

HGTV COMPETITION SERIES 'BATTLE ON THE BEACH' PREMIERES WITH DOUBLE-DIGIT GAINS IN KEY DEMOS

New York [June 10, 2022] More than 4.4 million total viewers tuned in to the season premiere of HGTV's hit competition series <u>Battle on the Beach</u> on Sunday, June 5, at 9 p.m. ET/PT. The episode garnered a .59 live plus three-day rating among P25-54 and a .75 live plus three-day rating among W25-54, reflecting an increase of 59 percent and 67 percent respectively over the prior six weeks. During the episode, which also delivered a .55 L3 rating among upscale P25-54 and a .75 L3 rating among upscale W25-54, HGTV star mentor <u>Alison Victoria</u> (*Windy City Rehab*) led her team to victory in the kitchen renovation challenge, besting rival mentors <u>Taniya Nayak</u> (*Restaurant Impossible*) and <u>Ty Pennington</u> (*Rock the Block*). In addition, ratings among M25-54 reflected an increase of 48 percent over the prior six weeks. <u>Battle on the Beach</u> also ranked as a top 3 cable premiere with P25-54 and W25-54 as well as a top 5 cable premiere with upscale P25-54 and upscale W25-54 in the Sunday 9-10:30 p.m. ET/PT timeslot.

"HGTV fans love *Battle on the Beach* because it brings some of their favorite network stars together to compete in a fun and entertaining way," said Loren Ruch, group senior vice president, programming and development, HGTV. "Plus, the beachfront surroundings and seaside-inspired designs make it the perfect way to enjoy all the summer vibes."

For *Battle on the Beach* show updates, fans can visit <u>HGTV.com</u> and follow @HGTV on <u>Facebook</u>, <u>Twitter</u> and <u>Instagram</u> as well as <u>@taniyanayak</u>, <u>@thetypennington</u>, and <u>@thealisonvictoria</u> on Instagram, and they also can stream the entire first season on <u>discovery+</u>.

Battle on the Beach is produced by Departure Films.

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Viewers can become fans of HGTV and interact with other home improvement enthusiasts through <u>Facebook</u>, <u>Twitter</u>, <u>Pinterest</u>, <u>Instagram</u> and <u>TikTok</u>. HGTV is owned by Warner Bros. Discovery, a leading global media and entertainment company available in more than 220

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