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MY LITTLE PONY: FRIENDSHIP IS MAGIC HEADS TO THE CRYSTAL EMPIRE IN A NEW SEASON STARTING MARCH 26

(Miami, FL and Los Angeles, CA, March 17, 2016) – An all-new season of *My Little Pony: Friendship is Magic*, the beloved series created by Hasbro Studios, debuts on Discovery Family on Saturday, March 26 at 11:00 AM ET/ 10:00 AM Central. Packed with new adventures, characters and self-discovery, Season 6 kicks off with a very special one-hour premiere, where Princess Twilight Sparkle and the rest of the Mane 6 head to the Crystal Empire for the "Crystalling" of Princess Cadance and Shining Armor's new baby, Flurry Heart.

Throughout Season 6 of My Little Pony: Friendship is Magic, The Mane 6: Twilight Sparkle, Rainbow Dash, Pinkie Pie, Fluttershy, Rarity and Applejack embark on exciting adventures across Equestria - to explore new locations, as well as revisit some familiar favorites – like Manehattan, Cloudsdale, and the Crystal Empire. In addition, with their cutie marks finally acquired, the Cutie Mark Crusaders begin to explore their destinies as the magic of Season 6 unfolds.

This season brings surprises and treats for viewers, including holiday specials and several new, original songs that are soon to be fan-favorites. Viewers will be introduced to new characters, a few of which will reveal the mysterious backstory of some of the main cast.

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.

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