

What's new on the tube?

Networks unveil fall lineup

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You know summer has come to an end with the arrival of the network season premieres. The 1993-94 season is no exception when it comes to bringing new life to the programming. The lineup for this fall contains 35 new shows with the vast majority of them being comedies.

Leading off the season was "Living Single," which premiered Aug. 22 on FOX. The comedy stars Queen Latifah, Kim Coles and Kim Fields as young women facing the trials of being single. It airs at 8:30 p.m. Sundays.

CBS premiered "The Trouble with Larry" Aug. 25. Bronson Pinchot ("Perfect Strangers") stars as a man who shows up unexpectedly rejoins his family after being away for 10 years. The show airs at 8 p.m. Wednesdays.

"Angel Falls" premiered Aug. 26 on CBS. The drama stars Chelsea Fields as a single mother who moves back to her hometown with her daughter. Fields' father has died, and she is taking over the family business. The show airs at 10 p.m. Thursdays.

On Aug. 27, FOX premiered "The Adventures of Brisco County, Jr.," an action-adventure western. It stars Bruce Campbell as a lawyer with a Harvard degree. The hour show airs at 8 p.m. Fridays.

"Missing Persons," an episodic drama, aired Aug. 30. The show stars Daniel Travanti ("Hill Street Blues") as the head of a missing persons department for the Chicago police. It airs on ABC at 8 p.m. Thursdays.

NBC premiered "The Mommies" Sept. 18. The show stars Marilyn Kentz and Caryl Kristensen as mothers coping with the problems of everyday life. The show airs at 8 p.m. Saturdays.

"It Had To Be You," a CBS comedy, premiered Sept. 19. The comedy stars Faye Dunaway as the chief of a publishing company who falls for a carpenter, Robert Ulrich. The show airs at 8 p.m. Sundays.

Monday, CBS premiered the comedy "Dave's World." It stars Harry Anderson ("Night Court") as a '60s child star trying to get his life together in the '90s. Anderson's best friend is played by Meshach Taylor ("Designing Women"). Tune in at 8:30 p.m. Mondays.

Tuesday, ABC unveiled the much talked about "NYPD Blue," a drama created by Steven Bachno ("Hill Street Blues"). The show stars Dennis Franz ("Hill Street Blues") and is based on police

work and how it affects personal lives. The show airs at 10 p.m. Tuesdays. The show is recommended for more mature audiences.

ABC premiered two comedies, "Grace Under Fire" and "Joe's Life." "Grace Under Fire" stars stand-up comic Brett Butler, who plays an abused wife who leaves her husband and starts life over as a single mom. "Joe's Life" is a family sitcom starring Peter Onorati and Mary Page Keller as working parents. Both shows air Wednesdays.

Tomorrow night, two new comedy shows will premiere, one on ABC and the other on CBS. Both shows air at 8:30 p.m. ABC premieres "Boy Meets World," which stars Ben Savage as an 11-year-old boy whose teacher, played by

p.m. Saturday.

On Sept. 30, NBC introduces "Against the Grain," starring John Terry as former high school hero who leaves the insurance business to coach a Texas high school team. This family drama can be seen at 8 p.m. Fridays.

On Oct. 22, NBC premieres "The NBC Friday Night Mystery," which features a series of crime dramas starring big name stars. The show premieres at 9 p.m. Friday.

Another sitcom CBS has for the fall lineup is "The Nanny," featuring Fran Drescher as a nanny for a Manhattan Broadway producer. The show airs at 8:30 p.m. Wednesdays.

"South of Sunset," an action-comedy adventure, stars singer Glenn Frey as a private eye, along

on the weekends.

"Thea" premiered on ABC Sept. 8. It airs at 8:30 p.m. Wednesdays. Thea Vidale stars as a single mother rearing four children.

"The X-Files" premiered on FOX Sept. 10. David Duchovny and Gillian Anderson star as FBI agents who deal with cases involving paranormal phenomena. This airs at 9 p.m. Fridays.

ABC premiered "Lois and Clark: The New Adventures of Superman" Sept. 12. It airs at 8 p.m. Sundays and stars Dean Cain as Superman and Teri Hatcher as Lois Lane. Unlike the movies, Clark Kent longs to be like the boy next door.

"Sea Quest DSV" airs at 8 p.m. Sundays. NBC's futuristic underwater fantasy adventure stars Ray Scheider as the captain of the Sea Quest submarine, which has more technology than the U.S.S. Enterprise ever did.

"Townsend Television" is a variety show with Robert Townsend. It premiered Sept. 12 and is broadcast on FOX at 7 p.m. Sundays. It is a showcase of comedy, music and short films.

ABC's "Phenom" premiered Sept. 14. It airs at 8:30 p.m. Tuesdays. It stars Judith Light as the single mother of a possible tennis pro, played by Angela Goethals.

"Saved by the Bell: The College Years" premiered on NBC Sept. 14. It airs at 8 p.m. Tuesdays. The gang has graduated from high school and has begun college life.

FOX's "Bakersfield, PD" premiered Sept. 14. The comedy stars Giancarlo Esposito as an Italian/African-American cop who moves to California.

On Sept. 15, "Moon Over Miami" premiered on ABC. It airs at 10 p.m. Wednesdays. This is a romantic comedy about two people who operate a detective agency that handles odd cases. It stars Bill Campbell and Ally Walker.

September 16 brought the premiere of "The Sinbad Show" to FOX. It airs at 8:30 p.m. Thursdays. Sinbad brings two foster children into his bachelor lifestyle.

"Frasier" premiered on NBC Sept. 16. Kelsey Grammer ("Cheers") owns a radio talk show. His bachelor life is over when his father moves in with him. This can be seen on at 9:30 p.m. Thursdays.

ABC has added "The Paula Poundstone Show" to its fall lineup. Poundstone stars in a variety-comedy show about living in the '90s. It airs at 9 p.m. Saturdays.

Also on ABC is "George," which is about George Foreman. Foreman plays a retired boxer who starts a recreation center for wayward youth. The show airs at 8 p.m. Saturdays.



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