



Discovery Family
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DAYTIME PROGRAMMING

****RETURNING SERIES****

Transformers: Rescue Bots Academy (Season 2)

Series Returns Saturday, March 21 at 9a/8c

TV-Y

Hot Shot, Whirl, Medix and the rest of the Rescue Bots Academy team are back to take on bigger missions – and this time partnering with their teachers Optimus Prime, Heatwave, Chase and Boulder! These first-class heroes are graduating to adventures beyond what their school training has taught them, and the lessons and fun will continue as the former recruits perform their rescue missions in their all new alt modes!

- **SEASON PREMIERE: Back to School/Mission Dinobot premieres Saturday, March 21 at 9a/8c**
It's back to school for the second year and the recruits discover that the teachers are planning to spin things up a gear this season. Things are about to get tough!
- **In Training/Medix Steps Up to the Bat premieres Saturday, March 28 at 9a/8c**
When Hot Shot is given chores to do by Heatwave rather than what he considers real training, he is stunned to find that everything is a learning experience and Heatwave is a great teacher. When Medix brings a bat with him to Cybertron, chaos ensues. As Hot Shot gets blamed for it all, Medix has to accept that a high-tech environment probably isn't the best place for a wild creature!

****ONGOING SERIES****

Pac-Man and the Ghostly Adventures

Series Airs Saturdays at 8:30a/7:30c

TV-Y7

PAC-MAN AND THE GHOSTLY ADVENTURES follows the daily events of Pac as he saves Pac-World. Together with his friends Cyli and Spiral, Pac and his buds face the issues of being teenagers while also protecting Pac-World from a ghostly army led by the evil Betrayus. Each adventure follows Pac and his friends as they try to return the ghosts to Netherworld.

- **PacLantis premieres Saturday, March 7 at 8:30a/7:30c**
When Dr. Buttocks gets a map leading to PacLantis, Pac, Cyli and Spiral voyage to the bottom of the sea.
- **A Berry Scary Night premieres Saturday, March 14 at 8:30a/7:30c**
Once every 100 Halloweens, the two moons of PacWorld turn blue, so Betrayus summons Count Pacula to drain the last Yellow Orb in PacWorld.
- **Jurassic Pac premieres Saturday, March 21 at 8:30a/7:30c**
The diabolical Dr. Buttocks clones an army of radio-controlled, prehistoric Pacasaurs to attack Pacworld.
- **The Great Chase premieres Saturday, March 28 at 8:30a/7:30c**
Betrayus possesses his mother's body while Dr. Buttocks hypnotizes the president.

PRIMETIME PROGRAMMING

****ONGOING SERIES****

Cake Boss (Season 10)

Series Airs Saturdays at 9/8c

TV-PG

Buddy Valastro is back for a brand-new season of **CAKE BOSS!** Follow the world-famous baker and his family as they continue to expand Carlo's Bakery, their successful family business. Buddy and his cake making team, including his four sisters, two brothers-in-law and cousins, will return for a tenth season to tackle exciting new projects including a ninja cake (complete with spinning nunchucks and throwing stars), a giant taco cake and even a Sherlock Holmes cake for a group of mystery enthusiasts. Viewers will also get to catch up with Buddy's wife, Lisa; his children, Sofia, Buddy Jr, Marco and Carlo. As one of the most successful and renowned cake artists in the United States, Buddy continues his mission to achieve his late father's dream of making Carlo's Bake Shop a household name.

