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in Kiri

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in Hard Sun

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THIS WEEK'S UNMISSABLE TV

WITH TV EDITOR ALISON GRAHAM

'Three cheers for truly great women'

I WILL WATCH Sarah LANCASHIRE in anything. She could sit in front of a television camera and read the instructions for changing the oil in a Ford Mondeo and I'd be there, riveted, hanging on every word.

I believe in every character she plays. Lancashire really *was* doughty Yorkshire cop Catherine Cawood in *Happy Valley*, when she was attacked that time by the brutal Tommy Lee Royce, I felt every blow.

So I can't think of anyone else who could play social worker Miriam in Jack Thorne's powerful drama *Kiri* (Wednesday C4). Lancashire inhabits every inch of a woman caught in a maelstrom of lynch-mob loathing when a little black girl about to be adopted by an affluent white family is abducted during an unsupervised visit to her biological grandparents. It sounds bleak and it is, but *Kiri* asks important questions about child welfare and adoption.

My knowledge of Lady Jane Grey, England's

queen of just nine days, is scant (to my shame). Though I'm always moved by Delaroche's (fanciful) portrait of Jane, a mere 16 years old, blindfolded and groping for the block before her execution. But in *England's Forgotten Queen* (over three nights from Tuesday BBC4), historian Helen Castor gives us the full, detailed and surprising story of a woman who wasn't the wet blanket of popular perception.

ONE OF ITV's most bankable drama hits, *Vera*, returns on Sunday for a new run and it's always a pleasure to welcome back Brenda Blethyn as Vera Stanhope, author Ann Cleeves's mulish, clever, scruffy and of course perceptive detective. Author and actress are great friends in real life and when Ann was awarded crime fiction's highest honour, the Crime Writers' Association's lifetime achievement award the Diamond Dagger recently, there was Brenda by her side, looking very proud.



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Director Joe Wright presents his vision of the wartime PM in *Darkest Hour*



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Thanks to *Girlfriends*, a city I love is enjoying its place in the limelight



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FROM THE EDITOR



What a television year is in prospect for 2018. From Sarah Lancashire to James Norton to David Attenborough, some of the biggest names in TV feature in the magazine this week – as well as our pick of the best new shows in the coming year.

With the price of *Radio Times* rising this week there has never been a better time to take advantage of our subscription offer to make sure you don't miss a minute of the best broadcasting in the year ahead. If you subscribe today (see page 118), you will save 39 per cent on the full price – and you'll receive a Cooks Professional NutriBlender worth £99 for free*.

And don't forget to claim your free* copy of *Little Women*, one of the highlights of the Christmas holiday television. To celebrate the BBC's adaptation of Louisa May Alcott's novel we're offering readers the opportunity to claim Vintage Classics editions of *Little Women* and the sequel, *Good Wives*, together worth almost £13! See page ten for full details.

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WHAT I'M WATCHING...



MICHAEL MOSLEY

"I'm currently watching *Gavin & Stacey*, on iPlayer, having missed it the first time round," says the TV presenter, who this

week kicks off our new health column.

"I'm also a big fan of *Storyville* documentaries, they are so beautifully made."

Michael Mosley on the benefits of coffee – page 139



Gavin & Stacey

FREE* LITTLE WOMEN BOOKS

Don't forget to claim your copies of *Little Women* and *Good Wives* by Louisa May Alcott. For full details, see page ten



SATURDAY 6

Television

The Voice UK

8.00pm **ITV**
A new run of the talent show, with new judge Olly Murs joining Jennifer Hudson, Sir Tom Jones and Will.i.am.

Spiral

9.00, 10.00pm **BBC4**
As the French cops brawl among themselves, lawyer Josephine awakes in an underpass. Something horrible has happened...

Feud: Bette and Joan

9.15, 10.00pm **BBC2**
The final two episodes of the high-camp biopic see relations between the divas at their lowest-ever point.

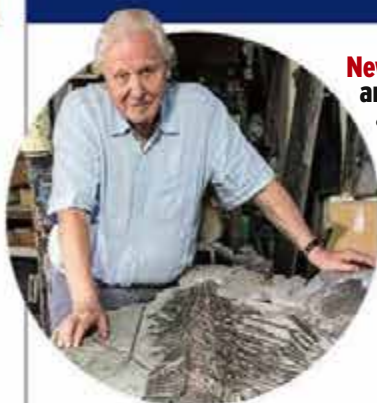


New Hard Sun

9.35pm **BBC1**
A crime drama that spins into dark fantasy as two cops (Agyness Dean and Jim Sturgess, above) uncover a plot to keep the end of the world secret.

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SUNDAY 7



New Attenborough and the Sea Dragon

8.00pm **BBC1**
Attenborough is in paleo mode as he pores over fossils to tell the story of a 200-million-year-old marine reptile recently dug from the Dorset cliffs.

Vera

8.00pm **ITV**
The splendid, doughty, dishevelled Det Chief Inspector Vera Stanhope (Brenda Blethyn) is back, investigating the murder of a man found in an incinerator.

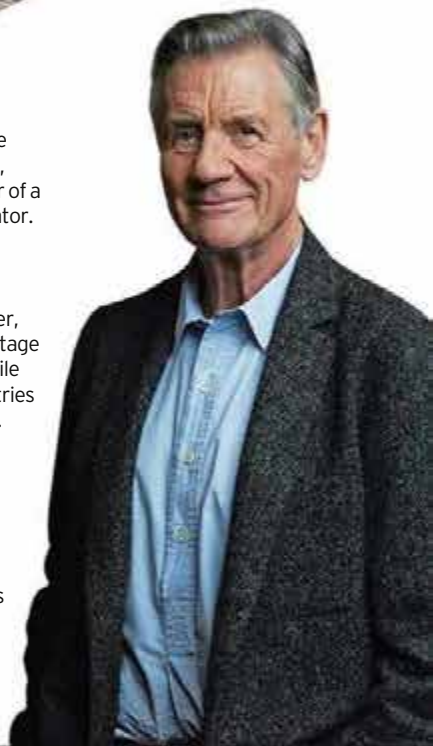
McMafia

9.00pm **BBC1**
In the deluxe crime thriller, international thugs sabotage each other's empires while James Norton's banker tries to keep his hands clean...

New Michael Palin: a Life on Screen

9.00pm **BBC2**
The beloved comedian, actor and traveller looks back on a career that has embraced cardinals, leopards and slapping with fish. Wonderful.

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Film

The Hunger Games: Mockingjay Part 2

★★★★ **9.00pm C4**
Jennifer Lawrence leads the rebellion in the stirring climax of the smash-hit fantasy adventure.



And Now for Something Completely Different

★★★★ **10.00pm BBC2**
Nearly 50 years on from the Pythons changing the face of TV comedy, they continue to be an influence. Some of this early compilation might feel a bit student review but it's still a hilarious addition to BBC2's Michael Palin evening.

Radio

Good Luck Professor Spiegelhalter

8.00pm **Radio 4**
Luck both good and bad plays a big part in all our lives, but is it quite as random as we think? A "professor of risk" finds out.



World Book Club

2.00pm **BBC World Service**
With Kenneth Branagh having just taken on the role of Belgian sleuth Hercule Poirot (left), World Book Club goes to Brussels for a special Agatha Christie edition.

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MONDAY 8

Silent Witness

9.00pm **BBC1**
A new run of the series sees Nikki (Emilia Fox) return to work, despite still being traumatised by being buried alive in the previous series.

New Surgeons: at the Edge of Life

9.00pm **BBC2**
Astonishing real-life stories of the work done by surgeons at Birmingham's Queen Elizabeth Hospital.



New Next of Kin

9.00pm **ITV**
A thoughtful drama starring Archie Panjabi and Jack Davenport sees a Muslim family in London caught up in the fallout from terrorism.

New Gabriel Byrne on George Bernard Shaw

9.00pm **BBC4**
If you believe the great Irish playwright and social campaigner is still underrated, this is the film for you – and it's a peach.

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TUESDAY 9

New/Documentary of the Week School for Stammerers

9.00pm **ITV**
A lorry driver, a schoolboy and a photographer are among those hoping to overcome stammers in an achingly emotional documentary.



New England's Forgotten Queen

9.00pm **BBC4**
Historian Helen Castor (above) presents an absorbing three-part biography of Jane Grey, who was queen for just nine days.

New Inside No 9

10.00pm **BBC2**
The double act Cheese and Crackers were dreadful 30 years ago so why are they reuniting now? Pathos from Pemberton and Shearsmith.

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WEDNESDAY 10

Girlfriends

9.00pm **ITV**
It's magazine editor Sue's (Miranda Richardson) birthday – but she's not at all happy in Kay Mellor's panto-like comedy drama.

New/Drama of the Week Kiri

9.00pm **C4**
Sarah Lancashire is brilliant as a good-hearted social worker caught in the eye of a storm when a young girl goes missing in Jack Thorne's important drama.



New Hansa Studios: By the Wall – 1976-90

9.00pm **Sky Arts**
A look behind the walls of the famous Berlin recording studio where the likes of David Bowie and Iggy Pop made music history.

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THURSDAY 11



New Big Cats

8.00pm **BBC1**
The wilder members of the cat family get the full Natural History Unit treatment, with lions, leopards and cheetahs parading in part one.

Death in Paradise

9.00pm **BBC1**
When a poker champion is murdered, Jack (Ardal O'Hanlon) must use Dwayne (Danny John-Jules) as his back-up sergeant.

New Transformation Street

9.00pm **ITV**
A sensitive three-parter based at a Harley Street clinic looks at the human stories (and surgical challenges) of transitioning from one gender to another.

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FRIDAY 12

Comedy of the Week Room 101

8.30pm **BBC1**
Charlie Brooker stuns Frank Skinner with his first contender for oblivion. But he argues it eloquently and hilariously.

New A Vicar's Life

8.30pm **BBC2**
Marrying couples and visiting the terminally ill are all in a day's work for the vicars of Herefordshire in this engaging six-part obs-doc.

David Bowie Night

From 9.00pm **BBC4**
Two cracking docs tell the story of the musical genius, starting with *Five Years*, first shown in 2016, followed by *The Story of Ziggy Stardust*, from 2012, at 10.30pm.



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Detroit ★★★★★ 15

Sky Store/Virgin Movies
Kathryn Bigelow's tough drama focuses on the 1967 riots, but the topics of guns and racial equality resonate just as powerfully today.

The Fault in Our Stars

★★★★ 12 9.00pm **Film4**
Shailene Woodley's strong turn as a terminally ill teen who falls in love helps save this weepie from becoming too mawkish.



The Social Network

★★★★★ 12 1.10am **C4**
David Fincher's sharp telling of the birth of Facebook has Jesse Eisenberg as whizz kid Mark Zuckerberg – and liked itself to three Oscars.



GoodFellas ★★★★★ 15

11.25pm **ITV4**
"What, funny like a clown?" Ray Liotta has to show Joe Pesci his dream of becoming a gangster is no joke in a stunning crime drama.

Amy ★★★★★ 15

12.10am **C4**
Whether you are a fan of Amy Winehouse or not, this is a brilliant portrait of sublime talent taken way too early.



The Cameron Years

8.00pm **Radio 4**
David Cameron's six years in power came to a dramatic end with the No vote on EU membership in 2016. So what did the Cameron era amount to? Steve Richards reports.

In the Studio

11.30am **BBC World Service**
A dramatised portrait of David Bowie as he recorded his final album *Blackstar*, with Jon Culshaw speaking Bowie's own words culled from across his career.

Full Works Concert

8.00pm **Classic FM**
It's "Great Composers Month" on Classic FM, and tonight's concert showcases Haydn, with a performance by Steven Isserlis of his Cello Concerto.

Assignment: Ukraine's Frontline Bakery

8.00pm **BBC World Service**
Violent conflict continues in eastern Ukraine, but in one hard-pressed community, it's the local bakery that provides a sense of normality.

The Verb

10.00pm **Radio 3**
Few things divide people quite like disputes over pronunciations, which is the subject that writer David Crystal addresses in Ian McMillan's weekly wordfest.



Best of 2017

HOW OUR CRITICS VOTED

20 Game of Thrones *Sky Atlantic*

There's a whole other season of the world's biggest box-set drama to come before it ends, probably in 2019; nevertheless, the truncated seventh run had an accelerated, end-times feel to it. With the storytelling concertina'd down into a run of exhilarating set pieces, this was *Thrones* at its most spectacular, if not its most subtle. For long-term fans raised on death and glory, it was a feast.

Alison Graham and the *RT* critics have chosen their favourite shows of the year – where are your favourites?



19 Unforgotten *ITV*

This year's cold case, investigated by the duo played with measured passion by Nicola Walker and Sanjeev Bhaskar, thrummed with smothered sadness. One of the most thoughtful crime dramas on TV told an even more devastating story than in its first season, culminating in a finale where the answer to the puzzle had the air of a whodunnit reveal, but with an emotional power that was all its own.



18 Stranger Things *Netflix*

More of the same from the 80s-styled creature feature, as it returned with bigger monsters, but with its plucky charm intact. Its central cast of funny, feisty boys and girls grew into their roles, while David Harbour cemented his unlikely Dad-bod sex symbol status as the no-frills police chief, and Winona Ryder kept going as TV's unluckiest mum. Proper escapist entertainment.



17 Brian Pern: a Tribute *BBC4*

A suitably sincere eulogy for the legendary prog god, following his death in a Segway accident. Simon Day's spoof wrung every obvious joke and plenty of less obvious ones out of rockumentary obituary clichés, with an impressive roster of celebs joining Day's old collaborators (Paul Whitehouse, Nigel Havers, Michael Kitchen) in remembering a man who, it turned out, was not actually dead.



16 Chris Packham: Asperger's and Me *BBC2*

The best celeb docs see a public figure leverage their profile to advance a cause in a way that ordinary programmes couldn't. The host of *Autumnwatch* did exactly that by opening up about how Asperger's syndrome has affected him. As well as breaking down stigmas around autism, Packham turned his autobiography into beautiful, poetic TV.

15 The A Word *BBC1*

Our affection for the family in Peter Bowker's drama – revolving

around, but dramatically not dominated by, Max Vento as a boy with autism – intensified in season two. This is the sort of series every weekly viewing schedule needs: not flashy, not conceptual, not about the worst of humanity, just honest, complex and acted whole-heartedly.



14 This Country *BBC3*

The year's best new comedy enticed us to an unremarkable Cotswolds village, where slacker cousins lived painfully small lives. Writer/stars Daisy and Charlie Cooper (real-life siblings) displayed a gift for creating mockumentary monsters who spout quotable lines ("I got enemies in South Cerney, I got enemies in North Cerney...") and have an endless supply of hopeless ambitions. *On iPlayer until 15 Jan*



ICING ON THE CAKE
Noel, Sandi and Prue joined Paul Hollywood for *Bake Off's* switch to Channel 4



13 Poldark *BBC1*

Mostly business as usual for Ross and friends: torrid romance, heinous skulduggery and plenty of pensive cliff-top gallops. The Cornish period saga is deepening the relationships as it progresses, though, and this time its political subtexts became more explicit. But just as the question of who'd be the new MP for Truro threatened to take over, a simmering love triangle got our hearts racing again.

12 The Great British Bake Off *Channel 4*

In the end, *Bake Off's* big changes felt small, which is just what Channel 4 wanted after it broke the bank to buy one of the BBC's biggest shows. By Channel 4 standards, huge ratings followed once the United Kingdom had, collectively, taken about three minutes to decide Prue Leith was an easy replacement for Mary Berry, Sandi Toksvig was an obvious fit, and Noel Fielding's puppyish antics were endearing, not irritating. Twelve of the nicest, funniest, smartest amateur bakers the show's ever had didn't hurt, either: the final was the wholesome celebration of skill and comradeship it customarily is, with Sophie Faldo a worthy winner. *Available on All 4*



11 The Handmaid's Tale *Channel 4*

When it was commissioned, nobody knew how politically acute this version of Margaret Atwood's novel would be by the time it aired. Just as serious debates about authoritarianism and institutional sexism raged, this drama was set in an eerily relevant dystopia. An immense performance by Elisabeth Moss and the script's ability to strike hopeful, even humorous, notes ensured watching wasn't a trial. ▷

Best of 2017



9 Doctor Foster BBC1

Other dramas might have been a lot more edifying, but nothing got us talking more than the even crazier second outing for Suranne Jones as a wronged wife who really doesn't take her husband's infidelity well. As a custody death-match developed between Jones's furious GP and Bertie Carvel as her smarmy ex, viewers' most outrageous predictions were repeatedly, gloriously outstripped by the show itself. Towards the end it seemed *Doctor Foster* would lose its grip on plausibility completely, but the pleasure of this twisted pantomime has always been that it knows where the line is – and how to thrill us by tiptoeing past it.



A GP WRONGED
Suranne Jones took the lead in *Doctor Foster*



8 Detectorists BBC4

Mackenzie Crook's determinedly low-key comedy is a treasure. The simple pleasures and small sadnesses in an exquisitely filmed corner of England continued in their unassuming way as we prepared to say goodbye to Andy (Crook) and Lance (the outstanding Toby Jones), for whom metal-detecting is a way to stave off making grown-up life decisions. We'll miss it, quietly but keenly. *S1 and 2 on Netflix*



6 Peter Kay's Car Share BBC1

The news, broken in November, that we haven't actually seen the last of *Car Share* was welcome: an unsatisfying tease of an ending slightly marred the joy of the second run of a comedy about carpooling colleagues. Before that, Peter Kay and Sian Gibson had developed one of sitcom's great will they/won't they relationships. Never enjoying another warm belly laugh with them would have been unbearable.



3 Big Little Lies Sky Atlantic

Telly's pilfering of Hollywood movie talent continued with a US drama that cast Nicole Kidman, Shailene Woodley, Reese Witherspoon and Laura Dern as the grown-up mean girls in a saga about competitive mums. As a central murder mystery slowly, addictively unravelled, the details of the women's unhappy home lives gave *Big Little Lies* heart and nuance as well as a sensational story.

10 Apple Tree Yard BBC1

A delicate, grown-up drama. Emily Watson was superb as a woman who, having stopped being happy at home, begins a wish-fulfilling affair with the enigmatic Mark (Ben Chaplin), only for a horrifying shock to leave her marooned. Based on a page-turning novel, this was a spiralling thriller where an ordinary person has to take extraordinary decisions. Watson made this unusual, unsettling creation work.



7 Broadchurch ITV

Probably the TV comeback of the year: after Chris Chibnall's coastal crime drama lost its way in its second run, in 2017 it found new focus, with David Tennant and Olivia Colman's sleuthing double act investigating a rape. Handled wrongly, that could have been a disastrously cheap variation on the whodunnit format, but it was sensitive as well as intriguing. *Broadchurch* was back on form.



5 Catastrophe Channel 4

A posthumous appearance by Carrie Fisher was just one way in which this joyously profane sitcom got serious in season three. Rob Delaney and Sharon Horgan's screen alter egos have always had good hearts behind their irresponsible-parent exteriors. In short, we care about them, so when real problems like death and addiction reared up, *Catastrophe* could carry them off. *Series 1-3 available on All 4*

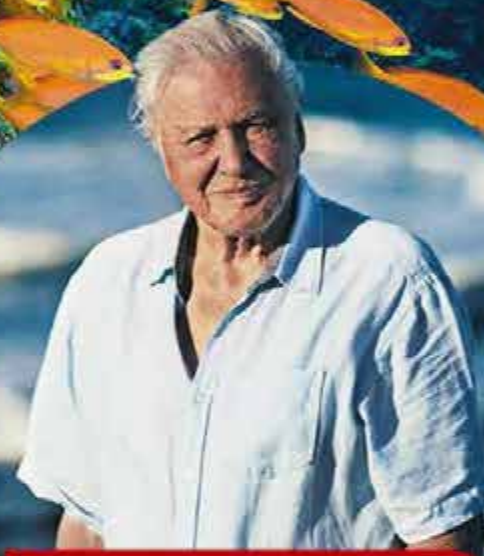
4 The Crown Netflix

In a year when Netflix ramped up its drama offering, the Elizabeth II bio was still its boldest and best. The even more expensive second season took us from Suez to Profumo, with Claire Foy still doing the subtlest acting work as a Queen who must fight for her marriage and her place in the world without appearing to break sweat. But it was a widening of the canvas that made this year's *Crown* superior.

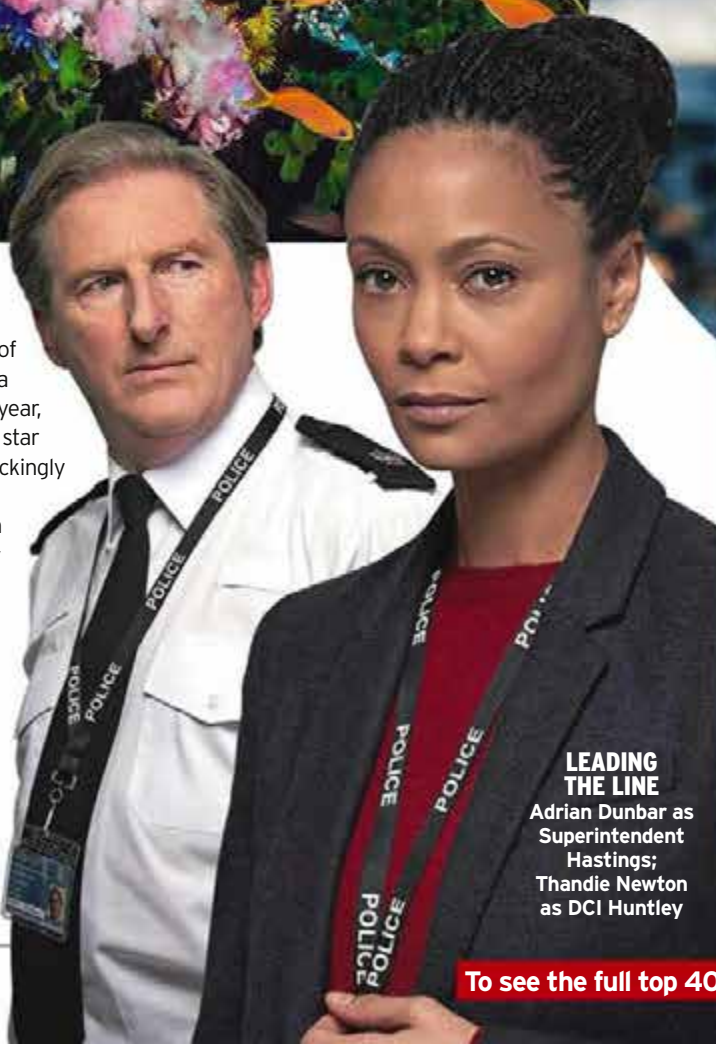




MY BLUE HEAVEN
David Attenborough
(inset) presented
viewers with an
underwater paradise



2 Line of Duty BBC1



The fourth and best season of Jed Mercurio's corrupt-cop drama delivered the double twist of the year, when it revealed that A-list guest star Thandie Newton hadn't been shockingly killed off after all... and that was just the end of episode one! From there it was another staggeringly well-plotted crime thriller, with Newton's battle-toughened DCI Roz Huntley the show's best ever antagonist, Adrian Dunbar becoming a cult hero as upstanding team boss Ted "Fella" Hastings, and the mystery of Balaclava Man's identity baffling the nation. All of this unfolded with cynical wit, at a scintillating pace. *Series 1-4 on iPlayer until 15 Jan*

LEADING THE LINE

Adrian Dunbar as Superintendent Hastings;
Thandie Newton as DCI Huntley

1 Blue Planet II BBC1

If we thought the BBC's ever-improving nature series could go no further than 2016's astounding *Planet Earth II*, we were mistaken. Every episode of Sir David Attenborough's second deep dive into the oceans was a string of scarcely believable sights, filmed with stunning clarity and shaped into gripping miniature narratives, with the sea's capacity for kaleidoscopic weirdness boggling our minds still more.

Like so much of Attenborough's work, *Blue Planet II* had importance beyond mere spectacle. Its warnings about climate change and the plastic we dump into our waters were devastating, and there was a message, too, in the ambition of the programme itself: perpetually beleaguered as it is, only the BBC would or even could attempt this. *On iPlayer until 16 Jan*

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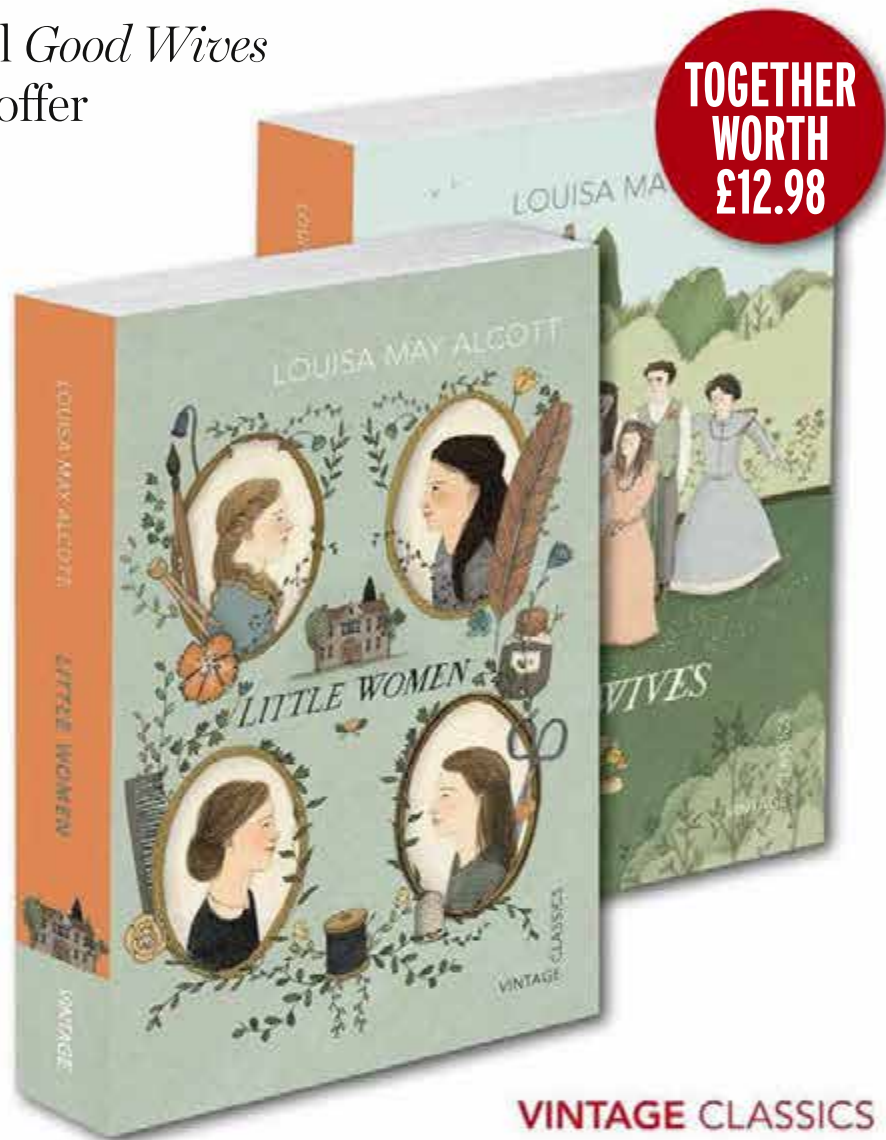
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Why is TV such a middle-class ghetto?

It's time working-class voices read the news

BRITISH TELEVISION EXECUTIVES may think there is a rich spread of voices on the small screen, but in fact the extraordinarily varied historic dialects of our language are effectively censored. The few times you do hear them it's for light entertainment – usually poking fun. The only exception is when a disaster occurs and news reporters seek bystanders to react – then we do get to hear how the people of Britain really speak countrywide.

Why? The answer is obvious: our great national taboo, social class. The working-class voice is excluded from British television. Surveys report that Britons don't like the accents of the industrial cities, such as Birmingham. They reportedly feel more kindly towards "quaint" rural voices, but with the correlative stereotypes that rural speakers sound thick and urban speakers sound criminal.

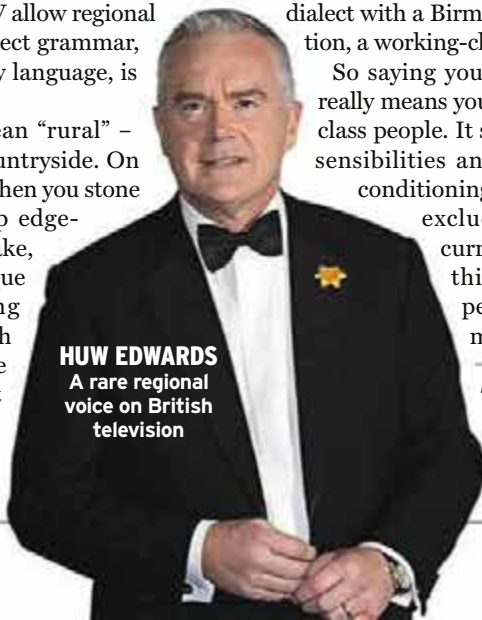
Welsh, Scottish and Irish accents score a little higher in people's preferences, which is why you'll hear newscasters with middle-class varieties of those accents (but using Standard English, never regional, grammar). But

'Sitcoms, sport and reality TV allow regional accents – to a degree'

when did we last hear working-class London, Liverpoolian or Aberdonian accents anchoring the national TV news?

Sitcoms, sport and reality TV allow regional accents, to a degree – but dialect grammar, the nuts and bolts of everyday language, is rarely heard.

By dialect, I don't just mean "rural" – though let's start with the countryside. On Dartmoor field boundaries: "when you stone hedgy you put the stones up edge-ways". That -y is not a mistake, neither is it trivial: it's a unique piece of grammar marking verb intransitivity. On Cornish hedge-laying technique: "lie hine down there and just ditch hine a little" deploys Old English grammar, still in use from Cornwall to



HUW EDWARDS
A rare regional voice on British television

Bedfordshire. People hearing it may think it's quaint bumpkin speak, but in fact it's an example of thousand-year-old case-endings being accurately declined.

None of this is mistaken, ignorant or lazy. All of it took centuries to evolve and is still in use as normal, spontaneous regional English. Yet we never hear it.

Why does it matter? Because if there is little exposure to our dialects and accents, then we can't become accustomed to them, just as we couldn't understand American English before the days of cinema sound. Yet regional dialects are far older than the Standard English dialect. British English speakers still voice the feudal divisions of the Norman Conquest, with those of us who are non-noble signalling our commoner status by means of accent, grammar and word choice.

IF BRITONS ARE arranged socially in a pyramid, most are in the working-class base, with the middle-classes in the narrower section above and the nobility squeezed into the topmost peak. It follows that the main ways of speaking are the working-class pairing of regional dialect and regional accent, followed by the middle-class pairing of Standard English dialect and regional accent. Far less common is the upper-middle-class/upper-class pairing of Standard English dialect and Received Pronunciation accent – although it dominates in the present Cabinet, among art historians and in the investment banking business.

There's nothing wrong with Standard English, of course. It's highly useful the world over, and I'm writing in it now. But it's not the only dialect, and it's not the one most speakers use. If you speak Birmingham dialect with a Birmingham accent, you are, by definition, a working-class Brummie rather than an earl.

So saying you don't like Birmingham accents really means you don't like Birmingham working-class people. It says nothing about your aesthetic sensibilities and everything about your social conditioning. If regional dialect speakers are excluded from television – as they currently are – then that is the same thing as excluding working-class people. Which is to say, excluding most of the population of Britain.

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NEWS

WHAT GETS US TALKING

LOOK BEHIND YOU!

With the jury still out on whether **Shirley Ballas** will – or wants to – return for the next series of *Strictly Come Dancing*, RT can reveal that the twinkle-toed head judge is taking singing and acting lessons. "I'd really like to do panto next year," she tells RT. "Why not? I just think you should take advantage of whatever opportunities come your way." Maybe *Cinderella*? One who goes to the (glitter) ball...



BYE BYE BBC?

It's enough to send a shudder down the spine of the BBC – could Netflix or Amazon be keen to hire *Call the Midwife* writer/creator **Heidi Thomas**? Thomas, whose adaptation of *Little Women* was one of the BBC's Christmas highlights, has said that "two non-terrestrial broadcasters" are interested in "two ideas". Series eight and nine of *Call the Midwife* have already been signed up by the BBC, but after that? "Whether it would [continue] for years and years or just a few years we don't know," she said.

BACK ON THE CASE

Idris Elba is back filming this month for a new story of crime drama *Luther*, which will be told over four episodes. There's no word on whether his associate Alice Morgan (played by Ruth Wilson) will be returning after her apparent demise. But writer Neil Cross tells RT that Rose Leslie (*Luther's* sidekick DS Emma Lane), won't feature, so maybe Alice *will* be back? All he'll say is, "Luther's got his coat. And I'll keep writing *Luther* until Idris or I drop off the perch." Which is good enough for us. **BEN DOWELL**

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DRAMA
McMAFIA

James Norton has played both psychopaths and vicars. Now he tells *RT* about playing a mafia man – and acting with his dad

Fallen angel

SOME PEOPLE HAVE asked me if I'm worried about getting death threats for exposing how the Russian mafia works," James Norton says casually over dinner. "That would be nothing new. Playing Tommy Lee Royce, I'd get death threats buying milk in my local shop."

Happy Valley's dangerous psychopath has been one of Britain's favourite baddies of the past few years, so it's exciting to imagine Norton, 32, suiting up to play Alex Godman – the British-raised son of Russian mafia exiles

who is dragged into the criminal underworld.

Godman is the complicated hero of *McMafia*, the BBC's big-budget crime drama that started on New Year's Day, starring Norton and Juliet Rylance alongside a host of Russian, Israeli and Serbian actors playing mob bosses from their home territories.

It's based on journalist Misha Glenny's 2008 book of that name – a forensic account of how the end of the Cold War produced a trans-national criminal class that effectively franchised out its cigarette, drugs and people smuggling businesses. That illegal trade may

account for up to 15 per cent of the world's GDP. (Hence the title – nothing to do with the Scots and all to do with the franchise model.)

The TV drama, on the other hand, is a brooding international thriller that blends *The Night Manager's* stylish globetrotting with *The Sopranos'* take on family values. "We took the book as a backdrop," explains the show's co-creator, Hossein Amini, who was nominated for an Oscar for his screenplay for *The Wings of a Dove* and whose other credits include the films *Drive* and *Snow White and the Huntsman*. "For Alex Godman I mixed in a



‘There’s something compelling about the mafia – the money, fast cars and beautiful women’

JAMES NORTON



FAMILY BUSINESS

From left: Dimitri (Aleksey Serebryakov), Alex (James Norton), Oksana (Maria Shukshina), Katya (Faye Marsay) and Rebecca (Juliet Rylance)

little of my background – I came to London as an Iranian just after the revolution – and a bit of Michael Corleone in *The Godfather...* the innocent trying to escape his family’s past.”

Norton’s character Godman is living a decent life in London, running an ethical hedge fund and hoping to marry his girlfriend, Rebecca (played by Rylance), until Vadim, a Russian oligarch, arrives in town dealing out murder. The plot echoes the deaths of exiled tycoons such as Boris Berezovsky (a businessman and opponent of Putin’s who was found dead at his home in

Berkshire – the inquest recorded an open verdict) and Arkadi Patarkatsishvili (a Georgian billionaire whose death from a heart attack was surrounded by rumours that he’d been assassinated). Godman is drawn further and further into his family’s dark past and soon finds, to his surprise, that he’s pretty good at it.

“The thing about Alex is, he’s neither a villain nor a hero,” Norton explains, sitting outside a hotel in Croatia as the evening draws slowly in. The country doubles for everything from Tel Aviv to the south of

France, and he’s been here filming for a few months. He is working harder than he expected, and having dinner with Israeli, Russian and Brazilian actors – “We’re muddling our way through slightly confused conversations”. It’s his day off today, so he’s having one small glass of beer. It’s the kind of control you’d expect from Godman – whose calm smile and cold eyes mean even his uncle can’t understand what he’s thinking.

“Alex is trying to do the right thing, but he’s being screwed up and twisted and turned and he gets into this spiralling mess,” Norton ▷

◁ says. "He's not really in full control of each choice. You identify with him, you want him to succeed, you want him to survive – but then the darkness starts to take hold. He's complicated."

RESearching the role had a huge effect on Norton. "There's something about the mafia that is quite compelling – it's an anarchic, subversive world, with money and fast cars and yachts and beautiful women and all that stuff," he says. "But we also tell the story of the cost – like human trafficking and drug dealing and junkies in Mumbai. I was aware that there are components in my smartphone that are unethically sourced, but I didn't know how deeply criminals are involved. All our lives are in some way affected by this corruption – the food, the petrol, the minerals in your phone mined by children in the Third World – even if you aren't aware of it." He pauses. "But I've still used my phone every single day, which is probably not a great example to set."

If the role has had a personal impact on him, it's going to have greater repercussions for his career. The former Cambridge theology student, born in London and raised in Yorkshire, has had a range of roles since he waltzed on to the small screen as Henry Alveston in *Death Comes to*

'I'm flattered by the Bond rumours – but it's total speculation'

Pemberley in 2013. The next year, Sally Wainwright picked him to play Tommy Lee Royce, the dark villain to Sarah Lancashire's troubled cop Catherine Cawood in *Happy Valley*. The role of crime-solving vicar Sidney Chambers in ITV's *Grantchester* came shortly after. Norton has popped up since in *War & Peace*, *Flatliners* and *Black Mirror*.

"I didn't have long between *Grantchester* and *McMafia*," he says. "We finished *Grantchester* only a couple of weeks before I started *McMafia* in January 2017.

I was mixing thoughts about my sermon with books on the mafia."

Surprisingly, he says the theology degree helped with both roles. "I enjoy chewing over the big questions of what it is to be, and to live. Both *Grantchester* and *McMafia* are about that – about the inner wranglings of each man. Although

Alex is cooler and more anguished."

With *McMafia* already picked up in the US by cable network AMC and showing in almost 200 other territories, Norton already has Hollywood knocking at his door. "Actually, *Happy Valley* started it," he says. "It's on Netflix and it's become a cult hit in the US.

"*McMafia* feels so relevant – it feels as if the world wants to look behind the curtains of what's going on in America and Russia. Selfishly, it feels a step up. The budget we have, an Oscar-nominated writer, all the talent... It's terrifying in a way because there's nowhere to hide."

THE SERIES CERTAINLY does nothing to dispel the rumours that he's being lined up to play James Bond after Daniel Craig. Norton's opening scene even had him sweeping up to the V&A in a tux and tie.

"I did say to James Watkins, the director, are you just baiting me and stoking the rumour fire with scenes like that?" He laughs. "When it's reported in the press, people assume that I've co-ordinated the scene, but I promise you I didn't. The truth is that it's total speculation. It's really humbling and flattering, but to have my name [talked up for Bond] next to the likes of Tom Hardy and Michael Fassbender is just mad.

If you're thinking of putting a bet on me, keep your money in your pocket."

And then he's off to spend time with one of the artists with a cameo role in a Tel Aviv nightclub scene – his father, Hugh, who has appeared in all of Norton's TV series and is gathering his own following.

"I'm trying to encourage him to do less of it – *The One Show* did a piece on him and my publicist was like, 'Enough is enough – you've got to stop!'" He laughs as he pays the bill. "But my parents are both retired. They came to Croatia for four days and this time he's playing a sugar daddy in a Tel Aviv gay bar. He has a suit and a cravat and is flirting with these young boys... It's very funny. For the first time he wasn't an extra; he was a featured artist so he was on the call sheet – which is probably framed at home by now." **STEPHEN ARMSTRONG**



SEDUCTIVE
Alex Godman
(James Norton) with
Tanya (Yuval Scharf)



IN THE FAMILY
Juliet Rylance with
her Emmy-winning
stepdad Mark

DADDY'S GIRL

McMafia's female lead is a star of the stage with a very famous name...

"You don't usually get good female parts in gangster scripts – or any scripts really," says Juliet Rylance. "You're vulnerable and weak, or sexualised, or you'll be the strong one – but real women are all of those and more. Screenwriters need to wake up to that."

Rylance jumped at the chance to play Rebecca Harper – Norton's upstanding, campaigning girlfriend – as "she's all of those things".

The 38-year-old certainly has a rich theatre CV, as befits the stepdaughter of one of Britain's finest stage actors, Mark Rylance. She's played many of Shakespeare's heroines – including Juliet, Desdemona, Miranda and Rosalind, for which she won an American Obie award. She's also notching up an impressive range of roles on US TV, from Steven Soderbergh's *The Knick* to serial killer drama *American Gothic*.

While keen to avoid comparisons with her stepdad, she concedes it was growing up in the Globe Theatre when Rylance was artistic director that steered her towards acting. "We'd go straight from school to the Globe, have dinner in the office, sleep in the attic and it really became home. But my parents were having trouble making ends meet so I was scared to say I wanted to be actor. I secretly auditioned for Rada and only told everyone once I'd got in."

She brings a stillness to Rebecca that many Rada-trained Brits struggle with on film. "I'm starting to feel comfortable in front of the camera," she says, "but it's taken a long time."

It may reflect the peace she's finding after the shocking death of her sister Nataasha van Kampen, who suffered a suspected brain haemorrhage on a flight from New York when she was just 28, back in 2012. "I think how you deal with people not being here any more has a lot to do with the way they lived their life," she says softly. "With my sister, she was so full of life and laughter... it makes it easier to think of her that way."

Married to American actor Christian Camargo, she spends most of her time in the US, mainly in the hipster Californian desert town of Joshua Tree. "But I do own a house in London, in Borough, which I bought before gentrification, when the area was all just derelict warehouses and Banksy graffiti," she grins. "You can take the girl out of south London..." **SA**

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HARD SUN

On the edge

Boxing, stunt driving, stick-and-knife fighting... her first TV role makes former model Agyness Deyn feel alive

Hard Sun
Saturday 0.00pm BBC1

IT IS, AS with most good things in modern culture, all David Bowie's fault. When *Luther* creator and writer Neil Cross was planning his next TV thriller, he was thinking big. He had to – how else to top Idris Elba's dogged, dauntless detective John Luther? His thoughts turned to Britain's greatest rock star, and in particular one of his early compositions.

"*Five Years* is about a young Bowie walking through London having learnt that Earth has five years left," explains Cross. "And now that he's aware of the impermanence of everything, it's charged with value and wonder.

"But this song about the end of the world isn't what you might expect," adds the British writer who has long been based in New Zealand. "It isn't some bleak and nihilistic rock song. It's epic and weirdly life-affirming. And that was the inspiration for *Hard Sun*."

Cue the high-concept crime/sci-fi BBC drama that is set in the present but has as its backdrop an "extinction-level event" involving an overactive Sun. At its heart, though, is a pair of mismatched London coppers, one male and one female.

"I wanted to create a female lead unlike any other on TV," says Cross. "When men write a female lead, there's a tendency to write a fetishised ideal of what a man sees in a woman. I wanted to avoid that trap and write someone who was just herself."

That process resulted in Elaine Renko, who is described as "tomboyish" in an early script. "Like so much of the DNA of this show, that androgyny emerges from Bowie. I just loved how he played with gender stereotypes."

Enter Agyness Deyn. The former model from Lancashire had a decade-long run as a supercool It Girl, the

face, among others, of Burberry and Mulberry, and British Fashion Awards Model of the Year 2007. Then in 2010 she made the switch from fashion to film and, switching professional gears, cut her teeth in a succession of indie/arthouse films (*Pusher*, *Electricity* and Terence Davies's adaptation of *Sunset Song*). Now *Hard Sun* is her first job in television.

When Deyn and I meet, she's halfway through the six-month shoot for the six-part series. We're in a studio in east London, where she's been working long days, doing most of her own driving and fight stunts. "The first time I read the script I said, 'I need to play this

woman,'" the 34-year-old says.

Deyn mainly lives in upstate New York these days with her second husband, hedge-fund manager Joel McAndrew (her first marriage, in 2012, was to the actor Giovanni Ribisi, who appeared in *Friends* as Phoebe's brother). But she readily flew to London to audition. Then, having got the role, she threw herself into preparation, which included being trained in boxing, krav maga and Korean stick-and-knife fighting. She was taught the latter by a 5ft South American woman – "Could she fight! I used to do competitive karate as a kid, but she was just amazing. She and her husband were training me and she was kicking his arse.

"It doesn't matter how small or how perceptibly weak you might look," she continues. "It's about precision and intellect and the mindset. And that was my first 'in' to the character."

'Doing this is so physical - I'm living my whole character'

AGYNESS DEYN

MID-FILMING, DEYN LOOKS comfortable with her character's appearance. It's a no-fuss look that chimes with Cross's determination to avoid the "will they, won't they" sexual chemistry that hobbles many a cop duo.

"When Neil and I talked about her, we decided that she is someone who doesn't give a damn about her appearance or what people think. In the whole series she has two outfits. She has a simplified life to enable her to have this extreme focus."

Before she goes back on set, to film more bruising stick-and-knife fights, I wonder: have there been any moments in this gruelling shoot when she's found herself craving a nice easy fashion shoot?

"No way," she says. "No chance. Doing this is so physical, and so exhausting, but it's so alive. I'm living my whole character, the whole skin of Renko. That's what's exciting." **CRAIG McLEAN**

ALL ACTION
DI Elaine Renko (Agyness Deyn) and DCI Charlie Hicks (Jim Sturgess) in *Hard Sun*



'I don't want to make movies about superheroes'

Jodie Foster is through with Hollywood – now she's making TV with Charlie Brooker

THE RT INTERVIEW BY MICHAEL HODGES

JODIE FOSTER, DOUBLE Oscar winner, Hollywood star, feminist icon and director, is wondering where it all went wrong. "There are decisions I wished I hadn't made," says the 55-year-old, who has just directed an episode of Charlie Brooker's dystopian tech drama *Black Mirror*. "I'm at that age where I'm asking questions all the time." What kind? "You know, questions about the road not taken. Why did I choose this path? Why didn't I choose that other path? Why didn't I go into law school? Why didn't I pursue the path of academia?"

We're in Claridges, the Mayfair hotel where visiting Hollywood stars invariably end up. Foster looks the part, with a \$500 haircut and wearing an exquisitely cut check trouser suit, but she isn't a standard Hollywood star. She doesn't even like Hollywood. "Going to the movies has become like a theme park," Foster says. "Studios making bad content in order to appeal to the masses and shareholders is like fracking – you get the best return right now but you wreck the earth. It's ruining the viewing habits of the American population and then ultimately the rest of the world. I don't want to make \$200m movies about superheroes."

In 2016, Foster directed the thriller *Money Monster* with George Clooney and Julia Roberts, but, increasingly, she's working in TV, directing episodes of *Orange Is the New Black* and *House of Cards* (we meet before accusations about Kevin Spacey's behaviour lead to the show's temporary cancellation). But there is something special, she says, about working with Brooker. "This sounds crazy but of all the things

I've done as a director, I've never had as nice a collaboration with a producer as this one. It may be the English thing. I like the way Charlie says, 'It might be nice if...' or 'Perhaps we could?' We're having a conversation, as opposed to somebody being bossy." It's hard to imagine someone as self-possessed as Foster being bossed about but it happens. "In Hollywood, unless you're Steven Spielberg or Clint Eastwood, or somebody untouchable, there



CHILLING
A scene from
Arkangel, the *Black Mirror*
episode
directed by Jodie
Foster



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really is a lack of respect for directors.” Besides, she says, “Charlie writes beautiful things.”

In Brooker’s story, *Arkangel*, a single mother seeks to protect her young daughter, Sara, from a hostile world by signing up for an experimental hi-tech nannying service. As invariably happens in *Black Mirror*, the gadgetry has an unexpected effect. “Technology is a reflection of our desires,” Foster says. “And you have to be careful what you desire, because it may not be everything you were hoping for.”

The story opens on a genuinely unsettling sequence when a mother undergoes a C-section. “It’s desperation you feel in that moment,” says Foster, herself the mother of two sons, Charlie, 19, and Kit, 16. “We have this beautiful experience that we talk about in glowing ways, but on the other side of the curtain is a bloody thing being taken out of your body. That is the underside to this relationship. It’s not all beauty and sunsets; it’s also a bloody animal really, being wrrenched out of your body.”

THE FIRST TIME that Foster became famous – after playing a child prostitute opposite Robert De Niro in Martin Scorsese’s *Taxi Driver* when she was 12, and then starring in the Alan Parker musical *Bugsy Malone* – she walked away from it all, starting a literature degree at Yale in 1981. At college Foster was stalked by a delusional drifter called John Hinckley Jr, who shot and wounded President Reagan to win her favour. After graduation Foster escaped the attention that followed by travelling. “I loved coming to London,” she says. “I would meet people here and we’d hang out and go to all these crazy places. I remember being in a council house in the 80s with some crazy guy and his six roommates, eating fish and chips.”

The 70s had already been pretty strange. “When I first came into the film business, I didn’t see another woman. Maybe the make-up artist, and occasionally the script supervisor, but not very often. So, I never had another female face, besides the actress that might be playing my mom.” Launched into fame just as she was discovering her sexuality, Foster was obliged to talk about her love life on national television. “I was a teenager. I was growing up as a public figure. Being raised knowing that people were always trying to take from you, or that your feelings will be exploited, affects everything you do.”

Foster’s mother, film producer Evelyn Almond, separated from her father Lucius Foster in the 1960s. Foster was the result of one last encounter between the two. Almond encouraged her daughter into television roles and then films, most famously, *Taxi Driver*. “Half the ▷

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< things I did when I was ten to 12 years old, like *Taxi Driver*, were really about my mom,” Foster says. “All the things she was worried about, that she was concerned with, kind of got transferred through me. I’ve brought two things to all my work – my own life and my mother’s.”

The two lives shadow each other. Almond, who now suffers from dementia, was in a gay relationship after she separated from Lucius. Jodie Foster was in a relationship with film producer Cydney Bernard from 1993 to 2003 and has been married to the photographer Alexandra Hedison since 2014. “In my work, I’ve addressed questions of my own identity and questions of my mother’s life. This episode of *Black Mirror* is a reflection of that. I’m interested in the subtle things people do to each other.”

IN *ARKANGEL*, a microchip is inserted in Sara’s brain and her mother is given a laptop on which she can see (and shape) the world from the child’s perspective, blurring out anything, like porn or violence, that might disturb her daughter. This eventually produces a teenager who is, depending on your point of view, either dangerously naive or utterly fearless. “The daughter is raised never worrying about somebody raping her, she is raised with no fear,” says Foster. “So she becomes confident in making all the decisions in life. When she gets a boyfriend, she’s comfortable with her sexuality and is independent in the mother-daughter relationship. That’s tough for the mother: ‘I raised you to be independent but now that you are... I don’t like it.’”

Foster has never revealed the identity of the father of her own children, saying she will name him when Charlie and Kit have passed 21 (Mel Gibson is among the rumoured dads). Unlike *Arkangel*, Foster is unable to shield them from porn or violence and wouldn’t want to if she could. “You have to deal with it every day, with boys or girls,” she says. “But if you protect them completely, then you’re not developing their ability to make conscious choices.”

Does she have the secret of good parenting? “Absolutely no parenting advice at all! We’re trying to make our boys understand how to have genuine human connections. That means being able to step inside someone else’s shoes, being able to admit they’re wrong, being able to communicate. That takes a lifetime to learn. Not just an hour at dinner.”

The single mother in *Arkangel* struggles to cope, but shouldn’t Foster, with her personal history, be making shows that champion unconventional parenting? “Life is complicated. People are compli-

cated. If I wanted to make cardboard movies about moms in the 50s, I’d have done something different.” There aren’t many cardboard movies in Foster’s career, but they’re not all great either.

“There are some I wish I hadn’t made, but not very many.” Which ones? “I’m not giving you any clues! But it’s a crapshoot every time and it’s a risk that you take.” Some risks paid off; Foster won her Oscars for playing the uncowed rape survivor Sarah Tobias in *The Accused* in 1988 and, in 1991, Clarice Starling, the detective tracking a serial killer in *The Silence of the Lambs*. “Sometimes, when you’re making a film, you just don’t realise what’s coming. With *Silence of the Lambs*, we didn’t realise how great it was.”

Foster is nostalgic for the 1970s and 80s, what she calls the golden age of cinema. “It was the era when the best work came out, the era I’m proudest of.” Today, the gold is tarnished by scandal, the unfolding revelations about Harvey Weinstein and other, invariably male, figures. “Oh my God. People point a finger at the culture but the movie business was the most beautiful

expressive art form, it helped us get better instead of worse. It still has that potential.” Really, even after Weinstein? “I met Harvey Weinstein,” she says, as if that is all that needs to be said on the subject.

Still, she seems willing to forgive male transgressions. In 2011, Foster cast Mel Gibson – who had been widely criticised for a drunken rant about Jewish people after being arrested in 2006 – in her comedy drama *The Beaver*. Does

‘When you buy what I’m selling, you’re buying my body’

she like men? “I’m in a business that’s 98 per cent male. Pretty much every single person you relate to is male,” she says. “I was given opportunities by wonderful men. Some were almost in familiar relationships with me, as a daughter in a daughter-father relationship. I was the prodigal daughter in that industry, given opportunities that other women weren’t given.”

FOR SUCH AN insider, Foster has often been an outsider; even when she was winning Oscars, she wasn’t entirely comfortable with the demands of Hollywood. “You have to draw distinctions between yourself and your character. Yourself as a commodity, and who you really are, and your willingness to be for sale. When you buy what I’m selling, you’re buying my face and my body and my words and the things that I care about – how I cry and how I laugh and the 40 years of history that come before me. That’s a hard one for me to negotiate.”

Looking back at that work, the exploited child in *Taxi Driver*, the terrified mother protecting her daughter in 2011’s *Panic Room* and now the maternal torment in *Arkangel*, Foster’s might be seen as career-long consideration of the dangers of being a woman in a male world. “I’m not a spokesperson for women. I just happen to be one. I’m a thinker. I got lucky enough to have a job that also required me to understand my body and understand emotions, but it’s not my first thing. My greatest strength, really, is what’s in my head.”

Are you sure you don’t want to make a superhero movie? “No. No. No. Well, maybe if there was one that had really complex psychology.”



CLARICE
Jodie Foster won the 1992 Oscar and Bafta as Clarice Starling in *The Silence of the Lambs*

IRIS
In 1977, she was Oscar-nominated and won two Baftas as child prostitute Iris in *Taxi Driver*

TALLULAH
Playing *Bugsy Malone*'s siren Tallulah also helped bag her two Baftas in 1977

Jodie Foster is in *Panic Room* (Sat/Thu Sky Thriller), *Flightplan* (Sun Universal), *Inside Man* (Tue ITV4) and *Freaky Friday* (Wed/Fri Sky Disney)

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KIRI

Sarah Lancashire is the star of some of Britain's best dramas – so why is she secretly terrified?

Kiri
Wednesday 9.00pm Channel 4

HAVING A CONVERSATION with Sarah Lancashire is nothing like you might expect. For a start, there's the voice. She's much posher, more softly spoken, more measured than she often sounds on screen. Born in Oldham, there's barely a trace of the North in her accent at all, in contrast to her characters Sergeant Catherine Cawood in *Happy Valley* and Caroline Dawson in *Last Tango in Halifax*.

Then there's the way she carries herself. She's utterly unstarry; swathed in a woolly polo neck, hair tied unfussily on top of her head, cup of tea in hand, slightly slouched in her seat. She tends to play outwardly no-nonsense, straight-speaking types, yet she is, she confesses, a permanent bag of nerves.

She finds watching herself on screen "torture – abject torture" and, despite stealing the screen in everything she stars in, refers to herself as "the hired hand".

"It's that weird thing," she adds, "where you arrive for the middle bit: you're not there in pre-production or post-production. You are left in a sort of tortured state because you don't quite know what you've done or whether tonally it fits in with everybody else. You have no idea."

This seems astonishingly modest for a woman who has won two Baftas and in November received an OBE from Prince William for services to the entertainment industry.

Lancashire laughs loudly at how bizarre it is to be so successful and yet so uncertain, and admits, "I do prep. I'm a big prepper, but only because of fear. I'm driven by fear."

Having shot to fame as dizzy Raquel in *Coronation Street*, there has never been a time when Lancashire was not hugely in demand. In 2000, she signed a £1.3 million "golden handcuffs" deal with ITV, which made her then the highest-paid female star on television.

Her hits over the years included soapy dramas

**FIERCELY
INTENSE**
Sarah
Lancashire
as social
worker Miriam
Grayson in *Kiri*



Embracing the fear

such as *Where the Heart Is*, as well as the classic Paul Abbott factory drama *Clocking Off*, followed by a series of period pieces such as *Lark Rise to Candleford* and *The Paradise*.

But her most recent roles in *Happy Valley* and *Last Tango in Halifax* marked a seismic shift from the cosy and warm to something darker and deeper.

LANCASHIRE, 53, AGREES there has been a change, but insists it isn't something she chased. "I'm not particularly forceful or instrumental in any of it," she says. "But I'm very fortunate in that the pieces that most interest me are coming my way, and it's lovely to be able to get emotionally involved in the work. It's actually about being entrusted with pieces. I think some people get that very early on in their career."

Why does she think that has only just happened for her? "You'll have to ask the people who dole the work out," she shrugs, enigmatically adding: "I've got my own ideas, but I'll keep them to myself..."

Her latest role in Channel 4's new four-part

drama *Kiri* is probably her most serious to date, and is likely to lead to more silverware for her mantelpiece. It's written by Jack Thorne, who wrote the Bafta-winning *National Treasure* for the broadcaster last year. Like that drama, *Kiri* focuses on what happens after a scandal breaks and those involved are put under the intense pressure of the media spotlight.

Lancashire plays Miriam, a largely brilliant social worker who makes a catastrophic and ultimately tragic decision to allow a little black girl to spend unsupervised time with her birth grandparents ahead of her adoption by a white middle-class family. The drama asks questions not only about accountability and blame, but also about race, class, wealth and privilege.

It's a role that terrified Lancashire when she took it on. "Miriam is a divorced social worker," she explains. "She lost her son when he was 12 years old, so it's just her and her dog. I suppose her purpose in life now is to mend things. She couldn't do that for her son, so she needs to spend her energies saving other people instead. But in the process of that, she neglects herself. She's a drinker."

‘The work I like to do is the work I’m most afraid of’



AWARD WINNER
With her OBE and, from top, as Sgt Cawood in *Happy Valley*, for which she won a Bafta

“All the best parts are flawed, and that’s what I like about Miriam. The work I like to do is the work I’m most afraid of. When something is so multifaceted, it can often put the fear of God into you because you really don’t know how to process it, how to translate it. But they are always the best pieces of writing, and at times fiercely difficult to confront. It was terribly intense.”

LIKE HER ROLE in *Happy Valley*, Miriam is an example of a strong woman, not defined by her relationships with men. She has a female boss, she refuses to be bound by red tape and she frequently pushes the envelope in her profession; she has a maverick approach towards some of those under her care, but is ultimately kind and well meaning.

It’s a complex, well-rounded role that could prove to be as career-defining and make as great an impression as her part in Sally Wainwright’s *Happy Valley*, which co-stars James Norton. It’s a role that Lancashire is rightly proud of, not least because it afforded her the opportunity to appear without make-up, in a move that many feminists praised.

“That had such an impact,” recalls Lancashire. “It’s very liberating to be able to stand in front of a camera without the adornments, and Sally’s way of writing is about being as transparent as possible.

“I do have a slightly rebellious streak in me, I’m afraid. I think women have not been terribly kind to other women for a very long time. And I think we’re brilliant. Really brilliant and really special. And it’s just not about what we look like, it really, really isn’t.

“I would be lying if I said I didn’t use that [role] as an opportunity, but actually I think, more than anything, it was a homage to the strength and beauty of women.”

Lancashire has said she’ll reprise her roles in *Happy Valley* and *Last Tango*, but she may have a while to wait before the in-demand Wainwright can complete the scripts. In the meantime, Lancashire will have her pick of roles after *Kiri*. Jack and Harry Williams, who wrote *The Missing*, *Rellik* and *Liar*, have said they are desperate to work with her.

Told this, Lancashire grins. “Wow, have they? How lovely! Well, for a middle-aged woman – to say they are desperate – that’s nice. I’ve never been confident enough to... I’ve always believed that actors should never cast themselves. Others see far more in us than we see in ourselves.” **EMMA COX**

DRAMA IN 2018

Old favourites and exciting new treats for 2018

Collateral February BBC2

Playwright David Hare returns to TV with a thriller exploring the repercussions of the fatal shooting of a pizza delivery man. Carey Mulligan (right) stars.



Patrick Melrose

Spring/summer
Sky Atlantic
Benedict Cumberbatch plays the “aristocratic and outrageously funny playboy” from Edward St Aubyn’s novels, adapted by novelist David Nicholls.

Bodyguard Spring BBC1

Jed Mercurio, the creator of *Line of Duty*, calls on the brilliant Keeley Hawes (below) again, to play ambitious Home Secretary Julia Montague who is in need of protection.

Poldark

Summer/autumn BBC1

Aidan Turner returns as Ross for a fourth series that sees the action move from Cornwall to London, as *Poldark* gets political.



Vanity Fair

Summer/autumn ITV

Thackeray’s novel is adapted as a sumptuous seven-part period drama, starring newcomer Olivia Cooke as Becky Sharp, and also Suranne Jones.

The Little Drummer Girl Autumn BBC1

Following the success of *The Night Manager*, The Ink Factory – the production company owned by John le Carré’s sons, Stephen and Simon Cornwell – brings to life another of their father’s works.

Press Autumn BBC1

Mike Bartlett (*Doctor Foster*) explores the lives of journalists at fictional tabloid *The Post* and rival broadsheet *The Herald*.

Luther

Autumn BBC1

Series five has been two years in the making, but Idris Elba (above) will finally be back to his brutal best.



New
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FACTUAL
ATTENBOROUGH

Attenborough and the Sea Dragon

Sunday 8.00pm **BBC1**

FOR CENTURIES, POETS have attempted to encapsulate the definition of “romance”. Now David Attenborough adds his own contribution to the debate. “Hitting a rock with a geological hammer so that it splits to reveal a fossil that hasn’t seen the light of day for hundreds of millions of years is hugely romantic,” declares the broadcaster and naturalist, whose lifelong fascination for paleontology is such that, of over a dozen species currently named after him, three are fossils.

“Romance is emotion and feeling, not cold scientific fact and calculation. Becoming the first human being ever to lay eyes on an ammonite in the moment that it is uncovered after 200 million years – wallop! That’s very romantic. Heavens above, people in English departments in universities write socking great books on how you define romance. This is one of them.”

Attenborough is seen wielding his rock hammer in a new documentary that follows one he made two years ago. *Attenborough and the*

‘I dread not working – but at the moment it’s all right’

Giant Dinosaur was watched by eight million people, and it remains the BBC’s most-watched single natural history programme since 2011. Now, he’s investigating another fossil discovery, this time on Dorset’s Jurassic Coast.

A super-predator that ruled the ocean at the time of the dinosaurs has been found in a crumbling cliff face. It’s a huge ichthyosaur – a kind of dinosaur-dolphin – thought to be a completely new species, and potentially the biggest ever found in the UK. Attenborough is on hand throughout as the huge fossil is excavated, prepared, scanned, and a CGI replica of its skeleton constructed. Unexpectedly, from these remains the team is able to uncover not only evidence about the creature’s life, but also its violent death.

“It’s fair to call it a murder mystery 200 million years in the making, because the same deductive processes are used when looking at a crime as you do when looking at the ichthyo-

‘I’ll know when to go’

Sir David Attenborough says he’ll quit if his standards slip – but first he has to solve a murder mystery

DORSET’S SUPER-PREDATOR

■ The ichthyosaur was a marine predator reptile that lived in our ancient oceans for around **150 million years** until it died out around **90 million years** ago. The specimen that David Attenborough is looking at is **200 million years** old.

■ It lived in warm tropical waters – Dorset’s Jurassic Coast once lay far closer to the equator, which is why several specimens have been found here.

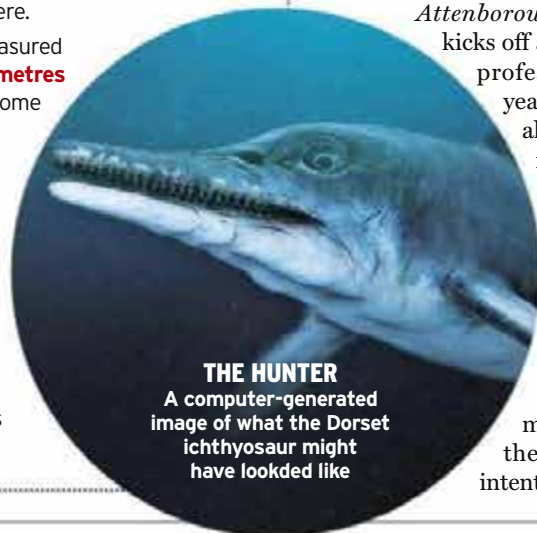
■ Ichthyosaurs measured from **three to ten metres** in length and, like some sharks, gave birth to live young. They shared other attributes with dolphins and gharial crocodiles.

■ Climate change has been blamed for the demise of the species – but what killed Dorset’s ichthyosaur?

saur’s bones preserved in rock,” Attenborough says. “It’s a detective story where you’re continually reaching new conclusions. Great fun, and the end product – the ichthyosaur skeleton fully cleaned and laid out – is so utterly beautiful.”

Attenborough and the Sea Dragon kicks off another typically crowded

professional year for the 91-year-old, who agrees 2018 is already looking “pretty full”, rattling off “a couple of *Natural Worlds*, an overseas project and another big series” on his to-do list. At a time when he is on television perhaps more than ever before, he is accustomed to inevitable queries about retirement, and commonly bats them back with a declared intent to continue for as long as



THE HUNTER
A computer-generated image of what the Dorset ichthyosaur might have looked like



CHIPPING AWAY
David Attenborough reveals the secrets of an ancient ichthyosaur

he is offered work. But can he imagine a decision before that, when he might himself know that it is time to stop?

"Oh yes," he says. "I would like to think I would be able to detect when I couldn't find the right words any more. If I think I'm not producing commentary with any freshness, or which is apposite or to the point, I hope I would be able to recognise it before someone else told me. I spend a lot of time fiddling with the words. I write a commentary, and feel it's finished, then go back over it the next day and find it full of infelicities, clumsiness and redundancies. If I thought I was turning in substandard work, that would stop me."

Physical vigour is not a problem, judging by a scene from this new documentary in which he is seen nipping up a spiral staircase. He splutters at the memory.

"I did it at least six times because of these bloody directors! 'Could you turn a little sooner? Could you look over here? Could you

walk down the steps, as well as up?' If I can't walk up and down steps any more, that will stop me. Yes, I do dread not working, although there are things I can do without running up steps six times – books to be written, things I've never got round to. But at the moment it seems to be all right."

HE BAULKs AT the cheaply used "national treasure" label, but the plain fact is that he is loved – not just nationally, but globally. He laughs again.

"I've just been broadcasting for a very long time," he grins. "It is extraordinary to think that everyone who has reached the age of 75 will have seen programmes of mine throughout their lives. People write and say nice things. What I do isn't very controversial, because people love looking at the natural world and I'm the person lucky enough to be associated with that."

KATE BATTERSBY

NEW IN 2018

A look ahead to the biggest documentaries of the year

Big Cats Thursday 8.00pm BBC1 (next week in Wales)

A new three-part series that takes viewers inside the world of cats – from mighty lions in Tanzania to tiny Sri Lankan rusty spotted cats. It reveals their lives to be much more complex than we ever thought.

The Pilgrimage

February BBC2

Debbie McGee, the Rev Kate Bottley and Ed Byrne (left) are among seven modern-day pilgrims who walk the medieval Camino de Santiago in northern Spain to explore the spiritual meaning of pilgrimage.

See centre pages for more on the Camino



Rituals February BBC2

From the Indonesian island community who exhume their dead and take selfies, to the nuns whose religious observance involves plucking out their hair – curious rituals from around the world, brought to you by the makers of *Human Planet*.

Civilisations March BBC2

The long-awaited – and somewhat overdue – reboot of the classic 1969 Kenneth Clark art history series, this time presented by David Olusoga, Mary Beard and Simon Schama (right). It's the story of the art of societies from around the globe, told in nine parts.



Serengeti

Spring BBC1

Daily dramas in Tanzania's famous wildlife park are brought to life using innovative filming techniques, including drones and "spy" cameras. Simon Fuller, the man behind brand Beckham, is backing the project.

Dynasty Autumn BBC1

The big natural history offering of 2018, this series from Mike Gunton, the man responsible for *Planet Earth II*, follows five different animal families as they build a dynastic legacy.

Guess who's back...

Tamzin Outhwaite is returning to *EastEnders* – roll out the red carpet!

INTERVIEW BY DAVID BROWN

THERE'S A RECOGNISED career path when it comes to those who find fame on soaps: you do the graft, win the awards, fly the nest and never look back. Think of Sarah Lancashire, Suranne Jones and – up until very recently – Tamzin Outhwaite. The latter left *EastEnders* behind in 2002 for starring roles in *Red Cap*, *Hotel Babylon* and *New Tricks*. And yet here she is, returning to Albert Square as Mel Owen after 15 years away. Does she feel her career is going backwards?

"In my head, that climb up the career ladder just doesn't exist. I feel I've achieved everything I set out to achieve, as far as work goes. I really do feel that I've been extremely lucky and have almost been chancing it a bit, you know? So the rest is now a bonus. I'm living on bonus coupons at the moment. And it's a massive thing for me that I get to go home to my children every night. I have to work in London."

As I soon discover, a lot of Outhwaite's answers arrive through the prism of being a mother to Florence (nine) and Marnie (five), her daughters with her former husband, actor Tom Ellis. Not for her the actorly soundbites of having to "find the truth in a role" – more a recognition that Soapland offers stable employment. "It's very nice to have that job security and to know you're able to pay the nanny while you're working. It's also important that my girls see me as a woman who goes out to work. But I don't want it to take over so that I never see them."

Not that she's knocking *EastEnders*. On the contrary – the fact that John Yorke (he of the fondly remembered "Who Shot Phil?" and "You ain't my mother!" storylines) is back in charge played a big part in her decision to return. "He refers to our original time on the show as 'golden'. We have very similar ideas about what makes *EastEnders* tick: for a start, it has to feature those strong female characters who tend to run the East End of London. I trust his judgement. And he was also very persuasive – when someone's actually asking you to come back and telling you

that it'll be a good thing for both you and the show, well, that's difficult to resist."

If she could have her time over, though, would she have liked a shot at Hollywood? After all, there was a brief dalliance in a 2005 direct-to-DVD US thriller called *7 Seconds* (in which she co-starred with Wesley Snipes). Might she have been wise to seek more opportunities in the US?

"I just didn't really pursue it," she says with a shrug. "I got an agent and a manager over there, who wanted me to go to LA and just sit it out. But I never went because there was always work here. At that time, British drama was leading the way, so I didn't understand why I should go to the US. And by the time the work over here was not as plentiful, America had become the last place I wanted to be."

