To The Contrary with Bonnie Erbe* (Interview/Discussion/Review ½ hour)

Entitlements; Lawmakers proposing restrictions to welfare. Discipline in Public Schools; Are minority girls disciplined in school more harshly than others? PANEL: Anushay Hossain, Jennifer Marshall, Danielle Moodie-Mills, and Darlene Kennedy.

*Airdate: 7/11 @ 5:00 am on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*To The Contrary with Bonnie Erbe* (Interview/Discussion/Review ½ hour)

Politics & Race: Donald Trump and Jeb Bush criticized for what some perceive as anti-immigrant rhetoric. Colleges Tackle Sexual Assault: After much debate, are campuses any safer? Elena Vanishing: One woman, with the help of her mother, tells her tale of struggling with anorexia. PANEL: Rina Shah Bharara; Megan Beyer; Ashe Schow; Anushay Hossain.

*Airdate: 8/29 @ 5:00 am on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*Washington Week with Gwen Ifill* (Interview/Discussion/Review ½ hour)

Biden Weighs White House Run, Trump Spars with Media and Obama's Post-Vacation Agenda: The declared Democratic presidential candidates spoke to party leaders in Minneapolis this week. As frontrunner Hillary Clinton takes on the Republican field, Bernie Sanders pushes his populist appeal, and Martin O'Malley pushes back at the DNC's debate plan. But speculation in Democratic circles continues to surround Vice President Joe Biden who is openly considering jumping into the race for the White House. On the Republican side, businessman Donald Trump still leads polls months after jumping into the 2016 race, and he continues his high-profile feuds

with the media. Just this week Univision anchor Jorge Ramos was escorted out of a Trump press conference. Michael Scherer interviewed Trump for Time magazine and discusses his continued surge. In Washington, President Obama returned from his summer vacation where he met a growing to-do list before the end of his second term. This week the focus was the Iran deal and climate change. Real Clear Politics Alexis Simendinger reports on Obama's priorities.  
*Airdate: 8/28 @ 7:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*American Masters Althea* (Documentary 90 minutes)

Discover the story of Althea Gibson, who emerged as the unlikely queen of the segregated tennis world of the 1950s. She was the first African American to play and win Wimbledon and the U.S. Nationals. Features Billie Jean King and David Dinkins.

*Airdate: 9/27 @ 10:30 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*The Civil War A Very Bloody Affair – 1862/Forever Free - 1862* (Documentary 150 minutes stacked)

“A Very Bloody Affair — 1862” — 1862 sees the birth of modern warfare and the transformation of Abraham Lincoln’s war to preserve the Union into a war to emancipate the slaves. Political infighting threatens to swamp Lincoln’s administration, and Union General George McClellan wages an ill-fated campaign on the Virginia peninsula. The episode follows the battle of ironclad ships, camp life and the beginning of the end of slavery. Ulysses S. Grant’s exploits come to a bloody resolution at the Battle of Shiloh, and rumors swarm about Europe’s readiness to recognize the Confederacy. Episode two of nine.

“Forever Free — 1862” — Convinced by July 1862 that emancipation is now morally and militarily crucial to the future of the Union, Abraham Lincoln must wait for a victory to issue his proclamation. But there are no Union victories to be had, thanks to the brilliance of Confederate generals Stonewall Jackson and Robert E. Lee. With Lee’s September 1862 invasion of Maryland, the bloodiest day of the war takes place on the banks of Antietam Creek, followed shortly by the brightest — the emancipation of the slaves. Episode three of nine.

*Airdate: 9/8 @ 9:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*The Civil War Simply Murder – 1863/The Universe of Battle – 1863* (Documentary 150 minutes stacked)

“Simply Murder — 1863” — A nightmarish Union disaster at Fredericksburg precedes two clashes in the spring of 1863: at Chancellorsville in May, where Robert E. Lee wins his most brilliant victory but loses Stonewall Jackson; and at Vicksburg, where Ulysses S. Grant is prevented from taking the city by siege. There is fierce northern opposition to Lincoln’s Emancipation Proclamation, and increasing desperation on the Confederate home front. Lee decides to invade the North again to draw Grant’s forces away from Vicksburg. Episode four of nine.