- ***Turtle Rescue, Roller Derby and Treasure Hunt premieres Saturday, March 7 at 9/8c***
It's the first time a rescued sea turtle is being released back in the ocean on the Jersey Shore, and the turtle rescuers want a giant Sea Turtle cake to mark the occasion. Buddy and the team make a special cake for the release party complete with edible bubbles! Buddy's sister Grace is tough, but is she tough enough to hang with the Garden State Roller Derby League? These women want a cake for their championship game, and it's got to be as rough and tough as they are. The pressure is on when Grace decides it's a good idea to deliver the cake on roller skates! Buddy's wife Lisa tries to give her boys a memorable day on the beach by creating a real-life treasure hunt.
- ***Sweet 16, Hulas and Tiny Hamster Cake premieres Saturday, March 14 at 9/8c***
Buddy's niece Tessy is celebratinowg her Sweet 16 with a Hawaiian-themed party, so Buddy and the guys build a giant hula dancer cake complete with an edible grass skirt and tiki torches. Mary gets an unusual request from a local pet store owner: he wants a miniature, fully-decorated cake fit for a hamster. This cake has to look professional, be made of rodent-friendly ingredients and sit about five inches tall! The team also creates a matching cake for the guests with a working hamster wheel topper.
- ***Cuckoo Cake, Birthday Surprise and New Bakery premieres Saturday, March 21 at 9/8c***
Buddy and his family travel to Minnesota to prepare for a brand-new bakery opening marking the first Carlo's expansion into America's Midwest. In the midst of the opening scramble, Buddy takes time out to prepare a special birthday cake for his son Buddy Jr. But the new bakery isn't fully stocked for cake-making yet and Buddy is forced to do some cake decorating improvisation! Buddy's wife Lisa isn't able to make it out to celebrate with the family or so they think. Meanwhile, back in Hoboken, Mauro and Madeline make a cuckoo clock cake for a local clock collector that's sure to strike the right chord with him, as long as it doesn't drive the cake-makers cuckoo first.
- ***Extraterrestrials and Giant Tacos premieres Saturday, March 28 at 9/8c***
It's taco Tuesday all week at the bakery, as Buddy makes a giant taco cake for a National Taco Day fiesta. This massive cake has everyone craving tacos by the time they're finished. Meanwhile, the bakery receives an out of this world order for an extra-special extraterrestrial themed birthday cake. A talented, soon-to-be 9-year-old loves to draw aliens and asks the team to recreate her imaginative drawings in 3D-cake form. The bakers and Buddy's sister Grace even get an invitation to join the birthday celebrations at an intergalactic laser tag party!

Tanked

Series Airs Sundays at 7/6c

TV-PG (L)

The team from Las Vegas-based Acrylic Tank Manufacturing (ATM) and co-owners Wayde King and Brett Raymer are ready to take fish tank building to a whole new level! These tanks are all filled with the most exotic, unusual, colorful and dangerous fish in the world. ATM is one of the country's most successful builders of aquariums and two of Sin City's most imaginative businessmen, Wayde King and Brett Raymer, are tasked with building some of the most enormous and awe-inspiring tanks and aquariums for top celebrities, luxury hotels and casinos, Fortune 500 businesses, private homes and millionaire homeowners across the country. ATM takes on more than 200 projects every year with tanks ranging from 50 to one million gallons in size.

- ***Prince Royce's Royal Tank premieres Sunday, March 1 at 7/6c***
Latin music star Prince Royce spices up his Miami mansion with a custom aquarium made by ATM. Wayde and Brett struggle to make this tank as royal as possible but a last-minute design change to the facade delays the build.
- ***Internet Tank Sensation premieres Sunday, March 1 at 8/7c***
YouTube superstar Roman Atwood is known for his outrageous pranks. Roman commissions ATM to build an aquarium complete with his company name, Smile More. When one prank in the shop causes chaos, ATM struggles to complete the tank.
- ***Imagination Aquarium premieres Sunday, March 1 at 9/8c***

The Imaginarium Science Center has asked ATM to design a giant ship-shaped tank with a replica of the USCGC Mohwak inside. However, creating the unique shape of this tank proves to be an ocean-sized headache.

