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Table of TV listings for Friday, June 12, 2020, showing channels, times, and program titles. Includes programs like 'Jeopardy!', 'KATU News at 6', 'The Good Road', 'BBC World News Today', etc.

tonight's best



Ice Cube

8 p.m. on WTBS; 10 p.m. on TRUTV
Movie: Friday

Two decades before helming "Straight Outta Compton," F. Gary Gray made his film directorial debut with this 1995 character-driven urban comedy that chronicles 16 hours or so in the lives of newly unemployed Craig Jones (Ice Cube) and his best friend, Smokey (Chris Tucker), who owes money to a dangerous neighborhood drug dealer (Faizon Love). The cast also includes Nia Long, Bernie Mac, Anna Maria Horsford, Regina King, Paulia Parker and other familiar faces. "Next Friday," a 2000 sequel, immediately follows.

8:10 p.m. on HBO
Movie: Doubt

Oscar nominations aplenty resulted from this superb adaptation of John Patrick Shanley's Pulitzer Prize-winning play, with Shanley himself — also the director here — landing one of the bids for adapting his story of a priest (Philip Seymour Hoffman) suspected of pedophilia by a Catholic school principal (Meryl Streep). Both stars were up for Academy Awards for their work here, as were supporting actresses Amy Adams and Viola Davis.

8:30 p.m. on SHOW
Movie: RINGSIDE

Filmed over the course of eight years, this documentary from German director André Hormann delivers a visceral emotional punch as it follows two boxing prodigies — junior Golden Gloves champion Destyne Butler Jr. and Olympic hopeful Kenneth Sims Jr. — as they try to navigate personal and professional challenges in the sports world. Although their personal stories begin in roughly the same time and place, their paths soon diverge, as Butler spends time in prison. It all adds up a compelling redemption story about beating the odds.

10 p.m. on MAX
Trackers

Lemmer (James Gracie) notices they're being tailed as he, Laurens and Flea (Gerald Steyn, Trix Vivier) continue transporting their new cargo in the new "Episode 2." Still facing the possibility of an agency shutdown, Janina (Sandi Schultz) keeps pursuing all available leads. She gets strong assistance from Milla (Rolanda Marais), despite distracting threats from the latter's abandoned husband, Christo (Morné Visser). Brendon Daniels, Merren Reddy and Ed Stoppard also star.