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## Franklin County Library Adds PBS Programs to its Collection

*Programs available for 2008*

**Louisburg, December 11, 2007:** On January 1, 2008, library patrons at Franklin County Library will have free access to quality educational and entertainment programming from PBS over the Internet. As a member of NC LIVE, North Carolina's statewide library consortium, the library will provide on-site and home access to nearly 250 PBS programs, including Ken Burns' Baseball and The Civil War as well as the Emmy award-winning series American Experience and Frontline.

Library director, Holt Kornegay says, "The addition of these PBS videos to the already significant offerings of NC LIVE provides our citizens with another invaluable resource that can enhance education and the quality of life in our community."

Paid for by grants from the North Carolina State Library, the award-winning programs available from the PBS collection will include the science series Scientific American Frontiers, history series Empires, the investigative journalism program Frontline, and kids' series Cyberchase and Liberty's Kids.

"The quality of the PBS programming will provide North Carolinians with the perfect video marriage of education and entertainment, and is a natural fit for students, faculty, and patrons of all of the State's libraries," said Tim Rogers, Executive Director of NC LIVE. "We're very proud to be the first statewide cooperative that will be using streaming technology to deliver these incredible resources, continuing a North Carolina tradition of great libraries that support and enhance education, economic development, and quality of life."

This exciting new resource will be available from <http://www.nclive.org>, via [www.fcnclibrary.org](http://www.fcnclibrary.org). For details about the PBS videos available at our library, please contact Franklin County Library Director Holt Kornegay at (919) 496-2111, or visit the catalog link at [www.fcnclibrary.org](http://www.fcnclibrary.org)

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