- ***Party Rockin' Tank* premieres Sunday, March 1 at 10/9c**
Wayde and Brett create a tank for world famous artist and DJ Redfoo of the band LMFAO. The guys attempt their very first one of a kind DJ booth aquarium. Will this tank be able to get the party started or will Wayde and Brett fail to make this party rock?
- ***Bellagio Makeover* premieres Sunday, March 8 at 7/6c**
Wayde and Brett take on one of the most popular hotels in the world – The Bellagio Hotel and Casino! Five times a year the Bellagio performs a massive makeover to their conservatory, and this year they want to add two giant aquariums!
- ***Shark Byte* premieres Sunday, March 8 at 8/7c**
Wayde and Brett have a huge job on their hands, like 5,000 gallons huge! Computer component manufacturer Samtec wants ATM to build them an aquarium unlike any other, a 20-foot-long shark tank with exact replicas of their computer components inside.
- ***Tank of Jericho* premieres Sunday, March 8 at 9/8c**
When WWE Superstar Chris Jericho wants to get a tank for his family, he calls on aquatic champions Brett and Wayde to make it happen. The wrestler requests a replica championship belt and List of Jericho in the tank. Will they be victorious or put on the list?
- ***Alyssa's Charmed Tank* premieres Sunday, March 8 at 10/9c**
Actress, activist, and entrepreneur Alyssa Milano takes some time out her busy schedule to ask Wayde and Brett to make a tank for her family. The boys will have to bring their A game to give her everything, including a wine rack built into her tank.
- ***Kevin Smith's Totally Awesome Tank* premieres Sunday, March 15 at 7/6c**
Things are about to get fishy for world famous filmmaker Kevin Smith. He has two turtles and one tortoise that desperately need a new home. Kevin dreams of a tank that can house both of these species, even if they require two different living environments.
- ***Ty Dolla \$ign Fresh Tank* premieres Sunday, March 15 at 8/7c**
Hip-hop artist Ty Dolla \$ign wants a tank in his house in Long Beach. He calls in Wayde and Brett to construct a huge freshwater tank complete with a real rock insert and perfect replicas of Ty's awards embedded into a wall.
- ***Sweet Tank O'Mine* premieres Sunday, March 15 at 9/8c**
ATM loves DJ Ashba! This rock star wants a tank for his new retail store but he needs it ASAP! DJ will be hosting a huge grand opening party and the tank will be the centerpiece. Will Wayde and Brett make the deadline or be the ultimate party poopers?
- ***Panama City Beach Tank* premieres Sunday, March 15 at 10/9c**
The Laketown Wharf resort in Panama City Beach wants a nautical themed fish tank to be the centerpiece of its new restaurant. With a weathered dock look and colorful sea turtle sculptures, this cylindrical tank is bound to make the boys want a vacation!
- ***Wyclef's Tank is Ready, or Not?* premieres Sunday, March 22 at 7/6c**
Brett and Wayde get called to New Jersey for a tank emergency for world famous music producer Wyclef Jean. The founder of the legendary group the Fugees has not one but two tanks that could really use ATM's help!
- ***Spin Cycle Spec-Tank-ular!* premieres Sunday, March 22 at 8/7c**
Las Vegas Coin Laundry is requesting an aquarium that will knock their customers socks off. A tank built into a real washer/dryer unit just like the others in their store! Across town an optometrist wants an eye-popping underwater world for their patients
- ***Extreme Pond Off! Wayde vs. Brett* premieres Sunday, March 22 at 9/8c**
Wayde and Brett are going head to head on this one. They both want a one of a kind, extreme pond in their backyard. This dynamic duo is keeping everything top secret from each other and only one family can reign supreme. Let the battle of the ponds begin!
- ***San Francisco Giants Tank* premieres Sunday, March 22 at 10/9c**
ATM needs to knock this next tank out of the park. The San Francisco Giants want to bring McCovey Cove inside the ballpark! This storied franchise needs a tank big enough to impress all of their loyal fans and have a bit of fun at the same time!
- ***Dwight Howard's Slamming Snake Tank* premieres Sunday, March 29 at 7/6c**
Dwight Howard is back again for his second, third, fourth tank and more! This basketball legend has moved since the guys last saw him and he needs ATM to design and build a habitat for all 14 of his snakes!
- ***Tanked in Sonoma* premieres Sunday, March 29 at 8/7c**
The employees at ATM have been so busy they could use a glass of wine! Good thing their next tank is on a vineyard. CEO of Jordan Winery wants a beautiful reef tank to live on his winery.
- ***Adrian Peterson's MVP Tank* premieres Sunday, March 29 at 9/8c**

ATM is tackling another tank and this time it's for one of NFL's most valuable players – Adrian Peterson. However, they have to impress his wife too, who wants this tank to be totally "blinged out" and still fit perfectly in their wall.

- **Anthony Davis' High Brow Tank premieres Sunday, March 29 at 10/9c**

Wayde and Brett are designing an all new aquarium for NBA superstar Anthony Davis. ATM has their work cut out for them in order to please the power forward who wants to transform an entire room into an aquarium.

