

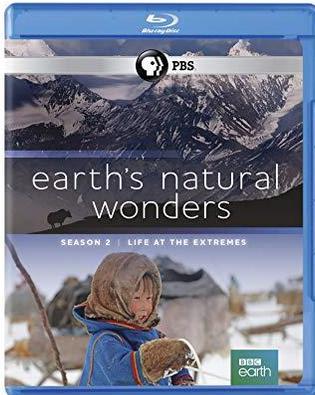
# SCIENCE MATTERS

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## SCIENCE PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS



### EARTH'S NATURAL WONDERS: LIFE AT THE EXTREMES

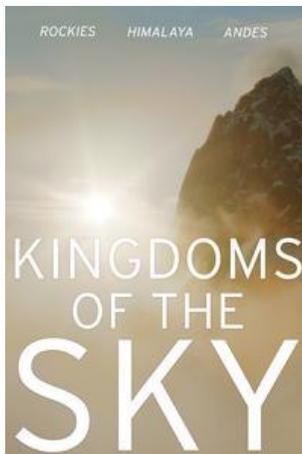
*Wednesday Evenings at 8:00 pm*

Earth's natural wonders have been carved by nature on such a scale that they defy belief. For human beings, survival within these extraordinary places can pose great challenges, yet human ingenuity makes this possible.

**July 11 – Surviving the Extreme** See why human beings need bravery and ingenuity to survive in the world's most extreme places.

**July 18 – Surviving with Animals** Learn why animals can make the difference between life and death in some extraordinary places.

**July 25 – Surviving Against the Odds** Explore how people in some of the natural wonders must push themselves to the limit in order to survive.



### KINGDOMS OF THE SKY

*Wednesday Evenings at 9:00 pm*

A landmark three-part series made in conjunction with the BBC, reveals the extraordinary animals and remarkable people who make a home on the iconic mountain ranges of the world. Breathtaking photography takes viewers through three episodes across the Himalaya, Rockies and Andes.

**July 11 – The Rockies** Experience the amazing wildlife and remarkable people who inhabit this 3,000-mile mountain range.

**July 18 – Himalaya** Witness the extraordinary wildlife and remarkable people of the highest mountain range on Earth.

**July 25 – Andes** Experience the astonishing natural life found in the world's longest mountain range.



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Saturday, July 21, 2018

## Maymont's Family Day with Nature Cat

Join us for a special day at Maymont's Farm to explore the great outdoors. **Nature Cat**, our favorite backyard explorer from the PBS KIDS series, will be there to help us learn all about Mother Nature.

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## Check Out Our Newest Science Matters Hot Shots/Hot Jobs Video, Featuring Software Engineering

While it certainly takes an analytical mind and a sharp eye for detail, building software also involves a lot of creative thinking. Find out how software engineers at Capital One work as a team to find solutions for their customers.

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## WHAT IS SCIENCE MATTERS?

**Science Matters** is a multi-media educational initiative of the Community Idea Stations, Central Virginia's PBS & NPR stations. Through our Radio, Television and Digital presence, we strive to inspire our community to value Science and to understand its importance to our future. We couple excellent national PBS and NPR content with compelling locally produced segments which feature community partners involved in exciting Science, Technology, Engineering and Math (STEM) activities in Virginia. Our community outreach events and our new **Science Matters Community Events Calendar** are additional vehicles for engaging audiences of all ages in ongoing discovery and exploration of all things science.

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