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THE HUB TV NETWORK DECEMBER 2012 HIGHLIGHTS All times listed Eastern Time (ET)

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SPECIAL PROGRAMMING

December 3

"Pound Puppies" (9-9:30 a.m.; encores: Tues, Dec. 4, noon-12:30 p.m.; Sun, Dec. 9, 10-10:30 a.m.; Tues, Dec. 18, noon-12:30 p.m.; Sat, Dec. 22, 9-9:30 a.m. and Mon, Dec. 24, noon-12:30 p.m. and 2:30-3 p.m.). **"I Heard the Barks on Christmas Eve"** - The Pound Puppies need a miracle to place thousands of puppies that are overflowing from shelters all over town. The task seems insurmountable, but Rebound's tenacity may be just enough to pull off a Christmas miracle. **Rating: TV-Y**

"Strawberry Shortcakes Berry Bitty Adventures" (1-1:30 p.m.; encores: Sat, Dec. 22 7:30-8am and Mon, Dec. 24, noon-12:30 p.m.). **"Happy First Frost"** - When Blueberry gives a First Frost Day "secret" gift that's more what she wants than what her giftee wants, a hot-potato of passing on the unwanted gift occurs. **Rating: TV-Y, E/I**

Hub Family Movie: Animaniacs: Wakko's Wish (Sat, Dec. 8, 9-11 p.m.; encores: 1-3 a.m.; Sun, Dec. 23, 3-5 p.m.; Mon, Dec. 24, 8-10 p.m. and 2-4 a.m.). In this musical extravaganza, Wakko Warner miraculously picks the one star in the sky that can make his wish for happiness come true. There's only one catch -- the only way to get the wish is to travel to where the star has landed and touch it. **Rating: TV-G**

Wednesday, December 12

"The Adventures of Chuck and Friends" (6:30-7 a.m.; encore: Mon, Dec. 24, 6:30-7am)
"Up All Night; Boomer The Snowplow" - Chuck and friends try to stay up late to welcome in the New Year; It's Christmastime at the truck stop and Boomer admits that he wants to be a snowplow when he grows up. **Rating: TV-Y, E/I**

Friday, December 13

"R.L. Stine's The Haunting Hour: The Series" (6-6:30 p.m.; encores: Sat, Dec. 22, 6-6:30 p.m. and Tues, Dec. 25, 6-6:30 p.m.). **"A Creature Was Stirring"** - It didn't matter if Timmy was naughty or nice... this year he got one present he couldn't return. **Rating: TV-PG**

Friday, December 14

"The Adventures of Chuck and Friends" (6:30-7am; encore: Tues, Dec. 25, 6:30-7am)
"The Regifiers" - Robotruck is the hottest new toy this Christmas, and Chuck got the last one in the

stores. When he discovers that Boomer also wanted the toy, Chuck decides to "re-give" it, and discovers the value of giving meaningful gifts. **Rating: TV-Y, E/I**

Wednesday, December 19

"The Facts of Life" (8-10 p.m.)

- **"The Christmas Show"** (8-8:30 p.m.; encore: 2-2:30am) - Blair fails to trick Jo into accepting a monetary gift that would allow her to spend the holidays with her mother, but she does devise an offer in the true spirit of Christmas that Jo can't refuse.
- **"Christmas in the Big House"** (8:30-9 p.m.; encore: 2:30-3 a.m.) - In the spirit of Christmas, the girls and Mrs. Garrett get involved in putting on a show for an orphanage, only to have their good intentions land them in jail.
- **"Christmas Baby"** (9-9:30 p.m.) - Blair's pregnant mother is about to make an unexpected Christmas delivery six weeks early but Blair gets a last minute case of cold feet in her role as "coach" and surrogate father.
- **"It's a Wonderful Christmas"** (9:30-10 p.m.) - Feeling unneeded by her Peekskill "family," Beverly Ann succumbs to the holiday blues, until Santa Claus guides her through a Christmas fantasy that makes her realize just how loved she really is.

Rating: TV-PG

Thursday, December 20

"ALF" (8-8:30 p.m.; encore: 2 a.m.)