Because it would be a more brutal environment? "I just think that we, as a nation, are better with age, don't you think? I wouldn't want to be there at my age."

NOW 47, OUTHWAITE readily admits that having children has altered her outlook towards the business, but also that the profession's attitude towards her has changed. "Once you get into your 40s, you're no longer leading-lady age. Generally, those roles get offered to women in their 20s and 30s. But as far as I'm concerned, my children are my priority, especially with them being the ages they are."

During 2015, she even took a nine-month break from acting to concentrate on motherhood, despite knowing that she might slip off the radar of casting directors. "At the time, I thought it was a risk because, as an actor, you're never meant to say no. You think, 'If I leave all that for a while, then I won't be able to get back in.' But it's nonsense. And I will never, ever regret turning stuff down so I could be at home with my children. They need you, you know? What happens in those formative years shapes the rest of their lives."

I wonder whether that desire to put kids over career stems from the break-up of her marriage? Ellis was the love interest of Miranda Hart in her hit sitcom, and >

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BACK WITH A BANG...
Tamzin Outhwaite makes
a splash with her return
to Albert Square



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NICKY JOHNSTON

◁ now stars in *Lucifer* in the US on the Fox network. They divorced in April 2014 after he confessed to adultery. Following the break-up, Outhwaite said that she'd have "given anything" to keep her family together, but it wasn't to be. Three years on, what's her outlook?

"Let's just say that I'm extremely proud of myself and my girls because we have an extra-special bond. We're now in a pretty amazing place, which is something I wouldn't have been able to say three years ago. It's a very uplifting, fun house. We dance all the time and we're very loved up. Every single day, we say to each other, 'Be the best version of yourself that you can possibly be'. It's become almost like a mantra.

"So I have a definite feeling of contentment – the work is steady and the children know I'm not having to go away for, say, two weeks to do a job. A stable and happy mum leads to stable and happy kids. It all has a knock-on effect.

"It's also a very female-led world, although my kids do still have role models in their life who are men. My brothers and my dad are very present, so it's not like we have a sad hole in our lives."

ALL OF WHICH suggests that there isn't a new partner on the horizon? "Ah, you can ask, but you're not getting an answer," she laughs. It's the one time she refuses to respond to a question. "I've made the decision to never talk about my personal life again. It took me a long time to learn that lesson, but I did in the end."

Outhwaite might just have to get used to people prying into her personal life again, seeing as soap brings with it an instant kind of stardom, as she well knows. During her first stint on *EastEnders*, she won sexiest female at the British Soap Awards three years running, scooped most popular newcomer at the National Television Awards, and a Millennium Eve episode in which Mel ditched Ian on their wedding day was



20 YEARS AGO
In 1998 Outhwaite was hired to raise *EastEnders'* "totty" count



COVER STAR
Lead roles in *EastEnders* (2001), *Red Cap* (2003) and *New Tricks* (2014)

watched by an astonishing 20.89 million viewers and even shown on big screens to revellers in Trafalgar Square. Is she braced for that kind of fame again?

"I remember John Yorke saying to me when I started that I'd know I'd made it when someone papped me at a cashpoint. I didn't believe him, but very soon after, I ran down to Borehamwood High Street [*EastEnders* is filmed in Hertfordshire] to get some money out and the next day it appeared in the paper. He showed it to me and said, 'See – told you!'

"But I don't think it's the same now as it was then. It's completely different – reality TV has taken over where that kind of press interest is concerned. It doesn't happen to the same degree.

"When the Millennium Eve episode was shown, I went trekking in Madagascar to get away from the attention because it was crazy. I've met people who were watching it in Trafalgar Square and they said that they could have heard a pin drop. At that time, it was a massive deal. But now, with all the channels we have, not that many people watch *anything*, do they? I think I can cope with it."

INTEREST IN MEL'S reappearance is bound to be high, though, especially in light of the impact she made when she first lived in Walford. From 1998 to 2002, the character went from bright-eyed vicar's sister (Matthew Robinson, then executive producer, said she was "dreamt up to supplement the

'I'm happier than I've been in a very long time'

TAMZIN OUTHWAITE



20 YEARS ON
Tamzin Outhwaite never pursued a career in Hollywood, but she's still on soap's A-list

SOAPS IN 2018

David Brown previews the big stories in store...

EastEnders Mel isn't the only returnee: little Tiffany is all grown up, and Dot will also be back very soon. We're promised some big drama for Stacey – could her marriage to Martin be over? The laundrette reopens, with Karen Taylor set to be in charge of those service washes. Masood's new family makes a big impression and we'll also find out if the Carters get to keep the Vic. Could it be all change at Walford's premier boozer?

Coronation Street There's courtroom drama as Anna faces trial, but with actor Debbie Rush leaving, is it possible evil (in the form of Phelan) will triumph? Bethany embarks on a new career as a lapdancer – a move that will test her relationship with Craig. Zeedan discovers the truth about Rana, Steph returns, while there's more trauma ahead for David. Eva discovers she's 17 weeks pregnant: how will that affect Catherine Tyldesley's exit? And Shayne Ward's?

Emmerdale Home Farm is the most cursed location in the village, so it's no wonder that the Whites are packing up. Will there be a changing of the guard? Expect an ultimatum that could decide Cain and Moira's future. And will Brenda find out who Bob has been seeing? Aaron and Robert are as far apart as it's possible to be, but there's talk of a summer wedding...

The Archers Secrets never stay buried for long in Soapland, so expect the truth to come out about who left Matt Crawford for dead. It's a revelation that leaves one resident with a terrible dilemma... A crisis for the Aldridges will have long-lasting consequences, but will the family unite? Alice's behaviour causes concern, and Roy and Lexi's relationship grows more serious. And will Adam and Ian finally achieve their dream of being fathers?

'totty' contingent – running thin at the time”) to fugitive, ultimately fleeing to Portugal with £30,000 of Phil Mitchell's money while pregnant with Steve Owen's baby. So what kind of person is Mel when we meet her again?

“She's more damaged than when she left, mainly because of the experiences she's had. Mel had become quite dark by the end, but I don't think she would have ended up that way had it not been for Steve Owen. So I don't think she's going to be letting any man rule her this time around. She also has a 15-year-old son – who has just been cast – called Hunter.” Hunter? He sounds like one of the Gladiators. “Yes,” she laughs.

“Jet and Scorpio will follow on.”

After five weeks back on set, how is Outhwaite readjusting to the treadmill of soap filming? “The turnover really suits me, actually. But it's much faster now. I'm treating it as a whole new job. And I'm older, so my memory's not as good. I'm not as up to speed as I could be. But they're ramping things up slowly.”

Is soap acting still underestimated by the acting profession at large? “If there is a snobbery, then they haven't been on set to see how a show like *EastEnders* works. Because I know for a fact that some of my favourite actors are still not capable of doing what



ANOTHER LIFE
With ex-husband Tom Ellis and Florence in 2011

these guys do. Sometimes you're walking about with 16 scripts in your hand and flitting between all of them. It's relentless and dealing with it is a skill in itself.”

Following career highs, personal lows and with her return as Mel fast approaching, would she say she's now happy in her life? “I'm so happy. In fact, I'm happier now than I've been in a very long time.

“My daughter Flo said it best, really, when I asked her whether I should go back to *EastEnders*. She said to me, ‘Will you get home every night?’ And when I told her I would, she said, ‘Well, do it!’ Like it was a no-brainer. And it got me thinking, ‘If I'm ever going to do it, it should be now.’ And I'm very pleased I went for it because I'm really enjoying it.”

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COMEDY
INSIDE No 9

Each *Inside No 9* is set in a different, often freaky, location – we asked the cast for their real-life lodgings from hell...

Inside No 9
Tuesday 10.00pm **BBC2**



STEVE PEMBERTON

WHEN I FIRST graduated from Bretton Hall College in 1989, I found myself renting a small room in Wakefield with some friends who were still students. It made the house in *The Young Ones* look like Howard Hughes's penthouse. Dirty green carpets and brown furniture had been there so long David Attenborough could have done a full series on the abundant life forms that were no doubt living alongside us.

The scariest thing about the property was the dark and musty cellar, which housed ominous-looking bin-bags full of old tools, Christmas decorations and very possibly previous tenants. When my friend John prised the lid from a paint pot, hoping perhaps to brighten up his bedroom with a lick of colour, he was horrified to find a stool inside – and not the kind you sit on.

This grim discovery was the last straw for me and I determined to move out as quickly as possible. But nothing goes to waste, and the turd-in-a-paint-pot story does crop up in an episode of this series of *Inside No 9*...



REECE SHEARSMITH

YEARS AGO MY wife (then girlfriend) and I went into a travel agent's and had them organise our first holiday abroad together. We wanted somewhere quiet, lovely views, not too many people. The lady looked at us, presumed we were young people and sent us on a package holiday to Kavos, which is the setting of reality show *Sun, Sea and A&E*. We got there and it was heaving with stag and hen nights. A sea of Viking helmets, L plates and tinsel halos. It was, for us, a previously unexplored circle of Dante's Hell.

The accommodation was essentially



A room with

a tiled Portakabin. A potpourri in the bathroom turned out to be a bowl of dried moths. Twin hospital beds in a room resembling a Victorian asylum crossed with community service facility.

We were the only people at breakfast as everyone else was in bed, having been up all night shouting. The beach was a black sliver of seaweed with jumping flies all over it. I think we ended up hiring bikes and trying to pedal away but were stopped by guards at the gate.



BILL PATERSON

THE OLDER I get, the more I forget the really awful places, but I remember the bad beds. When I was touring theatres in the 70s in the Highlands, the hotels we stayed in had nylon sheets. You really never knew for sure that somebody hadn't slept in them just before. These places in such beautiful settings had such terrible rooms.

One night I got into one of these beds and the

nylon sheets and there was a polythene bag over the mattress and as I got into the bed I skidded and flew across to the other end, right off the bed. I don't sleep on nylon sheets any more.



TANYA FRANKS

THE YURT! UGH, the memory makes me shudder. Three years we'd waited for the romantic yurt in Andalucia. Finally, an opening. With excitement and optimism we booked ten nights. There had been a rainstorm the night before our arrival at 4.30pm. The owner apologised for the damp – everything was wet, including the bed. She'd only put a gas heater in 30 minutes before.

Our yurt was tucked away in the lower forest – so there was no sunlight. The dinner, we discovered, was communal, and all Brits. Oh God! We're in the middle of Spain and the small talk went from Hammersmith to Manchester, Middlesbrough and Lewisham –



‘A potpourri in the bathroom turned out to be a bowl of dried moths’

REECE SHEARSMITH

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FUNNY BUSINESS

The cast of episode one of *Inside No 9*, shown on Tuesday 2 January. Back row: Hattie Morahan, Jaygann Ayeh, Rory Kinnear, Reece Shearsmith, Bill Paterson, Helen Monks, and Kevin Eldon. Sitting: Tanya Franks, Steve Pemberton and Marcia Warren

COMEDY IN 2018

Look out for these comedy and entertainment shows

Mum *Spring BBC2*

Lesley Manville (right) stars in series two of this sitcom playing a widow rebuilding her life with her eccentric, trying but loving family.



Cunk on Britain

Spring BBC2

The rather confused commentator from *Charlie Brooker's Weekly Wipe* gets her own series, in which she asks profound questions about our country's past.

The Generation Game *Later this year BBC1*

Mel and Sue present the new incarnation of the family game show that Bruce Forsyth hosted for so long. Get ready for that conveyor belt of prizes...

Episodes *Spring BBC2*

Final series of the comedy starring Matt LeBlanc, Tamsin Grieg and Stephen Mangan (right). Matt's acting career is long gone as he becomes a game show host.



Young Sheldon

Early 2018 E4

This *Big Bang Theory* spin-off rewinds to Sheldon's childhood – and finds him just as unusual as he is in his 30s.

Hang Ups

Spring C4

A comedy starring Stephen Mangan as a therapist who treats patients via webcam as his own life falls apart. The series is adapted from Lisa Kudrow's *Web Therapy*.

Alan Partridge

Later this year BBC1

After a stint at Sky, Steve Coogan brought Partridge (right) back to the BBC for a festive edition – and to mark his 25th anniversary we've promised a new series.



three of the longest hours of my life.

Then bed. Ants the size of small cats running around the yurt by now. Bed still cold with damp, we lit some incense we'd brought and remained fully clothed. Then the dog barked all night. At 6am we argued our odds, skipped breakfast and ordered our escape taxi.



HELEN MONKS

I THOUGHT I'D BOOKED into the official youth hostel in London but soon discovered I'd actually booked an "alternative" youth hostel down the road. When I arrived it was

about 11pm. I was told by the man on reception, as he took a drag from his massive joint, that I was in bed "3C".

When I got to my dorm, I discovered my single private room in fact contained four bunk beds – each three beds high. I opened the curtains on bunk bed 3C to a completely naked 70-year-old woman reading JG Ballard's *Empire of the Sun*. She seemed nonplussed by me and casually turned her page. I peeped through more curtains until I eventually found an empty bed. I climbed in and somehow managed to get to sleep.

A few hours later, I woke up to the noise of someone moving around. I pulled back my curtain to see the man from reception in the middle of the room, now no doubt a few spliffs down, wearing massive night vision goggles. That was it!

I left and spent the rest of my night in a 24-hour McDonald's. But not before politely paying my £40 for the night and thanking them for a lovely stay.

‘I opened the bunk bed curtains onto a naked 70-year-old’

HELEN MONKS

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SPORT
SIMON BARNES



THERE WAS A TIME WHEN the World Cup brought us the finest football the planet had ever seen, and did so every four years. No longer. Best not think what Real Madrid or even Manchester City might do if they were playing in the **2018 World Cup** in Russia when it kicks off in June. That would spoil things. It's important to get our attitudes right before we start.

These days it's clear to everyone that international teams are scratch sides. You must look elsewhere in football for the lofty pursuit of excellence. International football has been run down and devalued by the big clubs and the top European leagues. The England manager's job was once seen as the ultimate honour in football – now it's a kind of booby prize.

But a World Cup offers something that club football can never bring, and that's unity. During a World Cup we are, for once, all together. The greatest prize in club football is the Champions League, but that's strictly for football fans. The World Cup is for everybody. That includes the legions who don't like football, even those who actively hate football. Everybody gets sucked in, some more or less against their will, by the powerful forces of public fascination.

The beauty, of course, is that this process of national unification doesn't require success. The thrill of disappointment becomes a vivid shared experience: a potent, unforgettable moment in national life when everybody is caught up in the

same thing at the same time.

England have brought us a series of classic disappointments across the years, many of them by way of the penalty shoot-out: they've won just one in eight attempts in international tournaments. (Which one? Answer at the foot of this page.) But England are by no means narrow – they can deliver disappointment in many other forms as well: Beckham's sending off, Rooney's sending off, that collapse against Germany, 2016's Euros defeat against Iceland...

Along the way there are usually moments of rejoicing. You need these fleeting, vanishing hopes of greatness to savour the crushing defeat that follows. Sure, an England success would be wonderful, but what matters is the journey – from unrealistic hope to shared and glorious disappointment.

IT'S ALSO IMPORTANT to get your attitude right for the **Winter Olympic Games**, which take place in South Korea in February. You may say, "I know nothing about these sports and know no one taking part. Why bother?" But the truth is that all sports are the same: an attempt to win, to go beyond personal limits, to find genuine excellence. When these essentials come in unfamiliar form, they can be all the more satisfying.

The two-week festival of slithering and sliding works like this: watching a bit will do very little for you, but watch a lot and it becomes enthralling. In 2002 more than five million Brits stayed up past midnight to watch the curling: who propelled the stone of destiny to win GB the gold medal? (See below for the answer.)

Russia is banned, but untainted athletes may compete under a neutral flag. Let's hope the brilliant figure skater Evgenia Medvedeva – aged 18, unbeaten in two years – will turn up. She's threatening a no-show but for most athletes the Olympics is a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity. She shouldn't miss it, for our sake.

COMMONWEALTH GAMES, APRIL
Swimmer Adam Peaty will be one to watch in the pool in Queensland, Australia

WORLD CUP, JUNE
Harry Kane and his England team-mates will hope to avoid disappointment in Russia

THIS WEEK: THE FA CUP

LIVERPOOL v EVERTON The FA Cup's lack of seeding brings us a third-round match that would make a very acceptable final. These days Liverpool are trembling on the brink of a return to the summit, while Everton are cheerfully recovering from a flirtation with disaster. *Friday 5 Jan 7.30pm (k/o 7.55pm) BBC1, 5 Live*

FLEETWOOD TOWN v LEICESTER CITY The FA Cup loves a subplot: Jamie Vardy, who helped drive Leicester to that impossible conquest of the Premier League, returns to his old club, then in the Conference, now in League One. *Sat 12.45pm (k/o 12.45pm) BBC1, 5 Live*

SHREWSBURY TOWN v WEST HAM UNITED Underdogs have never gone out of fashion in football. In 2003 Shrewsbury knocked Everton out of the FA Cup. These days they are pushing for promotion in League One and must be taken seriously; West Ham will need to keep their heads. *Sunday 1.40pm (k/o 2pm) BBC1*

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WINTER OLYMPICS, FEBRUARY
Lizzy Yarnold will be in PyeongChang, South Korea, to defend her 2014 skeleton gold medal

The best of the best

Simon Barnes marks your card for a bumper year of sport

What should our attitude be towards the **Commonwealth Games**, held in Queensland, Australia, in April? If you dismiss the Commonwealth Games as Olympics Lite, you miss the point of a great sporting festival. Here are 70 nations brought together by history: the only major sporting games based on politics rather than geography. It will bring us a very good athletics meet and a decent swimming gala, another chance to cheer for Adam Peaty. I saw one of the best swimming performances of all time at the Manchester Games of 2002 – so here's one more question. What shoe size does Ian "Thorpedo" Thorpe take?

‘A World Cup offers something club football can’t: unity’

Answer again at the (ho ho) foot of the page.

But the true identity of the Commonwealth Games is found among the outliers: in the lawn bowls and the netball we trace some of the history that unites these unlikely nations. Beyond that we see how sport unites everybody: in the simple joys of winning and losing, striving and failing, and, occasionally, succeeding.

A LONG WITH THESE three hardy quadrennials we have the usual stuff of the sporting round. In a few weeks the **Champions League** will be back and into the knock-out stage, with five English clubs involved. But can they go any further?

A crucial moment for both individuals and teams comes when they realise that the difference between being very good indeed and being the best is, in truth, enormous. Manchester City have been reasonably magnificent – but do the players feel they have the right to beat the traditional champions of Europe, like Real Madrid? Often there's a mysterious sense of being unworthy, and it can affect even the best.

But that never bothered Roger Federer or Rafael Nadal. Last year they were supposed to play minor roles in tennis, but instead they shared the four grand slam tournaments between them. Could they do it again? And Serena Williams is planning a comeback after the birth of her first child; well, we'll never doubt the fire and desire there.

Another year, too, of fire and desire in the sporting arenas of the world: 2018 is going to be a great year of sport. Like all other years.



‘He was the obvious choice’

Director **Joe Wright** tells Mark Lawson why a slimline, hirsute Gary Oldman makes the perfect Winston Churchill



AT LEAST 50 actors have portrayed Sir Winston Churchill: from CM Hallard in the 1935 film *Royal Cavalcade*, via John Lithgow in Netflix's *The Crown*, to Brian Cox in the recent movie *Churchill*.

But few have seemed such surprising casting for the part of the jowly, growly politician as Gary Oldman, who takes the role in *Darkest Hour*, after a career featuring lean, mean roles including Commissioner Gordon in the Dark Knight trilogy, Sid Vicious in *Sid and Nancy* and Sirius Black in the Harry Potter films.

“Gary was always the obvious casting choice for me,” insists Joe Wright, the film’s director. “You have a choice: you can either cast for the essence of a character, or the physicality. The physique is easy to fake – with prosthetics and so on – but the essence isn’t. When I watched footage of Churchill, instead of this big, lumbering, slow-moving guy you often think of, I was struck by his energy, both physical and mental. So I needed an actor who would think and move fast, and Gary absolutely brings that.”

Wright accepted, though, that the familiar Churchill silhouette – hat and cigar topping mounds of chin and belly flesh – was going to be a stretch for Oldman. “So we then spent five months developing the prosthetics and gradually built up Churchill. One of the first notes I gave Gary was: ‘How does he breathe?’ And he started doing this slightly wheezy, cigar-smoker sound.”

Darkest Hour (in cinemas from Friday 12 January) started from the screenwriter Anthony McCarten noticing that, in just four weeks during 1940, Churchill gave three speeches now regarded among the greatest political orations, known in shorthand by their most memorable lines “Blood, toil, tears and sweat”, “We shall fight on the beaches” and “This was their finest hour”. Cumulatively, these words, all written or improvised by Churchill himself, persuaded parliament and the public to reject the view, led by foreign secretary Lord Halifax,

that Britain should negotiate peace with Hitler.

Coincidentally, today’s foreign secretary, Boris Johnson, is so obsessed with the man Oldman plays that he wrote a book about him, *The Churchill Factor*. “I read it, obviously,” says Wright. “There are some interesting and funny anecdotes. But it seemed to me a self-publicising piece of work... that somehow he’s hoping people will draw comparisons between him and Churchill, which I think is self-delusional and deeply misguided.”

THE ALL-MALE NATURE of the politics of the day was a novelty for a director whose major movies – *Atonement*, *Pride & Prejudice*, *Anna Karenina* – have been adaptations of novels (by Ian McEwan, Jane Austen and Leo Tolstoy) with female protagonists. “Yes. I’ve never really got on with man-based films, or even men particularly. I find it much easier to relate to women. And I finally got to the point where I thought I really ought to have a look at this, and do something about it, especially as I now have two boys. But after two weeks of shooting the war cabinet scenes, with 17 men sitting round a table, I did think: ‘OK, I’ve done enough of this now.’”

While his sons, Zubin (aged six) and Mohan (aged two), with his musician wife Anoushka Shankar, may have inspired him to delve into the world of men and politics, it was his parents who inspired a young Joe into the arts. They founded the Little Angel Theatre company, a puppet theatre in north London, which encouraged Wright to make films on his Super 8 camera and take drama lessons.

“I’ve always wanted to make a topical film,” Wright says. “But somehow, as we were making



THE MAKING OF WINSTON
Gary Oldman and Joe Wright

it, *Darkest Hour* seemed to become more and more contemporary.” Any topicality, though, is complicated, he concedes. A Brexiteer might see it as a film about the importance of standing up to the Germans; President Trump could spot a moral about the need to attack the North Koreans, rather than appeasing them. “Yes, the politics of the film are ambiguous.

I always tend to recoil if I think the writer or director is telling me what to think. I’m not a politician, so I don’t have to have policies.”

One accidental modern connection – at this time of scandal over the conduct of powerful men – is that Churchill is reported to have paraded naked in front of secretaries after baths, and sometimes gave dictation in a robe that might fall open. In the film, a young female staff member looks away just in time to avoid a Churchillian full-frontal. Was the film also tactfully looking away from behaviour that might panic audiences today? “I don’t know. I really don’t think Churchill was a sexual predator, but that kind of eccentric exhibitionism would get a knock on the door these days, as it should. I think he was weirdly a sort of naturist. I do think it’s really dangerous to canonise our leaders, or our celebrities. Churchill was intensely human and deeply flawed.”

This leads inevitably to Harvey Weinstein, the multiple-Oscar-winning producer brought down by multiple allegations of serious sexual impropriety in the film business. “Over the past 12 years,” says Wright. “Harvey used to try to get me to have a meeting with him. And I rather enjoyed avoiding it because I didn’t like the sound of his business practices. I didn’t think he was respectful of the artist. He sounded like a nasty bully, so I feel very lucky never to have met him, nor worked with him.”



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HIS FINEST HOUR
Oldman as Winston
Churchill – with a
little help from
prosthetic make-up

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Saturday 6

ANDREW COLLINS

FILM OF THE DAY

The Hunger Games: Mockingjay Part 2

★★★★ 9.00-11.40pm C4



ADVENTURE They're not aimed at me. That's my reflex excuse for not being able to empathise fully with all those

young adult book-to-film franchises that are preoccupied with dystopian futures, such as *The Hunger Games*, *The Maze Runner* and *Divergent*. (It's a cut-throat market: a fourth *Divergent* movie was cancelled after the weak performance of the third, although a TV series is in the works.)

With all that on the table, I will say that I have watched and mostly enjoyed the *Hunger Games* saga, comprising the eponymous original (2012), the somewhat place-holding *Catching Fire* (2013) and the more politically charged *Mockingjay*, mercenarily stretched out to two parts for maximum box-office return in 2014 and 2015. As with the *Twilight* films, all four were classified 12A for cinema release in the UK, meaning under-12s could be accompanied by a worn-down adult.

Author Suzanne Collins, who'd previously written for children's TV, was empowered to script the first film, replaced thereafter by more seasoned screenwriters, while pop-promo man Francis Lawrence would go on to dominate the large-scale direction.

Not having read the novels, I can only vouch second-hand for their fidelity to the text, but I understand some of the violence has been toned down and you don't see much

in the way of blood. This was a problem for me, as the whole concept revolves around a regional, kill-or-be-killed tournament, staged and televised by a pompadoured elite to quell the masses. It is a violent society, whose us-and-them détente is fragile.

Before taking the role of Katniss Everdeen, Jennifer Lawrence had already caused a stir with her wise-head-young-shoulders performance in indie drama *Winter's Bone*. But her casting proved a coup for the producers, as she ably handles all the challenges the saga heaps upon her, whether they be mental, physical or emotional. She puts her other young co-stars in the shade.

In *Mockingjay Part 2*, Katniss has gone underground to lead the resistance against Donald Sutherland's imperious president – against the orders of Julianne Moore, an apparent goodie. And, amid the bombs, a letter plays a significant part.

It's an explosive denouement, but one with surprises built in. Unless you've read the novels, of course. Which, by the way, are not aimed at me. (US 2015, some violence, HD)

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DID YOU KNOW?

Lawrence will next be seen in *Red Sparrow*, in which she plays a Russian spy. The film is set for release in early March

West Side Story ★★★★★

11.40am-2.30pm C5

PG

MUSICAL Ten well-deserved Oscars – plus a special award for choreography – adorned this electrifying version of the magnificent Bernstein–Sondheim musical. It's *Romeo and Juliet* turned into a New York gang parable and set in the turbulent late 1950s. And surely the only Oscar ever given to an actor for merely looking good went to the elegant George Chakiris. Natalie Wood is touching as the tragic Maria and Richard Beymer as Tony now seems the quintessence of adolescent yearning. **TS** (US 1961, some violence, HD)

The Hundred-Foot Journey ★★★

2.30-4.55pm C5

PG

COMEDY DRAMA Racial divisions are seen in soft focus through the lens of Lasse Hallström (*Chocolat*). Helen Mirren is the snooty owner of a Michelin-starred restaurant in rural France who scents a rival when the aroma of curry wafts across the road from Om Puri's newly opened business. Puri (who died a year ago today) is always good value, delivering wry laughs as he enters a game of one-upmanship with Mirren. There are few insights into what makes these characters tick and the whole thing lacks depth, but it's made with passion. **SP** (US 2014)

The Letter ★★★★★

3.00-4.30pm BBC2

PG

DRAMA As well as its startling opening, this vehicle for Bette Davis also boasts one of her best performances, and rightly takes its place in BBC2's *Feud: Bette & Joan* season. The film is superbly controlled by director William Wyler, who also guided Davis to her *Jezebel* Oscar, not to mention having an ongoing relationship with the star. The original W Somerset Maugham tale of repressed passions in Malaya is melodrama, pure and simple, but Davis uses her talent for turning tosh into art magnificently. **TS** (US 1940, BW, HD)

Spectre ★★★

9.50pm-12.30am ITV

12

SPY The box office-busting *Skyfall* gave director Sam Mendes a licence to take the James Bond franchise in any direction he wanted. And with *Spectre* he draws upon the ultimate foe to pull together Daniel Craig's three previous missions into one ambitious story arc. The conceit here is that Bond discovers he has a connection to the leader of shadowy organisation Spectre, played with relish by Christoph Waltz. Mendes succeeds in delivering a prestige picture on a huge scale, but the film suffers from a surfeit of in-jokes and knowing references. **JH** (US/UK 2015, violence, swearing, HD)

Platoon ★★★★★

11.05pm-1.25am ITV4

15

WAR Despite it taking ten years for Oliver Stone to get his script made, the film became a box-office smash and won four Oscars. From the scary opening when the new arrivals are greeted by the sight of body bags bound for home, the movie is an authentically messy tour of duty through the paddy fields where two Americans (Willem Dafoe and Tom Berenger) are at war with each other and fight for the soul of rookie Charlie Sheen. A modern classic. **AT** (US 1986, violence, swearing, drug abuse)

Insidious: Chapter 3 ★★★

11.15pm-1.10am Film4

15

HORROR Why did reclusive clairvoyant Elise Rainer step into the spooky spotlight and how did she meet that goofy ghost-busting duo? All is revealed in series writer-turned-first-time-director Leigh Whannell's prequel taking place a few years before 2010's original. Elise (once more played with gusto by Lin Shaye) comes out of retirement to save a grieving teen (Stefanie Scott) from an evil entity. The menacing excitement and solid scares stick to genre basics in Whannell's confident chiller, while Chapter 4, *The Last Key*, is in cinemas on Friday. **AJ** (US/Can 2015, violence, swearing, HD) **One scary lady, p114**

PICK OF THE REST...

Big Miracle ★★★ 8.20-10.25am E4 PG

Drew Barrymore saves whales. (2012, HD)

Death on the Nile ★★★

8.25-11.05am ITV3

PG

Peter Ustinov is Hercule Poirot. (1978, HD)

Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs 2

★★★★ 5.00-6.50pm 5STAR

U

Charmingly surreal animated sequel. (2013)

Kill Bill Vol 2 ★★★

9.00-11.40pm Dave

18

The bloody saga concludes. (2004, col/BW)

Red ★★ 9.00-11.10pm E4

Tongue-in-cheek spy caper. (2010, HD)

12

Air Force One ★★★★★

9.00-11.25pm Sky1

15

The president's plane is hijacked. (1997, HD)

The Transporter ★★★

11.40pm-1.25am C4

15

Jason Statham in the driving seat. (2002, HD)

The Resident ★★

12.35-2.00am BBC1

15

Is Hilary Swank being watched? (2010, HD)

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U - suitable for all; U - suitable for all, especially for children; PG - Parental Guidance - for general viewing, but some scenes may be unsuitable for young or sensitive children; 12A - cinema only - younger children must be accompanied by an adult; 12, 15, 18 - for viewers of these ages and over.

ANDREW COLLINS

FILM OF THE DAY

And Now for Something Completely Different ★★★★★ 10.00-11.25pm **BBC2** **PG**

COMEDY The Monty Python sextet's narrative epics – *Holy Grail*, *Life of Brian*, *The Meaning of Life* – are certainly more impressive, but there's no denying that their first big-screen outing holds its own primitive charm. A dowdy re-enactment of sketches performed on the first two series of their *Flying Circus* BBC TV show that's bereft without a studio audience, it nonetheless showcases just how committed and physically daring Cleese, Chapman, Idle, Palin, Jones and Gilliam were. Between such classics as the *Dead Parrot* sketch, *Nudge Nudge* and *The Lumberjack Song*, the real gems are Cleese training students in self-defence against fruit, the Batley Townswomen's Guild re-creating the Battle of Pearl Harbor in a muddy field, and the government information series *How Not to Be Seen*. It's only lightly sexist (Cleese appears in a pink bikini, for balance perhaps) and unfettered genius still courses through it. The Americans, at whom it was aimed, didn't at this stage get it. They do now. Preceded by *Michael Palin: a Life on Screen* (see choice, page 57). (UK 1971, swearing, HD)



DAYTIME

Ladies in Lavender ★★★ 2.50-4.30pm **BBC2** **12**

DRAMA Charles Dance's directorial debut belies its fusty premise – the almost idyllic daily existence of two elderly sisters (played by the excellent Judi Dench and Maggie Smith, the subject of this afternoon's *Talking Pictures*) ensconced in Cornwall in the mid-1930s. Instead, this detailed period drama is actually a nimbly told tale of the upheaval and yearning caused when a handsome young man (*Rush* star Daniel Brühl) who can't speak English washes up on the sisters' nearby beach. Dance steers the story into unexpectedly subtle emotional regions that rely on character evolution and deft performances from the fine cast. The setting may appear cuddly and old-fashioned, but this is a lively tale brimming with insight and a plot twist or two. **KK** (UK 2004, edited for language, HD)

Happy Feet Two ★★★ **U** 4.10-6.00pm **ITV**

MUSICAL The dance routines and deft song mash-ups that made the Oscar-winning original so novel are surprisingly unmemorable in director George Miller's return to animated Antarctica. In this busy sequel, tap-dancing emperor penguin Mumble

(again voiced by Elijah Wood), son Erik (Ava Acres) and friends must rescue the rest of their clan when an ice shelf collapses, trapping them in a gorge. The visuals are frequently spectacular and the environmental concerns are admirable, while Matt Damon and Brad Pitt as Bill and Will the krill make their presence felt with plenty of wisecracks. But this simply doesn't have the charm of the original. **AJ** (Aus 2011, HD)

The Love Punch ★★★★★ 4.15-6.00pm **C5** **12**

CAPER Emma Thompson teams up with Pierce Brosnan for a screwball caper full of fizz and pop that tracks the bumbling efforts of a divorced couple to steal a diamond from the fat cat (Laurent Lafitte) who has squandered their pension fund. Writer/director Joel Hopkins may be courting an older audience here, but not necessarily a more mature one. Thompson and Brosnan are giddy as schoolkids on a mission that takes them to the French Riviera, where they scale cliff-faces, get into car chases, and, yes, fall in love with each other all over again. The chemistry is bang on, Celia Imrie and Timothy Spall provide sterling backup, and if the plot is a bit clumsy, that's more than made up for with sheer exuberance and plenty of cheeky banter. **SP** (UK/Fr 2013, may be edited for language, sexual references)

DID YOU KNOW?

Although popularised by the Pythons, the film's title was coined by original *Blue Peter* host Christopher Trace on the children's show

EVENING

Green for Danger ★★★★★ 6.00-7.50pm **Talking Pictures TV** **PG**

THRILLER This is the kind of brisk, bright and thoroughly engaging comedy thriller that the British film industry has, sadly, forgotten how to make. But, then again, there are no more Alastair Sims to transform a passage of jovial banter into a moment of nail-biting suspense simply by slowing that melancholy Scottish accent and lowering those expressive oyster eyes. Gone, too, are such expert character actors as Leo Genn, whose ability to portray heroes and villains alike deepened the mystery in whodunnits such as this one, in which a patient is murdered on the operating table. Sidney Gilliat directs with a deliciously dark wit. **DP** (UK 1946, BW)

Flightplan ★★★ 9.00-11.00pm **Universal** **12**

THRILLER German director Robert Schwentke does a neat spin on *The Lady Vanishes*. Aeronautical engineer Jodie Foster boards a plane to the US with her daughter, but when she awakes from a nap, her daughter is gone. No one remembers the little girl having been there and there's no record of her boarding the plane. With the help of an air marshal (Peter Sarsgaard), Foster tries to untangle the mystery. It's a finely acted movie, cleverly tapping into post-9/11 anxieties. These dissolve in a flurry of twists in the last act, but it still leaves an impact. **LF** (US 2005, some violence)

Jodie Foster interview, p16

Hot Pursuit ★★ 10.00-11.50pm **C5** **12**

COMEDY Reese Witherspoon stars as an uptight police officer tasked with escorting a drug dealer's wife (Sofia Vergara) across Texas in a by-the-numbers buddy chase comedy. Along the way they have to avoid corrupt cops and criminals, which prompts gunfire and car chases, but mostly there's a lot of bickering as Witherspoon and Vergara insult each other for nearly 90 minutes. Everything in the film is moved aside in favour of the pair's slapstick set pieces, which become tiresome very early on and, after the first few exchanges, things go downhill very rapidly. These two extremely capable leads deserved better. **JL** (US 2015, violence, swearing, drug abuse, sexual references)

LATE NIGHT

Captain Phillips ★★★★★ 10.10pm-12.35am **ITV** **12**

DRAMA Director Paul Greengrass pulls no punches with a true-life tale that sees Tom Hanks as Richard Phillips, the captain of a US cargo ship that was hijacked by Somali pirates in 2009. As with his 9/11 drama *United 93*, Greengrass re-creates the shocking events with a heart-pounding urgency. But the director's greatest skill is conveying the growing desperation

of both Phillips and lead pirate Muse (Bafta winner Barkhad Abdi) after the initial, breathtakingly staged raid goes awry. Even when the US Navy turns up, the tension continues to escalate, as the political ramifications of the kidnapping call for a decisive solution. It all builds to a dizzying emotional crescendo in the final scenes, with Hanks at the very peak of his powers. **SP** (US 2013, violence, swearing, HD)

Stations of the Cross ★★★ 11.00pm-12.45am **BBC4** **15**

DRAMA The movies have provided some barbed satires of Christianity (*Monty Python's The Life of Brian*, *Dogma*), but director Dietrich Brüggemann takes aim at too many easy targets here. Fourteen-year-old Maria, a devout member of a strict Catholic sect, tries to befriend a classmate without going against the stern teachings of her priest and her devout mother, and also decides to undertake a sacrificial fast. The use of a static camera imposes a stylistic rigour to match the religious intransigence. But the action veers between acerbic mockery and gauche melodrama, while the performances are often leaden. **DP** (Ger/Fr 2014, violence, sexual references, HD)

PICK OF THE REST...

Groundhog Day ★★★★★ 10.40am-12.40pm **C5** **PG**

Bill Murray has a really bad day. (1993)

Practical Magic ★★ 12.40-2.40pm **C5** **12**

Nicole Kidman and Sandra Bullock star as sisters descended from witches. (1998)

Robots ★★★ 1.00-2.40pm **Film4** **U**

Visually inventive animated yarn. (2005, HD)

The Mummy: Tomb of the Dragon Emperor ★★ 3.20-5.25pm **ITV2** **12**

A Chinese mummy causes havoc. (2008, HD)

The Rundown ★★★ 5.10-7.10pm **Sony Movie Channel** **15**

Dwayne Johnson odd couple yarn. (2003)

City under the Sea ★★★ 6.50-8.30pm **Horror Channel** **U**

Vincent Price camps it up. (1965)

Titanic ★★★★★ 7.00-10.50pm **E4** **12**

Epic tale of the "unsinkable" liner. (1997, HD)

Ransom ★★★ 9.00-11.30pm **ITV4** **18**

A mogul irks his son's abductors. (1996, HD)

The Sweeney ★★ 10.00pm-12.10am **C4** **15**

Brash reboot of the iconic TV show. (2012, HD)

Strictly Ballroom ★★★★★ 11.25pm-1.00am **BBC2** **PG**

Let's face the music and dance. (1992, HD)

Moonrise Kingdom ★★★ 12.10-1.55am **C4** **12**

Oddball tale of love on the run. (2012, HD)

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ANDREW COLLINS

FILM OF THE DAY

Life of Pi ★★★ 8.00-10.35pm E4

PG

DID YOU KNOW? Sharma couldn't swim before filming began, so was forced to get in the water and train for three to four hours a day over a three-month period

ADVENTURE I'm guessing from the one-sentence Wikipedia entry for Yann Martel's most recent novel *The High Mountains of Portugal* that his big crossover year remains 2001, when the Booker prize-winning *Life of Pi* was released. He still sells books, but the stars aligned with his curious, captivating yarn about an Indian boy trapped in a lifeboat with a Bengal tiger. Oscar-winning Taiwanese director Ang Lee and *Finding Neverland* screenwriter David Magee worked wonders on 2012's big-screen adaptation, producing a gloriously realised spiritual fantasia, aided and abetted by digital animation house Rhythm & Hues. Suraj Sharma is exceptional as the 16-year-old Pi, winning our attention and affection against visual wonders like a humpback whale and a meerkat-colonised floating island. (US/Tai/Aus/UK/Can 2012, swearing, HD)



Daylight ★★★

4.50-7.10pm Sony Movie Channel 12

DISASTER This is an involving tale about a group of motorists who become trapped in a New York tunnel under the Hudson River following a freak accident. Director Rob Cohen's classy contribution to the 1990s disaster movie resurgence is less reliant on slick visual effects than most, and Sylvester Stallone displays more vulnerability than expected as the determined leader of an escape party. Although by no means a genre classic, this provides enough solid entertainment to offset its overfamiliar storyline. **JC** (US 1996, violence, swearing)

Gallipoli ★★★

6.35-9.00pm Film4

PG

WAR Although its ultimate location is the Dardanelles front during the First World War, this landmark film in the emergence of Australian cinema steers between overt pacifism and Anzac pride to focus on the spirit of competition and camaraderie that underpins the national character. Peter Weir admirably conveys

the chaos and waste of warfare by contrasting the warren-like trenches with the sunlit acres of the opening scenes. But his interest clearly lies in the response to the situation of zealous sprinter Mark Lee and his cynical buddy, Mel Gibson. **DP** (Aus 1981, swearing, brief nudity, edited for some language, violence, HD)

A tonic for the troops, p74

Mission: Impossible ★★★

9.00-11.00pm Sky1

PG

SPY Superstar Tom Cruise and director Brian De Palma join forces for this extravaganza of jaw-dropping special effects and amazing stunts, based on the cult 1960s TV series about a covert strike force designing situations villains believe to be real. It's best to forget the complicated plot – something about Cruise clearing his name and proving to the CIA he's not a treacherous mole – and simply enjoy the epic rollercoaster ride. The burglary of a guarded vault and the Channel Tunnel helicopter pursuit alone put other high-action thrillers in intensive care. **AJ** (US 1996, may be edited for violence, language)

The Boys from Brazil ★★★

10.00pm-12.30am History

18

THRILLER Ira Levin's ingenious novel about the cloning of Hitler's body tissue, producing identical little boys who might revive the Third Reich, is given the epic treatment here by director Franklin J Schaffner. Masterminding the genetic engineering is the infamous Dr Mengele, played by Gregory Peck in a convincing departure from his usual good-guy roles. James Mason is his accomplice and Laurence Olivier is the Nazi-hunter modelled on Simon Wiesenthal who tracks them down. This accomplished, globe-trotting thriller somehow seems more plausible now than it was on its release in the late 1970s. **AT** (US 1978, violence, some swearing, HD)

Wanted ★★★

10.05pm-12.15am ITV4

18

ACTION James McAvoy goes from office drone to super-skilled hitman when he's recruited by Morgan Freeman and his guild of assassins in this high-octane offering. Russian director Timur Bekmambetov (*Night Watch* and *Day Watch*) brings his eye for hyper-kinetic action to the chase scenes, and there's plenty of understated humour to leaven the ludicrousness of the violent mayhem. It may not be the most original of tales, but with its visual flair and charismatic performances, this is an entertainingly over-the-top experience. **JA** (US 2008, violence, swearing, sex scenes, nudity, HD)

PICK OF THE REST...

Panic in the Streets ★★★

2.00-4.00pm Talking Pictures TV PG

Killer Mom ★★

3.15-5.00pm C5

The Forbidden Kingdom ★★★

8.00-10.05pm 5STAR

My Best Friend's Girl ★★

10.00-11.55pm 4Music

DISCOVER FILM

The best of Sky, iPlayer, Netflix and beyond... see p74

FILM OF THE DAY

The Fault in Our Stars

★★★ 9.00-11.30pm Film4

12

ROMANCE This bittersweet tear-jerker alternates between mawkish melodrama and heartfelt sincerity. Shailene Woodley is utterly disarming as a precocious teenager with cancer who meets an optimistic charmer (Ansel Elgort) who has lost one of his legs to the disease. Woodley has a smile that lights up the screen and is utterly believable, even when the story isn't.

Stephen Carty

(US/Can/UK 2014, swearing, HD)

One sick love story, p84



Sherlock Holmes: a Game of

Shadows ★★★ 9.00-11.40pm ITV2 12

MYSTERY Robert Downey Jr adopts the mantle of Britain's most famous fictional detective once again under director Guy Ritchie. This time, Holmes and Dr Watson (Jude Law) travel across Europe to stop evil genius Professor Moriarty (Jared Harris) from starting the First World War early. The comedy elements dilute any sense of jeopardy, but the sheer gusto of the cast at least means this romp is a watchable one. **BP** (US 2011, violence, brief nudity, HD)

PICK OF THE REST...

Eyewitness ★★

3.15-5.00pm C5

The Lincoln Lawyer ★★★

9.00-11.20pm More4

Inside Man ★★★★★

10.00pm-12.40am ITV4

Smart crime thriller starring Jodie Foster – see interview, page 16. (2006, HD)

Reindeer Games ★★★

12.15-2.20am AMC (Sky 192, BT 332) 15

Ben Affleck is roped into a robbery. (2000)

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Wednesday 10

ANDREW COLLINS FILM OF THE DAY

The Social Network ★★★★★
1.10-3.15am **C4** 12

DRAMA Aaron Sorkin, whose gambling-themed *Molly's Game* is in cinemas, has always been interested in minutiae, be it legal, legislative or corporate. From the stately direction of David Fincher to a pounding Oscar-winning score by Trent Reznor and Atticus Ross, Sorkin spins an edge-of-the-seat thriller based on the story of Harvard student Mark Zuckerberg (Jesse Eisenberg), whose invention Facebook is, as I understand it, now quite popular. He ends up in litigation with former partner Eduardo Saverin (Andrew Garfield) and early backers the Winklevoss twins (Armie Hammer in digital duplicate), and the resulting tale is exponentially faster and more involving than you could possibly imagine. Sorkin performed the same movie miracle on Apple co-founder Steve Jobs, another dull, self-regarding billionaire. (US 2010, swearing, drug abuse, HD)



DID YOU KNOW?
Molly's Game is Sorkin's official directorial debut, but David Fincher gave him the reins for the last shot of this film - one second of footage

Tunes of Glory ★★★★★
4.00-6.15pm **Movies4Men** PG

DRAMA John Mills won best actor at the Venice film festival for his priggish performance here, but few critics would have had any complaints had he shared the prize with his co-star Alec Guinness. Mills is the blue-blooded Pacific veteran who's determined to make his new Highland regiment fit for the demands of peacetime, while Guinness is the time-serving Alamein hero who remains stubbornly obsessed with past glories. James Kennaway adapted from his own novel and was Oscar-nominated, and the central conflict between Mills and Guinness remains as compelling as its resolution is shocking. **DP** (UK 1960)

Buffalo Bill ★★★
6.00-7.50pm **Talking Pictures TV** U

WESTERN You won't learn much about the real William Frederick Cody from this conventional western, with a stalwart Joel McCrea in the lead. Still, redhead Maureen O'Hara and the striking locations were made for Fox Technicolor - though these days you have to take Anthony Quinn and Linda Darnell made-up as Cheyenne Indians with more than a pinch of salt. Director William A Wellman keeps the film moving. **TS** (US 1944)
The man, the legend, page 94

22 Jump Street ★★★★★
9.00-11.15pm **ITV2** 15

COMEDY Channing Tatum and Jonah Hill return for duty in this sequel to 2012 cop comedy *21 Jump Street*. The surprise here is that the partnership has lost none of its charm and, arguably, this outing is even funnier than the first. Here the duo is sent under cover in college by their hilariously hot-headed police captain (Ice Cube) in order to identify a drug dealer. But when Tatum

gets pally with a suspect, Hill descends into jealousy and angst. Directors Phil Lord and Christopher Miller treat all the familiar elements of action sequels with a knowing wink, while Tatum and Hill send themselves up mercilessly. Explosive stunts aside, it's their chemistry that really sets the screen alight. **SP** (US 2014, violence, swearing, sexual references, HD)

JFK ★★★★★
11.55pm-3.45am **Film4** 15

THRILLER Decades after the event, the cover-up theory surrounding JFK's death has lost none of its fascination. Whether you believe Lee Harvey Oswald acted alone on 22 November 1963 or whether you prefer the accomplice scenario, this is a compelling and persuasively staged conspiracy thriller. Director Oliver Stone deftly conveys a wealth of information and ensures every character makes an impact. The Oscar-winning photography and editing are superb, and the ensemble is a triumph of casting. **DP** (US 1991, violence, swearing, drug abuse, col/BW, HD)

PICK OF THE REST...

The Wrong Babysitter ★★
3.15-5.00pm **C5**
Clue-in-the-title thriller. (2017, HD)

Total Recall ★★★★★ 9.00-11.20pm **5STAR** 12
Decent remake of the sci-fi thriller. (2012)

Scott Walker: 30 Century Man ★★★★★ 10.30pm-12.30am **Sky Arts** 12
The life of a reclusive musical genius. (2006)

The Seasoning House ★★★★★ 10.50pm-12.40am **Horror Channel** 18
Suspenseful revenge shocker. (2012)

DISCOVER FILM
The best of Sky, iPlayer, Netflix and beyond... see p94

Thursday 11

FILM OF THE DAY

GoodFellas ★★★★★
11.25pm-2.20am **ITV4** 18

CRIME Martin Scorsese's unflinching depiction of the attraction and the brutal reality of the Mafia lifestyle is a masterwork on every artistic level. Crackling with raw energy, Scorsese's fascinating new take on themes explored in his earlier *Mean Streets* enthralled from the first violent frames to the stunning final sequence. Be prepared to be completely bowled over by a director and cast (Joe Pesci, Robert De Niro, Ray Liotta) in full control of top-notch material at the peak of their talents. **Alan Jones** (US 1990, violence, swearing, sex scenes, drug abuse, nudity, HD)

The Limey ★★★★★ 10.50pm-12.30am **AMC** (Sky 192, BT 332) 18

THRILLER The past lives of Terence Stamp and Peter Fonda underline and illuminate this Steven Soderbergh thriller. Stamp plays an English ex-con out for revenge, and Fonda is a record producer who Stamp thinks caused the death of his daughter. With its Chanderlesque dialogue and machine-gun resonance, this requiem for the hard man is in the top flight of gangster movies. **TH** (US 1999, violence, swearing)

Tinker Tailor Soldier Spy ★★★★★
11.15pm-1.50am **Film4** 15

THRILLER Admirers of the 1979 BBC mini-series might think it foolish to make a film of John le Carré's thriller, but this adaptation features great performances and terrific Cold War detail, as retired spy George Smiley (Gary Oldman, see interview page 32) is brought back after the death of a colleague (John Hurt). The plot points whizz past at a bewildering rate, but the cast and set dressing are first class, superbly capturing a weary lull in British history. Yet there's a sketchiness to the characters that makes it hard to root for Smiley. **DW** (UK 2011, violence, swearing, sex scenes, HD)
Smiley's peepers, p104

PICK OF THE REST...

Dear Diary, I Died ★★
3.15-5.00pm **C5**
Could a suicide be murder? (2016, HD)

A Walk among the Tombstones ★★
9.00-11.20pm **5STAR** 15
Gumshoe Liam Neeson is on the case. (2014)

Chocolat ★★★★★
9.00-11.15pm **Sky Arts** 12
Enchanting romantic comedy. (2000, HD)

The Great Debaters ★★★★★
9.00-11.30pm **True Movies** 12
Denzel Washington's uplifting drama about a 1930s black college debating team. (2007)

MORE FILM CHOICES, SEE P104

Friday 12

The Frogmen ★★★
4.35-6.40pm **Film4** U

WAR Warners' veteran director Lloyd Bacon fetched up after the war at 20th Century-Fox as a sort of hack-of-all-trades. He has the benefit here of the studio's starry roster of male actors in a tense suspense drama about Pacific underwater demolition teams during the Second World War. Richard Widmark is the tough commander whose men resent him, but led by Dana Andrews, they eventually come to understand his uncompromising methods. **TS** (US 1951, BW, HD)

Legends of the Fall ★★★★★
6.35-9.00pm **Sony Movie Channel** 15

DRAMA In this fabulous throwback to the epic dramas of old, Anthony Hopkins plays a stern patriarch whose disgust at the actions of his own government during the Indian Wars leads him to bring up his three sons (Brad Pitt, Aidan Quinn and Henry Thomas) on a remote ranch in the Montana mountains. However, their idyllic life is thrown into turmoil by outside events and by the arrival of the beautiful Julia Ormond. *The Last Samurai* director Edward Zwick fashions a poetic hymn to the values of loyalty and family ties, in a story that only occasionally slips into melodramatic cliché. **JF** (US 1994, violence, swearing, sex scenes, nudity)

Elysium ★★★
9.00-11.10pm **5STAR** 15

SCI-FI *District 9* writer/director Neill Blomkamp follows up with more of the same, except with star names and thrice the budget. The super-rich have decamped to man-made paradise Elysium, but terrestrial drone Matt Damon is determined to illegally enter this utopia for medical treatment. Assigned to stop him by chilling defence secretary Jodie Foster is *District 9*'s Sharlito Copley. Despite immaculate design and structure, this stirring fable about social inequality is ultimately lost under lock-and-load sci-fi bluster. **AC** (US 2013, violence, swearing)

Jodie Foster interview, p16

Paul ★★★
9.00-11.10pm **ITV2** 15

COMEDY Having lampooned zombie flicks in *Shaun of the Dead* and cop action movies in *Hot Fuzz*, dynamic comedy duo Simon Pegg and Nick Frost tackle science fiction in this amusing culture-clash romp. They play a pair of British comic-book nerds who take a road trip to the Nevada desert in order to see America's most famous UFO sites. Then, lo and behold, they encounter Paul, a little green hitch-hiker - spookily animated in CGI and voiced by Seth Rogen - who's trying to get to his spaceship. Although *Superbad*'s Greg Mottola doesn't have the firm directorial grip of the pair's usual collaborator, Edgar Wright, for the most part this is a far-out, funny ride. **SP** (Fr/UK 2010, swearing, sexual references, drug abuse, HD)

ANDREW COLLINS FILM OF THE DAY

Amy ★★★★★ 12.10-2.30am **C4** **15**

DOCUMENTARY This award-winning documentary was rather sneakily advertised on its TV premiere a couple of Christmases back as the perfect gift, with clips carefully chosen to show Amy Winehouse in her carefree prime. *Senna* director Asif Kapadia's assiduous two-hour portrait of the tragic but gifted singer/songwriter's foreshortened life does start off in childish innocence, as Amy grows up in north London surrounded by jazz and passes through stage school. But the use of existing home movies, archive footage and new audio testimony is unflinching in its pursuit of the unvarnished truth. The self-doubt, addiction to drink and drugs, bulimia and eventual, fame-induced meltdown hove into view gradually, and the effect is utterly if morbidly gripping. Her death in 2011, aged 27, rumbles in the background like an approaching thunderstorm. Even if you don't like her music, or approve of her look, I urge you to see this cautionary and humane film. (UK 2015, swearing, drug references, HD)



DID YOU KNOW?
Watching the film inspired James Hetfield, guitarist and vocalist with Metallica to write the song *Moth into Flame*

Red Eye ★★★
9.00-10.40pm **More4** **12**

THRILLER There's hardly a plane journey cliché left unexploited here, as nervous flyer Rachel McAdams discovers she's the crucial element in a political assassination plot engineered by fellow passenger Cillian Murphy and his ground crew. Though hitman Murphy informs her that her father's life is at stake, the quick-thinking heroine does everything she can to avoid co-operating with his demands. The predictable cat-and-mouse game that unfolds is efficiently taut, skilfully building on the existing claustrophobia of a turbulent night flight. Shifting from high tension to high camp without missing a beat, Wes Craven's film is an absurd but deliciously entertaining ride. **SF** (US 2005, violence, swearing, HD)

The Score ★★★ 9.00-11.30pm
True Movies (Freeview 62, Freesat 302, Sky 321, Virgin 424) **15**

CRIME Arguably the three finest screen actors of their respective generations – Marlon Brando, Robert De Niro and Edward Norton – combine to flesh out what might have been a bog-standard one-last-job movie were it not for two things: it's set in Montreal and it hardly uses computers. It concerns the heist of a priceless sceptre from Montreal's Customs House, with Brando bizarrely compelling as the camp Max and De Niro stoic as club owner Nick (operating

here in a low gear). But it's Norton who walks away with the film as the arrogant young Jackie. It's a slow but rewarding tale, and only the lack of an expected final twist lets the whole thing down. **AC** (US/Ger 2001, violence, swearing)

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PICK OF THE REST...

P The Perfect Stalker ★★
3.15-5.00pm **C5**
Enjoyably tense if soapy thriller. (2016, HD)

P Get Out ★★★★★
8.00-10.00pm **Sky Premiere** **15**
See review, page 114. (2017, HD)

American Reunion ★★
9.00-11.15pm **E4** **15**
Jim, Oz, Stifler and co are back. (2012, HD)

P Into the Forest ★★★ 10.00pm-12 midnight **BBC3** (online) **15**
Intimate, end-of-the-world drama with Ellen Page and Evan Rachel Wood. (2015)

The Serpent and the Rainbow ★★★
12.40-2.35am **Horror Channel** **18**
Atmospheric Wes Craven horror. (1987)

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Films worth paying for..



Inner city blues

P Detroit ★★★★★ **15**
From Monday **Sky Store** and **Virgin Movies** (also DVD, Blu-ray and download)

DRAMA Real-life racially motivated violence during the Detroit riots of 1967 is dramatised in a film exploring their relevance in the era of "Black Lives Matter". Director Kathryn Bigelow and screenwriter Mark Boal start with a fresco-like overview of a city in turmoil, then home in on horrifying events at a local motel where police investigating gunfire leave a trail of African-American casualties. So brutal, claustrophobic and upsetting is this extended sequence that it pretty much overwhelms the rest of the movie, with Will Poulter's racist white cop wrestling centre stage from the key black characters, John Boyega's conciliatory security guard and ambitious soul singer Algee Smith. What emerges from the rather ragged result is a provocative statement on the power structures in American society and the long road towards a shared recognition of the need to change. **Trevor Johnston** (US 2017, violence, swearing, HD)

PICK OF THE REST

Brawl in Cell Block 99 ★★★ **18**
Continues on **Sky Store/Virgin Movies**

THRILLER Vince Vaughn stars here as an expectant father forced by circumstances into a maximum-security prison where he must commit murder to save his family. Starting out as a sombre drama, this quickly shifts gear into a grim, ultra-violent thriller. But although the grittiness can be overwhelming at times, there's a revelatory performance from Vaughn beneath all the bloodshed. **JL** (US 2017, violence, swearing, HD)



... OR A NIGHT AT THE CINEMA

All the Money in the World **15**
The true story of the 1973 kidnapping of John Paul Getty III. Mark Wahlberg and Christopher Plummer star.

Brad's Status **15**
A tour of prospective colleges for his son leads a father (Ben Stiller) to reflect on his own life choices.

Hostiles **15**
A battle-weary army captain (Christian Bale) reluctantly agrees to provide a safe escort for a Cheyenne chief and his family. Rosamund Pike co-stars.

Renegades **12**
JK Simmons features in the story of Navy SEALs who attempt to liberate Nazi gold from a Bosnian lake and end up having to fight for their lives.

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DVD OF THE WEEK

Good Time ★★★★★ **15** Released 8 January on DVD, Blu-ray and download



In this unpredictable heist-gone-wrong saga, Robert Pattinson plays "Connie", a small-fry New York criminal whose ingenious bank job ends in disaster, with his injured, learning-disabled accomplice/brother under police watch in hospital. Connie hatches a plan to spring him, but events quickly spiral out of control to near-farcical degrees. But even as it reaches fever pitch – a key scene involves a funfair and a bottle of liquid LSD – Pattinson, in possibly his best performance to date, maintains a steely focus throughout and skilfully mines the role for delicious black comedy as it transpires that this would-be criminal mastermind is actually a moron. **Damon Wise** **RT Offer** To order the DVD for £12.99, call 0844 848 7300 (charges apply), quoting ref RT1584. Your contract for supply of goods is with Simply Media.

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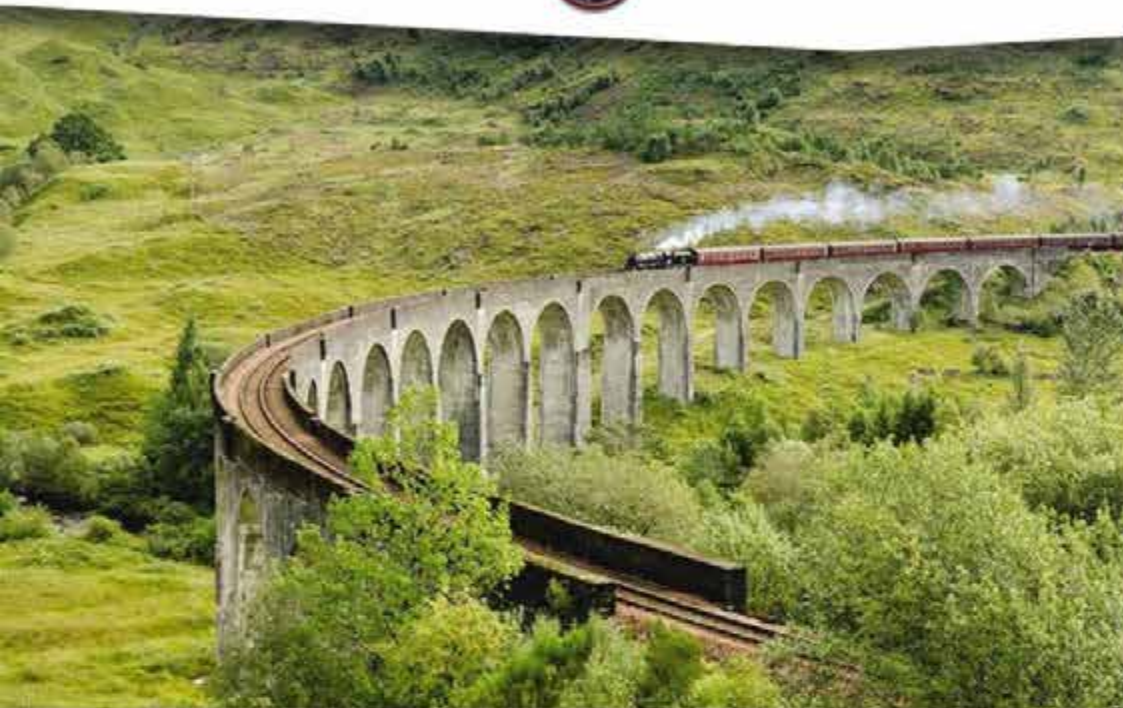
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You can't park there!

Alison Graham is distracted by some shocking infringements

I'LL ADMIT IT doesn't take much to wrest my attention from just about anything I'm supposed to be concentrating on... wait, was that a shiny object? I must chase it!

It's the curse of being a control freak, I suppose, wanting to know what's going on and finding fault at all times, but I'm easily distracted and diverted... ooh, look, chocolate!... particularly from dramas set in places I know well, because a little local knowledge can be a dangerous thing.

So I was both vexed and preoccupied this week during episode two of Kay Mellor's frantic melodrama *Girlfriends* (Wednesday ITV), which is set in York. It's typical Mellor: so much happens it's like being pinched on the arm repeatedly by plotlines that are trying to grab your attention.

But I wandered along a byway all of my own because the character called Sue (Miranda Richardson), features editor of a bridal maga-

'Miranda Richardson kept parking illegally all over the city'

zine in York, kept parking illegally and with impunity all over the city. And York loves its parking restrictions.

If you're not familiar with this magnificent place you won't know this so just bear with me for a minute before I broaden things out a bit, but Sue parked at the bottom of Stonegate. I know! No one drives down Stonegate, it's pedestrianised! (Except for loading between 5am and 10.30am. Thanks City of York Council!)

NOW COME ON, I'm not the only viewer in the world who loves taking issue with silly things like this; it's one of the happy by-products of a television drama world that's opened up the entire country.

When I was a kid growing up in the North pretty much all the dramas I watched, with the possible exception of *When the Boat Comes In*, were filmed in London. Of course, this had a glamour of its own (which swiftly turned to ash when I actually moved here), and I would have



DOUBLE YELLOW
Girlfriends Miranda Richardson and Zoë Wanamaker taking liberties in York

sold my soul to hurtle through the grimy streets in a boxy Ford Consul with DI Jack Regan and DS George Carter. For years I yearned to call someone, anyone, "guv'nor". I still do, come to think of it.

But now we can all take issue with a character's flagrant disregard of local parking bylaws, whether we live in Leicester, London or Lincoln. It makes us feel we all have a stake in our favourite television shows.

The blossoming of drama throughout the country and particularly the North has been one of the biggest, most welcome advances in television since I've been a critic. Manchester (as seen by writers like Paul Abbott and Russell T Davies), Leeds and wider West Yorkshire (by Kay Mellor and Sally Wainwright) are well known to us all now.

And pockets of beauty like Durham are familiar thanks to *Inspector George Gently*, which also imaginatively used locations such as Saltburn Pier on the north-

east coast and beaches near sites of heavy industry on Teesside.

Now it's York's turn to bask, and I hope everyone watching appreciates its loveliness, even if *Girlfriends* is at times like a grown-up panto. But if you decide to visit – check the parking.

SPIRAL'S SLIPPERY SLOPE

Oh, *Spiral*, no! My heart sank at the opening of this week's double bill of the French crime thriller (Saturday BBC4) when one of its key women characters, a clever, chic barrister called Joséphine, came to in a Paris underpass.

She's dazed and grazed and her tights are torn. It's clear she's been raped after a night out of which she remembers little. I expected better of the French, somehow. A rape story usually signals that writers have come to a full stop in the development of "strong" (ie perfectly normal) assertive women.

Clearly here they felt there's nowhere else to go with Joséphine so they took the easy way out and made her the victim of an attack. How disappointing.



WHY A VICTIM?
Spiral's Joséphine (Audrey Fleuret)



1 IT'S BACK... **Black Mirror** *Netflix*

Charlie Brooker's tech-horror anthology returns, in a slightly lighter mood after last year's Emmy win. From a diverse, typically patchy selection of six new stand-alone episodes, the one most likely to repeat that success is *USS Callister*, a dismantling of *Star Trek* starring Cristin Milioti (above). You should also prioritise *Hang the DJ*, a romantic fantasy with Georgina Campbell, and Maxine Peake in stripped-down monochrome thriller *Metalhead*.

SEE EVERY EPISODE

2 Comedians in Cars Getting Coffee *Netflix*

Netflix is Jerry Seinfeld's home now, for stand-up and for his plush, previously website-only chat show. His interactions with the likes of Larry David, Amy Schumer, Chris Rock and Garry Shandling are gold: very funny but with an intimacy that makes you feel you've crashed your heroes' private chats.

Ahead of a new season, dip into the archive. From 5 Jan

NEW SEASON

3 Dirk Gently's Holistic Detective Agency *Netflix*

Those who can stand its relentless dayglo chaos love this US take on Douglas Adams. Elijah Wood co-stars with Samuel Barnett. From 5 Jan



UNDERRATED COMEDY

5 Lovesick *Netflix*

There's a big, bruised heart within this superficially bawdy sitcom about a handsome, shambling man called Dylan (Johnny Flynn) whose diagnosis of a sexually transmitted infection forces him to contact, and revisit all the ways he disappointed, his ex-girlfriends. In season three he's going steady with Abigail (Hannah Britland, above) but we'd rather see him with best friend Evie (Antonia Thomas). It's a fine modern rom-com. Available from 1 Jan



GREAT SHAKES

6 Will *Virgin TV*

The impossibly bright-eyed Laurie Davidson plays William Shakespeare in a US drama that's shamelessly rumbustious in its co-opting of the 16th-century London theatre scene. Amid a whirl of tattoos, riots, jarring pop songs and expensive British character actors in minor roles, the age-old story of a rookie writer wowing the world is re-told with all the pep and dazzle of a Broadway show. Almost irresistible. New episodes every Thursday

REMEMBER THIS?

4 Weeds *Netflix*

Mary-Louise Parker (above) anchors this comedy drama, created by Jenji Kohan in 2005 before she made *Orange Is the New Black*. Parker is a widowed Californian mum of two who turns to cannabis dealing to keep her family afloat. The mix of black cynicism and familial warmth gives it a dark coolness that many shows tried to ape. Seasons 1-8 available from 1 Jan

WHAT'S WRONG WITH YOUR FOOD?

7 Rotten *Netflix*

A six-part doc that seeks to extend the debate about food safety, by telling us that things are worse than we thought: if you're not surprised that chicken features in an investigation of corner-cutting mass production, you might be shocked to know that honey and garlic are also covered. The idea that food has become a commodity, to the point that ethical considerations are meaningless, is a worrying one. Available from 5 January

WHAT'S NEW ON iPLAYER, NETFLIX AND BEYOND



TOP ROCKUMENTARY

8 Classic Albums: American Pie

iPlayer (BBC4)

Don McLean's 1971 high water mark gets a thorough going over here, aided by the fact that McLean himself is alive, cogent and willing to talk. The political and personal underpinnings of the LP are explored, as is its sparse sound, *Vincent* being more representative than the immortal title track. McLean has historically refused to demystify his work, but this doc does that just enough. Available until 7 Jan



BLUE PETER'S FINEST

9 John Noakes: TV Hero

iPlayer (BBC2)

A treat of a retrospective, lauding the *Blue Peter* presenter who lives largest in a certain generation's memory. Noakes, who died in 2017, brought a spontaneity and eccentric brio to the show, taking that spirit to extremes that could not be contemplated on TV today: this programme has the inside story on infamous stunts such as the time Noakes scaled Nelson's Column. The word "hero" is carefully chosen. Available until 8 Jan



YOUR NEXT BINGE

This true-crime spoof is smarter than it seems

How to describe mockumentary series **American Vandal** in the pages of a family magazine? The crime at its heart is distinctly un-PC: at the fictional Hanover High School in Oceanside, California, 27 penises have been spray-painted onto teachers' cars. The prime suspect is prankster Dylan Maxwell, who was spotted at the scene.

But when Dylan claims he has an alibi, two Hanover students, Peter Maldonado and Sam Ecklund, embark on a YouTube documentary in the methodical style of *Making a Murderer*, or *The Jinx*, in an attempt to uncover the truth. Their po-faced approach to deeply silly subject matter – think CGI re-creations of a disputed sexual encounter, or the documentary-makers asking teachers about "ball hairs", a crucial part of the case for Dylan's innocence – proves irresistible.

Episode titles echo the schoolboy humour of the setup – *Hard Facts*,

A Limp Alibi, *Premature Theories* – but by the finale (*Clean Up*), you realise that the way the documentary explores the personal histories and family lives of the characters unearths not just clues but real emotional resonance.

It's genuinely clever, too: at one point the events of a party are forensically pieced together through footage and photographs posted on social media. It's a quintessentially millennial set piece, and a faultless depiction of high school's intricate social landscape.

The show's creators, Tony Yacenda and Dan Perrault, cut their teeth on short, YouTube-friendly comic formats, and they bring the same irreverent, DIY, snigger-inducing attitude to *Vandal*. It takes real storytelling skill to spin a penis joke into an eight-part series (a second season is due next year). But an unapologetically dumb premise belies a very smart show.

