

# Discovery Family SEPTEMBER 2017 PROGRAMMING HIGHLIGHTS

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#### PRIMETIME SERIES PROGRAMMING

#### **RETURNING SERIES**

#### Game of Homes (Season 2)

Season Premiere Monday, September 4 at 10/9c TV-PG (L)

The competition renovation series **GAME OF HOMES** returns to Discovery Family for an eight-episode second season featuring new homes, new contestants and a brand-new host. This season, Dave Salmoni guides four teams of amateur home renovators as they attempt to save dilapidated houses that are destined for the wrecking ball and revive them room by room into their dream homes. But before the competition even begins, the houses are ripped from their foundations and ceremoniously transferred to the epic 70,000-square-foot **GAME OF HOMES** arena. Here, the teams will completely renovate the run-down structures while living inside their slowly improving homes for eight weeks where they must cope with small budgets, tight deadlines and even tighter living spaces!

- Stairway to Hell premieres Monday, September 4 at 10/9c As the competitors enter the GAME OF HOMES arena for the first time, they must compete to determine which house they will be renovating for the next eight weeks. But as they begin to make plans and settle in, the competitors are hit with a massive bombshell. With just 72 hours to transform their living room, the competitors must deal with hidden surprises, lack of sleep and mounting frustrations. In the end, one team takes an early lead in the competition.
- Everything and the Kitchen Sink premieres Monday, September 11 at 10/9c Exhausted from the previous week's living room challenge, all the teams begin week two in a fiery mood. With only 72 hours to turn their kitchens from knock down to knock out, best friends Dom and Michael come to blows, Tyler and Courtney's design decision leaves them in the doghouse with the judges, Alex gets frustrated with his mom for not doing enough, and Kim and Harry's design ideas prove more than they can handle.
- There Goes the Neighborhood premieres Monday, September 18 at 10/9c
  The teams are given just 24 hours to repurpose the smallest room in the house into anything but a bedroom so they head to downtown Toronto to gain inspiration from different neighborhoods.
  Tight deadlines and tight spaces force the teams to push their creativity and relationships to the limit. Dom and Michael's unorthodox design disturbs not only the judges but also the whole neighborhood. RENO, SET, GO! co-host Cheryl Torrenueva returns to the GAME OF HOMES arena to determine the winner.
- Feature Wall Faceoff premieres Monday, September 25 at 10/9c The teams only have 24 hours to tackle their master bedrooms. Courtney and Tyler, the only team without a win, decide to take bold risks to impress the judges, while front-runners Shelley and Alex hope to continue their winning ways. Armed with only paint and tape, the contestants are asked to create a focal wall where creativity is the name of the game.

# DAYTIME SERIES PROGRAMMING

#### **ONGOING SERIES**

#### My Little Pony: Friendship is Magic (Season 7)

World premieres continue Saturdays at 11:30a/10:30c TV-Y

**MY LITTLE PONY: FRIENDSHIP IS MAGIC** follows the magical Princess Twilight Sparkle and her trusted assistant Spike, who live in Ponyville in the enchanted land of Equestria, along with her colorful pony friends – honest Applejack, generous Rarity, kind Fluttershy, loyal Rainbow Dash and fun-loving Pinkie Pie. Together, they teach one another valuable lessons about the most powerful magic of all – the magic of friendship.

- **To Change a Changeling premieres Saturday, September 2 at 11:30a/10:30c** Starlight Glimmer and Trixie visit Thorax at the changeling hive where they meet his brother, Pharynx, the only changeling still unwilling to share love and transform. Worried that Pharynx's bad attitude will undermine Thorax's leadership, they work to get him to accept that love is a strength and not a weakness.
- Daring Done premieres Saturday, September 9 at 11:30a/10:30c When Rainbow Dash's favorite author, A.K. Yearling, announces her retirement, she convinces Pinkie Pie to go on a quest to find out if the Daring Do book series will be closed forever.
- It Isn't the Mane Thing About You premieres Saturday, September 16 at 11:30a/10:30c When Rarity's shampoo is accidentally switched with Zecora's magical remover potion, she does everything she can to fix her devastated mane in time for an upcoming photo shoot.
- A Health of Information premieres Saturday, September 23 at 11:30a/10:30c While helping Fluttershy gather supplies, Zecora comes down with a terrible disease called "Swamp Fever". Even though a cure has not been discovered, Fluttershy makes it her mission to heal Zecora no matter what it takes.
- Marks and Recreation premieres Saturday, September 30 at 11:30a/10:30c Wanting to help as many blank flanks as possible, the Cutie Mark Crusaders start a Cutie Mark Day Camp, but are surprised when one of their campers doesn't want a cutie mark!

# Blazing Team (Season 2)

World premieres continue Saturdays at 7a/6c TV-Y7 (FV)

**BLAZING TEAM** brings viewers into the mystical world of "Yo Kwon Do," a practice that blends the skill of the yo-yo with the power of martial arts. In each half-hour episode, teens Parker, Scott, Maddie, Wilson and Johnny work together to become the ultimate **BLAZING TEAM** by following the guiding principle that balance in all things is key to achieving full potential. Thanks to their ongoing training with Yo Kwon Do master Lao Shi (and his pet duck Taco), these teens-turned-heroes work to stop those that have been transformed and infected with shards of darkness.

