



OWN: OPRAH WINFREY NETWORK APRIL 2011 HIGHLIGHTS

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NEW SERIES

(P) Denotes: Premieres

"Kidnapped By The Kids"

Series Premiere - Monday, April 4 at 9:00 p.m. ET/PT (60 minutes)

As parents everywhere struggle to balance the incredible demands of work and family, "Kidnapped By The Kids" finds out what happens when the kids are in charge. Can mom or dad learn to be a better parent from their child? The kids are done sacrificing their parents to their jobs, and are taking matters into their own hands. In this forced work sabbatical, it's goodbye to cell phones and hello to family time with the kids at the helm.

(P) Monday, April 4 (10 – 11 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: Daughter Disconnect

Wade Morris, Sr., a self-employed businessman with an 80 hour work week, leaves very little time for his family. With Wade's wife Amber at her breaking point, nine year old Analei and five year old Wade Morris, Jr. kidnap their dad so they can spend quality time together.

(P) Monday, April 11 (10 – 11 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: I'm the Daughter, Not the Mother

Working two jobs, Shannon Webb's hectic schedule makes her a virtual stranger in her own home. Greg, Shannon's husband of five years, was injured shortly after they were married, forcing Shannon to pick up the slack financially. Since then Shannon has been climbing the corporate ladder, enjoying the recognition she receives for her work. Fed up with their mom choosing work over family, kids Tayler, Morgan and Loren kidnap their workaholic mom taking her zip-lining, fishing and they revive their old tradition of "family fun night."

(P) Monday, April 18 (10 – 11 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: Practice What You Preach

Che Garcia is a full-time pastor of a local church and the owner and manager of a thrift store. Devoting seven days a week to his ministry and the store leaves little time to spend with his family. Che's wife of 15 years, Janice, feels their relationship is growing apart - that they are more like business partners than husband and wife. The Garcia children, Che Jr., Gemma, Aliana and Maya, are all active in sports - but Che hasn't made it to a single game this year. The Garcia kids are tired of their dad juggling 14-hour days working two full-time jobs and kidnap him for quality family time.

(P) Monday, April 25 (9 – 10 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: Traveling Dad

Hank Margolis is a high-power business consultant who travels out-of-state Monday through Thursday, and continues to work most weekends at his home office. Hank's wife of fifteen years, Amy, feels alone in her marriage. What's even more alarming is his son Jack's belief that Hank leaves every week because he has a family in another state that he would rather be with. Desperate to make Hank see how his choices are affecting them, the kids take matters into their own hands.

"Addicted to Food"

Series Premiere - Tuesday, April 5 at 10:00 p.m. ET/PT (60 minutes)

In this riveting new docu-series, eight people battle their addiction to the one thing they literally can't live without: food. At Shades of Hope, a rural Texas treatment center, these eight desperate clients struggle through an intense 42-day treatment plan led by maverick therapist Tennie McCarty. Using unorthodox methods and a tough-love approach, Tennie asks her clients to confront the most painful issues in their lives that have led them to become hooked on food as an escape. Full of drama, emotion, and triumph, "Addicted to Food" shows us that recovery is possible even for people who fear their lives are hopeless.

(P) Tuesday, April 5 (10 – 11 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: Welcome to Treatment

Five women and one man struggle with compulsive over eating as two women wrestle with bulimia. Together they embark on a 42-day journey that will turn their worlds upside down. Led by maverick therapist Tennie McCarty, the eight clients learn that the key to overcoming their disorder is to face those most painful issues in their lives that have caused them to turn to food as an escape.

(P) Tuesday, April 12 (10 – 11 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: Exposed

During their first week in treatment at Shades of Hope, Tinisha begins a painful detox from food and threatens to leave, while other clients wrestle with assignments designed to help them face the emotional pain that their eating disorder has caused.

(P) Tuesday, April 19 (10 – 11 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: If It's Not One Thing, It's Your Mother

Using a visualization exercise, Tennie helps the clients work through the pain of their childhoods. Tensions rise leading patients Elizabeth and Tinisha to rebel against the meal plan, and Traacey is forced to deal with the grief over her brother's death.

