

# NHPTV views

Happy Independence Day!

July 2012

## FIREWORKS AND MUSIC

Don't miss the best fireworks in the land! From the West Lawn of the U.S. Capitol, it's America's favorite Independence Day tradition: A CAPITOL FOURTH live concert! Tom Bergeron takes the helm as the host of the star-spangled affair, which features an inspiring Olympic tribute to Team USA and performances by Matthew Broderick, Megan Hilty, Kelli O'Hara and the National Symphony Orchestra, topped off by the greatest display of fireworks in the nation! **7/4 @ 8 & 9:30 p.m.**



## NHPTV RECOGNIZED WITH TWO AWARDS

Recently, NHPTV received two Boston/New England Emmy® awards for SAVING SONGBIRDS, a WINDOWS TO THE WILD special (outstanding environmental program) and our NHPTV COUNTS campaign (outstanding public service announcement). We couldn't have done it without your continued support.

**Thank you!**

(Pictured, from left: videographer Steve Giordani, producers Carla Russell & Phil Vaughn, host Willem Lange, and graphics producer Schuyler Scribner.)



## ENJOY THESE EVENTS!

*Proceeds benefit NHPTV's programs & services*

**THE DUST BOWL SCREENING & DISCUSSION WITH KEN BURNS**  
July 13, Hanover

**THE FAB FOUR**  
July 19, Hampton Beach

**GUY AND RALNA**  
September 14, Concord

**PASSPORT CRAFT BEER EVENT**  
September 15, Portsmouth

**CELTIC THUNDER**  
September 26, Concord

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## THE BRITISH ARE HERE!

This month we're celebrating Queen Elizabeth II's Diamond Jubilee and the London Olympics with a variety of programs that show the history, legends, art, and quirky character of England.

Explore the secret tunnels and grand palaces of British history **Monday nights @ 8 p.m.** when Sir Trevor McDonald looks at the customs and stories of the royal family in **QUEEN & COUNTRY**. And, Fiona Bruce takes us on a tour of **THE QUEEN'S PALACES** on **7/16 & 7/23 @ 9 p.m.**



English history is full of legends. See the dramatic clash of personalities and cultures surrounding **QUEEN VICTORIA'S EMPIRE**, **7/2 & 7/9 @ 9 p.m.** On **CHURCHILL**, airing **7/30 @ 8 p.m.**, find out more about the man who guided Britain through its finest and most challenging hour.

On **Wednesdays @ 10 p.m.**, **MICHAEL WOOD** goes to the village of Kibworth. Through this one place, he tells the 2,000-year-old story of English history from the Black Plague, the English Civil War, the Industrial Revolution, and WWII.



And of course, **Tuesday nights starting @ 8 p.m.** is **BRITISH COMEDY** time! Don't miss this great telly!

## NH TOP PICKS

### MASTERPIECE MYSTERY!

Inspector Lewis and DS Hathaway return to Oxford for a fifth season of the popular detective series, **INSPECTOR LEWIS**. At this seemingly perfect academic haven, the detective duo uncover strange and mysterious deaths. **Saturdays starting 7/14 @ 9 p.m.**



### MARKET WARRIORS

Treasure hunters embark on an antiques adventure in this new series from the producers of **ANTIQUES ROADSHOW**. Join expert shoppers as they scour flea markets across the country for vintage valuables, selling their finds at auction with an eye towards maximizing profit. Fred Willard is the off-screen guide, offering wry commentary. **Wednesdays starting 7/18 @ 9 p.m.**



### THE WAR

As we look forward to the fall premiere of Ken Burns' new film, **THE DUST BOWL**, revisit his epic documentary, **THE WAR**. In it, he shows the history and horror of World War II by following the fortunes of so-called ordinary men and women who were caught up in one of the greatest cataclysms in human history. **7/31 @ 9 p.m.**

### PBS SUMMER ARTS FESTIVAL

PBS travels the U.S. this summer to present a range of performances. This month, explore **ISLAMIC ART: MIRROR OF THE INVISIBLE WORLD** (7/6). There are astounding performances to be seen and heard: **TALES FROM A GHETTO KLOWN** (7/13); mezzo-soprano Joyce DiDonato on **HOMECOMING** with the **KANSAS CITY SYMPHONY** (7/20); and a Cuban beat in **HAVANA! HAVANA!** (7/27). **Fridays @ 9 p.m.**



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