

Program Listings

Downton Abbey, Season 5

Sundays, January 4 - March 1, 2015 on PBS

Part One

Sunday, January 4, 2015 at 9pm ET

A working-class prime minister is elected and old attitudes start to change. Robert is snubbed by the village. Baxter tells all. And Edith plays with fire.

Part Two

Sunday, January 11, 2015 at 9pm ET

Rose hits on a strategy to get a radio in the house. Sarah tutors Daisy. An art historian arrives. Anna makes a difficult purchase.

Part Three

Sunday, January 18, 2015 at 9pm ET

Mary and Lord Gillingham put their love to the test. Bates also faces a trial. Cora makes a new friend. And Violet is reunited with an old one.

Part Four

Sunday, January 25, 2015 at 9pm ET

Lord Merton delivers a bombshell to Isobel, and Mary does likewise to Tony. Police suspicions deepen in an unexplained death. Robert and Sarah lock horns.

Part Five

Sunday, February 1, 2015 at 9pm ET

Rose makes a handsome new acquaintance. Something is wrong with Thomas. Edith's link to Marigold draws attention. Bricker and Robert lose control.

Part Six

Sunday, February 8, 2015 at 9pm ET

An ancient spark flares in Violet's heart. While police deepen their probe, Bates tells Anna the truth. A long and painful mystery is solved.

Part Seven

Sunday, February 15, 2015 at 9pm ET

Edith is found out. Mary finally shakes a suitor. Isobel and Lord Merton reveal their plans. Robert throws another guest out of the house.

Part Eight

Sunday, February 22, 2015 at 9pm ET

Someone tries to derail Rose and Atticus's happiness. Mrs. Patmore gets a surprise. Anna is in trouble. Robert has a revelation.

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Part Nine**Sunday, March 1, 2015 at 9pm ET**

The Crawleys go to a shooting party at a castle in Northumberland and return to Downton for a joyful Christmas holiday.

Downton Abbey is a Carnival Films/MASTERPIECE Co-Production written and created by Julian Fellowes. The series is Executive Produced by Gareth Neame, Julian Fellowes, Liz Trubridge, and Nigel Merchant. Chris Croucher is the Producer. The Executive Producer for MASTERPIECE is Rebecca Eaton. The Director of episodes one, two, and three is Catherine Morshead. The Director of episodes four, five, and nine is Minkie Spiro. The Director of episodes six and seven is Philip John. The Director of episode eight is Michael Engler.

About MASTERPIECE

MASTERPIECE is presented on PBS by WGBH Boston. Rebecca Eaton is Executive Producer. Funding for the series is provided by Viking River Cruises and Ralph Lauren Corporation with additional support from public television viewers and contributors to The MASTERPIECE Trust, created to help ensure the series' future.

About Carnival Films

Carnival Films is a division of NBC Universal International TV Production and is the UK's largest drama specialist. The company is responsible for the global TV sensation *Downton Abbey*, winner of two Golden Globes® and ten Primetime Emmy® awards, including Best Mini-series. It is the most nominated non-US show in the history of the Emmys® with a total of 51 nominations and is now in 250 territories worldwide. Among numerous national and international awards, the show has even garnered a Guinness World Record for highest critical ratings for a TV show. *Downton Abbey* is executive produced by Carnival's Managing Director Gareth Neame, who sold the production company to NBCU in 2008.

Founded in 1978, Carnival has produced many hundreds of hours of popular drama both in the UK and US, including primetime series such as *Poirot*, *Hotel Babylon*, *Whitechapel*, *Jeeves & Wooster*, *Rosemary & Thyme*, *As If*, *Dracula* and *The Philanthropist*. As well as award-winning mini-series such as C4's iconic *Traffik*, David Hare's Worricker Trilogy (*Page Eight*, *Turks & Caicos* and *Salting the Battlefield*), *The 7:39* by David Nicholls, William Boyd's BAFTA award winning Best Serial *Any Human Heart*, *The Old Curiosity Shop* and *Enid* starring Helena Bonham-Carter.

Peter Morgan's *Lost Honour of Christopher Jefferies* will broadcast in 2014 and Carnival's latest series *The Last Kingdom* is in production for BBC2 and BBC America. Carnival co-produced Royal Television Society award winning drama *The Hollow Crown*, a screen version of Shakespeare's history plays (with Neal Street productions) and the sequel *The War of the Roses* is currently in production, starring Benedict Cumberbatch and Judi Dench.

Carnival has recently announced major new development projects such as *Freud*, Bill Gallagher's *Jamestown*, Neil Cross's *Bay of Plenty* with Libertine Pictures for the BBC, *Magnum* with the iconic photographic co-operative Magnum Photos and *Nostradamus* with Joseph Fiennes and Anonymous content.

Carnival was recognized as best production company at the 2011 Bulldog Awards and 2012 Broadcast Awards.

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