

# NASHVILLE TALKING LIBRARY Program Guide



**November 2021**



# About the Talking Library

**Nashville Talking Library** is a free audio information service of Nashville Public Library providing books, magazines, newspapers, and more to residents of Middle Tennessee with certified reading disabilities. We are on the air seven days a week, at all hours.

Nashville Talking Library programming is intended solely for individuals who cannot read conventional print due to a disability. Our programs may not be copied or redistributed.

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[www.nashvilletalkinglibrary.org](http://www.nashvilletalkinglibrary.org) or email us at: [ntl@nashville.gov](mailto:ntl@nashville.gov)

Call (615) 862-5874 to request an application form be sent to you by mail or email.

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- Descriptions of the books are **pages 15-16** of the guide.
- National and local newspapers are in **bold type**.
- Reader names and program sources are in parentheses.

# MONDAY

## Monday Morning

- 6:00** New Yorker (Audio Reading Service)
- 7:00** Atlantic (Audio Reading Service)
- 8:00** Get Up & Go / Checklist (Ramsey Doran)
- 8:30** Southern Living (Sight Into Sound)

## **9:00 Tennesseean (Live)**

- 9:00 Top Stories / Music City Beat / Local News
- 9:30 Local News / Local Business
- 10:00 Opinions / Features / Sports
- 10:30 Death Notices / Miscellaneous  
(Katie Brooks, Rose Mary Reed)

- 11:00** Book - Description on page 15 - 16
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## Monday Afternoon

- 12:00** **New York Times** (TIC Network)
- 1:00** **Wall Street Journal** (TIC Network)
- 2:00** Book - Description on page 15 - 16
- 3:00** Historical View (Audio Reading Service)
- 4:00** Harper's (Kristin Brakebill)
- 5:00** Get Up & Go / Checklist (Ramsey Doran)
- 5:30** Southern Living (Sight Into Sound)

# MONDAY

## Monday Evening

### 6:00 Tennessean (Repeat)

6:00 Top Stories / Music City Beat / Local News

6:30 Local News / Local Business

7:00 Opinions / Features / Sports

7:30 Death Notices / Miscellaneous

(Katie Brooks, Rose Mary Reed)

8:00 Book - Description on page 15 - 16

9:00 Self Help (Charlotte Sublett)

9:30 **Nashville Today** (Allison Graber)

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## Early Tuesday

12:00 Book Repeat - Description on page 15 - 16

1:00 New Yorker (Audio Reading Service)

2:00 Atlantic (Audio Reading Service)

3:00 Get Up & Go / Checklist (Ramsey Doran)

3:30 Southern Living (Sight Into Sound)

4:00 Self Help (Charlotte Sublett)

4:30 **Nashville Today** (Allison Graber)

5:00 Harper's (Kristin Brakebill)

# TUESDAY

## Tuesday Morning

**6:00** Spotlight on Sports (Audio Reading Service)

**7:00** Tech Nation (KQED)

**8:00** Get Up & Go / Checklist (Ramsey Doran)

**8:30** **Contributor** (Hannah Herner)

## **9:00** Tennessean (Live)

9:00 Top Stories / Music City Beat / Local News

9:30 Local News / Local Business

10:00 Opinions / Features / Sports

10:30 Death Notices / Miscellaneous  
(Helena Husband, Erica Wilkes)

**11:00** Book - Description on page 15 - 16

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## Tuesday Afternoon

**12:00** **New York Times** (TIC Network)

**1:00** **Wall Street Journal** (TIC Network)

**2:00** Book - Description on page 15 - 16

**3:00** **Nashville Scene** (Lisa Becker)

**4:00** Stories Once Told (Dan Church)

**5:00** Get Up & Go / Checklist (Ramsey Doran)

**5:30** **Contributor** (Hannah Herner)

# TUESDAY

## Tuesday Evening

### 6:00 Tennessean (Repeat)

6:00 Top Stories / Music City Beat / Local News

6:30 Local News / Local Business

7:00 Opinions / Features / Sports

7:30 Death Notices / Miscellaneous  
(Helena Husband, Erica Wilkes)

