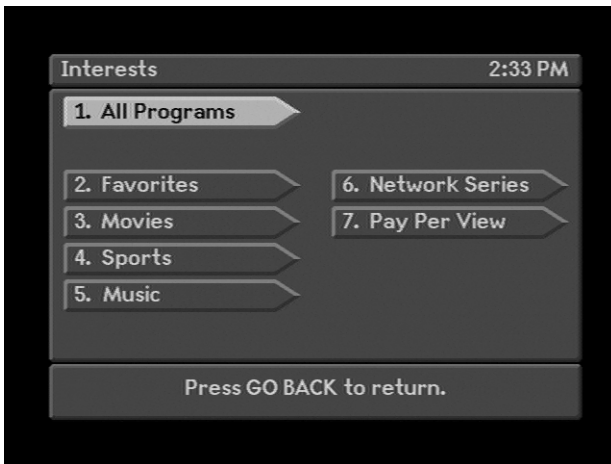


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Interests and Favorites

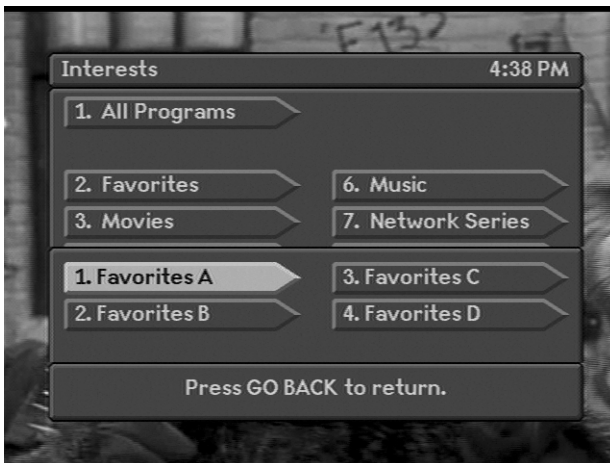
You have the choice to scan every channel when you "channel surf." But to help you locate channels and shows of specific interest to you, the Digital Sidecar has an Interests menu that helps you to focus your channel surfing.

- By using the Interests menu, you can quickly locate programs according to a particular theme such as movies, sports, Pay-Per-View, music/ radio, news/ education, or network series.
- You can also surf through a list of favorite channels that include only the channels on your list.



How to Display and Use the Interests Menu

- Press the INTERESTS key on the remote control. The Interests menu appears.
- To select an interest (for example, All Programs, Favorites, Network Series, News/Education, Movies, Sports, Pay-Per-View, or Music/Radio), just highlight one of them and press the ENTER key. The Guide will appear and display channels or programs that pertain to the interest you have selected. Remember that once you have selected one of the options (or interests) from the Interests menu:
 - The information you see in the Guide will be limited to programming that matches the interest you have selected. If there is no programming that matches the selected interest, a message will appear.
 - Once you surf through the programming on one satellite you can switch to another satellite and continue surfing according to the interest you select.
 - You will notice that while you are watching a program or channel, the left side of the header will display the interest you have selected. If there is no programming matching the selected interest, a message will appear.
- Press the INTERESTS key again to display the Interests menu and change your selection.



1. All Programs. Each time you turn on the Digital Sidecar receiver, it will automatically return to the All Programs setting. When this option is selected, you will be able to scan for all programs while channel surfing or when you are using

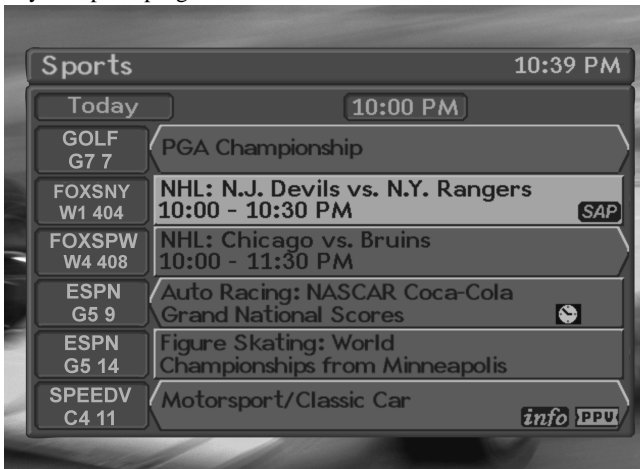
the Guide. The IPG will show programming on analog transponders as well as digital.

2. Favorites. If you select Favorites, you will be able to limit your channel surfing and the Guide information listings to channels that are in the selected list. If you have not yet made a list of favorite channels, a message will instruct you to do so. (Refer to the section entitled "Options: Setting Favorite Channels," for instructions about how to create a list of favorite channels).

3. Movies. If you select this interest, you will be able to channel surf exclusively for movies.

4. News/Education. If you select this interest, you will be able to channel surf exclusively for news/education programs.

5. Sports. If you select this interest, you will be able to channel surf exclusively for sports programs.



6. Music/Radio. If you select this interest, you will be able to channel surf exclusively for music/radio programs.

7. Network Series. If you select this interest, you will be able to channel surf exclusively for network series programs.

8. Pay-Per-View. If you select this interest, you will be able to channel surf exclusively for Pay-Per-View (PPV) programs.

