

THE WEEKLY GEEK



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Welcome to The Weekly Geek

This is a new e-newsletter from the Information & Instructional Technology Departments at Dakota County Technical College. Each week will have a different technology related topic.



“Back in my day...we had 4 television stations to choose from, no remote and a television with a coat hanger as an antenna.”
Now with cable or satellite television the channel choices are seemingly endless...and yet sometimes you still can't find a show or movie you would like to watch....why don't they make TV shows or movies like they used to? Some of your favorites may be available online for you to watch for free!



[TV Land](#)

The cable television channel TVLand offers many full length episodes of television shows including the Cosby Show, I Love Lucy, Bonanza, and The Andy Griffith Show (I know, you will be whistling the theme song all day).



[Hulu: Classic](#)

Hulu offers current television episodes but also has a “Classic” television section with full episodes of shows from A-Z such as (Green)Acres to (The Twilight)Zone.



[Toon Jet](#)

Anyone remember when cartoons were only on Saturday mornings? Toon Jet has online episodes from Tom & Jerry,

Betty Boop, Merrie Melodies, and Woody the Woodpecker.

Oh-the golden age of cartoons before violence ratings and political correctness!

[Kids WB](#)

Kids WB also has older cartoons like Looney Tunes and Merrie Melodies. This site also has cartoons like Scooby-Doo, The Jetsons, Thundercats, and the Smurfs.



[Western Mania](#)

A site of free old western movies including a collection of John Wayne. So sidle up to the sofa with a sarsaparilla, put up your spurs and enjoy a movie with the Duke or Lone Ranger. At least will give you and your dad or grandpa something to talk about at the next family gathering.

[TV of Your Life](#)

A site of resources to finding classic TV shows and commercials from the 50's-90's. This site

doesn't host the videos, but does a good job of organizing links to some of your favorite shows and also embedding YouTube videos. I am warning you, it is not a "pretty site" but they have put some work into tracking down old shows.



[Retrovision](#)

Who doesn't want to spend their weekend watching the 1950-60's horror movies like Beach Girls and the Monsters or The Snow Creature? This site has old tv shows and movies categorized by genre.

It supposed to be cold this weekend, stay in and check out some vintage television and movies...online.

Note: Weekly Geek will not be held responsible for you not getting your "Honey-Do" weekend list completed due to these web site resources.

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