

ANIMAL PLANET PRIMETIME HIGHLIGHTS WEEKS OF OCTOBER 2nd AND OCTOBER 9th (AS OF 9.30.16)

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Series Premiere

MONSTERS INSIDE ME Thursday, October 13 at 10 PM ET/PT

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WEEK OF OCTOBER 2nd (as of 9.30.16)

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 7th

TANKED: Real Aquariums of Beverly Hills World Premiere Friday, October 7, at 10 PM (ET/PT) TV-PG

The Real Housewives of Beverly Hills' Erika Girardi calls on the aquarium kings, Wayde and Brett, to build her an over-the-top tank to compliment her 7 million dollar home. While she already has one aquarium, she wants this one to be built into her library's 100-year-old bookshelf. The pressure mounts as she demands the guys make it a safe octopus habitat as well! If the guys can't deliver, they may be seeing Erika's husband, famed attorney Tom Girardi, in court!

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8th

LIFE AT VET U: Match Day Madness World Premiere Saturday, October 8, at 10 PM (ET/PT) TV-PG

Tensions are high as Match Day dawns, which is when the fourth-year students find out if they've matched to an internship program after graduation. For those who don't match, they must scramble to figure out their future – and fast. On top of the stress, there is still work to be done and patients in need of care: Max assists in a high-tech heart surgery on a Pitbull mix; Melanie cares for a Pomeranian with diabetes; and Morgan works to discover the source of lameness in a horse.

WEEK OF OCTOBER 9th (as of 9.30.16)

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 13th

MONSTERS INSIDE ME: I have a WHAT in my WHAT?

World Premiere Thursday, October 13, at 10 PM (ET/PT) TV-14

Monsters are lurking where you'd least expect it. In the suburbs of Atlanta, a four-month-old baby falls mysteriously ill and as the child struggles to breathe, doctors race to discover the identity of the hidden monster. Then a globe-trotting man experiences a twinge in his groin which starts out as mild discomfort but soon develops into paralyzing pain. The terror causing it is the stuff of nightmares. And on Florida's panhandle, a woman keeps gainingweight but neither her nor a raft of doctors can understand why. What they eventually uncover is truly shocking.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14th

TANKED: DJ of Dragons

World Premiere Friday, October 14, at 10 PM (ET/PT)

TV-PG

World famous DJ and renowned cake thrower, Steve Aoki, wants to get Tanked! Steve's imagination is the most exceptional one Wayde and Brett have ever encountered, and his house is a unique attraction unto itself. Inside his tank, Steve wants a custom three-headed dragon that's on the verge of escape. The guys have to make it over the top to match Steve Aoki's outrageous lifestyle or risk getting cake in the face!

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15th

LIFE AT VET U: Large Animal Emergency World Premiere Saturday, October 15, at 10 PM (ET/PT) TV-PG

The students of **LIFE AT VET U** are halfway through spring semester and with their internship plans decided, they are one step closer to becoming doctors. First, Rebecca tries to solve the mystery of a puppy's vomiting. Lindsay has a hectic week treating a mare and foal for pneumonia and assisting in a cow C-section. Later, Max helps to remove a gallbladder from a family's beloved dog. Finally, Melanie receives troubling news about her own cat Dr. Butterfat and has to bring him into the hospital.

SERIES DESCRIPTIONS

Below you will find the series descriptions of the shows airing the weeks of October 2 and October 9

MONSTERS INSIDE ME

Series Airs Thursdays at 10 PM (ET/PT)

Forget scorpions, snakes and spiders; the new season of Animal Planet's **MONSTERS INSIDE ME** is what will keep you up at night. Biologist Dr. Dan Riskin is back as host and provides scientific perspective on the terrors plaguing these unsuspecting victims. It seems no one is safe from petrifying parasites, bacteria, fungus and foreign objects looking to plague the body.

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TANKED

Series Airs Fridays at 10 PM (ET/PT)

In **TANKED**, Las Vegas-based Acrylic Tank Manufacturing (ATM), one of the country's most successful builders of aquariums, and co-owners Wayde King and Brett Raymer, two of Sin City's most imaginative businessmen are tasked with building enormous and awe-inspiring tanks and aquariums for top celebrities, luxury hotels and casinos, Fortune 500 businesses, private homes and homeowners across the

country. ATM takes on more than 200 projects every year with tanks ranging from 50 to five million gallons in size that feature the most exotic, unusual, colorful and dangerous fish in the world. Press Site: https://press.discovery.com/us/apl/programs/tanked-season-6/

LIFE AT VET U

Season Airs Saturdays at 10 PM (ET/PT)

Animal Planet takes viewers behind the scenes of the University of Pennsylvania School of Veterinary Medicine (Penn Vet) as six students embark on a journey to graduation – the culmination of four intense, but rewarding, years of never-ending studying, round-the-clock rotations and unpredictable cases. With unprecedented access to the school's two internationally renowned teaching hospitals – Ryan Hospital for companion animals and New Bolton Center hospital for large animals – **LIFE AT VET U** gives an exclusive look at the grit and grind it takes to make it in this highly competitive world.

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