(P) Tuesday, April 26 (10 – 11 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: I Have A Right to Be Angry!

While Tennie encourages the clients to express the pain of their childhood through explosive "shame and anger" role-play, Amy refuses to open up in group therapy and rebels against the staff.

“The Judds”

Two-Hour Series Premiere - Sunday, April 10 (9 - 11 p.m. ET/PT)

“The Judds” is a unique docu-series that captures the complex and sometimes comical relationship between Naomi and Wynonna Judd -- one of the most successful mother-daughter country music duos in the history of entertainment. Set against the rich backdrop of their much-anticipated 18-city reunion tour, “The Judds” follows Naomi and Wynonna's emotional journey as they work to heal old wounds, reconnect with their fans and share the spotlight once again.

(P) Sunday, April 10 (9 – 10 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: Naomi’s Secret

After decades of conflict, country music royalty Naomi and Wynonna Judd prepare for their first concert tour together in 10 years, and risk shattering the fragile peace they’ve attained as painful memories are stirred up for both mother and daughter.

(P) Sunday, April 10 (10 – 11 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: Hurricane Wynonna

Wynonna and Naomi are overwhelmed by last minute preparations as they leave their ranch in Tennessee, bound for their opening night concert in Green Bay. The moment of truth arrives as the Judds take the stage for the first time in a decade.

(P) Sunday, April 17 (10 – 11 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: Heartbreak in the Heartland

As the Judds’ tour progresses, Naomi struggles with nightmarish memories of her childhood abuse. She desperately wants to reveal her secret, but when opportunities arise for Naomi to tell those closest to her, she finds herself unable to open up.

(P) Sunday, April 24 (10 – 11 p.m. ET/PT) Episode: Naomi Tells Her Secret

Naomi finally summons the courage to tell her daughter Wynonna about the abuse she suffered as a child, and is stunned by the manuscript of daughter Ashley’s soon-to-be-published tell-all autobiography.

CONTINUING SERIES (New Episodes)

“The Gayle King Show”

Monday through Friday at 10:00 a.m. ET/PT (60 minutes)

Start your day off right with *O, The Oprah Magazine* Editor-at-Large Gayle King as her hit radio show “The Gayle King Show” comes to television, live Monday through Friday on OWN. Each and every morning, Gayle's unique perspective, enthusiasm, insight, and respect to anything and everything with her own unfiltered opinions on newsmakers, celebrities, hot topics and pop culture, all while bringing viewers closer to their favorite celebrities and notable public figures with her revealing and compelling interviews.

Upcoming Guests:

4/4 – Peter Greenberg (Travel journalist to discuss airline etiquette), The Morris Family (“Kidnapped by the Kids”), Pam Slaton (“Searching For...”)

4/6 – Jillian Michaels (“The Biggest Loser” and *Unlimited: How to Build an Exceptional Life*), Cindi Leive (Glamour Magazine Editor-in-Chief)

4/7 – Caroline Kennedy (new book of poetry titled “She Walks in Poetry”) and Tom Colicchio (“Top Chef”)

**“Season 25: Oprah Behind The Scenes”
Sundays (8-9 p.m. ET/PT)**

For the first and last time, "The Oprah Winfrey Show" opens its doors to invite viewers behind the scenes for the making of the farewell season. See what happens off-camera as the staff, guests and Oprah herself reveal a side the public has never seen of one of television's most popular and enduring series. Get an inside look at the passion, the pressure and the people that dedicate their lives to producing one of the most beloved shows in television history.

(P) Sunday, April 3 (8-9 p.m. ET/PT)

Hugh Jackman's headline-making entrance goes wrong, bringing Oprah's show at the Sydney Opera House to a screeching halt.

(P) Sunday, April 10 (8-9 p.m. ET/PT)

It's Oprah's birthday, and the team has surprises in store for her from special guests Jennifer Aniston and Adam Sandler. Meanwhile, Oprah and her producers must deal with a show that appears to have missed the mark.

