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HANUKKAH PROGRAMMING ON PBS 45 & 49

KENT, Ohio — NOV. 30, 2005 — PBS 45 & 49 presents the following television programming that celebrates the Hannukah season. **Chanukah Stories** is a new special that airs for the first time on our station on Wednesday, Dec. 21.

Arthur's Perfect Christmas

Monday, Dec. 19 at 6:30 a.m.
Wednesday, Dec. 21 at 4 p.m.
Saturday, Dec. 24 at 6 a.m.
Sunday, Dec. 25 at 8 a.m.

Arthur and D.W., with friends and family, make preparations for perfect gifts, parties and family traditions for Christmas, Hanukkah and Kwanzaa.

Chanukah Stories

Wednesday, Dec. 21 at 3 p.m.

In the dynamic new animated special **Chanukah Stories**, celebrity storytellers share two popular Chanukah tales — one that takes place on the first night of the eight-day Festival of Lights; the other on the last. *The Tie Man's Miracle*, narrated by actor Jami Gertz (*Still Standing*), celebrates the true meaning and enduring spirit of the holiday. The folktale *Moishe's Miracle*, as re-told by television veteran Bob Saget (*Full House*), is chock-full of humor, mystery and delicious latkes.

A Yiddish World Remembered

Monday, Dec. 26 at 3 a.m.

A Yiddish World Remembered profiles the defining elements of yesterday's Jewish community including the deep devotion to God, the traditional foods, style of dress, the dedication to education, the ubiquitous sense of humor and the perseverance to survive — tested so strongly during centuries of pogroms and later in the Holocaust. Through the eyes of individuals, the program tells the life-affirming story of the community's concern for its Jewish brethren, their fatalistic cheerfulness, surprising optimism and a sense of humor often turned inward.

About PBS 45 & 49

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