

Here are this week's highlights:

Wild Kratts: Lost at Sea

In this new HoustonPBS science special, brothers and wildlife explorers Martin and Chris Kratt go under the sea in two new episodes filled with humor, excitement and a whole lot of science. Kids will also be able to explore natural science with the Kratts through new science games and science videos online, and new videos on mobile.

Monday, January 21 at 6:00 a.m. on 8.1

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Pioneers of Television: Primetime Soaps

Dallas and *Dynasty* kicked off the nighttime soap frenzy in the late 1970s and spun off the long-lasting series *Knots Landing*. Sometimes forgotten is the genre's antecedent: 1964's *Peyton Place*, which starred Mia Farrow and Ryan O'Neal. Interviewees in this episode include Larry Hagman, Joan Collins, Linda Evans, Diahann Carroll, Linda Gray, Patrick Duffy, Michele Lee, Joan Van Ark and Donna Mills.

Tuesday, January 22 at 7:00 p.m. on 8.1

Saturday, January 26 at 8:00 p.m. on 8.2

NOVA: Rise of the Drones

Drones. These unmanned flying robots – some as large as jumbo jets, others as small as birds – do things straight out of science fiction. Much of what it takes to get these robotic airplanes to fly, sense, and kill has remained secret. But now, with rare access to drone engineers and those who fly them for the U.S. military, *NOVA* reveals the amazing technologies that make drones so powerful as we see how a remotely-piloted drone strike looks and feels from inside the command center. From cameras that can capture every detail of an entire city at a glance to swarming robots that can make decisions on their own to giant air frames that can stay aloft for days on end, drones are changing our relationship to war, surveillance, and each other.

Wednesday, January 23 at 8:00 p.m. on 8.1

Thursday, January 24 at 7:00 p.m. on 8.2

Arts InSight

Art comes in all forms, as James Beard Foundation top-chef winner Tyson Cole shows us with the stunning dishes he creates for his Japanese-inspired restaurant, UCHI.

Thursday, January 24 at 7:00 p.m. on 8.1

Friday, January 25 at 9:30 a.m. on 8.2

Shakespeare Uncovered: *Macbeth with Ethan Hawke*

Ethan Hawke invites viewers to join him in his quest to play Shakespeare's murderous Thane of Cawdor by uncovering the true story that served as inspiration, immersing himself in some of the most memorable and innovative productions and discovering Shakespeare's extraordinary insights into the criminal mind.

Friday, January 25 at 9:00 p.m. on 8.1

Shakespeare Uncovered: *The Comedies with Joely Richardson*

Joely Richardson investigates (with her mother Vanessa Redgrave) the legacy of these two brilliant cross-dressing comedies, with their missing twins, mistaken identities, and characters in disguise; their connections to Shakespeare's personal life; and the great romantic heroines created by Shakespeare in two perennially popular plays.

Friday, January 25 at 10:00 p.m. on 8.1

The Mind of a Chef: Spain

Learn all about Spain's influence on David Chang's career as he explores the streets of San Sebastian with friend and legendary chef Juan Mari Arzak. El Bulli's Ferran Adrià talks about the current state of cuisine. David prepares a salt cod omelet, and in honor of Adrià, he cooks a microwave sponge cake.

Saturday, January 26 at 10:00 a.m. on 8.1

The Clinton 12

THE CLINTON 12 captures a pivotal moment in the American civil rights movement. On August 27, 1956, a dozen black teenagers walked into an all-white high school in Clinton, Tenn. and changed history. *THE CLINTON 12* brings to life the events of that school year and the bombing of the high school in 1958. Narrated by award-winning actor James Earl Jones, *THE CLINTON 12* highlights the courage of the black students who were subjected to racially motivated violence, harassment and protests by white supremacists. The film also shows the determination of one small, predominately white, Southern town to uphold the law and confront bigotry and fear.

Sunday, January 27 at 4:00 p.m. on 8.1

America's Ballroom Challenge

Every year thousands of dancers come to Columbus, Ohio, to compete in the world's biggest ballroom dancing competition. They represent many age groups and dance styles. They come for only one reason -- to see if they have what it takes to be the very best. For those who win their divisions -- the grand finale will be their last test. When they face off against the other division champions in a winner-take-all battle for the ultimate title of "America's Best Ballroom Couple." The program is hosted by actress, singer, and dancer Jean Louisa Kelly.

Sunday, January 27 at 5:00 p.m. on 8.1

Masterpiece Classic: Downton Abbey – Season 3 – Episode 4

The Crawley family faces its severest test yet. Meanwhile, new faces try to fit into the tight-knit circle of servants. New evidence turns up in a baffling case.

Sunday, January 27 at 8:00 p.m. on 8.1

Monday, January 28 at 12:00 a.m. on 8.1

Monday, January 28 at 9:00 a.m. on 8.2

Manor of Speaking – Immediately After Downton Abbey

Join host Ernie Manouse for Channel 8's lively post-show discussion of *Downton Abbey*, the award-winning drama from PBS' *Masterpiece Classic*. The series includes lively debates on everything Downton.

Sunday, January 27 at 9:00 p.m. on 8.1

Monday, January 28 at 3:00 a.m. on 8.2

Antiques Roadshow: Boston – Hour One

In Boston, Massachusetts, *ANTIQUES ROADSHOW* host Mark L. Walberg and appraiser Wes Cowan look at a famous and controversial Paul Revere print. Notable discoveries include a Norman Rockwell collection from a guest who modeled for the artist as a child; an Aldro Hibbard oil painting brought in by the mayor of Boston; and - no visit to Beantown would be complete without it - a Red Sox World Series team-signed ball valued at \$25,000 to \$35,000.

Monday, January 28 at 7:00 p.m. on 8.1

Tuesday, January 29 at 7:00 p.m. on 8.2