HANNAH SHADDOCK

Netflix



10 CULT FAVOURITE Search Party

All 4

Season two of an American comedy drama that was one of last year's most acclaimed word-of-mouth hits. Alia Shawkat, who's described the show as "a hipster *Columbo*", plays a directionless Brooklynite who, with her dippy, narcissistic pals, spent season one investigating a disappearance. In the process the gang all revealed themselves to be terrible people, culminating in a final shock that the new episodes react to in the show's slyly satirical style.

DOCTOR DIGITAL

Have a safe new year online



Forget losing weight or reconnecting with old friends: New Year's tech resolutions can really matter.

The sheer number of major hack attacks means you can no longer rely on the news to prod you into changing your password each time. Use a service like **LastPass** (lastpass.com) to generate strong passwords for each of your online accounts. Register at **havebeenpwned.com** (yes, with a "p") and you'll get an email alert if your details show up online in a future attack.

Backing up files is now easy, so there's no excuse. **Google Drive** (google.com/drive) offers the first

15GB free, while a chunky 1 terabyte of space only costs £8/month. Speaking of protecting your stuff, make sure you've enabled **Find My Device** on Android (android.com/find) or **Find my iPhone** on iOS (icloud.com) so you can locate or lock your phone should it get stolen. For those irreplaceable memories, Google's **PhotoScan** (google.com/photos/scan) lets you digitise old albums with your phone's camera, automatically rotating, colour correcting and cropping out frames.

Finally, start spring cleaning by recycling old hardware (**recyclenow.com/local-recycling**) or giving it away: **getwellgamers.org.uk** puts old game consoles into hospital wards. JONATHAN HOLMES



APOCALYPSE SOON

Agyness Deyn and Jim Sturgess star in a near-future thriller

PICK OF THE DAY **Hard Sun** 9.35pm BBC1

DRAMA *New series* Towards the end of this apocalyptic drama, David Bowie's song *Five Years* comes on the soundtrack. It feels apt, because the song was the inspiration for writer Neil Cross (of *Luther* fame) to create the story in the first place.

What starts as a hard-boiled cop show centred on a mismatched pair of London detectives opens up into something a lot broader when the two stumble on a terrifying secret the Government is covering up: in five years the Earth will be destroyed by the Sun.

That's a heck of a premise for any drama to work from without tipping into absurdity but *Hard Sun* is (so far) grippy and troubling and full of nasty edges. Agyness Deyn and Jim Sturgess fence with each other nicely as the nothing-in-common cops; Deyn especially is a revelation.

But be warned: the pre-title opening scene where her character is attacked in her house is *really* nasty.

DAVID BUTCHER

New drama for 2018: page 15

FA Cup Third Round

12.45pm BBC1, 5.00pm BT Sport 2

Fleetwood Town v Leicester City (k/o 12.45pm BBC1). The FA Cup third-round weekend proper kicks off with Leicester City's star striker Jamie Vardy returning to his former club in the first live match of the day. Vardy signed for Leicester from Fleetwood in 2012 for a non-league transfer record of £1 million.

BT Sport 2, meanwhile, will show **Norwich City v Chelsea** (k/o 5.30pm) – Norwich were relegated from the Premier League in 2016, and their chairman (former Labour shadow chancellor Ed Balls) says there will "big financial challenges" ahead if the club don't find their way back to the top flight this season. They remain mid-table, so perhaps the FA Cup isn't a priority. **JAMES GILL**

The Onedin Line

From 1.00pm Drama

DRAMA With its stirring theme tune from *Spartacus* by Khachaturian, *The Onedin Line* became an unbeatable Sunday-night staple, its rugged, seafaring saga running on BBC1 for nine years until 1980. Its gruff hero was James Onedin (Peter Gilmore), all mutton chops and neckerchiefs, whose strategic wedding to Anne Webster (Anne Stallybrass) launched him into entrepreneurial waters. A kind of 19th-century *Howards' Way*, it blended big business with nautical derring do, and paved the way for other yearning yarns including *Poldark*. It's a chance to see sturdy 70s drama in action, and hear crusty old seadogs bellow lines such as, "You'll make no headway against a sou'easter, sir!" **MARK BRAXTON**

And They're Off... for Sport Relief

6.00pm BBC1

ENTERTAINMENT New series *Strictly* 2016 winner Ore Oduba fronts this slightly convoluted quiz hybrid. The contestants are in the studio with Oduba, answering general knowledge questions that potentially give them an advantage in the game itself. Five celebrities have been filmed in various locations, competing in races that range from the fiendish to the messy. Who will fare best? The contestants back a celeb and hope their chosen star doesn't come last. If they do, that means elimination. The last player standing answers more questions to determine how many celebs they can simultaneously bet on in the big final showdown. If the races are funny, this could work. **JACK SEALE**

Wedding Day Winners

7.25pm BBC1

ENTERTAINMENT New series We are gathered here today to witness the joining of two TV formats: game shows and wedding programmes, in what could be something of an unholy matrimony. Hosted by Lorraine Kelly and Rob Beckett, this takes two happy couples (who will hopefully still be happy after taking part in this show) and puts them to the test in challenges, stunts and "hilarious physical games" (groan).

It's not only the betrothed pairs but also their families who go head to head for the chance to win a dream honeymoon and a ceremony that will be "broadcast to the nation". Although the latter sounds more like the sort of prize you'd only get from your mother-in-law. **FRANCES TAYLOR**

TV CV KIERNAN SHIPKA

■ Kiernan Shipka stars in **Feud: Bette and Joan** (9.15pm, 10pm BBC2) as rebellious BD Hyman, Bette Davis's daughter, who got married at 16. The real Hyman is still alive, and still married to Jeremy, after 54 years. ■ *Mad Men* fans will have watched Shipka, now 18, grow up on screen. She played Sally Draper, daughter of Don and Betty, from the age of six. ■ She has appeared in *Unbreakable Kimmy Schmidt*, horror film *The Blackcoat's Daughter*, and will star with Stanley Tucci in upcoming thriller *The Silence*.



Casualty

8.30pm **BBC1**

DRAMA Without any prompting, Ethan decides to "go home". Can you believe it? After being badgered week in and week out to get out of the department, he's on his way to his bed...

But not so fast, Ethan! Connie, who for such a horrible woman has a surprising number of devotees, puts the brakes on. She's dying of heart failure and she wants Ethan to drive her to London for one last chance at life. So he does, the mug.

An old foe from medical school just happens to be a heart expert and, as Connie's colleagues at *Holby* won't operate, she must go elsewhere. And it really IS London – look, the Houses of Parliament! The London Eye! Tower Bridge! **ALISON GRAHAM** TV EDITOR

Grand Tours of Scotland's Lochs

8.45pm **BBC2**

DOCUMENTARY Paul Murton's loch-hopping journey reaches Gairloch on the north-west coast of the Scottish mainland, where lobsters are the fishermen's main quarry. Among the haul is the aptly named scorpion fish, whose sting can make your leg swell up to twice its size.

At Loch Ewe, it's difficult to believe a place with the same latitude as Canada's frosty Hudson Bay could harbour a sub-tropical paradise, with Tasmanian eucalyptus among the shrubs. These gentle surprises are one of the joys of this heart-warming series; another is the way Murton happily takes a pop at someone grand (eg Queen Victoria) in such a genial manner. **CHRIS GARDNER**

Spiral

9.00pm, 10.00pm **BBC4**

DRAMA Lawyer Joséphine comes to in a shoddy Paris underpass, dazed and dishevelled. Clearly something very bad has happened to her. It's a disturbing and unwelcome story in an absorbing French crime series that should know better than to trot out such a contentious, banal, "strong woman brought low" plot.

Meanwhile the chaotic cops – in between brawling in the back of a surveillance van, covering each other's backs, stealing and conducting illegal searches – hope the hunt for the killer of their police colleague is narrowing to two suspects. **AG**
Alison Graham: page 43

Feud: Bette and Joan

9.15pm, 10.00pm **BBC2**

DRAMA By the final instalment of this camp, classy bio-drama, relations between Bette Davis and Joan Crawford are at rock bottom. Crawford regularly flounces off the set of their new film, *Hush... Hush, Sweet Charlotte*, until the studio threatens to sue.

There are some poignant moments as both women reach the twilight of their careers, taking roles in TV pilots that go nowhere or laughable horror films. In a tour de force, Jessica Lange as Crawford loses herself in booze and a solitary life of microwaved meals in front of the TV. **AG**

DISCOVER TV PICK

Today's best of BBC3, iPlayer, Netflix and beyond



Storyville: When Rock Arrived in North Korea

iPlayer (expires today)

A real oddity of a rock doc, following Slovenian avant-garde rock group Laibach as they fulfil a commitment to play a gig for the government in Pyongyang. If you think that might go wrong, you're right.

CHILDREN'S CHOICE

Treasure Champs

5.05pm **CBeebies**

This new cartoon explores our values using traditional fables from the world's main religions.

■ **Elena of Avalor** 8.00am **Disney (Sky 609, Virgin 724)** It's the Day of the Dead, and it's up to Elena to stop Victor and Carla stealing a jewel.

BEST LIVE SPORT



■ **FA Cup third round: Fleetwood Town v Leicester City** 12.45pm (k/o 12.45pm) **BBC1**; **Norwich City v Chelsea** 5pm (k/o 5.30pm) **BT Sport 2** Leicester midfielder Demarai Gray could trouble the League One side. *Choice: p46.*

■ **NFL: Wildcard play-offs** 9pm **Sky Action/Main Event/Mix**; 1am **Sky Action/Main Event**
■ **Cricket: the Ashes, Fifth Test, day four** 11pm **BT Sport 1**

FILM OF THE DAY

The Hunger Games: Mockingjay Part 2

9.00pm **C4**

Compelling finale to the action adventure series, starring Jennifer Lawrence. **See p35**



The Voice UK

8.00pm **ITV**

ENTERTAINMENT Olly Murs said he was "really nervous" to be joining *The Voice UK*. "Will they like me or not? I don't know," the former *X Factor* runner-up pondered ahead of his debut. Surprisingly, new coach on the block Olly wasn't wondering what viewers would make of him. Instead, he was hoping that new colleagues Jennifer Hudson and veteran *Voice* stars Sir Tom Jones and

Will.i.am would be happy that he's been added to the fold.

A tweak in the line-up aside, the rest of the programme is reassuringly familiar – Emma Willis (who's said Olly is a "brilliant addition") is returning as host, while the series kicks off with the blind auditions. This is arguably the most compelling round of the whole show, which sees singers vying for a spot on each of the artists' teams as they're judged purely on their voice. **FT**

Sir Tom Jones: page 150

VOICE ARTISTS

New coach
Olly Murs joins
Jennifer Hudson,
Sir Tom Jones
and Will.i.am

SATURDAY Main Channels

Television Saturday

DAYTIME

BBC1

6.00am Breakfast Jon Kay, Naga Munchetty. (S) (HD)
10.00 Saturday Kitchen Live Guest Warwick Davis joins host Matt Tebbutt and chefs Ryan Simpson, Liam Trotman and Anna Haugh. (S) (HD)

11.30 Mary Berry Everyday Mary whips up a special whisky cream on the banks of a loch. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

12 noon BBC News Weather (S) (HD)

12.15pm Football Focus With Dan Walker. (S) (HD)

12.45 LIVE FA Cup Match of the Day

RT Fleetwood Town v Leicester City The League One side face Premier League opposition in the third-round fixture at Highbury Stadium (kick-off **12.45**). Highlights 10.30pm. Shrewsbury Town v West Ham United tomorrow 1.40pm. **See page 46.** (S) (HD)

RED BUTTON 2.30-5.30 Final Score Jason Mohammad presents the latest football scores.

3.00-4.00 Money for Nothing Sarah Moore transforms items reclaimed from a tip. (R) (S) (HD)

BBC2

6.10am The Wonder of Animals Exploring how the brain of the wonder ape has evolved. (R) (S) (HD)

6.40 Naomi's Nightmares of Nature The animals of the west coast of Canada. First shown on CBBC (S) (HD)

7.10 The Pets Factor Tilly the pregnant cavapoo is given a scan. First shown on CBBC (S) (HD)

7.30 Matilda and the Ramsay Bunch Double bill of the cookery show. First shown on CBBC (S) (HD)

8.00 The Designers First shown on CBBC (S) (HD)

8.30 Deadly Top Ten Speedy creatures. (R) (S)

9.00 World's Sneakiest Animals Observing vanishing geckos and shape-shifting cuttlefish. (R) (S) (HD)

10.00 Homes under the Hammer Properties in London, Derbyshire and south Wales. (R) (S) (HD)

11.00 Pets: Wild at Heart Pet behaviour. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

12 noon The Hairy Bikers' Mediterranean Adventure 1/6. Si King and Dave Myers sample a spicy pâté and some of the best gelato around. Shown last Thu (S) (AD) (HD)

RED BUTTON 12 noon-1.00pm, 1.30-2.30 Bobsleigh The women's event from the World Cup meeting in Altenberg

1.00pm Back to the Land with Kate Humble Kate meets a seaweed collector who left an office job in Swindon for a life working on the beach. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

2.00 Rome Unpacked 1/2. Andrew Graham-Dixon and Giorgio Locatelli explore the city. Shown yesterday (S) (AD) (HD)

3.00 The Letter ★★★★★ Drama starring Bette Davis. When Leslie Crosbie shoots a man on her husband's rubber plantation, she claims it was self-defence.

However, an incriminating piece of evidence comes to light. **Review p35.** Director William Wyler (1940, PG) (BW) (S)

BBC SPORT ONLINE 4.15-5.15 Bobsleigh The 2-man event at the Altenberg World Cup meeting at bbc.co.uk/sport

4.30-5.15 Natural World Three orphaned jaguar cubs are trained to live in the wild. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

ITV

6.00am CITV See page 53 **9.25 News** (S)

9.30 Saturday Morning with James Martin James is joined by fellow chef Galton Blackiston and guests Amanda Lamb and Jonathan Phang. (S) (HD)

11.30 The Hungry Sailors Fowey in Cornwall is the destination for Dick and James Strawbridge. (R) (S) (HD)

12.30pm ITV News Weather; Regional Weather (S)

12.40 Endeavour A seemingly routine missing persons case leads DC Morse to the Oxfordshire country estate of a wealth family. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

2.40-4.35 The Greatest TV Moments of All Time Clips from the past 50 years. Shown last Tuesday (S) (HD)

Channel 4

6.05am Triathlon From Phuket, Thailand. (S) (HD)

7.00 Everybody Loves Raymond Double bill. (R) (S)

7.50 Frasier Three episodes of the comedy. (R) (S)

9.25 The Big Bang Theory Triple bill. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

10.50 The Simpsons Double bill. (R) (S) (AD)

11.45 Sun, Sea and Selling Houses Searching for an apartment in Spain near the beach. (R) (S) (HD)

12.45-5.30pm LIVE Darts Coverage of the opening day of the BDO Lakeside World Professional Darts Championships in Frimley Green. (S) (HD)

BBC1

Hard Sun 9.35pm Jim Sturgess and Agyness Deyn star as detectives in a new apocalyptic conspiracy thriller



4.00pm Final Score Jason Mohammad with the classified results. (S) (HD)

5.10 Celebrity Mastermind

9/10. Cyclist Joanna Rowsell-Shand, actor Louis Payne, rugby commentator Eddie Butler and the *Top Gear* presenter George Lewis are put to the test.

Director Derek Hallworth; Producer Mark Helsby (S) (HD)

5.40 BBC News Regional News; Weather (S) (HD)

6.00 And They're Off...for Sport Relief

RT New series. 1/6. Ore Oduba hosts a game in which celebrities compete in a series of bizarre races, while contestants get the chance to win prizes by predicting the outcomes. **See page 46.**

Directors Geri Dowd and James Clampin; Producer Vanya Barwell Repeated Wednesday 11.15pm (S) (HD)

6.40 Pointless Celebrities

A trip to the 1980s with Fatima Whitbread and Robin Cousins, Colin Baker and Nicola Bryant, Mark Curry and Peter Duncan, and Sonia and Jaki Graham. (S) (HD)

7.25 Wedding Day Winners

RT New series. 1/6. Two engaged couples compete for the chance to tie the knot in front of the nation, and win a spectacular honeymoon. Friends and family are on hand to help, while celebrities will be dropping in too. Lorraine Kelly and Rob Beckett host, and Tom Allen adds to the fun. **See page 46.**

Director Richard Valentine; Series producer Holly Murray (S) (HD)

8.30 Casualty

RT When complications arise with Connie's illness, she persuades Ethan to drive her to London to seek advice from a leading consultant. **See page 47.**

Connie Beauchamp	Amanda Mealing	Noel Garcia	Tony Marshall
Ethan Hardy	George Rainsford	Glen Thomas	Owain Arthur
Dylan Keogh	William Beck	Simon Feathering	Nicholas Boulton
Charlie Fairhead	Derek Thompson	Professor Cornell	Sara Stewart
Louise Tyler	Azuka Oforika	Gloria Rhodes	Linda Marlowe
Lisa "Duffy" Duffin	Catherine Shipton	PC Rafe Graham	Bailey Patrick
Max Walker	Jamie Davis	Andrew Dayten	Jonathan Cooze
Robyn Miller	Amanda Henderson	Elizabeth Landerson	Leah Moyo
Rashid Masum	Neet Mohan	Dream pathologist	Mark Carlisle
Alicia Munroe	Chelsea Halfpenny		

Writer Dana Fainaru; Producer Jo Johnson Director Julie Edwards (S) (AD) (HD)

9.20 BBC News Weather (S) (HD)

9.35 Hard Sun

RT New series. 1/6. Doom-laden drama. As DCI Charlie Hicks tries to get over his suspicions about his new partner, the detectives uncover proof that Earth is facing imminent destruction. **See p46.**

DCI Charlie Hicks	Jim Sturgess	DS Mishal Ali	Varada Sethu
DI Elaine Renko	Agyness Deyn	DS Herbie Sarafian	Joplin Sibtain
Grace Morrigan	Nikki Amuka-Bird	Felix Nicholson	Mark Carlisle
DS Keith Greener	Owain Arthur	Hailey Hicks	Tamara Smart
Mari Butler	Aising Bea	Sunny Ramachandran	Tom Reed
Simone Hicks	Lorraine Burroughs	Lilly Ezekpo	Teri Ann Bobb-Baxter
Daniel Renko	Jojo Macari	John Gregor	Simon Thorp
DS George Mooney	Adrian Rawlins	BBC newsreader	Clive Myrie
DCS Roland Bell	Derek Riddell		

Writer Neil Cross; Producer Hugh Warren; Director Brian Kirk (S) (AD) (HD)

New drama for 2018: page 15

10.30 FA Cup Match of the Day Third-round fixtures, including Norwich City v Chelsea and Wolverhampton Wanderers v Swansea City. Repeated tomorrow 7.30am (S) (HD)

Followed by **National Lottery Update** (S)

12.05am The NFL Show Wildcard fixtures preview. (S) (HD)

12.35 The Resident ★★ Horror thriller starring Hilary Swank and Jeffrey Dean Morgan. When Juliet Devereau moves into a new apartment, the creaky building makes her believe there's a sinister presence within its walls. Director Antti J Jokinen (2010, 15) (S) (W) (HD)

2.00 Weather for the Week Ahead (S) (HD)

2.05-6.00am BBC News (S) (HD)

HD BBC1 HD Freeview 101 Freesat 106 Sky 115 Virgin108

BBC2

Feud: Bette and Joan 9.15/10.00pm Do Robert Aldrich and Bette Davis have another hit on their hands?



5.15pm Trust Me, I'm a Doctor

1/6 Series 7. Why fizzy drinks make people eat more; and does caffeine boosts your physical performance? Shown last Wednesday (S) (HD)

5.45 Tom Kerridge's Lose Weight for Good

1/6. Comfort Food. Tom Kerridge meets a group of 13 struggling dieters, promising to mentor them as they experience a whole new way of eating. Shown last Wednesday (S) (AD) (HD)

RED BUTTON 5.45-6.45 Bobsleigh Coverage of the 2-man bobsleigh at the World Cup meeting in Altenberg

6.15 Hugh's Wild West

New series. 1/12. Hugh Fearnley-Whittingstall goes in search of wildlife in the West Country and meets some of the region's most dedicated nature lovers. He begins in the Wye Valley and the Forest of Dean, where he catches minnows in the River Wye, gets an insight into the life of Britain's only aquatic songbird and meets an IT technician who has set up miniature cameras in his garden to record animals. Director/Producer Jim Turner (S) (AD) (HD)

FREE BOOKLET Open University booklet to accompany the series; to order, visit open.edu/openlearn/hughswildwest or call 0300 3033643

7.15 A House through Time

1/4. David Olusoga recounts the story of Britain from the 1840s to the present day through the prism of a terraced house in Liverpool. Shown last Thursday (S) (AD) (HD)

8.15 Dad's Army

All Is Safely Gathered In. The platoon help Godfrey's widowed friend gather in the harvest on her farm. Writers Jimmy Perry and David Croft; Producer David Croft (R) (S)

8.45 Grand Tours of Scotland's Lochs

RT 2/6. Shelter from the Storm. Paul Murton travels from Loch Gairloch to Loch Maree, along the way meeting the "king and queen of Isonia", matching a medieval feat of archery, diving to a wartime wreck in Loch Ewe and finding himself short-changed at a money tree. **See page 47.**

Executive producer Harry Bell First shown on BBC1 Scotland (S) (HD)

RT TRAVEL Range of Scottish holidays at radiotimes.com/Scotland

9.15 Feud: Bette and Joan

RT 7/8. Abandoned. The convivial atmosphere that Bette is creating with her co-stars on *Hush...*

Hush, Sweet Charlotte frustrates Joan, as she tries to sleep after the start of filming in Louisiana. She's even more annoyed when Bette insists on watching her scenes being shot and director Robert Aldrich admits that Bette can do what she wants. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 8/8. You Mean All This Time We Could Have Been Friends? Both actresses reflect on what might have been, and Joan gets a call from her agent who advises her against appearing in low-budget feature *The Missing Link*. **See page 47.** (S) (AD) (HD)

Bette Davis Susan Sarandon Jack Warner Stanley Tucci

Joan Crawford Jessica Lange Pauline Jameson Alison Wright

Hedda Hopper Judy Davis Olivia de Havilland Catherine Zeta-Jones

Mamacita Jackie Hoffman Joan Blondell Kathy Bates

Robert Aldrich Alfred Molina BD Kiernan Shipka

11.00 Live at the Apollo

Katherine Ryan hosts an extended festive special, warming up the audience before introducing Marlon Davis, Joel Dommett and John Robins. Director Paul Wheeler; Series producer Anthony Caveney (S) (HD)

11.45 QI XL

Josh Widdicombe, Susan Calman and Rich Hall join regular panellist Alan Davies and host Sandi Toksvig. Shown yesterday (Revised rpt) (S) (HD)

12.30-2.30am Later...with Jools Holland 25th Birthday Show A special celebration of the live music show from the Royal Albert Hall in London. (R) (S) (HD)

HD BBC2 HD Freeview 102 Freesat 102 Sky 102 Virgin162

ITV

The Voice UK
8.00pm Emma Willis hosts as vocalists try to wow the judges in the new series



4.35pm Regional News Weather (S)

4.45 ITV News Weather (S)

4.55 The Chase: Celebrity Special
With singer Claire Richards, musician and presenter Rowland Rivron and Anthony Costa of Blue, there should be plenty of team harmony tonight. England rugby star James Haskell will also be trying to take down the master quizzer. Director Stuart McDonald Producer Jennifer Stephenson (R) (S) (HD)

6.00 Celebrity Catchphrase
Stephen Mulhern hosts an all-star special of the game show, asking famous contestants Ellie Simmonds, Fay Ripley and Jimmy Carr to "see it and say it" as they try to guess the familiar phrases hidden in animated clues. After the first elimination, the two remaining players face a battle to reach the Super Catchphrase round. Director Geraldine Dowd; Series producer Kerri Reid Repeated tomorrow 2.45pm (S) (HD)

7.00 Take Me Out
New series. 1/9. The dating show is back with four more lonesome guys parading their wares before 30 single ladies. Hoping to score a date on the Isle of Fernandos are Southampton student Jordan, Phil, a children's entertainer from Southport, Glaswegian hairdresser Roscoe and Nick, a rugby player from Surrey. And will Paddy McGuinness have a new catchphrase? Series producer Rea Menzies; Exec producers Mel Balac and Suzy Lamb Rptd tomorrow 12.35pm ITV2 and Friday 10.40pm ITV (S) (HD)

8.00 The Voice UK
RT New series. 1/14. As the talent contest on which contestants are judged solely on their vocal prowess returns for a seventh series, new coach Olly Murs joins up with Sir Tom Jones, Jennifer Hudson and Will.i.am. The four judges turn their backs on the aspiring talents as the blind auditions commence. But if any of them hear somebody with real star quality, they'll spin around quick enough to get a crick in their necks. The prize on offer for the performer who warbles their way to victory is a record contract. Presented by Emma Willis. **See page 47.** Series producers David Smyth and Louise Walls Executive producers Katie Rawcliffe and Lily Wilson Repeated tomorrow 9.55am ITV and 1.40pm ITV2 (S) (HD)

Tom Jones: page 150
9.35 ITV News
Weather; Regional Weather (S)

9.50 Spectre ★★★
James Bond adventure starring Daniel Craig and Christoph Waltz. After foiling a terrorist attack in Mexico City, 007 picks up the trail of a secret organisation known as Spectre. He infiltrates one of their meetings in Rome, only to discover that his every move has been monitored by Spectre's mysterious leader, a man known as Franz Oberhauser. **Review p35.**
James Bond Daniel Craig Hinx Dave Bautista
Franz Oberhauser Christoph Waltz Lucia Sciarra Monica Bellucci
Madeleine Swann Léa Seydoux Mr White Jesper Christensen
M Ralph Fiennes Marco Sciarra Alessandro Cremona
Q Ben Whishaw Tanner Rory Kinnear
Moneypenny Naomie Harris Estrella Stephanie Sigman
Max Denbigh/C Andrew Scott
Director Sam Mendes (2015, 12) (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

12.30am Jackpot247 Interactive gaming.
3.00 Babushka Game show hosted by Rylan Clark-Neal in which contestants open a set of giant Russian nesting dolls in a quest for cash prizes. (R) (S) (HD)
3.50-6.00am Nightscreen Text information. (HD)

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Channel 4

The Hunger Games: Mockingjay Part 2
9.00pm The end of the story for Katniss Everdeen



5.30pm A Place in the Sun: Summer Sun
Jane and Jilly from Brighton look for a holiday home that they can escape to at a moment's notice in the Dordogne region of south-west France. Laura Hamilton shows them five suitable properties for their £100,000 budget. Director/Producer Jamie Broome (R) (S) (HD)

6.30 Channel 4 News Sport; Weather (S) (HD)
7.00 Spying on the Royals 1/2. Recently declassified documents offer a unique perspective on the most famous royal scandal of the 20th century, and perhaps the most controversial espionage operation in British history. The targets were King Edward VIII, his American lover Wallis Simpson, and king-to-be George VI. The extent of the surveillance, who ordered it, and new insights into the romance are revealed as the story is told through the words of the officers who were involved. Director Paul Elston (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Princess Diana's "Wicked" Stepmother
Examining the turbulent relationship between the Princess of Wales and the formidable Countess Raine Spencer. The daughter of romantic novelist Barbara Cartland, Raine became a member of the aristocracy, and a local politician before marrying Diana's father, Johnnie Spencer. Loathed initially by her stepchildren and excoriated for her changes to Althorp, the ancestral home of the Spencers, she eventually became a close confidante to Diana. Director/Producer Stephen Finnigan (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 The Hunger Games: Mockingjay Part 2 ★★★★★
P Final to the action adventure series. Despite her importance as a figurehead to the rebel cause, Katniss puts her life on the line to join the front lines on an assault on the Capitol. However, President Snow has some nasty surprises waiting for them, while Peeta's brainwashing makes him increasingly unpredictable. **Film of the Day: p35.**
Katniss Everdeen Jennifer Lawrence Johanna Mason Jena Malone
Peeta Mellark Josh Hutcherson Caesar Flickerman Stanley Tucci
Gale Hawthorne Liam Hemsworth President Snow Donald Sutherland
Finnick Odair Sam Claflin Beetee Jeffrey Wright
Alma Coin Julianne Moore Primrose Everdeen Willow Shields
Plutarch Heavensbee Cressida Natalia Dormer
Phillip Seymour Hoffman Boggs Mahershala Ali
Haymitch Abernathy Woody Harrelson Antonius Robert Knepper
Effie Trinket Elizabeth Banks Katniss's mother Paula Malcolmsen
Director Francis Lawrence (2015, 12) (S) (AD) (W) (HD)
Also showing Wednesday 9pm 4seven

11.40 The Transporter ★★★
A Action thriller. Frank Martin is a professional driver who moves goods around for shady clients with no questions asked. When his latest cargo turns out to be a beautiful woman, Martin is forced to break his own code and go on the run from his ruthless employers.
Frank Martin Jason Statham Wall Street Matt Schulze
Lai Shu Qi Mr Kwai Ric Young
Tarconi François Berléand Leader Doug Rand
Directors Corey Yuen and Louis Leterrier (2002, 15) (S) (W) (HD)

1.25am Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA A return to Amy's Baking Company in Scottsdale, Arizona. (R) (S)
2.15 Hollyoaks Omnibus. Cast Tue/Fri (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)
4.00 Location, Location, Location Two couples search for homes in Hertfordshire. (R) (S) (SL) (HD)
4.55 Coast vs Country A couple look for a home in Cornwall after 27 years in London. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)
5.50-6.15am Four in a Bed The competition starts at 20 Albany Street in Edinburgh. (R) (S) (HD)

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BBC4

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Spiral
9.00/10.00pm Joséphine is left feeling shaken after a shocking incident



7.00pm Shipwrecks: Britain's Sunken History 1/3. Home Waters to High Seas
Maritime historian Dr Sam Willis reveals the stories behind some of the shipwrecks that surround Britain's coastline. He begins by examining how the top-heavy *Mary Rose* became a source of national embarrassment and discovers why the wrecking of the Spanish Armada was so unexpected. Director/Producer Francis Welch Signed repeat 3am (R) (S) (HD)

8.00 Alaska: Earth's Frozen Kingdom 1/3. Spring. As temperatures rise and the sun's rays hit the snow and ice, Alaska undergoes an extraordinary transformation. But although the transition to spring looks magical, for animals emerging from a long winter's sleep, it is a time of intense competition to make the best of the region's riches. Narrated by Dougray Scott. Director/Producer Jane Atkins Repeated 2am First shown on BBC2 (S) (AD) (HD)
RT TRAVEL Visit Alaska and the Canadian Rockies on a cruise and tour holiday - 14 nights from just £2,599pp. Go to radiotimes.com/Alaska to find out more

9.00 Spiral RT 3/12 Series 6. Gilou and Laure question two brothers who claim to have gone straight, but seem to have links to a dead police officer. Roban resorts to an off-the-record test to build his case. (HD)
10.00 4/12. Joséphine struggles to prove her client's claims in court, while Roban must confront a colleague. French +subtitles. **See page 47.** (HD)

Laure Berthaud Caroline Proust
Judge François Roban Philippe Duclos
Lt Gilles "Gidou" Escoffier Thierry Godard
Lt Frédéric "Tintin" Fromentin Fred Bianconi
Joséphine Karlsson Audrey Fleurot
Beckriche Valentin Merlet
Eric Edelman Louis-Do de Lencquesaing
Machard Dominique Daguier
Jean-Etienne Vern Sylvain Dieuaide
Cindy Fanny Valette
Thomas Weber Lorenzo Lefebvre
Didier Hervé Rey
Bryan Dupuis Mabo Kouyate
Ruben Fromentin Guillaume Cloud-Roussel
Herville Nicolas Brianchon

Alison Graham: page 43
11.05 The Vietnam War 9/10. South Vietnamese forces in Laos suffer a terrible defeat. A re-elected President Nixon announces that Hanoi has agreed to a peace deal. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

12 midnight Bee Gees at the BBC and Beyond Classic performances. (R) (S)
1.00am Disco at the BBC Floorfillers from Chic, Rose Royce and Labelle. (R) (S)
2.00 Alaska: Earth's Frozen Kingdom 1/3. A year in the life of the American state, beginning with spring. Shown 8pm (S) (AD) (HD)
3.00-4.00am Shipwrecks: Britain's Sunken History 1/3. The stories behind shipwrecks around Britain. Shown 7pm (S) (SL)
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HD Freeview 106 Freesat 107 Virgin 163

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Regional variations

BBC1 SCOTLAND
4.00pm The Woman Who Can Smell Parkinson's: Joy Milne's ability to detect Parkinson's disease
4.30-5.10 SportsScene: with David Currie

STV
12.30am Home Shopping **1.30** After Midnight **3.00-6.00** Nightscreen

BBC2 WALES
5.45-6.15pm Dad's Army: the platoon help a widow friend of Private Godfrey to gather the harvest
8.15-8.45 Christmas University Challenge: the final of the quiz

BBC1 NORTHERN IRELAND
5.00-5.10pm Final Score from Northern Ireland

BBC2 NORTHERN IRELAND
4.30pm A House through Time **5.30** Ulster Rugby Live **7.30** Coast **7.45-8.45pm** Hugh's Wild West: new series

UTV
12.30am Shopping **1.30-3.00** Nightscreen

RT Choice
Family viewing
Red button coverage
(R) Repeat
(S) Subtitles
(SL) Signing
(AD) Audio description
(HD) High definition
(W) Film in widescreen
(BW) Black and white
Films Premiere
Star Ratings
★★★★ Outstanding
★★★★ Very good
★★★ Worth watching
★★ Could be worse
★ Poor

SATURDAY Freeview

Television Saturday

Channel 5 5



Blind Date 8.00pm A digger driver gets to choose one of the single girls

Freeview 5 Freesat 105 Sky 105 Virgin 105

HD Freeview 105 Freesat 105 Virgin 150

6.00am Milkshake! See page 53

9.35 New series. Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles The gang face a new enemy. (S) (HD)

10.10 Dogs Make You Laugh Out Loud A sheepdog that rides scooters. (S) (HD)

10.40 Cruising with Jane McDonald The singer travels along the Rhine and samples some Christmas markets. (S) (HD)

11.40 West Side Story **★★★★★**

Classic musical, with songs by Leonard Bernstein and Stephen Sondheim, starring Natalie Wood and Richard Beymer. In late-1950s New York, the American "Jets" and the Puerto Rican "Sharks" are preparing for confrontation. Directors Robert Wise and Jerome Robbins (1961, PG) (S) (HD)

2.30pm The Hundred-Foot Journey **★★★**

Comedy drama starring Helen Mirren, Manish Dayal and Om Puri. The competition for customers reaches vindaloo intensity when the Kadam family open an Indian restaurant in rural France. Director Lasse Hallström (2014, PG) (S) (W) (HD)

4.55 5 News Weekend (S) (HD)

5.00pm Playful Pups Make You Laugh Out Loud

Internet videos featuring puppies doing bizarre and humorous things. Series producers Tim Clifford and Leon Kay. Executive producer Ben Rigden (S) (HD)

6.00 New series. The Wonderful World of Puppies

1/6. Two dalmatians start to develop the spots that will mark them out for life and a jack russell grows in confidence. Director/Producer Pete Chinn (S) (HD)

7.00 Greatest Ever Celebrity Wind-Ups

Including Ant and Dec setting up Simon Cowell on Saturday night television. (S) (HD)

8.00 New. Blind Date

A digger driver from Hull takes his pick of the single girls, and a drama teacher from Surrey looks for her leading man. Producer Debbie Reech Bloch; Series producer Shane Byrne. Repeated tomorrow 3.10pm (S) (HD)

9.00 New. Celebrity Big Brother

Friday's highlights from the house. Repeated tomorrow 3.15pm 5 Star (S) (HD)

10.00 Worst Celebrity Pop Songs Ever

A countdown of 40 infamous recordings by celebrities including Katie Price, Vinnie Jones and Samantha Fox. Exec producer John Quinn; Editor Dave Lewis (S) (HD)

11.45 Lip Sync Battle UK

Comedian Rufus Hound and actress Jorgie Porter step up to the mic. Producer Katherine Allen (S) (HD)

12.15am New. SuperCasino (S) (HD)

3.10 Secrets of the National Trust with Alan Titchmarsh (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** GPs: behind Closed Doors (S) (AD) (HD) **4.45** House Doctor (S) (SL) **5.10** Wildlife SOS (S) (SL)

5.35-6.00am Nick's Quest (S) (SL)

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BBC4 listings are overleaf

ITV2 6



The Mummy 6.40pm Waking the dead: Rick O'Connell (Brendan Fraser)

F'view 6 F'sat 113 Sky 118 Virgin 115 **HD** Virgin 176

6.00am Emmerdale: omnibus (S) (SL) (HD)

9.00 Coronation Street (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)

12 noon The Big Soap Quiz: Coronation Street v Emmerdale (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Ant & Dec's Saturday Night Takeaway Presents... Who Shot Simon Cowell? (S) (HD) **1.30** You've Been Framed! Gold (S) **3.05** **FILM** Legally Blonde **★★★★** Comedy starring Reese Witherspoon (S) (AD) (W) (HD) **4.55** **FILM** Hotel Transylvania **★★** Animated comedy with the voice of Adam Sandler (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

6.40pm The Mummy **★★★**

Period horror adventure. A party of archaeologists, led by American adventurer Rick O'Connell, discover a tomb containing the 3,000-year-old remains of a murderous Egyptian priest, Imhotep. When the mummy is accidentally disturbed, he unleashes his terrifying powers. **Brendan Fraser** **Rachel Weisz** **John Hannah** **Arnold Vosloo** **Kevin J O'Connor** **Director** Stephen Sommers (1999, 12) (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

9.00 The Hangover **★★★★**

Comedy. Three friends wake up in a wrecked Vegas hotel room following a stag night for their friend Doug. As the day progresses the wild events of the night before fall into place – all they have to do now is find the groom. **Phil Wenneck** **Bradley Cooper** **Heather Graham** **Justin Bartha** **Zach Galifianakis** **Ed Helms** **Director** Todd Phillips (2009, 15) (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

11.10 Family Guy

Series 1. Peter unwittingly destroys the town's TV transmitter. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.35 Series 16. Meg starts drinking, which concerns – and delights – Peter. (S) (AD) (HD)

12.10am American Dad! (S) (AD) (HD)

1.05-3.00am **FILM** Paranoia **★★** Thriller starring Liam Hemsworth (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

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F'view 12 F'sat 157 Sky 111 Virgin 127 **HD** Virgin 194 BT 387

7.15am Scrapheap Challenge **8.00** Ice Road Truckers (S) **10.00** American Pickers (S)

12 noon Traffic Cops (S) **1.00pm** Sin City Motors (S) (HD) **3.00** Top Gear (S) (AD)

5.00pm Ice Road Truckers Lisa Kelly leads a convoy from Fairbanks to Prudhoe Bay. (S)

6.00 Maya gets her first taste of the dangers of the haul road. (S)

7.00 **Cops UK: Bodycam Squad** Complaints by neighbours about anti-social behaviour lead to a raid on a suspected drugs den. (HD)

8.00 **Dynamo: Magician Impossible** 1/4 Series 2. The illusionist visits Venice, reveals how fame has changed his life and reads the mind of singer Labrinth. (S) (AD)

9.00 **FILM** Kill Bill Vol 2 **★★★★** The concluding part of Quentin Tarantino's bloody martial arts drama, starring Uma Thurman. English, Japanese, Mandarin +subtitles. (S) (W)

11.40 **Dave Gorman: Modern Life Is Goodish** 1/8 Series 3. Dave conducts an experiment with over 1,000 eggs. (HD)

12.40am QI XL (S) (HD) **1.40** Would I Lie to You?: three editions (S) **3.25-4.00am** Room 101 (S)

Dave Ja Vu Freeview 79 Sky 214 Virgin 211

ITV3 10



Midsomer Murders 9.00pm The detectives make a forensic search

F'view 10 F'sat 115 Sky 119 Virgin 117 **HD** Virgin 177

6.00am Judge Judy (S) (HD) **6.20** Murder, She Wrote (S) (SL) (AD) (HD) **8.25** **FILM** Death on the Nile **★★★** Mystery starring Peter Ustinov (S) (AD) (W) (HD) **11.05** Foyle's War (S)

1.10pm Columbo: Suitable for Framing (S) (AD) (HD) **2.55** Midsomer Murders (S) (AD) (HD)

6.55pm Midsomer Murders

Death and the Divas. Life appears to be imitating art when the murder of a journalist echoes a scene from a 1960s horror movie starring Midsomer's own Stella Harris. When the former actress's more famous sister turns up, the killings begin to escalate as long-held family secrets emerge. Sinéad Cusack and Harriet Walter guest-star. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Habeas Corpus. After wealthy landowner Gregory Lancaster's body goes missing on the night of his death, a sinister web of secrets and lies is exposed in the village of Little Malton – and a macabre world of body-snatching holds the key to identifying the culprit. With Helen Baxendale and Emma Cunliffe (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 The Suspicions of Mr Whicher

The Murder in Angel Lane. Jack Whicher is employed by Susan Spencer to investigate the savage murder of her 16-year-old niece, who had been looking for the man who made her pregnant. Whicher is drawn into a disturbing and puzzling case, which brings him up against wealthy and powerful figures and throws him into conflict with them. (S) (AD) (HD)

Jack Whicher **Susan Spencer** **Insp George Lock** **Thomas Gann** **Chief Insp Dolly Commissioner Mayne** **Joshua Gann** **The Rev Marlow** **Dr Casement** **Stephen Gann** **Paddy Considine** **Olivia Colman** **Shaun Dingwall** **Mark Bazeley** **William Beck** **Tim Pigott-Smith** **Sean Baker** **Justin Edwards** **Alistair Petrie** **William Postlethwaite**

1.00am On the Buses (S) (SL)

2.00-2.30am Nightscreen (HD)

+1 F'view 34 (6pm-midnight) F'sat 116 Sky 180 Virgin 174

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F'view 24 F'sat 117 Sky 120 Virgin 118 **HD** Virgin 178

6.00am Sporting Funnies (HD) **6.10** The Protectors **6.35** The Professionals (S) (SL) (AD) **9.30** **New.** Racing: The Opening Show (S) (HD) **10.30** Barcelona's European Glory (HD) **10.40** Pawn Stars (S) (HD)

1.30pm **LIVE** Racing: from Sandown and Wincanton, presented by Ed Chamberlin (S) (HD) **4.05** **FILM** Khartoum **★★★★** Historical drama starring Charlton Heston (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

6.45pm **FILM** Dr No **★★★★★** The first in the series of screen adventures featuring Ian Fleming's famous fictional secret agent, James Bond. Starring Sean Connery. (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

9.00 **FILM** The Enforcer **★★** Crime thriller starring Clint Eastwood, Tyne Daly and Bradford Dillman. (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

11.05 **FILM** **Platoon** **★★★★★** Oscar-winning war drama starring Tom Berenger and Charlie Sheen. Within days of his arrival in Vietnam, a college dropout is plunged into the hellish life of a GI. **Review** p35. (S) (AD)

1.25am Car Crash Global: Caught on Camera (S) (HD) **2.25** Tommy Cooper (S) (SL) (AD)

2.50-3.00am Nightscreen (HD)

ITV4 +1 Freesat 154 Sky 193 Virgin 175

Drama 20



Wallander 9.30pm Kurt investigates a series of deaths in southern Sweden

Freeview 20 Freesat 158 Sky 158 Virgin 128

7.10am Boon **9.00** Birds of a Feather **11.00** Sharpe: the soldier is framed for murder (S)

1.00pm **31 CHOICE** The Onedin Line: the first four episodes of the seafaring drama about the changing fortunes of ambitious Captain James Onedin in 19th-century Liverpool. Starring Peter Gilmore, Anne Stallybrass and Howard Lang. **See p46.** (S)

5.00pm Keeping Up Appearances

Hyacinth tries to rescue Richard from obscurity with a plan to turn him into an executive. But he is far from enthusiastic.

5.40 Richard has an accident and Hyacinth decides to buy a small country retreat. However, her plans go awry.

6.20 As Hyacinth plans a special event, she wants to outdo the Barker-Finches, who had a celebrity at their barbecue. (S) (AD)

7.00 **New. Sue Thomas: F.B. Eye** 14/19 Series 1. Missing. Sue tries to help a man who claims he only turned to crime to pay for his son's life-saving surgery. (S)

8.00 **Hetty Wainthropp Investigates** 1/6 Series 1. **The Bearded Lady.** The death of a pensioner leaves a few unanswered questions for the amateur sleuth, who sets about solving the mystery when the police show little interest. (S)

9.30 **Wallander** 1/3 Series 1. **Sidetracked.** Detective Kurt Wallander (Kenneth Branagh) investigates a series of violent and terrifying killings in the beautiful setting of southern Sweden. What connects the shocking suicide of a young woman and the vicious murder of a government minister?

11.25 **Dalziel & Pascoe** 1&2/6 Series 1. **A Clubbable Woman**

The chalk-and-cheese detectives are determined to find the killer of a once-promising rugby player's wife. Clues point to the husband, but the duo suspect it could be part of a conspiracy. (S) (AD)

1.20am The White Princess (S) (AD) **2.30** Crusoe **3.30-4.00am** Garden Hopping

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F'view 26 F'sat 118 Sky 149 (31 STV) Virgin 119 **HD** Virgin 179

9.00am The Millionaire Matchmaker (S) (HD)

10.00 Vanderpump Rules (HD)

10.55 Million Dollar Listing: NYC (HD)

1.00pm Cupcake Wars (S) (HD)

5.00pm **Dinner Date** Jerome from London chooses three blind dates from five potential partners, based on their self-devised menus.

6.00 Sean from Derbyshire looks for love.

7.00 Maura from London picks a date.

8.00 James from Brighton chooses three blind dates based on their culinary talents.

9.00 Steph from Manchester chooses from a quintet of possible partners. (S) (HD)

10.00 **Botched** Medic Paul Nassif helps a female impersonator who feels uncomfortable walking the streets without make-up. (S) (HD)

11.00 **Mob Wives** Renee's insecurities about Junior's past begin to resurface and she checks his phone. Meanwhile, Ramona decides whether to confront Carla. (HD)

12 **midnight-12.55am** Karen begins promoting her book *Mob Daughter*, and is forced to face hard questions about her life. Meanwhile, Drita gets a surprise from Lee. (HD)

ITVBe +1 Freesat 119 Sky 206 Virgin 120

E4 28



Red 9.00pm Victoria and Marvin agree to come out of retirement

F'view 28 F'sat 122 Sky 136 Virgin 106 **HD** Virgin 145

6.00am Rude(ish) Tube (S) **6.25** How I Met Your Mother (S) (AD) (HD) **7.20** Melissa & Joey (S) (HD) **8.20** **FILM** Big Miracle ★★★ Wildlife adventure based on a true story starring Kristen Bell (S) (W) (HD) **10.25** Couples Come Dine with Me (S) (HD)

12.30pm Don't Tell the Bride (S) (HD) **1.35** The Goldbergs (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** The Big Bang Theory: four episodes (S) (AD) (HD)

6.00pm **The Big Bang Theory** **11/24** Series 4. The guys find a way to bond with Penny's new boyfriend. **6.30** **1/24** Series 6. Howard gets caught up in a strange argument.

7.00 **2/24**. Penny tells the girls she is considering breaking up with Leonard. **7.30** **12/24** Series 8. Leonard and Sheldon go shopping with Penny and Amy. **8.00** **13/24**. Sheldon becomes concerned that his lifestyle is stopping him from achieving scientific greatness.

8.30 **24/24** Series 9. Leonard's recently divorced parents and Sheldon's religious mother come to town. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 **Red** ★★ Action comedy. Former special agent Frank Moses lives a contented if slightly bored life in retirement. When Frank becomes the target of a mystery assassin, he reassembles his old team.

Frank Moses
Bruce Willis
Joe Matheson
Marvin Boggs
Victoria
William Cooper
Director Robert Schwentke (2010, 12) (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

Morgan Freeman
John Malkovich
Helen Mirren
Karl Urban

11.10 **Gogglebox** Including opinions on *The Great British Bake Off* and *Doctor Foster*. (S) (AD) (HD) **12.15am** *Strictly Come Dancing* comes under scrutiny. (S) (AD) (HD)

1.20 Rude Tube: Love Bytes (S) (HD) **2.20** Gogglebox (S) (AD) (HD) **3.15** First Dates (S) (AD) (HD) **4.10** How I Met Your Mother (S) (AD) (HD) **4.55-6.00am** Rude(ish) Tube (S)

E4 +1 Freewiew 29 Freesat 123 Sky 137 Virgin 146

4seven 47

F'view 47 F'sat 127 Sky 140 Virgin 143 **HD** F'view 110

9.00am Posh Pawn: triple bill (S) (HD) **12 noon** The Secret Life of the Zoo: four editions (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00pm** Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA: double bill (S) (HD)

6.00pm **Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA** Gordon tackles the Olde Stone Mill in Tuckahoe, New York. (S) (HD)

7.00 The chef helps a failing Mexican restaurant in Philadelphia. (S) (HD)

8.00 **The Simpsons** Doctors remove a crayon that is lodged in Homer's brain. **9.30** Homer learns that his biological father may be a British treasure hunter.

9.00 Bart and Milhouse accidentally destroy Principal Skinner's new car.

9.30 The owner of the local comic-book store suffers a heart attack.

10.00 Homer is jealous of Bart's tennis ability.

10.30 Homer gets a job writing fortune cookie messages. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 **Britain's Wildest Weather 2017** The weather we experienced last year. (S) (HD)

12.35am 24 Hours in A&E (S) (AD) (HD)

1.30 20 Kids and Counting (S) (AD) (HD) **2.25** Food Unwrapped Diet Special (S) (AD) (HD) **3.20** The Supertv (S) (AD) (HD) **4.10-5.10am** The Secret Life of the Zoo (S) (AD) (HD)

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Finding Babylon's Hanging Garden **9.00pm** Academic Stephanie Dalley

F'view 14 F'sat 124 Sky 138 Virgin 147 **HD** Virgin 195

8.55am River Cottage Bites (S) (HD) **9.25** Food Unwrapped Diet Special (S) (HD) **10.25** How to Lose Weight Well (S) (AD) (HD) **11.30** A Place in the Sun: Home or Away (S) (HD) **2.45pm** Four in a Bed (S) (HD)

5.20pm **Come Dine with Me** Dinner parties from Sheffield. (S) (HD)

7.55 **Rome's Sunken Secrets** Exploring the underwater ruins of Baiae, an ancient Roman city located in the modern-day Bay of Naples. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 **Finding Babylon's Hanging Garden: Secret History** Oxford academic Stephanie Dalley has decoded an ancient, long-overlooked text in the British Museum and now believes the elusive gardens were built in another time, in another location. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 **Gladiators: back from the Dead** How the men were trained in combat with nets, tridents and swords, sometimes against ferocious wild animals. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.05 **Eight out of Ten Cats Does Countdown** With guests Lee Mack, Catherine Tate, John Cooper Clarke and Miles Jupp. (S) (HD)

12.10am Father Ted (S) (AD)

1.15 The IT Crowd (S) (AD) (HD) **2.20** Eight out of Ten Cats Does Countdown (S) (HD)

3.15-3.55am Eight out of Ten Cats (S) (HD)

More4 +1 Freewiew 86 Freesat 125 Sky 139 Virgin 196

5 USA 21

Freewiew 21 Freesat 129 Sky 174 Virgin 153

9.00am Access **9.10** Longmire (S) **10.20** Remington Steele **1.30pm** Columbo: A Matter of Honor (S) **3.05** NCIS (S) (AD) **5.05pm** NCIS: Los Angeles **1&2/24** Series 1 (S) (AD) **7.00** Rookie Blue: double bill. **1/13** Series 1. The high-risk takedown of a suspect does not go as planned **8.00** **2/13**. The team hunts a violent escaped convict **9.00** NCIS: Los Angeles: double bill. **7/24** Series 4 Deeks and Kensi go surfing – all in the line of work (S) **10.00** **8/24**. A millionaire former CIA man is killed (S) **10.55** Law & Order: Special Victims Unit **6&7/22** Series 10 (S)

12.50am Law & Order: Special Victims Unit (S) **3.35-4.00am** Catch a Contractor

5 USA +1 F'view 56 (6pm-5am) F'sat 130 Sky 191 Virgin 185

5 Star 30

Freewiew 30 Freesat 131 Sky 176 Virgin 151

8.00am My Wife and Kids (S) **9.35** The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air (S) **11.30** Fresh off the Boat (S) **1.25pm** Celebrity Big Brother Full House Live (S) **2.50** **FILM** Fool's Gold ★★ Romantic action adventure (S) **5.00** **FILM** Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs 2 ★★★ (S) **6.50** **FILM** Left Behind ★ Action thriller starring Nicolas Cage (S) **9.00** **FILM** Under Siege ★★★★★ Action adventure starring Steven Seagal and Tommy Lee Jones. The *Missouri*, the US Navy's biggest battleship, is hijacked by ruthless criminals intent on stealing its valuable nuclear arsenal (S)

11.10 **FILM** Safe ★★ Action thriller starring Jason Statham and Catherine Chan. English, Mandarin, Russian +subtitles. (S) **1.00am** Sex Pod (S) **2.00** The Magicians (S) **3.05-4.00am** Gangland: Turf Wars (S)

5 Star +1 Freewiew 55 Freesat 132 Sky 190 Virgin 186

PBS America is listed overleaf. See p54 for Film4 and other Freeview movie channels

Yesterday 19

Freewiew 19 Freesat 159 Sky 537 Virgin 245

6.00am Battleplan (S) **7.10** Pointless **8.00** Churchill's Bodyguard: double bill **10.00** Machines of War: the cruise missile (S) (AD) **11.00** Hunting Down the Nazis (AD)

12 noon Wartime Crime (AD) **1.00pm** Murder Maps: five back-to-back editions (S)

6.00pm **Murder Maps** The murder of two teenagers before the Queen's coronation. (S) **7.00** ...**Sings the Beatles** Memorable covers of classic songs by the Fab Four. **8.00** **Sounds of the Sixties** Recalling the decade in music, with archive performances. **8.30** Performances from 1964 and 1965.

9.00 **Boom Bang a Bang: 50 Years of Eurovision** The history of the competition. (S) **10.00** **TOTP2 Goes Eurovision** Steve Wright presents archive hits from the contest. **11.00** **Britain in Motion** Russ Malkin explores the history of manufacturing in Britain.

11.30 **Churchill's Bodyguard** Insight into the work of Inspector Walter Thompson. **12.35am** Thompson visits the Middle East. **1.35** Sounds of the Sixties **2.10-3.00am** Battleplan: the German invasion of Crete (S)

Yesterday +1 Sky 538 Virgin 246

Home 25

Freewiew 25 Freesat 166 Sky 196 Virgin 281 BT 314

7.00am DIY SOS: the Big Build (AD) **8.00** Fantasy Homes Down Under **10.00** DIY SOS (AD) **12 noon** A Place in the Sun: Home or Away **2.00pm** Wanted Down Under **4.00** Fantasy Homes Down Under **6.00** My Dream Derelict Home (AD) **8.00** Escape to the Country: double bill featuring properties in the Cotswolds and Somerset **10.00** DIY SOS (AD) **12 midnight** A Place in the Sun: Home or Away **1.50am** Wanted Down Under **3.30-4.00am** Storage Hunters: the Los Angeles County Fair

Home +1 Sky 244 Virgin 282

5 Spike 31

Freewiew 31 Freesat 141 Sky 160 Virgin 154

9.00am The Cars That Made Britain Great **10.00** Police Interceptors **3.10pm** **FILM** Hondo ★★★ Western **4.55** **FILM** 5 Card Stud ★★★ Western murder mystery **7.00pm** World's Craziest Police Pursuits **8.00** Police Interceptors: a major manhunt gets under way after a trio of high-profile suspects flee onto a farm. Elsewhere, a tip-off in Clacton-on-Sea leads to a dramatic raid on a drugs den **9.00** It Takes a Thief to Catch a Thief: Richard Taylor uses a Cirencester corner shop's CCTV to name and shame thieves **10.00** Idiot TV **11.00** Bellator MMA Fight Night: action from a mixed martial arts event **1.00am** Fights, Camera, Action! **2.00-3.00am** The X-Files: strange messages drive people to murder

5 Spike +1 Sky 219

True Entertainment 61

Freewiew 61 (not Wales) Freesat 142 Sky 182 Virgin 189

6.00am The Waltons **7.00** Little House on the Prairie **8.00** Ironside **9.00** Murder, She Wrote **2.00pm** Ironside **3.00** **FILM** Agatha Christie's A Caribbean Mystery ★★ **5.00** Agatha Christie's Sparkling Cyanide **7.00** **FILM** At the Midnight Hour ★★ **9.00** **FILM** A Crime of Passion ★★ **11.00** **FILM** I'll Be Seeing You ★★ **1.00-3.00am** **FILM** Runaway Car ★★

True Entertainment +1 Freesat 152 Sky 183

Horror Channel 70

Freewiew 70 Freesat 138 Sky 319 Virgin 149

8.00am **FILM** Trapped in Space ★★ Sci-fi drama **9.50** Horror Highlights **10.00** The Lost World **1.00pm** Special Unit 2 **3.00** **FILM** Bone Eater ★ Sci-fi horror **4.45** **FILM** Sir Arthur Conan Doyle's Sherlock Holmes ★★ Mystery **6.35** **FILM** Silent Predators ★★ Horror thriller **8.30** Tales from the Darkside **9.00** **FILM** The Serpent and the Rainbow ★★ Horror **10.55** **FILM** The Signal ★★ Sci-fi drama **12.50am** **FILM** Skinwalkers ★★ **2.45** **FILM** The Apparition ★★ Horror **4.20-4.30am** Horror Highlights

Pick 11

Freewiew 11 Freesat 144 Sky 152 Virgin 123

6.00am Border Security: Canada's Front Line **8.00** 60-Minute Makeover **2.00pm** It's Me or the Dog **3.00** Animal 999 **4.00** Customs UK: double bill **5.00** Motorway Patrol (AD)

7.00pm Border Security: Canada's Front Line: four editions. A suitcase reveals a surprise **7.30** Text messages create suspicion about a traveller's intentions **8.00** Officers discover a suitcase packed with surprises **8.30** Alberta officers uncover a half-baked scheme **9.00** Road Wars **10.00** Brit Cops: Frontline Crime UK **12 midnight** Night Cops (AD) **1.00am** Road Wars **3.00** Most Shocking **4.00-6.00am** Motorway Patrol

Pick +1 Freesat 145 Sky 164 (NI 283)

Really 17

Freewiew 17 Freesat 160 Sky 155 Virgin 129

6.00am Tornado Alley **7.00** Home Shopping **8.00** Oxford Street Revealed (AD) **9.00** The Sheriffs Are Coming **11.00** Fantasy Homes by the Sea **1.00pm** Homes under the Hammer **3.00** Escape to the Country **5.00** A Place in the Sun: Winter Sun **6.00** Escape to the Country **7.00** DIY SOS: the Big Build (AD) **8.00** Oxford Street Revealed (AD) **9.00** Born to Kill? Class of Evil **10.00** Busting the Drugs Millions: inside the National Crime Agency **11.00** The Prosecutors **12.20am** Born to Kill? Class of Evil **1.20** Serious Crash Unit **2.00** Home Shopping **4.00** The Sex Clinic **4.50-6.00am** Born to Kill? Class of Evil

Quest 37

Freewiew 37 Freesat 167 Sky 144 Virgin 172

6.00am Big Fish Man **7.00** Pacific Warriors **8.00** Wheeler Dealers (AD) **12 noon** How It's Made **2.00pm** Secrets of the Arsenal **3.00** Rise of the Machines **4.00** Wright Brothers: First in Flight **6.00pm** Wheeler Dealers: Trading Up (AD) **7.00** Salvage Hunters **9.00** **New**. Strip the Cosmos: secrets that lie beneath the surface of Mars **10.00** **New**. How the Universe Works **11.00** Body Cam Cops **12 midnight** Strip the Cosmos **1.00am** Wheeler Dealers: Trading Up (AD) **2.00** Rebel Road **3.00** Destroyed in Seconds **4.00** Wheeler Dealers: Trading Up (AD) **5.00-6.00am** Overhaul!

Quest +1 F'view 83 (7pm-4am) F'sat 168 Sky 195 Virgin 173

Challenge 46

Freewiew 46 Freesat 146 Sky 145 Virgin 139

6.00am Golden Balls **7.00** Catchphrase **1.00** Supermarket Sweep **1.30pm** Bruce's Price Is Right (AD) **4.00** Catchphrase (AD) **5.25** Strike It Lucky **6.25pm** Hole in the Wall: Anton Du Beke hosts the celebrity game show **7.00** The Cube **8.00** The Chase: double bill of the quiz show hosted by Bradley Walsh presents the quiz show in **10.00** Who Wants to Be a Millionaire?: Chris Tarrant hosts the big-prize quiz (AD) **11.00** Bulls-eye: ten editions of the darts-based quiz **4.00** The Chase **5.00-6.00am** Golden Balls

Challenge +1 Freesat 147 Sky 170 Virgin 180

CBS Action 39

Freewiew 39 Freesat 137 Sky 148 Virgin 192

8.30am Key of David **9.00** The High Chaparral **10.00** CSI: Miami **2.00pm** Gunsmoke **4.00** Bonanza **6.10pm** **FILM** Blood River ★★ Western starring Rick Schroder **8.00** The High Chaparral: first episode of the Western drama, starring Elfi Erickson **9.00** NCIS: four episodes **1.00am** **FILM** Missing in Action ★★ Action thriller **2.55** JAG **5.30-6.00am** Tales from the Darkside

CBS Action +1 Freewiew 64 (HD only)

CBS Drama 71

Freewiew 71 Freesat 134 Sky 147 Virgin 197

7.30am Tomorrow's World **8.00** Home Shopping **9.00** Touched by an Angel **2.00pm** It's a Miracle with Roma Downey **4.00** Judge Judy **6.05pm** Judge Judy: real-life small-claims cases **9.00** Psychic Private Eyes: Vanessa Goldie-Scot questions her great grandmother's death **10.00** Medium: five back-to-back episodes **3.00am** Psychic Private Eyes **4.00-5.00am** Judge Judy: real-life small-claims cases

BBC Parliament 232

Freewiew 232 Freesat 201 Sky 504 Virgin 605

6.25am Select Committees **8.25** European Parliament **9.55** Conversations **10.45** Mayor's Question Time **12.15pm** Westminster in Review **1.15** BOOKtalk **2.00** Turning Points **2.30** 50th Anniversary of the Sexual Offences Act 1967 **3.30** Liaison Committee **5.30** BOOKtalk **5.50** Lords **8.20** Briefings **9.50** Speaker's House **10.20** Turning Points **10.50** Select Committees **12.40-7.00am** Political Highlights

SATURDAY Satellite & cable

Television Saturday



Air Force One 9.00pm The US President comes under attack

Sky 1

Sky 106 Virgin 110 **HD** Virgin 109

6.00am Futurama (S) (AD) **8.00** The Simpsons (S) (HD) **10.00** Soccer AM (HD) **11.30** Modern Family (S) (HD) **2.00pm** Soccer Saturday (HD)

6.00pm Harry Hill's Tea Time 1/10 Series 2. Harry gets his teeth into the world of cookery with guest Trevor McDonald. (HD)

6.30 The Simpsons The family spends Christmas on a ranch. **7.00** Santa's Little Helper becomes the Duff Beer mascot. **7.30** Homer has his driving licence revoked. (S) (HD)

8.00 A League of Their Own With Ian Poulter, Olivia Wayne and Josh Widdicombe. (AD) (HD)

9.00 Air Force One ★★ ★★ Action thriller starring Harrison Ford. US President James Marshall is returning home from Russia on the presidential plane when it is hijacked. (W) (HD)

11.25 A League of Their Own: US Road Trip 2.0 The gang embarks on another American adventure. (S) (AD) (HD)

12.25am A League of Their Own (S) (AD) (HD) **1.25** Duck Quacks Don't Echo (S) (HD) **2.25** A League of Their Own (S) (HD) **3.00** NCIS: Los Angeles (S) (HD) **4.00-6.00am** Stargate Atlantis (S) (HD)

Sky 1 +1 Sky 130

Sky Arts

Sky 122 Virgin 122 **HD** Virgin 206

6.00am Prokofiev: Cantata for the 20th Anniversary of the October Revolution (HD) **6.45** Nureyev and Friends (S) (HD) **8.45** Tales of the Unexpected (S) (AD) **9.45** Johnny Cash: Song by Song (S) (AD) (HD) **12.45pm** Darkest Hour: Special (HD) **1.15** The Hollies: Look through Any Window (S) (AD) **3.45** Breaking a Monster (HD) **5.30** Bee Gees: In Our Own Time: Robin and Barry Gibb discuss the band's career (S)

6.45pm Bee Gees: Live in Melbourne 1989 The Gibb brothers perform hits including *Stayin' Alive*, *Jive Talkin'* and *Too Much Heaven* at the National Tennis Centre in Melbourne in November 1989. (HD)

9.00 Freddie Mercury: the Great Pretender A profile of the Queen frontman, exploring his time away from the band – including a collaboration with Michael Jackson. (HD)

10.45 Pink Floyd: the Story of Wish You Were Here Telling the story behind the making of Pink Floyd's landmark 1975 album *Wish You Were Here*, featuring interviews with Roger Waters, David Gilmour and Nick Mason. (S) (HD)

12 midnight The Who: Sensation – the Story of Tommy (S) (HD) **1.15am** Rock and Roll (S) (AD) (HD) **1.15** Deep Purple: from Here to Infinity (S) (HD) **2.45** Heimat (BW) (S) (HD) **5.00-6.00am** The Summer of Love (S) (HD)



Game of Thrones 9.00pm Bran makes some progress

Sky Atlantic

Sky 108

6.00am Remembering the Artist: Robert De Niro Sr (S) (HD) **7.00** Nothing Left Unsaid: Gloria Vanderbilt & Anderson (HD) **9.00** CSI: Crime Scene Investigation (S) (HD) **1.00pm** David Attenborough's Kingdom of Plants (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** Making of David Attenborough's Kingdom of Plants (S) (HD)

5.00pm Without a Trace 1/23 Series 1. The FBI Missing Persons Squad investigates when an executive disappears.

6.00 2/23. The team searches for a boy who has vanished en route to his birthday celebration. **7.00 3/23.** Jack and the squad are called in to find a woman who has been kidnapped by a car thief. **8.00 4/23.** The team searches for a missing aspiring model. (S) (HD)

9.00 Game of Thrones 5/10 Series 6. Tyrion seeks a new, strange ally and Arya is given a chance to prove herself. **10.05 6/10.** Jaime puts himself at odds with the Faith Militant as he faces off with the High Sparrow. **11.05 7/10.** The High Sparrow eyes another target. (S) (AD) (HD)

12.05am Heroin: Cape Cod USA (S) (HD) **1.30** Dexter (HD) **3.30** Banshee (S) (AD) (HD) **4.20-6.00am** Urban Secrets (S) (HD)

Sky Atlantic +1 Sky 217

Universal

Sky 113 Virgin 137 BT 320 **HD** Virgin 164 BT 385

6.00am Rescue Special Ops **7.00** Home Shopping **8.00** Major Crimes **1.00pm** NCIS

6.00pm NCIS 8/24 Series 3 Tony and Ziva assume the identities of two assassins, and keep a rendezvous at a hotel in a bid to identify their target.

7.00 10/24. McGee kills an undercover police officer while on duty, and Jenny's approval of an investigation places a strain on her relationship with Gibbs. **8.00 11/24.** A model is killed while filming a reality TV show at a US Marine base, and enquiries leave the team with three suspects.

9.00 Law & Order: Special Victims Unit 4/24 Series 11 Benson and Stabler are called on to investigate when a man contacts the police after discovering a dead woman in his bed.

10.00 5/24. Benson and Stabler face a dilemma when a child abuse suspect offers to reveal the identity of a civil rights group's leader in exchange for an amnesty.

11.00 Law & Order: Trial by Jury 1/13. Assistant district attorney Tracey Kibre is assigned the case of a Broadway actress's murder. **12 midnight 2/13.** A policeman is killed by a career criminal, but Kibre and Gaffney discover the accused was shot 41 times by police officers.

1.00am Law & Order: Special Victims Unit **2.00-6.00am** Numb3rs

Universal +1 Sky 150 Virgin 138



Criminal Minds 10.00pm The BAU tackles a double murder

Sky Living

Sky 107 Virgin 112 **HD** Virgin 111

6.00am 60-Minute Makeover (S) **7.00** Who'd Be a Billionaire (S) (HD) **9.00** Nothing to Declare (S) (HD) **12 noon** Elementary (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00pm** To Catch a Smuggler: JFK Airport: double bill (S) (HD)

6.00pm To Catch a Smuggler: JFK Airport Following the work of law-enforcement officers at the New York airport.