Cake Wars

Series Airs Tuesdays at 7/6c

TV-G

While there are plenty of masterful cake makers out there, only few have the skills to win **CAKE WARS**.

Jonathan Bennett hosts this grueling competition where four expert bakers go toe-to-toe to see whose mind-blowing cake creation will be the star of a major event, earning them the \$10,000 prize. Master pastry chefs serve as judges and determine which cakes are worthy of headlining parties for The Simpsons, The Sound of Music, DC Comics and more! Let the **CAKE WARS** begin.

- **Captain America premieres Tuesday, March 3 at 7/6c**

Bakers, assemble! Cake Wars takes on one of the greatest heroes in comic book history -- Captain America! Only one of four talented bakers will take their incredible cake creation to a party celebrating the super-soldier hero's 75th birthday and take home \$10,000. Stephen Wacker, VP of Animation at Marvel, is on hand as guest judge to help decide.

- **SpongeBob premieres Tuesday, March 3 at 8/7c**

Get ready for SpongeBob, Gary and tons of underwater fun as four incredible bakers battle to have their amazing cake as the centerpiece of a party celebrating SpongeBob SquarePants. Some will sink, some will swim, but only one talented cake artist will take home \$10,000. Tom Kenny, the voice of SpongeBob himself, serves as guest judge.

- **Charlie Brown Celebrates premieres Tuesday, March 3 at 9/8c**

It's down to the final three teams, and they must prove their talents in challenges celebrating the 50th anniversary of A Charlie Brown Christmas. First, the teams must deck out Snoopy's dog house for the holidays, then they'll be tasked to create the ultimate Peanuts holiday party. One team will be eliminated with help from special guest judge Lindsey Schulz, artist and granddaughter of Peanuts creator Charles M. Schulz.

- **How to Train Your Dragon premieres Tuesday, March 3 at 10/9c**

It's time for a fire-breathing adventure as four talented bakers unleash their inner dragon and compete to have their amazing cake creation at the center of a party celebrating How to Train Your Dragon. Art Brown and Doug Sloan, executive producers of Dragons: Race to the Edge, serve as guest judges and help choose who will win \$10,000 and who will go the way of the Vikings!

- **Emoji premieres Tuesday, March 10 at 8/7c**

It's the most expressive episode of Cake Wars ever as four talented cake artists compete to take their cake creation to a party celebrating everyone's favorite little icons... Emoji! Gedeon Maheux, co-founder of Iconfactory, is on hand to choose who will earn a frowny-face and who will earn a smiley-face and take home \$10,000.

- **Cobra's Curse premieres Tuesday, March 10 at 9/8c**

Brace yourself for a hair-raising ancient Egyptian adventure as four bakers battle to have their cake creation at the center of a party celebrating the grand opening of Busch Gardens Tampa Bay's newest thrill ride, Cobra's Curse! Brian Morrow, Busch Gardens' VP of Theme Park Experience, serves as special guest judge to help determine which baker will take home the \$10,000 prize.

- **Garfield premieres Tuesday, March 10 at 10/9c**

The one and only Garfield brings his birthday smile and big appetite to Cake Wars! Four incredible cake artists compete to have their creations at the center of a party celebrating everyone's favorite lasagna-obsessed cat, as well as take home \$10,000. Gregg Berger, the voice of Odie on The Garfield Show, steps in as guest judge.

- **Beauty and the Beast premieres Tuesday, March 17 at 8/7c**

Be our guest as Cake Wars celebrates a "tale as old as time!" Four bakers go to battle to have their cake as the centerpiece of a party celebrating the 25th anniversary of the iconic film, Beauty and the Beast, and take home \$10,000. Paige O'Hara, the voice of Belle, is on hand to serve as guest judge.

- **Halo premieres Tuesday, March 17 at 9/8c**

Get ready for the biggest battle the gaming world has ever seen, as four incredible bakers create action-packed cakes celebrating one of the biggest video games in the world, Halo! Guest judge Larry "Major Nelson" Hryb, Microsoft's director of programming, will help determine which cake creation will blast off to the Halo World Championship and take home \$10,000.

- **Madeline premieres Tuesday, March 17 at 10/9c**

The bravest little redhead is traveling from Paris to Cake Wars! Four amazing cake artists battle to have their cake at the center of a party celebrating Madeline, but only one will journey home with \$10,000! Kate Clark, the founder of Yottoy, joins as guest judge.