8:00 Book - Description on page 15 - 16

9:00 Around the World (Vickie Carrico)

9:30 Discover (Steffie Misner Wampler)

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## Early Wednesday

12:00 Book Repeat - Description on page 15 - 16

1:00 Spotlight on Sports (Audio Reading Service)

2:00 Tech Nation (KQED)

3:00 Get Up & Go / Checklist (Ramsey Doran)

3:30 **Contributor** (Hannah Herner)

4:00 Around the World (Vickie Carrico)

4:30 Discover (Steffie Misner Wampler)

5:00 Stories Once Told (Dan Church)

# WEDNESDAY

## Wednesday Morning

- 6:00 Nashville Today** (Allison Graber)
  - 6:30 Nashville Ledger** (Carla Davis)
  - 7:00** AARP Report (Audio Reading Service)
  - 7:30** Independent Living (Audio Reading Service)
  - 8:00** Get Up & Go / Checklist (Ramsey Doran)
  - 8:30** Eyes on Success (Reachout Radio)
  
  - 9:00 Tennessean (Live)**
    - 9:00 Top Stories / Music City Beat / Local News
    - 9:30 Local News / Local Business
    - 10:00 Opinions / Features / Sports
    - 10:30 Death Notices / Miscellaneous  
(Marcia Haynes, Alicia Smyser)
  
  - 11:00** Book - Description on page 15 - 16
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## Wednesday Afternoon

- 12:00 New York Times** (TIC Network)
- 1:00 Wall Street Journal** (TIC Network)
- 2:00** Book - Description on page 15 - 16
- 3:00** Popular Science (Barbara Sullivan)
- 3:30** Wired (Maureen Schlacter)
- 4:00** Poetry in the Air (Chris Hassel)
- 4:30** BookPage (Kim Crafton)
- 5:00** Get Up & Go / Checklist (Ramsey Doran)
- 5:30** Eyes on Success (Reachout Radio)



# WEDNESDAY

## Wednesday Evening

### **6:00 Tennessean (Repeat)**

6:00 Top Stories / Music City Beat / Local News

6:30 Local News / Local Business

7:00 Opinions / Features / Sports

7:30 Death Notices / Miscellaneous

(Marcia Haynes, Alicia Smyser)

**8:00** Book - Description on page 15 - 16

**9:00** Town & Country (Cecilia Bow)

**9:30 Nashville Ledger** (Carla Davis)

**10:00** Book Repeat - Description on page 15 - 16

**11:00** Book Repeat - Description on page 15 - 16

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## Early Thursday

**12:00** Book Repeat - Description on page 15 - 16

**1:00** Popular Science (Barbara Sullivan)

**1:30** Wired (Maureen Schlacter)

**2:00** AARP Report (Audio Reading Service)

**2:30** Independent Living (Audio Reading Service)

**3:00** Get Up & Go / Checklist (Ramsey Doran)

**3:30** Eyes on Success (Reachout Radio)

**4:00** Town & Country (Cecilia Bow)

**4:30 Nashville Ledger** (Carla Davis)

**5:00** Poetry in the Air (Chris Hassel)

**5:30** BookPage (Kim Crafton)

# THURSDAY

## Thursday Morning

- 6:00** Smithsonian (Audio Reading Service)
- 7:00** City Arts & Lectures (KQED)
- 8:00** Get Up & Go / Checklist (Ramsey Doran)
- 8:30** Onion (Mind's Eye)

## 9:00 Tennessean (Live)

- 9:00 Top Stories / Music City Beat / Local News
- 9:30 Local News / Local Business
- 10:00 Opinions / Features / Sports
- 10:30 Death Notices / Miscellaneous  
(Barbara Sullivan, Steffie Misner Wampler)

- 11:00** Book - Description on page 15 - 16
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## Thursday Afternoon