“The Universe of Battle — 1863” — The Battle of Gettysburg is the turning point of the war. For three days, 150,000 fight to the death in the Pennsylvania countryside culminating in Pickett’s legendary charge. Vicksburg falls to Union forces, draft riots rage in New York, black troops join the fight for the first time and western battles transpire at Chickamauga and

Chattanooga. At the dedication of a new Union cemetery at Gettysburg, Lincoln struggles to put into words what is happening to his people. Episode five of nine.

*Airdate: 9/9 @ 9:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*The Civil War Valley of the Shadow of Death - 1864/Hallowed Ground – 1864* (Documentary 150 minutes stacked)

“Valley of the Shadow of Death — 1864” — Ulysses S. Grant and Robert E. Lee are pitted against each other in an extraordinary series of battles from the wilderness to Petersburg in Virginia. With Grant and Lee finally deadlocked at Petersburg, we move to the ghastly hospitals in both the North and South, and follow Sherman’s Atlanta campaign through the mountains of northern Georgia. As the horrendous casualty lists increase, Abraham Lincoln’s chance for re-election begins to dim and with them, the possibility of Union victory. Episode six of nine.

“Most Hallowed Ground — 1864” — the presidential campaign of 1864 sets Abraham Lincoln against his old commanding general, George McClellan. The stakes are nothing less than the survival of the Union itself. Opinion in the North has turned strongly against Lincoln and the war, but 11th-hour Union victories at Mobile Bay, Atlanta and the Shenandoah Valley tilt the election to Lincoln, and the Confederacy’s last hope for independence dies. In an ironic twist, Robert E. Lee’s Arlington mansion is turned into a Union military hospital and the estate becomes Arlington National Cemetery — the Union’s most hallowed ground. Episode seven of nine.

*Airdate: 9/10 @ 9:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*The Civil War is All Hell - 1865/The Better Angels of our Nature – 1865* (Documentary 150 minutes stacked)

“War Is All Hell — 1865” — William Tecumseh Sherman’s March to the Sea brings war to the heart of Georgia and the Carolinas and spells the end of the Confederacy. Following Abraham Lincoln’s second inauguration, Petersburg and Richmond finally fall to Ulysses S. Grant’s army. Robert E. Lee’s tattered Army of Northern Virginia flees westward towards Appomattox, where the surrender of Lee to Grant takes place. Meanwhile, John Wilkes Booth begins to dream of vengeance for the South.

“The Better Angels of Our Nature — 1865” — On April 14, five days after Robert E. Lee’s surrender at Appomattox, Abraham Lincoln is assassinated. Lincoln is buried, John Wilkes Booth is captured and the war finally comes to a close. The series ends by considering the consequences and meaning of a war that transformed the country from a collection of states to the nation it is today.

*Airdate: 9/11 @ 9:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*Rebel: Voces Special Presentation* (Documentary 60 minutes)

This program explores the mysterious true story of Loreta Velasquez, a Cuban immigrant who was one of the estimated 1,000 women who secretly served as soldiers during the Civil War. Why has her story been erased from the history books?

*Airdate: 9/15 @ 11:00pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

## 9. Nuclear Issues/Weapons of Mass Destruction

*Charlie Rose* (Interview/Discussion/Review ½ hour segment)

Politico's Mike Allen deconstructs the first Republican presidential debate; Chemi Shalev, Jonathan Alter, Mark Dubowitz and Richard Haas on President Obama's speech on the Iran nuclear deal; Thomas Kail and Lin-Manuel Miranda on their Broadway hit, "Hamilton;" Actress Salma Hayek brings Khalil Gibran's "The Prophet" to theaters.

*Airdate: 8/7 @ 7:30 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*PBS NewsHour* (News 9 minute segment)

Are Mideast allies buying the Iran deal being sold by the Obama administration? How is the Iran nuclear agreement perceived across the Middle East? Judy Woodruff gets a roundup of reactions from Fahad Nazer, a former Saudi Arabian Embassy official, David Makovsky of the Washington Institute for Near East Policy and former Jordanian Foreign Minister Marwan Muasher.

*Airdate: 8/3 @ 6:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*NOVA Nuclear Meltdown Disaster* (Documentary 60 minutes)

Four years after one of history's worst nuclear accidents, NOVA reveals the minute-by-minute story of the Fukushima nuclear crisis and its ongoing aftermath, told by the brave workers who stayed behind as an earthquake and tsunami crippled the plant.