- ***Jelly Belly* premieres Tuesday, March 24 at 8/7c**

It's the most colorful and flavor-filled Cake Wars battle ever, as four incredible bakers battle it out to have their cake creation as the centerpiece of a party celebrating Jelly Belly! Four bakers go to war, but only one can take home \$10,000. Lisa Rowland Brasher, CEO of Jelly Belly, is on hand to help choose the winner.

- ***Paddington* premieres Tuesday, March 24 at 9/8c**

Paddington the Bear is onto his next adventure, bringing his old hat and battered suitcase to visit Cake Wars! Four bakers will battle to have their cake creation at the center of a party celebrating the 90th birthday of Paddington Bear's creator, Michael Bond. R.W. Alley, the illustrator of Paddington, will help choose who wins \$10,000.

- ***Where's Waldo* premieres Tuesday, March 31 at 8/7c**

Grab your walking sticks and red-and-white striped shirts and get ready for a globe-trotting adventure as Cake Wars takes on Where's Waldo. Four amazing bakers battle it out to have their cake creations at the center of a party celebrating everyone's favorite hard-to-find traveler, Waldo, but only one can win \$10,000. Brian Robinson, Dreamworks Animation's head of creative design and development, joins the judging panel.

Treehouse Masters

Series Airs Mondays at 7/6c

TV-PG

TREEHOUSE MASTERS has viewers climbing to a majestic world up in the treetops with visionary and tree whisperer Pete Nelson as he designs private escapes for those with a passion to reconnect with nature and awaken their inner child. Pete goes out on a limb to create breathtaking realities for a host of clientele including designing multi-bedroom dream tree houses complete with functional plumbing and electricity to simple one-room lofts. His portfolio boasts the creation and construction of adventurous tree-house retreats, which include zip lines and vine swings, Indiana Jones-inspired bridges and secret entrances; a levitating lighthouse treehouse; and a record-high recording studio that marries music and nature. Pete and his team of designers and carpenters, including son Charlie, must endure Mother Nature's shifty antics, dangerous construction equipment and dizzy heights in order to build these sanctuaries.

- ***International: Scandinavia* premieres Monday, March 2 at 7/6c**

Join Pete on a treehouse vacation to the pine-forested splendor of Scandinavia. First stop: the magical TreeTop Hotel in Norway. Pete then heads to the Swedish treetops and takes a swim in a frozen lake before checking in at the renowned Treehotel.

- ***Lost in the Forest II* premieres Monday, March 2 at 8/7c**

Get lost in the forest and go behind the scenes with Treehouse Master Pete Nelson as he uncovers never-before-seen footage, bloopers, and loads of extra treehouse tours, including a new peek inside Dale Earnhardt Jr's arboreal escape.

- ***Double Treehouse Extravaganza* premieres Monday, March 2 at 9/8c**

In a TREEHOUSE MASTERS first, Pete builds two treehouses at the same time! In Maine, a couple wants a magical treehouse that evokes a famous children's book with a grown-up twist. In Massachusetts, NTS raises the curtain on a whimsical Tudor-style theatre treehouse.

- ***Rusty Rooted River Shack* premieres Monday, March 2 at 10/9c**

Pete and the NTS team head to the sleepy hamlet of Trempealeau, Wisconsin along the banks of the Mississippi to build a charming, rustic river shack themed treehouse for two parents who yearn for an easy escape after a long day.

- ***The Alaskan Treetop Sauna* premieres Monday, March 9 at 7/6c**

Pete creates an arboreal abode for an adventurous Alaskan couple that offers all the warm fuzzies they get from the outdoors without having to brave the bitter mountain cold. Things start to heat up when Pete installs a sauna in the trees!

- ***Off-the-Grid Getaway* premieres Monday, March 9 at 8/7c**

Pete creates an off-the-grid escape that's all about peace, love, and treehouses. The NTS crew builds a stunning treehouse made from repurposed materials, while the client, Sarah Jay, adds her own touch - a massive "dream net" hammock in the trees.

