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Networks' Latest Moves Continue Transformation of Cable's Most Powerful Duo

*Wrecked* Ranks as One of Cable's Top 25 Scripted Series and the #1 New Cable Comedy of 2016

*Angie Tribeca* Delivers Largest Demo Increase of Any Returning Cable Comedy This Year

*Animal Kingdom* Premieres Strong and Continues to Grow

Turner's powerhouse media brands **TBS** and **TNT** have renewed three original series currently airing on the networks: the critically acclaimed TNT drama *Animal Kingdom*, the new TBS series *Wrecked* and the hit TBS comedy *Angie Tribeca*.

*Wrecked* ranks among **cable's Top 25 scripted series for the year-to-date** and is the **#1 new cable comedy among adults 18-49**. *Angie Tribeca*'s second season premiere delivered **cable's largest increase of adults 18-49 (+41%) for a returning comedy this year**. *Animal Kingdom* is pulling in a **young audience profile** and has been on **an upward trajectory since its premiere**.

Today's renewals mark the latest steps in the ongoing evolution of the networks under **TBS and TNT President Kevin Reilly**, who has set out to energize both brands and draw in younger audiences. Since rebranding in January, TBS has premiered and renewed four new comedies: *Angie Tribeca*, *Full Frontal with Samantha Bee*, *The Detour* and *Wrecked*. All four rank among the year's **Top 10 new cable comedies among adults 18-49**, with *Wrecked* and *The Detour* **topping the chart**.

"A year ago we began reinventing TBS, and thanks to the incredible talent behind these shows, we've come a long way in a very short amount of time," said **Brett Weitz, executive vice president of original programming for TBS**. "Pulling the trigger on renewals early allows us to build on our success by giving fans new seasons more quickly."

"*Animal Kingdom* has signaled the new tone for TNT dramas and is moving the network in the direction we hoped it would," said **Sarah Aubrey, executive vice president of original programming for TNT**. "I'm confident that our strategy of working with high-caliber talent and then getting out of their way will continue to pay off."

*Wrecked*, which airs **Tuesdays at 10 p.m. (ET/PT)**, is currently reaching a multiplatform audience of **5.2 million viewers** across TBS's linear, VOD, digital and mobile. It ranks **among cable's Top 25 scripted series for the year-to-date** and is the **#1 new cable comedy** based on Live + 7 delivery

of adults 18-49. Just last night, the show landed its **biggest Live + Same Day delivery of adults 18-49 since the premiere.**

*Wrecked* centers on a diverse group of plane crash survivors on a remote island where they must face many threats – mostly brought on by themselves. The ensemble cast for the first season includes **Asif Ali, Zach Cregger, Rhys Darby, Brooke Dillman, Ginger Gonzaga, Will Greenberg, Jessica Lowe, Ally Maki** and **Brian Sacca**. The first season of *Wrecked* is executive-produced by **Justin Shipley & Jordan Shipley**, along with **Jesse Hara** and **Moses Port**. The second 10-episode season will premiere in 2017.

*Angie Tribeca* is reaching **2.6 million viewers** across TBS platforms, with new episodes airing **Mondays at 9 p.m. (ET/PT)**. Building on the network's rebrand strategy, the show returned to TBS three months after completing its successful first season and scored remarkable **+41% growth among adults 18-49**. It also added **more new viewers in the demo than any other returning cable comedy this year.**

*Angie Tribeca* stars **Rashida Jones, Hayes MacArthur, Jere Burns, Deon Cole, Andrée Vermeulen** and **Jagger**. The first two seasons of the buzz-generating hit about a squad of LAPD detectives is the brainchild of executive producers **Nancy and Steve Carell**, with **Ira Ungerleider** serving as executive producer and showrunner. The 10-episode third season is slated to launch in early 2017.