*Airdate: 7/29 @ 9:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*The Bomb* (Documentary 120 minutes)

See how America developed the most destructive invention in human history — the nuclear bomb — how it changed the world and how it continues to loom large in our lives. Hear from historians and those who experienced the dawn of the atomic age.

*Airdate: 7/28 @ 8:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*Washington Week with Gwen Ifill* (Interview/Discussion/Review ½ hour)

Countdown to the First GOP Debate and Congress' Unresolved Issues during Summer Recess: The first Republican presidential debate is less than a week away, and many are speculating about the role businessman Donald Trump will play as he leads the GOP field. Which Republicans will be on the stage to take on Trump? The Washington Post's Robert Costa and CNBC's John Hardwood tell us who's expected to make the cut and what to expect from Trump and the rest of the crowded field. Plus, Congress is heading out of town for its five-week summer recess while leaving some major issues unresolved. Susan Davis of USA Today explains the implications of the Iran nuclear deal debate and a major transportation bill left hanging in the balance.

*Airdate: 7/31 @ 7:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*Washington Week with Gwen Ifill* (Interview/Discussion/Review ½ hour)

2016 Candidates Flock to Iowa and Obama Pushes Foreign Policy Agenda in Iran and Cuba: The Iowa State Fair kicked off this week with hopeful 2016 candidates hoping to win the support of party faithful in the nation's first caucus state. Meanwhile, email troubles continue to plague

Hillary Clinton's presidential campaign as she hands over her private server to the FBI. The Washington Post's Karen Tumulty and CNBC's John Harwood explain which candidates had a good week and which have seen better. And POLITICO's Michael Crowley explains foreign policy victories for the Obama administration with an Iran nuclear agreement and the American embassy opening in Cuba. But the hard part might just be starting as Obama presses Congress for support for the nuclear deal and faces pushback for his diplomatic steps.

*Airdate: 8/14 @ 7:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*PBS NewsHour (News 6 minute segment)*

Supporting deal, Sen. Casey says Iran is far too close to a nuclear weapon right now: President Obama is now just one vote away from being able to veto legislation blocking approval of the Iranian nuclear deal. Two Senate Democrats, Chris Coons of Delaware and Bob Casey of Pennsylvania, announced their support today. Sen. Bob Casey joins Judy Woodruff to discuss his stance.

*Airdate: 9/1 @ 6:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*Washington Week with Gwen Ifill (Interview/Discussion/Review ½ hour)*

Biden Weighs 2016 Run, Clinton's Email Contrition, Trump's Surge, Overcoming Iran Deal opposition & Accepting Syrian Refugees: In an appearance on The Late Show, Vice President Joe Biden gave an emotional answer about his current thinking about entering the 2016 race for the White House. Meanwhile, his would-be Democratic opponent Hillary Clinton apologized this week for her use of a private email server during her tenure as secretary of State. Clinton admitted it was a "mistake" after months of insisting she did nothing wrong. CNN's Jeff Zeleny discusses the progression of Clinton's answers on her emails, how other Democrats may be benefitting from the controversy and the Clinton campaign's attempts to soften her image. On the Republican side, Carly Fiorina and Ben Carson both took aim at frontrunner Donald Trump. Will any of their attacks take him down? On Capitol Hill, the Iran nuclear deal survived Republican opposition, handing a foreign policy victory to President Obama. This week the administration also announced plans to accept 10,000 Syrian refugees next year. Los Angeles Times' Doyle McManus discusses how the U.S. response compares to European nations.

*Airdate: 9/11 @ 8:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

## **10. Women**

*POV Tea Time (Documentary 60 minutes)*

Observe five Chilean women who gather monthly for a ritual that has sustained them through 60 years of personal and societal change. See how a routine of tea and pastries helped them commemorate life's joys and cope with infidelity, illness and death.

*Airdate: 7/27 @ 10:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*PBS NewsHour (News 6 minute segment)*

News Wrap: UN warns female and child casualties are on the rise in Afghanistan: In our news wrap Wednesday, civilian casualties among Afghan women jumped 23 percent this year, and among children the number rose 13 percent, according to a report by the United Nations. Also,

international experts confirmed that plane debris found in the Indian Ocean is from the missing Malaysia Airlines Flight 370.