7.00 The officers investigate suspicious packages held in the airport's mailroom.

8.00 A man carrying 4kg of cocaine is detained. (S) (HD)

9.00 Britain's Most Evil Killers A detective whose career was just starting out in the 1980s discusses investigating Peter Sutcliffe, the notorious Yorkshire Ripper. (S) (HD)

10.00 Criminal Minds 1/24 Series 9. The bodies of two women are found in Arizona, both shot in the heart and made to look like they are praying. (S) (HD)

11.00 2/24. The agents hold a delusional man in custody for multiple murders. (S) (HD)

12 midnight Criminal Minds (S) (HD) **2.00am** Madam Secretary (S) (HD) **3.00** Stop, Search, Seize (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00-6.00am** Nothing to Declare: four editions (S) (AD)

Sky Living +1 Sky 129 Virgin 140

Sky 2

Sky 163 (NI 164) Virgin 121

6.00am Send in the Dogs (S) **11.00** The Flash (S) **4.00** Stargate SG1: four episodes. Replicators have made their way to Earth (S) **5.00** A civilisation needs help **6.00** The team try out Atoneikan armbands which enhance ability **7.00** A Jaffa priestess claims to have knowledge that could destroy the Goa'uld (S) **8.00** Duck Quacks Don't Echo: Catherine Tate, Richard Osman and Kate Humble join Lee Mack (S) **9.00** Delicious: a vengeful Gina sets out to give Sam a 40th birthday she will never forget (S) **10.00** The Good Doctor (S) **11.00** The Force: North East: five back-to-back editions (S) **4.00-6.00am** Monkey Life (S)

6.00am Say Yes to the Dress (HD) **8.00** Say Yes to the Dress: Atlanta (HD) **10.00** Say Yes to the Dress **1.00pm** Cake Boss (AD) (HD) **6.00** Cake Boss: six back-to-back editions (AD) (HD) **9.00** Gypsy Brides US: an engaged woman falls in love with her cousin (HD) **10.00** My Big Fat Fabulous Life: Countdown to the New Season: a preview of the fourth series of *Whitney: Fat Girl Dancing* (HD) **11.00** Whitney: Fat Girl Dancing: the dancer is torn between family and her career (HD) **12 midnight** Cake Boss (AD) (HD) **4.00am** Say Yes to the Dress: Atlanta (HD) **5.00-6.00am** Say Yes to the Dress

Syfy

Sky 114 Virgin 135 BT 319 **HD** Virgin 165 BT 375

6.00am FILM *Dracano* ★ Fantasy action adventure **8.00** Home Shopping **11.00** FILM 2012: Supernova ★ Disaster thriller **1.00pm** FILM 500 MPH Storm ★★ Disaster thriller **3.00** FILM Eruption: LA ★★ Disaster movie **5.00** FILM *Global Meltdown* ★★ Sci-fi action thriller **7.00** FILM *Impact Earth* ★★ Action drama **9.00** FILM *Hard Rain* ★★ Thriller **11.00** FILM *Daylight's End* ★★ Sci-fi horror **1.00am** FILM *Sinister Squad* ★★ 3.10 *Fact or Faked: Paranormal Files* **4.10-6.00am** FILM *Sleeping Beauty* ★★ Fantasy

Syfy +1 Sky 194 Virgin 136



Maid in Manhattan 9.00pm Christopher falls for Marisa

W

Sky 109 Virgin 125 BT 311 **HD** Virgin 191 BT 383

6.10am Wanted Down Under (HD) **7.00** Fantasy Homes by the Sea (S) (AD) **8.00** The Bill (S) **12 noon** EastEnders (HD) **2.00pm** EastEnders: the Greatest Cliffhangers

5.00pm Tipping Point: Lucky Stars With rapper Coolio, comic Jenny Eclair and *Emmerdale's* Matthew Wolfenden. (S) (HD) **6.00** With Simon Gregson, John Thomson and Ricky Tomlinson. Ben Shephard hosts. (S) (HD)

7.00 My Family Nick uses Ben's laptop to pursue an email romance with a famous model.

7.40 Michael is having problems with a classmate – and his father decides to get involved.

8.20 Brigitte arranges a blind date for Janey. (AD)

9.00 Maid in Manhattan ★★ Romantic comedy starring Jennifer Lopez and Ralph Fiennes. Senatorial candidate Christopher Marshall falls for Manhattan hotel maid Marisa Ventura after mistaking her for a socialite. (W) (HD)

11.10 Inside the Ambulance Loz and Dan are called out to 72-year-old Florence, who has agonising chest pain. (S) (HD) **12.15-3.00am** Wanted Down Under

W +1 Sky 213 Virgin 131

TLC

Sky 125 Virgin 167 BT 323 **HD** Virgin 168 BT 377

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TLC +1 Sky 154 Virgin 169

Lifetime

Sky 156 Virgin 208 BT 329 **HD** Virgin 209 BT 384

7.00am Judge Judy (HD) **11.00** Flipping Vegas (HD) **1.00pm** Man vs Child: Chef Showdown (HD) **4.00** Don't Tell the Bride (HD) **6.00pm** Don't Tell the Bride (HD) **8.00** Ozzy and Jack's World Detour: Jack seeks to discover if his British ancestors were among the early colonists (HD) **9.00** My Haunted House (HD) **10.00** The Haunting of... (HD) **11.00** My Ghost Story: Caught on Camera (HD) **12 midnight** My Haunted House (HD) **1.00am** The Haunting of... (HD) **2.00** My Ghost Story: Caught on Camera (HD) **3.00-4.00am** Don't Tell the Bride (HD) **Lifetime +1** Sky 197



Citizen Khan 8.00pm Shazia's wedding plans go awry

Gold

Sky 110 Virgin 124 BT 310

7.10am Yes, Prime Minister (S) **7.50** Goodnight Sweetheart (S) **9.50** The Two Ronnies (S) **11.20** The Brittas Empire (S) **12 noon** David Jason: My Life on Screen (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Open All Hours (S) **2.20** David Jason: My Life on Screen (S) (HD) **3.25** The Good Life (S) (AD) **4.05** Open All Hours (S) **5.25** We're Doomed! The Dad's Army Story (S) (HD)

6.40pm Porridge Godber revises for an O-level in history. (S) **7.20** Godber gets into a fight before a parole hearing. (S)

8.00 Citizen Khan Mr Khan forgets to book a wedding venue. **8.40** Mr Khan's mother-in-law comes to stay with the family. **9.20** Mrs Khan fancies a holiday but Mr Khan refuses to pay. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 Michael McIntyre's Comedy Roadshow Featuring Jason Manford, John Bishop, Sarah Millican and Mick Ferry. (S) (HD)

11.00 Green Wing Dr Caroline Todd accidentally blocks smooth-talking anaesthetist Guy Secretan's toilet. **12.05am** Guy does his utmost to fuel rumours about Caroline.

1.20 Men Behaving Badly (S) **2.30** Michael McIntyre's Comedy Roadshow (S) (HD) **3.20-4.00am** Yes, Prime Minister (S)

Gold +1 Sky 166 Virgin 190

Comedy Central

Sky 112 Virgin 132 BT 307 **HD** Virgin 181 BT 370

8.00am The Middle (S) (HD) **10.00** Friends (S) (AD) (HD) **12 noon** Impractical Jokers: double bill (S) (HD) **2.00pm** Friends: ten back-to-back episodes (S) (AD) (HD) **7.00** FILM *Drillbit Taylor* ★★ Comedy starring Owen Wilson and Leslie Mann (HD) **9.00** FILM *I Love You, Man* ★★ Comedy starring Paul Rudd and Jason Segel (HD) **11.00** FILM *Harold & Kumar Get the Munchies* ★★ Comedy from the director of *Dude, Where's My Car?*, starring John Cho (HD) **1.00am** Impractical Jokers: double bill (S) (HD) **2.00** South Park: five back-to-back episodes (S) (HD) **4.15-5.00am** Bob's Burgers (S) (HD)

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Sony Channel

Sky 157 Virgin 193 BT 331

7.00am Ghost Hunters **11.00** Hustle **12 noon** FILM *I Spy* ★★ Spy action comedy **2.00pm** FILM *The Mask of Zorro* ★★ Swashbuckling action adventure with Antonio Banderas **5.00** FILM *First Knight* ★★ Adventure with Sean Connery and Richard Gere **7.50pm** Movie News **8.00** Hustle **9.00** FILM *A Few Good Men* ★★ Courtroom drama starring Tom Cruise and Jack Nicholson **12 midnight** FILM *Once upon a Time in Mexico* ★★ **2.15am** Celebrity Ghost Stories **3.20** Ghosts in My Home **3.50-4.00am** Movie News

Sony TV +1 Sky 181

ALL PROGRAMMES ON THE ABOVE CHANNELS ARE REPEATS UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED

Key (S) Subtitles (SL) Signing (AD) Audio description (HD) High definition (W) Widescreen



Rebecca 12.40pm The de Winters are hiding secrets

ITV Encore

Sky 123

6.00am Peak Practice **6.55** Always and Everyone **8.35** The Blackheath Poisonings (S) **9.35** Lillie **10.30** Heartbeat (S) **12.40pm** Rebecca (S) **2.40** Agatha Christie's Poirot (S) (HD) **6.00pm** Agatha Christie's Poirot Taken at the Flood. A millionaire's wife is widowed for the second time, arousing the suspicions of his impoverished relatives. (S) (HD) **8.00** Vera 2/4 Series 3. Joined by a new addition to the ranks, Vera and the team investigate the murder of a respected surgeon and the abduction of his two teenage daughters. (S) (AD) (HD) DCI Vera Stanhope Brenda Blethyn DS Joe Ashworth David Leon Billy Cartwright Paul Ritter DC Kenny Lockhart Jon Morrison Laura Marsden Saskia Reeves **10.00** Broadchurch 1/8 Series 2 Joe Miller shocks everyone by pleading not guilty to the murder of Danny Latimer. (S) (AD) (HD) **11.00** 2/8. As the townspeople struggle to come to terms with recent events, Paul continues his secret meetings. (S) (AD) (HD) **12.00** midnight Jimmy Rose (S) (AD) (HD) **3.05** Agatha Christie's Poirot (S) (AD) **4.00** Peak Practice **5.50-6.00am** Nightscreen (HD)

ITV Encore +1 Sky 268

PBS America 94

Freeview 94 Freesat 155 Sky 534 Virgin 276 **8.00am** The Mosquito Reborn: Gaining Altitude **9.15** Ultimate Restorations **10.30** Rise of the Drones **11.35** Ultimate Restorations **3.10pm** The Mosquito Reborn: Gaining Altitude **4.20** Rise of the Drones **5.30** Ultimate Restorations **6.40pm** The Mosquito Reborn: Gaining Altitude An in-depth look at the de Havilland Mosquito, featuring archive footage and interviews with pilots, interspersed with the story of the restoration of one of the combat aircraft. **7.55** Ultimate Restorations Following the expert restoration of a Westland Lysander reconnaissance plane, an aircraft that played a major role for the Royal Canadian Air Force during the Second World War. **9.10** Bob McNeil traces the painstaking restoration of a 132ft racing schooner, which was built in 1885 to enable those aboard to cross the Atlantic in style. **10.20** Rise of the Drones Exploring the technology behind the unmanned aircraft, which has revolutionised modern warfare by making military strikes more cost effective and seemingly risk-free. **11.35-2.00am** Ultimate Restorations The rescue and restoration of important pieces of machinery, beginning with an 1891 steam locomotive that appeared in the film *High Noon* and the TV series *Rawhide*. **12.50am** As 9.10pm.



Murdoch Mysteries From 7.10am A whole day of cases

Alibi

Sky 132 Virgin 126 BT 312 HD Virgin 200 BT 382

7.10am Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD) **6.00pm** Murdoch Mysteries 12/18 Series 10. The detective investigates when a man claims he was kidnapped as a child and is the rightful heir to a fortune. **7.00 13/18**. A training exercise devised by Murdoch and Ogden takes a sinister turn when two bodies are found. **8.00 14/18**. Murdoch devises a mysterious tonic that he claims is the fountain of youth, but his pursuit of a commercial partnership alarms Crabtree. **9.00 15/18**. The victim of a bomb explosion turns out to be the ringleader in Detective Watts's missing persons case. **10.00 16/18**. The discovery of a young girl's decomposed body and a sketchbook of grotesque imagery leads Murdoch to a group of death-obsessed teens. **11.00 17/18**. A woman's murder is found to be connected to the new sport of roller skating. **12 midnight 18/18**. A burlesque dancer goes to Murdoch for help after overhearing a plot to kill a union leader. (S) (HD) **1.00am** Jack Taylor: The Guards (S) (HD) **2.40-4.00am** Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD)

Alibi +1 Sky 226 Virgin 130

Discovery History

Sky 535 Virgin 262 **6.00am** How We Got Here **8.00** Inventions That Shook the World **11.00** How We Got Here **1.00pm** Inventions That Shook the World **4.00** How We Got Here **6.00pm** Inventions That Shook the World A look at innovations of the 1900s, including the aeroplane and the radio set. **7.00** Unsolved History The mysteries surrounding Area 51 in the US state of Nevada, examining the theories linking it to extraterrestrial encounters. **8.00** Battle Castle with Dan Snow Exploring medieval fortifications and the sieges they resisted, beginning with an attack on Crac des Chevalliers in 1271. **9.00** America's Most Badass The reputations of hard-bitten heroes, starting with Benjamin Franklin, Al Capone, Abraham Lincoln and Ernest Hemingway. **10.00** Elite Forces The story of the Navy SEALs, the special operations forces of the US Navy, employed in direct action and reconnaissance operations. (AD) **11.00** The United States Marine Corps and the weapons that helped it become one of the world's most celebrated fighting units. (AD) **12 midnight** Battlefield (AD) **2.00am** Unsolved History **3.00** Battle Castle with Dan Snow **4.00** Gunslingers **5.00-6.00am** Off the Rails **Discovery History** +1 Sky 536 Virgin 263



American Dad! 9.00pm Roger receives a tempting offer

Fox

Sky 124 Virgin 157 HD Virgin 199

8.00am Cops (HD) **9.00** NCIS (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00pm** Bones (S) (HD) **6.00pm** Bones 4/23 Series 6 A skull and decomposing hands are found in a wheepee bin. (S) (HD) **7.00 5/23**. Booth and Brennan try to find the killer of a promising young dancer. (S) (HD) **8.00** American Dad! Series 2 Steve turns up at a baseball game wearing a Star Trek costume. **8.30** Stan reveals his real father is actually a super-suave spy. **9.00** Series 11. A new next-door neighbour promises to take Steve and his friends' virginity. **9.30** Roger pretends to be an adopted child. (S) (HD) **10.00** Family Guy Series 15 Quagmire becomes obsessed with dating apps. (S) (HD) **10.30** The Orville 4/12 Mercer tries to reprogram the brainwashed inhabitants of a long-dormant space craft. (S) (HD) **11.30** Family Guy Series 14 Peter's estranged sister arrives in Quahog for Thanksgiving. (S) (HD) **12 midnight** American Dad!: double bill (S) (HD) **1.00am** Family Guy (S) (HD) **2.00** American Dad! (S) (HD) **3.00** Family Guy (S) (HD) **4.00-5.00am** American Dad! (S) (HD)

Fox +1 Sky 165 Virgin 158

History

Sky 529 Virgin 270 BT 327 HD BT 379 **6.00am** Pawn Stars (HD) **7.10** Engineering Disasters (HD) **8.00** Deck Wars (HD) **9.00** Storage Wars (HD) **1.00pm** Pawn Stars: Pumped Up (HD) **2.00** Ice Road Truckers (HD) **3.00** Pawn Stars (HD) **3.30** Pawn Stars: Best of (HD) **4.00** Pawn Stars (HD) **5.00** Storage Wars (HD) **6.00pm** Ronnie O'Sullivan's American Hustle: the snooker player hustles his way through the pool scene (HD) **7.00** Robert Redford's the West (HD) **8.00** World War Two Treasure Hunters (HD) **9.00** 9/11: 102 Minutes That Changed America (HD) **11.30** Forged in Fire (HD) **12.30am** Homicide Hunter (HD) **4.30-6.00am** Pawn Stars (HD)

History +1 Sky 530 Virgin 271

Animal Planet

Sky 523 Virgin 256 BT 325 HD Virgin 257 BT 378 **6.00am** Tanked (HD) **7.00** Treehouse Masters (HD) **8.00** Insane Pools: off the Deep End (HD) **9.00** Animal Cops Phoenix (AD) (HD) **2.00pm** Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet (HD) **5.00** Homestead Rescue (HD) **9.00pm** New series. Monsters inside Me: a girl falls mysteriously ill (HD) **10.00** New series. Finding Bigfoot: Further Evidence: the team heads to the UK (HD) **12 midnight** Finding Bigfoot: Untold Stories (HD) **1.00am** Lone Star Law (HD) **2.00** Alaska Monsters (HD) **3.00** Monsters inside Me (HD) **3.50** The Vet Life (HD) **4.40** The Pool Master (HD) **5.30-6.00am** Meet the Orangutans (HD) **Animal Planet** +1 Sky 549 Virgin 258



Wheeler Dealers 8.00pm The duo work on a Ford Escort

Discovery

Sky 520 Virgin 250 BT 322 HD Virgin 251 BT 376

6.00am British Treasure, American Gold (HD) **7.00** Chasing Classic Cars (HD) **9.00** Fast 'n' Loud (HD) **11.00** Wheeler Dealers (HD) **1.00pm** MythBusters (HD) **2.00** Edge of Alaska (AD) (HD) **6.00pm** MythBusters Jonathan Lung and Brian Louden debunk some ballistic-themed myths. (HD) **7.00** Gold Rush Parker's family comes up with a gift that might help him reach his target haul. (HD) **8.00** Wheeler Dealers The car restoration show returns as Mike Brewer and a new mechanic work on a 1995 Ford Escort. (HD) **9.00** Whitey Bulger: the Making of a Monster The crimes of James "Whitey" Bulger, the criminal mastermind who ruled a vast underworld empire. (HD) **10.00** Faking It: Tears of a Crime Recalling the 2002 murders of Cambridgeshire ten-year-olds Holly Wells and Jessica Chapman. (HD) **11.00** DC Snipers: Crimes of the Century How a pair of snipers were able to terrorise Washington DC in 2002. (HD) **12 midnight** Wheeler Dealers (AD) (HD) **4.40am** Gold Rush (HD) **5.30-6.00am** How It's Made (HD)

Discovery +1 Sky 521 Virgin 252

Nat Geographic

Sky 526 Virgin 266 BT 317 HD Virgin 268 BT 373 **8.00am** Big, Bigger, Biggest (HD) **1.00pm** Icebreakers - Arctic Giants (HD) **2.00** Building the London Underground (HD) **3.00** History's Toughest Prisons (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** Top Ten Biggest Beasts Ever (HD) **5.00** Two Million Year Old Boy (HD) **6.00pm** The World's Oldest Child (HD) **7.00** New. Maritime Silk Road Reborn: how Chinese ships sailed to Africa in 1416 (HD) **8.00** Wild South Africa (HD) **9.00** Mission Saturn (HD) **10.00** A Year in Space (HD) **11.00** Icebreakers - Arctic Giants (HD) **12 midnight** Building the London Underground (HD) **1.00am** History's Toughest Prisons (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00-5.00am** Big, Bigger, Biggest (HD)

Nat Geo +1 Sky 527 Virgin 267

Eden

Sky 532 Virgin 247 BT 315 HD Virgin 249 BT 389 **9.00am** Hurricane Hunters: eight editions. See 5-9pm for details **1.00pm** Hurricane Hunters: eight editions. See 5-9pm for details **5.00** Hurricane Hunters: eight editions. A crew tries to find the centre of Hurricane Irene **6.00** Tracking Hurricane Irene **6.00** Tropical Storm Lee **6.30** Hurricane Nate **7.00** The busiest point in the storm season **7.30** The pilots track Hurricane Jova **8.00** The crew flies into a deadly storm **8.30** Investigating Hurricane Isaac in 2012 **9.00** Hurricane Hunters: 17 editions **5.05am** Dog's Best Friend (S) (HD) **5.30-6.00am** Hurricane Hunters (S) (HD) **Eden** +1 Sky 533 Virgin 248

CHILDREN'S

Milkshake! on C5

Full listings for Channel 5 are on p50

6.00am Little Princess **6.10** Wanda and the Alien **6.20** Poppy Cat **6.35** Wissper **6.40** Simon **6.45** Peppa Pig **6.55** Paw Patrol **7.05** Thomas & Friends **7.15** Fireman Sam **7.40** Olly the Little White Van **7.45** Blaze and the Monster Machines **8.00** Paw Patrol **8.20** New. Nella the Princess Knight: Clod paints pictures of Trinket **8.35** Noddy: Toyland Detective **8.50** Ben and Holly **9.05** Shimmer and Shine **9.25-9.35am** Digby Dragon

CBeebies 202

Freeview 202 Freesat 608 Sky 614 Virgin 702 **6.00am** Teletubbies **6.15** Big Barn Farm **6.30** Wussywat the Clumsy Cat **6.35** Dinopaws **6.45** The Furchester Hotel **7.00** Postman Pat: SDS **7.15** Bing **7.25** Ollobob Top **7.30** Kazoops **7.40** Messy Goes to Okido **7.50** Octonauts **8.00** Go Jetters **8.25** Peter Rabbit **8.40** Hey Duggee **8.45** Andy's Secret Hideout **8.50** Biggleton **9.00** Something Special **9.20** Sarah & Duck **9.30** New. The Let's Go Club **9.45** Little Roy **10.00** Our Family Fun **10.05** Down on the Farm **10.20** Swashbuckle **10.45** Mr Bloom **11.00** Andy's Prehistoric Adventures **11.15** Do You Know? **11.30** Footy Pups **11.45** Tree Fu Tom **12.05pm** I Can Cook on the Go **12.20** My First 12.35 Topsy and Tim **1.00** Get Well Soon **1.15** Rastamouse **1.40** Mister Maker's Arty Party **2.00** Something Special **2.20** Down on the Farm **2.35** Biggleton **2.50** Swashbuckle **3.15** Tree Fu Tom **3.40** Hey Duggee **3.45** Go Jetters **4.00** Do You Know? **4.15** The Let's Go Club **4.30** Apple Tree House **4.45** Andy's Prehistoric Adventures **5.00** New. Our Family Fun **5.05** RT CHOICE New series. Treasure Champs See p47 **5.20** Jamillah and Aladdin **5.35** Sarah & Duck **5.40** Old Jack's Boat: Rockpool Tales **5.55** Diddap **6.00** Charlie and Lola **6.10** 64 Zoo Lane **6.20** In the Night Garden... **6.50-7.00pm** CBeebies Bedtime Stories: read by Guy Garvey

CBBC 201

Freeview 201 Freesat 607 Sky 613 Virgin 701 **7.00am** Arthur **7.10** Shaun the Sheep **7.20** The Zoo **7.30** Class Dismissed **7.45** New. MOTD Kickabout **8.05** New. The Playlist **8.25** Newsround **8.30** New. The Designers: two Scottish brothers want a den that looks like a castle **9.00** New series. All Over the Place: Asia: featuring a Korean rocket festival and solar-powered supertrees in Singapore **9.30** Hacker Time: with guest Ben Shires **10.00** The Dog Ate My Homework **10.30** Raven Returns **11.00** The Playlist **11.20** Horrible Histories **11.50** Strange Hill High **12.15pm** Newsround **12.20** Millie Inbetween: double bill **1.15** Newsround **1.20** The Next Step **4.00** The Designers **4.25** Operation Ouch! **4.55** Rank the Prank **5.20** Ali-A's Superchargers **5.40** Taking the Next Step **6.10pm** Newsround Special: Anxiety **6.25** Lifebabble **6.30** Ice Stars **7.00** Officially Amazing Goes Bunkers **7.30** Absolute Genius: Monster Builds **8.00-9.00pm** Sam & Mark's Big Friday Wind Up: boy band Yes Lad play live

CITV 203

Freeview 203 Freesat 602 Sky 621 Virgin 734 Programmes 6.00pm-9.00 not Freeview **6.00am** Sooty **6.10** Bottom Knocker Street **6.35** Dino Dana **6.50** Super 4 **7.00** Signed Stories **7.05** Marvel Ultimate Spider-Man vs The Sinister Six **7.30** New. Scrambled! **9.25** Mr Bean **10.10** Fangbone **10.40** Pokémon: Sun and Moon **11.05** Thunderbirds Are Go **11.35** Wishfart **12.05pm** Scrambled! Sketch Show **12.35** The Avengers **1.00** Make It Pop **1.30** Bear Grylls Survival School **2.00** Scooby-Do! Mystery Incorporated **2.55** The Bagel and Becky Show **3.25** The Powerpuff Girls **3.55** Fangbone **4.25** Horrid Henry **5.25** A Grizzly New Year's Tale: the Crystal Eye **5.55** Signed Stories **6.00** Pokémon: Sun and Moon **6.25** Thunderbirds Are Go **6.50** Mr Bean **7.35** Ben 10 **8.05** Scrambled! Sketch Show **8.30-9.00pm** The Avengers

Saturday Television

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Television Saturday

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Bogarde cries freedom

The Servant ★★★★★

10.15pm **Talking Pictures TV** **FREEVIEW**

Victim (1961) and *The Servant* (1963) alienated many of Dirk Bogarde's fans, who had been drawn to his good looks and offhand charm through the *Doctor* comedies. Bogarde's move towards more complex drama was not a snap decision, but a declaration of freedom after working through a 14-year contract with Rank. Bogarde claimed that a director could catch thought on camera; it seems that, from this point on, he was revealing his to the movie-going public. **TOM FOLLEY**



New today on Netflix

Concussion ★★★★★ *Netflix*

The story of Dr Bennet Omalu is a strange subject for a movie. In 2002, the Nigerian pathologist carried out an autopsy on American footballer Mike Webster that revealed previously undiscovered levels of brain trauma in a sportsperson competing in the most popular game in the US. Will Smith gives it his best shot in one of his more grounded performances, portraying Omalu as a decent, religious man driven by duty and respect for the dead. **DAMON WISE**

Sky plays it both ways

The light and dark sides are pitted against each other on Sky Cinema over the next month, as Sky Greats becomes Sky Villains and Sky Action becomes Sky Heroes. Antonio Banderas helps kick things off with a flourish in *The Mask of Zorro* (pictured) on Heroes, while Robert De Niro's fearsome Max Cady chills the blood in *Cape Fear* over on Villains. **TF**



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FREEVIEW

Film 4

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F'view 15 F'sat 300 Sky 315 Virgin 428 **HD** Virgin 429

11.00am Diary of a Wimpy Kid 3: Dog Days ★★ Hit-and-miss entry in the pre-teen comedy franchise. Zachary Gordon, Steve Zahn (2012, U) (S)

1.00pm The Indian in the Cupboard ★★★★★ Funny, inspiring and winning fantasy adventure. Hal Scardino (1995, PG) (S)

2.50 Rio ★★★★★ Colourful, hugely enjoyable animated comedy adventure. Jesse Eisenberg, Anne Hathaway (2011, U) (S) (AD)

4.40pm Tooth Fairy ★★★★★ Energetic and fun comedy. Dwayne Johnson, Ashley Judd (2009, PG)

6.45 GI Joe: Retaliation ★★ Adventure sequel that brims with mindless action. Dwayne Johnson, Bruce Willis, Adrienne Palicki (2013, 12) (S)

9.00 Now You See Me ★★ Intricately plotted and novel crime caper. Jesse Eisenberg, Mark Ruffalo, Woody Harrelson (2013, 12) (S) (AD)

11.15 Insidious: Chapter 3 ★★ Effective horror delving into the origins of medium Elise Rainer, played with ghoulish gusto by Lin Shaye. **Review, p35; Choice, p114.** Dermot Mulroney, Stefanie Scott, Lin Shaye (2015, 15) (S)
1.10-3.35am Mr Nice ★★ Darkly comic biographical drama. Rhys Ifans, Chloë Sevigny (2010, 18) (S)

Film 4 +1 F'view 45 (HD only) F'sat 301 Sky 316 Virgin 430

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Freeview 32 Sky 323 Virgin 425

9.00am Stop! or My Mom Will Shoot ★ Comedy. Sylvester Stallone (1992, PG) **10.40 The Face of Love** ★★ Drama. Annette Bening (2013, 12)

12.30pm Meet Joe Black ★★ Romantic fantasy. Brad Pitt (1998, 12) **4.15 Just Like Heaven** ★★ Romantic comedy. Reese Witherspoon (2005, PG)

6.20pm Burlesque ★★ Cheesy but fun musical drama. Cher, Christina Aguilera (2010, 12)

9.00 Miami Vice ★★ Gritty and seriously violent crime thriller. Colin Farrell, Jamie Foxx (2006, 15)

11.40 Kiss the Girls ★★ Atmospheric thriller. Morgan Freeman, Ashley Judd, Cary Elwes (1997, 18)

2.05am Knock Off ★★ Thriller. Jean-Claude Van Damme (1998, 18) **4.10-6.00am A Deadly Obsession** ★★ Crime drama. Katee Sackhoff (2011)

Sony Movie Channel +1 Sky 324

Movies4Men

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Freeview 48 Freesat 304 Sky 325 Virgin 426

6.00am Behold a Pale Horse ★★ Drama. Gregory Peck (1964) **8.35 Salt in the Wound** ★★ Drama. Klaus Kinsky (1969) **10.10**

Murphy's War ★★ Adventure. Peter O'Toole (1971, 12) **12.15pm Tank Commandos** ★★ War drama. Robert Barron (1959) **1.55 Counterfeit Commandos** ★★ Second World War adventure. Bo Svenson (1978, 15) **3.40 The Enemy General** ★★ Second World War drama.

Van Johnson (1960, U) **5.20 Only the Brave** ★★ Second World War drama. Jason Scott Lee (2006, 15)

7.15pm Churchill's Leopards ★★ Second World War adventure. Richard Harrison (1970)

9.00 Sniper: Special Ops ★★ Steven Seagal to the rescue. Tim Abell (2016)

10.45 Killing Salazar ★★ Action thriller starring Steven Seagal and Luke Goss. (2016, 15)

12.50am Fifty/Fifty ★★ Action adventure. Peter Weller, Robert Hays (1991, 15) **2.55-4.00am** The West's Fighting Ships **Movies4Men +1** Freesat 305 Sky 326

Talking Pictures TV

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Freeview 81 Freesat 306 Sky 343 Virgin 445

6.00am Target Earth ★★ Sci-fi. Richard Denning (1954) **7.40 The Long Duel** ★★ Adventure. Yul Brynner (1967, PG) **10.10 Whirlpool** ★★ Drama. OW Fischer (1959) **12 noon The Southerner** ★★★★★ Drama. Zachary Scott (1945, U) **1.50pm**

June Allyson **2.20 Tornado** ★★ Drama. Chester Morris (1943) **4.00 The Weaker Sex** ★★ Second World War drama. Ursula Jeans (1948, U)

6.00pm The Lion Has Wings ★★ Eve-of-war drama. Merle Oberon, Ralph Richardson (1939, U)

8.00 No Love for Johnnie ★★★★★ Compelling political drama. Peter Finch, (1960, 12)

10.15 The Servant ★★★★★ Biting class drama. **Choice, left.** Dirk Bogarde, Sarah Miles (1963, 15)

12.30am Penny Gold ★★ Thriller. Francesca Annis, James Booth (1973, 12) **2.15 Miracle in Ohio** ★★ Drama. John Gregson, Belinda Lee (1957, PG) **4.15** All In Good Fun **5.00-6.00am** Burke's Law

Premiere

Sky 301 Virgin 431 BT 501 **HD** Virgin 401
6.00am The Ottoman Lieutenant ★★ Romantic war drama. Michiel Huisman, Hera Hilmar, Josh Hartnett (2017, 12)
8.00 As 4.25pm **9.45 Olaf's Frozen Adventure** **10.15** As 6.10pm
12.05pm As 8pm **2.25** As 10.20pm
4.25 The Boss Baby ★★ Animated comedy. Alec Baldwin (2017, U)

6.10pm The Book of Henry ★★ A boy genius plans to expose a dark secret in this thriller. Naomi Watts, Jaeden Lieberher, Jacob Tremblay (2016)
8.00 Logan ★★★★★ An ageing Wolverine makes his last stand in this brutal but moving *X-Men* spin-off. Hugh Jackman, Patrick Stewart (2017, 15)
10.20 Kong: Skull Island ★★★★★ Cracking action adventure featuring Hollywood's most iconic primate. Tom Hiddleston (2017, 12)

12.25am Table 19 ★★ Comedy drama. Anna Kendrick (2017, 12) **2.00 The Zookeeper's Wife** ★★ Drama. (2017, 12) **4.10 Wolves at the Door** ★★ Horror. (2016, 15) **5.30** As 9.45am

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Villains

Sky 304 Virgin 434 BT 508 **HD** Virgin 404

6.45am Fantastic Beasts Special **7.15** As 5.45pm **9.30** As 8pm

11.45 The Final Conflict: Omen III ★★ Horror. Sam Neill (1980, 18)
1.45pm GI Joe: the Rise of Cobra ★★★★★ Adventure. Channing Tatum (2009, 12)
3.55 Rocky III ★★ Boxing drama. Sylvester Stallone, Carl Weathers, Mr T (1982, PG)

5.45pm Batman Returns ★★★★★ The Caped Crusader takes on Catwoman and the Penguin in this stylish action fantasy. Michael Keaton, Danny DeVito, Michelle Pfeiffer (1992, 15)

8.00 Suicide Squad ★★ Comic-book supervillains team up for action. Will Smith, Margot Robbie (2016, 15)

10.15 Cape Fear ★★★★★ Martin Scorsese's dazzling and violent remake of the classic 1962 thriller. Robert De Niro, Nick Nolte, Jessica Lange (1991, 18)

12.30am RoboCop ★★★★★ Satirical sci-fi thriller. Peter Weller, Nancy Allen (1987, 18) **2.30 Hannibal** ★★ Horror thriller. Anthony Hopkins, Julianne Moore (2001, 18) **4.45** As 3.55pm

Comedy

Sky 308 Virgin 438 BT 506 **HD** Virgin 408

6.00am Get a Job ★★ Comedy. (2016, 15) **7.30 Dumb and Dumber** ★★★★★ Comedy. (1994, 12) **9.25 Did You Hear about the Morgans?** ★★ Comedy drama. (2009, PG) **11.15** As 9.45pm **1.00pm Mean Girls** ★★ Comedy. (2004, 12) **2.45** As 8pm **4.30 Zoolander** ★★★★★ Comedy. (2001, 12)

6.10pm Zoolander 2 ★★ Ben Stiller makes a belated return as the fashion-icon dunce. (2016, 12)

8.00 The Boss ★★ Loud Melissa McCarthy comedy. Kristen Bell, Kathy Bates, Tyler Labine (2016, 15)

9.45 48 HRS ★★★★★ Tough, exhilarating action thriller. Nick Nolte, Eddie Murphy, Annette O'Toole, Frank McRae (1982, 15)

11.30 Another 48 HRS ★★ Sequel to the hit buddy-buddy thriller. Eddie Murphy, Nick Nolte (1990, 18)

1.15am Coming to America ★★ Romantic comedy. Eddie Murphy, Arsenio Hall (1988, 15) **3.15 Laid in America** ★★ Comedy. KSI (2016, 15) **4.50 The Grass Is Greener** ★★ Romantic comedy. Cary Grant, Deborah Kerr (1960, PG)

Hits

Sky 303 Virgin 433 BT 504 **HD** Virgin 403

6.30am Snoopy and Charlie Brown: the Peanuts Movie ★★★★★ Animated comedy. Noah Schnapp (2015, U)
8.15 As 5pm **10.15** The Top Ten Show **10.30** As 7pm **12.30pm** As 9pm **3.00 Life** As 11.20pm
5.00 Monster Trucks ★★ Sci-fi action adventure. Lucas Till (2016, PG)

7.00pm Ride Along 2 ★★ Comedy sequel. Ice Cube, Kevin Hart (2016, 12)
9.00 Guardians of the Galaxy Vol 2 ★★★★★ Chris Pratt's team saves the day again in this funny and imaginative sci-fi adventure sequel. Zoe Saldana, Dave Bautista (2017, 12)
11.20 Life ★★ Jake Gyllenhaal heads the cast of this haunting sci-fi thriller that makes more than a few nods to *Alien*. Rebecca Ferguson, Ryan Reynolds, Hiroyuki Sanada (2017, 15)

1.15am Money Monster ★★ Thriller directed by Jodie Foster. **Jodie Foster interview, p16.** George Clooney, Julia Roberts (2016, 15) **3.05 The Finest Hours** ★★ Action thriller. Chris Pine (2015, 12) **5.05** As 6.30am

Heroes

Sky 307 Virgin 437 BT 502 **HD** Virgin 407

6.35am Last Action Hero ★★★★★ Comedy action adventure. Arnold Schwarzenegger, F Murray Abraham, Austin O'Brien (1993, 15) **8.50** As 5.40pm
11.10 As 10.15pm **1.00pm** As 8pm
3.25 Conan the Barbarian ★★ Entertaining sword-and-sorcery epic. Arnold Schwarzenegger (1982, 15)

5.40pm The Mask of Zorro ★★★★★ Splendid swashbuckling adventure. **Choice, left.** Antonio Banderas, Anthony Hopkins, Stuart Wilson (1998, PG)

8.00 Fantastic Beasts and Where to Find Them ★★★★★ Fun, ferocious and fabulous adventure. Eddie Redmayne, Katherine Waterston, Colin Farrell, Dan Fogler (2016, 12)

10.15 The Legend of Tarzan ★★ Revival of Edgar Rice Burroughs's tale. Alexander Skarsgård, Samuel L. Jackson (2016, 12)

12.10am 300 ★★★★★ Historical adventure. Gerard Butler, Lena Headey, David Wenham (2006, 15) **2.10** As 3.25pm
4.20 Dick Tracy ★★★★★ Detective adventure. Warren Beatty, Madonna (1990, PG)

Thriller

Sky 309 Virgin 439 BT 509 **HD** Virgin 409

6.25am Anti-Social ★★ Drama. (2015, 15) **8.35 Ocean's Eleven** ★★★★★ Crime caper. (2001, 12) **10.45 Ocean's Twelve** ★★ Crime caper. George Clooney (2004, 12) **12.55pm Ocean's Thirteen** ★★ Comedy. George Clooney (2007, PG) **3.10 Along Came a Spider** ★★ Thriller. Morgan Freeman (2001, 15)

5.05pm Panic Room ★★ Tense thriller. **Jodie Foster interview, p16.** Jodie Foster (2002, 15)

7.00 Mean Machine ★★ Energetic sports comedy. Winnie Jones, David Hemmings, Danny Dyer (2001, 15)

9.00 Blood Diamond ★★ Thought-provoking action thriller. Leonardo DiCaprio, Djimon Hounsou, Jennifer Connelly, Michael Sheen, Arnold Vosloo (2006, 15)

11.25 K-Shop ★★ Grisly tale. Ziad Abaza, Scot Williams, Darren Morfitt (2015, 18)

1.30am Detour ★★ Thriller. Tye Sheridan, Emory Cohen, Bel Powley (2015, 15)

3.10 Face/Off ★★★★★ Thriller. John Travolta, Nicolas Cage (1997, 18) **5.30 Sam Churchill: Search for a Homeless Man** ★★ Mystery. John Schneider (1998)

Disney

Sky 305 Virgin 435 BT 503 **HD** Virgin 405
6.05am As 12.40pm **7.35** As
 6.10pm **9.25** As 4.25pm **11.10**
 As 8pm **12.40pm** **The Little Mermaid** **★★★★** Musical. Jodi Benson (1989, U) **2.10 Beauty and the Beast** **★★★★** Fantasy. Emma Watson (2017, PG) **4.25 Tangled** **★★★★** Comedy adventure. Mandy Moore, Zachary Levi (2010, PG)

6.10pm Moana **★★★★★**

Captivating animated musical adventure. Auli'i Cravalho, Dwayne Johnson, Temuera Morrison, Rachel House (2016, PG)

8.00 Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs **★★★★★**

Timeless animated classic. Adriana Caselotti (1937, U)

9.30 Muppet Treasure Island **★★★★**

Rollicking musical version of the pirate saga. Tim Curry (1996, U)

11.15 Tex **★★★★**

Terrific coming-of-age yarn. Matt Dillon, Jim Metzler (1982, PG)

1.10am The Love Bug **★★★★** Comedy. Dean Jones (1969, U) **3.10 Kronk's New Groove** **★★** Comedy. Patrick Warburton (2005, U) **4.35 Tinkerbell and the Secret of the Wings** **★★★** Fantasy adventure. Mae Whitman (2012, U)

Drama

Sky 310 Virgin 440 BT 511 **HD** Virgin 410
6.00am Awkward Sex People **★★** Comedy. (2015, 15) **7.50 Our Brand Is Crisis** **★★★★** Comedy drama. Sandra Bullock (2015, 15) **9.45 The Way We Were** **★★★★** Drama. Barbra Streisand (1973, PG) **11.50 How to Lose a Guy in 10 Days** **★★** Comedy. Kate Hudson (2003, 12) **1.50pm** As 8pm

3.50pm Cruel Intentions **★★★**

Slick teen makeover of *Dangerous Liaisons*. Sarah Michelle Gellar (1999, 15)

5.35 Apollo 13 **★★★★**

Riveting space drama based on a true story. Tom Hanks, Bill Paxton, Kevin Bacon (1995, PG)

8.00 Mum's List **★★★**

Poignant drama. Rafe Spall, Emilia Fox (2016, 12)

10.00 Fifty Shades Darker **★★★**

Raunchy, edgy sequel to *Fifty Shades of Grey*. Dakota Johnson, Jamie Dornan, Kim Basinger, Luke Grimes (2017, 18)

12.05am Racing Hearts **★★★** Drama. (2014, 12) **1.50 Drown** **★★** Drama. (2015, 18) **3.30** The Top Ten Show **3.50 How to Marry a Millionaire** **★★★★** Comedy. (1953, U) **5.30** The Greatest Showman Special

Select

Sky 312 Virgin 442 BT 510 **HD** Virgin 412
6.15am Up for Love **★★★** Comedy. Jean Dujardin (2016, 12) **8.00 Game On** **★★★★** Musical comedy. Eliza Ryzemba (2016, 12A) **9.35 The Young Messiah** **★★** Drama. Adam Greaves-Neal (2016) **11.30 Spartacus** **★★★★** Historical epic. Kirk Douglas (1960, PG) **2.45pm Gattaca** **★★★★** Sci-fi thriller. Ethan Hawke (1997, 15)

4.40pm Dirty Harry **★★★★★**

Outstanding crime thriller. Clint Eastwood, Harry Guardino, Reni Santoni (1971, 18)

6.30 Fences **★★★★**

Powerful drama. Denzel Washington, Viola Davis (2016, 12)

9.00 Snatch **★★★★**

Cheeky follow-up to *Lock, Stock and Two Smoking Barrels*. Brad Pitt, Jason Statham (2000, 18)

10.50 The French Connection **★★★★★**

Superb, multi-Oscar-winning crime drama. Gene Hackman, Fernando Rey, Roy Scheider, Tony Lo Bianco (1971, 18)

12.40am French Connection II **★★★★** Cracking thriller. Gene Hackman, Fernando Rey (1975, 18) **2.50 The Usual Suspects** **★★★★** Crime thriller. Gabriel Byrne, Kevin Spacey (1995, 18) **4.45 The Fencer** **★★★** Drama. Mart Avandi (2015, PG)

Family

Sky 306 Virgin 436 BT 505 **HD** Virgin 406
6.00am The Good Dinosaur Special **6.30** As 3pm **8.00 Curious George** **★★★★** (2006, U) **9.35** As 4.25pm **11.15** As 6.05pm **1.10pm** As 8pm **3.00 Rabbit School: Guardians of the Golden Egg** **★★** Adventure. (2017, PG) **4.25 Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs** **★★★★** Comedy. (2009, U)

6.05pm Sing **★★★★**

Surprisingly heartfelt animated comedy. Matthew McConaughey, Reese Witherspoon (2016, U)

8.00 Pete's Dragon **★★★★**

Thrilling update of Disney's 1977 fantasy. Bryce Dallas Howard (2016, PG)

9.45 The Water Horse **★★★★**

Charming fantasy adventure. Emily Watson, Alex Etel, Ben Chaplin, David Morrissey (2007, PG)

11.45 Hook **★★★★**

Entertaining fantasy adventure. Dustin Hoffman, Robin Williams, Julia Roberts, Bob Hoskins (1991, U)

2.10am Underdog **★★** Comedy adventure. Jason Lee, Peter Dinklage, James Belushi (2007, U) **3.35** As 9.45pm **5.30** Fantastic Beasts Special

Sci-Fi/Horror

Sky 311 Virgin 441 BT 507 **HD** Virgin 411
6.00am As 5pm **8.00** As 7pm **10.00 The Sixth Sense** **★★★★** Drama. (1999, 15) **12 noon** Fantastic Beasts Special **12.30pm** As 9pm **3.00 Ouija: Origin of Evil** **★★★** Horror. (2016, 15) **4.45 Ghostbusters: Answer the Call** **5.00 Ghost Busters** **★★★★** Comedy. Bill Murray (1984, PG)

7.00pm Ghostbusters **★★**

Gender-reversed reboot of the 1984 comedy classic. Melissa McCarthy, Kristen Wiig, Kate McKinnon, Leslie Jones (2016, 12)

9.00 Rogue One **★★★★**

Thrilling and action-packed *Star Wars* prequel. Felicity Jones, Diego Luna, Ben Mendelsohn, Donnie Yen, Mads Mikkelsen (2016, 12)

11.20 The Thing **★★★★**

Scientists uncover a frozen alien organism in Antarctica in this terrific sci-fi thriller. Kurt Russell (1982, 18)

1.15am Ouija: Origin of Evil As 3pm **3.00 The Sixth Sense** As 10am **5.00** 2018 Preview Show

TCM

Sky 317 Virgin 415 BT 512 **HD** Virgin 416
6.00am Hollywood's Best Film Directors **7.00** Rawhide **9.10 The Private Life of Sherlock Holmes** **★★★★** (1970, PG) **11.40 Murder She Said** **★★** (1961, PG) **1.25pm The Ride Back** **★★** (1957, U) **3.00** As 5.25pm **4.15 Sherlock Holmes and the Spider Woman** **★★★★** Mystery. (1944, U)

5.25pm Sherlock Holmes and the Voice of Terror **★★**

Mystery. Basil Rathbone, Nigel Bruce (1942, U)

6.35 Terror by Night **★★★**

Neat thriller. Basil Rathbone (1946, U)

7.45 Pursuit to Algiers **★★**

Mystery. Basil Rathbone, Nigel Bruce (1945, U)

9.00 Sherlock Holmes **★★★★**

Mystery thriller. Robert Downey Jr (2009, 12)

11.40 Eraser **★★**

Action thriller. Arnold Schwarzenegger, James Caan (1996, 15)

1.55am Conspiracy Theory with Jesse Ventura **3.00** Hollywood's Best Film Directors

TCM +1 Sky 318 Virgin 417

SPORT Choices



FA Cup Football 5.00pm
BT Sport 2 Norwich's James Maddison hopes for an upset

Sky Main Event

Sky 401 Virgin 511 BT 402 **HD** Virgin 501 BT 437
6.00am Sky Sports News **7.00** Good Morning Sports Fans **8.30 LIVE Test Cricket** South Africa v India, day two in the first of three Tests, at Newlands, Cape Town. **3.00pm LIVE Rugby Union** Ospreys v Cardiff Blues (kick-off 3.15), Pro14 action from the Liberty Stadium in Swansea. **5.30** More live Pro14, coverage of Leinster v Ulster (kick-off 5.35), from the RDS Arena. **7.45** My Icon: Keegan Hirst **8.00** Sky Sports Tonight **9.00 LIVE NFL** Coverage of the opening wildcard play-off game; **1.00am** Live NFL continues with the second wildcard play-off, as the teams involved battle it out for a place in the Divisional round. **5.00-6.00am** Sky Sports News

Sky Football

Sky 403 Virgin 513 **HD** Virgin 503
6.00am Football's Greatest Players (AD) **6.30** Football League Matters **7.00** Spanish Football **9.05** La Liga Greatest Games **9.15** Football League Greatest Games **9.30** Football Years **10.00** Soccer AM **11.30** La Liga Icons **11.45** La Liga Greatest Games **11.55 LIVE Spanish Football** A match from La Liga. **2.00pm** Soccer Saturday **5.15 LIVE Spanish Football** Top-flight action from La Liga. **7.20** La Liga Icons **7.40 LIVE Spanish Football** Tonight's big game from La Liga. **9.45** Magical Messi **10.45** La Liga Greatest Games **11.00** La Liga Icons **12 midnight** Football's Greatest Players (AD) **1.00am** One2Eleven **1.30** SPFL Greatest Games **2.00** Football's Greatest Players (AD) **3.00** Football Years **3.30** Football Countdowns **4.00** Football League Greatest Games **4.30** SPFL Greatest Games **5.00** Football's Greatest Players (AD) **5.30-6.00am** Football's Greatest Teams (AD)

Sky Golf

Sky 405 Virgin 515 **HD** Virgin 505
6.00am PGA Tour Classic: the 2005 Hawaii Open **7.00** US Tour Golf **4.00pm** Junior Golf **4.30** Rory McIlroy: a Decade on Tour **5.00** Best of Open Zone 2016 **6.00** US Tour Golf **8.00 LIVE US Tour Golf** Round three of the Tournament of Champions, exclusively for winners of the previous year's PGA events, from the Plantation Course at Kapalua in Hawaii. **12 midnight** PGA Tour Profiles **12.30am** Rory McIlroy: a Decade on Tour **1.00** Best of Open Zone 2017 **2.00** PGA Tour Classic **3.00** Best of Shot Zone **3.30** US Tour Golf **4.30-6.00am** Wonderful World of Golf (AD)

Sky Premier League

Sky 402 Virgin 512 **HD** Virgin 502
6.00am Best Premier League Goals **10.00** Soccer AM **11.30** 100 Club **12 noon** Soccer Saturday **6.30pm** Best Premier League Goals **9.00** Gary Neville's Soccerbox **12 midnight-6.00am** Premier League Years (AD)

Sky Cricket

Sky 404 Virgin 514 **HD** Virgin 504
6.00am Cricket's Greatest **6.30** Masterclass **6.55** International One-Day Cricket **7.50** Masterclass **8.25 LIVE Test Cricket** South Africa v India, day two in the first of three Tests, at Newlands, Cape Town. **3.45pm** Best of Sky Cricket **4.00** International One-Day Cricket **5.00** Cricket's Greatest (AD) **6.00** Best of Sky Cricket **7.00** Ashes Memories **7.40** Ashes Shorts **8.00** Test Cricket **9.00** Ashes Memories **9.40** Ashes Shorts **10.00** International One-Day Cricket **11.00** Test Cricket **12 midnight** Cricket's Greatest (AD) **1.00am** Cricket's Greatest Games **2.00** Test Cricket **3.00** Masterclass **5.00-6.00am** Cricket's Greatest (AD)

Sky Action

Sky 407 Virgin 517 **HD** Virgin 507
6.00am NFL: **9.00** Fishing **9.30** NFL **12.30pm** Fishing **1.00** NFL **3.00 LIVE Rugby Union** Ospreys v Cardiff Blues, Pro14 (kick-off 3.15); **5.30** More live Pro14 rugby union, Leinster v Ulster (kick-off 5.35). **7.45** Rugby Union **8.00** NFL **9.00 LIVE NFL** The opening wildcard play-off game. **1.00am** Second wildcard play-off. **5.00-6.00am** Wrestling (AD)

Sky Arena

Sky 408 Virgin 518 **HD** Virgin 508
6.00am Sporting Records **7.00** Classic Tennis **8.00** Sporting Records **9.00** Wrestling **12 noon** Great Moments **1.40pm LIVE French Rugby Union** Bordeaux Bègles v Lyon. **3.30** Skyrunner World Series **4.00** Adventure Racing **4.25** Great Sporting Moments **4.40** World Darts **7.40 LIVE French Rugby Union** Montpellier v Stade Français. **9.30** Skyrunner World Series **10.05** Adventure Racing **10.35** Rugby Union **3.20am** Rugby Union Greatest Games (AD) **3.30** Boxing Gold **5.00-6.00am** Sporting Records

Sky Sports Mix

Sky 121 Virgin 520 **HD** Virgin 510
9.00pm-1.00am **LIVE NFL** The opening wildcard play-off game.

Eurosport 1

Sky 410 Virgin 523 BT 412 **HD** Virgin 521 BT 435
7.30am LIVE Nordic Combined Skiing World Cup event in Estonia. **8.30 LIVE Alpine Skiing** **10.30 LIVE Nordic Combined Skiing** Gundersen event in Estonia. **11.00 LIVE Biathlon** In Germany. **11.45 LIVE Alpine Skiing** **1.30 LIVE Cross-Country Skiing** **2.00 LIVE Biathlon** In Germany. **2.45 LIVE Cross-Country Skiing** **3.30 LIVE Ski Jumping** The final round of the Four Hills series. **6.00** Luge **6.30** Biathlon **7.00** Ski Jumping **8.00** Olympics: Destination Pyeongchang **8.30 LIVE Freestyle Skiing** **10.00** Speed Skating **11.30** Dakar Rally **12 midnight** Rallying **12.15am** News **12.20** Watts **12.25** News **12.30** Dakar Rally **1.00-1.10am** News

BT Sport 1

Sky 413 Virgin 531 BT 408 **HD** Virgin 527 BT 430
6.00am LIVE Cricket: the Ashes Day three of the fifth and final Test continues in Sydney. **7.30am** FA Cup Classics **9.00** Darts **10.00** Rugby Union: Worcester v Bath **11.30 LIVE Italian Football** Torino v Bologna (kick-off 11.30). **1.30pm** German Football **2.30** BT Sport Score **5.15 LIVE Italian Football** AS Roma v Atalanta, 15 minutes in. **7.00** German Football **7.30 LIVE Italian Football** Cagliari v Juventus (kick-off 7.45). **9.45** Premier League Reload **10.00** Twenty20 Cricket **11.00-6.00am LIVE Cricket: the Ashes** Day four of the fifth and final Test. Continues until 7.30am.

BT Sport 2

Sky 414 Virgin 532 BT 409 **HD** Virgin 528 BT 431
6.00am Sarah & Suzanne (AD) **7.00** Twenty20 Cricket **8.00 LIVE Twenty20 Cricket** Brisbane Heat v Perth Scorchers. **11.30** Cricket: the Ashes **1.00pm** Cricket Classic **2.00** NBA **2.15** Premier League **2.30** BT Sport Score **5.00 LIVE FA Cup Football** Norwich City v Chelsea, third round (kick-off 5.30), from Carrow Road. **8.00** FA Cup Football **10.00** Rugby Union **12 midnight** Australian Football **12.00-6.00am LIVE Tennis** The WTA Sydney International.

BT Sport 3

Sky 417 Virgin 533 BT 410 **HD** Virgin 529 BT 432
6.00am LIVE Tennis The WTA Shenzhen Open in China. **8.30** NBA Reload **9.00 LIVE Tennis** WTA Brisbane. **11.30** FA Cup Football **1.30pm** NBA **2.00** Sailing **2.30 LIVE Rugby Union** Northampton v Gloucester in the Premiership (kick-off 3.00). **5.15** Cricket: the Ashes **6.45 LIVE Darts** The BDO World Championships, day one. **11.15** BT Sport Reload **11.30** UFC **1.00-6.00am LIVE Tennis** The WTA Hobart International. Coverage continues until 9am.

BT Sport//ESPN

Sky 426 Virgin 534 BT 411 **HD** Virgin 530 BT 433
6.00am Pardon the Interruption **6.30 LIVE Australian Football** **11.00** ESPN FC **11.30** MLB **12 noon** Around the Horn **12.30pm** NBA **1.00** American Football **5.00 LIVE American Football** The NCAA FCS Championship. **8.00** Pardon the Interruption **8.30 LIVE NBA** Clippers v Warriors. **11.00 LIVE Basketball** **4.15** Basketball **5.00** Around the Horn **5.30-6.00am** Major League Baseball

Eurosport 2

Sky 411 Virgin 524 BT 413 **HD** Virgin 522 BT 436
6.00am Biathlon **7.00** Cross-Country Skiing **7.45** Rallying: Africa Eco Race **8.00 LIVE Tennis** The final of the Hopman Cup at the Perth Arena. **1.00pm LIVE Luge** In Germany. **2.15** Lindsey Vonn **2.20** Skiing **3.00 LIVE Tennis** ATP Qatar final. **5.00** Tennis **11.30** Luge **12 midnight** Destination Pyeongchang **12.30am** Ski Jumping **1.30** Dakar Rally **2.00** Biathlon **4.00** Ski Jumping **4.30** Rallying **4.45-6.00am** Tennis



DOGGED DETECTIVE
DCI Vera Stanhope (Brenda Blethyn) is hunting the killer of a fellow cop

PICK OF THE DAY **Vera** 8.00pm **ITV**

DRAMA Detective Chief Inspector Vera Stanhope, no respecter of class or profession, stomps her way across the wilds of Northumberland and into a new series of one of ITV's big, bankable drama hits.

Be it a smarmy solicitor or a bumptious businessman – and Vera meets both in her investigation into who killed a police officer on the eve of his retirement – Vera (Brenda Blethyn) treats them all with polite contempt. Though her tough words are peppered, of course, by the odd “love” and

“pet”, just to lull everyone into a false sense of security.

The murder victim is found burned to death in an abattoir incinerator. As Vera and her little team dig deep, all their potential witnesses are defensive or just plain rude.

But there will be no diversion as the cops probe the death of one of their own, a man who seemed uncharacteristically distracted during his final weeks.

ALISON GRAHAM

FA Cup Third Round

From 11.45am **BBC1/BT Sport 2/ BBC1 Wales**

Newport County v Leeds United (k/o 12 noon BBC1 Wales) begins a busy day of live football. The pair met in the League Cup in August, with United finally winning 5–1. Next up is **Shrewsbury Town v West Ham** (k/o 2pm BBC1). The Hammers pulled off a shock win over Chelsea in December, drew against London rivals Arsenal, followed by a confident win over Stoke. West Ham goalkeeper Joe Hart began his career at Shrewsbury.

The final live game of the day is **Nottingham Forest v Arsenal** (k/o 4pm BT Sport 2). Arsène Wenger is the most successful manager in FA Cup history, and the Gunners have won the cup in three of the past four years. **JAMES GILL**

Dancing on Ice

6.00pm **ITV**

ENTERTAINMENT No, you haven't woken up in 2014 – the celebrity ice-skating show axed by ITV four years ago has been rebooted. Hosts Phillip Schofield and Holly Willoughby are back, along with outspoken judge Jason Gardiner. Jayne Torvill and Christopher Dean, who were formerly coaches, step off the ice to join him on the judging panel, alongside Ashley Banjo of dance group Diversity. Brave celebrities taking to the rink include Bucks Fizz star Cheryl Baker and former *Bake Off* winner Candice Brown.

After being on ice for a few years, it'll be interesting to see if a little R&R (that's Resurrection and Revamp) can work any wonders.

FRANCES TAYLOR

Robot Wars Special: World Series

7.00pm **BBC2**

ENTERTAINMENT Another international smackdown sees a crack team of British robots take on opponents from around the world, although this isn't quite as exotic as it sounds since *Wars* fans with long memories will recognise Canadian fighter Terror Turtle from several previous appearances.

Lining up alongside it are Cathadh from the USA, controlled by the man who invented the Lycos search engine; fearsome Russian bot Weber; and Bash, a Dutch flame-thrower.

The UK fields Big Nipper, Concussion, Thor and Eruption, the robot that produced one of the TV moments of last year when it won the regular 2017 series. **JACK SEALE**

Still Open All Hours

7.30pm **BBC1**

SITCOM Granville has decided to update the shop, not by stocking vegetarian food as Leroy suggests, but by offering lifestyle guidance to his customers. He starts with Gastric, who wants to lose weight, but there's also Mr Newbold who wants to be rid of Mrs Featherstone's amorous advances once and for all.

It's a mishmash of gags and misunderstandings that go nowhere fast, yet viewers still love this sitcom's old-fashioned humour. Although Granville is trying to modernise that, too: he's got a nice line in men's underpants that connect to the internet. “You'll be in a permanent hot spot,” he promises all the local menfolk. They, of course, fall for it. **JANE RACKHAM**

ALL-NEW DANCING ON ICE

"It's been four years since **Dancing on Ice** (6pm ITV) left our screens," says creative director Katie Rawcliffe. "Research showed there was real audience nostalgia attached to it, and now there are some big differences to the show. "Torvill and Dean [right]



Attenborough and the Sea Dragon

8.00pm **BBC1**

NATURE We know fossil hunting was David Attenborough's first love and he indulges it here as he explores the story of an impressive find on the Jurassic Coast. Dorset fossil expert Chris Moore found a limestone block on the beach that showed traces of fins from an ichthyosaur – an air-breathing marine reptile like a giant dolphin.

So Moore and colleagues excavated an unstable cliff edge hoping to find the rest of the body. Attenborough follows their efforts and the treasure they unearthed – a species new to science, and a creature that in this case hints at a 200-million-year-old murder mystery. **DAVID BUTCHER** *New factual shows for 2018: page 22*

The Biggest Little Railway in the World

8.00pm **C4**

DOCUMENTARY *New series* Engineer Dick Strawbridge leads a team of enthusiasts as they set out to build the longest model railway ever made, 71 miles across the heart of Scotland from Fort William to Inverness.

It's a route the Victorians never managed with full-size trains, but Strawbridge believes it can be done with an O-gauge model engine called the *Silver Lady* and the sometimes tetchy help of 50 volunteers – his "navvies". They camp along the route and construct sections in teams – at one point building an impressive miniature bridge across a canal lock.

The charm is seeing devoted hobbyists having to put their differences aside and dream big. **DB**

McMafia

9.00pm **BBC1**

DRAMA The plot of this far-reaching thriller gives us a good sense of the way the oily levers of money, power and crime lubricate each other in grubby ways. Naturally, we get to see both sides of the underworld: the opulence and the violence, the bag full of cash and the cold iron bar.

A rich Mexican invites banker Alex (James Norton) and his girlfriend to stay at his Cap d'Antibes villa. That makes for gorgeous locations and plenty of Norton in his trunks – but an ugly secret emerges, too. **DB** *New drama for 2018: page 12*

SAS: Who Dares Wins

9.00pm **C4**

REALITY If this opening episode of the third run is any guide, Channel 4 has found another fascinating batch of case studies for its examination of male strength, weakness and mental health. As 25 fresh punters assemble in a dusty Atlas Mountains compound for Special Forces-style training, the first task is brutally simple: boxing. Offered his choice of opponent, contestant Chris instantly points to... his twin brother, Matt. Their rivalry will simmer on, but tonight we're more focused on professional boxer Adam. Watching Adam and the others as their bravado evaporates in the Moroccan heat is instructive. **JS**

DISCOVER TV PICK

Today's best of BBC3, iPlayer, Netflix and beyond



Tales from the Tour Bus

iPlayer (expires today)

Rollicking rockumentary fun, from a programme first shown in 2015 that lifts the lid on the myths about big rock bands on tour. From huge entourages to TVs hurled out of windows, it emerges that a lot of the juicier stories were... true. Suzi Quatro is among the bean-spillers.

CHILDREN'S CHOICE

Nella the Princess Knight

8.25am **Channel 5**

When sleepy dragons take over the kingdom, fearless Nella goes on a mission

■ **Spy School** 8.30am **CITV** To join Spy School, potential recruits must triumph in a series of physical and mental challenges.

BEST LIVE SPORT



■ **FA Cup third round: Shrewsbury Town v West Ham United** 1.40pm (k/o 2pm) **BBC1** (Wales: 1.55pm); **Nottingham Forest v Arsenal** 3.30pm (k/o 4pm) **BT2** Can Alex Rodman help the Shrews to a giant killing? p56

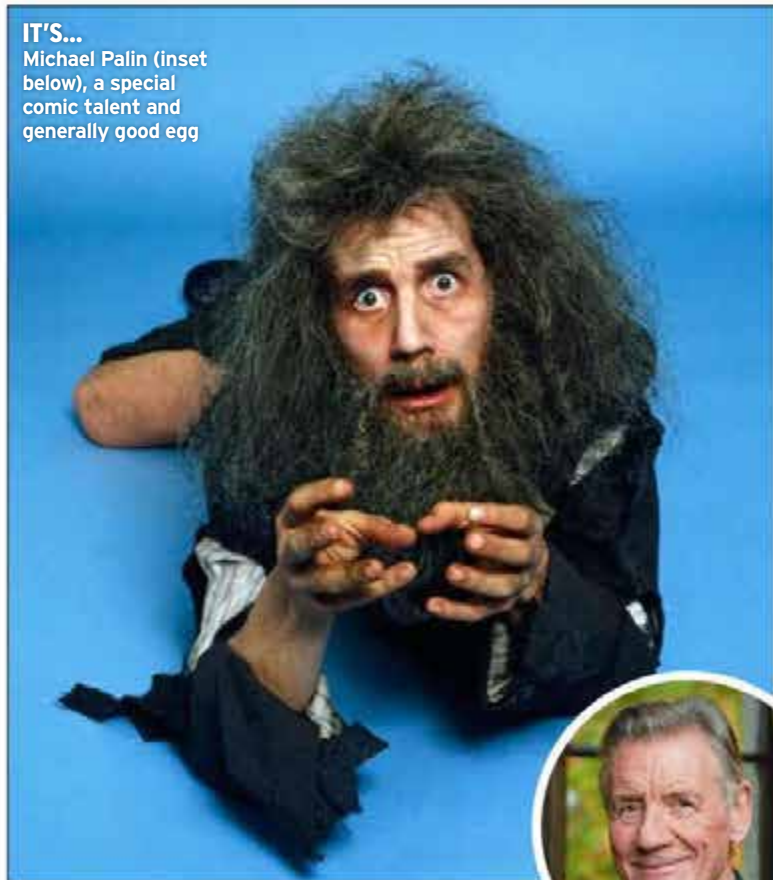
■ **NFL: Wildcard play-offs** 9pm **Sky Action, 1am Sky Action/Main Event**
 ■ **Cricket: the Ashes, Fifth Test, day five** 11pm **BT Sport 1**

FILM OF THE DAY

And Now for Something Completely Different

10.00pm **BBC2** (N Ireland: 11.30pm) Film anthology of the best Python sketches. **See p36**

IT'S...
 Michael Palin (inset below), a special comic talent and generally good egg



Michael Palin: a Life on Screen:

9.00pm **BBC2**

DOCUMENTARY "Michael's genius is to come up with an extraordinary array of funny characters," suggests John Cleese in this terrific tribute. Cut to Palin in that Monty Python sketch where bellowing idiot DP Gumby holds a fistful of flowers and shouts, "ARRANGE THEM NICELY IN A VAAAAASE!" and you see what Cleese means: Palin's gift, from the Spanish Inquisition to the cross-dressing lumberjack, is for conjuring up figures that are instantly hilarious.