*Animal Kingdom* is reaching **6.7 million viewers** across all TNT platforms and is **growing week to week**, including an **+18% jump** with last night's episode. In addition, *Animal Kingdom* is attracting an audience that is **evenly gender-balanced** and has **the youngest profile of any current TNT drama.**

*Animal Kingdom*, which airs **Tuesdays at 9 p.m. (ET/PT)**, stars Emmy® and Tony® winner **Ellen Barkin, Scott Speedman, Shawn Hatosy, Ben Robson, Jake Weary, Finn Cole, Daniella Alonso** and **Molly Gordon**. The series is produced by **John Wells Productions** in association with **Warner Horizon Television**, with Emmy® winner **John Wells** and **Jonathan Lisco** serving as executive producers of the series, along with **Etan Frankel** and **Christopher Chulack**. *Animal Kingdom* is inspired by the award-winning feature film written & directed by **David Michôd** and produced by **Liz Watts**, who also serve as executive producers on the series. Season two will return with 10 episodes in early 2017.

Both TBS and TNT will continue their evolution over the coming year with additional series launches. TBS's upcoming slate includes the new dark comedy ***Search Party***, with **Alia Shawkat**, and the alien-abduction comedy ***People of Earth***, starring **Wyatt Cenac**. TBS has also entered the rapidly growing eSports fray with the launch of Turner's ***ELEAGUE***.

TNT will follow up its *Animal Kingdom* success this fall with the premiere of ***Good Behavior***, starring **Michelle Dockery** as a thief and con artist trying to regain her life. TNT's 2017 slate includes ***The Alienist***, based on Caleb Carr's *New York Times* bestseller about a serial killer in New York during the Gilded Age; ***Tales from the Crypt***, a new horror block from executive producer **M. Night Shyamalan** being built around a revival of the *Tales from the Crypt* anthology series, complete with a re-imagined Crypt Keeper; ***Will***, a period drama told in contemporary style centering on a young William Shakespeare; and ***Foreign Bodies***, a comedic drama produced with Channel 4 and featuring an international group of young adults traveling across Asia.

Pilots in the works for TNT include ***Civil***, a gripping political and social drama starring **Eliza Coupe, Bradley Whitford, Courtney B. Vance, Toby Jones** and **Enrique Murciano** that finds America on the brink of a modern day Civil War, and ***Claws***, a wickedly funny dramedy set in a Florida nail salon starring **Niecy Nash**.

## About TBS & TNT

**TBS** is basic cable's #1 network with young adults. Available across multiple platforms in 93 million homes, TBS features bold, original scripted comedies, including [American Dad!](#), [Angie Tribeca](#), [The Detour](#), [Wrecked](#) and the upcoming [Search Party](#) and [People of Earth](#). The network also presents exciting competition series, such as [Separation Anxiety](#) and [America's Greatest Makers](#). In late night, TBS is home to [CONAN](#), starring Conan O'Brien, and [Full Frontal with Samantha Bee](#). In addition, the TBS lineup includes popular comedy hits like [Family Guy](#), [The Big Bang Theory](#) and [2 Broke Girls](#); blockbuster movies; and live coverage of Major League Baseball's regular and post-season play, the NCAA Division I Men's Basketball Championship and the brand new eSports gaming league.

**TNT** is one of cable's top-rated networks. Seen across multiple platforms in 94 million households, TNT is home to such original drama series as [Animal Kingdom](#), [The Last Ship](#), [The Librarians](#), [Major Crimes](#), [Murder in the First](#), [Rizzoli & Isles](#) and the upcoming [Good Behavior](#), [The Alienist](#), [Will and Foreign Bodies](#), along with a new horror block featuring [Tales from the Crypt](#). TNT is also the cable home to popular dramas like [Castle](#), [Bones](#), [Supernatural](#) and [Grimm](#); primetime specials, such as the [Screen Actors Guild Awards®](#), the [Live Nation Music Awards](#) and the [iHeartRadio Music Awards](#); and championship sports coverage, including the NBA and the NCAA Division I Men's Basketball Championship.

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