- 12:00** **New York Times** (TIC Network)
- 1:00** **Wall Street Journal** (TIC Network)
- 2:00** Book - Description on page 15 - 16
- 3:00** Men's Hour (Chuck Knight)
- 4:00** Newsweek (Karen Covington)
- 5:00** Get Up & Go / Checklist (Ramsey Doran)
- 5:30** Onion (Mind's Eye)

# THURSDAY

## Thursday Evening

### **6:00 Tennesseean (Repeat)**

6:00 Top Stories / Music City Beat / Local News

6:30 Local News / Local Business

7:00 Opinions / Features / Sports

7:30 Death Notices / Miscellaneous

(Barbara Sullivan, Steffie Misner Wampler)

**8:00** Book - Description on page 15 - 16

**9:00** Reader's Digest (Denise Pridemore)

**9:30** Consumer Reports (Cathy Grier)

**10:00** Book Repeat - Description on page 15 - 16

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## Early Friday

**12:00** Book Repeat - Description on page 15 - 16

**1:00** Smithsonian (Audio Reading Service)

**2:00** City Arts & Lectures (KQED)

**3:00** Get Up & Go / Checklist (Ramsey Doran)

**3:30** Onion (Mind's Eye)

**4:00** Reader's Digest (Denise Pridemore)

**4:30** Consumer Reports (Cathy Grier)

**5:00** Newsweek (Karen Covington)

# FRIDAY

## Friday Morning

- 6:00** People (Mind's Eye)
- 7:00** Fortune (TIC Network)
- 7:30** Diabetic News (Audio Reading Service)
- 8:00** Get Up & Go / Checklist (Ramsey Doran)
- 8:30** LGBTQ News and Culture (Audio Reading Service)

## **9:00 Tennesseean (Live)**

- 9:00 Top Stories / Music City Beat / Local News
- 9:30 Local News / Local Business
- 10:00 Opinions / Features / Sports
- 10:30 Death Notices / Miscellaneous  
(John Bowers, Rob Hunt)

**11:00** Book - Description on page 15 - 16

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## Friday Afternoon

- 12:00** **New York Times** (TIC Network)
- 1:00** **Wall Street Journal** (TIC Network)
- 2:00** Book - Description on page 15 - 16
- 3:00** Vanity Fair (Alicia Smyser)
- 3:30** National Geographic (Virginia McCuen)
- 4:00** Time (Audio Reading Service)
- 5:00** Get Up & Go / Checklist (Ramsey Doran)
- 5:30** LGBTQ News and Culture (Audio Reading Service)

# FRIDAY

## Friday Evening

### **6:00 Tennesseean (Repeat)**

6:00 Top Stories / Music City Beat / Local News

6:30 Local News / Local Business

7:00 Opinions / Features / Sports

7:30 Death Notices / Miscellaneous

(John Bowers, Rob Hunt)

**8:00** Book - Description on page 15 - 16

**9:00** Rolling Stone (Audio Reading Service)

**10:00** Book Repeat - Description on page 15 - 16

**11:00** Book Repeat - Description on page 15 - 16

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## Early Saturday

**12:00** Book Repeat - Description on page 15 - 16

**1:00** People (Mind's Eye)

**2:00** Fortune (TIC Network)

**2:30** Diabetic News (Audio Reading Service)

**3:00** Get Up & Go / Checklist (Ramsey Doran)

**3:30** LGBTQ News and Culture (Audio Reading Service)

**4:00** Rolling Stone (Audio Reading Service)

**5:00** Time (Audio Reading Service)

# SATURDAY

## Saturday Morning

- 6:00** New Yorker (Audio Reading Service)
  - 7:00** Economist (Audio Reading Service)
  - 8:00** Atlantic (Audio Reading Service)
  - 9:00** Money Talk (Audio Reading Service)
  - 10:00** People (Mind's Eye)
  - 11:00** Spotlight on Sports (Audio Reading Service)
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## Saturday Afternoon