The programme glides us through Palin's life from the days when he would entertain schoolfriends, via Python, *Ripping Yarns*, the many travel series and hosting *Saturday Night Live* alongside his 80-year-old mother. It's a well-worked celebration of a beloved performer that captures something of him and his special comic spark. And, of course, he comes across as, genuinely, a very nice man. **DB**

SUNDAY Main Channels

Television Sunday

DAYTIME

BBC1

6.00am Breakfast Presented by Steph McGovern and Ben Thompson. (S) (HD)

7.30 FA Cup Match of the Day Shown Sat 10.30pm (S) (HD)

9.00 The Andrew Marr Show The week's political news, with big-name interviews. Rptd 7pm BBC Parliament (S) (HD)

10.00 New series. The Big Questions Debates from University of East London, with Nicky Campbell. (S) (HD)

11.00 Homes under the Hammer Properties up for auction in London, Kent and Crewe. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

12 noon Bargain Hunt Two teams compete in a search for profitable antiques. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

1.00pm BBC News Weather for the Week Ahead (S) (HD)

1.15 Wallace & Gromit: A Grand Day Out Nick Park's Bafta-winning first outing for the animated duo sees them take a trip to the Moon. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

1.40 LIVE FA Cup Match of the Day
Shrewsbury Town v West Ham United. The third-round match at Montgomery Waters Meadow (kick-off 2.00). Highlights 10.30pm. **See p56.** (S) (HD)

4.00-4.30 Escape to the Country Finding a home in Lincolnshire with B&B potential. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

LIVE RED BUTTON 4.00-6.00 Women's Football
 Coverage of Reading v Manchester City in Super League 1

BBC2

6.20am Coast Nick Crane visits Nova Scotia. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

7.20 The Instant Gardener A Barnsley couple are desperate for somewhere to socialise. (R) (S) (HD)

8.05 Gardeners' World The art of kokedama, a modern take on the hanging basket. (R) (S) (HD)

8.35 Greatest Gardens In Northern Ireland. (R) (S) (HD)

9.05 Countryfile Adam Henson explores farming in New Zealand. Shown New Year's Eve BBC1 Signed repeat 1am (S) (HD)

10.00 Saturday Kitchen Best Bites (S) (HD)

11.30 Raymond Blanc: How to Cook Well Including poached egg and tomato fondue. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

12 noon Food and Drink Party food. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

12.30pm The A to Z of TV Cooking The letter P. (R) (S)

12.40 Natural World The story of a mother moose bringing up her calf in the Canadian Rockies. (R) (S) (HD)

RED BUTTON 12.45-1.45, 2.15-3.15 Bobsleigh The 4-man bobsleigh from the World Cup meeting in Altenberg

1.40 Money for Nothing Sarah Moore transforms lab stools and old fabric. (R) (S) (HD)

2.10 Talking Pictures: Maggie Smith Archive clips of TV interviews with the Oscar-winning actress. (R) (S)

2.50-4.30 Ladies in Lavender ★★★ Period drama starring Maggie Smith and Judi Dench. Two elderly sisters experience unexpected emotions when a young man is washed ashore near their cottage. **Review page 36.** Director Charles Dance (2004, 12) (S) (W) (HD)

ITV

6.00am CITV See page 63 **9.25 News** (S)

9.30 River Monsters Attacks on a volcanic island in the Pacific Ring of Fire. Shown last Fri Next edition Fri 8pm (S) (HD)

9.55 The Voice UK Return of the spinning-chair singing contest. **See choice, page 47.** Shown yesterday 8pm (S) (HD)

11.30 Tipping Point Game show. (R) (S) (HD)

12.30pm ITV News Weather; Regional Weather (S)

12.40 A Right Royal Quiz Joe Pasquale, Angellica Bell, Hal Cruttenden and Jodie Kidd have their knowledge of the monarchy put to the test. Shown New Year's Eve (S) (HD)

1.40 The Big Soap Quiz: Coronation Street v Emmerdale Soaps stars are tested on the biggest and funniest events on their shows. Shown last Friday (S) (HD)

2.45 Celebrity Catchphrase Ellie Simmonds, Jimmy Carr and Fay Ripley take part. Shown yesterday 6pm (S) (HD)

3.45 Regional News Weather (S)

4.00-4.10 ITV News Weather (S)

Channel 4

6.15am The King of Queens Triple bill. (R) (S)

7.30 Everybody Loves Raymond Two episodes. (R) (S)

8.25 Frasier Double bill of the US sitcom. (R) (S)

9.30 Sunday Brunch Guests include Kevin Bishop, Aisling Bea, Steve Pemberton and Tom Walker. (S) (HD)

12.30-5.30pm LIVE Darts The second day of the BDO Lakeside World Professional Darts Championships, featuring men's and women's first-round matches. (S) (HD)

BBC1

Attenborough and the Sea Dragon 8.00pm
 An ichthyosaur is brought to life by new technology



4.30pm Songs of Praise
 A light festival for Epiphany Sunday in Durham. Producer David Waters; Series producer Matthew Napier (S) (HD)

5.05 Antiques Roadshow
 A return visit to Walmer Castle in Kent, where treasures include a rare enamel racing-car sign, an art deco mask, a collection of postwar Italian design classics and a jacket worn by President Kennedy. Producer Michele Burgess; Series producer Robert Murphy (R) (S) (HD)

6.05 BBC News Regional News; Weather (S) (HD)

6.30 Countryfile
 In the Ribble Valley, Matt Baker visits the Gisburn Forest and Anita Rani meets refugees who are farming in the snow. Adam Henson learns about rare-breed horses, while Tom Heap looks at the arguments about new Home Office rules on gun licensing. Including **Weather for the Week Ahead.** Series producer Joanna Brame; Exec producer William Lyons (S) (HD)

7.30 Still Open All Hours
RT 2/7 Series 4. Granville has a new idea for growing the business, while Mr Newbold undergoes an image overhaul to repel Mrs Featherstone. **See p56.**

Granville	David Jason	Beth	Katie Redford
Leroy	James Baxter	Mrs Willis	Val Tagger
Mrs Featherstone	Stephanie Cole	Eric	Johnny Vegas
Mr Bentinck	Alan David	Mr Newbold	Geoffrey Whitehead
Madge	Bright Forsyth	Gastric	Tim Healy
Cyril	Kulvinder Ghir	Mrs Rowan	Judith Jacob
Kath	Sally Lindsay	Merle	Sian Reeves
Mavis	Maggie Ollerenshaw		

Writer Roy Clarke; Director Dewi Humphreys
 Producer Sarah Hitchcock (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Attenborough and the Sea Dragon
RT The naturalist joins a team of scientists examining the 200-million-year-old fossilised remains of an ichthyosaur, a vast sea creature that was discovered on Dorset's Jurassic Coast. As the skeleton is reassembled, advanced imaging technology and computer animation is used to create a simulation of the sea creature as it would have appeared when it was still alive. Meanwhile forensic investigators try to find out how the ichthyosaur died. **See page 57.** Producer Sally Thomson; Exec producer Michael Gunton (S) (AD) (HD)

New factual programmes for 2018: page 22

9.00 McMafia
RT 3/8. A mysterious figure reaches out to Alex. While Dmitri deals with grief, Oksana becomes aware of a secret that could rock the family. **See p57.**

Alex Godman	James Norton	Karel Benes	Karel Roden
Semiyon Kleiman	David Strathairn	Josef Hancil	Marek Vasut
Rebecca Harper	Juliet Rylance	Marat	Evgeni Golan
Vadim Kalyagin	Merab Ninidze	Yuri Klimov	Oleg Nasobin
Dmitri Godman	Aleksey Serebryakov	Rustam	Murat Mukashev
Oksana Godman	Maria Shukshina	Karin	Kemi-Bo Jacobs
Katya Godman	Faye Marsay	Natasha Kalyagina	Anna Levanova
Joseph	Oshri Cohen	Tanya	Yuval Scharf
Lyudmila Nikolayeva	Sofia Lebedeva	Masha Popova	Maria Mashkova
Antonio Mendez	Caio Blat	Femi	Clifford Samuel
Ilya Fedorov	Kirill Pirogov		

Writers Hossein Amini and David Farr; Producer Paul Ritchie
 Director James Watkins (S) (AD) (HD)

New drama for 2018: page 12

10.00 BBC News Regional News; Weather (S) (HD)

10.30 FA Cup Match of the Day
 Highlights including Shrewsbury Town v West Ham United and Nottingham Forest v Arsenal. (S) (HD)
 The fourth-round draw is tomorrow 7pm BBC2

11.30 The Women's Football Show
 Highlights of the latest games in Super League 1. Producer Pete Burton (S) (HD)

12.05am Weather for the Week Ahead (S) (HD)

12.10-6.00am BBC News (S) (HD)

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BBC2

Michael Palin: a Life on Screen 9.00pm
 How the comedian became renowned for his global travelogues



4.30pm Flog It!
 Paul Martin and the team value antiques at Birmingham's Museum and Art Gallery. (R) (S) (HD)

5.15 Ski Sunday
 Action from the World Cup slalom event in Adelboden, Switzerland, where Britain's Dave Ryding is expected to compete. And an interview with skier Paddy Graham. Series producer John Nicholson; Exec producer Jonny Bramley (S) (HD)

6.00 The Real T Rex with Chris Packham
 How the giant predator tyrannosaurus rex moved, discovering the true power of its ferocious bite. Director Mark Everest; Producer Ruth Roberts
 Shown last Tuesday Signed repeat Wednesday 1.15am (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 Robots Wars Special: World Series
RT 2/2. Champions from previous series are pitted against rivals from other countries, featuring contenders from Russia, the USA, Canada and the Netherlands. **See page 56.** Director Stephen Stewart; Series producers Kirsten Hight and Henry Imbert Repeated tomorrow 11.15pm (S) (HD)

8.00 Dragons' Den
 In this Christmas episode, a serial entrepreneur pitches his online greeting-card business, while a Surrey-based inventor is hoping his word game could become a festive family favourite. The Dragons have their taste buds tingled by one duo's healthy breakfast and snacking products and three brothers are offering a stake in their men's grooming products. Executive producer Darrell Olsen; Series editor Samantha Davies Shown Boxing Day (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Michael Palin: a Life on Screen
RT He was once best known as part of the groundbreaking Monty Python team, but in later years Michael Palin presented a raft of critically acclaimed travelogues. His journeys have taken him across the world, to the North and South Poles, the Sahara, the Himalayas, Eastern Europe and Brazil. In between he starred in award-winning dramas such as Alan Bleasdale's *GBH* and hugely successful feature films, including *A Fish Called Wanda*. This look back at his career includes an in-depth interview with Michael himself, and contributions from John Cleese, David Jason, Connie Booth, Armando Iannucci, Basil Pao, Robert Hewison and Angela Elbourne. **See page 57.** Series producer Samantha Peters; Executive producers Katherine Allen and Clare Brown Repeated Thursday 11.15pm (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 And Now for Something Completely Different ★★★
RT A film anthology of choice sketches from the celebrated television comedy series *Monty Python's Flying Circus*. **Film of the Day: page 36.** Director Ian MacNaughton (1971, PG) (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

11.25 Strictly Ballroom ★★★★★
RT Romantic comedy drama starring Paul Mercurio and Tara Morice. The staid world of regional ballroom dancing in Australia is scandalised when spirited Scott Hastings becomes determined to break with tradition and devise his own steps. His maverick attitude alienates those closest to him and only a dowdy beginner is willing to devote herself to helping Scott perform his exciting choreography.

Scott Hastings	Paul Mercurio	Les Kendall	Peter Whitford
Fran	Tara Morice	Doug Hastings	Barry Otto
Barry Fife	Bill Hunter	Ken Rallings	John Hannan
Shirley Hastings	Pat Thomson	Tina Sparkle	Sonia Kruger
Liz Holt	Gia Carides	Charm Leachman	Kris McQuade

Director Baz Luhrmann (1992, PG) (S) (W) (HD)

1.00-2.55am Sign Zone 1.00 Countryfile Adam Henson takes a trip to New Zealand. Shown 9.05am (S)

1.55 Holby City Ric finds himself being taken under the wing of popular prisoner Dillon. Shown last Tuesday (S) (AD)

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ITV

Vera 8.00pm
A grisly murder brings social club secretary Jesse Hennings into DCI Stanhope's view



4.10pm Happy Feet Two ★★★

Musical animated adventure. Mumble and his son Erik must rescue their friends and family in the aftermath of a natural disaster. **Review p36.**

Featuring the voices of:

Mumble	Elijah Wood	Seymour	Common
Ramon/Lovelace	Robin Williams	Noah the Elder	Hugo Weaving
The Mighty Sven	Hank Azaria	Bryan the Beachmaster	Richard Carter
Gloria	Pink	Miss Viola	Magda Szubanski
Will the krill	Brad Pitt	The Alpha Skua	Anthony LaPaglia
Bill the krill	Matt Damon	Atticus	Benjamin "Lil P-Nut" Flores Jr
Carmen	Sofia Vergara	Erik	Ava Acres

Director George Miller (2011, U) (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

6.00 Dancing on Ice

RT New series. 1/10. A new year and a welcome back to an old friend last seen in 2014. Get set for an explosion of sequins as the show returns, hosted by Phillip Schofield and Holly Willoughby. There will be a new-look ice panel, consisting of Olympic greats Torvill and Dean, Jason Gardiner and Diversity's very own dance master, Ashley Banjo. Among the stars gliding into action will be Antony Cotton, Brooke Vincent, Candice Brown, Cheryl Baker, Jake Quicken and Perri Shakes-Drayton. **See p56.**

Director Nikki Parsons; Series producer Peter Tierney (S) (HD)

8.00 Vera

RT New series. 1/4. Series 8. Blood and Bone
The no-nonsense detective is called to investigate the horrific circumstances surrounding the charred human remains discovered in an abattoir furnace. Can Vera Stanhope solve the mystery that led to the murder? **See p56.**

DCI Vera Stanhope	Brenda Blethyn	Eileen Hennings	Elizabeth Rider
DS Aiden Healy	Kenny Doughty	DI Sunetra Chandra	Shereen Martin
DC Kenny Lockhart	Jon Morrison	Gareth Hennings	Philip McGinley
Dr Marcus Summer	Kingsley Ben-Adir	Noah Ahmed	Joplin Sibtain
DC Mark Edwards	Riley Jones	DC Jacqueline Williams	Ibinabo Jack
Jesse Hennings	Ron Donachie	Gill Crowley	Sharon Percy
Hayley Fenton	Tamla Kari	Gaynor Wyer	Allyson Ava-Brown
Rita Fenton	Carolyn Pickles	William Brackley	Roger Barclay
Iain Hobsbain	Ian Burfield	Harry Fenton	John Sumner
Dale Acreman	Paul Jesson		

Writer Paul Matthew Thompson; Producer Letitia Knight
Director Paul Gay (S) (AD) (HD)

RT DVDs Vera Series 7 on two DVDs, £14.99 incl p&p (RRP £19.99), call 0844 848 7300 or visit radiotimes.com/dvdshop quoting ref RT1585

10.00 ITV News

Weather; Regional Weather (S)

10.10 Captain Phillips ★★★★★

Drama based on a true story, starring Tom Hanks. A tense stand-off ensues between Captain Richard Phillips and Muse, the leader of Somali pirates who hijack his container ship. But both men are also subjected to outside political forces. English, Somali +subtitles. **Review p36.**

Captain Richard Phillips	Tom Hanks	Shane Murphy	Michael Chernus
Andrea Phillips	Catherine Keener	Mike Perry	David Warshofsky
Muse	Barkhad Abdi	Ken Quinn	Corey Johnson
Bilal	Barkhad Abdirahman	John Cronan	Chris Mulkey
Najee	Faysal Ahmed	Captain Frank Castellano	Yul Vazquez
Elmi	Mahat M Ali	SEAL commander	Max Martini

Director Paul Greengrass (2013, 12) (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

12.35am Great Art 1/5. Royal Academy of Arts expert Tim Marlow looks at some of the world's most iconic artists, going behind the scenes at leading museums. He begins with a Canaletto exhibition comprising more than 200 paintings, drawings and prints, which presents an immersive journey into the life and art of Venice's famous view-painter.

Shown last Thursday Next edition Thursday 10.45pm (S) (AD) (HD)

1.30 Jackpot247 Interactive gaming.

3.00 Sunday Night at the Palladium Including musical performances from Bryan Adams, Little Mix and Alfie Boe, and comedy with Alan Davies. (R) (S) (HD)

3.50 Nightscreen Text information. (HD)

5.05-6.00am The Jeremy Kyle Show (R) (S) (SL) (HD)

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Channel 4

SAS: Who Dares Wins 9.00pm Ollie, Ant, Foxy and Billy will be keeping a watchful eye on the new recruits



5.30pm The Great Festive Bake Off

In this winter wonderland-themed contest, Benjamin, Rav, Rob and Sandy are the amateur bakers returning to the tent on a mission to impress judges Paul Hollywood and Prue Leith in a series of wintery challenges – but only one of them will be named star baker. Series producer Holly Flynn; Executive producers Kieran Smith and Richard McKerrow Shown New Year's Day (S) (AD) (HD)

6.45 Channel 4 News Sport; Weather (S) (HD)

7.00 The World's Wildest Weather

Footage of unusual and dangerous weather from around the globe, including avalanches and cyclones. Featuring scientific analysis and first-hand accounts of the events featured. Director Ian Lilley; Producers Yvonne Gray and Ian Lilley Repeated tomorrow 9pm 4seven (S) (HD)

8.00 The Biggest Little Railway in the World

RT New series. 1/5. Engineer Dick Strawbridge leads a team of enthusiasts as they attempt to build the longest model railway in the world – 71 miles across Scotland, from Fort William on the west coast to Inverness on the east coast. It's a route the Victorians never managed to span, so building this miniature railway will be an epic challenge. The final obstacle is a bridge over the Caledonian Canal. **See page 57.**

Series producer Tim Gaunt; Executive producers Kieran Smith, Richard McKerrow Rptd Tuesday 11.00am 4seven (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 SAS: Who Dares Wins

RT New series. 1/5 Series 3. Another batch of 25 civilian recruits are pushed to their limits in Morocco's unforgiving Atlas Mountains. Chief instructor Ant Middleton and his directing staff, Foxy, Ollie and Billy, have intensified the course, which is a condensed version of SAS Selection and the closest that civilians can come to actual Special Forces training. As the recruits progress, they discover harsh truths about themselves while revealing and facing their fears. **See p57.**

Series director Alex Kiehl; Series producer Naomi Gayler Rptd tomorrow 12.40am C4 and Tue 2.05am 4seven (S) (AD) (HD)
RT DVDs To order series 2 for £14.99 incl p&p (RRP £19.99), call 0844 848 7300 or visit radiotimes.com/dvds02, quoting ref RT1585

10.00 The Sweeney ★★

Crime drama based on the 1970s TV series. Old-school detective Jack Regan must use all his guile – and some questionable methods – to bring a murderous jewel thief to book. Not for the first time, Regan's work will bring him into conflict with his superiors.

Jack Regan	Ray Winstone	Francis Allen	Paul Anderson
George Carter	Ben Drew	Harry	Alan Ford
Nancy Lewis	Hayley Atwell	Frank Haskins	Damian Lewis
Ivan Lewis	Steven Mackintosh	Kara Clarke	Caroline Chikezie

Director Nick Love (2012, 15) (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

12.10am Moonrise Kingdom ★★★ Coming-of-age drama starring Edward Norton, Bruce Willis and Bill Murray. Unhappy 12-year-old boy scout Sam Shakusky runs away with bookish Suzy Bishop to live an idyllic life in the New England countryside. Meanwhile, back home, the pair's disappearance throws a group of dysfunctional adults into a panic. Director Wes Anderson (2012, 12) (S) (W) (HD)

1.55 Grand Designs Australia A couple from Melbourne upsize from their small weekend home. (R) (S)

2.50 Location, Location, Location Two sets of house-hunters with very specific requirements. (R) (S) (SL) (HD)

3.45 KOTV Boxing Weekly A look back at 2017. (S) (HD)

4.15 Coast vs Country Two boarding school teachers seek a home on the Isle of Wight. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

5.10 Four in a Bed The owners visit the Highland Guesthouse in Callander, Stirling. (R) (S) (HD)

5.35-6.20am Countdown (R) (S) (HD)

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BBC4

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Stations of the Cross 11.00pm Maria believes her self-sacrifice will be rewarded with a miracle



7.00pm Only Connect

Round-two losers Snake Charmers and the Inquisitors return for one final chance to stay in the competition. Shown New Year's Day BBC2 (S) (HD)

7.30 Britain on Film

Messing about in Boats. Look at Life's coverage of the country's fondness for boats, featuring British sailors seeking endurance world records, as well as fishing disputes. Producer Sarah Metcalfe Executive producer David Okuefuna (R) (S)

8.00 Dan Snow on Lloyd George: My Great-Great-Grandfather

At the end of the First World War, Britain's prime minister David Lloyd George was hailed as a national hero. Nearly a century later, the politician's great-great-grandson Dan Snow explores his famous forbear's life, finding a tale of sex and scandal, success and failure. Director/Producer Steve Freer Rptd 12.45am (R) (S)

9.00 Engineering Giants: Ferry Strip-Down

3/3. Tom Wrigglesworth and Rob Bell climb aboard the 25,000-ton North Sea ferry *The Pride of Bruges*, as it is brought into dry dock in Newcastle. The ship has been ploughing the route from Hull to Zeebrugge for over a quarter of a century and is now in need of an overhaul. In Belgium, Tom and Rob visit Europe's largest ship-breaking yard to discover how the vessels end their days. Series producer Lindsay Keith; Executive producer Jeremy Mills Repeated 1.45am (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 The Bridge: Fifty Years across the Forth

A 2014 programme celebrating the 50th anniversary of the Forth Road Bridge, one of Scotland's great landmarks and the biggest bridge of its kind when it opened in September 1964. Producers Maurice Smith, Sarah Howitt; Exec producer David Harron Signed rpt 2.45am (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 Stations of the Cross ★★

Drama starring Lea van Acken. Brought up in a strict religious family, teenager Maria holds her faith ahead of such worldly pursuits as friends or pop music. In the belief that self-sacrifice can cure her mute brother, she decides to stop eating. German, French +subtitles. **Review p36.**

Maria	Lea van Acken
Mother	Franziska Weisz
Father Weber	Florian Stetter
Bernadette	Lucie Aron
Christian	Moritz Knapp

Director Dietrich Brüggemann (2014, 15) (W) (HD)

12.45am Dan Snow on Lloyd George: My Great-Great-Grandfather Shown 8pm (S)

1.45 Engineering Giants: Ferry Strip-Down 3/3. Shown 9pm (S) (AD) (HD)

2.45-3.45am The Bridge: Fifty Years across the Forth Shown 10pm (S) (SL) (AD)

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RT Choice

Family viewing

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(S) Subtitles

(SL) Signing

(AD) Audio description

(HD) High definition

(W) Film in widescreen

(BW) Black and white

Regional variations

BBC2

SCOTLAND

6.00-7.00pm River City: when Maggie is found, Caitlin and Ellie have to make a life-changing decision

STV

12.35am Home Shopping **1.35** After Midnight **3.05** Nightscreen **5.05-6.00** The Jeremy Kyle Show

BBC1 WALES

11.00am Bargain Hunt **11.45** FA Cup Match of the Day Wales: Newport County v Leeds United (kick-off 12.00) **1.55-4.00pm** FA Cup Match of the Day

BBC2 WALES

12.30pm Tom Kerridge's Lose Weight for Good: chef Tom Kerridge mentors struggling dieters **1.00** News; Weather for the Week Ahead **1.15** Priceless Antiques Roadshow **1.25** Money for Nothing **1.55-2.10** Coast **6.00** Scrum V Sunday: highlights of Scarlets v Dragons and Ospreys v Cardiff Blues **6.50-7.00** Coast: Alice Roberts learns how to pilot a hovercraft

BBC2

NORTHERN IRELAND

10.00pm My Astonishing Self: Gabriel Byrne on George Bernard Shaw **11.00** Insert Name Here **11.30-1.00am** FILM: And Now for Something Completely Different

UTV

12.35am Shopping **1.35-3.00** Nightscreen

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SUNDAY Freeview

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Hot Pursuit 10.00pm Daniella Riva (left) is escorted by Officer Cooper

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6.00am Milkshake! See page 60

9.45 New. Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles Karai battles an old rival. (S) (HD)

10.20 Pets Make You Laugh Out Loud A compilation of internet videos. (S) (HD)

10.40 Groundhog Day **★★★★** Comedy fantasy starring Bill Murray and Andie MacDowell. Cynical TV weatherman Phil Connors keeps reliving the same day. Director Harold Ramis (1993, PG) (S) (W)

12.40pm Practical Magic **★★** Romantic black comedy starring Sandra Bullock and Nicole Kidman. Witches Sally and Gillian Owens use their magic powers to fight an ancient family curse. Director Griffin Dunne (1998, 12) (S) (W)

2.40 Will & Grace 1/16 Series 9. Grace and Will both falter when their political beliefs are put to the test. Shown last Friday (S) (HD)

3.10 Blind Date A digger driver from Hull and a drama teacher from Surrey take part. Shown yesterday 8pm (S) (HD)

4.15pm The Love Punch **★★★★**

Romantic comedy. Divorced couple Richard and Kate reunite to get their own back on the employer who has swindled Richard out of his pension. Kate Emma Thompson
Richard Pierce Brosnan
Jerry Timothy Spall
Penelope Celia Imrie
Manon Fontaine Louise Bourgain

Director Joel Hopkins (2013, 12) (S) (W)

6.00 The Two Ronnies: in Their Own Words

Celebrating the comedy duo. Shown last Monday (S) (HD)

8.00 New. Rugby Union Highlights Premiership action, including Worcester Warriors v Bath, Northampton Saints v Gloucester, and Wasps v Saracens. Producer Chris Glanville

Executive producer David Rees (S) (HD)

8.55 5 News (S) (HD)

9.00 New. Celebrity Big Brother Highlights from the infamous house. Repeated tomorrow 1pm 5 Star (S) (HD)

10.00 Hot Pursuit **★★**

Action comedy. An accident prone cop is given the chance to redeem herself by escorting a witness across Texas. Officer Rose Cooper

Daniella Riva Reese Witherspoon
Detective Hauser Sofia Vergara
Detective Dixon Matthew Del Negro
Randy Michael Mosley
Robert Kazinsky

Director Anne Fletcher (2015, 12) (S) (W) (HD)

11.50 One Night with My Ex 1/6 Series 2. Couples who have broken up try to find out where it all went wrong. Shown last Tuesday (S) (HD)

12.50am Lip Sync Battle UK (S) (HD)

1.15 New. SuperCasino (S) (HD) **3.10** GPs: behind Closed Doors (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** Now That's Funny! (S) (SL) (HD) **4.45** House Doctor (S) (SL) **5.10** Wildlife SOS (S) (SL)

5.35-6.00am Nick's Quest (S) (SL)

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The Lord of the Rings: The Fellowship of the Ring 5.25pm

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6.00am You've Been Framed! Gold (S)

6.25 Emmerdale: omnibus (S) (SL) (HD)

9.40 Coronation Street (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)

12.35pm Take Me Out (S) (HD) **1.40** The Voice UK **See choice, p47** Shown yesterday 8pm ITV (S) (HD) **3.20 FILM** The Mummy: Tomb of the Dragon Emperor **★★** Period adventure starring Brendan Fraser (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

5.25pm The Lord of the Rings: The Fellowship of the Ring **★★★★**

Epic fantasy adventure based on the first part of JRR Tolkien's classic trilogy, starring Elijah Wood and Ian McKellen. Frodo, a mild-mannered hobbit, inherits a ring that gives the wearer absolute power. Fearful that Sauron, the dark Lord of Mordor, will steal it, the wizard Gandalf orders Frodo to return the ring to its source where it can be destroyed. Frodo Baggins

Gandalf the Grey Elijah Wood
Arwen Undómíel Ian McKellen
Aragorn/Strider Liv Tyler
Samwise "Sam" Gamgee Sean Astin

Director Peter Jackson (2001, PG) (S) (W) (HD)

9.00 New series. Ibiza Weekender 1/10 Series 4. Imogen causes problems when she appears to favour certain people in her group. (S) (HD)

10.00 Family Guy Series 1. Stewie's birthday does not go to plan, while Meg makes a new friend.

10.30 Series 2. The Griffins survive a millennial apocalypse and set out to find the only structure left standing.

11.00 Series 9. Peter is furious with the dry cleaner for losing his shirt. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.30 American Dad! Series 7. Snot is rejected after professing his love for Hayley, so Roger decides to give him a new love interest. (S) (AD) (HD)

12 midnight Stan and Francine argue over how to decorate their home. (S) (AD) (HD)

12.30-2.30am FILM Delivery Man **★★** Comedy with Vince Vaughn (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

ITV2+1 Freeview 27 Freesat 114 Sky 179 Virgin 116

Dave 12

F'view 12 F'sat 157 Sky 111 Virgin 127 **HD** Virgin 194 BT 387

7.10am Scrapheap Challenge **8.00** Top Gear USA Special (S) (AD) **9.00** Top Gear Botswana Special (S) (AD) **10.00** Traffic Cops (S) **11.00** Cops UK: Bodycam Squad (HD)

12 noon American Pickers (S) **2.00pm** Dynamo: Magician Impossible (S) (AD) **3.00** Top Gear USA Special (S) (AD) **4.00** Top Gear Botswana Special (S) (AD) **5.00** Soapbox Race

6.00pm Ross Noble: Off Road The team is in crisis as the challenges mount. (S)

7.00 Jay Leno's Garage Muscle cars. (S)

8.00 Cops UK: Bodycam Squad A raid takes place on a suspected drugs den. (HD)

9.00 Have I Got a Bit More Old News for You Katherine Ryan hosts, with guests Joe Wilkinson and Gyles Brandreth. (S) (HD)

10.00 QI XL Featuring guest panellists Jack Dee, Chris Addison and Rich Hall. (S)

11.00 Live at the Apollo With sets by Lenny Henry, Andy Parsons and Ed Byrne. (S)

12 midnight Room 101: double bill hosted by Frank Skinner (S) **1.20am** Have I Got a Bit More Old News for You (S) (HD) **2.15** QI XL (S) **3.00** Room 101 (S) **3.30-4.00am** The Indestructibles

Dave Ja Vu Freeview 79 Sky 214 Virgin 211

ITV3 10



Les Dawson: an Audience With That Never Was 8.00pm Comedy special

F'view 10 F'sat 115 Sky 119 Virgin 117 **HD** Virgin 177

6.00am Murder, She Wrote (S) (AD) (HD)

7.50 Heartbeat (S) (AD) (HD) **9.55** Columbo: Suitable for Framing (S) (AD) (HD) **11.35** Foyle's War: three episodes (S) (AD) (HD)

5.50pm Endeavour

Pilot. Shaun Evans plays the young Endeavour Morse in this drama portraying the early career of the detective made famous by John Thaw. In 1965, Detective Constable Morse returns to Oxford to investigate the disappearance of a schoolgirl. It turns out to be a search for justice that will shape his destiny. (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Les Dawson: an Audience With That Never Was

When the comedian died in 1993, he had been working on a comedy special he hoped would be a highlight of his career. Now, holographic technology allows him to "appear" on stage for the first time in 20 years before a celebrity audience. (S)

9.00 Tonight at the London Palladium Bradley Walsh introduces a starry line-up to the stage of the West End venue. Music comes courtesy of veteran soul star Billy Ocean, singer/songwriter Rachel Platten and Downton Abbey's Julian Ovenden. Magician Ben Hanlin and Japanese act Gamarjobat are also on the bill, while Paul Sinha supplies the comedy. And will Peter Andre finally get his chance to perform on the world-famous stage? (S) (HD)

10.00 Agatha Christie's Marple A Caribbean Mystery. Miss Marple's stay at a hotel on the island of St Honoré is disrupted by the death of another guest. When it is dismissed as a heart attack, the sleuth sets about finding the true cause of his demise, convinced that a further murder might be imminent. (S) (AD) (HD)

12 midnight Midsomer Murders (S) (AD) (HD)

1.50am Executed (S) **2.45** Road to Avonlea (S) (AD) (HD) **4.35** On the Buses (S) (SL)

5.30-6.00am Nightscreen (HD)

+1 F'view 34 (6pm-midnight) F'sat 116 Sky 180 Virgin 174

ITV4 24

F'view 24 F'sat 117 Sky 120 Virgin 118 **HD** Virgin 178

6.00am World Cup Rivalries: England v Argentina (HD) **6.20** Minder (S) (AD) **7.10** The Sweeney (S) (SL) **8.00** Storage Wars: Texas (S) (SL) (HD) **11.25** Pawn Stars (S) (HD)

1.45pm FILM The Sea Wolves **★★** Second World War drama starring Gregory Peck, David Niven and Roger Moore (S) (AD) (W)

4.10 FILM Khartoum **★★★** Historical drama starring Charlton Heston and Laurence Olivier (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

6.50pm Hornblower First episode of the seafaring drama starring Ioan Gruffudd, which sees the young Horatio embarking on a career in His Majesty's Navy. (S) (HD)

9.00 FILM Ransom **★★★★** Action thriller starring Mel Gibson and Rene Russo. When his son is snatched in Central Park, a ruthless, self-made millionaire must decide whether to pay the ransom or take matters into his own hands. (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

11.30 FILM RoboCop **3** **★★★★** Sci-fi thriller with Robert Burke and Nancy Allen. (W) (HD)

1.35am The Professionals (S) (SL) (AD)

2.35-3.00am The Protectors

ITV4 +1 Freesat 154 Sky 193 Virgin 175

Drama 20



Ballet Shoes 7.00pm Pauline (Emma Watson) enrolls at theatre school

Freeview 20 Freesat 158 Sky 158 Virgin 128

7.10am Bleak House (S) (AD) **8.00** The Bill

12 noon The Brokenwood Mysteries (S) (AD)

2.00pm Young Catherine

4.00pm Catherine Cookson's The Rag Nymph

Feature-length period melodrama charting the relationship between a tough Newcastle rag-woman and the waif she resolves to protect. (S)

7.00 Ballet Shoes

Emma Watson made her TV debut in this feature-length adaptation of Noel Streatfeild's classic novel. Set in London during the 1930s, it tells the story of orphans Pauline, Petrova and Posy Fossil, who are adopted by eccentric explorer Gum - although it is his selfless niece Sylvia who does most of the hard work involved in raising them. Victoria Wood, Richard Griffiths and Marc Warren also star.

9.00 Elizabeth I

1/2. Lavish drama, written by Nigel Williams, chronicling the later years of the Virgin Queen's reign. Part one focuses on Elizabeth's doomed relationship with her adviser the Earl of Leicester, the execution of Mary, Queens of Scots and the war with Spain.

11.10 2/2. The story of the Tudor monarch's reign continues. Hailed as the saviour of her country after the defeat of the Spanish Armada, Elizabeth I faces a new danger in her overpowering attraction to the ambitious Earl of Essex.

Elizabeth I Helen Mirren
Earl of Essex Hugh Dancy
Sir Francis Walsingham Patrick Malahide
Lord Burghley Ian McDiarmid
Duke of Anjou Jeremie Covillault
Jean Simier Erick Deshors
Mary, Queen of Scots Barbara Flynn
Robert Cecil Toby Jones
Gifford Simon Woods
Lady Essex Diana Kent

1.20am The White Princess: King Henry's weakness is exposed (S) (AD) **2.35** Bleak House (S) (AD) **3.30-4.00am** A Fine Romance

ITVBe 26

F'view 26 F'sat 118 Sky 149 (131 STV) Virgin 119 **HD** Virgin 179

9.00am The Millionaire Matchmaker (S) (HD)

10.00 New. Million Dollar Listing (HD)

12 noon Cupcake Wars (S) (HD) **1.00pm** The Real Housewives of New Jersey (S) (HD)

5.00 Don't Be Tardy: two editions (S) (HD)

6.00pm New series. The Bachelor Reality show in which an eligible bachelor is introduced to 25 prospective wives in the hope that one of them will be his perfect match. (HD)

8.00 Chrissy Knows Best Lindsay challenges Todd and Julie to change their eating habits. Chase has his wisdom teeth removed. (S)

8.30 Julie and Lindsay believe Todd and Will must finally make amends, and elsewhere Grayson asks Savannah for dating advice. (S)

9.00 New. The Real Housewives of Potomac US reality series following a group of women living in Maryland. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 Botched by Nature Medics Terry Dubrow and Paul Nassif take their surgical expertise on the road. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 Atlanta Plastic Dr Crawford meets a new patient with enormous breasts. (HD)

12 midnight-12.55am Mob Wives (HD)

ITVBe +1 Freesat 119 Sky 206 Virgin 120

E4 28



Titanic 7.00pm Jack and Rose take a trip on the “unsinkable” liner

F'view 28 F'sat 122 Sky 136 Virgin 106 **HD** Virgin 145

6.00am Hollyoaks (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** Melissa & Joey (S) (HD) **10.30** The Goldbergs (S) (AD) (HD)
12 noon FILM **The Borrowers** ★★★ Fantasy adventure starring John Goodman (S) (W) (HD) **1.40pm** Rude(ish) Tube Shorts (S) **2.00** The Big Bang Theory (S) (AD) (HD)

6.00pm The Big Bang Theory
6/24 Series 6. Penny enrolls in a class but keeps it a secret from Leonard. (S) (AD) (HD)
6.30 8/24. Leonard is jealous of Penny, until Alex begins flirting with him. (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 Titanic ★★★★★

James Cameron's Oscar-winning blockbuster. During the *Titanic's* maiden voyage in 1912, penniless artist Jack Dawson falls in love with socialite Rose DeWitt Bukater, who is travelling with her fiancé. Years later, Rose relives the affair and the tragic events that followed, while a salvage crew searches for a priceless diamond said to have been lost in the shipwreck.

Jack Dawson Leonardo DiCaprio
Rose DeWitt Bukater Kate Winslet
Cal Hockley Billy Zane
Molly Brown Kathy Bates
Ruth DeWitt Bukater Frances Fisher
(1997, 12) (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

10.50 American Reunion ★★

Comedy that reunites the gang from the *American Pie* movies. Old friends Jim, Oz and Stifler assemble for their high school reunion, but while they might now be 30-somethings with all the trappings of a suburban lifestyle, trouble, and rampant hormones, are still not far away.

Jim Jason Biggs
Michelle Alyson Hannigan
Vicky Tara Reid
Stifler Seann William Scott
Heather Mena Suvari

Directors Jon Hurwitz and Hayden Schlossberg (2012, 15) (S) (W) (HD) Also showing Friday 9pm

1.05am Gogglebox (S) (AD) (HD) **2.10** First Dates (S) (AD) (HD) **3.15** Rude Tube (S) (AD)

3.40-6.00am Hollyoaks (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)

E4 +1 Freerew 29 Freesat 123 Sky 137 Virgin 146

4seven 47

F'view 47 F'sat 127 Sky 140 Virgin 143 **HD** F'view 110

9.00am Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA (S) (AD) **1.00pm** Location, Location, Location (S) (HD)
3.00 A Place in the Sun: Winter Sun (S) (HD)

6.00pm A Place in the Sun: Winter Sun
A property on Florida's gulf coast. (S) (HD)

7.00 The Secret Life of the Zoo Ep 7
Series 4. The keepers introduce a younger female to the spider monkey group. (S) (HD)

8.00 The Simpsons Homer goes on hunger strike over the local baseball team's plans.

8.30 Lisa befriends a new girl at school.
9.00 Homer and the family win a once-in-a-lifetime safari trip to Africa.

9.30 More tales of Halloween terror.
10.00 Ned opens a Christian amusement park. Will it be popular though?

10.30 Homer starts a babysitting business which becomes hugely successful. (S) (AD)

11.00 Eight out of Ten Cats Does Countdown
With Jon Richardson, Catherine Tate, Sean Lock and Joe Wilkinson. (S) (HD)

12 midnight The Great British Bake Off **1.15am**
First Dates: Celebrity Special for SU2C (S) (AD) (HD)

2.15 Naked Attraction (S) (AD) (HD) **3.10**
Princess Diana's “Wicked” Stepmother (S) (AD)

4.00-5.00am Spying on the Royals (S) (HD)

More4 14



The IT Crowd 10.40pm The friends are not impressed by their new manager

F'view 14 F'sat 124 Sky 138 Virgin 147 **HD** Virgin 195

8.55am Food Unwrapped: Diet Special (S) (HD)

10.00 Location, Location, Location (S) (HD)

12.05pm Come Dine with Me: from County Durham (S) (HD)

5.25pm Come Dine with Me
Soirées in Derbyshire feature a gastronomic global tour and a classy race day-themed menu. (S) (HD)

8.00 Britain's Wildest Weather
Unusual weather during 2016, including floods, super-storms and lightning, and examining the reasons for them. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.35 Father Ted
1/6 Series 1. The Craggy Island cleric makes a bid for stardom. (S) (AD)

10.05 2/6. The priests prepare for poker-faced Father Stone's annual visit. (S) (AD)

10.40 The IT Crowd
1/6 Series 1. The arrival of a new manager causes ructions among the staff. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.15 2/6. The department faces a challenge during a “war on stress”. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.45 It Was Alright in the 1980s
2/6 Series 2. Matt Lucas narrates another look back at TV shows from past decades, revisiting the time of revolution on the small screen in the 1980s. (S) (HD)

12.50am Britain's Best Loved Sitcoms (S) (HD)

1.55 Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA (S) (AD) **2.50-3.30am** Eight out of Ten Cats (S) (HD)

More4 +1 Freerew 86 Freesat 125 Sky 139 Virgin 196

5 USA 21

Freerew 21 Freesat 129 Sky 174 Virgin 153

9.00am Access **9.10** Remington Steele **9.55**
Castle **11.00** Remington Steele **12 noon**
Columbo: Negative Reaction **2.00pm** Columbo:
Forgotten Lady **4.05** Columbo: Identity Crisis **6.10pm**
Rookie Blue: double bill. **3/13 Series 1**
The officers take part in a police-only boxing
tournament **7.05 4/13.** McNally, Peck and
Diaz pose as prostitutes **8.00 5/13.** Andy is
confronted by an armed suspect (S) **9.00**
CSI: Miami: double bill. **19&20/21 Series 6**
Alex's son is suspected of murder, and a
bungled Swat raid leads to the death of an
innocent man (S) (AD) **11.00** Law & Order:
Special Victims Unit: five episodes (S)

3.50-4.00am Access

5 USA +1 F'view 56 (6pm-5am) F'sat 130 Sky 191 Virgin 185

5 Star 30

Freerew 30 Freesat 131 Sky 176 Virgin 151

8.00am Access **8.10** Fresh off the Boat (S)

9.25 The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air (S) **11.30**
My Wife and Kids (S) **3.15pm** Celebrity Big
Brother: Friday's highlights from the house (S)
4.15 FILM Ace Ventura: Pet Detective
★★★★ Comedy starring Jim Carrey,
Courteney Cox and Sean Young (S)

6.00pm Blind Date (S) **7.00** Rich House,
Poor House: double bill. The Caddy family of
Bristol trade places with the Williams family
from Weston-super-Mare, then families from
Lincolnshire swap places for a week (S) **9.00**
FILM Elysium ★★ Sci-fi drama starring
Matt Damon and Jodie Foster (S) **11.10** FILM
Parker ★★★ Crime thriller starring Jason
Statham and Jennifer Lopez (S) (AD)

1.35am Wentworth Prison (S) (AD) **2.40-4.00am**
You're the Worst: triple bill (S)

5 Star +1 Freerew 55 Freesat 132 Sky 190 Virgin 186

PBS America is listed overleaf. See p64 for Film4 and other Freeview movie channels

Yesterday 19

Freerew 19 Freesat 159 Sky 537 Virgin 245

6.00am Battleplan (S) **7.10** Pointless **8.00**
as 11.15pm **10.00** Abandoned Engineering (S)
(AD) **11.00** Who Do You Think You Are? (S) (AD)

12 noon Slow Train through Africa with Griff Rhys Jones **1.00pm** as 4pm **2.00** Wildest
Africa (S) **4.00** Nature's Boldest Thieves

5.00pm Wildest Africa The 10,800 square miles of the Okavango Delta in Botswana. (S)

6.00 The Landscape of Victoria Falls. (S)
7.00 Auf Wiedersehen, Pet The lads head for Germany with hopes of high wages. (S)

8.00 Neville is suspended for lying. (S)
9.00 The Black Adder It is 1485 and Edmund's father becomes king.

9.45 Edmund plots against a Scottish warrior.

10.30 Edmund attempts to have Harry appointed Archbishop of Canterbury. (S) (AD)

11.15 Churchill's Bodyguard A visit to the USA and the Bahamas is no holiday for Thompson, as Churchill escapes death and danger lurks in hospital corridors.

12.15am The FBI gives Thompson a warning. **1.15**
Diamond Decades: a look at the 1980s

2.15-3.00am Battleplan (S)
Yesterday +1 Sky 538 Virgin 246

Home 25

Freerew 25 Freesat 166 Sky 196 Virgin 281 BT 314

7.00am Nick Knowles's Original Features

8.00 Escape to the Country **10.00** A Place in the Sun: Home or Away **12 noon** Double Your House for Half the Money: double bill

2.00pm Wanted Down Under: double bill **4.00**
Escape to the Country: double bill

6.00 Bargain Hunt **8.00** Double Your House for Half the Money **10.00** Nick Knowles's
Original Features: double bill

12 midnight Bargain Hunt **1.50am** Wanted Down Under **3.30-4.00am** Storage Hunters

Home +1 Sky 244 Virgin 282

5 Spike 31

Freerew 31 Freesat 141 Sky 160 Virgin 154

9.00am Police Interceptors **2.00pm** FILM
Shenandoah ★★★★★ Western starring James Stewart and Doug McClure **4.10**
FILM The Cowboys ★★ Western starring John Wayne and Roscoe Lee Browne

6.45pm FILM Rio Lobo ★★★★★ Western starring John Wayne and Jennifer O'Neill.

Following a daring bullion robbery by Confederate soldiers, Colonel Cord McNally wants revenge **9.00** FILM Killer Elite ★★ Action thriller starring Jason Statham, Robert De Niro and Clive Owen **11.15**
FILM Dead Man Down ★★ Crime thriller starring Noomi Rapace and Colin Farrell

1.35am The X-Files: a killer is able to make nightmares real **2.30-3.00am** Funniest Fails, Falls and Flops

5 Spike +1 Sky 219

True Entertainment 61

Freerew 61 (not Wales) Freesat 142 Sky 182 Virgin 189

6.00am The Waltons **7.00** Little House on the Prairie **8.00** Touched by an Angel **1.00pm** FILM
Unlikely Angel ★★ Seasonal comedy fantasy

3.00 FILM The Edge of the Garden ★★ Supernatural romantic drama **5.00** FILM
Working Miracles ★★ Drama **7.00** M*A*S*H **9.00** FILM
The Jazz Singer ★★ Musical drama

11.30 FILM Ring of Fire ★★ Biographical drama **1.30-3.00am** FILM
Grace Is Gone ★★

True Entertainment +1 Freesat 152 Sky 183

Horror Channel 70

Freerew 70 Freesat 138 Sky 319 Virgin 149

8.00am FILM Silent Predators ★★ Horror thriller **9.50** Horror Highlights **10.00** Star Trek: the Next Generation **3.00pm** Stephen King's The Langoliers: horror story

6.50 FILM City under the Sea ★★ Sci-fi adventure starring Vincent Price **8.30** Tales from the Darkside **9.00** FILM Manhunter ★★ Action horror starring James Remar

10.10 FILM Last Girl Standing ★★ Horror **12.45am** FILM Retreat ★★ Psychological thriller **2.35** FILM The Two Faces of Dr Jekyll

★ ★ Horror **4.20-4.30am** Horror Highlights

Pick 11

Freerew 11 Freesat 144 Sky 152 Virgin 123

6.00am Nothing to Declare **7.00** Motorway Patrol **10.00** 999 Frontline **11.00** Children's Hospital (AD) **12 noon** Monkey Life (AD)

7.00pm Dogs: an Amazing Animal Family **8.00** Nothing to Declare **9.00** Banged Up Abroad: a man who agreed to smuggle cocaine into Spain

10.00 Murders That Shocked the Nation: the case of serial killer Patrick Mackay (AD) **11.00** Caught on Dashcam: outrageous road disasters captured on video by driver's in-vehicle dashboard cameras

12 midnight Brit Cops: Frontline Crime UK **1.00am** The Force: Manchester **3.00** Without a Trace **4.00-6.00am** Highway Patrol

Pick +1 Freesat 145 Sky 164 (NI 283)

Really 17

Freerew 17 Freesat 160 Sky 155 Virgin 129

6.00am Tornado Alley **7.00** Home Shopping **8.00** Cops UK: Bodycam Squad **10.00** Homes under the Hammer **12 noon** Fantasy Homes by the Sea **2.00pm** Escape to the Country

4.00 Wanted Down Under: triple bill **7.00pm** Fantasy Homes by the Sea: a mother and daughter search for Portuguese homes **8.00** Helicopter ER: a tractor plunges off a bridge **9.00** Embarrassing Fat Bodies **10.00** One Born Every Minute **11.00** Babies: Special Delivery **12 midnight** Paranormal Witness **1.00am** Haunted Collector

2.00 Home Shopping **4.00** One Born Every Minute **4.50-6.00am** Babies: Special Delivery

Quest +1 F'view 83 (7pm-4am) F'sat 168 Sky 195 Virgin 173

Quest 37

Freerew 37 Freesat 167 Sky 144 Virgin 172

6.00am Big Fish Man **7.00** Deadly Islands **8.00** Pacific Warriors **9.00** Big Fish Man **10.00** Deadliest Tech **11.00** Secrets of the Arsenal **12 noon** How It's Made **2.00pm** How the Universe Works **3.00** Rebel Road **4.00** Deadliest Tech **5.00** Rise of the Machines **6.00** Wheeler Dealers: Trading Up (AD)

7.00 Salvage Hunters **9.00** Wright Brothers: First in Flight **11.00** How the Universe Works **12 midnight** Body Cam Cops **1.00am** Wheeler Dealers: Trading Up (AD) **2.00** Strip the Cosmos **3.00** Destroyed in Seconds **4.00** Wheeler Dealers: Trading Up (AD) **5.00-6.00am** Overhaul'n

Quest +1 F'view 83 (7pm-4am) F'sat 168 Sky 195 Virgin 173

Challenge 46

Freerew 46 Freesat 146 Sky 145 Virgin 139

6.00am Golden Balls **7.00** Takeshi's Castle **11.00** American Ninja Warrior **12 noon** Wild Things **1.00pm** The Chase: five editions of the quiz show

6.00 Gladiators: double bill of the combat game show hosted by Ulrika Jonsson **8.00** Bullseye: **9.00** The Chase Celebrity: hosted by Bradley Walsh **10.00** Who Wants to Be a Millionaire? Celebrity: famous faces play for charity (S) (AD)

12 midnight Who Wants to Be a Millionaire? **1.00am** The Chase: triple bill **4.00** Bullseye **5.00-6.00am** Golden Balls

Challenge +1 Freesat 147 Sky 170 Virgin 180

CBS Action 39

Freerew 39 Freesat 137 Sky 148 Virgin 192

8.30am Tomorrow's World **9.00** The High Chaparral **10.00** Diagnosis Murder **2.00pm** Gunsmoke **4.00** Bonanza **6.10** FILM Brothers of the Frontier ★★ **8.00** The High Chaparral

9.00 FILM Missing in Action 2: the Beginning ★ **10.50** FILM Braddock: Missing in Action III ★ **12.50am** NCIS: Los Angeles **4.30** JAG **5.20-6.00am** Tales from the Darkside

CBS Action +1 Freerew 64 (HD only)

CBS Drama 71

Freerew 71 Freesat 134 Sky 147 Virgin 197

7.30am The Key of David **8.00** Home Shopping **9.00** Matlock **2.00pm** Unsolved Mysteries **7.00** Judge Judy **10.00** CSI: Miami: five episodes. A student is murdered **11.00** An 18-year-old is killed at a nightclub **12 midnight** A baseball player is charged with killing his wife **1.00am** A tsunami threatens the city **2.20** A speed-dater is found bludgeoned to death **3.15-5.00am** It's a Miracle with Roma Downey: double bill

CBS Drama +1 Freerew 64 (HD only)

BBC Parliament 232

Freerew 232 Freesat 201 Sky 504 Virgin 605

7.00am Speaker's House **8.00** Conversations **8.50** Turning Points **9.20** Speaker's House **10.20** Review **11.20** Briefings **12 noon** America **1.00pm** Washington **3.00** BOOktalk **3.45** Conversations **4.45** Committees **7.00** Andrew Marr **8.00** Briefings **9.00** Speaker's House **9.45** Scottish FMOs **10.35** BOOktalk **10.55** Festival **11.25** Turning Points **11.55** Budget **1.55am** Committees **3.25** Turning Points **3.55** Welsh FMOs **4.45-6.15am** Commons



Victoria 8.00pm Problems beset the young monarch

ITV Encore

Sky 123

6.00am Drama Trails **6.10** Always and Everyone **8.55** Rebecca (S) **11.00** Peak Practice **12 noon** Heartbeat (S) **2.20pm** Outside Edge **4.00** Kavanagh QC (S) (HD)

5.40pm Agatha Christie's Poirot Dead Man's Mirror. An art dealer is murdered. (S) (HD) **6.50 The Jewel Robbery at the Grand Metropolitan.** A cache of jewels goes missing. (S) (HD)

8.00 Victoria In 1838, a young princess's life changes for ever when she ascends the throne. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.30 Cold Feet Adam returns to Manchester to announce his impending marriage. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.35 Harlots 1/8. Period drama starring Samantha Morton. (S) (AD) Margaret Wells **Samantha Morton** Lydia Quigley **Lesley Manville** Charlotte Wells **Jessica Brown Findlay** Florence Scanwell **Dorothy Atkinson** Daniel Marney **Rory Fleck Byrne**

11.35 The Halcyon 1/8 Series 1 Drama set in 1940, starring Olivia Williams. (S) (AD) (HD)

12.40am Home Fires (S) (AD) (HD) **2.40** Agatha Christie's Poirot (S) (AD) (HD) **3.40** Drama Trails **4.10-6.00am** Peak Practice

ITV Encore +1 Sky 268

PBS America 94

Freeview 94 Freesat 155 Sky 534 Virgin 276

8.00am Rise of the Drones: the technology behind the aircraft **9.10** Jack Johnson: Unforgivable Blackness **1.40pm** The Bomb

4.10pm Jack Johnson: Unforgivable Blackness 1/2 Chronicling the life of boxer Jack Johnson, who became the first African-American to be crowned world heavyweight champion, in 1908.

6.30 2/2. Five years after gaining his world title, Jack Johnson was convicted for a spurious offence and sentenced to a year in prison by an all-white jury. He skipped bail and lived in France, before returning to the US in 1920 and serving his time. While in prison, he crafted a wrench tool, which he later patented. His release also saw a return to the ring.

8.40 The Bomb Looking at the history of nuclear weapons, from the initial scientific ideas that made them possible to their deployment to end the Second World War, and their modern geopolitical significance.

11.10 D-Day Medics: Eagles of Mercy The story of American medics Robert Wright and Kenneth Moore, who provided medical assistance to both Allied and German casualties for 36 hours during the D-Day landings of 1944, risking their lives as they searched for wounded soldiers.

12.25am Ocean Vet **1.30-2.00am** Walks around Britain



Murdoch Mysteries: Home for the Holidays 9.00pm

Alibi

Sky 132 Virgin 126 BT 312 HD Virgin 200 BT 382

7.10am Murdoch Mysteries – Home for the Holidays (S) (HD) **9.00** Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD) **6.00pm Murdoch Mysteries 16/18 Series 10.** The discovery of a young girl's decomposed body and a sketchbook of grotesque imagery leads Murdoch to a group of death-obsessed teens.

7.00 17/18. A woman's death is initially thought to be an accident, but a witness and a visit from the victim's daughter suggest foul play. **8.00 18/18.** A burlesque dancer goes to Murdoch for help after overhearing a plot to kill a union leader, but the detective ends up being framed for murder. (S) (HD)

9.00 Murdoch Mysteries: Home for the Holidays Murdoch visits his brother Jasper in Victoria, British Columbia, for the Christmas holidays, but they end up investigating a murder connected to an archaeologist. (S) (HD)

11.00 New Tricks 10/10 Series 8 The team investigates the killing of a zookeeper, thought to have been mauled to death by a tiger in 2006. (S) (AD)

12.15am Jack Taylor: the Magdalen Martyrs (S) (HD) **2.10-4.00am** Jack Taylor: the Pikemen (S) (HD)

Alibi +1 Sky 226 Virgin 130

Discovery History

Sky 535 Virgin 262

6.00am Codes and Conspiracies **6.00pm Codes and Conspiracies** Unveiling the truth behind the world's mysteries.

7.00 Unsolved History Examining what happened during the Boston Massacre in 1770, an incident in which British troops opened fire on colonists, killing five people.

8.00 Battle Castle with Dan Snow The presenter explores whether Château Gaillard, built by King Richard I in Normandy, could have withstood a long siege.

9.00 America's Most Badass An insight into why Neil Armstrong, Teddy Roosevelt, John Dillinger and Harry Houdini were able to take their place in history as "Badass" Americans.

10.00 Elite Forces The formation of the Waffen SS, the Third Reich's elite corps of combat troops, which was equipped with the most modern weapons and vehicles available. (AD)

11.00 Ben Anderson examines the weapons favoured by the US Airborne Division, which has become the country's premier strike force with its ability to hit an enemy quickly and heavily. (AD) **12 midnight** Battlefield (AD)

2.00am Unsolved History **3.00** Battle Castle with Dan Snow **4.00** Gunslingers **5.00-6.00am** Off the Rails

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Family Guy 9.00pm Stewie and Brian show off their skills

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8.00am Cops (HD) **10.00** NCIS (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00pm** Bones (S) (HD) **6.00pm** Bones **9/23 Series 6** Brennan becomes obsessed with a murder case. (S) (HD)

7.00 10/23. The team investigates when a man discovers a body in his girlfriend's shower. (S) (HD)

8.00 NCIS 1/23 Series 15. Agents in Washington DC search for their missing colleagues, while Vance and Torres deal with the fallout of the Paraguay mission. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Family Guy Series 15. Stewie and Brian form a children's band, but a girl comes between them. (S) (HD) **9.30** Brian and Lois try to help Chris manage his anger. (S) (HD)

10.00 American Dad! Series 11 Stan volunteers to become a college campus security guard. (S) (HD) **10.30** Francine's sister Gwen causes trouble when she visits. (S) (HD)

11.00 Family Guy Series 15 Quagmire becomes obsessed with dating apps. (S) (HD) **11.30 Series 14.** Peter's sister arrives in Quahog for Thanksgiving. (S) (HD)

12 midnight American Dad! (S) (HD) **1.00am** Family Guy (S) (HD) **2.00** American Dad! (S) (HD) **3.00** Family Guy (S) (HD) **4.00-5.00am** American Dad! (S) (HD)

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History

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6.00am Pawn Stars (HD) **9.00** Heroes of War (HD) **10.00** WWII's Most Daring Raids (HD) **11.00** Combat Trains (HD) **12 noon** Combat Ships (HD) **1.00pm** Battle 360 (HD) **2.00** Patton 360 (HD)

3.00 The King Who Tricked Hitler (HD) **4.00** Distant Shore: African Americans of D-Day (HD)

5.00 World War II in 3D (HD) **6.00pm** Pawn Stars (HD) **9.00** New. Ancient Aliens **11.00** Doomsday: Ten Ways the World Will End (HD) **12 midnight** Hunting Hitler (HD) **12.55am** First Look! Hunting Hitler (HD) **1.00 FILM** Downfall ★★★★★ German +subtitles (W) (HD) **4.00-6.00am** Pawn Stars (HD)

History +1 Sky 530 Virgin 271

Animal Planet

Sky 523 Virgin 256 BT 325 HD Virgin 257 BT 378

6.00am Tanked (HD) **7.00** Treehouse Masters (HD) **8.00** Insane Pools: off the Deep End (HD) **9.00** Pit Bulls and Parolees (HD) **4.00pm** Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet (HD) **5.00** New series. Animal Crises: a cats-only treehouse (HD)

6.00pm New. Homestead Rescue (HD) **8.00** Shark-Croc Showdown (HD) **9.00** The Cannibal in the Jungle (HD) **11.00** Monsters inside Me (HD) **12 midnight** Finding Bigfoot: Further Evidence (HD) **2.00am** Animal Crises (HD) **3.00** Homestead Rescue (HD) **3.50** Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet (HD) **4.40** The Pool Master (HD) **5.30-6.00am** Meet the Orangutans (HD)

Animal Planet +1 Sky 549 Virgin 258



Alaska: the Last Frontier 9.00pm Jane gets decorating

Discovery

Sky 520 Virgin 250 BT 322 HD Virgin 251 BT 376

6.00am British Treasure, American Gold (HD) **7.00** Chasing Classic Cars (HD) **9.00** Fast 'n' Loud (HD) **11.00** Wheeler Dealers (HD) **1.00pm** MythBusters (HD) **2.00** Secrets of the Underground (HD)

6.00pm Deadliest Catch Capt Sig returns to the helm following a major heart attack. However, as he returns, the supply of crabs begins to disappear. (HD)

8.00 Mysteries of the Missing Terry O'Quinn examines some of the most baffling disappearances in history, starting with the 2014 Malaysia Airlines disaster. (HD)

9.00 New. Alaska: the Last Frontier A festive edition of the homesteading reality series, detailing the lives of wilderness enthusiasts the Kilchers. (HD) **10.00** New. Highlighting the array of equipment the Kilcher family uses to survive, including many dangerous tools. (HD)

11.00 Gold Rush Parker's family comes up with a gift that might help him reach his target haul. (HD)

12 midnight Alaska: the Last Frontier (HD) **1.00am** How It's Made (HD) **3.00** Alaska: the Last Frontier (HD) **4.40** Gold Rush (HD) **5.30-6.00am** How It's Made (HD)

Discovery +1 Sky 521 Virgin 252

Nat Geographic

Sky 526 Virgin 266 BT 377 HD Virgin 268 BT 373

8.00am Big, Bigger, Biggest (HD) **1.00pm** Tallest Towers (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00** World's Fastest Train (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Panama Canal Revealed (HD) **4.00** Top Ten Natural Disasters: game-changing disasters (HD)

6.00pm Worst Weather Ever? **7.00** The Next Mega Tsunami (HD) **8.00** The World's Biggest Shredder: the world's most powerful demolition machine (HD) **9.00** World's Tallest Skyscraper: the construction of the Burj Khalifa (HD) **10.00** World's Fastest Train: France's high-speed TGV train (S) (AD) (HD) **11.00** Megastructures **1.00am** Panama Canal Revealed (HD) **2.00-5.00am** Big, Bigger, Biggest (HD)

Nat Geo +1 Sky 527 Virgin 267

Eden

Sky 532 Virgin 247 BT 315 HD Virgin 249 BT 389

9.00am-4.00pm Hurricane 360: see 5pm-12 midnight (S) (HD) **5.00pm** Hurricane 360: examining a storm that made landfall on the New Jersey coast **6.00** The aftermath of Hurricane Katrina **7.00** A hurricane in the Gulf of Mexico, which caused the largest US evacuation in history **8.00** Hurricane Sandy, which set new records on the east coast of America **9.00** Hurricane Katrina, which turned 49 Mississippi counties into disaster zones **10.00** Hurricane Irene **11.00** A large electrical fire in New York City (S) (HD) **12 midnight** Hurricane 360 **5.30-6.00am** Dog's Best Friend

Eden +1 Sky 533 Virgin 248

CHILDREN'S

Milkshake! on C5

Full listings for Channel 5 are on p60

6.00am Little Princess **6.10** Wanda and the Alien **6.20** Poppy Cat **6.35** Wisper **6.40** Milkshake! Monkey **6.45** Bopping About **6.50** Simon **6.55** Peppa Pig **7.00** Paw Patrol **7.15** Thomas & Friends **7.25** Fireman Sam **7.35** Oilly the Little White Van **7.40** Blaze and the Monster Machines **8.05** Paw Patrol **8.25** **TV CHOICE** New. Nella the Princess Knight See p57 **8.40** Noddy: Toyland Detective **8.55** Ben and Holly **9.05** Shimmer and Shine **9.25** Digby Dragon **9.40-9.45am** Peppa Pig

CBeebies

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6.00am Teletubbies **6.15** Big Barn Farm **6.30** Wussywat the Clumsy Cat **6.35** Dinopaws **6.45** The Furchester Hotel **7.00** Postman Pat **7.15** Bing **7.25** Olobob Top **7.30** Kazoops **7.35** Messy Goes to Okido **7.50** Octonauts **8.00** Go Jetters **8.25** Peter Rabbit **8.35** Hey Duggee **8.45** Andy's Secret Hideout **8.50** Biggleton **9.00** Something Special **9.20** Sarah & Duck **9.30** Three Little Pigs **10.10** Mr Bloom: Here and There **10.20** Swashbuckle **10.45** Down on the Farm **11.00** Andy's Prehistoric Adventures **11.15** Do You Know? **11.30** Footy Pups **11.45** Tree Fu Tom **12 noon** I Can Cook on the Go **12.20pm** My First **12.35** Topsy and Tim **1.00** Get Well Soon **1.15** Rastamouse **1.40** Mister Maker's Arty Party **2.00** Something Special: We're All Friends **2.20** CBeebies Three Little Pigs **3.00** Biggleton **3.10** Swashbuckle **3.35** Hey Duggee **3.45** Go Jetters **4.00** Do You Know? **4.15** Little Roy **4.30** Apple Tree House **4.45** Andy's Prehistoric Adventures **5.00** New. Our Family Fun **5.05** New. Treasure Champs **5.20** Jamillah and Aladdin **5.35** Sarah & Duck **5.40** Old Jack's Boat: Rockpool Tales **5.55** Diddap **6.00pm** Clangers: revival of the animation **6.10** The Adventures of Abney & Teal **6.20** In the Night Garden... **6.50-7.00pm** CBeebies Bedtime Stories: read by Susan Jameson

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7.00am Arthur **7.10** Shaun the Sheep **7.20** The Zoo **7.30** Class Dismissed **7.45** Dennis & Gnasher Unleashed **8.00** Dragons: Defenders of Berk **8.20** Nine Minute Ninja **8.30** Horrible Histories **9.00** Blue Peter: Radzi's Free Fall **9.30** Operation Ouch! **10.00** The Pets Factor **10.25** Newsworld **10.30** Raven **10.55** Remotely Funny **11.20** All Over the Place: Asia **11.50** Strange Hill High **12.10pm** Newsworld **12.20** Our School: double bill **1.15** Art Ninja **1.45** Ultimate Brain **2.15** Newsworld **2.20** The Dumping Ground: double bill **3.20** Lost & Found Music Studios: double bill **4.05** Worst Year of My Life – Again **4.30** Hank Zipzer: comedy drama based on the books by Henry Winkler **4.55** Rank the Prank **5.20** Ali-A's Superchargers: car-transformation show **5.40** Taking the Next Step **6.10pm** My Life: It Takes Two **6.30** Ice Stars **7.00** Officially Amazing Goes Bunkers **7.30** Absolute Genius: Monster Builds **8.00** Copycats **8.30-9.00pm** Horrible Histories

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Programmes 6.00pm-9.00 not Freeview **6.00am** Sooty **6.10** Bottom Knocker Street **6.35** Dino Dana **6.50** Super 4 **7.00** Signed Stories **7.05** Marvel Ultimate Spider-Man vs the Sinister Six **7.30** New. Scrambled! **9.25** Mr Bean: the Animated Series **10.10** Fangbone **10.40** Pokémon: Sun and Moon **11.05** Thunderbirds Are Go **11.35** Wishart **12.05pm** The Avengers **1.00** Make It Pop **1.30** Bear Grylls Survival School **2.00** Scooby-Do! Mystery Incorporated **2.55** The Bagel and Becky Show **3.25** Teen Titans Go! **3.55** Fangbone **4.25** Horrid Henry **5.25** Grizzly Tales for Gruesome Kids **5.55** Signed Stories **6.00pm** Pokémon: Sun and Moon **6.25** Thunderbirds Are Go **6.50** Mr Bean: the Animated Series **7.35** Wishart **8.05-9.00pm** The Avengers

SUNDAY Films & Sport

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Have snow, will travel

Die Hard 2 ★★★★★ 9.00pm **Film4** **FREEVIEW**

The original film is ostensibly a disaster movie, but sequel *Die Hard 2* was catastrophic in its own way. Cameras were ready to roll in the usually snowbound Denver location, but an early thaw forced a move, first to Washington State, and then to two sites in Michigan to find the elusive white stuff. The town of Alpena (population: 12,000) stood in for Washington DC (pop: 680,000) and soon found its hotel rooms at capacity. With 400 locals also cast as extras, this little town was now the real Hollywood deal. **ANDREW COLLINS**



The runner and the siren

My Week with Marilyn ★★★★★

BBC iPlayer **FREE TO VIEW**

Don't worry if you missed this true-story drama late on Christmas night, as it's currently available on iPlayer. It's set in 1956, when Marilyn Monroe was paired with Laurence Olivier to star in British movie *The Prince and the Showgirl*. Eddie Redmayne plays Colin Clark, a runner on the film who becomes a companion to the screen siren during her stay. Michelle Williams captivates as Marilyn, while Kenneth Branagh makes for a hilariously scathing Olivier. **STELLA PAPAMICHAEL**

At one with nature

The Red Turtle

★★★★★ **Amazon Prime**

A shipwrecked sailor's survival on a tropical island becomes dependent on his relationship with a giant turtle in this recent addition to Prime. This beautifully drawn and wordless animated drama is a one-of-a-kind experience, offering a profound engagement with the cycle of life.