- ***Treehouse Utopia* premieres Monday, March 9 at 9/8c**

Pete partners up in Utopia, TX for his first-ever joint venture: a treehouse B&B built for romance! The first of many builds, this French-themed "little chapel of love" is anything but little with a 25-foot steeple and the largest bathroom he's ever built!

- ***Treetop Medieval Fortress* premieres Monday, March 9 at 10/9c**

Pete builds a citadel fortress for a Texan couple who loves all things medieval. A 25-foot-high tower will hold a round table and thrones, as well as a glass floor loft. A metalsmith joins the build to craft

medieval touches, including a dragon door handle.

- ***Mountainside Bulldog Bungalow* premieres Monday, March 16 at 7/6c**
A dog loving couple dreams of a treehouse that will recapture mountain vistas. Pete and team raise the "ruff" on a beautiful bulldog bungalow that offers a bounty of outdoor decks and loads of large windows to take in a view that was once lost.
- ***Shaq Takes it to the Trees!* premieres Monday, March 16 at 8/7c**
It's a slam dunk when Pete builds an all-star speakeasy for basketball legend Shaquille O'Neal. The ball is in Pete's court to design a decagonal structure with a soaring 25-foot-high ceiling and extra wide stairs to accommodate Shaq and his size 22 shoes.
- ***International: France* premieres Monday, March 16 at 9/8c**
Pete travels through France with treehouse visionary Alain Laurens. Winding through the magical countryside, Alain shows Pete his fantastical structures that implement ingenious engineering, reach dizzying heights, and redefine what a treehouse can be.
- ***Hawaiian Island Treehouse Adventure* premieres Monday, March 23 at 7/6c**
Pete heads to Alabama's Appalachia to build a super spy treehouse! There, he pulls out all the stops to make the client's espionage-themed dreams come true including talking gadgets, hidden passageways, secret rooms and more!
- ***Super Spy Treehouse* premieres Monday, March 23 at 8/7c**
Pete heads to Alabama's Appalachia to build a super spy treehouse! There, he pulls out all the stops to make the client's espionage-themed dreams come true including talking gadgets, hidden passageways, secret rooms and more!
- ***Lifted Lodge Treehouse* premieres Monday, March 23 at 9/8c**
The NTS crew travels to an alpaca farm to build a lodge in the trees inspired by our National Parks. They create a structure to take in the mountain views with a 50-foot-long cable bridge entrance and a deck devoted entirely to hammock lounging.

Chopped Junior

Series Airs Fridays at 8/7c

TV-G

Hosted by Ted Allen, **CHOPPED JUNIOR** showcases the talents of girls and boys seeking to make unforgettable meals from mystery ingredients over three rounds – appetizer, entrée, and dessert – with a limited amount of time. One-by-one, the junior chef that is not up to par will be eliminated, with the last one remaining crowned Chopped Junior Champion and winning the \$10,000 prize.

- ***Rattled* premieres Friday, March 6 at 7/6c**
When the young chefs must butcher and cook snakes in the appetizer round, will they be too squeamish to let their skills shine through? In the entree round, a dense oddball of a cake must be worked into lamb shoulder dishes. Then, the last precious seconds of the round are a show of desperation and cooperation as the finalists are challenged to make creative, caffeinated desserts for the judges, actor Chris Colfer and chefs Raiza Costa and Amanda Freitag.
- ***Ears for Fears* premieres Friday, March 6 at 8/7c**
In round one, the junior chefs encounter pigs' ears and potatoes as they strive to impress chefs Katie Lee and Chris Santos and actor Alan Thicke. Then, a can of soup and a container of truffles are required ingredients for the entree round. Finally, the pair of kids left in the dessert round get to monkey around with monkey bread and queso fresco.
- ***Sloppy Apps* premieres Friday, March 6 at 9/8c**
Neatness is always important in plating, but with sloppy joes as a mandatory ingredient in the first round, the judges -- food blogger Siri Daly, actress Cheryl Hines, and chef Geoffrey Zakarian -- must excuse some sloppiness! A red pesto and some white turnips keep things interesting in the entree round, then a yummy bacon apple pie is found in the dessert basket.
- ***Fish Tale* premieres Friday, March 6 at 10/9c**
A serious seafood challenge plus a healthy frozen dessert are two of the ingredients that the junior chefs encounter out of the gate. In round two, a pork chop plate will get a young cook chopped, then major setbacks in the dessert round keep the finalists working furiously on their rainbow pancake dishes until time is up. The judging panel features TV host Debbie Matenopoulos and chefs Chris Santos and Dale Talde.
- ***S'more Determination* premieres Friday, March 13 at 8/7c**
Chefs Tiffany Derry and Alex Guarnaschelli and actress Jennette McCurdy are on hand to judge this round of junior chefs, who must first deal with a peculiar hot dog pasta in their appetizer baskets. The odd combos continue in the second round with s'mores French fries, plus a difficult-to-prepare protein that is definitely new to the young cooks. Then, adorable dumplings and some fancy fruit are two of the ingredients in the mix for dessert.
- ***Curry Hurry* premieres Friday, March 13 at 9/8c**
A new group of ambitious junior chefs must win over a special panel of judges: chef Tiffany Derry,

