Entertainment

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TUESDAY AUGUST 14

9-10PM

How Jaws Changed the World

Discovery, TV-14-LV

Turns out Spielberg's 1975 blockbuster spurred a worldwide effort to conserve the shark population. Man, Quint would have been pissed.

SERIES DEBUT

10-11PM

Collection Intervention Syfy, TV-PG

Yep, it's basically Intervention: Nerd Edition (sneeringly writes the man with Alan Dean Foster's novelization of Alien on his bookshelf).

SERIES DEBUT 10:30-11PM

The Burn With Jeff Ross

Comedy Central

I'm not saying roastmaster Jeff Ross isn't funny, but when he tells a joke it's...uh... well, they aren't all hilarious, I'll say that much, and... something about him having stupid hair(?)...you know, this roasting thing is not easy.



10-11PM The Week the Women Went

Lifetime, TV-PG-LD

SERIES

What would a world with no women be like? I'm guessing there'd be a lot more Chuck Norris marathons on TV and a lot

fewer social-experiment shows like *The Week the Women Went*, in which the adult ladies of Yemassee, S.C., abscond to a resort, leaving the menfolk to fend for themselves. This premiere features way too much dramatic foreplay, which is kind of ironic given the male-centric concept. But before long, the men's stewardship of their children proves concerning enough to give you hope that future episodes will find Yemassee transformed into an entertainingly nuts mix of the town from *Children of the Corn* and the prison on *Oz.* B-