TREVOR JOHNSTON



FREEVIEW

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F'view 15 F'sat 300 Sky 315 Virgin 428 **HD** Virgin 429

11.00am Stuart Little ★★★ Charming part-animated fantasy. Michael J Fox (1999, U) (S) (AD)

1.00pm Robots ★★★ Visually inventive animated adventure. Ewan McGregor, Halle Berry, Robin Williams, Greg Kinnear (2005, U) (S)

2.40 Antz ★★★★★ Immensely charming animated adventure. Woody Allen (1998, PG) (S)

4.20pm Home Alone ★★★★★ Bungling burglars are no match for a young boy in this riotous comedy. Macaulay Culkin (1990, PG) (AD)

6.25 The Core ★★★ Spectacular set pieces and snappy pacing elevate this disaster movie. Aaron Eckhart, Hilary Swank (2002, 12) (S) (AD)

9.00 Die Hard 2 ★★★★★ Explosive action thriller sequel in which terrorists take over a snowbound Washington airport. **Choice, left.** Bruce Willis (1990, 18) (S) (AD)

11.25 Savages ★★★ Oliver Stone's brassy and bloody adaptation of Don Winslow's crime novel. Taylor Kitsch, Blake Lively, Aaron Johnson (2012, 18) (S)

2.00-4.00am The Pool ★★★★★ Slow-burning comedy drama about a love affair across the Indian class divide. Venkatesh Chavan, Jhangir Badshah, Ayesha Mohan (2007, 12)

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9.10am Nicholas Nickleby ★★★★★ Drama. Charlie Hunnam (2002, PG) **12 noon Godzilla** ★★ Horror. Matthew Broderick (1997, PG) **2.50pm SWAT** ★★ Thriller. Samuel L Jackson (2003, 12) **5.10 The Rundown** ★★★★★ Adventure. The Rock (2003, 15)

7.10pm Hancock ★★★★★ Action fantasy comedy. Will Smith, Charlize Theron, Jason Bateman (2008, 12)

9.00 We Own the Night ★★ Teasing, well-acted thriller. Joaquin Phoenix, Mark Wahlberg (2007, 15)

11.20 Contract to Kill ★★ Action adventure. Steven Seagal, Russell Wong (2016, 15)

1.25am Heist ★★★★★ Drama. Gene Hackman, Danny DeVito (2001, 15) **3.45-6.00am 12 Hours to Live** ★★ Drama. Ione Skye, Kevin Durand (2006)

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6.00am Farewell My Lovely ★★★★★ Classic film noir. (1944, PG) **7.50 Subzero** ★ Action adventure. Costas Mandylor (2005) **9.40 The Fabulous Journey to the Center of the Earth** ★ Adventure. Kenneth More (1977)

11.30 One against One...No Mercy ★★ Spaghetti western. Peter Lee Lawrence (1968) **1.15pm Once upon a Texas Train** ★★ Western. Willie Nelson (1988, U) **3.10 Hell Bent for Leather** ★★ Western. Audie Murphy (1960, U) **5.00 The Cimarron Kid** ★★ Western. Audie Murphy (1951, U)

6.50pm Django Kills Softly ★★ Violent spaghetti western. George Eastman, Edwin G Ross (1967)

9.00 The Man Called Noon ★★ Good-looking spaghetti western with a wildly eclectic cast. Richard Crenna, Stephen Boyd (1973, 15)

11.05 The Rig ★★ Sci-fi horror. William Forsythe (2010, 15) **12.55am Fallout** ★★ Adventure. Daniel Baldwin (1998) **2.55-4.00am Mobile Warfare**

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6.00am The Giant Gila Monster ★ Sci-fi horror. (1959) **7.30 The Flood** ★★ Adventure drama. Waveney Lee (1963, U) **8.45 Rose of Cimarron** ★★ Western. Jack Buetel (1952, U)

10.20 3 Steps to the Gallows ★★ Drama. Scott Brady (1954, PG) **12 noon The Intelligence Men** ★★ Comedy. Eric Morecambe (1965, U) **2.15pm The Lion Has Wings** ★★ Documentary drama. Merle Oberon (1939, U) **4.00 The Interrupted Journey** ★ Drama. Richard Todd (1949)

6.00pm Green for Danger ★★★★★ Darkly comic thriller. **Review, p36.** Alastair Sim (1946, PG)

8.00 A Family at War TV period drama. **9.00 The Human Jungle** TV drama.

10.00 The Informers ★★ Eminently watchable crime drama. Nigel Patrick (1963, 12)

12.10am Invasion ★★ Sci-fi thriller. Edward Judd (1965, PG) **1.50 Whirlpool** ★★ Crime drama. (1959) **3.45 Night of the Prowler** ★ Crime drama. (1962, U) **5.00-6.00am Burke's Law**

Premiere

Sky 301 Virgin 431 BT 501 **HD** Virgin 401

6.00am The Top Ten Show **6.15** As 2.15pm **7.55** As 5.50pm **10.00** As 8pm **12.20pm** As 10.20pm

2.15 The Boss Baby ★★★★★ Animated comedy. Alec Baldwin (2017, U)

4.00 The Book of Henry ★★ Intriguing if incredible thriller. Naomi Watts, Jaeden Lieberher, Dean Norris (2016)

5.50pm Kong: Skull Island ★★★★★ Cracking action adventure featuring Hollywood's most iconic primate. Tom Hiddleston, Brie Larson, Samuel L Jackson, John Goodman (2017, 12)

8.00 Logan ★★★★★ An ageing Wolverine makes his last stand in this brutal but moving *X-Men* spin-off. Hugh Jackman, Patrick Stewart (2017, 15)

10.20 Blind ★★ Well-meaning if contrived romantic drama. Demi Moore, Alec Baldwin, Dylan McDermott (2017, 15)

12.15am The Zookeeper's Wife ★★★★★ Drama. (2017, 12) **2.25 Wolves at the Door** ★★ Horror. (2016, 15) **3.45 Table 19** ★★ Comedy drama. (2017, 12) **5.30 Pitch Perfect 3** Special

Premiere +1 Sky 302 Virgin 432

Villains

Sky 304 Virgin 434 BT 508 **HD** Virgin 404

6.30am Batman ★★★★★ Action fantasy. (1966, U) **8.30** As 5.20pm

10.30 As 7.10pm **12.20pm The Good, the Bad and the Ugly** ★★★★★ Spaghetti western. (1966, 18)

3.20 The Untouchables ★★★★★ Drama. (1987, 15) **5.20 Psycho** ★★★★★ Horror thriller. Anthony Perkins (1960, 15)

7.10pm The Terminator ★★★★★ Exciting sci-fi action thriller. Arnold Schwarzenegger, Linda Hamilton (1984, 15)

9.00 Hannibal ★★★★★ Ridley Scott's sequel to *The Silence of the Lambs* brims with gory action and black humour. Anthony Hopkins, Julianne Moore, Ray Liotta (2001, 18)

11.15 Inglourious Basterds ★★★★★ Quentin Tarantino's Oscar-winning homage to war movies. Brad Pitt, Christoph Waltz (2009, 18)

1.50am The Good, the Bad and the Ugly As 12.20pm

4.50 Batman As 6.30am

Comedy

Sky 308 Virgin 438 BT 506 **HD** Virgin 408

6.45am Pitch Perfect 3 Special **7.15 Three Amigos!** ★★★★★ (1986, PG)

9.05 Liar Liar ★★★★★ (1997, 12) **10.40 Calendar Girls** ★★★★★ (2003, 12) **12.35pm How to Be a Latin Lover** ★★ Comedy. (2017, 12) **2.35** As 10pm **4.15 Nutsy Professor 2: the Klumps** ★★ Comedy. (2000, 12)

6.10pm Big ★★★★★ Utterly charming comedy fantasy. Tom Hanks, Elizabeth Perkins, Robert Loggia (1988, 12)

8.00 Meet the Parents ★★★★★ Hilarious comedy. Robert De Niro, Ben Stiller, Teri Polo, Blythe Danner, Owen Wilson (2000, 12)

10.00 The Nutty Professor ★★★★★ Thoroughly enjoyable comedy remake. Eddie Murphy (1996, 12)

11.40 Nutsy Professor 2: the Klumps ★★ Amusing comedy sequel. Eddie Murphy, Janet Jackson (2000, 12)

1.30am Dirty 30 ★★ Comedy. Mamrie Hart (2016, 12) **3.05 Tenacious D in the Pick of Destiny** ★★ Musical comedy. Jack Black, Kyle Gass (2006, 15) **4.45 License to Drive** ★★ Comedy. Corey Haim, Corey Feldman (1988, PG)

Hits

Sky 303 Virgin 433 BT 504 **HD** Virgin 403

6.45am As 2.15pm **8.30** As 4pm **10.15** As 5.45pm **12.30pm** As 8pm

2.15 Trolls ★★★★★ Adventure. Anna Kendrick, Justin Timberlake (2016, U) **4.00 Aftermath** ★★★★★ Thriller. Arnold Schwarzenegger, Scoot McNairy (2017, 15) **5.45 Hidden Figures** ★★★★★ Drama. Taraji P Henson, Octavia Spencer, Janelle Monáe (2016, PG)

8.00pm Collateral Beauty ★★ Will Smith stars as a bereaved dad encouraged to embrace life again in this drama. (2016, 12)

9.45 Bad Boys ★★★★★ Hugely entertaining comedy thriller in which two cops have to switch lifestyles. Martin Lawrence, Will Smith (1995, 18)

11.50 Bad Boys II ★★ Will Smith and Martin Lawrence reteam as bickering cops in this action comedy thriller. (2003, 15)

2.25am I Saw the Light ★★ Music biography. Tom Hiddleston, Elizabeth Olsen (2015, 15) **4.40 Throne of Elves** ★★★★★ Animated fantasy adventure. Ashley Boettcher, Ryan Potter (2016)

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Heroes

Sky 307 Virgin 437 BT 502 **HD** Virgin 407

6.10am As 6.45pm **8.25** As 11.35pm **10.15** As 9pm **12.50pm Independence Day** ★★★★★ Adventure. (1996, 12) **3.25 Mighty Morphin Power Rangers: the Movie** ★★ Sci-fi adventure. (1995, PG)

5.05 Turbo: a Power Rangers Adventure ★ Adventure. (1997, PG)

6.45pm The Legend of Zorro ★★ Playful action adventure. Antonio Banderas, Catherine Zeta-Jones (2005, PG)

9.10 The Dark Knight ★★★★★ Gripping action fantasy in which Christian Bale's Batman faces off against his ultimate foe, the Joker. Christian Bale, Heath Ledger, Aaron Eckhart, Michael Caine, Gary Oldman (2008, 12)

11.35 xXx: Return of Xander Cage ★ Stunt-laden sequel. Vin Diesel, Donnie Yen, Samuel L Jackson (2017, 12)

1.35am Wanted ★★ High-octane action adventure. James McAvoy, Morgan Freeman, Angelina Jolie (2008, 18)

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Thriller

Sky 309 Virgin 439 BT 509 **HD** Virgin 409

7.15am The Infiltrator ★★ Crime drama. Bryan Cranston, John Leguizamo, Diane Kruger (2016, 15) **9.25** As 8pm **11.40 The Godfather** ★★★★★ Classic crime drama. Marlon Brando, Al Pacino, James Caan (1972, 15) **2.45 The Godfather Part II** ★★★★★ Crime drama. Al Pacino, Robert Duval, Diane Keaton, Robert De Niro (1974, 15)

6.15pm Kidulthood ★★ Impressive social drama taking place over 48 hours. Noel Clarke, Jaime Winstone, Rafiq Spall, Amil Ameen, Red Madrell (2005, 15)

8.00 The Accountant ★★ Convoluted but striking drama. Ben Affleck, Anna Kendrick, JK Simmons (2016, 15)

10.10 John Wick: Chapter 2 ★★★★★ In this spectacular action sequel, the reluctant hitman's attempt to stay out of the game turns nasty. Keanu Reeves (2016, 18)

12.15am Surveillance ★★ Crime thriller. Julia Ormond (2007, 18) **1.55 Burn Country** ★★ Crime thriller. Dominic Rains (2016, 15) **3.40 Drone** ★★ Thriller. Sean Bean (2017, 15) **5.25 Deep Family Secrets** ★★ Thriller. Richard Crenna (1997)

Key (S) Subtitles (SL) Signing (AD) Audio description

Disney

Sky 305 Virgin 435 BT 503 **HD** Virgin 405
6.00am The Return of Jafar ★★
7.15 The Little Mermaid II: Return to the Sea ★★★ **8.35** The Little Mermaid: Ariel's Beginning ★★
10.00 As 5.45pm **12.10pm** Olaf's Frozen Adventure **12.40** Mulan ★★★★★ (1998, U) **2.15** Mulan II ★★ (2004, U) **3.45** Moana **XXXX** (2016, PG)

5.45pm Beauty and the Beast ★★★★★ Sumptuous fantasy adventure. Emma Watson, Dan Stevens (2017, PG)

8.00 Tangled ★★★★★ Fun-packed animated adventure. Mandy Moore, Zachary Levi, Donna Murphy (2010, PG)

9.45 Remember the Titans ★★★★★ Inspiring American football drama. Denzel Washington, Will Patton (2000, PG)

11.45 Honey, I Shrank the Kids ★★★★★ Enjoyable family adventure. Rick Moranis, Matt Frewer (1989, U)

1.30am Confessions of a Teenage Drama Queen ★★ Comedy. Lindsay Lohan (2004, PG) **3.10** A Christmas Carol ★★ Fantasy. Jim Carrey (2009, PG) **4.55** Lilo & Stitch: Leroy & Stitch ★★ Comedy. Daveigh Chase (2006, U)

Drama

Sky 310 Virgin 440 BT 511 **HD** Virgin 410
6.00am Coach Carter ★★ (2005, 12) **8.25** An Affair to Remember ★★★★★ (1957, U) **10.25** The Finest Hours ★★ Action thriller. (2015, 12) **12.30pm** Red Dog: True Blue ★★ Comedy drama. (2016, 12) **2.10** My Best Friend's Wedding ★★★★★ Romantic comedy. (1997, 12)

4.00pm The Truman Show **XXXXXX** Ingenious satirical comedy drama. Jim Carrey, Ed Harris (1998, PG) **5.50** Joy ★★★★★ Fizzy feminist dramedy. Jennifer Lawrence, Bradley Cooper, Robert De Niro, Edgar Ramirez (2015, 12)

8.00 A Street Cat Named Bob ★★★★★ True-story drama. Luke Treadaway, Ruta Gedminas, Joanne Froggatt (2016, 12)

9.45 Erin Brockovich ★★★★★ Compelling biographical drama. Julia Roberts, Albert Finney, Aaron Eckhart (2000, 15)

12.05am St Elmo's Fire ★★ Drama. Emilio Estevez (1985, 15) **2.00** Just Jim ★★ Comedy. (2015, 15) **3.30** The Greatest Showman Special **4.00** Breakfast at Tiffany's **XXXXXX** Romantic drama. (1961, PG)

Select

Sky 312 Virgin 442 BT 510 **HD** Virgin 412
6.30am Girl Asleep ★★ (2015, 12) **7.55** Gunfight at the OK Corral ★★★★★ (1957, PG) **10.00** The Last Dance ★★ (2016, 15) **11.45** A Fistful of Dollars **XXXXXX** (1964, 15) **1.30pm** The Curious Case of Benjamin Button ★★★★★ (2008, 12) **4.20** Moon ★★★★★ Drama. (2008, 15)

6.05pm Garden State ★★★★★ Sharp, offbeat comedy. Zach Braff, Ian Holm, Natalie Portman, Peter Sarsgaard (2003, 15)

8.00 Road to Perdition ★★★★★ Riveting gangster drama from *American Beauty* director Sam Mendes. Tom Hanks, Paul Newman, Jude Law, Jennifer Jason Leigh, Tyler Hoechlin (2002, 15)

10.00 T2 Trainspotting ★★ Touching, funny and slightly surreal drama. Ewan McGregor, Jonny Lee Miller, Ewen Bremner, Robert Carlyle (2016, 18)

12 midnight Misery ★★★★★ Thriller. James Caan, Kathy Bates (1990, 18) **1.50am** The Smuggler ★★ Comedy drama. Angus Sampson, Hugo Weaving (2014, 15) **3.40** Tora! Tora! Tora! ★★★★★ War drama. Martin Balsam, Jason Robards Jr (1970, U)

Family

Sky 306 Virgin 436 BT 505 **HD** Virgin 406
6.00am Moana Special **6.30** Super Furry Animals ★★ Adventure. (2016, PG) **8.00** As 2.50pm **9.25** As 4.15pm **11.15** As 6.10pm **1.00pm** As 8pm **2.50** Louis & Luca – the Big Cheese Race ★★ Animation. Hugh Bonneville (2015, U) **4.15** Wreck-It Ralph ★★ Adventure. John C Reilly (2012, PG)

6.10pm Ice Age 3: Dawn of the Dinosaurs ★★ Entertaining comedy adventure. Ray Romano, John Leguizamo, Denis Leary (2009, U)

8.00 Kubo and the Two Strings **XXXXXX** Visually stunning fantasy. Charliz Theron, Art Parkinson (2016, PG)

9.45 The Jungle Book ★★★★★ Jaw-dropping adventure. Neel Sethi, Bill Murray, Idris Elba, Ben Kingsley (2015, 12)

11.45 Arthur & Merlin ★★ Fantasy. Kirk Barker, Stefan Butler (2015, 12)

1.35am Matilda ★★★★★ Comedy fantasy. Mara Wilson, Danny DeVito (1996, PG) **3.15** Percy Jackson & the Lightning Thief As 9.45pm **5.15** Super Furry Animals As 6.30am

Sci-Fi/Horror

Sky 311 Virgin 441 BT 507 **HD** Virgin 411
6.00am Arachnophobia ★★★★★ Comedy horror. Jeff Daniels (1990, PG) **8.00** As 6.45pm **10.15** Creepshow ★★ Portmanteau horror. Hal Holbrook, Adrienne Barbeau (1982, 15) **12.30pm** As 9pm **2.15** As 10.45pm **4.45** The Girl with All the Gifts ★★★★★ Horror thriller. Gemma Arterton, Glenn Close (2016, 15)

6.45pm Stardust ★★★★★ Visually impressive and witty fantasy adventure. Claire Danes, Charlie Cox, Michelle Pfeiffer, Robert De Niro (2007, PG)

9.00 The Wicker Man ★★★★★ Unnerving occult horror. Edward Woodward, Christopher Lee, Diane Cilento (1973, 15)

10.45 Captain America: Civil War ★★★★★ The Avengers fall out in this exhilarating and dramatic entry in the superhero series. Chris Evans, Robert Downey Jr (2016, 12)

1.25am The Girl with All the Gifts As 4.45pm **3.25** Darling ★★ Horror thriller. Lauren Ashley Carter (2015, 18) **4.50** Arachnophobia As 6am

TCM

Sky 317 Virgin 415 BT 512 **HD** Virgin 416
6.00am The Rise and Fall of the Third Reich **8.55** As 11.20am **10.10** Sherlock Holmes and the Spider Woman ★★ **11.20** Sherlock Holmes and the Voice of Terror ★★ **12.35pm** Terror by Night ★★ **1.45** Pursuit to Algiers ★★ **3.00** Saddle the Wind ★★ (1958)

4.40pm The Longhorn ★★ Decent western. Wild Bill Elliott (1951, U)

6.05 A Thunder of Drums ★★ Well-made western drama. Richard Boone, George Hamilton, Luana Patten (1961)

8.00 Longmire TV crime drama.

9.20 Eraser ★★ Action thriller. Arnold Schwarzenegger, James Caan, Vanessa Williams, James Coburn, Robert Pastorelli (1996, 15)

11.35 That'll Be the Day ★★★★★ Nostalgic musical drama. David Essex, Ringo Starr, Rosemary Leach (1973, 15)

1.25am Conspiracy Theory with Jesse Ventura **3.30** Hollywood's Best Film Directors

TCM +1 Sky 318 Virgin 417

SPORT Choices



FA Cup Football 3.30pm
BT Sport 2 Forest's Daryl Murphy, gunning for Arsenal

Sky Main Event

Sky 401 Virgin 511 BT 402 **HD** Virgin 501 BT 437
6.00am Sports News **7.00** Total Goals **8.30** **LIVE** Test Cricket South Africa v India, First Test, day three. **3.45pm** Best of Sky Cricket **4.00** Sports Sunday **5.00** La Liga Greatest Games **5.15** **LIVE** Spanish Football A match from La Liga. **7.20** La Liga Greatest Games **7.30** Sky Sports Tonight **8.00** **LIVE** US Tour Golf The Tournament of Champions, final round in Honolulu. **12 midnight** Sky Sports News **1.00am** **LIVE** NFL Coverage of the fourth wildcard play-off game. **5.00–6.00am** Sky Sports News

Sky Football

Sky 403 Virgin 513 **HD** Virgin 503
6.00am Greatest Games **7.00** Football League **7.30** Countdowns **8.00** Football's Greatest (AD) **9.00** Football League **9.30** Sunday Supplement **11.00** **LIVE** Spanish Football A match from La Liga. **1.05pm** La Liga Greatest Games **1.15** La Liga Icons **2.00** Football League **2.30** Football Rivalries **3.00** **LIVE** Spanish Football Coverage of a top-flight game. **5.05** La Liga Greatest Games **5.15** **LIVE** Spanish Football Action from La Liga. **7.20** La Liga Icons **7.40** **LIVE** Spanish Football Tonight's big La Liga game. **9.45** La Liga Icons **10.00** Football League **10.30** Football League Rivalries **11.00** La Liga Icons **12 midnight** Football League **12.30am** Greatest Players (AD) **1.00** One2Eleven **1.30** SPFL Greatest Games **2.00** Football League **2.30** Greatest Players (AD) **3.00** Football Years (AD) **3.30** Countdowns **4.00** Greatest Games **5.00–6.00am** Football's Greatest (AD)

Sky Golf

Sky 405 Virgin 515 **HD** Virgin 505
6.00am PGA Tour Classic (AD) **7.00** Best of Open Zone **8.00** US Tour Golf **10.00** Best of Open Zone **12 noon** US Tour Golf **2.00pm** British Masters Masterclass **2.30** Rory McIlroy: a Decade on Tour **3.00** British Masters Masterclass **3.30** Best of Shot Zone **4.00** PGA Tour Profiles **4.30** British Masters Masterclass **5.00** Best of Shot Zone **5.30** PGA Tour Profiles **6.00** US Tour Golf **8.00** Junior Golf: from Portugal **8.30** Rory McIlroy: a Decade on Tour **9.00** US Tour Golf **11.00** **LIVE** US Tour Golf The Tournament of Champions, fourth and final round in Honolulu. **3.00am** Rory McIlroy: a Decade on Tour **3.30** Best of Open Zone **4.30–6.00am** Wonderful World of Golf

Sky Premier League

Sky 402 Virgin 512 **HD** Virgin 502
6.00am Best Premier League Goals **9.30** The Sunday Supplement **11.00** Premier League Football: 12 hours of highlights **11.00pm** Best Premier League Goals **12 midnight–6.00am** Premier League Years: three editions (AD)

Sky Cricket

Sky 404 Virgin 514 **HD** Virgin 504
6.00am Cricket's Greatest (AD) **7.00** Masterclass **7.30** Coaching Clinic with Rob Key **7.50** India's Amazing Run Chase **8.10** Best of Sky Cricket **8.25** **LIVE** Test Cricket Day three of the First Test between South Africa and India at Newlands in Cape Town. **3.45pm** Best of Sky Cricket **4.00** Cricket's Greatest (AD) **6.00** Best of Sky Cricket **7.00** Ashes Memories **7.40** Ashes Shorts **8.00** Test Cricket **9.00** Ashes Memories **9.40** Ashes Shorts **10.00** Cricket Commentators on Tour (AD) **11.00** Test Cricket **12 midnight** Cricket's Greatest (AD) **1.00am** Cricket's Greatest Games **2.00** Test Cricket **3.00** Masterclass **5.00–6.00am** Cricket's Greatest (AD)

Sky Action

Sky 407 Virgin 517 **HD** Virgin 507
6.00am French Rugby Union **7.50** NFL **11.50** French Rugby Union **1.40pm** Rugby Greatest Games **1.50** NFL **3.40** NFL: a Football Life **4.40** NFL: America's Game **5.35** NFL: Greatest Games **7.00** NFL **9.00** **LIVE** NFL Coverage of the third wildcard play-off game; **1.00am** The final wildcard play-off. **5.00–6.00am** Wrestling (AD)

Sky Arena

Sky 408 Virgin 518 **HD** Virgin 508
6.00am Sporting Records **7.00** Classic Tennis **8.00** Sporting Records **9.00** Wrestling **10.00** Sporting Greats **11.00** Sporting Records **12 noon** Great Sporting Moments **1.00pm** Skyrunner World Series **1.30** Adventure Racing **2.00** Sporting Records **3.00** Wrestling **5.00** Skyrunner World Series **5.30** Adventure Racing **6.00** Boxing Gold **7.00** Boxing's Best of 2017 **9.00** Wrestling **11.00** French Rugby Union **2.40am** Boxing Gold **3.30** Sporting Greats (AD) **5.00–6.00am** Sporting Records

Sky Mix

Sky 121 Virgin 520 **HD** Virgin 510
8.25am–3.45pm **LIVE** Test Cricket South Africa v India. **9.00–1.00am** **LIVE** NFL The third wildcard play-off.

Eurosport 1

Sky 410 Virgin 523 BT 412 **HD** Virgin 521 BT 435
7.30am Dakar Rally **8.00** Cross-Country Skiing **8.15** **LIVE** Nordic Combined Skiing World Cup event in Otepaa, Estonia, ski jump. More at 12 noon. **9.30** **LIVE** Alpine Skiing World Cup meeting in Adelboden, Switzerland. More at 12.45pm. **10.30** **LIVE** Biathlon World Cup competition in Oberhof, Germany, women's relay. More at 1.30pm. **12 noon** **LIVE** Nordic Combined Skiing The team sprint event. **12.45pm** **LIVE** Alpine Skiing **1.30** **LIVE** Biathlon Men's relay. **3.00** Cross-Country Skiing **4.30** Ski Jumping **5.30** Biathlon **6.30** Alpine Skiing **8.30** Luge **9.00** Olympics: Destination Pyeongchang **9.30** Speed Skating **11.00** Olympics: Destination Pyeongchang **11.30** Dakar Rally **12 midnight** Rallying **12.15am** Watts **12.30** Dakar Rally **1.00–1.05am** News

BT Sport 1

Sky 413 Virgin 531 BT 408 **HD** Virgin 527 BT 430
6.00am **LIVE** Cricket: the Ashes Fifth Test, day four concludes. **7.30** The Football Archives **8.00** FA Cup Football **10.30** Darts **1.00pm** Packer: the Man Who Changed Cricket (AD) **2.30** **LIVE** Rugby Union Wasps v Saracens (Kick-off 3.00). **5.15** Twenty20 Cricket **6.15** NBA **6.45** The High Five **7.00** Fishing **7.45** Premier League **8.00** Cricket: the Ashes **9.30** Goals Reload **9.45** Premier League **10.00** Non-League Football **10.30** German Football **11.00–6.00am** **LIVE** Cricket: the Ashes The final day of the fifth and last Test at the Sydney Cricket Ground. Continues until 7.30am.

BT Sport 2

Sky 414 Virgin 532 BT 409 **HD** Virgin 528 BT 431
6.00am The Stars Are Aligned (AD) **7.00** Pat XO (AD) **8.00** **LIVE** Twenty20 Cricket Sydney Thunder v Adelaide Strikers. **11.30** Cricket: the Ashes **1.00pm** BT Sport Goals Reload **1.15** **LIVE** Women's Football Chelsea v Arsenal (kick-off 1.30). **3.30** **LIVE** FA Cup Football Nottingham Forest v Arsenal in the third round (kick-off 4.00). **6.30** No Hunger in Paradise **7.45** Premier League Reload **8.00** NBA **8.30** **LIVE** NBA Miami Heat v Utah Jazz (tip-off 8.30). **11.00** **LIVE** Basketball Cincinnati Bearcats v SMU Mustangs. **1.00am** The Birth of Big Air (AD) **2.00–6.00am** Tennis

BT Sport 3

Sky 417 Virgin 533 BT 410 **HD** Virgin 529 BT 432
6.00am **LIVE** Tennis WTA Hobart. **9.00** Italian Football: seven games **6.00pm** BT Sport Goals Reload **6.45** **LIVE** Darts Day two of the BDO World Championships. **11.15** Goals Reload **11.30** Non-League Football **12 midnight** Fishing **1.00–6.00am** **LIVE** Tennis WTA Sydney. Continues until 9am.

BT Sport//ESPN

Sky 426 Virgin 534 BT 411 **HD** Virgin 530 BT 433
6.00am American Football **1.00pm** NBA **2.45** Basketball **8.45** BT Sport Reload **9.00** **LIVE** Basketball Northern Iowa Panthers v Loyola Ramblers; **11.00** Miami Hurricanes v Florida State Seminoles (tip-off 11.00). **1.00am** Utah Utes v Arizona State Sun Devils (tip-off 1.00). **3.00** NBA **3.30** Major League Baseball **4.00** Reload **4.15–6.00am** Basketball

Eurosport 2

Sky 411 Virgin 524 BT 413 **HD** Virgin 522 BT 436
6.00am **LIVE** Tennis ATP Sydney. **8.00** Tennis **9.00** **LIVE** Tennis ATP Brisbane. **11.00** **LIVE** Alpine Skiing World Cup meeting in Maribor, Slovenia, second run in the women's slalom. **12.15pm** Cross-Country Skiing **1.00** **LIVE** Cross-Country Skiing Tour de Ski World Cup meeting in Val di Fiemme, men's 9km free event. **2.15** Tennis **4.45** Luge **6.00** Tennis **9.30** Cyclo-Cross **10.30** Olympics: Destination Pyeongchang **11.00** Ski Jumping **12 midnight** News **12.10am** Watts **12.25** News **12.30** Destination Pyeongchang **1.00** Cross-Country Skiing **1.30** Dakar Rally **2.00** Speed Skating **3.00** Biathlon **5.00** Olympics: Destination Pyeongchang **5.30–6.00am** Cross-Country Skiing



LOOK WHO'S BACK
Emilia Fox returns as forensic pathologist Dr Nikki Alexander

PICK OF THE DAY **Silent Witness** 9.00pm **BBC1**

DRAMA *Silent Witness* returns with its special genius intact. That genius is for making gapingly daft storylines slip stylishly off the screen as if they made perfect sense. The first two-parter of a new series calls for our pathologist heroine Nikki (Emilia Fox) to return to work while still traumatised from being buried alive in the finale of the last series.

Why would she do such a thing? Well, because – and bear with me here – a good friend of hers has mysteriously disappeared; so the policeman on

the case asks Nikki if she will arrange for the main suspect, another pathologist, to be employed at the Lyle Centre so that Nikki can spy on him. See – obvious, really.

Once we've swallowed that, a nicely fractured plot starts to reel us in, full of scattered characters with no obvious connections. And if you're wondering how any of them relate to the chilling incident we see before the opening titles, you'll need patience. **DAVID BUTCHER**

Father Brown

2.15pm **BBC1**

DAYTIME CHOICE It's rare to feel sympathy for Inspector Mallory, but you do here, as the zealous copper must apply for his own job. To help grease the wheels he immerses himself in the local community by attending the Kembleford bowls match. It's an easy option, he reckons, because "nothing ever happens". Except within minutes the brother of one of the club's members – a suave chap with links to Scotland Yard and the War Office – is murdered.

Even worse for Mallory, a "pompous windbag from HQ" arrives to take over the investigation. Father Brown (Mark Williams) isn't keen on the gruff new man, either. But is it better the devil you know?

JANE RACKHAM

Darts

12.05pm **C4**

SPORT The biggest stars played last week in the PDC World Darts Championship, but the original premier darts contest – still held at the Lakeside Club in Frimley Green, Surrey – gives terrestrial viewers hours of quality arrows every day for the next week. Channel 4's coverage, which began at the weekend, fills its afternoon schedule (the evening sessions are on BT1).

Match-ups today include Canada's David "Excalibur" Cameron versus Michael Unterbuchner of Germany, and Craig Caldwell from New Zealand against up-and-coming Essex thrower Daniel Day.

Throughout the week you can also expect action and updates from the women's tournament. **JACK SEALE**

Surgeons: at the Edge of Life

9.00pm **BBC2**

DOCUMENTARY *New series*

Luckily, once the anaesthetic kicks in, patients undergoing major surgery don't know what's going on. But this behind-the-theatre-doors doc shows us. We're in Birmingham's Queen Elizabeth Hospital observing a lengthy operation to remove an aggressive tumour from Theresa's face, and a double mastectomy and reconstruction for Donna.

There are risks: maxillofacial surgeon Tim Martin candidly admits he's seen operations go wrong "for a 30-second lack of concentration". It's not for the squeamish, but if you can distance yourself from the blood and guts, it's miraculous to see what surgeons can do. **JR**

The Undateables

9.00pm **C4**

REALITY All great loves start somewhere. For chef Luke, 19, could it be a pub in Leeds, where he meets make-up artist Charlotte? Luke has Tourette syndrome, which makes dating even more nerve-racking – especially as his vocal tics aren't your typical first date small talk.

In Cambridgeshire, bookseller Sam – who is 25 and has Asperger's – knows what he wants in a boyfriend: impeccable oral hygiene, and A-list looks. Will he end up sharing a tandem with his cycling enthusiast date, Samuel? And cool, affable Becky, 23, who has scoliosis, has moved to London to work as a photographer – and to widen her dating pool. Musician Robbie is her first catch. **HANNAH SHADDOCK**

THE WEEK IN SOAPLAND

EASTENDERS

Two characters return to Albert Square this week. First up, Mel (Tamzin Outhwaite, right), who comes face to face with Ian and Kathy in the café. And, secondly, Tiffany, who lands on Whitney's doorstep, just at the moment when she's planning her new life in Yorkshire. Karen is after a job at the launderette (yes, it's back! Not sure it exactly warrants my exclamation mark, though). And is Masood hiding something when he starts playing the big shot?



EMMERDALE

The new year kicks into gear with potential vehicular carnage as the Whites take off in pursuit of Robert after he snatches son Seb. But will an intervention from Lachlan ensure that the family comes off worst? Moira offers Ross work at the farm – a kind gesture that takes Pete aback. But then DS Benton arrives with devastating news...

CORONATION STREET

Eileen's hoodwinking by Phelan has beggared belief. The normally suspicious Eileen has been taken for a ride all too easily. So let's hope she finally sees the light after Seb tells her Pat framed Anna for GBH and that he's currently hiding a gun in his toolbox. And wedding bells are ringing for Chesney and Sinead – but then these things rarely go to plan... DAVID BROWN

My Astonishing Self: Gabriel Byrne on George Bernard Shaw

9.00pm BBC4

ARTS Shaw's familiar white-bearded, tweed-suit figure is all over this profile, rattling on mischievously in archive clips from later in his life when he was the rent-a-quote celebrity writer of his day. By the end of the century Shaw's star was waning, but it has risen again with a slew of recent West End revivals and a recognition of the artful way that plays from *Pygmalion* to *Saint Joan* dramatised war, feminism and class through the prism of comedy.

Actor Gabriel Byrne does a shrewd job of tracing Shaw's rise from Dublin poverty, and at one stage lovingly wields the Oscar statuette that Shaw used as a doorstop. DAVID BUTCHER

First Dates Hotel

10.00pm C4

REALITY The *First Dates* spin-off has a gorgeous new home in a verdant valley in Campania, Italy – a four-star resort with a Michelin-starred restaurant and a vast emerald pool.

Still, it's hard to envy the guests – would you want to go on holiday with someone you'd just met? Breakfast buffets are awkward enough without having to wrestle yesterday's tedious date for the last mini-croissant.

This week single mum Kaylee is set up with an Essex bricklayer, but another singleton catches her eye across the sparkling pool. Meanwhile, romance is the last thing on 52-year-old Vanessa's mind after her cat is rushed to the vet. CLAIRE WEBB

Into the Fire

10.00pm Really

DOCUMENTARY New series

This series following the firefighters of the West Midlands Fire Service takes a gamble that, at least in this opening episode, doesn't quite pay off. It's trumpeted that for the first time viewers will have a first-person perspective on fighting fires, thanks to the heat-resistant helmet cams worn by the firefighters.

Yet while this delivers visceral thrills when crews tackle a roaring house fire, with flames filling the screen, it's less successful when there's a call-out to a car that has struck a house, which needs to be made structurally sound. And while the firefighters' work is vital and potentially lethal, their reflections are often banal. DAVID CRAWFORD

DISCOVER TV PICK

Today's best of BBC3, iPlayer, Netflix and beyond



Love and Hate Crime

From 10am BBC3

A documentary that might just match some of the gripping storytelling of BBC3's biggest factual hit, *Life and Death Row*. The first of three episodes follows a man convicted of killing his girlfriend as he starts his sentence. He tells his story, then the programme hunts down the whole truth.

CHILDREN'S CHOICE

The Worst Witch

5.00pm CBBC

It's the first day of term for Mildred – but how long will she manage to stay out of trouble?

■ **I Am Frankie** 6.00pm, 6.30pm **Nickelodeon (Sky 604, Virgin 712)** The hero of this new series, Frankie, may look like a typical teenager, but she's actually an android.

BEST LIVE SPORT



FA Cup third round: Brighton & Hove Albion v Crystal Palace

7pm (k/o 7.45pm) BT Sport 2
Palace's budding England star Ruben Loftus-Cheek, on loan from Chelsea, has the talent to shine in the so-called "M23 derby".

■ **Big Bash Cricket** from 7am
BT Sport 2 T20 double bill.

■ **Cricket: New Zealand v Pakistan, second ODI** 9.55pm
Sky Cricket; 10pm Main Event

FILM OF THE DAY

Life of Pi

8.00pm E4

Suraj Sharma leads this vivid Ang Lee adaptation of Yann Martel's bestselling novel.

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EYE OF THE STORM

There's trouble ahead for Mona (Archie Panjabi) and her husband Guy (Jack Davenport)



Next of Kin

9.00pm ITV

DRAMA New series Husband-and-wife writing team Paul Rutman and Natasha Narayan created this thorny drama about a couple (Archie Panjabi and Jack Davenport – both excellent) whose extended family is torn apart by events on the other side of the world.

Panjabi plays Mona, a London GP whose brother (Navin Chowdhry) runs a clinic in Pakistan. While en route to catch a flight back to London, he is abducted, and before long Mona and her husband fear for his safety.

That's not the only storm in their lives: Mona's nephew is missing from college, and a terrorist bomb has increased tensions in London.

It's heartening to see a thriller like this told from the perspective of a multicultural family, and though there are nagging holes that threaten to undermine the plot, *Next of Kin* feels like a story for our times.

DAVID BUTCHER

MONDAY Main Channels

DAYTIME

BBC1

6.00am Breakfast Louise Minchin, Dan Walker. (S) (HD)
9.15 Rip-Off Britain: Holidays Bogus lawyers claiming to help with timeshare problems. (S) (HD)
10.00 Homes under the Hammer A Victorian terrace, a 1960s home and a coastal house. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)
11.00 Wanted Down Under A couple and their two children sample life in Melbourne for a week. (S) (HD)
11.45 Close Calls: on Camera A man goes to the aid of his friend when a great white shark attacks. (S) (HD)
12.15pm Bargain Hunt Two teams hunt for collectables in Oswestry, Shropshire. (S) (AD) (HD)
1.00 BBC News Regional News; Weather (S) (HD)
1.45 Doctors Emma says farewell to Sid. Rob starts to investigate Ruhma's connection to Besa. (S) (AD) (HD)
2.15 Father Brown 6/10 Series 6. Mallory is forced to turn to Father Brown when a senior member of the police force is murdered. **See p66.** (S) (AD) (HD)
3.00 I Escaped to the Country A couple who moved from a suburban town to rural Dorset. (S) (HD)
3.45 The Farmers' Country Showdown Series 2 Following pig farmers competing at Edenbridge and Oxted Agricultural Show. Rptd tomorrow 6.30am BBC2 (S) (HD)
4.30-5.15 Antiques Road Trip Charlie Ross and James Braxton face a final auction in Dorchester before a winner is declared. Rptd tomorrow 7.15am BBC2 (S) (HD)

BBC2

6.00am Flog It! Trade Secrets Exploring fashions and tastes in the antiques world. (R) (S) (HD)
6.30 The Farmers' Country Showdown A battle of the clans in Perthshire. Shown last Friday BBC1 (S) (HD)
7.15 Antiques Road Trip Charlie Ross and James Braxton explore Somerset. Shown last Friday BBC1 (S) (HD)
8.00-9.00 Sign Zone Antiques Roadshow A bracelet, and photographs of the Beatles taken during the filming of *A Hard Day's Night* are valued at Minehead station. (R) (S)
9.00 Victoria Derbyshire (S) (HD) **11.00 BBC Newsroom Live** (S) (HD) **12 noon Daily Politics** (S) (HD)
1.00pm Coast Ireland's Atlantic coast. (R) (S) (HD)
1.15 Brazil with Michael Palin A journey made in 2012, beginning on the north-east coast. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)
2.15 Himalaya with Michael Palin Michael's 2004 expedition starts at the Khyber Pass. He then heads to Chitral to watch a freestyle polo grudge-match. (R) (S)
3.15 The Great British Winter Extreme winter landscapes, beginning with mountains. (R) (S) (HD)
4.15-5.15 Planet Earth II In the Okavango delta in Botswana, lions battle with buffalo. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

ITV

6.00am Good Morning Britain Current affairs. (S) (HD)
8.30 Lorraine Guests chat with Lorraine Kelly. (S) (HD)
9.25 The Jeremy Kyle Show Contretemps. (S) (HD)
10.30 This Morning Hosted by Phillip Schofield and Holly Willoughby. Including **Regional Weather** (S) (HD)
12.30pm Loose Women Celebrity interviews. (S) (HD)
1.30 ITV Lunchtime News Regional News; Weather (S) (HD)
2.00 Judge Rinder Real-life legal disputes. (S) (HD)
3.00 Dickinson's Real Deal A record player is the star item in a compilation edition. (S) (HD) Then **Regional Weather**
4.00-5.00 Tipping Point Game show. (S) (HD)

Channel 4

6.20am 3rd Rock from the Sun Double bill. (R) (S) (AD)
7.05 Everybody Loves Raymond Triple bill. (R) (S)
8.30 Frasier Three episodes of the US sitcom. (R) (S)
10.05 Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA Family-run restaurant Chiarella's in Philadelphia. (R) (S)
11.00 Sun, Sea and Selling Houses Sharon and Steve show three Spanish properties to Andy and Jo within their €100,000 budget. (R) (S) (HD) **12 noon News** (S) (HD)
12.05-5.00pm LIVE Darts Coverage of the afternoon session from Frimley Green on the third day of the BDO Lakeside World Professional Darts Championships. The preliminary round matches see Canada's David Cameron take on Germany's Michael Unterbuchner and New Zealander Craig Caldwell face Lakeside debutant Daniel Day from Essex. Plus, James Hurrell's first-round match against either Joe Chaney or Danny Noppert. **See page 66.** (S) (HD)

BBC1

Silent Witness

9.00pm Nikki's mental state gives cause for concern as a body is found in a reservoir



5.15pm Pointless

Quiz show presented by Alexander Armstrong. (S) (HD)

6.00 BBC News Weather

(S) (HD)

6.30 Regional news magazines

(S)

7.00 The One Show

Matt Baker and Michelle Ackerley present. (S) (HD)

7.30 Boots: Pharmacists under Pressure? An Inside Out Special

New series. 1/9. The English regional programme returns with a special report as a former professional standards manager at Boots reveals the concerns he raised over workload pressure and patient safety. Series editor Sally Bowman Repeated tomorrow 11.25pm (S) (HD) Followed by **News Update** (S) (HD)

8.00 EastEnders

Whitney ponders her future on the Square.

Whitney Carter	Shona McGarty	Sharon Mitchell	Letitia Dean
Bex Fowler	Jasmine Armfield	Mick Carter	Danny Dyer
Honey Mitchell	Emma Barton	Kim Fox-Hubbard	Tameka Empson
Aidan Joseph Patrick Maguire	Patrick Bergin	Josh Hemmings	Eddie Eyre
Vincent Hubbard	Richard Blackwood	Billy Mitchell	Lisa Faulkner
Jay Brown	Jamie Borthwick	Robbie Jackson	Perry Fenwick
Tina Carter	Luisa Bradshaw-White	Kush Kazemi	Dean Gaffney
Linda Carter	Kellie Bright	Donna Yates	Davood Ghadami
Dot Branning	June Brown	Shirley Carter	Lisa Hammond
Martin Fowler	James Bye	Shakil Kazemi	Linda Henry
Sonia Fowler	Natalie Cassidy	Louise Mitchell	Shaheen Jafargholi
			Tilly Keeper

Writer Mark Stevenson More cast Thursday Satellite and cable viewers can watch a repeat at 11pm on W (S) (AD) (HD)

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8.30 Millionaire Bankrupts Exposed: Panorama

Samantha Poling goes under cover to reveal the ways in which some wealthy people who have been declared bankrupt hide assets to retain their wealth. Editor Rachel Jupp Signed repeat Friday 12.50am BBC2 (S) (HD) NOTE: as *Panorama* reacts to the news its subject matter may change

9.00 Silent Witness

RT New series. 1/10 Series 21. Moment of Surrender **1/2.** Haunted by her time in Mexico, Nikki seeks out fellow pathologist Sally Vaughan for support. But on visiting Sally, Nikki finds the house has become a crime scene. Continues tomorrow 9pm. **See page 66.**

Dr Nikki Alexander	Emilia Fox	Javed Khan
Jack Hodgson	David Caves	Duncan Pow
Dr Thomas Chamberlain	Richard Lintern	Peter Sullivan
Clarissa Mulvey	Liz Carr	Pippa Bennett-Warner
David Cannon	Julian Rhind-Tutt	Anna Madeley
DCI Guy Bernhardt	Alex Macqueen	Natalie Burt
Suzie Tudor	Lindsey Campbell	Samantha Baines
Greg Tudor	Maxi Tilyard	Fergus O'Donnell
Gwen Blair	Kelly Hunter	Alan David
Sally Vaughan	Emma Fielding	Richard Cant
Brian Hawke	David Bamber	Lucy Chappell
Livtar Singh	Adam Henderson-Scott	Alistair Toovey
Emma Singh	Susannah Fielding	James Cooney

Writer Ed Whitmore; Producer Kiaran Murray-Smith Director Charles Palmer (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 BBC News Regional News; Weather

(S) (HD)

10.45 Have I Got Old News for You

Patrick Stewart hosts an edition of the quiz from April 2017, with guests Richard Osman and Camilla Long. Director Paul Wheeler; Producer Ed Ryland (R) (S) (HD)

11.15 Miriam's Big American Adventure

1/3. In Chicago, Miriam Margolyes searches for the American dream, asking whether it still actually exists. Shown last Wednesday Signed rpt tomorrow 2.05am BBC2 (S) (AD) (HD)

12.15am Graham Norton's Good Guest Guide How to be a "good guest" on the chat show. Shown last Friday (S) (AD) (HD)

1.05 Weather for the Week Ahead (S) (HD)

1.10-6.00am BBC News (S) (HD)

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BBC2

Surgeons: at the Edge of Life

9.00pm Consultant plastic surgeons Ruth Waters and Kate Nelson



5.15pm Flog It!

A collection of previously unseen finds from St Albans Cathedral, Wolverhampton and Warwickshire. Director Julia Foot; Series producer Louise Hibbins (R) (S) (HD)

6.00 Eggheads

Jeremy Vine hosts the weekday quiz. (S) (HD)

6.30 Great British Railway Journeys

6/15 Series 9. This week, Michael Portillo embarks on a trip from south Wales to Cornwall, travelling today from Whitland in Carmarthenshire to Swansea. Along the way, in Llanelli, Michael retraces the fateful events of a national rail strike in 1911. (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 MOTD: FA Cup Fourth Round Draw

Mark Chapman presents live coverage of the fourth round draw, as the teams who progressed from the third round find out who they'll face in the last 32. Producer Kelly Faulkner; Editor Ben North (S) (HD)

7.30 Kate Humble: off the Beaten Track

4/4. Kate explores Carmarthenshire with her Welsh sheepdog, Teg, herding and milking goats in the Cothi Valley and trying her hand at trotting in Capel Iwan. She also rows across the Towy estuary. Director/Producer Raquel Toniolo First shown on BBC1 Wales (S) (HD)

8.00 Only Connect

The Dandies and the Arrowheads vie to stay in the competition that asks contestants to find the links between things that at first sight seem entirely unrelated. Victoria Coren Mitchell hosts.

Series producer Jenny Hawker; Series director Siân G Lloyd (S) (HD)

8.30 University Challenge

Two more teams of four engage in second-round battle for a place in the quarter-finals of the testing quiz. Jeremy Paxman asks the questions. Director Tracey Rooney; Producer Irene Daniels (S) (HD)

9.00 Surgeons: at the Edge of Life

RT New series. 1/3. A glimpse of life beyond the theatre doors of the surgical unit at the Queen Elizabeth Hospital Birmingham, focusing on some of the country's top surgeons as they perform high-stakes surgery that simply wouldn't have been attempted a few years ago. This week cameras capture a marathon operation on Theresa, 53, who will die within weeks if the fast-growing cancerous tumour in her face is not removed – along with her upper jaw and right eye. **See page 66.**

Series producer Jamie Seal; Executive producers Simon Kerfoot, Richard Bond and Jo Hughes Repeated tomorrow 12.05am (S) (HD)

10.00 Insert Name Here

6/8 Series 3. Who is – or was – the greatest "John" of them all? Joining host Sue Perkins and regular captains Josh Widdicombe and Richard Osman to debate this most pressing of issues are Miles Jupp, Kate Williams, Sally Phillips and Roisin Conaty. Producer Breid McLoone; Executive producers Will Ing, Michael Mannes and Paul McGettigan (S) (HD)

10.30 Newsnight

With Evan Davis. (S) (HD)

11.10 Weather

(S) (HD)

11.15 Robots Wars Special: World Series

2/2. The second of two specials pitting champions from past series against rivals from other countries. A British team takes on international contenders from Russia, the USA, Canada and the Netherlands. Shown yesterday 7pm (S) (HD)

12.15-2.35am Sign Zone 12.15 Attenborough and the Empire of the Ants Explaining how ants survive the harsh environment of the Swiss Alps. Shown Thursday 28 Dec (S) (AD) (HD)

1.15 Joe Orton Laid Bare Exploring the life of writer Joe Orton, with newly staged excerpts from his some of his plays, including *Entertaining Mr Sloane* and *Loot*. (R) (S) (AD)

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ITV

Next of Kin
9.00pm As the city she lives in comes under attack, Mona Harcourt gets yet more bad news



5.00pm The Chase
Pete, Elisabeth, Brad and Tess take part.
Executive producers Michael Kelpie, Martin Scott and Helen Tumbridge (S) (HD)

6.00 Regional News Weather (S)
6.30 ITV Evening News Weather (S)

7.00 Emmerdale
Bob sees Brenda in a new light.
Writer Kirsty Halton This week's episodes produced by Iain MacLeod, directed by Michael Lacey, Duncan Foster and Peter Rose Cast Tue/Thu Rptd tomorrow 7.45am and 12.10pm ITV2 (S) (AD) (HD)
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7.30 Coronation Street
Kate thrills Sophie with a kiss. Sean's blunder infuriates Jude and Angie. More 8.30pm.
Writer Debbie Oates This week's episodes produced by Kate Oates, directed by Alan Grint and Neil Alderton Cast Wednesday/Friday Repeated tomorrow 8.20am and 12.45pm ITV2 (S) (AD) (HD)
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8.00 Britain's Best Walks with Julia Bradbury
Coastal Walk: Old Harry Rocks, Dorset. Julia heads to one of the most famous landmarks on the Jurassic Coast – Old Harry Rocks in Dorset.
Director/Series producer Alexandra Dutton (R) (S) (HD)

8.30 Coronation Street
Rana begs Kate not to leave for Devon. Sean tells Tyrone he's moving in while Fiz is away.
Writer Debbie Oates Repeated tomorrow 8.50am and 1.15pm ITV2 (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Next of Kin
RT New series. 1/6. Thriller starring Archie Panjabi. As a terrorist attack brings London to a standstill, GP Mona Harcourt receives the devastating news that her brother Kareem has been kidnapped on his way home to the UK from his charity clinic in Lahore. Her family's horror is aggravated by the attentions of the police counterterrorism unit and their interest in Kareem's teenage son Danny, who has not been seen at university for six weeks. **See page 67.**

Dr Mona Harcourt	Archie Panjabi	Craig Kowalski	Hal Fowler
Guy Harcourt	Jack Davenport	Mr Khalid	Nasser Memarzia
Mrs Shirani	Shabana Azmi	Imogen Kowalski	Hannah Bourne
Dr Kareem Shirani	Navin Chowdhry	Sammi Harcourt	Dante Patel
DS Joe Townsend	Enzo Celenzi	Tak Tak	Riti Khariwal
Rahana Shirani	Farzana Dua Elahe	Shania	Shalisha James-Davis
Danish Shirani	Viveik Kalra	Saira Shirani	Shanti Deen-Ellis
Omar Shirani	Mawaan Rizwan	Carla	Lola Petticrew
Ani Shirani	Kiran Sonia Sawar	Matron	Payal Kapoor Nair
DCI Vivien Barnes	Claire Skinner	Ragged pregnant woman	
Faisal Noor	Shiv Bhawani Singh Pathania		Chetna Dhyani
Rafiq	Jagruti Singh	Taxi driver	Seon Rogers
	Wahab Sheikh		

Writers Paul Rutman and Natasha Narayan; Producer Rebecca Ferguson; Director Justin Chadwick (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 ITV News at Ten
Weather; Regional News and Weather (S)

10.40 Piers Morgan's Life Stories
2/4. Caitlyn Jenner. The TV personality talks about her feud with her ex-wife and stepchildren.
Shown last Thursday (S) (HD)

11.40 Killer Women with Piers Morgan
Piers travels to Ocala in Florida to meet Jennifer Mee who was convicted in 2013 for causing the death of a young man she had lured into a dark alleyway for her friends to rob.
Series producer Kate Schofield
Executive producer Stuart Cobb (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

12.35am Jackpot247 Interactive gaming.
3.00 The Jeremy Kyle Show (R) (S) (SL) (HD)
3.55 Nightscreen Text information. (HD)
5.05–6.00am The Jeremy Kyle Show (R) (S) (SL) (HD)

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Channel 4

First Dates
Hotel 10.00pm
Keiren and Kaylee are matched, but a tall, handsome rival has caught her eye



5.00pm Come Dine with Me
One of the soirées in and around Sheffield is a Britney Spears-themed evening. (S) (HD)

6.00 The Simpsons
New Kids on the Bleck. Bart, Milhouse, Nelson and Ralph become a boy band. (R) (S) (AD)

6.30 Hollyoaks
Peri and Leela are at each other's throats.
Writer Alanna Hallum This week's episodes directed by Sean Glynn Cast Tuesday/Friday Shown last Friday E4 Rptd tomorrow 6.30am E4 Next episode follows on E4 (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 Channel 4 News Sport; Weather (S) (HD)

8.00 How to Lose Weight Well
New series. 1/4 Series 3. Dr Xand van Tulleken and dietician Hala El-Shafie return to help more people tackle various diets. In this edition, Sheena and Becky are short on time, so the former tries a punishing weight-loss regime, while the latter undergoes a diet which mixes cereals and high fibre. Bex and Lea attempt six-week programmes – one featuring so-called "miracle" foods.
Executive producers Ben Gale and Kurt Seywald Repeated tomorrow 7pm 4seven and 12.05am C4 (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 The Undateables
RT New series. 1/4 Series 8. The dating show for people with challenging conditions returns. Chef Luke has Tourette syndrome, but with a degree in science and health, and a great group of friends, he reckons a girlfriend is all he lacks. We also meet Sam who has Asperger's and finds the gay scene a little intimidating, but he's ready to confront his fears. Photography graduate Becky, meanwhile, isn't about to let scoliosis get in the way of finding her first boyfriend. **See page 66.**
Series producer Alice Wheeler; Executive producers Ian Carré and Jessica Orr Repeated tomorrow 9pm 4seven and Thursday 10.35pm C4 (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 First Dates Hotel
RT New series. Ep 1 Series 2. Maître d' Fred Sirieix swaps his restaurant for a hotel again to provide a new setting for romantic encounters, this time in Italy. His guests include nursery worker Kaylee, who is matched with bricklayer Keiren, but she also has eyes for Charlie, the date of tough-talking model Jada. Meanwhile, what will recruitment consultant Vanessa make of company director Julian's bright orange suit? **See page 67.**
Series producer Richard Mills; Executive producers Barnaby Coughlin and Michele Kurland Repeated tomorrow 10pm 4seven and Friday 11.05pm C4 (S) (AD) (HD)

RT TRAVEL Visit radiotimes.com/italy for a great collection of tours, cruises and other holidays

11.05 Derry Girls
1/6. Comedy set against the backdrop of the Troubles. Erin finds her cousin reading her diary.
Shown last Thursday Main cast on Thursday (S) (AD) (HD)

11.40 Hunted
1/6 Series 3. The chase is on for the new group of fugitives. Shown last Thursday (S) (AD) (HD)

12.40am SAS: Who Dares Wins 1/5 Series 3. A batch of 25 civilian recruits are pushed to their limits in Morocco. **See choice, page 57.** Shown yesterday 9pm (S) (AD) (HD)
1.40 Flat Pack Mansions A look at luxury houses built from prefabricated materials. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)
2.35 Cabins in the Wild with Dick Strawbridge Turning cabins into tourist accommodation. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)
3.30 Coast vs Country A couple who want to move to the Cumbria/Lancashire border area. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)
4.25 Location, Location, Location Kirstie and Phil try to help first-time buyers in north London. (R) (S) (HD)
5.20 Four in a Bed Fairfax Hotel in Skegness. (R) (S) (HD)
5.45–6.10am Extreme Cake Makers Creating a cake suitable for both humans and dogs. (R) (S) (HD)

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BBC4

9

My Astonishing Self 9.00pm
Gabriel Byrne on the life and works of George Bernard Shaw



7.00pm Beyond 100 Days (S) (HD)
Followed by **Weather (S) (HD)**

7.30 Great Continental Railway Journeys
Michael Portillo ends his Italian trip, visiting the house that was deployed to attract Edwardian tourists to the alleged setting of *Romeo and Juliet* in Verona.
Series producer Alison Kreps; Executive producer John Comerford (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Highlands: Scotland's Wild Heart
1/4. Spring: the Season of Extremes
The course of the seasons, beginning with spring, which sees the hills on fire as the annual muirburn takes place in the Cairngorms. As the flames rise, an osprey returns to a valley near Loch Ness, its movement captured in slow-motion. Narrated by Ewan McGregor.
Director Nigel Pope; Producers Jackie Savery, Verity White and Simon Williams Repeated 1.20am (R) (S) (HD)

9.00 My Astonishing Self: Gabriel Byrne on George Bernard Shaw
RT Actor Gabriel Byrne explores the life, works and passions of George Bernard Shaw, the Nobel Prize-winning Irish playwright who made his home in England and launched his ideas on the world from the London stage. Byrne considers Shaw a literary anarchist and examines his radical political thinking and unwavering ability to charm and satirise the establishment that so admired him. **See page 67.**
Writer/Director Gerry Hoban; Producer Martha Moloney Signed repeat 2.20am (S) (HD)

10.00 Workers or Shirkers? Ian Hislop's Victorian Benefits
A provocative and entertaining look at Victorian attitudes to the poor, which has strong resonances for Britain today. Ian discovers five individuals whose views shaped much of current thinking.
Director/Producer Ben Lewis Signed repeat Wednesday 2.20am (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 The Victorians
1/4. Painting the Town. Jeremy Paxman uses 19th-century paintings to explore the explosion of great cities in Victorian Britain, examining canals and sewers, suburbs and back streets, workhouses and magnificent buildings – as well as the chaos of Derby Day.
Director/Producer John Hay (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

12 midnight Top of the Pops 1981
Featuring Adam & the Ants, the Specials, the Nolans, the Look and the Beat. (R) (S)
12.40am Featuring Spandau Ballet, XTC, Blondie and Bad Manners. (R) (S)
1.20 Highlands: Scotland's Wild Heart 1/4. A look at spring. Shown 8pm (S) (HD)
2.20–3.20am My Astonishing Self: Gabriel Byrne on George Bernard Shaw
The life of the playwright. Shown 9pm (S) (SL)
Freeview 9 Freesat 110 Sky 116 Virgin 107
HD Freeview 106 Freesat 107 Virgin 163

Channel 5 listings are overleaf plus 30 more Freeview channels

Regional variations

BBC1 SCOTLAND
7.30–8.00pm The Forest: the people who live and work in Galloway Forest Park

STV
10.00pm ITV News at Ten; STV Weather
10.30 Scotland
Tonight; ITV Weather
11.05 Piers Morgan's Life Stories: Piers meets Caitlyn Jenner
12.05am Home Shopping
1.05 After Midnight
2.35 Alphabetical
3.25 Nightscreen
5.05–6.00 The Jeremy Kyle Show

BBC1 WALES
7.30–8.00pm The River Wye with Will Millard: new series. The writer and angler travels along the waterway
10.30 BBC Wales Today
10.45–11.15 Boots: Pharmacists under Pressure? An Inside Out Special: Marie Ashby presents

ITV WALES
10.40pm Sharp End: with Adrian Masters
11.10–11.40 River Monsters: an ancient fishing community being terrorised in the Pacific Ring of Fire

BBC1 NORTHERN IRELAND
7.30–8.00pm Getaways: new series
10.45–11.15 Boots: Pharmacists under Pressure?

BBC2 NORTHERN IRELAND
10.00–10.30pm I Lár an Aonaigh

UTV
12.35am Shopping
1.35–3.00 Nightscreen

RT Choice
Family viewing
Red button coverage
(R) Repeat
(S) Subtitles
(SL) Signing
(AD) Audio description
(HD) High definition
(W) Film in widescreen
(BW) Black and white

Films **Premiere**
Star Ratings
★★★★ Outstanding
★★★★ Very good
★★★ Worth watching
★★ Could be worse
★ Poor

MONDAY Freeview

Television Monday



Channel 5 5

Not So Sweet Sixteen 10.00pm Hosts with the most: Archie and Francesca

Freeview 5 Freesat 105 Sky 105 Virgin 105
HD Freeview 105 Freesat 105 Virgin 150

6.00am Milkshake! See page 73
9.15 New. The Wright Stuff (HD)
11.15 GPs: behind Closed Doors The doctors deal with three emergency situations. (S) (HD) **12.10pm 5 News** (S) (HD)
12.15 The Hotel Inspector Alex Polizzi heads to a struggling countryside hotel in Kent. (S) (HD) **1.10 New. Access** (S) (HD)
1.15 Home and Away Shown last Friday 5 Star Repeated 6pm Channel 5 (S) (AD) (HD)
1.45 New. Neighbours Rptd 5.30pm (S) (AD) (HD)
2.15 NCIS 3/24 Series 7. High-profile blogger Matt Burns is killed. (S) (AD) (HD)
3.15 Killer Mom ★★ Thriller. A teenage girl who stands to receive a large inheritance is shocked when she meets her estranged birth mother. Director Christine Conradt (2017) (S) (W) (HD)

5.00pm 5 News (S) (HD)
5.30 Neighbours Everyone joins in the search for Gabe. Shown 1.45pm Repeated 6pm 5 Star (S) (AD) (HD)
6.00 Home and Away The Astonis have an unwelcome visitor. Shown 1.15pm Next episode 6.30pm 5 Star (S) (AD) (HD)

6.30 5 News Tonight (S) (HD)
7.00 New. Car Crash TV Events caught on dashboard cameras, from freak accidents and amazing escapes to racehorses on the loose. Executive producers Patrick Murray and Alex Connock (S) (HD)
 Followed by **5 News Update** (S) (HD)

8.00 New. Police Interceptors An arrest snowballs into a firearms stand-off, Ben chases a runaway driver, and Paul catches a hit-and-run culprit, who then kicks off in his car. Series producer/director John Everett (S) (HD)
 Followed by **5 News Update** (S) (HD)

9.00 New. Celebrity Big Brother Housemates continue their confinement for the diversion of the viewing public. Executive producers Andrew Jackman, Rebecca Kenny-Smith, Louise Hutchinson and Rachel Rosen Repeated tomorrow 1pm 5 Star (S) (HD)

10.00 New. Not So Sweet Sixteen 1/2. The highs and lows of teenagers attending parties and proms. Dominique, who has autism, has a meltdown when her dress tears on the dance floor, while Beth's mum is in bits after her daughter's drunken escapade almost proves fatal. Executive producer Oliver Wright Editor Danny Gilder Cooke (S) (HD)

11.05 New. Celebrity Big Brother's Bit on the Side Presented by Rylan Clark-Neal. (S) (HD)
12.05am **Celebrity Botched Up Bodies** (S) (HD) **1.00 New.** SuperCasino (S) (HD) **3.10 GPs: behind Closed Doors** (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** Now That's Funny! (S) (SL) (HD) **4.45** House Doctor (S) (SL) **5.10** Wildlife SOS (S) (SL)
5.35-6.00am Nick's Quest (S) (SL)

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 My5 Freeview 54 Freesat 133 Sky 175 Virgin 152

BBC4 listings are overleaf



ITV2 6

Superstore 8.30pm Amy (centre) needs to get her childcare sorted

F'view 6 F'sat 113 Sky 118 Virgin 115 **HD** Virgin 176

6.00am Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records (S) (HD) **6.55** Dress to Impress (S) (HD) **7.45** Emmerdale (S) (AD) (HD) **8.20** Coronation Street (S) (AD) (HD) **9.25** The Ellen DeGeneres Show (S) (HD) **10.10** Who's Doing the Dishes? (S) (HD) **11.10** Dress to Impress (S) (HD)
12.10pm Emmerdale Shown last Fri ITV (S) (AD) (HD) **12.45** Coronation Street Shown last Fri ITV (S) (AD) (HD) **1.45 New.** The Ellen DeGeneres Show: chat show (S) (HD) **2.35** The Jeremy Kyle Show (S) (HD) **5.50** Take Me Out (S) (HD)
7.00pm You've Been Framed! Gold Including an out-of-control rally car. (S) **7.30** Featuring watersports gone wrong. (S)
8.00 New. Two and a Half Men 5/22 Series 11. Alan suggests that he and Lyndsey get back together. First shown on Comedy Central (S) (HD)

8.30 New. Superstore 5/11 Series 1. Amy brings her daughter to work and Dina chases a shoplifter. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Family Guy Series 1. Peter is placed under house arrest so turns the basement into a bar. (S) (AD) (HD) **9.30** Peter invites his neighbour to join the company's softball team. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 American Dad! Series 8. Stan persuades his last single friend to get married. (S) (AD) (HD) **10.30** Stan creates an alter ego in an attempt to bond with his son. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 Family Guy Series 9. Stewie takes over Chris's room after being evicted from his own. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.30 The Cleveland Show 10/22 Series 2. Rallo displays a natural gift for a sheep-riding sport. (S) (AD) (HD) **12.05am** Cleveland takes care of Donna's daughter for a weekend. (S) (AD) (HD)

12.30 Timewasters (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00** Two and a Half Men (S) (HD) **1.30** Superstore (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00** Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records (S) (HD) **2.20** Home Shopping **5.50-6.00am** Nightscreen

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F'view 12 F'sat 157 Sky 111 Virgin 127 **HD** Virgin 194 BT 387

7.10am Scrapheap Challenge **8.10** American Pickers (S) (HD) **9.00** Storage Hunters (S) (HD) **10.00** American Pickers (S) (HD)
1.00pm Top Gear (S) (AD) **3.00** Deadly 60 on a Mission **4.00** Ice Road Truckers (S) (HD) **5.00** Top Gear: double bill (S) (AD)
7.00pm Cops UK: Bodycam Squad Continuing the series following the work of the Staffordshire police force. (S)

8.00 James May's Cars of the People How the car industry in Germany and Japan blossomed after the Second World War. (S) **9.00 Live at the Apollo** With Lenny Henry, Andy Parsons and Ed Byrne. (S)
10.00 Taskmaster 5/5 Series 3. Dave Gorman, Al Murray, Rob Beckett, Sara Pascoe and Paul Chowdhry find out who has won. (S) **11.00 QI** Another chance to see a Children in Need edition of the irreverent quiz. (S) **11.40** Stephen Fry quizzes Alan Davies, Sean Lock, Phill Jupitus and Charlie Higson. (S)

12.20am Mock the Week (S) **1.00** QI (S) **2.20** Mock the Week (S) **3.00-4.00am** Live at the Apollo: with Russell Howard and Jo Brand (S) (HD)

Dave Ja Vu Freeview 79 Sky 214 Virgin 211



ITV3 10

Lewis 8.00pm The DI and Hathaway investigate a maths student's murder

F'view 10 F'sat 115 Sky 119 Virgin 117 **HD** Virgin 177

6.00am Classic Coronation Street (S) **6.55** Heartbeat (S) (AD) **7.55** The Royal (S) **9.00** Judge Judy (S) (HD) **10.20** Love Your Garden (S) (HD) **11.25** The Darling Buds of May (S) (HD)
12.35pm The Royal (S) **1.40** Heartbeat (S) (AD) **2.40** Classic Coronation Street: Ivy is upset when Brian forgets her birthday, then Susan, Sally and Emily help Deirdre with her campaign (S) **3.50** On the Buses (S) **4.55** Rising Damp (S) **5.25** George & Mildred (S)

6.00pm Heartbeat Joe races to find a missing gun and a schoolboy bent on revenge when an ex-Army teacher goes too far. (S) (AD)

7.00 Murder, She Wrote A preserved plane is discovered in an Alaskan ice field - but investigators believe it was the scene of a crime committed by Jessica's late husband. (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Lewis Pilot. The first episode in which DI Lewis stepped out from behind the late Inspector Morse's shadow, with a new partner. The inspector and his sidekick DS Hathaway investigate the murder of a talented maths student. The prime suspect is the victim's ex-boyfriend, who's convinced his uncle has set him up. (S) (AD) (HD)

DI Lewis DS Hathaway Ch Supt Innocent Dr Laura Hobson Danny Griffon Bernard Beech

Kevin Whately
 Laurence Fox
 Rebecca Front
 Clare Holman
 Charlie Cox
 Colin Starkey

10.00 Foyle's War 1/4 Series 3. The year is 1940, and Sam is made homeless when a bomb destroys her boarding house, alerting Foyle to some organised looting around Hastings. However, when a corpse is found on the beach, the investigation threatens to undermine British attempts to secure vital American aid for the war effort. (S) (AD)

12.15am Inspector Morse (S) (SL) (HD) **2.10-2.30am** Nightscreen (HD)

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F'view 24 F'sat 117 Sky 120 Virgin 118 **HD** Virgin 178

6.00am The Chase (S) (HD) **6.50** Pawn Stars (S) (HD) **7.35** Ironside (S) **8.35** Quincy (S) (HD) **9.40** Minder (S) (AD) **10.40** The Sweeney (S) **11.45** The Professionals (S) (AD)

12.50pm Ironside (S) (AD) **1.55** Quincy (S) (HD) **2.55** Minder (S) (AD) **4.00** The Sweeney (S) **5.05** The Professionals (S) (AD)
6.05pm Storage Wars: Texas A stranger on a motorbike drives up prices. (S) (HD) **6.35** Mary and Moe find themselves competing with a huge crowd of bidders. (S) (HD) **7.00 Pawn Stars** The team tries to make deals on a 1960s car and a baseball scorebook. (S) (HD) **7.30** A prop from *The Godfather*. (S) (HD)

8.00 Parking Wars The uproar caused by new parking meters in Sandbanks. (S) (HD) **9.00 New. River Monsters** A mystery sea monster washes up on a UK beach. (S) (HD) **10.05 FILM Wanted** ★★ Action adventure starring Angelina Jolie and James McAvoy. **Review page 37.** (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

12.15am FILM The Book of Eli ★★ Futuristic action drama (S) (AD) (W) (HD) **2.30** The Protectors **2.55-3.00am** Nightscreen (HD)

ITV4 +1 Freesat 154 Sky 193 Virgin 175



Drama 20

Ashes to Ashes 8.00pm Gene tackles the case of a dead police officer

Freeview 20 Freesat 158 Sky 158 Virgin 128

7.10am Crusoe **8.00** London's Burning **9.00** Casualty **10.00** Bergerac (S) **11.00** The Bill (S) **12 noon** The Duchess of Duke Street **1.00pm** Last of the Summer Wine (S) **1.40** Steptoe and Son (BW) (S) **2.20** Birds of a Feather **3.00** London's Burning **4.00** New Tricks (S) (AD) **5.00** The Duchess of Duke Street

6.00pm One Foot in the Grave Victor takes up art classes, and Margaret is only too happy to see the back of him. (S)

6.40 Last of the Summer Wine Howard concocts a plan to ally Pearl's well-founded suspicions. (S)

7.20 Goodnight Sweetheart Gary is concerned when Yvonne decides she wants to move home, while a tall, dark stranger enters Phoebe's life. (S)

8.00 Ashes to Ashes 1/8 Series 2. Gene and Alex are ordered to keep the case of a dead police officer under wraps after he is found in a strip club. But was the PC clearing the streets of vice or becoming seduced by it? (S)

9.00 Death in Paradise 1/8 Series 4. When the owner of a rum distillery is murdered during a seance, evidence points to a ghost as the prime suspect. With DI Humphrey Goodman and his team a member down, Commissioner Selwyn steps in to help them look for a killer made of flesh and blood.

10.20 New Tricks 4/10 Series 12. The Wolf of Wallbrook Ted's investigation into the apparent suicide of a city trader uncovers some dark secrets, including debauchery, hidden hand signals and a strict hierarchy that could be worth killing for. (S) (AD)

11.20 Birds of a Feather The sisters face upheaval after Tracey's kitchen goes up in smoke.

12 midnight The Bill (S) **1.00am** Bergerac (S) **2.15 FILM** Let It Snow ★★ Drama **3.30-4.00am** Garden Hopping

ITVBe 26

F'view 26 F'sat 118 Sky 149 (131 STV) Virgin 119 **HD** Virgin 179

9.00am The Only Way Is Essex: double bill (S) **10.00** Flipping Out (HD) **11.00** The Real Housewives of Atlanta (S)

12 noon Buying and Selling (HD) **1.00pm** Dinner Date (S) (HD) **2.00** Chrissy Knobs Best (HD) **3.00** The Real Housewives of New Jersey (S) (HD) **4.00** The Real Housewives of Beverly Hills: double bill (S) (HD)

6.00pm Dinner Date Kim from Bristol. (S) (HD) **7.00 Buying and Selling** A couple who are desperate to find a new family home. (HD) **8.00 Dinner Date** Londoner Daisy picks three dates from five potential partners. (S) (HD)

9.00 Celebrity Dinner Date Singletons try to woo TV presenter Matt Johnson. (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00 Kendra on Top** Kendra is shocked when she sees the wardrobe for her new music video, causing tension on set. (HD) **10.30** Colin must decide if he wants to reunite with his father. Last in series. (HD)

11.00 Botched Paul performs reconstructive rhinoplasty on a woman who has been teased about her nose for years. (S) (AD) (HD) **12 midnight-12.55am** Mob Wives (HD)

ITVBe +1 Freesat 119 Sky 206 Virgin 120

E4 28



Life of Pi 8.00pm Pi has dangerous company when he is cast adrift

F'view 28 F'sat 122 Sky 136 Virgin 106 HD Virgin 145

6.00am Hollyoaks... 11.00 Brooklyn Nine-Nine... 12 noon The Goldbergs... 6.00pm The Big Bang Theory

6.00pm The Big Bang Theory 14&15/24 Series 9. (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 New. Hollyoaks Misbah plans a family cricket match.

7.30 New series. Coach Trip: Road to Tenerife

8.00 Life of Pi Oscar-winning adventure. Following a disaster at sea, young Pi Patel is cast adrift in a small boat.

10.35 Gogglebox 1/12 Series 3. Programmes under scrutiny include The Voice UK, The Taste and Ant & Dec's Saturday Night Takeaway.