(P) Sunday, April 17 (8-9 p.m. ET/PT)

Oprah and the staff welcome First Lady Michelle Obama and later take on a challenge to go vegan for one week.

(P) Sunday, April 24 (8-9 p.m. ET/PT)

Oprah and the team face the biggest blizzard Chicago has seen in 25 years, with two shows hanging in the balance and a super star guest gone missing.

**“Oprah Presents Master Class”
Sundays (9-10 p.m. ET/PT)**

They are the stories you've never heard from the people you thought you knew best. Hand-picked by Oprah Winfrey for their unique impact on the world, eight true modern masters step forward to share the greatest lessons they've learned along the way. In an intimate setting, they share their successes, their failures, their triumphs, disappointments and heartbreaks. Master Class offers an unprecedented first-person insight into the brilliant minds of the famous people we love, respect, and admire. First season masters include Jay-Z, Simon Cowell, Sidney Poitier, Dr. Maya Angelou, Diane Sawyer, Lorne Michaels, Dr. Condoleezza Rice and Oprah Winfrey.

(P) Sunday, April 3 (9 - 10 p.m. ET/PT) – Episode: Oprah Winfrey (Part 2)

In part two of an intimate conversation with Oprah Winfrey, she shares how "The Oprah Winfrey Show" started and became a cultural phenomenon, talks about her experience getting cast in "The Color Purple" and opens up about her personal life.

"Searching For..."
Mondays (10 – 11 p.m. ET/PT)

"Searching For..." is a docu-series following the real-life work of Pam Slaton, a professional investigative genealogist, stay-at-home mom and New Jersey housewife. Viewers are in for an intensely personal and emotional ride as cameras follow Pam and her clients through the step-by-step journey of "Searching For" a lost loved one. Each searcher's story is vastly different and the outcomes are highly unpredictable and emotionally charged. Whether Pam's clients experience a joyous reunion, painful rejection, or tragic loss, they are all guaranteed to walk away with the closure they were desperately seeking.

(P) Monday, April 4 (10 - 11 p.m. ET/PT) –Episode: Carmine & Faith

It's a race against the clock for two of Pam's clients. Carmine is on a mission to find his brother before it's too late, and Faith is searching for the teacher who changed her life. Pam becomes inspired to do a personal search of her own.

(P) Monday, April 11 (10 - 11 p.m. ET/PT) – Episode: Aimee & Reina

Aimee has wanted to find her birth family for as long as she can remember, but how will Pam react if they don't want to meet Aimee? Reina is searching for the long lost friend who helped her through one of the most difficult times in her life.

(P) Monday, April 18 (10 - 11 p.m. ET/PT) – Episode: Elyse & Jen

After Elyse Moore's birth mother rejected her, she asked Pam to help her search for her birth father. Orphaned as an infant, Jen Noone wants to thank the American soldier who helped her get to the U.S. after the Vietnam War.

SPECIALS

"Prince William & Catherine: A Royal Love Story"

Two new ninety-minute primetime specials featuring details of the meeting and romance of HRH Prince William and Kate Middleton.

(P) Part One Premieres Saturday, April 9 (8-9:30 p.m. ET/PT)

Part one reveals how Kate harbored a crush on William since her days at Marlborough, how they met at the University, became friends and then lovers, and like so many couples all over the world, split up...but how their friendship eventually blossomed into romance and an engagement. "A Royal Love Story" reveals the sometimes glamorous, and sometimes very ordinary, background to one of the most talked about romances of the 21st century.

(P) Part Two Premieres Thursday, May 12 (8-9:30 p.m. ET/PT)

In part two, the entire world waits in anticipation of the wedding as the new "people's princess" Kate prepares to take her vows. Full of regal pomp and ceremony, the special documents the most eagerly anticipated Royal Wedding since Prince Charles and Princess Diana married nearly 30 years ago.

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