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SUNDAY, JAN. 14

- **"24"** Jack Bauer versus the Chinese in a two-episode season premiere. Two more episodes run Monday. (Fox, 8 p.m.)
- "Reba" Barbara Jean is worried guest Kelly Clarkson is after her weather-girl job at the TV station. (The CW, 7:30 p.m.)
- "Desperate Housewives" Wisteria Lane gets a new (presumably desperate) resident. (ABC, 9 p.m.)

MONDAY, JAN. 15

- "The 64th Annual Golden
 Globe Awards" Stars will trot out and
 Oscar frontrunners emerge. (NBC, 8 p.m.)
- "SpongeBob SquarePants"
 Residents of Bikini Bottom see a monster: A
 disguised Squidward. (Nickelodeon, 8:30 p.m.)
- **"My Super Sweet 16"** More conspicuous consumption for daddy's (spoiled) little girl. (MTV, 9 p.m.)

TUESDAY, JAN. 16

- "American Idol" Paula, Randy and Simon head to Minneapolis for a new season. Wednesday, it's Seattle. (Fox, 8 p.m.)
- **"Law & Order: SVU"** Adam Beach ("Flags of Our Fathers") guest-stars as a Brooklyn SVU detective investigating a rape similar to one Fin (Ice-T) is working on. (NBC, 10 p.m.)
- "NCIS" This "JAG" spin-off is the TV show people watch when they don't want to watch "Idol." (CBS, 8 p.m.)
- **"Late Show With David Letterman"** Diana Ross is the guest. Wanna bet she isn't promoting "Dreamgirls"? Wanna bet Dave asks about it anyway? (CBS, 11:30 p.m.)

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 17

"The Naked Trucker & T-Bones Show" The debut of a faux variety show hosted by a trucker with very

little wardrobe (Dave Allen) and his dim-witted pal (David Koechner). Will Ferrell guests. (Comedy Central, 10:30 p.m.)

"Friday Night Lights" The Panthers are one game away from the playoffs when star player Smash's (Gaius Charles) steroid use is discovered by his mom. (NBC, 8 p.m.)

"Medium" A spirit who doesn't want his killer unmasked confuses Allison (Patricia Arquette). (CBS, 10 p.m.)

THURSDAY, JAN. 18

- "Scrubs" A patient faints and wakes up to a singing staff in this musical episode. (NBC, 9 p.m.)
- **"Smallville"** Geek alert! Young versions of the Flash, the Green Arrow, Cyborg and Aquaman all guest-star. (*The CW*, 8 p.m.)

FRIDAY, JAN. 19

- "Trading Spouses: Meet Your New Mommy" Marguerite Perrin has apparently recovered from her hysterical meltdown on a previous episode, lost 94 pounds thanks to gastric bypass surgery and is back to speak truth to power in a two-parter. (Fox, 9 p.m.)
- "Monk" Monk (Tony Shalhoub) is delighted to have made a new friend, but can the guy (guest star Andy Richter) really be trusted? Monk's real friends don't

star Andy Richter) really be trusted? Monk's real friends don' think so. (USA, 9 p.m.)

SATURDAY, JAN. 20

- "World Championship Boxing" Battling Brit Ricky "Hitman" Hatton (41-0, 30 KOs) aims to reclaim his junior welterweight title from Colombian Juan Urango (17-0-1, 13 KOs). Both are undefeated, but that'll change. (HBO, 9:45 p.m.)
- "High School Musical" Truly a phenom, this 2006
 TV movie keeps getting repeated again and again, week after
 week, and keeps drawing millions of viewers, despite being
 available on DVD. Two sequels are in the works. (Disney, 8 p.m.)

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