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**NewsNite** to Welcome Corbin Bernsen and Authors Don Adams and Craig Marks

Northeast Ohio — Dec. 20, 2012 — Actor and director Corbin Bernsen, plus Akron-area authors Craig Marks and Don Adams, will appear on **NewsNite** on Western Reserve PBS (WNEO 45.1/WEAO 49.1) on Friday, Dec. 28, at 8:30 p.m.

Bernsen has completed two movies in the greater Akron area: “25 Hill” about the Soap Box Derby and “3 Day Test,” a comedy about a family reconnecting. Bernsen and **NewsNite** host Jody Miller discuss his additional plans for making movies in his adopted hometown.

Don Adams, former FBI agent and former police chief of Fairlawn, visits the show to talk about his book “From an Office Building With a High-Powered Rifle.” The 336-page paperback book details Adams’ involvement with the investigation of the assassination of President John F. Kennedy. Also, Craig Marks, who has been writing and drawing cartoons about Northeast Ohio life for more than 20 years, talks about his book “On the Mark.”

For additional air dates for the program, or to watch it online following the broadcast, visit WesternReservePBS.org.

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