11.40 The Big Bang Theory 10/24 Series 4. Amy finds herself attracted to Penny's former boyfriend.

12.10am The guys find a way to bond with Penny's new boyfriend. 12.35 Tattoo Fixers... 4.55-6.00am Charmed (S) (TL)

E4 +1 Freewiew 29 Freesat 123 Sky 137 Virgin 146

4seven 47

F'view 47 F'sat 127 Sky 140 Virgin 143 HD F'view 110

9.00am Four in a Bed (S) (HD) 9.30 Come Dine with Me: five editions (S) (HD)

12 noon Coast vs Country (S) (AD) (HD) 1.00pm A Place in the Sun: Summer Sun (S) (HD) 2.00 A Place in the Sun: Winter Sun (S) (HD) 3.00 Sun, Sea and Selling Houses (S) (HD) 4.00 Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA (S) (HD)

6.00pm Location, Location, Location The property experts revisit house-hunters. (S) (HD) 7.00 Kirstie and Phil are in south London to catch up with identical twins. (S) (HD) 8.00 Princess Diana's 'Wicked' Stepmother The Princess of Wales's relationship with Raine Spencer. (S) (AD) (HD) 9.00 The World's Wildest Weather Unusual and dangerous weather from around the world. Shown yesterday 7pm C4 (S) (HD)

10.00 Eight out of Ten Cats Does Countdown With Jon Richardson, Catherine Tate, Sean Lock and Joe Wilkinson. (S) (HD) 11.05 CHOICE The Undateables 1/4 Series 8. Graduate Becky who has scoliosis is determined to find her first boyfriend. See choice, page 66. Shown 9pm C4 (S) (AD) (HD) 12.05am The Secret Life of the Zoo (S) (AD) (HD) 2.00 24 Hours in A&E (S) (AD) (HD) 2.55-4.25am Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA (S) (HD)

More4 14



Car SOS 9.00pm Fuzz Townshend and Tim Shaw renovate a 1971 Fiat Dino

F'view 14 F'sat 124 Sky 138 Virgin 147 HD Virgin 195

8.55am Best of Food Unwrapped (S) (AD) (HD) 9.30 A Place in the Sun: Home or Away (S) (HD) 10.30 Four in a Bed (S) (HD)

1.05pm Come Dine with Me (S) (HD) 3.50 A Place in the Sun: Home or Away (S) (HD) 5.55 The Secret Life of the Zoo (S) (AD) (HD)

6.55pm The Supervet Noel Fitzpatrick prepares to fuse a cat's shattered thigh bone back together in an all-night operation. (S) (AD) (HD)

7.55 Grand Designs Kevin McCloud meets Audrey and Jeff, who dream of living in one of west London's most exclusive areas. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 New series. Car SOS 1/10 Series 5. Tim Shaw and Fuzz Townshend renovate more classic cars, beginning by restoring a 1971 Fiat Dino coupé for an ex-mechanic diagnosed with cancer. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 Inside Rolls-Royce A look at the making of the heritage car brand's most expensive bespoke vehicle to date, the Celestial Phantom. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 24 Hours in A&E A father and son are rushed in after being attacked at a family party. (S) (AD) (HD)

12.05am Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA: A Cuban café in New York (S) 1.00 Car SOS (S) (AD) 2.00 Grand Designs (S) (AD) (HD) 3.05-3.45am Eight out of Ten Cats (S) (HD)

More4 +1 Freewiew 86 Freesat 125 Sky 139 Virgin 196

5 USA 21

Freewiew 21 Freesat 129 Sky 174 Virgin 153

9.00am Catch a Contractor 9.20 The Front (S) 11.10 The Mentalist (S) (AD) 12.10pm Law & Order (S) 2.10 The Mentalist (S) (AD) 3.05 Rookie Blue (S) 5.00 Law & Order (S) 7.00pm NCIS: New Orleans: double bill. 10/24 Series 1. The team reopens a 40-year-old case (S) (AD) 8.00 11/24. An investigation into the murder of a retired Navy SEAL (S) (AD) 9.00 NCIS 1&2/24 Series 12 (S) (AD) 10.55 Law & Order: Special Victims Unit: double bill. 18/22 Series 10. A suspected serial killer is on the loose (S) 11.55 8/22. A woman claims to have been raped by a stranger 12.50am Cedar Cove: Olivia recalls the death of her son 2.50 Chicago PD (S) 3.50-4.00am Access

5 USA +1 F'view 56 (6pm-5am) F'sat 130 Sky 191 Virgin 185

5 Star 30

Freewiew 30 Freesat 131 Sky 176 Virgin 151

8.00am Access 8.05 According to Jim (S) 8.25 Gilmore Girls (S) 9.15 Milkshake! 11.00 Access 11.05 According to Jim (S) 12 noon Nightmare Tenants, Slum Landlords (S) 1.00pm Celebrity Big Brother (S) 2.00 Police Interceptors (S) 3.00 Funniest Fails, Falls and Flops (S) 3.30 Home and Away (S) (AD) 4.00 The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air (S) 5.00 Will & Grace (S) 6.00pm Neighbours Shown 5.30pm C5 (S) (AD) 6.30 New. Home and Away Repeated tomorrow 6pm C5 (S) (AD) 7.00 The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air (S) 8.00 FILM The Forbidden Kingdom ★★ Martial arts action comedy (S) 10.05 FILM Jet Li's The One ★★ Sci-fi adventure (S) 11.55 Lauren Goodger in Therapy (S) 12.55am Marnie Simpson in Therapy (S) 1.55 Gemma Collins in Therapy (S) 2.50 The Shannara Chronicles (S) 3.45-4.00am Access

5 Star +1 Freewiew 55 Freesat 132 Sky 190 Virgin 186

PBS America is listed overleaf. See p74 for Film4 and other Freewiew movie channels

Yesterday 19

Freewiew 19 Freesat 159 Sky 537 Virgin 245

6.00am Coast (S) (AD) 7.10 Pointless 8.00 Time Team (S) 9.00 Coast (S) (AD) 10.00 as 7pm 11.00 Royal Murder Mysteries (S)

12 noon Time Team (S) 1.00pm Human Planet (S) (AD) 2.00 Atlantic: the Wildest Ocean on Earth 3.00 Coast (S) (AD) 4.00 Slow Train through Africa with Griff Rhys Jones 5.00 The Nazis: a Warning from History (S) (AD)

6.00pm Battleplan Three real-life examples of military counter-attacks. (S) 7.00 David Starkey's Monarchy Examining the evolution of the British monarchy. (S) (AD) 8.00 Royal Murder Mysteries The death of the Duke of Kent in a 1942 plane crash. (S) 9.00 Goodnight Sweetheart First episode of the sitcom, starring Nicholas Lyndhurst. 9.40 Gary gets kitted out for a date. 10.20 Gary spends the night in 1940. (S) 11.00 Porridge The inmates face a day of hard labour digging drains on moorland. (S) 11.40 Fletcher tries to shirk his duties. (S) 12.20am Fletcher becomes an agony aunt. (S) 1.00 Diamond Decades 2.00-3.00am Pointless

Yesterday +1 Sky 538 Virgin 246

Home 25

Freewiew 25 Freesat 166 Sky 196 Virgin 281 BT 314

7.05am Homes under the Hammer 8.00 Flog It! 9.00 Ground Force 10.00 Wanted Down Under 11.00 Cash in the Attic 12 noon Escape to the Country 1.00pm DIY SOS: The Big Build 2.00 Escape to the Country 3.00 Flog It! 4.00 Cash in the Attic 5.00 Homes under the Hammer 6.00pm Ground Force 7.00 Wanted Down Under 8.00 Escape to the Country 10.00 Nick Knowles's Original Features 11.00 Make My Home Bigger (AD) 12 midnight DIY SOS: The Big Build 1.00am Homes under the Hammer 2.00 Wanted Down Under 2.50-4.00am Flog It!: from Guildford Cathedral

Home +1 Sky 244 Virgin 282

5 Spike 31

Freewiew 31 Freesat 141 Sky 160 Virgin 154

9.00am The Cars That Made Britain Great 10.00 Nightmare Tenants, Slum Landlords 11.00 Nightmare Tenants: Get Out of My House 12.05pm FILM Will Penny ★★★★★ Western with Charlton Heston 2.15 FILM A Lawless Street ★★ Western 5.00 Knight Rider 6.00pm Police Interceptors: double bill 8.00 It Takes a Thief to Catch a Thief 9.00 Fights, Camera, Action!: a young woman attempts to punch a bouncer 10.00 Spartacus: Blood and Sand 7/13 Series 1. The Thracian warrior insists on fighting alone 11.00 The X-Files 7/25 Series 2. Mulder investigates a trio of blood-drinking killers 12 midnight The X-Files: double bill 2.00-3.00am Lip Sync Battle: two editions

5 Spike +1 Sky 219

True Entertainment 61

Freewiew 61 (not Wales) Freesat 142 Sky 182 Virgin 189

6.00am The Waltons 7.00 Little House on the Prairie 8.00 The Waltons 10.00 Little House on the Prairie 1.00pm FILM A Day for Thanks on Waltons Mountain ★★ 3.00 FILM The Lost Valentine ★★ 5.00 Murder, She Wrote 6.00 Touched by an Angel 7.00 M*A*S*H 8.00 The Man from Uncle 9.00 Taggart 1.15-3.00am FILM A Crime of Passion ★★ True Entertainment +1 Freesat 152 Sky 183

Horror Channel 70

Freewiew 70 Freesat 138 Sky 319 Virgin 149

8.00am Highlander 9.00 Star Trek: the Next Generation 10.00 Star Trek 11.00 FILM Attack of the 50 Ft Woman ★ 12.50pm Horror Highlights 1.00 FILM Alien Nation: Dark Horizon ★★ 2.50 Horror Highlights 3.00 Earth: Final Conflict 4.00 FILM Earthstorm ★ Disaster movie 5.50 Horror Highlights 6.00 Star Trek 7.00 Star Trek: the Next Generation 8.00 Lost in Space 9.00 FILM Urban Legend ★★ 11.00 FILM Cat's Eye ★★ 12.55am FILM Gallowalkers ★★ 2.45-4.30am FILM Boogeyman ★★

Pick 11

Freewiew 11 Freesat 144 Sky 152 Virgin 123

6.00am Nothing to Declare 7.30 Border Patrol 8.00 Border Security: Canada's Front Line 9.00 Without a Trace 10.00 Babylon 5 11.00 Stargate SG-1 12 noon Nothing to Declare (AD) 1.00pm A Town Called Eureka 2.00 Without a Trace 3.00 Stop, Search, Seize 4.00 Nothing to Declare UK 5.00 Monkey Life (AD) 6.00 A Town Called Eureka 7.00 Stargate SG-1 8.00 Babylon 5 9.00 Blue Bloods (AD) 10.00 NCIS: Los Angeles 11.00 Brit Cops: Frontline Crime UK 12 midnight The Force: Manchester 1.00 Police 10/7 2.00 Road Wars 3.00 Brit Cops: Frontline Crime UK 4.00 Nothing to Declare 5.00-6.00am Motorway Patrol

Pick +1 Freesat 145 Sky 164 (NI 283)

Really 17

Freewiew 17 Freesat 160 Sky 155 Virgin 129

6.00am Tornado Alley 7.00 Shopping 8.00 as 6pm 9.00 A Place in the Sun: Winter Sun 10.00 DIY SOS (AD) (HD) 11.00 Ghost Adventures (AD) 12 noon The Dead Files 1.00pm Escape to the Country 2.00 A Place in the Sun: Winter Sun 3.00 Wanted Down Under 4.00 The Dead Files 5.00 Ghost Adventures (AD) 6.00 Antiques Road Trip 7.00 Escape to the Country 8.00 DIY SOS (AD) 8.30 DIY SOS (AD) 9.00 Helicopter ER 10.00 CHOICE New series. Into the Fire See p67 11.00 Murder Made Me Famous 12 midnight Crime Stories 1.00am I Survived Evil 2.00 Shopping 4.00 as 11pm 4.50-6.00am Crime Stories

Quest 37

Freewiew 37 Freesat 167 Sky 144 Virgin 172

6.00am On Coarse 6.20 Lake Escapes 7.10 Mighty Cruise Ships 8.00 Chasing Classic Cars 9.00 How It's Made 11.00 Railroad Australia 12 noon Outback Trucker: 1.00pm Mighty Cruise Ships 2.00 Wheeler Dealers: on the Road 3.00 Fantomworks 4.00 Planes That Never Flew (AD) 5.00 How Stuff's Made 6.00 Chasing Classic Cars 7.00 New. Ultimate Airport Dubai 8.00 Salvage Hunters 9.00 New. Pacific Warriors 10.00 New. Deadly Islands 11.00 New series. World's Deadliest Drivers 12 midnight as 2pm 1.00am as 6pm 2.00 as 3pm 3.00 Destroyed in Seconds 4.00 as 12 noon 5.00-6.00am Overhaul'n'

Quest +1 F'view 83 (7pm-4am) F'sat 168 Sky 195 Virgin 173

Challenge 46

Freewiew 46 Freesat 146 Sky 145 Virgin 139

6.00am Golden Balls 7.00 Catchphrase 8.00 Bruce Forsyth's Play Your Cards Right 9.00 The Chase 10.00 Family Fortunes (AD) 11.00 Bruce's Price Is Right 12 noon Wheel of Fortune 1.00pm Catchphrase (AD) 2.00 Family Fortunes (AD) 3.00 The Chase: quiz hosted by Bradley Walsh 4.00 Takeshi's Castle 5.00 Ninja Warrior 6.00pm Catchphrase (AD) 7.00 The Chase 10.00 Who Wants to Be a Millionaire? 11.00 Bullseye 1.00am The Chase: triple bill 4.00 Bullseye: double bill 5.00-6.00am Golden Balls

Challenge +1 Freesat 147 Sky 170 Virgin 180

CBS Action 39

Freewiew 39 Freesat 137 Sky 148 Virgin 192

9.00am JAG 10.00 The District 11.00 Diagnosis Murder 12 noon Gunsmoke 1.00pm Mission: Impossible 2.00 NCIS: LA 3.00 NCIS 4.00 CSI: Miami 5.00 NCIS: LA 6.00 NCIS 7.00 Diagnosis Murder 8.00 Walker, Texas Ranger 9.00 NCIS 10.00 NCIS: LA 11.00 Ultimate Force 12 midnight The District 1.00am NCIS 2.00 as 4pm 3.00 MacGyver 3.55 Walker, Texas Ranger 4.40-6.00am Dr Quinn CBS Action +1 Freewiew 64 (HD only)

CBS Drama 71

Freewiew 71 Freesat 134 Sky 147 Virgin 197

9.00am Gunsmoke 10.00 Touched by an Angel 11.00 Matlock 12 noon Judge Judy 1.00pm CSI: Miami 2.00 Medium 3.00 Matlock 4.00 Judge Judy 5.00 JAG: a marine shoots a terrorist 6.00pm Medium 7.00 Touched by an Angel 8.00 Judge Judy 10.00 CSI: Miami 11.00 Medium 12 midnight Judge Judy 1.00am CSI: Miami: six bodies are found in the ocean 2.00 Matlock 3.00 Touched by an Angel 4.00-5.00am Gunsmoke

BBC Parliament 232

Freewiew 232 Freesat 201 Sky 504 Virgin 605

6.15am BOOKtalk 6.35 Speaker's House 7.35 Select Committees 9.35 European Parliament 11.05 Conversations: Harriet Harman 11.55 Mayor's Question Time 1.25pm Westminster in Review 2.30 House of Commons 11.00 Monday in Parliament 11.30 Lords Questions 12 midnight Daily Politics 1.00-9.00am House of Lords

MONDAY Satellite & cable

Television Monday



Mission: Impossible 9.00pm
Ethan's life is in the balance

Sky 1

Sky 106 Virgin 110 HD Virgin 109

6.00am Futurama (S) 7.00 Monkey Life (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** Meerkat Manor (S) **9.00** Road Wars (S) **10.00** Stargate Atlantis (S) (HD) **11.00** MacGyver (S) (HD) **12 noon** NCIS: Los Angeles (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Hawaii Five-0 (S) (HD) **3.00** NCIS: Los Angeles (S) (HD) **4.00** Stargate SG-1 (S) **5.00** The Simpsons (S) (HD)

6.00pm Futurama Bender discovers he has a mortal manufacturing defect. (S) (HD)

6.30 The Simpsons Marge has a novel published to critical acclaim. **7.00** Marge tries to stimulate the children's interest in history. **7.30** Milhouse and his mother leave Springfield. (S) (HD)

8.00 David Attenborough's Galapagos 1/3. Exploring the Pacific archipelago. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Mission: Impossible ★★ ★★ Action spy thriller starring Tom Cruise. **Review p37.** (W)

11.00 The Force: North East A suspected drink-driver faces a breathalyser test. (S) (HD)

12 midnight Ross Kemp: Extreme World (S) (HD) **1.00am** Hawaii Five-0: double bill (S) (HD) **3.00** The Blacklist (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** Stop, Search, Seize (S) (HD) **5.00-6.00am** The Dog Whisperer (HD)

Sky 1 +1 Sky 130

Sky Arts

Sky 122 Virgin 122 HD Virgin 206

6.00am Prokofiev: Alexander Nevsky (HD) **6.45** La Traviata on Sydney Harbour (HD) **9.00** Tales of the Unexpected (S) (AD) **9.30** Fabergé: a Life of Its Own (S) (HD) **11.00** Blondie: Song by Song (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00pm** Discovering: David Niven (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00** Tales of the Unexpected (S) (AD) **2.30** Hollywood: Singing and Dancing (S) (AD) **3.45** Monty Python's Personal Best (S) **5.00** Too Young to Die (S) (AD) (HD)

6.00pm Discovering: Gary Cooper A portrait of the Hollywood icon, who won Academy Awards for his performances in *High Noon* and *Sergeant York*. (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 Frank Sinatra: in Concert at the Royal Festival Hall A 1970 concert featuring an introduction by Princess Grace of Monaco. Songs include *One for My Baby, My Way* and *You Make Me Feel So Young*. (S)

8.00 André Rieu: Falling in Love - Live in Maastricht 2016 The Dutch violinist performs in the square of his home town, featuring favourites such as *My Heart Will Go On, Memory* and *Somewhere over the Rainbow*. (HD)

11.00 Elvis '56 Special Charting this pivotal year in Elvis Presley's career. (S) (AD)

12.15am The Moody Blues Live at the Isle of Wight (S) (HD) **1.45** Heimat (S) (HD) **4.00** Dean Martin: a Legend in Concert (S) **5.00-6.00am** Auction (S) (HD)



House 6.00pm The doctor has some convincing to do

Sky Atlantic

Sky 108

6.00am Fish Town (S) (HD) **7.00** The Guest Wing (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** Richard E Grant's Hotel Secrets (S) (AD) **9.00** The West Wing (S) (HD) **11.00** House (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Without a Trace (S) (HD) **2.00** Blue Bloods (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** The West Wing (S) (HD) **5.00** House (S) (AD) (HD)

6.00pm House 13/22 Series 8 Dominika and House research each other's families. (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 CSI: Crime Scene Investigation 6/24 Series 7 Grissom tries to extract a confession from a neighbourhood paedophile by enlisting his help in locating two missing boys. (S) (HD)

8.00 Blue Bloods 21/22 Series 5 NYPD Deputy Chief Donald Kent and his wife are gunned down in an apparent gang hit. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Game of Thrones 1/7 Series 7 Jon organises the defence of the North as Cersei tries to even the odds.

10.10 2/7 Daenerys receives an unexpected visitor.

11.20 3/7 Daenerys holds court and Cersei returns a gift. (S) (AD) (HD)

12.30am Dexter: double bill (HD) **2.35** Banshee (S) (AD) (HD) **3.30** Blue Bloods (S) (AD) (HD) **4.20-6.00am** The West Wing (S) (HD)

Sky Atlantic +1 Sky 217

Universal

Sky 113 Virgin 137 BT 320 HD Virgin 164 BT 385

6.00am CSI: Miami **7.00** Home Shopping **8.00** Law & Order **2.00pm** NCIS: four editions

6.00pm NCIS 21/24 Series 3 A routine murder investigation soon becomes personal when Abby is nearly killed.

7.00 22/24 A suspect dies while being restrained by Ziva, who finds herself accused of using undue force and becomes the subject of an internal investigation.

8.00 6/24 Series 9 After a trucker runs a man down, the victim turns out to have drunk a massive amount of water in a short time, effectively drowning himself.

9.00 Law & Order: Special Victims Unit 15/22 Series 10 The team investigates the murder of a paediatrician who had been out on bail pending sentence for the sexual assault of four male patients in his care.

10.00 5/23 Series 16 Two college students are accused of raping a classmate who appeared in a series of pornographic videos to pay for her education.

11.00 6/23 Three girls sneak into the woods in search of the mythical Glasgowman, but a series of violent events leaves one injured and the other two missing.

12 midnight Law & Order: Special Victims Unit: two further episodes **2.00am** Law & Order **3.00** Rookie Blue **4.00-6.00am** Numb3rs

Universal +1 Sky 150 Virgin 138



Elementary 8.00pm Holmes and Watson tackle a hacker

Sky Living

Sky 107 Virgin 112 HD Virgin 111

6.00am 60-Minute Makeover **7.00** Obese: a Year to Save My Life (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** Criminal Minds (S) (HD) **10.00** Cold Case (S) (HD) **11.00** The Biggest Loser: Australia (HD)

12 noon House Hunters International (HD) **1.00pm** To Catch a Smugger: JFK Airport (S) (HD)

2.00 Nothing to Declare (S) **4.00** Chicago Fire (S) (HD) **5.00** CSI: Crime Scene Investigation (S) (HD)

6.00pm Criminal Minds 3/24 Series 6. Rossi is haunted by a 30-year-old case. (S) (HD)

7.00 New series. The Chef's Line Four home cooks compete. (HD)

7.30 The Real A&E (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Elementary 19/24 Series 3 A digital war draws the duo in. (S) (HD)

9.00 Britain's Most Evil Killers The case of Levi Bellfield. (S) (HD)

10.00 Beverley Allitt A nurse who killed four children. (S) (HD)

11.00 Criminal Minds 1/22 Series 1. First-ever episode. (S) (HD)

12 midnight CSI: Crime Scene Investigation (S) (HD) **1.00am** Cold Case (S) (HD) **2.00** Bones (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Scandal (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** The Chef's Line (HD) **4.30** The Real A&E (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00-6.00am** Nothing to Declare (S) (AD)

Sky Living +1 Sky 129 Virgin 140

Sky 2

Sky 163 (NI 164) Virgin 121

6.00am Road Wars (S) **9.00** Biggest Loser US (S) **10.00** Obese USA (S) **11.00** Real A&E (S) **12 noon** Police 10/7 (S) **1.00pm** Highway Patrol (S) **2.00** Motorway Patrol (S) **3.00** Road Wars (S) **4.00** The Flash (S) **5.00** Stargate Atlantis: Dr Elizabeth Weir and her team step into the Pegasus galaxy (S)

6.00pm Stargate SG-1: the team may be the victims of a Goa'uld method of mind control (S) **7.00** Relic Hunter: Syd wages war on an evil warlock (S) **8.00** MacGyver (S) **9.00** NCIS: LA **10.00** Hawaii 5-0 **11.00** Duck Quacks Don't Echo (S) **1.00am** Most Shocking **2.00** Real A&E **3.00** Motorway Patrol (S) **4.00** Road Wars (S) **5.00-6.00am** Police 10/7 (S)

Syfy

Sky 114 Virgin 135 BT 319 HD Virgin 165 BT 375

6.00am FILM *Martian Land* ★★ **8.00** Home Shopping **11.00** The Librarians **12 noon** FILM *Sinbad and the Clash of Furries* ★★ Action adventure **2.00pm** FILM *American Warships* ★★ Sci-fi action thriller **4.00** Buffy the Vampire Slayer **5.00** Star Trek: the Next Generation **7.00pm** Merlin: double bill **9.00** FILM *Superhero Movie* ★★ Fantasy action spoof **10.50** FILM *Burying the Ex* ★★ Comedy horror

12.50am FILM *King Arthur* and the Knights of the Round Table ★★ Action fantasy **2.40** Fact or Faked: Paranormal Files **3.30** The Captains Close Up **4.00-6.00am** Dark Matter

Syfy +1 Sky 194 Virgin 136



John Bishop in Conversation with Kirsty Young 10.00pm

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Sky 109 Virgin 125 BT 311 HD Virgin 191 BT 383

6.10am MasterChef Junior USA (S) (HD) **8.00** Extreme Makeover: Home Edition (S) **10.00** The Bill (S) **11.00** Tipping Point (HD) **1.00pm** Supernanny US **2.00** The Great British Bake Off (S) (HD) **3.00** Extreme Makeover: Home Edition (S) **5.00** Tipping Point (HD)

5.55pm The Davina Hour 5/8 Davina McCall explores the elusive concept of "happiness". (S) (HD)

7.00 The Great British Bake Off Thirteen contestants battle it out in the 2013 series. (S) (HD)

8.00 One Born Every Minute Childbirth stories. (S) (HD)

9.00 Dr Christian Will See You Now Dr Christian Jensen helps a man in excruciating pain. (HD)

10.00 John Bishop in Conversation with Kirsty Young 5/10 Series 1. The comedian chats to the Scottish journalist and *Desert Island Discs* presenter. (S) (HD)

11.00 EastEnders Shirley is left in charge of the Vic. Shown 8pm BBC1 (AD) (HD)

11.40 Code Black 1/18. Dr Leanne Rorish welcomes four new resident ER doctors. (S) (AD) (HD)

12.40am Wanted Down Under **2.25-3.00am** Judge Faith (HD)

W +1 Sky 213 Virgin 131

TLC

Sky 125 Virgin 167 BT 323 HD Virgin 168 BT 377

6.00am Cake Boss (HD) **7.00** Cake Boss: the Next Great Baker (AD) (HD) **8.00** Say Yes to the Dress: Atlanta (HD) **9.00** Say Yes to the Dress (HD) **10.00** Suddenly Royal (HD) **11.00** 90 Day Fiancé (AD) (HD) **12 noon** Gypsy Sisters (HD) **1.00pm** Say Yes to the Dress Canada (HD) **2.00** Cake Boss (HD) **3.00** Something Borrowed, Something New (HD) **4.00** Say Yes to the Dress: Big Bliss (HD) **5.00** Say Yes to the Dress (HD) **6.00** Say Yes to the Dress: Atlanta (HD) **7.00** Say Yes to the Dress (HD) **8.00** New. Little People, Big World (HD) **9.00** New. Hodges Half Dozen (HD) **10.00** Baby Changes Everything (AD) (HD) **11.00** Hoarding: Buried Alive (HD) **12 midnight** as 8pm **1.00am** as 2pm **2.00** as 5pm **3.00** as 3pm **4.00** as 4pm **5.00-6.00am** as 1pm

TLC +1 Sky 154 Virgin 169

Lifetime

Sky 156 Virgin 208 BT 329 HD Virgin 209 BT 384

7.00am Property Brothers (HD) **8.00** Little Women: LA (HD) **9.00** Vanderpump Rules (HD) **10.00** The Real Housewives of Beverly Hills (HD) **11.00** Judge Judy (HD) **2.00pm** My Ghost Story: Caught on Camera (HD) **3.00** Million Dollar Decorators (HD) **4.00** Dance Moms (HD) **5.00** Hardcore Pawn (HD) **6.00** Storage Wars (HD) **7.00** Judge Judy (HD) **8.00** Hoarders (HD) **9.00** New series. Fit to Fat to Fit (HD) **10.00** New series. Hoarders (HD) **11.00** Real Housewives of Sydney **12 midnight** Fit to Fat to Fit **1.00am** Hoarders **2.00** as 2pm **3.00-4.00am** Dance Moms

Lifetime +1 Sky 197



Blackadder II 8.00pm Edmund plans a round-the world trip

Gold

Sky 110 Virgin 124 BT 310

7.30am Yes, Prime Minister (S) **8.05** To the Manor Born (S) **8.45** Goodnight Sweetheart (S) **9.25** Last of the Summer Wine (S) **11.20** My Family (S) (AD) **12 noon** The Green Green Grass (S)

12.40pm Keeping Up Appearances (S) **1.20** To the Manor Born (S) **2.00** Goodnight Sweetheart (S) **3.20** The Green Green Grass (S) **4.00** Last of the Summer Wine (S)

6.00pm Keeping Up Appearances Hyacinth tries to arrange a social event. (S)

6.40 My Family (S) (AD) **7.20 The Good Life** (S) (AD)

8.00 Blackadder II Edmund embarks on a voyage. (S) (AD)

8.40 A bloodthirsty bishop menaces Edmund. (S) (AD)

9.20 The Vicar of Dibley Geraldine gives up chocolate. (S) (AD)

10.15 Mrs Brown's Boys The family awaits the fruits of its fraud. (S) (HD)

10.55 Peep Show Mark awaits the birth of his child. (S) (HD)

11.30 Mark forms a club. (S) (HD) **12 midnight** Shooting Stars (S) (HD) **12.40am** The Thick of It (S) (HD) **1.20** The Trip (S) (HD) **2.00** Peep Show: double bill (S) (HD) **3.00-4.00am** Harry Hill's TV Burp (S)

Gold +1 Sky 166 Virgin 190

Comedy Central

Sky 112 Virgin 132 BT 307 HD Virgin 181 BT 370

8.00am The Middle (S) (HD) **10.00** Friends (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00pm** Impractical Jokers (S) (HD) **2.00** Friends (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** Bob's Burgers (S) (HD) **5.00** Friends: eight back-to-back episodes (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00pm** Russell Howard's Good News (HD) **9.30** Eight out of Ten Cats: with Johnny Vegas, Jack Whitehall, Ulrika Jonsson and Jodie Kidd (HD)

10.00 New. Impractical Jokers: Joe, Sal, Murr and Q head to Hawaii

11.00 The Cleveland Show (HD) **12 midnight** Da All G Show (HD) **12.30am** Impractical Jokers (S) (HD) **1.30** South Park (S) (HD) **2.30** The Cleveland Show (HD) **3.25** South Park (S) (HD)

4.15-5.00am Bob's Burgers (S) (HD)

Comedy Central +1 Sky 127 Virgin 133

Sony Channel

Sky 157 Virgin 193 BT 331

7.00am Ghost Hunters **9.00** Hotel Babylon **11.00** America's Got Talent **1.00pm** FILM *Sleepless in Seattle* ★★ ★★ Romantic comedy **3.15** FILM *My Best Friend's Wedding* ★★ ★★ Romantic comedy **5.30** Ghosts in My Home **6.00pm** Hotel Babylon **8.00** Hustle: it's the ultimate showdown for the con artists as they take on their trickiest mark yet **9.00** Saving Hope **10.00** The Night Shift **11.00** Secret Diary of a Call Girl **12 midnight** Satisfaction **1.00am** Younger **2.00** Celebrity Ghost Stories **3.00-4.00am** Saving Hope

Sony TV +1 Sky 181



Broadchurch 9.00pm The Latimers pile on the pressure

ITV Encore

Sky 123

6.00am Upstairs, Downstairs (S) **7.50** The Chief **8.45** Always and Everyone **9.50** Heartbeat (S) **11.00** Peak Practice **12 noon** The Chief **1.10pm** Always and Everyone **2.15** Peak Practice **3.20** Heartbeat (S) **4.30** Upstairs, Downstairs (S)

6.40pm Agatha Christie's Poirot The Adventure of the Italian Nobleman. The sleuth tangles with gangsters. (S)

7.55 Murder in the Mews A body is found in a garage. (S)

9.00 Broadchurch 3/8 Series 2 Hardy faces a race against time as Ellie uncovers a startling piece of evidence. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 4/8 Family tensions surface as Ellie struggles to control her sister Lucy. (S) (AD) (HD) **Alec Hardy** **David Tennant** **Ellie Miller** **Olivia Colman** **Beth Latimer** **Jodie Whittaker** **Mark Latimer** **Andrew Buchan** **Jocelyn Knight** **Charlotte Rampling**

11.00 Agatha Christie's Poirot Taken at the Flood. A millionaire's wife is widowed for the second time, arousing the suspicions of his impoverished relatives. (S) (HD)

1.05am Band of Gold **3.05** The Chief **4.00** Always and Everyone **4.55** Agatha Christie's Poirot (S) (HD) **5.45-6.00am** Nightscreen (HD)

ITV Encore +1 Sky 268

PBS America 94

Freeview 94 Freesat 155 Sky 534 Virgin 276

8.00am D-Day Medics: Eagles of Mercy **9.15** Ocean Vet **10.15** War on the EPA **11.20** D-Day Medics: Eagles of Mercy **12.35pm** The Mosquito Reborn: Gaining Altitude **1.50** Ocean Vet: double bill **2.55** War on the EPA **4.05** D-Day Medics: Eagles of Mercy **5.20** The Mosquito Reborn: Gaining Altitude

6.35pm Ocean Vet Set Neil Burnie and his team set out to save, protect and learn about Bermuda's marine life, beginning with Galapagos sharks.

7.10 Neil Burnie and the team check the health of endangered spotted eagle rays.

7.50 New. 13 Hours That Saved Britain Following the ebb and flow of the Battle of Britain, including the invaluable contributions made by people on the ground.

9.00 New. The Teacher Who Defied Hitler How a Berlin couple found a loophole in German law and opened a school for Jewish children in 1934, creating a haven for those discriminated against by the Nazis.

10.15 American Lawmen The origins and development of law enforcement in the US, starting with a look at how Allan Pinkerton uncovered a conspiracy to assassinate Abraham Lincoln.

11.15 13 Hours That Saved Britain As 7.50pm.

12.20am as 9pm **1.30-2.00am** Walks around Britain



Inspector George Gently 6.00pm Bacchus and Gently

Alibi

Sky 132 Virgin 126 BT 312 HD Virgin 200 BT 382

7.10am The Doctor Blake Mysteries (S) (HD) **8.00** New Tricks (S) (AD) **9.00** Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD) **10.00** The Doctor Blake Mysteries (S) (HD) **11.00** Dangerfield (S) **12 noon** Inspector George Gently (S) (AD)

2.00pm The Doctor Blake Mysteries (S) (HD) **3.00** Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD) **4.00** New Tricks (S) (AD) **5.00** Dangerfield (S)

6.00pm Inspector George Gently 4/4 Series 2. A mill manager is found hanged. (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Murdoch Mysteries 18/18 Series 10. A dancer goes to Murdoch for help after overhearing a plot to kill a union leader. (S) (HD) **9.00 New series. 1/18 Series 11** The detective finds himself in jail, and must prove his innocence amid police and government corruption. (S) (HD)

10.00 Death in Paradise 1/8 Series 1. DI Richard Poole investigates a murder. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.20 Murdoch Mysteries 5/13 Series 1. Murdoch suspects the best man may be involved when a groom is killed on his wedding day. (S) (HD)

12.20am The Closer (S) (HD) **1.15** Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD) **2.10** Reckless (S) (HD) **3.00-4.00am** Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD)

Alibi +1 Sky 226 Virgin 130

Discovery History

Sky 535 Virgin 262

6.00am Aircraft Stories **7.00** Chris Barrie's Massive Machines **8.00** Tanks **9.00** Deadliest Tech **10.00** Battlefield **12 noon** Aircraft Stories **1.00pm** Tanks **2.00** Deadliest Tech **3.00** Chris Barrie's Massive Machines **4.00** Battlefield **5.00** How We Built the Bomb

7.00pm Cold War Armageddon A study of the political and military post-Second World War power struggle between the US and the Soviet Union, beginning with the dawn of the nuclear arms race.

8.00 The Weapon Hunter Paul Shull agrees to bring a Quad 50 mounted machine gun back to life, but this may prove to be his toughest rebuild yet.

9.00 Out of Egypt Exploring how violence and religion are linked throughout human history.

10.00 DC Snipers: Crimes of the Century Documentary investigating how a pair of renegade snipers were able to terrorise Washington DC in 2002, killing ten people.

11.00 Deadliest Tech A look at the greatest military engineering accomplishments, revealing how they make a difference during battle, beginning with fighter jets.

12 midnight Battlefield 2.00am Cold War Armageddon **3.00** Chris Barrie's Massive Machines **4.00** Battlefield (AD) **5.00-6.00am** Hitler's Henchmen

Discovery History +1 Sky 536 Virgin 263



The Walking Dead 9.00pm Carol and co's plan unfolds

Fox

Sky 124 Virgin 157 HD Virgin 199

8.00am Monk (S) (HD) **9.00** The Closer (S) (HD) **11.00** Bones (S) (HD) **1.00pm** NCIS (S) (AD) **3.00** The Closer: double bill (S) (HD)

5.00pm Bones 11/23 Series 6 The team comes under suspicion when a murderer is killed. (S) (HD) **6.00 12/23.** A polygamous man with three wives is murdered, while Cam struggles to spend time with her boyfriend. (S) (HD)

7.00 NCIS 10/24 Series 12. McGee and Abby hunt cyber-terrorists responsible for a city-wide internet outage. (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 11/24. The team investigates a series of crime scenes that appear to be copycats of previous cases. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 The Walking Dead 2/16 Series 8. Rick encounters a familiar face. (S) (HD)

10.00 American Dad! Series 11 Francine refuses to cook for Steve after he swears at her. (S) (HD)

10.30 Hayley gets a job and falls for a co-worker. (S) (HD)

11.00 Family Guy Series 9. The final part of the trilogy of extended Star Wars-themed episodes. (S) (HD)

12 midnight American Dad! (S) (HD) **1.00am** Family Guy (S) (HD) **2.00-3.00am** American Dad! (S) (HD)

Fox +1 Sky 165 Virgin 158

History

Sky 529 Virgin 270 BT 327 HD BT 379

6.00am Pawn Stars (HD) **7.10** Storage Wars (HD) **8.00** Counting Cars (HD) **9.00** Ancient Aliens (HD) **10.00** Doodsay: Ten Ways the World Will End (HD) **11.00** Forged in Fire (HD) **12 noon** Hunting Hitler (HD) **12.55pm** First Look! Hunting Hitler (HD) **1.00** Pawn Stars (HD) **2.00** Counting Cars (HD) **3.00** Ice Road Truckers (HD) **4.00** Storage Wars Miami (HD) **5.00** Storage Wars (HD) **6.00** Forged in Fire (HD) **7.00** American Pickers (HD) **8.00** New. Hunting Hitler **9.55** First Look! Curse of Oak Island (HD) **10.00 FILM** The Boys from Brazil **11.00** **FILM** p37 (W) (HD) **12.30am** Rome's Lost Legend (HD) **1.30** Storage Wars (HD) **2.00** Homicide Hunter (HD) **3.00** The First 48 **4.00** as 11am **5.00-6.00am** Pawn Stars (HD)

History +1 Sky 530 Virgin 271

Animal Planet

Sky 523 Virgin 256 BT 325 HD Virgin 257 BT 378

6.00am Pit Bulls and Parolees (HD) **8.00** My Cat from Hell (HD) **10.00** Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet (HD) **12 noon** Alaskan Bush People (AD) (HD) **1.00pm** Modern Dinosaurs (HD) **2.00** Pit Bulls and Parolees (HD) **4.00** My Cat from Hell (HD) **5.00** The Zoo (HD) **6.00** Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet (HD) **8.00** Pit Bulls and Parolees (HD) **10.00** Modern Dinosaurs (HD) **11.00** Alaskan Bush People (AD) (HD) **12 midnight** My Cat from Hell (HD) **1.00am** The Zoo (HD) **2.00** Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet (HD) **3.50** Modern Dinosaurs (HD) **4.40** Alaskan Bush People (AD) (HD) **5.30-6.00am** Meet the Orangutans (HD)

Animal Planet +1 Sky 549 Virgin 258



Bitchin' Rides 10.00pm A visit to a West Coast car show

Discovery

Sky 520 Virgin 250 BT 322 HD Virgin 251 BT 376

6.00am Railroad Alaska (HD) **7.00** Alaska: the Last Frontier (HD) **8.00** Gold Rush (HD) **9.00** Wheeler Dealers (HD) **11.00** Fast 'n' Loud (AD) (HD)

1.00pm Railroad Alaska (HD) **2.00** Alaska: the Last Frontier (HD) **3.00** Yukon Men (HD) **4.00** Gold Rush (HD) **5.00** Blowing Up History (HD)

6.00pm Wheeler Dealers Highlights from Mike and Edd's adventures in the US.

7.00 Mike unearths a quintessential piece of British motoring history in the form of a Rover P5B.

8.00 The car restoration show returns as Mike Brewer works on a valuable 1995 Ford Escort.

9.00 New. Mike Brewer plans to capitalise on 1980s nostalgia by restoring a 1982 Toyota Supra, while Ant works to bring the car into the modern era. (HD)

10.00 New. Bitchin' Rides A brush with the law threatens the mechanics' chances of making a profit at a car show. (HD)

11.00 Street Outlaws Chuck and Ryan look back at some of the biggest rivalries on the 405 list. (HD)

12 midnight Wheeler Dealers (HD)

1.00am How It's Made **3.00** Wheeler Dealers (HD) **3.50** Bitchin' Rides (HD) **4.40** Gold Rush (HD) **5.30-6.00am** How It's Made

Discovery +1 Sky 521 Virgin 252

Nat Geographic

Sky 526 Virgin 266 BT 317 HD Virgin 268 BT 373

8.00am Strippers: Cars for Cash (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** Supercar Megabuild (HD) **10.00** Car SOS (HD) **1.00pm** World War II: the Apocalypse (HD) **2.00** WWII's Greatest Raids (HD) **3.00** WW2 Hell Under the Sea (HD) **4.00** War Heroes of the Skies (HD) **5.00** Air Crash Investigation (HD) **8.00** Wicked Tuna: North v South: the race is on as a new bluefin tuna season begins (HD) **9.00** Highway thru Hell (HD) **10.00** Banged Up Abroad (HD) **11.00** Air Crash Investigation (S) (AD) (HD) **12 midnight** Seconds from Disaster (S) (AD) **2.00am** Highway thru Hell (HD) **3.00** Wicked Tuna: North v South (HD) **4.00-5.00am** Wicked Tuna (HD)

Nat Geo +1 Sky 527 Virgin 267

Eden

Sky 532 Virgin 247 BT 315 HD Virgin 249 BT 389

9.00am World's Wildest City: Manaus (S) (HD) **10.00** Angry Planet (S) (HD) **11.00** Deadly 60 (S) (HD) **12 noon** Tarsier Tails (S) (HD) **1.00pm** as 9pm **2.00** Africa (S) (HD) **3.00** Deadly 60 (S) (HD) **4.00** Tarsier Tails (S) (HD) **5.00** as 9pm **6.00** Deadly 60 (S) (HD) **7.00** Tarsier Tails (S) (HD) **8.00** Africa (S) (HD) **9.00** The Blue Planet (S) (HD) **10.00** World's Wildest City: Manaus (S) (HD) **11.00** Angry Planet (S) (HD) **12 midnight** Deadly 60 (S) (HD) **1.00am** Tarsier Tails (S) (HD) **2.00** Africa (S) (HD) **3.00** as 9pm **3.50** Animal House (S) (HD) **4.40** The Death of the Oceans? (S) (HD) **5.30-6.00am** Dog's Best Friend (S) (HD)

Eden +1 Sky 533 Virgin 248

CHILDREN'S

Milkshake! on C5

Full listings for Channel 5 are on p70

6.00am Puffin Rock **6.05** Poppy Cat **6.20** Simon **6.25** New. Bob the Builder **6.35** Fireman Sam **6.50** Thomas & Friends **7.00** The Secret Life of Puppies **7.05** Paw Patrol **7.20** Noddy: Toyland Detective **7.35** Peppa Pig: double bill **7.50** Floogals **8.05** New. Digby Dragon: Fizzy is taking a test with Spellbook **8.20** Rusty Rivets: Liam gets trapped on top of a pile of junk **8.35** Shimmer and Shine **8.55** Ben and Holly **9.05-9.15am** Mofy

CBeebies

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Freeview 202 Freesat 608 Sky 614 Virgin 702

6.00am Show Me Show Me **6.20** Baby Jake **6.30** Yakka Dee **6.35** Dinopaws **6.50** New. Raa Raa the Noisy Lion **7.00** Teletubbies **7.15** Bing: double bill **7.30** Hey Duggee: double bill **7.50** Peter Rabbit **8.00** Go Jetters **8.15** Octonauts **8.25** The Furchester Hotel **8.35** Justin's House **9.00** Everything's Rosie **9.10** Tinga Tinga Tales **9.25** Bing **9.30** Small Potatoes **9.35** Twirlywoos **9.45** Something Special **10.05** Teletubbies **10.20** Numberblocks **10.30** Spot Bots **10.45** Magic Door **10.50** Yakka Dee **10.55** Show Me Show Me **11.15** Big Barn Farm **11.30** Andy's Baby Animals **11.40** Waybuloo **12 noon** I Can Cook **12.15pm** Teacup Travels **12.30** My Story **12.45** Melody **1.00** Baby Jake **1.10** Tinga Tinga Tales **1.20** Bing **1.30** Small Potatoes **1.35** Twirlywoos **1.45** Something Special **2.05** Timmy Time **2.15** Numberblocks **2.20** Spot Bots **2.35** Magic Door **2.40** Yakka Dee **2.50** Show Me Show Me **3.10** Get Well Soon **3.30** Swashbuckle **3.55** Bob **4.05** School of Roars **4.15** Hey Duggee **4.20** Go Jetters **4.35** My Pet and Me **4.50** Peter Rabbit **5.00** Tree Fu Tom **5.25** Topsy and Tim **5.35** Katie Morag **5.50** Pablo **6.00** Clangers **6.10** The Adventures of Abney & Ted **6.25** In the Night Garden... **6.50-7.00pm** CBeebies Bedtime Stories: read by Ore Oduba

CBBC

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Freeview 201 Freesat 607 Sky 613 Virgin 701

7.00am Brain Freeze **7.05** The Deep **7.25** Dennis & Gnasher **7.35** New. MOTD Kickabout Round-Up **7.40** Newsround **7.45** Danger Mouse **8.00** Dragons: Race to the Edge **8.20** Newsround **8.30** Junior Bake Off **9.00** Marring Mum and Dad **9.25** Horrible Histories **9.55** My Life: Breaking Free **10.25** The Next Step **10.50** Tracy Beaker Returns **11.15** So Awkward **11.45** 4 o'Clock Club **12.15pm** Top Class **12.45** Naomi's Nightmares of Nature **1.10** Now You See It **1.20** Help! My Mini School Trip Is Magic **1.30** Officially Amazing **1.55** How to Be Epic @ Everything **2.10** Operation Ouch! **2.40** So Awkward **3.10** Odd Squad **3.20** Arthur **3.35** Strange Hill High **4.00** All-A's Superchargers **4.20** Newsround **4.30** Marring Mum and Dad **5.00** CHOICE New. The Worst Witch See p67 **5.30** Operation Ouch! Hospital Takeover **6.00pm** Scream Street **6.15** Danger Mouse **6.25** Zig and Zag **6.40** The Deep **7.00** Creeped Out **7.25** Lifebabbler **7.30** Horrible Histories **8.00** Marring Mum and Dad **8.30-9.00pm** The Worst Witch

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Programmes 6.00pm-9.00 not Freeview **6.00am** Grizzly Tales for Gruesome Kids **6.25** Super 4 **6.55** The Powerpuff Girls **7.20** Scooby-Doo! Mystery Incorporated **7.50** Ultimate Spider-Man **8.20** Horrid Henry **8.50** Fangbone **9.20** Mission Emplayable **9.25** The Oddbods Show **9.50** Super 4 **10.20** Dino Dan **10.50** Grizzly Tales for Gruesome Kids **11.15** Almost Naked Animals **11.45** Horrid Henry **12.45pm** Fort Boyard Ultimate **1.40** Make It Pop **2.00** Almost Naked Animals **2.30** The Oddbods Show **3.00** Dino Dan **3.25** Super 4 **4.00** Mr Bean: the Animated Series **4.15** Fangbone **4.30** New. The Bagel and Becky Show **5.00** NinjaGo **6.00pm** Pokémoon: Sun and Moon **6.25** Max Steel **6.55** as 7.20am **7.25** Horrid Henry **8.25** Wishart **8.55-9.00pm** Mission Emplayable

Monday Television

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Bounding onto Netflix

The BFG ★★★ Netflix

A young girl (Ruby Barnhill) is kidnapped by a benevolent giant (a brilliantly motion-captured Mark Rylance) in Steven Spielberg's visually dazzling adaptation of the Roald Dahl classic. A sluggish first half finally turns full-throttle fun fantasy when the BFG joins forces with the Queen (a game Penelope Wilton) to halt the threat of his even larger flesh-eating brethren. *ET* scriptwriter Melissa Mathison (who sadly died of cancer before the film's release) happily keeps Dahl's gibberish dialogue intact. **ALAN JONES**



A tonic for the troops

Gallipoli ★★★★★ 6.35pm **Film4** **FREEVIEW**

Picnic at Hanging Rock director Peter Weir was compelled to make 1981 war film *Gallipoli* (review, p37) after visiting the Turkish peninsula where Australian and New Zealand soldiers fought a disastrous ten-month campaign in 1915–16. (The site has been officially renamed Anzac Cove in tribute to the troops.) While there, Weir found an intact bottle of Eno's Fruit Salts, which became a talisman for the film ("I felt I was touching history," he told *Film Quarterly*). It even appears in a scene with Mel Gibson. **ANDREW COLLINS**

Family man and monster

The Man with the Iron Heart ★★★ Sky Store/Virgin/Netflix

This tense depiction of the plot to kill Reinhard Heydrich is carved into two halves: one dealing with the ascent of the Nazi (Jason Clarke); the other the assassination itself. Flaws aside, the film takes a brave step in showing a familiar period from a different perspective. **JAMES LUXFORD**



FREEVIEW

Film4

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11.00am Earth vs the Flying Saucers ★★ Sci-fi adventure. Hugh Marlowe (1956, U) (S)
12.45pm Winchester '73 ★★★★★ Two men clash over the ownership of a prized gun in this fine, mature and intelligent western. James Stewart, Shelley Winters (1950, U) (S)
2.35 Robinson Crusoe on Mars ★★★★★ The classic Defoe tale gets an innovative retelling. Paul Mantee, Adam West, Vic Lindlin (1964, U) (S)
4.45pm Support Your Local Gunfighter ★★★★★ Wonderfully witty comedy western. James Garner, Suzanne Pleshette, Jack Elam (1971, U)
6.35 Gallipoli ★★★★★ Young soldiers are shocked by the brutal reality of the First World War in this moving drama. **Review, p37; Choice, left.** Mel Gibson (1981, PG) (S)
9.00 Non-Stop ★★★ Solid thriller. Liam Neeson, Julianne Moore, Michelle Dockery (2014, 12) (S) (AD)
11.05 Bram Stoker's Dracula ★★★★★ Romantic, operatic version of the classic horror tale. Gary Oldman, Winona Ryder (1992, 18) (S)
1.40–3.40am Ivan's Childhood ★★★★★ Powerful, beautifully photographed Second World War drama. Kolya Buryaev (1962, PG)
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9.00am Gone Missing ★★ Crime drama. (2013)
10.40 Summer House ★★ Mystery. (2008)
12.25pm SWAT ★★ Action thriller. (2003, 12)
2.45 xxx: the Next Level ★★ Spy thriller. Ice Cube (2005, 12)
4.50 Daylight ★★ Disaster yarn. **Review, p37.** Sylvester Stallone (1996, 12)
7.10pm Sgt Bilko ★★ Tepid comedy. Steve Martin, Dan Aykroyd, Phil Hartman, Glenn Headly (1996, PG)
9.00 Sleepers ★★ Drama about abused teens seeking revenge as adults. Kevin Bacon, Robert De Niro, Dustin Hoffman, Jason Patric, Brad Pitt (1996, 18)
12.10am Kiss the Girls ★★ Serial-killer thriller. Morgan Freeman, Ashley Judd (1997, 18)
2.35 Lies and Deception ★★ Mystery thriller. Mädchen Amick (2005)
4.10–6.00am Circle of Friends ★★ Mystery thriller. Julie Benz (2006)
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Freeview 48 Freesat 304 Sky 325 Virgin 426

6.00am Journey into Fear ★★★★★ Spy drama. (1942, PG)
7.25 Hijack ★★ Thriller. Jeff Fahey (1999)
9.10 Shockwave ★★ Sci-fi thriller. (2006)
11.00 The Great Silence ★★★★★ Western. Jean-Louis Trintignant (1967, 15)
1.15pm Rattler Kid ★★ Spaghetti western. Richard Wyler (1967)
3.00 The Persuaders! **4.00 Red Rose of Normandy** ★ Second World War drama. (2011, 12)
6.05pm Battle for the Bulge Documentary.
7.05 Firequake ★★ Thriller. (2014, 12)
9.00 Mercenary ★★ Serviceable action thriller. Olivier Gruner, John Ritter, Ed Lauter (1997, 18)
11.00 Red Scorpion ★ Adventure. Dolph Lundgren (1989, 15)
1.10am Global Effect ★★ Thriller. Mädchen Amick (2002)
3.00–4.00am Focke Wulf 190
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Talking Pictures TV

81

Freeview 81 Freesat 306 Sky 343 Virgin 445

6.00am Cat and Mouse ★★★★★ Drama. (1958, PG)
7.30 Johnny Ringo **8.00 The Black Tent** ★★ Second World War drama. (1956, PG)
9.50 Night of the Prowler ★ Crime drama. Patrick Holt (1962, U)
11.00 Target: the Corruptors **12 noon Hot Enough for June** ★★ Spy satire. Dirk Bogarde (1964, PG)
2.00pm Panic in the Streets ★★★★★ Drama. Richard Widmark (1960, PG)
4.00 Man in the Moon ★★ Comedy. (1960, PG)
6.00pm Rogue's Rock Adventure series.
6.30 The Day Will Dawn ★★★★★ Second World War romance. Ralph Richardson (1942, U)
8.30 Tell Me Another Showbiz anecdotes.
9.00 Dick Powell Theatre TV drama.
10.00 Sky West and Crooked ★★ Romance. Hayley Mills, Ian McShane (1965, PG)
12.05am Tread Softly Stranger ★ Crime drama. Diana Dors, George Baker (1958, PG)
1.50 The Culpepper Cattle Co ★★★★★ Western. Gary Grimes, Billy "Green" Bush (1972, 15)
3.40 The Frightened Man ★★ Crime drama. Dermot Walsh, Barbara Murray (1952)
5.00–6.00am Burke's Law

Premiere

Sky 301 Virgin 431 BT 501 **HD** Virgin 401
6.00am The Ottoman Lieutenant ★★ Drama. (2017, 12)
8.00 Rules Don't Apply ★★ Comedy drama. Warren Beatty (2016, 12)
10.10 As 10.20pm 12 noon As 8pm 2.20pm The Book of Henry ★★ Thriller. Naomi Watts (2016)
4.15 The Boss Baby ★★ Animated comedy. Alec Baldwin (2017, U)

6.00pm Blind ★★ Modern-day throwback to the Hollywood weepie. Demi Moore, Alec Baldwin (2017, 15)
8.00 Logan ★★★★★ An ageing Wolverine makes his last stand in this brutal but moving *X-Men* spin-off. Hugh Jackman, Patrick Stewart (2017, 15)
10.20 Lowriders ★★ Drama about family conflict among the Hispanic custom-car community in Los Angeles. Gabriel Chavarria, Demian Bichir, Theo Rossi, Eva Longoria (2016, 12)

12.05am Kong: Skull Island ★★★★★ Fantasy. (2017, 12)
2.10 Wolves at the Door ★★ Horror. (2016, 15)
3.30 President under Siege ★★ (2016, 15)
5.30 Pitch Perfect 3 Special
Premiere +1 Sky 302 Virgin 432

Villains

Sky 304 Virgin 434 BT 508 **HD** Virgin 404

6.45am The Patriot As 4.10pm
9.35 101 Dalmatians As 7pm
11.35 Rogue One As 9pm
2.00pm The Karate Kid ★★ Martial arts adventure. Ralph Macchio, Noriyuki "Pat" Morita (1984, 12)
4.10 The Patriot ★★ Well-staged period drama. Mel Gibson, Heath Ledger (2000, 15)

7.00pm 101 Dalmatians ★★ Enjoyable live-action version of the canine caper. Glenn Close, Jeff Daniels, Joely Richardson, Joan Plowright, Hugh Laurie (1996, U)
9.00 Rogue One ★★★★★ Thrilling and action-packed *Star Wars* prequel. Felicity Jones, Diego Luna, Ben Mendelsohn, Donnie Yen, Mads Mikkelsen (2016, 12)
11.15 Damien – Omen II ★★ Decent sequel to the terrifying 1976 shocker. William Holden, Lee Grant, Jonathan Scott-Taylor, Robert Foxworth (1978, 18)

1.15am The Departed ★★★★★ Superb crime drama. Leonardo DiCaprio, Matt Damon, Jack Nicholson (2006, 18)
3.50 Halloween ★★★★★ Classic horror. Donald Pleasence, Jamie Lee Curtis (1978, 18)
5.30 Fantastic Beasts Special

Comedy

Sky 308 Virgin 438 BT 506 **HD** Virgin 408

6.20am The Benchwarmers ★★ Sports comedy. (2006, 12)
7.50 Love of My Life ★★ Comedy drama. (2017, 15)
9.40 Non-Transferable ★★ Romantic comedy. Ashley Clements (2016, 15)
11.25 As 10pm 1.35pm As 8pm 3.35 Bridesmaids ★★★★★ Comedy. Kristen Wiig, Rose Byrne (2011, 15)

5.45pm Love Actually ★★ Unashamedly sentimental romantic comedy. Alan Rickman, Bill Nighy, Hugh Grant, Emma Thompson (2003, 15)
8.00 Shallow Hal ★★ Oddly gentle comedy. Jack Black, Gwyneth Paltrow, Jason Alexander, Joe Viterelli (2001, 12)
10.00 Bridget Jones's Baby ★★★★★ Motherhood beckons for Renée Zellweger's hapless heroine in this terrific threequel. Colin Firth, Patrick Dempsey, Jim Broadbent (2016, 15)

12.10am Bridesmaids As 3.35pm
2.20 Bruno ★★ Spoof comedy. Sacha Baron Cohen, Gustaf Hammarsten (2009, 18)
3.55 Borat ★★★★★ Satirical comedy. Sacha Baron Cohen (2006, 15)
5.30 Pitch Perfect 3 Special

Hits

Sky 303 Virgin 433 BT 504 **HD** Virgin 403
6.30am As 2.30pm 8.15 The Finest Hours ★★ Action thriller. Chris Pine (2015, 12)
10.15 As 6pm 12.15pm As 8pm 2.00 The Greatest Showman Special
2.30 Smurfs: the Lost Village ★★★★★ Animated adventure. (2017, U)
4.15 Demolition ★★ Romantic drama. (2015, 15)

6.00pm A United Kingdom ★★★★★ True-story drama about a controversial interracial marriage. David Oyelowo, Rosamund Pike (2016, 12)
8.00 Absolutely Fabulous: the Movie ★★ Enjoyably camp comedy. Jennifer Saunders, Joanna Lumley (2016, 15)
9.45 Grimsby ★★ Over-the-top spy spoof. Sacha Baron Cohen (2016, 15)
11.15 Don't Breathe ★★★★★ Frighteningly effective shocker. Stephen Lang, Jane Levy, Dylan Minnette (2016, 15)

12.50am Our Brand Is Crisis ★★★★★ Comedy drama. Sandra Bullock, Billy Bob Thornton (2015, 15)
2.50 Demolition As 4.15pm
4.35 Gem and the Holograms ★ Musical fantasy adventure. Aubrey Peeples (2015, PG)

Heroes

Sky 307 Virgin 437 BT 502 **HD** Virgin 407

6.00am Ultraviolet ★★ Thriller. Milla Jovovich (2005, 15)
7.35 As 6.10pm 9.25 As 8pm 12 noon As 10.35pm 2.00pm Superman II ★★★★★ Fantasy adventure. Christopher Reeve (1980, PG)
4.10 Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles – Out of the Shadows ★★ Adventure. Megan Fox (2016, 12)

6.10pm X-Men Origins: Wolverine ★★ Hugh Jackman stars as the clawed mutant hero. Danny Huston, Liev Schreiber (2009, 12)
8.00 Batman v Superman: Dawn of Justice ★★ Spectacular superhero face-off. Ben Affleck, Henry Cavill, Gal Gadot (2016, 12)
10.35 Doctor Strange ★★★★★ A hobbled neurosurgeon becomes a powerful sorcerer. Benedict Cumberbatch, Chiwetel Ejiofor, Tilda Swinton (2016, 12)

12.35am Rambo ★★ Action drama. Sylvester Stallone, Julie Benz (2007, 18)
2.10 Punisher: War Zone ★★ Action crime thriller. Ray Stevenson, Dominic West (2008, 18)
4.00 As 6am 5.30 Fantastic Beasts Special

Thriller

Sky 309 Virgin 439 BT 509 **HD** Virgin 409

7.10am The Godfather Part III ★★★★★ Crime drama. (1990, 15)
10.10 Body of Lies ★★★★★ Thriller. (2008, 15)
12.30pm Marauders ★★ Action mystery. Bruce Willis (2016, 15)
2.30 Gran Torino ★★★★★ Drama. Clint Eastwood (2008, 15)
4.40 Nocturnal Animals ★★★★★ Thriller. Amy Adams (2016, 15)

6.50pm Out of Sight ★★★★★ Sizzling crime caper from director Steven Soderbergh. George Clooney, Jennifer Lopez, Ving Rhames (1998, 15)
9.00 War Dogs ★★★★★ Strange-but-true comedy thriller starring Jonah Hill and Miles Teller as a pair of unlikely gunrunners. Ana de Armas (2016, 15)
11.00 Money Train ★★ Action comedy about a subway heist. Wesley Snipes, Woody Harrelson (1995, 18)

1.00am Sudden Death ★★★★★ Action thriller. Jean-Claude Van Damme (1995, 18)
3.00 Follow ★★★★★ Thriller. Noah Segan (2015, 18)
4.25 Loss of Faith ★★ Mystery thriller. John Ritter (1997)

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Disney

Sky 305 Virgin 435 BT 503 **HD** Virgin 405
6.20am Prom ★★ Comedy. Aimee Teegarden (2011, U) **8.10 Oz the Great and Powerful** As 5.45pm **10.25 Atlantis: the Lost Empire** ★★★★★ Animated adventure. Michael J Fox (2001, U) **12.05pm The Incredibles** As 8pm **2.05 Moana** ★★★★★ Animated musical adventure. Auli'i Cravalho (2016, PG)

4.00pm Tangled ★★★★★ Fun-packed animated adventure. Mandy Moore, Zachary Levi, Donna Murphy (2010, PG)
5.45 Oz the Great and Powerful ★★★★★ Fun fantasy. James Franco, Mila Kunis, Rachel Weisz, Michelle Williams (2013, PG)
8.00 The Incredibles ★★★★★ Witty animated adventure. Craig T Nelson, Holly Hunter, Samuel L Jackson (2004, U)
10.00 Queen of Katwe ★★★★★ Uplifting drama. Madina Nalwanga, David Oyelowo, Lupita Nyong'o, Martin Kabanza (2016, PG)

12.10am The Story of Robin Hood and His Merrie Men ★★ (1952, U) **1.45 Fantasia 2000** ★★★★★ (1999, U) **3.10 Pete's Dragon** ★★★★★ (1977, U) **5.05 Mickey, Donald, Goofy: The Three Musketeers** ★★ (2004, U)

Drama

Sky 310 Virgin 440 BT 511 **HD** Virgin 410
6.00am Casual Encounters ★★ Comedy. (2016, 15) **7.35 Cool Hand Luke** ★★★★★ Drama. Paul Newman (1967, 15) **9.50 Lullaby** ★★ Drama. (2014, 15) **11.50** As 8pm **1.45pm Heartburn** ★★★★★ Comedy drama. Meryl Streep (1986, 15) **3.45 The Man Who Knew Infinity** ★★★★★ Drama. Dev Patel (2015, 12)

5.45pm Truth ★★ Worthy but well-played drama. Cate Blanchett, Robert Redford, Topher Grace, Dennis Quaid (2015, 15)
8.00 The Back-Up Plan ★★ Unlikely romantic comedy. Jennifer Lopez, Alex O'Loughlin, Eric Christian Olsen (2010, 12)
9.45 Frankie & Alice ★★ Well-acted if lurid drama. Halle Berry, Stellan Skarsgård, Matt Frewer, Phylicia Rashad (2010, 15)
11.40 Kinsey ★★★★★ Intelligent biopic of sexologist Alfred Kinsey. Liam Neeson, Laura Linney (2004, 15)

1.45am Hungry Hearts ★★ Intriguing indie thriller. Adam Driver, Alba Rohrwacher (2014, 15) **3.45 Blue Hawaii** ★★★★★ Musical comedy drama. Elvis Presley, Joan Blackman (1961, PG) **5.30 The Greatest Showman Special**

Select

Sky 312 Virgin 442 BT 510 **HD** Virgin 412
6.05am Bluebird ★★★★★ Drama. (2013) **7.40 Lolo** ★★★★★ Romantic comedy. (2015, 15) **9.25 Charlie Wilson's War** ★★★★★ Comedy drama. (2007, 15) **11.10 Neither Heaven Nor Earth** ★★★★★ Thriller. (2015, 12) **1.00pm Zulu** ★★★★★ Drama. (1963, PG) **3.20 Whiskey Tango Foxtrot** ★★★★★ War comedy. (2016, 15)

5.15pm American Honey ★★★★★ Beautiful, freewheeling road movie. Sasha Lane, Shia LaBeouf (2016, 15)
8.00 The Danish Girl ★★★★★ Emotionally powerful biopic. Eddie Redmayne, Alicia Vikander, Ben Whishaw (2015, 15)
10.00 Fearless ★★★★★ Visually impressive martial arts drama. Jet Li, Shiduo Nakamura, Dong Yong (2006, 15)
11.50 Creepy ★★★★★ Thriller bristling with tension. Hidetoshi Nishijima, Teruyuki Kagawa, Yoko Takeuchi (2016, 15)

2.05am The Dead Pool ★★ Crime thriller. Clint Eastwood, Patricia Clarkson (1988, 18) **3.40 Carrie** ★★★★★ Horror. Sissy Spacek, Piper Laurie (1976, 18) **5.25 Long Way North** ★★★★★ Animated adventure. Chloë Dunn (2015, PG)

Family

Sky 306 Virgin 436 BT 505 **HD** Virgin 406
6.40am As 2.35pm 8.25 The Swan Princess: the Secret of the Castle ★★ Animated fantasy. (1997, U) **9.45 As 4.20pm 11.20 As 11.20pm 12.55pm As 8pm 2.35 Coraline** ★★★★★ Animated fantasy. Dakota Fanning (2008, PG) **4.20 Storks** ★★★★★ Animated comedy. Andy Samberg (2016, U)

6.00pm Alice through the Looking Glass ★★ Fantasy sequel. Johnny Depp, Mia Wasikowska (2016, PG)
8.00 Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs ★★★★★ Clever and funny animated comedy. Bill Hader, Anna Faris, James Caan, Neil Patrick Harris (2009, U)
9.40 The Simpsons Movie ★★★★★ Glorious feature-length animation. Dan Castellaneta, Julie Kavner (2007, PG)
11.20 Space Jam ★★ Lively fantasy comedy. Michael Jordan (1997, U)

1.00am The Secret of Moonacre ★★ Fantasy adventure. Dakota Blue Richards, Ioan Gruffudd (2008, U) **2.55 The Simpsons Movie** As 9.45pm **4.35 The Swan Princess: the Secret of the Castle** As 8.25am

Sci-Fi/Horror

Sky 311 Virgin 441 BT 507 **HD** Virgin 411
6.45am The Sixth Sense ★★★★★ Supernatural drama. Bruce Willis, Haley Joel Osment (1999, 15) **8.45 Ghostbusters**: Answer the Call **9.00 The Resident** ★★★★★ Horror. Tianna Neri (2015) **10.30 As 7pm 12.30pm As 9pm 2.45 As 11pm 4.40 The Conjuring 2** ★★★★★ Horror. Vera Farmiga, Patrick Wilson (2016, 15)

7.00pm Doom ★★ Sci-fi action drama based on the shoot-'em-up computer game. Karl Urban, The Rock, Rosamund Pike, DeObia Opapei, Ben Daniels (2005, 15)
9.00 Serenity ★★★★★ Thrilling sci-fi tale set in the galactic equivalent of the Wild West. Nathan Fillion, Alan Tudyk, Adam Baldwin (2005, 15)
11.00 Rings ★★ The cursed videotape still holds secrets in this reboot of *The Ring*. Johnny Galecki, Aimee Teegarden (2015, 15)

12.45am The Conjuring 2 As 4.40pm **3.05 The Resident** As 9am **4.30 Project ALF** ★★ Sci-fi comedy. Miguel Ferrer, William O'Leary (1996)

TCM

Sky 317 Virgin 415 BT 512 **HD** Virgin 416
6.05am Hollywood's Best Film Directors **7.45 Rawhide** **9.55 A Thunder of Drums** ★★ Western. (1961) **11.55 The Longhorn** ★★ Western. (1951, U) **1.20pm Saddle the Wind** ★★ Western. Robert Taylor (1958) **3.00 The Dirty Dozen** ★★★★★ Adventure. Lee Marvin, Ernest Borgnine (1967, 15)

5.50pm Raintree County ★★★★★ Complex, opulent-looking US Civil War drama. Montgomery Clift, Elizabeth Taylor, Eva Marie Saint, Nigel Patrick (1957)
9.00 Cape Fear ★★★★★ A violent ex-con seeks revenge on the lawyer who put him away. Gregory Peck, Robert Mitchum (1962, 15)
11.10 Stardust ★★ David Essex plays the wannabe rock star destined to fall from a great height. Adam Faith, Larry Hagman (1974, 15)

1.25am Conspiracy Theory with Jesse Ventura **3.15 Hollywood's Best Film Directors**

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SPORT Choices



FA Cup Football 7.00pm
BT Sport 2 Brighton's top marksman Glenn Murray

Sky Main Event

Sky 401 Virgin 511 BT 402 **HD** Virgin 501 BT 437
6.00am Good Morning Sports Fans
8.30 LIVE Test Cricket Day four of the First Test between South Africa and India in Cape Town.
3.45pm Best of Sky Cricket **4.00** Sky Sports News **7.00** Sky Sports Tonight **7.30** La Liga Greatest Games
7.55 LIVE Spanish Football A match from tLa Liga.
10.00-6.00am LIVE International One-Day Cricket New Zealand v Pakistan, the second in a five-match series, from the Saxton Oval in Nelson.

