

AHC MAY 2014 HIGHLIGHTS

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SPECIALS

AHC FILMS

AHC FILMS launches in 2014 as a new outlet for independent non-fiction filmmakers seeking a television home for projects that recognize a wide range of American heroes through uplifting, engaging stories. AHC Films aims to showcase buzz-worthy documentaries; offering viewers a unique television experience through which they encounter inspirational and powerful stories of the men and women, who have shaped the world we live in today.

• CHOSIN Premieres Monday, May 26 at 9/8c As one of the early conflicts in the Korean War, the Battle of Chosin is known as one of the seminal skirmishes of the Marine Corps' proud history. The brutal combat lasted 17 days in subfreezing temperatures amongst rugged terrain, clashing 15,000 U.S. Marines with 67,000 Chinese troops. Breaking a 60-year silence from the surviving "Chosin Few," CHOSIN recounts one of the most savage, yet monumental battles in American history.

PREMIERES

MAFIA'S GREATEST HITS

All-New Series Premieres Saturday, May 31 at 9/8c

MAFIA'S GREATEST HITS uncovers the extraordinary truth behind some of the Mafia's most notorious outlaws, and reveals how the FBI and law enforcement developed the techniques to crack the organization and bring it to justice. This is the story of the rise and fall of the Mafia, told by the people who brought it down.

• Lucky Luciano *Premieres Saturday, May 31 at 9/8c* Notorious mob boss <u>Charlie Lucky' Luciano</u> used his Mafia connections to help the U.S. government during WWII in return for his parole.

FINALES

CIA DECLASSIFIED ** TV-PG

Season 1 Finale Airs Tuesday, May 6 at 10/9c

CIA DECLASSIFIED tells the inside stories of America's most top secret missions to track down and eliminate the nation's most wanted enemies. Drawing from recently declassified documents from the CIA and insider accounts to the agents who were there, CIA DECLASSIFIED peels back the curtain to tell the real stories behind the manhunts and covert operations that delivered lethal justice.

• The Deadly Phantom Coup Premieres Tuesday, May 6 at 10/9c Guatemala 1954: A mercenary army of 400 men surges towards the border of Guatemala led by one man, Castillo Armas - who the CIA want to be the country's next president. They face daunting odds and an army of 6,000, but the CIA plans to use an entirely new kind of weapon – psychological warfare – to put him in power. This is the true story of the CIA's first ever coup d'état in Latin America.

ONGOING SERIES

MYTH HUNTERS TV-PG

Season 2 Premieres Continue Sundays at 10/9c

Ever wonder if Noah's Ark actually exists, or if the Holy Grail's supernatural powers provide eternal youth? For some, these seeming legends are an authentic reality. MYTH HUNTERS tells the gripping adventures of the ultimate quest seekers who believe in the myths and are on a mission to prove their historical accuracy.

- The Curse of Montezuma's Gold *Premieres Sunday, May 4 at 10/9c* Faced with annihilation by Spanish conquistadors, Montezuma ordered the hiding of his fabled treasure. For centuries adventurers went into the Mexican hills looking for it, but many believe that if Montezuma had hidden the gold, it would be far from where they were hunting. Is the treasure protected by an army of Aztec warriors and the curse of Montezuma?
- The Search for Our Lady of Atocha *Premieres Sunday, May 11 at 10/9c* This is the story of Mel Fisher's obsession to find a lost Spanish Galleon loaded with treasure. He risked everything and faced terrible personal tragedy in his quest.
- The Search for King Arthur's Bones *Premieres Sunday, May 18 at 10/9c* Thirty years after the Church closed Frederick Bligh Bond's excavation, famed archaeologist Ralegh Radford stares into an empty pit. Has he found the final resting place of King Arthur, the wielder of Excalibur, the founder of Camelot and the Lord of the Round Table?
- The Lost Library of Ivan the Terrible *Premieres Sunday, May 25 at 10/9c* Young archaeologist Ignatius Stelletski risks everything in his quest to find one of the world's greatest treasures the fabled lost library of Ivan the Terrible.

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