



CHRIS MYERS TO SERVE AS MARQUEE SPORTS NETWORK PLAY-BY-PLAY ANNOUNCER THIS WEEKEND

Emmy Award-winning broadcaster makes regular season Cubs television debut

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CHICAGO – Distinguished broadcaster Chris Myers will join the Marquee Sports Network broadcast booth this weekend, serving as play-by-play announcer alongside Jim Deshaies for the Cubs three-game set against the Miami Marlins. Myers has been with the network since the launch, most prominently as host of the monthly interview show, *Chris & Tell* presented by Blue Cross Blue Shield of Illinois, and as the host of *Play at Home Trivia* presented by Miller Lite.

Myers is an Emmy Award-winning broadcaster with more than 30 years of broadcasting experience at the highest levels of sport. Since joining Fox Sports in 1998, he has covered the World Series and Super Bowl, and is a regular play-by-play commentator on Fox NFL Sundays. He also contributes to NASCAR on Fox coverage, hosting weekly live coverage from the track. Prior to joining Fox in 1998, he worked for 11 years at ESPN, serving as an anchor on *SportsCenter* and the host of the sports interview show *Up Close*.

“I’m excited to get to Wrigley Field this weekend to call Cubs games for Marquee Sports Network,” said Myers. “It’s always a thrill to step inside the Friendly Confines, especially when you get to broadcast the games from the home booth alongside Jim Deshaies.”

“We’re looking forward to having Chris Myers in the Marquee booth this weekend,” said Marquee Sports Network General Manager, Mike McCarthy. “Chris was scheduled to call games with us last season but due to the pandemic we were not able to make that happen. He has covered some of the biggest sporting events in the world and we’re excited to finally have him calling Cubs games on Marquee.”

Following this weekend’s series vs. Miami, Myers will serve as host of *Cubs Live!* for the games on Monday and Tuesday vs. Cleveland as Jon Sciambi returns to the booth. A new episode of *Chris & Tell* premieres Friday, June 25 at 7:30 p.m. CT as Chris Myers interviews Cubs legend Billy Williams.

Marquee Sports Network is available within the Cubs home television territory in portions of Illinois, Indiana, Iowa and Wisconsin, and is carried on more than 50 cable providers, as well as streaming platforms AT&T TV and fuboTV. For a full listing of providers, visit <https://www.marqueesportsnetwork.com/providers/>.

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