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## **NICKELODEON Brings Back Rocko s Modern Life**

### **Original One-Hour TV Special**

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**USPA NEWS** - Marking its 25th anniversary of original creator-driven animation, Nickelodeon announced on August 11, 2016, another reinvention of its library content : the greenlight of an original one-hour TV special based on its classic “90s hit, Rocko’s Modern Life....

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Originally airing from 1993-1996, the animated 'Rocko’s Modern Life' follows the adventures of an Australian wallaby named Rocko and his two companions, Heffer Wolfe and Filburt, through their adventures in their home of O-Town. Today’s Rocko’s greenlight news follows recent announcements of Nickelodeon bringing back its library content for today’s audiences.

Coming in 2017 is 'Hey Arnold! : The Jungle Movie', a new, original TV movie that will feature a storyline picking up from where the original series ended in 2004, resolving unanswered questions and plotlines, including Arnold finally getting answers about the whereabouts of his missing parents.

This fall, Nickelodeon will premiere its 'Legends of the Hidden Temple' original TV movie, an action-adventure movie based on its “90s game show of the same name. Drawing from the original show’s premise of kids competing to retrieve artifacts from a mysterious Mayan temple, the new action-adventure TV movie version will follow three siblings who embark on a high-stakes, life-or-death mission.

August 11 celebrates 25 years of original creator-driven animation for Nickelodeon, marking a significant milestone exemplifying decades of rich history and commitment to bringing fresh innovative content to kids and families around the world. Later this year, Nickelodeon will open up a 190,000 square-foot, state-of-the-art complex in Burbank, Calif., to serve as the West Coast hub for the network, housing the ever-growing number of animated and live-action series, TV movies, and award shows and events seen globally.

Nickelodeon, now in its 37th year, is the number-one entertainment brand for kids. It has built a diverse, global business by putting kids first in everything it does. The company includes television programming and production in the United States and around the world, plus consumer products, online, recreation, books and feature films.

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