**ARCTIC ASCENT WITH ALEX HONNOLD**

**SERIES & EPISODE DESCRIPTIONS**

*\*Short Descriptions - 75 characters or less\**

*\*Medium Descriptions - 150 characters or less\**

*\*Long Descriptions - 400 characters or less\**

**SERIES DESCRIPTIONS**

**PR VERSION**

Alex Honnold (“Free Solo”) embarks on an epic quest of unclimbed walls in one of the most remote corners of Greenland, a country on the frontline of the climate crisis. Honnold has always dreamed of exploring Greenland and its unclimbed peaks. Now, he and world-class climbers Hazel Findlay and Mikey Schaefer attempt to summit Ingmikortilaq, an unclimbed Arctic seacliff rising out of the frozen wilderness that is nearly 1,000 feet higher than “Free Solo”’s El Capitan. This expedition is about more than just climbing for Honnold, a longtime climate activist. It is an opportunity to witness firsthand the impact of climate change on a wilderness that is vitally important to the future of the planet. With the help of Dr. Heïdi Sevestre, a glaciologist working with the Arctic Monitoring and Assessment Program, Greenlandic guide Adam Kjeldsen and renowned adventurer Aldo Kane, the team uses a special radar to take real-time depth and density measurements of a rarely studied section of Greenland’s ice cap. **ARCTIC ASCENT WITH ALEX HONNOLD** is a three-part scientific expedition led by one of the world’s greatest climbers in pursuit of a lifelong dream.

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**LONG**

Alex Honnold leads a six-week expedition to eastern Greenland to make a first ascent of one of the highest unclimbed rock faces in the world, but this is much more than a climbing trip. With the help of glaciologist Heidi Sevestre, Alex and the team investigate the impact of climate change on the glaciers, ice caps and fjords in this remote part of the Arctic.

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**MEDIUM**

Alex Honnold leads an expedition to Greenland to climb a massive 4,000-foot sea cliff and investigate the impacts of climate change on the region.

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**MEDIUM (V2)**

Having long dreamed of exploring the unclimbed peaks of Greenland, Honnold embarks on an unprecedented quest to the frontline of the climate crisis.

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**SHORT**

Alex Honnold leads an expedition to Greenland to climb a massive sea cliff.

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**EPISODE DESCRIPTIONS**

**71 Degrees North premieres Feb. 4 at 8/7c**

**LONG**

As the first stage of the epic Greenland expedition gets underway, the team walks up a glacier to look for signs of melting. When they find a “super moulin” (a huge cavern in the ice), they use their climbing skills to explore. At the top of the glacier, they come to their next challenge: a 1,500-foot wall of sheer granite. Even the team’s novice climbers will have to attempt the ascent.

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**MEDIUM**

The first stage of the epic Greenland expedition gets underway as Alex and his team walk up a huge glacier, tackling a 1,500-foot rock climb.

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**SHORT**

The first stage of Alex’s epic Greenland expedition gets underway.

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**ON THIN ICE premieres Feb. 4 at 9:02/8:02c**

**LONG**

Deadly icefalls hit Alex and the team as they make a first ascent of the 1,500-foot-high pool wall. Then, they set out on the first-ever crossing of the Renland Ice Cap, where they face snow storms and deep, deadly crevasses. After surviving a whiteout, they battle to get off the ice before traveling up an iceberg-filled fjord to get their first glimpse of the big climb: Ingmikortilaq.

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**MEDIUM**

Alex and the team are hit by deadly icefalls and cross a treacherous ice cap before traveling up a fjord to the big climb: Ingmikortilaq.

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**SHORT**

The team is hit by deadly icefalls before crossing a treacherous ice cap.

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**THE WALL premieres10:02/9:02c**

**LONG**

The final stage of the epic Greenland expedition gets underway. Alex and the other professional climbers begin their ascent of one of the biggest unclimbed walls on the planet and discover that it could be the most dangerous climb they’ve ever attempted. Meanwhile, the science team gets some unexpected results about one of the most important glaciers in Greenland.

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**MEDIUM**

Alex and the team reach the final phase of their epic expedition: a 4000-foot unclimbed sea wall and one of the most important glaciers in Greenland.

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**SHORT**

Alex and the team reach their ultimate goal: a 4000-foot sea wall.

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