*Airdate: 8/5 @ 6:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*POV The Storm Makers* (Documentary 60 minutes)

See a chilling expose of Cambodia's human trafficking underworld; hear the stories of a peasant girl sold into slavery at 16 and two traffickers who use deception to funnel a stream of poor and illiterate people across the country's borders.

*Airdate: 8/31 @ 10:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*PBS NewsHour* (News 10 minute segment)

Prep school rape trial raises questions about teen consent: Nineteen-year-old Owen Labrie, a former student at a prep school in New Hampshire, was accused of raping a freshman girl in 2014, but a jury cleared him of felony rape, convicting him on other lesser charges. Jeffrey Brown discusses the case and the idea of sexual consent with Deborah Tuerkheimer of Northwestern University School of Law and Emily Bazelon of The New York Times Magazine.

*Airdate: 8/28 @ 6:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*To the Contrary with Bonnie Erbe* (Interview/Discussion/Review ½ hour)

Donald Trump: Is the businessman what the GOP needs to pull in more women voters?

Transgender Women: Do transgender women understand sexism the same way other women do? Senator Claire McCaskill: In her new memoir, *Plenty Ladylike*, Sen. McCaskill reveals how she strives for success. PANEL: Clara Del Villar, Avis Jones DeWeever, Lara Brown, Patrice Lee

*Airdate: 8/22 @ 5:00 am on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*To the Contrary with Bonnie Erbe* (Interview/Discussion/Review ½ hour)

Planned Parenthood: An all-male faction of the GOP threaten a government shutdown unless the government cuts all funding to Planned Parenthood. Politics & Sexism: How deeply rooted is sexism in American politics? The Sentencing Project: The often-overlooked problems faced by women who are incarcerated. PANEL: Del. Eleanor Holmes Norton; Susan Ferrechio; Genevieve Wood; Siobhan "Sam" Bennett

*Airdate 9/12 @ 5:00 am on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*Breaking Through the Clouds: The First Women's National Air Derby* (Documentary 90 minutes)

In August of 1929 twenty women pulled on britches, snapped on goggles and climbed into their cockpits to race across the country. It was the first women's national air derby. There was the media darling, the Hollywood starlet, the aviatrix record breakers and the unforgettable foul-mouthed wife of a preacher. Together these women were flying in the face of anyone who believed women belonged on the ground. *Breaking Through the Clouds* is the documentary that tells their story.

*Airdate 8/18 @ 8:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*No Going Back: Women and the War* (Documentary ½ hour)

North of the Mason-Dixon Line, the Industrial Revolution of the mid-19th century drew increasing numbers of women out of the home and into the factories. In the agrarian, antebellum South, no such exodus occurred. Many Southerners perceived the forces of modernization - including the early rumblings of the women's suffrage movement - as a threat to their traditional way of life. However, as Fort Sumter fell in April of 1861, so too would many firmly held cultural and societal beliefs about "a woman's place." Hardships and hunger forced ill-prepared, isolated and often un-educated Southern women into the public sphere to demand relief from the government and advocate for policy changes. **NO GOING BACK: WOMEN AND THE WAR** explores how the lives of women, and their roles in society, changed during and after the Civil War. Grammy-winning singer-songwriter Mary Chapin Carpenter narrates. Interviews with well-known historians and academics, reenactments at Civil War-era landmarks, and dramatic readings from the letters and journals of women, both free and enslaved, illuminate this fascinating chapter in American history.

*Airdate 8/18 @ 9:30 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*Extraordinary Women Audrey Hepburn* (Documentary 60 minutes)

Audrey Hepburn was one of the most stylish women the world has ever seen, and she took Hollywood by storm. Winning an Oscar for her first major film role in *Roman Holiday*, she went on to star in the iconic *Breakfast at Tiffany's* and the huge box office hit, *My Fair Lady*. Her natural, effortless beauty charmed millions. Audrey was more than just a movie star - she was a fashion icon the world over. But behind the glamour was a life marked by tragedy and loss. When Audrey was just 6 years old her father walked out on the family. His abandonment haunted her for the rest of her life. She endured the horrors of the Nazi-occupation in wartime Holland, and aged just 12 years old, Audrey witnessed the deportations of Jewish families to the death camps.

*Airdate 8/29 @ 8:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

*Having It All* (Documentary 60 minutes)

Three Seattle women set out to live their dreams of balancing career, marriage and children. After two trying years of unanticipated trade-offs and painful sacrifices, each finds herself with a changed life and a changed idea of what "having it all" really means.