actress Busy Philipps and chef Aaron Sanchez. First up, an odd egg and a unique version of chicken and waffles are found in the basket. Orange noodles and a red paste are among the colorful ingredients that the young chefs must promptly address in the entree round, and the two finalists must find creative ways to turn Italian pudding and sweet sushi-shaped sandwiches into original desserts.

- ***Think Fig premieres Friday, March 13 at 10/9c***

The young cooks get some expensive seafood in the first basket and struggle to make the most of valuable time in order to impress the judges, actress Ta'Rhonda Jones, restaurateur Sabin Lomac and chef Aaron Sanchez. Then, bacon is discovered in an odd place in the entree basket. Finally, some figs and fancy peaches must make it to the dessert plates.

- ***Beginner's Duck premieres Friday, March 20 at 8/7c***

Talented 11 and 12-year-olds are ready to prove their culinary expertise to the judges, actress Bridget Moynahan and chefs Marc Murphy and Angelo Sosa. First, they set out to make pleasant pheasant dishes in the appetizer round, then the entree basket features something gummy and some yummy ducks. For dessert, one of the competitors must quickly come up with a back-up plan when a key element doesn't turn out right.

- ***A Hot Minute premieres Friday, March 20 at 9/8c***

The young competitors get a generous 30 minutes to cook minute steak in the appetizer round. Breaking down a bird is part of the challenge in round two, along with figuring out what to do with some cool ketchup. Then, the dessert basket contains some delicious stuffed fruit and a fun snack cake. The judging panel features chefs Amanda Freitag and Kristen Kish and former MLB player Jason Varitek.

- ***Snack Attack premieres Friday, March 20 at 10/9c***

Some creatively presented cheese and a spreadable protein are part of the round one challenge. A strange pink pickle and a crispy, house-made snack food keep the kids on their toes in the entree round, and in the dessert round, a marshmallow mishap has the judges -- chef Maneet Chauhan, TV host Daphne Oz and actor Tyrel Jackson Williams -- wishing they could jump in and help.

- ***Basket Brawl premieres Friday, March 27 at 8/7c***

A new round of talented young cooks storm the kitchen to win over the judges, chefs Roble Ali and Marcus Samuelsson and blogger Rachel Hollis. First, they find some unusual gifts from the sea in the appetizer basket, and in the entree round, something sweet and something bitter in the basket make for a flavor-balancing act. Then, chocolate ravioli desserts prove to be a challenge in a hectic final round.

- ***Snapper Snafus premieres Friday, March 27 at 9/8c***

In round one, the junior chefs have to hustle to do their best with duck and some wild-flavored cupcakes. The young cooks all take different routes with the snapper in the entree basket, then the finalists find a playful pie and a tart surprise in the dessert round. The judging panel features chef Scott Conant, NASCAR driver Danica Patrick and chef Jamika Pessoa.

- ***Halloween Party! premieres Friday, March 27 at 10/9c***

With gory surprises in every basket, the costumed competitors have much to fear and \$10,000 to gain in this Halloween showdown, presided over by judges Scott Conant, event planner Jackie Sorkin and actress Michelle Trachtenberg. A vial filled with something deceptively familiar and some spicy mummies are weird surprises in the first basket, then the entree round has the junior chefs digging into a spooky casserole. Finally, the last two competitors confidently craft desserts from an odd collection of goodies!

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