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**New PBS Wisconsin Documentary *Acapocalypse! A Cappella’s New Note* Premieres Tuesday, March 31**

*Acapocalypse! A Cappella’s New Note,* an upcoming hour-long documentary, follows three Wisconsin high school vocal groups as they prepare for and perform in the Port Washington Acapocalypse, an annual a cappella festival celebrating the best young a cappella groups from around the state.

***Acapocalypse! A Cappella’s New Note*, will premiere 8 p.m. Tuesday, March 31 on PBS Wisconsin. The full program will also be available for live streaming on PBS Wisconsin’s Facebook page and available for viewing on the day of the broadcast at pbswisconsin.org.**

The program features a mix of live concert and documentary footage with several animated explainer videos that were scripted and acted out by Wisconsin high school students. All of the music featured in the program, including background music, was performed by the students in these three vocal groups.

The three high school groups featured in the program are Port Washington High School’s “Limited Edition,” Gale-Ettrick-Trempealeau’s “Vocal Point,” and Milwaukee High School of the Arts “Vocal Jazz Ensemble.” Leading up to the concert, the PBS Wisconsin film crew spent several months in early 2019 filming the groups and their teachers – both ­in their classrooms and as they ventured out into the community to prepare for the annual Port Washington concert.

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