

ANIMAL PLANET PRIMETIME HIGHLIGHTS WEEKS OF OCTOBER 16th AND OCTOBER 23rd (AS OF 10.13.16)

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WEEK OF OCTOBER 16th (as of 10.13.16)

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20th

MONSTERS INSIDE ME: There's Something Living in My Hand! World Premiere Thursday, October 20 at 10 PM (ET/PT) TV-14

A high school football star in Idaho has a mysterious infection that takes control of his body and sends him to the brink of death. In the suburbs of Chicago, a stay-at-home mother of three is plagued by pain in her eye, light sensitivity and numbness in her arm leaving her unable to care for her children. And in Ft. Lauderdale, a marina dock master suffers from crippling pain in his left hand. What's inside is the stuff of science fiction.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 21st

TANKED: Country Superstar Surprise! World Premiere Friday, October 21 at 10 PM (ET/PT) TV-PG

Wayde and Brett receive a special request from Brittany Kerr, wife of country superstar Jason Aldean, who wants a custom fish tank for their dream home. The hard part? Jason has no idea this is happening; it's a complete surprise and must be built before he returns from his tour in two weeks. The guys have never pulled off a surprise tank where the stakes were this high and try not to reveal the secret.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22nd

LIFE AT VET U: Emergency C-Section World Premiere Saturday, October 22 at 10 PM (ET/PT) TV-PG

The fourth-year students are a month away from becoming doctors, and the anticipation is building. Clint assists in an emergency C-section on a Cocker Spaniel only to discover that her only newborn puppy may not make it. Next, Melanie solves the mystery of a young American bulldog's itchy skin, and Morgan works an overnight emergency shift before leaving town to help the animals on an Indian reservation in New Mexico.

WEEK OF OCTOBER 23rd (as of 10.13.16)

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 27th

MONSTERS INSIDE ME: My Wife is Rotting

World Premiere Thursday, October 27 at 10 PM (ET/PT)

TV-14

A family from Louisiana is on a Caribbean cruise when their two-year-old has frightening seizures — threatening her life. In Northern California, a stay-at-home mother of two develops a rash across her body and bizarre swelling in her abdomen. Does she survive the beast devouring her from within? Then a six-year-old boy in Georgia experiences severe headaches and vomiting, as a result of one of the planet's deadliest parasites.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 28th

TANKED: Nacho Average Fish Tanks

World Premiere Friday, October 28 at 10 PM (ET/PT)

TV-PG

A Las Vegas restaurant, Nacho Daddy, demands a custom terrarium to house its signature scorpions – an ATM first! The whole team is on high alert as they learn how to build a home for these creepy crawlers. National tool manufacturer, Snap On Tools, is hosting its annual convention and wants to impress its customers. The company decides to send one of its giant tool storage chests to Wayde and Brett in Vegas for the signature ATM treatment.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29th

LIFE AT VET U: Critical Care

World Premiere Saturday, October 29 at 10 PM (ET/PT)

TV-PG

Graduation is around the corner, and the fourth-year students must buckle down during their final rotations. Max is put to the test during a rotation with Dr. Richardson – one of the toughest teachers at Penn. Lindsay tackles the intricate task of castrating a horse, and Rebecca must keep her composure during a family's tearful decision. Clint says goodbye to his second home at the Working Dog Center.

SERIES DESCRIPTIONS

Below you will find the series descriptions of the shows airing the weeks of October 16 and October 23

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.

Press Site: https://press.discovery.com/us/apl/programs/monsters-inside-me-season-7/

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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