"Oh, Tannerbaum" - It's ALF's first Christmas! As the Tanner family gets ready to decorate the house, ALF accidentally dampens the holiday spirit by chopping the Christmas tree into firewood. **Rating: TV-G**

Friday, December 21

"Transformers Animated"

- **"Human Error – Part 1"** (6-6:30 p.m.; encore: Tues, Dec. 25, 5-5:30 p.m.) - Optimus Prime is uneasy when Porter C. Powell starts selling Soundwave action figures for Christmas. The holiday takes an even stranger turn when the Autobots wake up in altered states, just as Detroit City is being invaded by Decepticons.
- **"Human Error – Part 2"** (6:30-7 p.m.; encore: Tues, Dec. 25, 5:30-6 p.m.) - As Soundwave uses his action figures to take control of Detroit City, Sari searches for a way to help Optimus Prime and the Autobots escape from Soundwave's altered reality before they are transformed permanently into Decepticons.

Rating: TV-Y7, FV

Saturday, December 22

"The Twisted Whiskers Show" (6-6:30 a.m.)

"Mister Mewster's Holiday Spectacular; Road Rage Racers" -What starts out as holiday cheer at Mewster's house turns into chaos when cats and dogs go wild, and Von Ripper chews up Santa; The race is on when a new mall opens, offering a prize of free pet food to the first pets who show up at the grand opening. **Rating: TV-G**

"Care Bears: Welcome to Care-a-Lot" (8-9 a.m.)

- **"Holiday Hics"** (8-8:30 a.m.) - It's Great Giving Day Eve. But when Tenderheart gets a bad case of the hiccups, the Care Bears must cure him before the holiday is ruined.
- **"Holi-Stage"** (8:30-9 a.m.) It's Great Giving Day. But when Ethan comes to help the Care Bears with their Great Giving Day Pageant, he takes over the pageant, jeopardizing Great Giving Bear's once-a-year appearance.

Rating: TV-Y

"My Little Pony Friendship is Magic" (10-10:30 a.m.; encore: Mon, Dec. 24, 11:30am-noon)

"Hearth's Warming Eve" - The six friends are honored to put on Canterlot's most important play of the season, the Hearth's Warming Eve's holiday pageant that illustrates how Unicorns, Pegasi and Earth Ponies put aside their differences and founded Equestria. **Rating: TV-Y**

"Dan Vs." (4-4:30 p.m.)

"The Mall Santa" - Dan and Chris land jobs at the mall's Christmas display and Dan finds himself at war with the Mall Santa. Guest starring Mark Hamill. **Rating: TV-PG**

Hub TV Special: "The Christmas Toy" (9-10 a.m.; encore: Tues, Dec. 25, 11 a.m.-noon) - The Jones' celebrate Christmas Eve in this one-hour, Jim Henson Christmas special where the toys in the playroom magically come to life when people are not around. **Rating: TV-G**

Sunday, December 23

"Transformers Rescue Bots" (noon-12:30 p.m.; encore: Mon, Dec. 24, 9:30-10am)

"Christmas in July" - Snow from a weather machine seems like the perfect antidote to a scorching Griffin Rock summer, but when the machine goes awry, Cody, his family and the Rescue Bots have to battle a colossal snow storm in July. **Rating: TV-Y7, FV**

"Family Game Night" (5-6 p.m.; encore: Tues, Dec. 25, noon-1 p.m.)

In this holiday-themed episode, Family Game Night takes on a whole new meaning when your favorite board games become larger-than-life experiences in this new series where families compete for cash and prizes. **Rating: TV-G**

"Family Game Night" (6-7 p.m.; encore: Tues, Dec. 25, 1-2 p.m.)

Family Game Night Goes Home for the Holidays in this special seasonal show. Families set their sights on winning the Grand Prize: a trip to New York City. Kids and their families have a shot at a Monopoly Crazy Cash card worth \$25,000. **Rating: TV-G**

"Lois & Clark: The New Adventures of Superman" (8-10 p.m.)

- **"Season's Greetings"** (8-9 p.m.; encores: 11 p.m.-midnight and Tues, Dec, 25, 9-10 p.m.)
A dejected toy maker creates a new toy that causes all the citizens of Metropolis to become like greedy little children. Lois and Clark must stop him.
- **"Home is Where the Hurt Is"** (9-10 p.m.; encores: midnight-1 a.m. and Tues, Dec, 25, 8-9 p.m.)
Intergang's leader disables Superman with a rare virus from his home planet. Lois' parents visit for the holidays.
- **"Twas The Night Before Mxymas"** (10-11 p.m. encore: 1-2am) - A mischievous imp with plans to conquer the world puts a spell on the people of Metropolis on Christmas Eve.
Rating: TV-PG