*Airdate 8/25 @ 9:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

## **Children's Programming**

### **July Highlights:**

In July, PBS KIDS includes the following highlights:

Every Wednesday in July is a **WILD KRATTS WEDNESDAY!** The fun kicks off on July 1 with an encore play of last summer's hit special **WILD KRATTS: BACK IN CREATURE TIME**. Then, each Wednesday in July features back to back premiere episodes with great adventures with the Kratts, including the first episodes from season 4!

7/1 Wild Kratts: Back in Creature Time (WKBC 000)

7/8 #318 Aye Aye & #322 Tenrec Treasure Hunt (Pirate Theme) **\*\*NEW\*\***

7/15 #319 Lemur Legs & #321 Golden Bamboo Lemur (Lemur Theme) **\*\*NEW\*\***

7/22 #317 Mini Madagascar & #315 Chameleons on Target (Madagascar Theme) **\*\*NEW\*\***  
7/29 #409 Largest Lobster Ever & season 4 #TBD Stars of the Tides (Beach Theme) **\*\*NEW\*\***

### **August Highlights:**

In August, PBS KIDS includes the following highlights:

Curious George gets a back-to-back movie marathon on August 17 with the broadcast premiere of CURIOUS GEORGE 3: BACK TO THE JUNGLE, preceded by CURIOUS GEORGE: FOLLOW THAT MONKEY.

Also, SUPER WHY! Adds the premieres of the first episodes of season 3 during the week of August 17-21:

Origin Story

301: The Story of the Super Readers

Mysteries

306: Roxie's Missing Music Book

307: The Banana Mystery

308: The Underwater Treasure Mystery

309: The Cowgirl Mystery

### **September Highlights:**

A fall PBS KIDS schedule is forthcoming, but throughout the month of September, the kids feed schedule remains the same as it has been throughout the spring and summer.

In September, PBS KIDS includes the following highlights:

The week of September 7, we premiere a week of new episodes from Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood and Peg + Cat. Premieres this week include:

Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood

9/7 #225 Nighttime in the Neighborhood

9/8 #210 A Storm in the Neighborhood/After the Neighborhood Storm [for National Preparedness Month]

9/9 #224 Margaret's First Chime Time/Tiger Family Fun

9/10 #221 Looking for Snowball/Daniel's Neighbors Help

Peg + Cat

9/7 #131 The Wonderland Problem/The Bat Mitzvah Problem

9/8 #140 The Robin Hood Problem/The Owl and the Pussycat Problem

9/9 #124 The Ring Problem/The Wedding Problem

9/10 #133 The Bermuda Triangle Problem/The Breeze in the Branches

The same week, Arthur rolls out four new episodes, including #1810 Shelter from the Storm, tied (as the Daniel Tiger's episode that day is) to National Preparedness Month.

Also in September:

The week of September 14, Arthur presents a week of episodes for grandparent's week

Super Why! rolls out four new episodes September 21-24

**Regular Schedule:****Monday - Friday**

6:00 am	Sid the Science Kid
6:30 am	Arthur
7:00 am	Odd Squad
7:30 am	Wild Kratts
8:00 am	Curious George
8:30 am	Curious George
9:00 am	Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood
9:30 am	Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood
10:00 am	Sesame Street (one hour version)
10:30 am	Sesame Street
11:00 am	Dinosaur Train
11:30 am	Dinosaur Train
12:00 pm	Peg + Cat
12:30 pm	Peg + Cat
1:00 pm	Super WHY!
1:30 pm	Thomas & Friends
2:00 pm	Sesame Street
2:30 pm	The Cat in the Hat Knows A Lot About That

**Saturday**

6:00 am	Clifford the Big Red Dog
6:30 am	The Cat in the Hat Knows A Lot About That
7:00 am	Curious George
7:30 am	Curious George
8:00 am	Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood
8:30 am	Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood
9:00 am	Sesame Street
9:30 am	Dinosaur Train
10:00 am	Wild Kratts
10:30 am	Wild Kratts

**Sunday**

6:00 am	Thomas & Friends
6:30 am	Peg + Cat
7:00 am	Curious George
7:30 am	Curious George
8:00 am	Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood
8:30 am	Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood
9:00 am	Sesame Street
9:30 am	Space Racers
10:00am	Sid the Science Kid
10:30am	SciGirls