- 12:00** **New York Times** (TIC Network)
- 1:00** Around the World (Vickie Carrico)
- 1:30** Discover (Steffie Misner Wampler)
- 2:00** National Geographic (Virginia McCuen)
- 2:30** Vanity Fair (Alicia Smyser)
- 3:00** Reader's Digest (Denise Pridemore)
- 3:30** Consumer Reports (Cathy Grier)
- 4:00** Rolling Stone (Audio Reading Service)
- 5:00** Stories Once Told (Dan Church)

# SATURDAY

## Saturday Evening

- 6:00** Tech Nation (KQED)
  - 7:00** **Nashville Today** (Allison Graber)
  - 7:30** **Nashville Ledger** (Carla Davis)
  - 8:00** Historical View (Audio Reading Service)
  - 9:00** **Contributor** (Hannah Herner)
  - 9:30** Eyes On Success (EOS Productions)
  - 10:00** Fortune (TIC Network)
  - 10:30** Diabetic News (Audio Information Service)
  - 11:00** Self Help (Charlotte Sublett)
  - 11:00** Town & Country (Cecilia Bow)
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## Early Sunday

- 12:00** New Yorker (Audio Reading Service)
- 1:00** Economist (Audio Reading Service)
- 2:00** Atlantic (Audio Reading Service)
- 3:00** Money Talk (Audio Reading Service)
- 4:00** New York Times (TIC Network)
- 5:00** Spotlight on Sports (Audio Reading Service)

# SUNDAY

## Sunday Morning

- 6:00** Smithsonian (Audio Reading Service)
  - 7:00** City Arts & Lectures (KQED)
  - 8:00** People (Mind's Eye)
  - 9:00** Newsweek (Karen Covington)
  - 10:00** Time (Audio Reading Service)
  - 11:00** Harper's (Kristin Brakebill)
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## Sunday Afternoon

- 12:00** **New York Times** (TIC Network)
- 1:00** **Nashville Today** (Allison Graber)
- 1:30** **Nashville Ledger** (Carla Davis)
- 2:00** Popular Science (Barbara Sullivan)
- 2:30** Wired (Maureen Schlacter)
- 3:00** Men's Hour (Chuck Knight)
- 4:00** Tech Nation (KQED)
- 5:00** Poetry in the Air (Chris Hassel)
- 5:30** BookPage (Kim Crafton)



# SUNDAY

## Sunday Evening

- 6:00** Onion (Mind's Eye)
  - 6:30** Eyes on Success (EOS Productions)
  - 7:00** Reader's Digest (Denise Pridemore)
  - 7:30** Southern Living (Sight Into Sound)
  - 8:00** AARP Report (Audio Reading Service)
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  - 9:00** Self Help (Charlotte Sublett)
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- 12:00** Smithsonian (Audio Reading Service)
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- 3:00** Tech Nation (KQED)
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- 5:00** Men's Hour (Chuck Knight)

# BOOK SCHEDULE

**11AM & 10PM**

**November 17: *How To Avoid A Climate Disaster / Bill Gates / 9 EP***  
**Read by Ronnie Pugh.** In this urgent book, philanthropist Bill Gates set out a plan for how the world can get to zero greenhouse gas emissions.

**November 30: *This Is Your Mind On Plants / Michael Pollan / 12 EP***  
**Read by Chris Hassel.** A fascinating look into three plant drugs – opium, caffeine, mescaline – and the cultures that have grown around them.

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**2PM & 11PM**

**November 24: *Sooley / John Grisham / 14 EP***  
**Read by Susan Maguigan.** A young athlete from South Sudan comes to North Carolina where he is offered a chance to help his family back home.

# BOOK SCHEDULE

**8PM & 12AM**

**November 11: *The Maidens* / Alex Michaelides / 9 EP**

**Read by Paul Scott.** A brilliant but troubled group therapist suspects that a charismatic Cambridge University professor is murdering his students.

**November 24: *Cover Your Eyes* / Mary Burton / 12 EP**

**Read by Clara Chesebro.** A thriller set in Nashville in which a public defender fights to reopen an old murder case to save an innocent man.



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