Monday, December 24

Hub Network Premiere-"Animaniacs"

Joining The Hub TV Networks programming schedule is the much beloved animated series "Animaniacs" executive produced Steven Spielberg. The Warner brothers, Yakko and Wakko, and the Warner sister, Dot – three inseparable, irascible siblings – have a great time wreaking havoc and mayhem in the lives of everyone they meet! **Rating: TV-Y7**

- **"Twas the Day Before Christmas; Jingle Boo; The Holiday Concert"** (4-4:30 p.m.) - Slappy Squirrel reads a classic Christmas poem in "Twas the Day Before Christmas." Chicken Boo dresses up as Santa Claus in "Jingle Boo." Wakko performs "The Great Wakkorotti: The Holiday Concert," and the Warners make mischief in "Toy Shop Terror."
- **"A Christmas Plotz; Little Drummer Warners"** (4:30-5 p.m.) - On Christmas Eve, the Warner siblings subject Warner Bros. chief, Thaddeus Plotz, to a Dickensian nightmare in "A Christmas Plotz." Later, the three Warners star in "Little Drummer Warners," a musical version of the

nativity.

- **"My Mother the Squirrel; Oh Say Can You See; 12 Days of Christmas"** (5:30-6 p.m.) - In "My Mother the Squirrel," the Bluebird thinks Slappy is his mother. The Flame helps Francis Scott Key write our nation's anthem in "Oh! Say Can You See," and the Bluebird returns to sing his version of a holiday song in "The Twelve Days of Christmas."
- **"Cutied and the Beast; Boo Happens; Noel"** (6:30-7 p.m.) - The Tazmanian Devil plays the Beast and Dot is Cutie in "Cutie and the Beast." In "Boo Happens," Chicken Boo relives the life of "Forrest Gump." Then, the Warners have fun with puns in a musical number sung to the tune of classic Christmas carol, "Noel."
- **"The Christmas Tree; Chicken Part 1; Prom Night; Chicken Part 2"** (7:30-8 p.m.) - Slappy Squirrel awakens to find her house is now "The Christmas Tree" at "Rockyfellow" Center, Katie Ka-Boom tries to negotiate a mutually acceptable curfew for "Prom Night" with her dad, and the entire cast appears on the TV news program "Punchline."

"Sliders" (11 p.m.-midnight)

"Seasons Greetings" - In a San Francisco that is a giant mall, the Sliders discover that the buyer should beware. **Rating: TV-PG**

Tuesday, December 25

"Sabrina, The Teenage Witch" Marathon (7-10 a.m.)

- **"A Girl & Her Cat"** (7-7:30 a.m.) - A Christmas Eve catnapping renews Salem's love for his family.
- **"Sabrina Claus"** (7:30-8 a.m.) - A special visitor from the Other Realm helps Sabrina recapture the true spirit of Christmas.
- **"Christmas Amnesia"** (8-8:30 a.m.) - It's beginning to look a lot like Christmas, but will Sabrina accidentally ruin the holiday for everyone?
- **"Sabrina, Nipping at Your Nose"** (8:30-9 a.m.) - When the weather outside turns frightful, the Spellman's plan a trip to Jamaica.
- **"Sabrina's Perfect Christmas"** (9-9:30 a.m.) - Christmas with Morgan's seemingly perfect family turns into a nightmare for Sabrina when their true natures come out.
- **"It's a Hot, Hot, Hot, Hot Christmas"** (9:30-10 a.m.) - Sabrina, Roxie, and Morgan spend Christmas in Miami and run into Roxie's ex-con Mom.

Rating: TV-G

"Atomic Betty: The No-L 9" (10-11 a.m.) - Atomic Betty has to stop Maximus from turning singing planets from a forgotten constellation into ornaments for his Christmas tree. **Rating: TV-Y7**

"Batman: The Animated Series" (7-8 p.m.)

- **"Christmas with the Joker"** (7-7:30 p.m.; encore: 1-1:30 a.m.) - The Joker kidnaps three prominent citizens during Christmas and challenges Batman to find him before midnight.
- **"Holiday Knights"** (7:30-8 p.m.; encore: 1:30-2 a.m.) - During the Christmas season, Harley and Poison Ivy lure Bruce into a hypnotic shopping spree while Joker threatens Gotham with a sonic bomb loud enough to deafen anyone within earshot of its explosion.

Rating: TV-Y7, FV

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