• Prison Break premieres Saturday, September 2 at 7a/6c

Yao Long conjures his latest and last Dark Entity, the Phoenix, which leads an attack on the Blazing Team headquarters, freeing the Entities from their containment prisons. While the other members of the team attempt to recapture the Entities, Parker receives a new vision from Lao Shi, who instructs him to use Vikki's light shards to free him from his own prison inside the Nexus light boulder. Vikki joins Parker on his mission to the Nexus, but she has her own secret agenda for tagging along.

- Lights Out premieres Saturday, September 2 at 7:30a/6:30c
  In Vikki's absence, Parker steps up to lead the Blazing Team. His first course of action is to find a way to permanently banish the Darkness Entities back to the Dark Realm that Yao Long conjured them from. But for that, he'll need help from an unlikely source -- his onetime foe, Dr. Shaw.
- Three the Hard Way premieres Saturday, September 9 at 7a/6c Led by Dr. Shaw on a mission to weaken Yao Long's hold on the city, Maddie, Wilson and Scott must figure out how to fight multiple Entities and banish them back to the Dark Realm without the aid of Parker's leadership or elemental fire energy.
- Season Finale: It Takes Two premieres Saturday, September 9 at 7:30a/6:30c When Lao Shi appears to Vikki asking for help, she and Parker go to the Nexus to try to free him, but are sucked in instead. They fight the encroaching Darkness on their search for Lao Shi, only to discover that a sacrifice must be made if any of them are to escape.

# **MOVIES/STUNTS**

# The Making of My Little Pony: The Movie

World Premiere Saturday, September 30 at 7/6c TV-G

Join Discovery Family for an exclusive behind-the-scenes look at the making of the upcoming feature film MY LITTLE PONY: THE MOVIE. Meet the cast and creators in this behind-the-scenes special and see what it takes to bring Equestria to the silver screen!

#### Legally Blonde

# Airs Friday, September 1 at 7/6c

TV-PG (DL)

She's a California sorority girl who will do anything to keep her man. Even if it means going all the way to law school! Elle Woods (Reese Witherspoon) is a California blonde with couture clothes, fabulous friends and the hottest boyfriend on campus. So when Warner Huntington III suddenly dumps her and heads for Harvard Law School, Elle takes matters into her own perfectly manicured hands. She enrolls too! Elle is about to begin the toughest fight of her life for love, honor, justice and respect for blondes everywhere!

#### Raise Your Voice

Airs Saturday, September 2 at 6:30/5:30c

TV-PG

Terri, a small-town singer, brokenhearted by the loss of her brother in a car crash, discovers he had secretly submitted her for a summer session at a performing arts academy in Los Angeles. Once there, she experiences a whole new way of life and must confront her lack of formal classic training if she hopes to succeed.

#### The Sandlot

# Airs Saturday, September 2 at 9/8c

TV-PG

It's the early 1960s and fifth-grader Scotty Smalls has just moved into town with his folks. Kids call him a dork – he can't even throw a baseball! But that changes when the leader of the neighborhood gang recruits him to play on the nearby sandlot field. It's the beginning of a magical summer of baseball, wild adventures, first kisses and fearsome confrontations with the dreaded Beast and its owner who live behind the left field fence. Soon, nine boys have become best friends, Scotty is part of a team and their leader has become a local legend in this hilarious and warmhearted comedy.

#### Ice Age

# Airs Sunday, September 3 at 9/8c

TV-PG

They came... they thawed... they conquered the hearts of audiences everywhere in the coolest animated adventure of all time! Heading south to avoid a bad case of global frostbite, a group of migrating misfit creatures embark on a hilarious quest to reunite a human baby with his tribe. Featuring an all-star voice cast including Ray Romano, John Leguizamo and Denis Leary, ICE AGE is a pure delight for all ages!

#### Mr. Magorium's Wonder Emporium

# Airs Sunday, September 3 at 11/10c

TV-PG

Mr. Magorium owns the most amazing store in the world – a tantalizing toy haven in which everything inside literally comes to life. But when the boss decides to retire, the shop throws a tantrum and all its wonders begin to cease. Now Mr. Magorium's reluctant manager, skeptical accountant and most loyal customer must work together to save the emporium...by finding a little magic within themselves.

#### Stuart Little

#### Airs Friday, September 15 at 9/8c

TV-PG

When the Littles go to an orphanage to adopt a new family member, a charming young mouse named Stuart is chosen. While George is initially unwelcoming to his new brother, the family cat, Snowbell, is even less enthusiastic about having a mouse as his "master" and plots to get rid of him. Against these difficulties, Stuart resolves to face them with as much pluck, love and courage as he can muster. In doing so, he shows his beloved new family that great things can truly come in small packages.

#### "Sing-A-Long Sundays!"

#### Every Sunday in September at 9a/8c

Discovery Family is taking in-home karaoke to a whole new level! Every Sunday in September, the network features musical episodes from your favorite animated series and adds a bouncing ball so viewers can sing-a-long with their favorite Discovery Family characters!

#### "Kids in Control"

Every Friday at 4/3c in September

Each week, from Friday through Wednesday, Discovery Family invites young viewers and their parents to vote for their favorite animated series at <u>www.discoveryfamilychannel.com</u> and on Facebook <u>@DiscFamily</u>. Episodes from the winning series air back-to-back every Friday afternoon at 4/3c.