Sky Football

Sky 403 Virgin 513 **HD** Virgin 503
6.00am Football League Greatest Games **6.30** SPFL Greatest Games **7.00** Football Years (AD) **7.30** Football Countdowns **8.00** Football's Greatest Players **8.30** Football's Greatest Teams (AD) **9.00** Scottish Cup Greatest Games **9.30** La Liga Greatest Games **10.00** Spanish Football
4.15pm Scottish Cup Greatest Games **4.30** La Liga Greatest Games **5.00** Football Years **5.30** Football Countdowns **6.00** 20 Years of El Clásico: a selection of the greatest moments from matches between Real Madrid and Barcelona **6.45** La Liga Icons **7.00** Soccer AM (AD) **7.30** La Liga Greatest Games: Barcelona v Real Madrid, action from the classic La Liga encounter at the Nou Camp in the 2015/16 season
7.55 LIVE Spanish Football Coverage of tonight's big game in the top-flight, La Liga.
10.00 Football Countdowns: a look at some of the greatest coaches of all time **10.30** Soccer AM: some of the best bits from Saturday's show, hosted by John Fendley, Lloyd Griffith and Jimmy Bullard (AD) **11.00** La Liga Icons **12 midnight** SPFL Greatest Games **12.30am** Soccer AM (AD) **1.00** One2Eleven (AD) **1.30** SPFL Greatest Games **2.00** Football Countdowns **2.30** Soccer AM (AD) **3.00** Football Years **3.30** Football Countdowns **4.00** Greatest Games **5.00-6.00am** Football's Greatest (AD)

Sky Golf

Sky 405 Virgin 515 **HD** Virgin 505
6.00am Wonderful World of Golf (AD) **8.00** US Tour Golf:
4.00pm Best of Open Zone: masterclasses and demonstrations from the Open Zone at Royal Troon in 2016 and Royal Birkdale in 2017
6.00 US Tour Golf: The Hawaii Open in 2014 and 2015 **8.00** US Tour Golf: Tournament of Champions **6.00** US Tour Golf: The Hawaii Open in 2016 and 2017 **11.00** US Tour Golf: Tournament of Champions **12 midnight** US Tour Golf: The Hawaii Open 2014 to 2017
4.00am Rory McIlroy: a Decade on Tour **4.30-6.00am** Wonderful World of Golf (AD)

Sky Premier League

Sky 402 Virgin 512 **HD** Virgin 502
6.00am Premier League Years (AD) **8.00** Best Goals **8.30** Premier League Legends **9.00** Best Goals 12/04/15 **10.00** Premier League Daily **11.00** Premier League Years (AD) **1.00pm** Best Goals **1.30** Premier League Legends (AD) **2.00** Best Goals 1992/3 **3.00** Premier League Years (AD) **5.00** Soccer AM (AD) **5.30** Premier League Greatest Games
6.00 Best Goals **7.00** Soccer AM: the best bits of Saturday's show (AD) **7.30** Premier League Greatest Games **8.00** Gary Neville's Soccerbox **9.00** Soccer AM (AD) **9.30** Best Goals **10.00** The Debate **11.00** Soccer AM (AD) **11.30** Premier League Legends
12 midnight Best Goals 2015/16
1.00am The Debate **2.00** Soccer AM (AD) **2.30** Premier League Greatest Games **3.00** The Debate **4.00-6.00am** Premier League Years (AD)

Sky Cricket

Sky 404 Virgin 514 **HD** Virgin 504
6.00am Cricket's Greatest (AD) **7.00** Masterclass: Adam Gilchrist **7.30** Masterclass: Sachin v Shane **7.50** Masterclass: Brendon McCullum **8.20** Atherton: Lord's Pavilion Portraits
8.25 LIVE Test Cricket Day four of the First Test between South Africa and India at Newlands in Cape Town.
3.45pm Best of Sky Cricket **4.00** Cricket's Greatest (AD)
6.00 Best of Sky Cricket **7.00** Ashes Memories **8.00** Test Cricket **9.00** Ashes Memories
9.55-6.00am LIVE International One-Day Cricket New Zealand v Pakistan, second in a five-match series, coverage from the Saxton Oval in Nelson.

Sky Action

Sky 407 Virgin 517 **HD** Virgin 507
6.00am NFL: a Football Life (AD) **7.00** NFL **3.00pm** NFL: America's Game: the story of New England Patriots' 2016 Super Bowl success **4.00** NFL
8.00 NFL: a Football Life **9.00** NFL
1.00am NFL: America's Game
2.00-6.00am NFL

Sky Arena

Sky 408 Virgin 518 **HD** Virgin 508
6.00am Sporting Records **7.00** Wrestling **8.00** Sporting Records **10.00** Racing News **10.30** Sporting Greats (AD) **11.00** Sporting Records
12 noon Rugby Union **4.45pm** Great Sporting Moments **5.00** Wrestling **7.00** Boxing Gold
1.00am LIVE Wrestling WWE Raw from the States with the over-the-top stars, featuring the likes of Seth Rollins and Finn Balor.
4.15 Wrestling (AD) **4.30** Sporting Greats (AD) **5.00-6.00am** Sporting Records

Eurosport 1

Sky 410 Virgin 523 BT 412 **HD** Virgin 521 BT 435
7.30am Tennis **9.00** Dakar Rally **9.30** Formula E **10.30** Olympics: Destination Pyeongchang **11.00** Ski Jumping
12 noon Speed Skating **1.00pm** Freestyle Skiing **2.00** Alpine Skiing **3.00** Speed Skating **4.00** Alpine Skiing **5.00** Ski Jumping: a look back at the 2017/18 Four Hills series
6.00 Tennis **10.00** Dakar Rally: action from the third stage of this year's race
10.30 Rallying: the eighth stage of the Africa Eco Race **10.45** Ski Jumping
11.45 Eurosport News **11.50** Olympics: Destination Pyeongchang
12.20am Eurosport News **12.30** Dakar Rally **1.00-1.05** Eurosport News
4.00-6.00am LIVE Tennis The ATP Sydney International, day three at the NSW Tennis Centre.

BT Sport 1

Sky 413 Virgin 531 BT 408 **HD** Virgin 527 BT 430
6.00am LIVE Cricket: the Ashes Continuing coverage of the final day in the fifth and last Test between Australia and England.
7.30 BT Sport Reload
7.45 FA Cup Football
8.45 LIVE Australian Football Brisbane Roar v Sydney FC (kick-off **8.50**), A-League action.
11.00 Darts **1.00pm** FA Cup Football **1.30** Rugby Union **4.00** Twenty20 Cricket **6.00** German Football **6.30** BT Sport Reload
6.45 LIVE Darts The BDO World Championships, day three at Frimley Green, Surrey.
11.00 NBA **11.30** Small Potatoes: Who Killed the USFL? (AD)
12.30am Australian Football
2.00-6.00am LIVE Tennis The WTA Sydney International. Coverage continues to 9am.

BT Sport 2

Sky 414 Virgin 532 BT 409 **HD** Virgin 528 BT 431
6.00am Twenty20 Cricket
7.00 LIVE Twenty20 Cricket Hobart Hurricanes v Sydney Sixers; **10.15** More live Big Bash, Perth Scorchers v Melbourne Renegades.
1.45pm Cricket: the Ashes **3.15** BT Sport Reload **3.30** NBA **5.30** Football Archives **6.00** Non-League Football **6.30** FA Cup Football
7.00 LIVE FA Cup Football Brighton & Hove Albion v Crystal Palace, third round (kick-off **7.45**).
10.00 Cricket: the Ashes
11.30 1 Hate Christian Laettner (AD)
1.00am LIVE NBA Minnesota Timberwolves v Cleveland Cavaliers.
3.30 NBA inside Stuff **4.00-6.00am** Cricket Classics

BT Sport 3

Sky 417 Virgin 533 BT 410 **HD** Virgin 529 BT 432
6.00am LIVE Tennis Continued coverage from the WTA Sydney International.
9.00 French Football **10.00** Italian Football: seven games **7.00** Cricket: the Ashes **8.30** The Deal **9.00** Fishing **10.00** Non-League Football **10.30** FA Cup Football **11.00** Tennis
1.00-6.00am LIVE Tennis WTA Hobart International. Live play continues until 9am.

BT Sport/ESPN

Sky 426 Virgin 534 BT 411 **HD** Virgin 530 BT 433
6.00am American Football
12 noon Harlem Globetrotters Basketball **6.15** BT Sport Reload
6.30 American Football
12.30am LIVE American Football College Football Play-off National Championship game (kick-off **1.00**).
4.30 American Football **5.30-6.00am** NBA: the Jump

Eurosport 2

Sky 411 Virgin 524 BT 413 **HD** Virgin 522 BT 436
6.00am Cross-Country Skiing
6.30 Alpine Skiing **7.15** Rallying **7.30** Dakar Rally **8.00** Biathlon **9.30** Olympics: Destination Pyeongchang
10.00 Tennis **11.00** Dakar Rally **11.30** Formula E
12.30pm Dakar Rally **1.00** Tennis
6.00 Snooker **8.00** Ski Jumping
9.00 Freestyle Skiing **10.00** Snooker
12 midnight Dakar Rally **12.30am** Olympics: Destination Pyeongchang
1.00 Alpine Skiing **1.30** Dakar Rally **2.30** Cross-Country Skiing **3.00** Ski Jumping **4.00** Olympics: Destination Pyeongchang **4.30** Speed Skating
5.30-6.15am Biathlon



DEEP BREATH

On the left, voice coaches – all former stammerers themselves – put their new students, on the right, through their paces

PICK OF THE DAY **School for Stammerers** 9.00pm *ITV*

DOCUMENTARY OF THE WEEK Prepare to be moved. This tale of people with a cruel disability finding their voices for the first time is irresistibly emotional in a life-affirming sort of way.

We join six trainees at an intensive speech therapy course where all the coaches have conquered stammers themselves. It's a tough regime: no television, internet or alcohol for the duration and the very first thing trainees have to do is one of the hardest: sit in front of a camera and

simply say their name. As we watch them struggle and hear their back stories we get a moving sense of the years of frustration involved with a condition that traps and humiliates sufferers daily.

But then, boy oh boy, when the therapy starts to work and people throw off their shackles, have some tissues at the ready, because you'd need a heart of stone not to cry.

DAVID BUTCHER

Doctors

1.45pm *BBC1*

DAYTIME CHOICE Outside the police station Emma finds a confused young man – Shai (Gavi Singh Chera) – who is carrying a severed finger in a bag. He says a friend gave it to him but he can't remember why. DC Sheryl Hazelwood believes it's connected to a human trafficking case she's been working on, but Shai just seems concerned about keeping things safe. Can a patient at the hospital – Barney (Murray McArthur) – explain what's going on?

Elsewhere, Ruhma and Karen anxiously meet with Ayesha to discuss the ongoing investigation into illegal immigrant Besa, while Jimmi's lunch is ruined by Valerie's healthy eating lecture and an off-putting video diary. **JANE RACKHAM**

Inside the Factory

8.00pm *BBC2*

DOCUMENTARY It's lucky Gregg Wallace wears a blue hairnet when he checks out an egg-processing factory in the Netherlands, otherwise it could get confusing. He and Cherry Healey get saucy this week, following the process that produces 40 million kilos of mayonnaise every year, and also discovering that a lot of Japanese soy sauce is made in Wales.

There's the usual quota of "wow!" facts (Gregg is beside himself with excitement over the egg-separating machine) and a couple of stomach-churning moments, too, involving a 1960s "frosted party loaf" smothered in mayo and the fermented koji mould essential in giving soy sauce its flavour. **JR**

Harry Hill's Tea Time

8.30pm *Sky1*

COMEDY There's a double helping of Gregg Wallace on our screens tonight – it's his turn to submit to Harry's humiliations as they prepare a 1970s-themed repast featuring the not-unexpected staples of Butterscotch Angel Delight, instant mash and a good many jokes about the visual similarity between host and guest.

But whenever the comedy feels like it's going nowhere, Harry always manages to pull it back from the brink of pointless, puerile mockery. The key is that he pricks celeb pomposity – but he (angel) delights in it, too. And Wallace is a good sport about the whole thing, even if he probably didn't have much choice about that. **BEN DOWELL**

Silent Witness

9.00pm *BBC1*

DRAMA Whether or not it makes any real-world sense, it's easy to be seduced by this two-parter's serpentine story. It keeps throwing up mystifying details. Such as: why is that suspect painting one of his thumbnails black? What is the significance of that welding mask? And more generally, how does the triple murder connect with the businessman drowned in a reservoir – or Nikki's vanished friend?

Helping things along is the excellent Julian Rhind-Tutt as cocky pathologist David, who Nikki suspects is a wrong 'un. If she keeps taking things out of his jacket pockets when he's not looking, at some point he's going to catch her, isn't he? **DB**

THE FORGOTTEN QUEEN

"Lady Jane Grey was 15 years old," says historian Helen Castor (**The Life and Death of Lady Jane Grey**, 9pm BBC4). "She was educated, intelligent and ferociously devoted to her religion. There are only fragments she left to tell us about her

personality, but her letters show she was not a meek and passive person, she was just a young woman caught up in a dramatic story.

During her nine-day reign, she took on board authority and was at work on a vast and complex political stage."



House of Saud: a Family at War

9.00pm BBC2

DOCUMENTARY *New series*

A three-part investigative series on the challenges facing Saudi Arabia starts by tracing the kingdom's connections to funding hardline Jihadists around the world. It's a charge that is difficult to make stick but the programme does a tough, forensic job of it, tracing flows of weapons and money to extremist groups around the world.

It makes for a troubling picture of a key Western ally, despite a recent sweeping crackdown under Crown Prince Mohammed bin Salman, who has introduced counter-terrorism laws and arrested prominent clerics, raising hopes he might be a force for moderation inside the kingdom. **DB**

24 Hours in A&E

9.00pm C4

DOCUMENTARY Cruelly, the emotion always seems to ramp up in new year editions of *24 Hours*, when many of us are at our most frangible; the title of this episode alone – *Parental Love, gulp* – suggests the particular strain of pathos you can expect from this instalment.

Marie, 31, has collapsed at home after suffering a headache. What clearly began as a mundane complaint quickly turns into a deeply worrying situation for her husband and young child.

Hospital pro Eileen, 87, arrives with a high heart rate, while ten-month-old Erin is a little less at home in A&E; her devoted dad Andy has brought her in after a cold and fever has left her cloth-eared. **HANNAH SHADDOCK**

Inside No 9

10.00pm BBC2

COMEDY DRAMA Though *Car Share*'s Sian Gibson pops by for a brief but crucial guest spot, this is a two-hander for Steve Pemberton and Reece Shearsmith. It shows yet again what astute and versatile performers they are – even when they're playing a lamentable comedy duo, Cheese and Crackers, whose peak was one series on Anglia TV that no one remembers. In a gloomy church hall, Len and Tommy meet for the first time in 30 years. Can they settle their differences and revive their act? **PATRICK MULKERN**

Working Class White Men

10.00pm C4

DOCUMENTARY Rapper turned documentary-maker Professor Green never went to university; he grew up with his nan on a council estate and was kicked out of school. He's not unusual: a quarter of a million young men are not in education or employment. In this series, he meets six young men struggling to find their place in the world. David from Bolton lives in a homeless hostel and has started attending far right marches, while Lewis from Eastleigh is determined to buck the trend and win a place at Cambridge University – but feels the need to disguise his humble roots. **CLAIRE WEBB**

DISCOVER TV PICK

Today's best of BBC3, iPlayer, Netflix and beyond



Attenborough and the Giant Elephant

iPlayer (expires today) The great man breaks off from narrating the best nature series on TV to go down what sounds like a curious side road. But the story of an elephant that became a celebrity in Victorian England is a way to warn us about keeping animals in captivity.

CHILDREN'S CHOICE



Raa Raa the Noisy Lion

6.50am *CBeebies* Everything's falling apart in the jungle – so Raa Raa's friends lend a helping hand.

■ **Bob the Builder** 6.25am *Channel 5* Along a busy road, Scoop finds a lost bobcat cub and comes up with a way to help animals cross the road.

BEST LIVE SPORT

- **Big Bash Cricket: Adelaide Strikers v Melbourne Stars** 8.30am *BT Sport 2*
- **Cricket: South Africa v India, First Test, day five** 8.25am *Sky Cricket*; 8.30am *Main Event*
- **Darts: BDO Championships** 12.05pm *C4*; 6.45pm *BT1*
- **League Cup Football: semi-final first leg** 7.30pm *Sky Football/Main Event*

FILM OF THE DAY

The Fault in Our Stars

9.00pm *Film4* Romantic weepie starring Shailene Woodley and Ansel Elgort as two lovestruck teens facing cancer. **See page 37**



EMBATTLED Dr Helen Castor traces the short, tragic reign of Lady Jane Grey

England's Forgotten Queen: the Life and Death of Lady Jane Grey

9.00pm BBC4

HISTORY *New series* Historian Helen Castor breezily tells us "the Tudors are historical superstars" at the start of this three-part portrait of the doomed Lady Jane Grey, queen for just nine days.

"It's a Tudor thriller, an epic tale of family conflict," she says, as we learn about the scheming men who earmarked Jane for the throne after the death of Henry VIII's young son and heir, Edward VI, aged just 15.

But before his death, Edward, who despised Catholics, drew up a document of succession that cut out his devoutly Catholic half-sister Mary.

Despite weirdly gauzy (and silent) reconstructions that are little more than tableaux, this is a handy guide to the briefest of reigns and the manipulation of a young woman that could not possibly end well. And indeed, it didn't. Continues tomorrow and Thursday. **ALISON GRAHAM**

TUESDAY Main Channels

Television Tuesday

DAYTIME

BBC1

6.00am Breakfast Louise Minchin, Dan Walker. (S) (HD)
9.15 Rip-Off Britain: Holidays Why lost luggage could soon become a thing of the past. (S) (HD)
10.00 Homes under the Hammer Properties in Merseyside, south Wales and Derbyshire. (S) (AD) (HD)
11.00 Wanted Down Under Bradford mum Nicola Newton considers a family move to Perth. (S) (HD)
11.45 Close Calls: on Camera Two girls who phoned 999 after their mother fell from the loft. (S) (HD)
12.15pm Bargain Hunt The reds and blues scour the streets of Hungerford for profitable buys. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)
1.00 BBC News Regional News; Weather (S) (HD)
1.45 Doctors Jimmi finds himself under siege, while Ruhma is starting to feel the pressure, and Karen and Ayesha fear for their jobs. **See p76.** (S) (AD) (HD)
2.15 Father Brown 7/10 Series 6. A contestant is murdered at a dancing competition. (S) (AD) (HD)
3.00 I Escaped to the Country House-hunters who had plans for a holiday business in Herefordshire. (S) (HD)
3.45 The Farmers' Country Showdown Series 2 Oxfordshire-based breeder Betty Judge showcases 21 of her pygmy goats. Rptd tomorrow 6.30am BBC2 (S) (HD)
4.30-5.15 Antiques Road Trip Anita Manning and Charles Hanson compete. Rptd tomorrow 7.15am BBC2 (S) (HD)

BBC2

6.00am Flog It! Trade Secrets The team share advice on valuable musical instruments. (R) (S) (HD)
6.30 The Farmers' Country Showdown Pig farmers go head to head in Surrey. Shown Mon 3.45pm BBC1 (S) (HD)
7.15 Antiques Road Trip Shown Mon 4.30pm BBC1 (S) (HD)
8.00-9.00 Sign Zone Celebrity Antiques Road Trip With Anthea Turner and Andi Peters. (R) (S)
9.00 Victoria Derbyshire Current affairs. (S) (HD)
11.00 BBC Newsroom Live (S) (HD)
12 noon Daily Politics Parliamentary report. (S) (HD)
1.00pm Coast Clew Bay in the Republic of Ireland. (S) (HD)
1.15 Brazil with Michael Palin The presenter continues his first visit to Brazil, travelling by river from the border with Venezuela to Brasilia. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)
2.15 Himalaya with Michael Palin The adventurer journeys from K2 in Pakistan to Ladakh in India – a relatively short trip geographically, but one that requires a considerable feat of logistics. (R) (S)
3.15 The Great British Winter Ellie Harrison explores winter in the Lake District. (R) (S) (HD)
4.15-5.15 Planet Earth II Following the wild animals that have made a home in cities. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

ITV

6.00am Good Morning Britain (S) (HD)
8.30 Lorraine Entertainment and fashion news. (S) (HD)
9.25 The Jeremy Kyle Show Irate debate. (S) (HD)
10.30 This Morning Celebrity chat, lifestyle and topical features. Including **Regional Weather** (S) (HD)
12.30pm Loose Women Lively discussion from a female perspective. Repeated 3am (S) (HD)
1.30 ITV Lunchtime News Regional News; Weather (S)
2.00 Judge Rinder Cases in a studio court. (S) (HD)
3.00 Dickinson's Real Deal A magic collection, Shelley china and a junk shop bargain feature in a compilation edition. (S) (HD) Followed by **Regional Weather**
4.00-5.00 Tipping Point Game show. (S) (HD)

Channel 4

6.10am Kirstie's Fill Your House for Free A home in Somerset with a recycled cinema. (R) (S) (HD)
6.20 3rd Rock from the Sun Double bill. (R) (S) (AD)
7.10 Everybody Loves Raymond Triple bill. (R) (S)
8.35 Frasier Three episodes of the US comedy. (R) (S)
10.05 Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA Gordon Ramsay revisits three restaurants he tried to save. (R) (S)
11.00 Sun, Sea and Selling Houses A couple look to upsize to a villa with a pool. (R) (S) (HD) **12 noon News** (S) (HD)
12.05-5.00pm LIVE Darts Day four. In round one, former semi-finalist Richard Veenstra takes on Kyle McKinstry, while reigning BDO World Trophy winner Aileen de Graaf is up against Paula Jacklin in the women's draw. Rob Walker presents. (S) (HD)

BBC1

EastEnders

7.30pm Masood gets a surprise when he pays a visit to Arshad and Mariam



5.15pm Pointless

Trivial-knowledge quiz show presented by Alexander Armstrong and Richard Osman. (S) (HD)

6.00 BBC News Weather

6.30 Regional news magazines

7.00 The One Show

Presented by Matt Baker and Alex Jones. (S) (HD)

7.30 EastEnders

Tiffany is back in the Square and up to mischief. Masood's day goes from bad to worse. Karen tries to secure her future for the sake of her family. Writer Rob Gittins. Cast Monday/Thursday. Satellite and cable viewers can watch a repeat at 11pm on W (S) (AD) (HD) Followed by **News Update** (S) (HD)

8.00 Holby City

Ready or Not. Sacha's allegiances are put to the test as he struggles to judge whether his patient can be trusted. On her first day back in surgery, Jac is keen to prove she is up to the job, but soon faces competition from a visiting surgeon.
 Jac Naylor
 Rosie Marcel
 Meena Chowdhury
 Salma Hoque
 Essie Di Lucca
 Kaye Wrang
 Ric Griffin
 Hugh Quarshie
 Donna Jackson
 Jaye Jacobs
 Danny Fincher
 Gruffudd Glyn
 Sacha Levy
 Bob Barrett
 Luke Butler
 Sara Stewart
 Frieda Petrenko
 Olga Fedori
 Professor Arienne Cornell
 Gary Shelford
 John Gaskell
 Paul McGann
 Sergeant Clara Hobbes
 Fiona Skinner
 Adrian "Fletch" Fletcher
 Alex Walkinshaw
 Frank Kurzwilf
 Roy Sampson
 Writer Robert Goldsborough; Producer Irma Inniss
 Director Francis Annan (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Silent Witness

RT Moment of Surrender 2/2. Nikki's suspicions about David Carrander are aroused further when she discovers blood in the boot of his car. Does it belong to Sally Vaughan? The uncovering of a family murder from the past shines the spotlight on three people who all went to the same school. **See p76.**
 For cast see Monday (S) (AD) (HD)
RT DVDs To order *Silent Witness* series 20 for £15.99 incl p&p (RRP £19.99), call 0844 848 7300 or visit radiotimes.com/dvds02, quoting RT1585

10.00 BBC News Regional News; Weather

Followed by **National Lottery Update** (S)

10.45 Canvey: the Promised Island

For more than a century, Europe's largest community of ultra-Orthodox Jews has lived in Stamford Hill, north London. But with rents soaring, they are on the move. The somewhat unlikely place they have chosen as their destination is Canvey Island in Essex, famed for its pub rock, but not its kosher food. With unique access to a tightly-closed community, this film follows some of the Hasid as they embark on their biggest exodus since the Second World War, and shows what happens when one Canvey Islander invites the newcomers to a gig at his pub.
 Director Riete Oord; Executive producer André Singer (S) (AD) (HD)

11.25 Boots: Pharmacists under Pressure? An Inside Out Special

A former professional standards manager at Boots describes the staffing concerns he raised about workload pressure and patient safety.
 Shown yesterday 7.30pm (S) (HD)

11.55 Booze, Bar Crawls and Bulgaria: Stacey Dooley Investigates

The journalist explores the party scene at Sunny Beach in Bulgaria. She uncovers why the resort has become the destination of choice for young British hedonists, and looks at the consequences of cheap alcohol and easy access to drugs for revellers.
 Director/Producer Claudia Webster. First shown on BBC3 (S) (AD) (HD)

12.55am Weather for the Week Ahead

1.00-6.00am BBC News (S) (HD)

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BBC2

Inside No 9

10.00pm Double act Cheese and Crackers are reunited for one last performance



5.15pm Flog It!

Paul Martin presents from Grimsby Minster. (R) (S) (HD)

6.00 Eggheads

Jeremy Vine hosts the weekday quiz show. (S) (HD)

6.30 Great British Railway Journeys

7/15 Series 9. Michael Portillo travels from Pontyfrid to Ebbw Vale, visiting the Royal Mint in Llantrisant, Cardiff Arms Park and Cardiff Bay, the departure point for Scott's ill-fated voyage to the Antarctic. (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 Rick Stein's Road to Mexico

1/7. Fifty years after his first trip down the Pacific Coast Highway, chef Rick Stein is heading south to Mexico once more. His journey starts in California, enjoying "hangtown fry" oyster pancakes. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Inside the Factory

RT 5/6 Series 3. Every year, Britain gets through 40 million kilos of mayonnaise. Gregg Wallace heads for the Netherlands to follow its production, from a farm where 23,000 free-range hens lay the eggs, to the factory, where he witnesses a machine that can separate the whites and yolks from 1,700 eggs per minute. Meanwhile, Cherry Healey looks at another of our favourite condiments – soy sauce – but travelling to south Wales rather than Japan. And historian Ruth Goodman investigates the story behind Worcestershire sauce. **See page 76.**
 Director Sam Bailey; Producers Emma Pound and Sam Bailey
 Repeated tomorrow 11.15pm (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 House of Saud: a Family at War

RT New series. 1/3. A land of inexhaustible wealth, Saudi Arabia is ruled by a royal family who enjoy absolute power at home and the freedom to act with relative impunity abroad. But a growing confrontation with Iran has placed the kingdom at the heart of the crisis in the Middle East. Enter a new Crown Prince, 32-year-old Mohammed bin Salman, who has vowed to transform the country, taking a number of radical steps. This three-part series explores the challenges faced by Saudi Arabia at a pivotal moment in its history – one that could shape the future of the world. As the new Prince states that he wants to return to a "moderate Islam", the first programme highlights his family's connections with those who advocate an ultra-conservative form of Islam. **See page 76.**
 Director/Producer Michael Rudin (S) (HD)

10.00 Inside No 9

RT 2/6 Series 4. Bernie Clifton's Dressing Room It's been 30 years since northern double act Len and Tommy last appeared on stage together. On that fateful night at the Glasgow Pavilion, Tommy (Reece Shearsmith) walked out on Len (Steve Pemberton), and it was curtains for Cheese and Crackers. But now it's time for one last gig, in front of an invited audience... With Siân Gibson. **See page 76.**
 Writers Steve Pemberton and Reece Shearsmith
 Director Graeme Harper; Producer Adam Tandy (S) (AD) (HD)
New entertainment for 2018: page 28

10.30 Newsnight

With Evan Davis. (S) (HD)

11.10 Weather

(S) (HD)

11.15 NFL This Week

Action from the weekend's wild-card play-off games, as the race for Super Bowl LII heats up. (S) (HD)

12.05am Surgeons: at the Edge of Life 1/3.

Following the work of the Queen Elizabeth Hospital Birmingham's surgical unit. **See choice, p66.** Shown yesterday 9pm (S) (AD) (HD)
1.05-3.05am Sign Zone 1.05 The Real Marigold on Tour 2/4. The group explores Cuba's capital Havana. (R) (S) (AD)
2.05 Miriam's Big American Adventure 1/3. Miriam Margolyes travels through Middle America. Shown Mon 11.15pm BBC1 (S) (AD)

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ITV

School for Stammerers

9.00pm Will there be a life-changing breakthrough for Emily Booth?



5.00pm The Chase

Bradley Walsh presents as Alison, Jake, Di and Shahjahan take on quiz genius the Chaser. (S) (HD)

6.00 Regional News Weather (S)

6.30 ITV Evening News Weather (S)

7.00 Emmerdale

Robert smells a rat, someone is acting smug and Bob's attempt at romance goes awry.

Robert Sugden
Christie White
Lachlan White
Lawrence White
Rebecca White
Aaron Dingle
Alex Mason
Antonia
Arthur Thomas
Belle Dingle
Bernice Blackstock
Bishop Barry
Writer Sarah Bagshaw
More cast Thursday
Repeated tomorrow 7.45am and 12.10pm ITV2 (S) (AD) (HD)

Ryan Hawley
Louise Marwood
Thomas Atkinson
John Bowe
Emily Head
Danny Miller
Steven Flynn
Paula Wharton
Alfie Clarke
Eden Taylor-Draper
Samantha Giles
John Arthur
Bob Hope
Brenda Walker
Charity Dingle
Chas Dingle
Debbie Dingle
Diane Sugden
Doug Potts
Dr Jessops
Dr Melville
DS Benton
Gerry Roberts
Graham Foster
Andrew Scarborough
Ashley Cook
Joy Brook
Justin Pierre
Shaun Thomas

Tony Audenshaw
Lesley Dunlop
Emma Atkins
Lucy Pargeter
Charley Webb
Elizabeth Estensen
Duncan Preston
Ashley Cook
Joy Brook
Justin Pierre
Shaun Thomas

7.30 Save Money: Good Food

6/6 Series 2. Susanna Reid and Matt Tebbutt head for Essex to help the Evans clan, who rely on ready-made sauces and packets of ingredients and make nothing from scratch. Matt shows them how to rustle up a fish pie and a chicken curry for less than £5 for the whole family. Meanwhile, with many of our favourite brands now coming in smaller packages for the same price, Susanna looks at the phenomenon of "shrinkflation".
Director/Producer Rose Wilkinson (S) (HD)

8.00 The Martin Lewis Money Show Live

In the aftermath of Christmas, Martin Lewis and Angellica Bell return for a "bill-busting" special to start the new year, offering viewers with empty wallets and purses some timely advice on getting the best deals on broadband, mobile phones and breakdown cover, and answering your money queries live in the studio.
Series producer Richard Park; Exec producer Mike Blair (S) (HD)

DOCUMENTARY OF THE WEEK

9.00 School for Stammerers

RT For more than 700,000 people in Britain, making a phone call, ordering from a menu or even just saying their own name can be a nightmare. Stammering is a psychologically complex condition that is often misunderstood and hard to overcome. This film follows six people as they embark on the McGuire Programme, an intensive residential course run by former stammerers. From 53-year-old lorry driver Tony to teenagers James and Riley, all hope the course will help them conquer their condition. Can they make a life-changing breakthrough, and tackle the ultimate challenge – speaking on a soapbox in Trafalgar Square? See page 76.
Producer Jill Worsley; Exec producer Rachel Bloomfield (S) (AD) (HD)

10.30 ITV News

Weather; Regional News and Weather (S)

11.15 Girlfriends

1/6. Linda's world is turned upside down after a traumatic wedding anniversary cruise.
Shown last Wednesday Next episode tomorrow 9pm (S) (AD) (HD)

12.15am Tonight at the London Palladium With stars including Craig David and Caro Emerald. (R) (S) (HD)

1.05 Jackpot247 Interactive gaming.

3.00 Loose Women Topical debate. Shown 12.30pm (HD)

3.45 Nightscreen Text information. (HD)

5.05–6.00am The Jeremy Kyle Show (R) (S) (SL) (HD)

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Channel 4

24 Hours in A&E

9.00pm The team at St George's must help Eileen, who's arrived with a heart problem



5.00pm Come Dine with Me

The four dinner parties in Essex include some intercontinental culinary creations.
Series producers Mark Wildash and Henry Hainault (R) (S) (HD)

6.00 The Simpsons

Trilogy of Error. Bart is pursued by Fat Tony and Lisa tries to win the school science fair. (R) (S) (AD)

6.30 Hollyoaks

Misbah plans a family cricket match.
Misbah Maalik
Darren Osborne
Diane Hutchinson
Ellie Nightingale
Farrah Maalik
Harry Thompson
Imran Maalik
James Nightingale
Harvey Virdi
Alex Fletcher
Sophie Porley
Krupa Pattani
Parry Glasspool
Ijaz Rana
Gregory Finnegan
Kim Butterfield
Leela Barnes
Leela Lomax
Lily Drinkwell
Lucas Hay
Luke Morgan
Marnie Nightingale
Lysette Anthony
Daisy Wood-Davis
Ela-May Demircan
Kirsty-Leigh Porter
Lauren McQueen
William Hall
Gary Lucy

Writer James Coleman More cast Fri Shown yesterday 7pm E4 Rptd tomorrow 6.30am E4 Next episode follows on E4 (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 Channel 4 News Sport; Weather (S) (HD)

8.00 The Secret Life of the Zoo

Ep 8 Series 4. There's a power struggle among the chimpanzees at Chester Zoo, as a vacancy emerges for the role of dominant female. Old-timer Alice covets the crown, but Vila launches her own bid for power by trying to charm Dylan and the other males. Elsewhere, the Malayan tapirs are moving home, which proves a nerve-racking experience for young Solo.
Series producer Pip Banyard; Executive producers Alistair Pegg, Tanya Winston and Edmund Coulthard Repeated tomorrow 8pm 4seven and Thursday 12.35am C4 (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 24 Hours in A&E

RT Ep 2 Series 14. The cameras return to the A&E department at St George's Hospital in south-west London. Marie arrives by ambulance after collapsing at home with an unexplained headache, while 87-year-old Eileen is short of breath and has a high heart rate. Ten-month-old Erin, meanwhile, has a build-up of wax in her ears following a cold and fever. See page 77.
Producer Louise Bartmann; Exec producer Spencer Kelly Repeated 12.10am 4seven and tomorrow 11.05pm C4 (S) (HD)

10.00 Working Class White Men

RT 1/2. Being Somebody. Many working-class white men in Britain today feel demonised, forgotten and angry. Rap artist Professor Green follows the struggles of three young men. Lewis has his heart set on going to university, but is up against a culture of low expectations. Essex boy Deniz is an aspiring entrepreneur, while David, who lives in a hostel in Bolton, is on the brink of getting involved in far-right politics. See page 77.
Director Christian Collerton; Executive producers Neil Crombie and Joe Evans Repeated Thursday 11.35pm (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 Naked Attraction

Australian barman Jimmy has decided to settle down in Bristol, but needs a partner to complete the picture. Anna Richardson presents.
Producer Matt Green; Exec producer Mike Cotton (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

12.05am How to Lose Weight Well 1/4 Series 3

Examining diet pills. Shown yesterday 8pm (S) (AD) (HD)

1.05 Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA Gordon Ramsay heads to Pantaleone's in Denver, Colorado. (R) (S) (HD)

1.55 Warship Following the Royal Navy's HMS Ocean on a seven-month active deployment. (R) (S) (HD)

2.55 Rivers with Jeremy Paxman The journalist and devoted angler travels along the Mersey. (R) (S) (HD)

3.50 Grand Designs Australia A couple from Melbourne who are looking to upsize. (R) (S) (HD)

4.45 Location, Location, Location Kirstie and Phil help first-time parents find their first home. (R) (S) (SL) (HD)

5.40–6.10am Four in a Bed The Wolds Village guesthouse in Bainton, East Yorkshire. (R) (S) (HD)

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BBC4



England's Forgotten Queen

9.00pm Helen Castor traces the life of Lady Jane Grey



7.00pm Beyond 100 Days (S) (HD)

Followed by Weather (S) (HD)

7.30 Great Continental Railway Journeys

Michael Portillo explores Germany, learning about an Edwardian fitness craze in Dresden, before heading to Leipzig on a historic line. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Andrew Marr's The Making of Modern Britain

2/6. Road to War. The journalist examines Edwardian Britain, where tension and violence were never far from the surface as suffragettes were attacked, Ireland was divided over liberation from the British Empire and workers went on strike for better pay.
Director/Producer Fatima Salaria Signed repeat 2.20am (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 England's Forgotten Queen: the Life and Death of Lady Jane Grey

RT New series. 1/3. Helen Castor unpicks the story of Lady Jane Grey, the first woman to be proclaimed Queen of England. In 1553, Edward VI writes an incendiary document on his deathbed, cutting his sister Mary out of the line of succession, and leaving the throne to his cousin Jane. Part two tomorrow 9pm. See page 77.

Lady Jane Grey
King Edward VI
Mary Tudor
John Dudley
Henry Grey
Eilidh Loan
Ashley Gynnell
Lainy Boyle
Michael Adams
Robin Jones
Director Bill Thomas; Exec producers Tim Green and Emily Dalton Repeated 1.20am (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 Fit to Rule: How Royal Illness Changed History

1/3. Tudors to Stuarts: from Gods to Men. Lucy Worsley explores the medical and personal histories of the Tudors and Stuarts, casting new light on Henry VIII's difficulty in producing a male heir, his daughter Mary's phantom pregnancy, and intimate love letters between James I and the Duke of Buckingham. Continues tomorrow 10pm. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 Catching History's Criminals: the Forensics Story

1/3. A Question of Identity. Gabriel Weston charts the history of forensic science to catch murderers, including the use of bite marks as an identification tool and the start of DNA profiling.
Series producer Graeme Thomson; Executive producer Jacqueline Smith (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

12 midnight Top of the Pops 1981 With John Lennon and Madness. (R) (S) **12.40am** Featuring Joe Dolce and Stray Cats. (R) (S)

1.20 England's Forgotten Queen: the Life and Death of Lady Jane Grey 1/3

With Helen Castor. Shown 9pm (S) (AD) (HD)

2.20–3.20am Andrew Marr's The Making of Modern Britain 2/6. Shown 8pm (S) (SL) (AD)

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Regional variations

BBC1 SCOTLAND

8.00–9.00pm River City: Rick's threats finally come home to roost for Alex and Lenny **10.45** Holby City **11.45** Canvey: the Promised Island: following members of a Hasidic Jewish community moving to Canvey Island in Essex **12.25am** Booze, Bar Crawls and Bulgaria: Stacey Dooley Investigates: new series **1.25** Weather for the Week Ahead **1.30–6.00** BBC News

STV

10.30pm News; STV Weather **11.00** Scotland Tonight; ITV Weather **11.40** Girlfriends **12.35am** Home Shopping **1.35** After Midnight **3.05** Nightscreen **5.05–6.00** The Jeremy Kyle Show

BORDER SCOTLAND

11.15pm Representing Border **11.45** Girlfriends **12.40–1.05am** Border Life

BBC2 WALES

1.00pm Coast: stories connected to explorers **1.45** First Minister's Questions **2.35** Brazil with Michael Palin **3.35** Himalaya with Michael Palin **4.35** Planet Earth II **5.35–6.00** Flog It!: at Tatton Park in Cheshire

BBC1 NORTHERN IRELAND

10.40pm Survivors: new series **11.10** Canvey: the Promised Island **11.50** Boots: Pharmacists under Pressure? **12.20am** Booze, Bar Crawls and Bulgaria: Stacey Dooley Investigates: new series **1.20–6.00** BBC News

UTV

12.15am River Monsters **1.40–3.00** Shopping **12.40–3.00** Nightscreen

RT Choice
Family viewing
Red button coverage
(R) Repeat
(S) Subtitles
(SL) Signing
(AD) Audio description
(HD) High definition
(W) Film in widescreen
(BW) Black and white

Films Premiere
Star Ratings
★★★★★ Outstanding
★★★★ Very good
★★★ Worth watching
★★ Could be worse
★ Poor

Channel 5 listings are overleaf plus 30 more Freeview channels

TUESDAY Freeview

Channel 5 5



Diet Secrets and How to Lose Weight 8.00pm Bianca looks at "superfoods"

Freeview 5 Freesat 105 Sky 105 Virgin 105
HD Freeview 105 Freesat 105 Virgin 150

6.00am Milkshake! See page 83
9.15 New. The Wright Stuff (HD)
11.15 GPs: behind Closed Doors A former patient returns in a very distressed state. (S) (AD) (HD) **12.10pm 5 News** (S) (HD)
12.15 The Hotel Inspector A Blackpool hotelier with grand plans gets advice from Alex Polizzi. (S) (HD) **1.10 New. Access** (S) (HD)
1.15 Home and Away Shown yesterday 6.30pm 5 Star Repeated 6pm Channel 5 (S) (AD) (HD)
1.45 New. Neighbours Rptd 5.30pm (S) (AD) (HD)
2.15 NCIS 4/24 Series 7. The decomposed body of a US marine is found in a plastic bag off the coast of Tanzania. (S) (AD) (HD)
3.15 Eyewitness ★★ Thriller starring Lindy Booth. The past comes back to haunt a woman five years after she gave evidence against a man accused of murdering her father and fiancé. Director Andrew C Erin (2017) (S) (W) (HD)
5.00pm 5 News (S) (HD)
5.30 Neighbours Mark agrees to Louise's demands. Shown 1.45pm C5 Rptd 6pm 5 Star (S) (AD) (HD)
6.00 Home and Away Alf finds Mick a job in Western Australia. Shown 1.15pm Next episode 6.30pm 5 Star (S) (AD) (HD)
6.30 5 News Tonight (S) (HD)
7.00 Secrets of the National Trust with Alan Titchmarsh 2/6. The presenter discovers some little-known facts about Beatrix Potter in Gasmere in the Lake District. Director/Series producer Chris Parkin (S) (AD) (HD) Followed by **5 News Update** (S) (HD)
8.00 New. Diet Secrets and How to Lose Weight 2/4. Reality star Bianca Gascoigne trades chardonnay for chia seeds to see if "superfoods" really can make us healthier and help us shed pounds. Producer Chris Amess; Series producer Chris Hill Repeated Friday 8pm 5 Star (S) (HD) Followed by **5 News Update** (S) (HD)
9.00 New. Celebrity Big Brother: Live Eviction The first resident of the all-female house is evicted, and spills the truth about life inside the compound to Emma Willis. Repeated tomorrow 1pm 5 Star (S) (HD)
10.35 New. One Night with My Ex 2/6 Series 2. Will Ryan be able to charm his way back into Georgina's arms? Directors/Producers Christian Aldridge, Garfield Carrott, Ryan Daly and Lucie Holmes (S) (HD)
11.35 Celebrity Big Brother's Bit on the Side Rylan Clark-Neal presents. (S) (HD)
12.35am New. Celebrity Big Brother: Live from the House (S) (HD) **1.05 New. SuperCasino** (S) (HD) **3.10 GPs: behind Closed Doors** (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00 Now That's Funny!** (S) (SL) (HD) **4.45 House Doctor** (S) (SL) **5.10-6.00am Nick's Quest** (S) (SL)

+1 Freeview 44 Freesat 128 Sky 177 Virgin 155
My5 Freeview 54 Freesat 133 Sky 175 Virgin 152

BBC4 listings are overleaf

ITV2 6



Sherlock Holmes: a Game of Shadows 9.00pm An old foe rears his head

F'view 6 F'sat 113 Sky 118 Virgin 115 HD Virgin 176

6.00am Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records (S) (HD) **6.55 Dress to Impress** (S) (HD) **7.45 Emmerdale** (S) (AD) (HD) **8.20 Coronation Street** (S) (AD) (HD) **9.25 The Ellen DeGeneres Show** (S) (HD) **10.10 Who's Doing the Dishes?** (S) (HD) **11.10 Dress to Impress** (S) (HD)
12.10pm Emmerdale Shown yesterday 7pm ITV (S) (AD) (HD) **12.45 Coronation Street** Shown yesterday 7.30/8.30pm ITV (S) (AD) (HD) **1.45 New. The Ellen DeGeneres Show:** chat and entertainment (S) (HD) **2.35 The Jeremy Kyle Show** (S) (HD) **5.50 Take Me Out** (S) (HD)
7.00pm You've Been Framed! Gold Harry Hill narrates a comical selection of mishaps caught on camera by viewers. (S) **7.30 More** facepalm footage. (S)
8.00 New. Two and a Half Men 6/22 Series 11. Alan begs to be set up with Lynda Carter, an old family friend of Walden's. First shown on Comedy Central (S) (HD)
8.30 New. Superstore 6/11 Series 1. Jonah and Amy become competitive when he passes his employee training test with flying colours. (S) (AD) (HD)
9.00 Sherlock Holmes: a Game of Shadows ★★ Period mystery thriller. Sherlock Holmes and Dr John Watson are once again drawn into a battle of wits with arch nemesis Professor Moriarty. And this time the evil genius's plans could spell disaster for the whole of Europe. Review page 37. Sherlock Holmes Robert Downey Jr
Dr John Watson Jude Law
Madam Simza Heron Noomi Rapace
Professor James Moriarty Jared Harris
Irene Adler Rachel McAdams
Director Guy Ritchie (2011, 12) (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

11.40 Family Guy Series 1. Lois starts gambling. (S) (AD) (HD)
12.10am Series 9. Bertram goes back in time to kill Leonardo da Vinci. (S) (AD) (HD)
12.40 American Dad!: double bill (S) (AD) (HD)
1.35 Two and a Half Men (S) (HD)
2.05-2.30am Superstore (S) (AD) (HD)
ITV2+1 Freeview 27 Freesat 114 Sky 179 Virgin 116

Dave 12

F'view 12 F'sat 157 Sky 111 Virgin 127 HD Virgin 194 BT 387

7.10am Scrapheap Challenge **8.10 American Pickers** (S) (HD) **9.00 Storage Hunters** (S) (HD) **10.00 American Pickers** (S) (HD)
1.00pm Top Gear (S) (AD) **3.00 Deadly 60** on a Mission **4.00 Ice Road Truckers** (S) (HD) **5.00 Top Gear:** double bill (S) (AD)
7.00pm Cops UK: Bodycam Squad Documentary series following the work of the Staffordshire police force. (S)
8.00 Dave Gorman: Modern Life Is Goodish 2/8 Series 3. Dave investigates whether the queue's days are numbered. (S)
9.00 Live at the Apollo Russell Howard introduces Jo Brand to the star-studded audience at the Hammersmith Apollo. (S)
10.00 Taskmaster 1/8 Series 4. The celebrity contestants fell rubber ducks and destroy a cake. Presented by Greg Davies. (HD)
11.00 QI With guests Doon Mackichan, Jimmy Carr and Dara O Briain. (S)
11.40 Presented by Stephen Fry, with guests Sean Lock, Bill Bailey and Jo Brand. (S)
12.20am Mock the Week (S) **1.00 QI** (S) **2.20 Mock the Week** (S) **3.00-4.00am Live at the Apollo** (S)
Dave Ja Vu Freeview 79 Sky 214 Virgin 211

ITV3 10



Foyle's War 10.00pm Sam keeps her eye on the detective's son, Andrew

F'view 10 F'sat 115 Sky 119 Virgin 117 HD Virgin 177

6.00am Classic Coronation Street (S)
6.50 Heartbeat (S) **7.55 The Royal** (S) **9.00 Judge Judy** (S) (HD) **10.20 The Darling Buds of May:** two episodes of the rural drama (S) (HD)
12.35pm The Royal (S) **1.40 Heartbeat** (S) (AD) **2.40 Classic Coronation Street:** double bill. Ken helps Deirdre prepare for her radio interview, then Alec takes Bet out for a celebratory meal (S) **4.20 On the Buses** (S) **4.55 Rising Damp** (S) **5.25 George & Mildred** (S)
5.55pm Heartbeat The accountant of a gangster is on the run from his underworld bosses, and David purchases an old Jeep with a surprising military history. (S) (AD)
7.00 Murder, She Wrote Jessica visits a friend's Arizona ranch – but as soon as she arrives, the community is plunged into disarray by the sinister predictions of a local psychic. (S) (AD) (HD)
8.00 Midsomer Murders Ring Out Your Dead. The bell-ringers of Midsomer Wellow are mysteriously murdered one by one – and it seems an ancient rhyme may hold the key to the killer's motive. (S) (AD)
DCI Tom Barnaby John Nettles
Sgt Gavin Troy Daniel Casey
Joyce Barnaby Jane Wymark
Frances Le Bon Gwen Taylor
Reggie Barton Graham Crowden
10.00 Foyle's War 2/4 Series 3. Among the Few. Foyle and Sam are shot at and almost run over by a speeding vehicle. They learn the incident is part of an illicit fuel racket – and the detective's son Andrew is involved. (S) (AD) Christopher Foyle Michael Kitchen
Paul Milner Anthony Howell
Sam Stewart Honeysuckle Weeks
Andrew Foyle Julian Ovenden
Rex Talbot Mark Umbers
12.15am Inspector Morse: a secretary is found dead in a pub car park (S) (SL) (HD)
2.10-2.30am Nightscreen (HD)
+1 F'view 34 (6pm-midnight) F'sat 116 Sky 180 Virgin 174

ITV4 24

F'view 24 F'sat 117 Sky 120 Virgin 118 HD Virgin 178

6.00am The Chase (S) (HD) **6.50 Pawn Stars** (S) (HD) **7.35 Inside** (S) (AD) **8.30 Quincy** (S) (HD) **9.35 Minder** (S) (AD) **10.40 The Sweeney** (S) **11.50 The Professionals** (S) (AD)
12.50pm Inside (S) **1.55 Quincy** (S) (HD) **2.55 Minder** (S) (AD) **4.00 The Sweeney** (S) **5.05 The Professionals** (S) (AD)
6.05pm The Car Chasers (S) (HD)
7.00 Pawn Stars The team is offered a coat that was made for Elvis Presley. (S) (HD)
7.30 A toy rocket from the 1930s. (S) (HD)
8.00 The Chase: Celebrity Special With guests Rory Bremner, Laura Tobin, Deborah Meaden and Alan Titchmarsh. (S) (HD)
9.00 Britain's Busiest Airport: Heathrow A man is stuck in limbo at the airport after being deported from Thailand. (S) (AD) (HD)
10.00 FILM Inside Man ★★ Crime thriller starring Denzel Washington, Clive Owen and Jodie Foster. (S) (AD) (W) (HD)
The RT Interview with Jodie Foster: page 16
12.40am FILM Dawn of the Dead ★★ Horror remake (S) (AD) (W) (HD) **2.40 Football Rivalries** (S) **2.50-3.00am** Nightscreen (HD)
ITV4 +1 Freesat 154 Sky 193 Virgin 175

Drama 20



New Tricks 9.00pm The team looks into the death of a young cricketer

Freeview 20 Freesat 158 Sky 158 Virgin 128

7.10am The Bill (S) **8.00** London's Burning **9.00** Casualty **10.00** Bergerac (S) **11.00** The Bill (S)
12 noon The Duchess of Duke Street **1.00pm** Last of the Summer Wine (S) **1.40** Steptoe and Son (BW) (S) **2.20** Birds of a Feather **3.00** London's Burning **4.00** New Tricks **5.00** The Duchess of Duke Street
6.00pm One Foot in the Grave Victor and Margaret prepare for a holiday. However, an unhelpful electricity board representative delays their preparations. (S)
6.40 Last of the Summer Wine Smiler decides to provide a service to society by becoming a lollipop man. (S)
7.20 Goodnight Sweetheart Gary appears in court to answer drunk-driving charges. (S)
8.00 Death in Paradise 1/8 Series 4. When the owner of a rum distillery is murdered during a seance, evidence points to a ghost as the prime suspect. With DI Humphrey Goodman and his team a member down, Commissioner Selwyn steps in to investigate. (AD)
9.00 New Tricks 5/10 Series 12. Prodigal Sons A fresh investigation into the death of a talented cricket prodigy suggests that far from being a case of misadventure it was a crime connected to over-zealous autograph hunters, extramarital affairs and infighting. (S) (AD)
10.20 6/10. The Fame Game. Danny, Steve and Ted visit a lookalikes agency to look into an unsolved case from 13 years earlier, when the agency's top two acts were found dead in an apparent double suicide. Enquiries take them to the door of one of Steve's football heroes. (S) (AD)
11.20 Birds of a Feather Tracey takes her life in her hands by agreeing to give Sharon driving lessons.
12 midnight The Bill (S) **1.00am** Bergerac (S) **2.15 FILM** Happy Hour ★★ Comedy drama **3.35-4.00am** Garden Hopping

ITVBe 26

F'view 26 F'sat 118 Sky 149 (131 STV) Virgin 119 HD Virgin 179

9.00am The Only Way Is Essex (S) **10.00** Flipping Out (HD) **11.00** The Real Housewives of Atlanta: NeNe requests a DNA test (S)
12 noon Buying and Selling (HD) **1.00pm** Dinner Date (S) (HD) **2.00** Chrissy Knows Best (HD) **3.00** The Real Housewives of New Jersey (S) (HD) **4.00** The Real Housewives of Beverly Hills: double bill (S) (HD)
6.00pm Dinner Date Tyson from London picks three dates based on their menus. (S) (HD)
7.00 Buying and Selling Jonathan and Drew Scott help Melanie and Derek search for a home that will last a lifetime. (HD)
8.00 Dinner Date Matt from Somerset picks three dates based on their menus. (S) (AD)
9.00 The Real Housewives of Potomac American reality series. (S) (AD) (HD)
10.00 Secret Dates Singleton Emma goes on four different dates, but is unaware that she is on a date or on a dating show. (S) (HD)
11.00-12.55am Mob Wives Carla is left alone with Karen after Renée storms out. (S) (HD)
12 midnight Big Ang questions her relationship with her estranged husband. (S) (HD)
ITVBe +1 Freesat 119 Sky 206 Virgin 120

E4 28



Coach Trip: Road to Tenerife 7.30pm
Ben and Teleka visit San Sebastián

F'view 28 F'sat 122 Sky 136 Virgin 106 **HD** Virgin 145

6.00am Hollyoaks Shown last Fri/yesterday C4 (S) (AD) (HD) **7.00** Coach Trip: Road to Tenerife Shown yesterday 7.30pm (S) (AD) (HD) **7.30** Streetmate (S) (HD) **8.00** Charmed (S) **9.00** Melissa & Joey (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** Baby Daddy (S) (HD) **11.00** Brooklyn Nine-Nine (S) (AD) (HD) **12 noon** The Goldbergs (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00pm** The Big Bang Theory (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00** Melissa & Joey (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Baby Daddy (S) (HD) **4.00** Brooklyn Nine-Nine (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00** The Goldbergs (S) (AD) (HD)

6.00pm The Big Bang Theory

16/24 Series 9. Howard freaks out about Bernadette's announcement. (S) (AD) (HD) **6.30 17/24.** The gang finally celebrates Sheldon's birthday. (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 New. Hollyoaks

Misbah is forced to act fast.
Cast pp79/109 Rptd tomorrow 6.30pm C4 (S) (AD) (HD)

7.30 New. Coach Trip: Road to Tenerife

The group tries bodyboarding in San Sebastián in Spain's Basque country. Repeated tomorrow 7am (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 The Big Bang Theory

16/24 Series 8. Sheldon and Penny agree to participate in an experiment. (S) (AD) (HD) **8.30 17/24.** Sheldon applies for a one-way mission to colonise Mars. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 New. Tattoo Fixers

Ep 9 Series 4. Jayne and Kate look for help with their swears tattoos. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 Eight out of Ten Cats

With guests Joe Wilkinson, Jayde Adams, Jamie Laing and Paisley Billings. (S) (HD)

10.55 The Big Bang Theory

12&13/24 Series 4. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.55 Gogglebox

Instant TV reviews from March 2014. (S) (HD)

1.00am Tattoo Fixers (S) (AD) (HD)

2.00 Rude Tube: Rude Zoo (S) (HD) **2.55** Rude Tube (S)

3.20 Celebs Go Dating: James Argent takes his date for a curry (S) (AD) (HD)

4.15 Rude(ish) Tube (S) **4.40-6.00am** Charmed (S) (SL)

E4 +1 Freewiew 29 Freesat 123 Sky 137 Virgin 146

4seven 47

F'view 47 F'sat 127 Sky 140 Virgin 143 **HD** F'view 110

9.00am Four in a Bed (S) (HD)

9.30 Come Dine with Me: five editions (S) (HD)

12 noon Coast vs Country (S) (AD) (HD)

1.00pm A Place in the Sun: Winter Sun (S) (HD)

3.00 Sun, Sea and Selling Houses (S) (HD)

4.00 Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA (S)

6.00pm Location, Location, Location

Revisiting homes in Fife and Derby. (S) (HD)

7.00 How to Lose Weight Well 1/4 Series 3

Dr Xand van Tulleken examines diet pills. Shown yesterday 8pm Channel 4 (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Food Unwrapped Diet Special

Beating the post-Christmas blast. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 The Undateables 1/4 Series 8.

Bookseller Sam finds the gay scene intimidating. See page 66. Shown yesterday 9pm C4 (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 First Dates Hotel Ep 1 Series 2.

A nursery worker meets a bricklayer. See page 67. Shown yesterday 10pm Channel 4 (S) (AD) (HD)

11.05 24 Hours in A&E Ep 1 Series 14.

A girl has signs of a chest infection. (S) (AD) (HD)

12.10am Ep 2.

A woman who collapsed due to a headache. See p77. Shown 9pm C4 (S) (AD) (HD)

1.10am The Biggest Little Railway in the World (S)

(AD) (HD) **2.05** SAS: Who Dares Wins (S) (AD) (HD)

2.55 The World's Wildest Weather (S) (HD) **3.50-4.50am** The Supervet (S) (AD) (HD)

More4 14



The Lincoln Lawyer 9.00pm Mick Haller takes on a lucrative case

F'view 14 F'sat 124 Sky 138 Virgin 147 **HD** Virgin 195

8.55am Food Unwrapped (S) (AD) (HD)

9.30 A Place in the Sun: Home or Away (S) (HD) **10.30** Four in a Bed (S) (HD)

1.05pm Come Dine with Me (S) (HD)

3.50 A Place in the Sun: Home or Away (S) (HD)

5.55 The Secret Life of the Zoo (S) (AD) (HD)

6.55pm The Supervet

Emily, an eight-year-old shih-tzu, needs a risky operation to fix her spine. (S) (HD)

7.55 Grand Designs

Kevin McCloud follows the conversion of a large, Grade II-listed timber-framed barn in Essex into a family home. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 The Lincoln Lawyer ★★★

Crime drama. Maverick defence lawyer Mick Haller is engaged to defend a wealthy playboy accused of attempted murder, but he begins to suspect his client may be guilty.

Mick Haller **Matthew McConaughey**

Maggie McPherson **Marisa Tomei**

Louis Roulet **Ryan Phillippe**

Ted Minton **Josh Lucas**

Val Valenzuela **John Leguizamo**

Director Brad Furman (2011, 15) (S) (W) (HD)

11.20 Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA

PJ's Steakhouse in Queens, New York. (S)

12.20am A Very British Brothel (S) (HD) **1.20** Grand Designs (S) (AD) (HD) **2.30-3.30am** Eight out of Ten Cats Does Countdown (S) (HD)

More4 +1 Freewiew 86 Freesat 125 Sky 139 Virgin 196

5 USA 21

F'view 21 Freesat 129 Sky 174 Virgin 153

9.00am Catch a Contractor

9.20 McBride: The Chameleon Murder (S) **11.10** The Mentalist (S) (AD) **12.05pm** Law & Order

2.05 The Mentalist (S) (AD) **3.05** Rookie Blue (S)

6.00pm Law & Order: double bill. 15&16/24

Series 9. (S) **7.00** NCIS: New Orleans

12&13/24 Series 1 (S) (AD) **9.00** Law & Order: Special Victims Unit: triple bill. **1/23 Series 16.** A new detective gets off to a rocky start (S) **10.00 19/22 Series 10.** A woman reports the disappearance of her granddaughter (S)

10.55 20/22. A girl is injured in a fall (S)

11.55 The Mysteries of Laura

12.50am Cedar Cove: drama series **2.50** Chicago PD (S) **3.50-4.00am** Access

5 USA +1 F'view 56 (6pm-5am) F'sat 130 Sky 191 Virgin 185

5 Star 30

F'view 30 Freesat 131 Sky 176 Virgin 151

8.00am Access

8.05 According to Jim (S) **8.30** Gilmore Girls (S) **9.15** Milkshake! **11.00** Access **11.05** According to Jim (S) **12 noon** Nightmare Tenants, Slum Landlords (S)

1.00pm Celebrity Big Brother (S)

2.00 Police Interceptors (S) **3.00** Neighbours (S) (AD) **3.30** Home and Away (S) (AD) **4.00** The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air (S) **5.00** Will & Grace (S)

6.00pm Neighbours Shown 5.30pm C5 (S) (AD)

6.30 New. Home and Away Rptd tomorrow 6pm Channel 5 (S) (AD) **7.00** The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air (S) **8.00** Sinkholes: Sucked to Death **3/3 (S)** **9.00** Circus Kids: Our Secret World **2/3 (S)** **10.00** FILM Under Siege ★★★ (S)

12.15am Gypsy Kids: Our Secret World: documentary (S) **1.15** Wentworth Prison (S) (AD)

2.20 The Bubble Wrap Boy: Extraordinary People (S) **3.15-4.00am** Aftermath (S)

5 Star +1 Freewiew 55 Freesat 132 Sky 190 Virgin 186

PBS America is listed overleaf. See p84 for Film4 and other Freeview movie channels

Yesterday 19

Freewiew 19 Freesat 159 Sky 537 Virgin 245

6.00am Coast

7.10 Pointless **8.00** Time Team (S) **9.00** Coast (S) (AD) **10.00** Machines of War (S) (AD) **11.00** Abandoned Engineering (S) (AD)

12 noon Time Team (S)

1.00pm Human Planet (S) (AD) **2.00** Atlantic: the Wildest Ocean on Earth **3.00** Coast (S) (AD) **4.00** Slow Train through Africa with Griff Rhys Jones **5.00** The Nazis: a Warning from History (S) (AD)

6.00pm Battleplan

Attempts to blockade Britain during the Second World War. (S)

7.00 Machines of War

The history of tanks, from the First World War to the modern armoured vehicles of today. (S) (AD)

8.00 Abandoned Engineering

A look at abandoned projects of the space age. (S) (AD)

9.00 Porridge

The inmates join a work party.

9.40 Fletch

tries to shirk his duties.

10.20 Fletch

becomes an agony aunt. (S)

11.00 Open All Hours

Arkwright buys a dog.

11.40 Granville

is left in charge of the shop.

12.20am Granville

is roped in to demonstrate products during Arkwright's sales drive. (S)

1.00 Diamond Decades **2.00-3.00am** Pointless

Yesterday +1 Sky 538 Virgin 246

Home 25

Freewiew 25 Freesat 166 Sky 196 Virgin 281 BT 314

7.05am Homes under the Hammer

8.00 Flog It! **9.00** Ground Force **10.00** Wanted Down Under **11.00** Cash in the Attic **12 noon** Escape to the Country **1.00pm** DIY SOS: the Big Build (AD) **2.00** Escape to the Country **3.00** Flog It! **4.00** Cash in the Attic **5.00** Homes under the Hammer **6.00** Ground Force **7.00** Wanted Down Under **8.00** Escape to the Country **10.00** The New Reclaimers (AD) **11.00** Ground Force **12 midnight** DIY SOS: the Big Build (AD) **1.00am** as 5pm **2.00** as 7pm **2.50-4.00am** Flog It!

Home +1 Sky 244 Virgin 282

5 Spike 31

Freewiew 31 Freesat 141 Sky 160 Virgin 154

9.00am Access

9.10 The Cars That Made Britain Great **10.10** Police Interceptors **12.15pm** Knight Rider **1.20** FILM Cowboy ★★★ Western **3.20** FILM My Pal Trigger ★★★ Western (BW) **5.00** Knight Rider **6.00pm** Police Interceptors **8.00** World's Craziest Police Pursuits **9.00 New.** Idiot TV **2/10.** Footage showing the lengths people go to in order to look good or build muscle **10.00** The X-Files **8/25 Series 2.** The missing Scully is finally found, having been admitted to hospital in a coma (AD) **11.00** FILM Killer Elite ★★★ Action thriller starring Jason Statham, Clive Owen and Robert De Niro **1.20am** The X-Files: a new life form is found in a volcano **2.20** Car Crash TV **2.50-3.00am** Access

5 Spike +1 Sky 219

True Entertainment 61

Freewiew 61 (not Wales) Freesat 142 Sky 182 Virgin 189

6.00am The Waltons

7.00 Little House on the Prairie **8.00** The Waltons **10.00** Little House on the Prairie **1.00pm** FILM A Walton Easter ★★★ **3.00** FILM The Engagement Ring ★★★ **5.00** Murder, She Wrote **6.00** Touched by an Angel **7.00** M*A*S*H: double bill **8.00** The Man from Uncle **9.00** Taggart **11.45** The Return **1.55-3.00am** M*A*S*H

True Entertainment +1 Freesat 152 Sky 183

Horror Channel 70

Freewiew 70 Freesat 138 Sky 319 Virgin 149

8.00am Highlander

9.00 Star Trek: the Next Generation **10.00** Star Trek **11.00** FILM Earthstorm ★ **12.50pm** Highlights **1.00** FILM Pegasus vs Chimera ★★ **2.35** Tales from the Darkside **3.00** Earth: Final Conflict **4.00** FILM Shockwave ★★ **5.50** Horror Highlights **6.00** Star Trek **7.00** Star Trek: the Next Generation **8.00** Lost in Space **9.00** FILM The Evil in Us ★★ Horror **10.50** FILM The Unfolding ★★★ **12.40am** FILM 2001 Maniacs ★★ **2.30** FILM Piranha II: the Spawning ★★ Horror **4.20-4.30am** Highlights

Pick 11

Freewiew 11 Freesat 144 Sky 152 Virgin 123

6.00am Nothing to Declare

7.00 Border Patrol **8.00** Border Security: Canada's Front Line **9.00** Without a Trace **10.00** Babylon 5 **11.00** Stargate SG-1 **12 noon** Nothing to Declare **1.00pm** A Town Called Eureka **2.00** Without a Trace **3.00** Stop, Search, Seize **4.00** Nothing to Declare UK **5.00** Monkey Life (AD) **6.00** A Town Called Eureka **7.00** Stargate SG-1 **8.00** Babylon 5 **9.00** Zoo (AD) **10.00 New.** Evil Encounters **11.00** Brit Cops: Frontline Crime UK **12 midnight** The Force: Manchester **1.00am** Police 10/7 **2.00** Road Wars **3.00** Brit Cops: Frontline Crime UK **4.00** Nothing to Declare **5.00-6.00am** Motorway Patrol (AD)

Pick +1 Freesat 145 Sky 164 (NI 283)

Really 17

Freewiew 17 Freesat 160 Sky 155 Virgin 129

6.00am Tornado Alley

7.00 Shopping **8.00** Antiques Road Trip **9.00** A Place in the Sun: Winter Sun **10.00** DIY SOS **11.00** Ghost Adventures (AD) **12 noon** The Dead Files **1.00pm** Escape to the Country **2.00** A Place in the Sun: Winter Sun **3.00** Wanted Under Under **4.00** The Dead Files **5.00** Ghost Adventures (AD) **6.00** Antiques Road Trip **7.00** Escape to the Country **8.00** DIY SOS **9.00** Wanted in Paradise **10.00** Born to Kill! Class of Evil: the case of Altamio Sanchez **11.00** Murder Made Me Famous **12 midnight** Crime Stories **1.00am** I Survived Evil **2.00** Shopping **4.00** Murder Made Me Famous **4.50-6.00am** Crime Stories

Quest +1 F'view 83 (7pm-4am) F'sat 168 Sky 195 Virgin 173

Quest 37

Freewiew 37 Freesat 167 Sky 144 Virgin 172

6.00am On Coarse

6.20 Lake Escapes **7.10** Cruise Ships **8.00** Chasing Classic Cars **9.00** How It's Made **11.00** Railroad Australia **12 noon** Outback Truckers **1.00pm** Mighty Cruise Ships **2.00** Wheeler Dealers: on the Road **3.00** Fantomworks **4.00** Planes That Changed the World **5.00** How Stuff's Made **6.00** Chasing Classic Cars **7.00 New.** Ultimate Airport Dubai **8.00** Salvage Hunters **9.00 New.** Rise of the Machines **10.00 New.** Deadliest Tech **11.00 New.** World's Deadliest Drivers **12 midnight** as 2pm **1.00am** as 6pm **2.00** as 3pm **3.00** Destroyed in Seconds **4.00** as 12 noon **5.00-6.00am** Overhaulin'

Quest +1 F'view 83 (7pm-4am) F'sat 168 Sky 195 Virgin 173

Challenge 46

Freewiew 46 Freesat 146 Sky 145 Virgin 139

6.00am Golden Balls

7.00 Catchphrase (AD) **8.00** Bruce Forsyth's Play Your Cards Right **9.00** The Chase **10.00** Family Fortunes (AD) **11.00** Bruce's Price Is Right **12 noon** Wheel of Fortune **1.00pm** Catchphrase (AD) **2.00** Family Fortunes (AD) **3.00** The Chase **4.00** Takeshi's Castle **5.00** Ninja Warrior **6.00pm** Catchphrase (AD) **7.00** The Chase: quiz show hosted by Bradley Walsh **10.00** Who Wants to Be a Millionaire? **11.00** Bullseye: four editions **1.00am** The Chase: triple bill **4.00** Bullseye: double bill **5.00-6.00am** Golden Balls

Challenge +1 Freesat 147 Sky 170 Virgin 180

CBS Action 39

Freewiew 39 Freesat 137 Sky 148 Virgin 192

9.00am JAG

10.00 The District **11.00** Diagnosis Murder **12 noon** Gunsmoke **1.00pm** Mission: Impossible **2.00** NCIS: Los Angeles **3.00** NCIS **4.00** CSI: Miami **5.00** NCIS: Los Angeles **6.00** NCIS **7.00** Diagnosis Murder **8.00** Walker, Texas Ranger **9.00** NCIS **10.00** as 5pm **11.00**

TUESDAY Satellite & cable

Television Tuesday



The Blacklist 9.00pm Red goes after a wealthy thief

Sky 1

Sky 106 Virgin 110 HD Virgin 109

6.00am Futurama (S) **7.00** Monkey Life (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** Meerkat Manor (S) **9.00** Road Wars (S) (AD) **10.00** Stargate Atlantis (S) (HD) **11.00** MacGyver (S) (HD) **12 noon** NCIS: Los Angeles (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Hawaii Five-0 (S) (HD) **3.00** NCIS: Los Angeles (S) (HD) **4.00** Stargate SG-1 (S) **5.00** The Simpsons (S) (HD) **6.00pm Futurama** (S) (HD) **6.30** The Simpsons Marge tries to get Maggie into a top nursery. **7.00** Homer is sent to prison. **7.30** Homer crashes the car. **8.00** The church is damaged. (S) (HD) **8.30 New. Harry Hill's Tea Time** **2/10** Series 2. With guest Gregg Wallace. See p76. (HD) **9.00 New. The Blacklist 2/22** Series 5. Tom tries to identify the bones left by Mr Kaplan. (S) (HD) **10.00 New. Trolled Ep 2** Series 7 With Sally Phillips. (HD) **10.30 A League of Their Own 12/13** Series 9. Out-takes. (S) (AD) (HD) **11.00 The Force: North East** (S) (HD) **12 midnight** Ross Kemp: Extreme World (S) (HD) **1.00am** Hawaii Five-0 (S) (HD) **3.00** The Blacklist (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** Stop, Search, Seize (S) (HD) **5.00-6.00am** The Dog Whisperer (HD)

Sky 1+1 Sky 130

Sky Arts

Sky 122 Virgin 122 HD Virgin 206

6.00am Dvorak: the Complete Symphonies (HD) **7.00** Brahms: Piano Concertos No 1 and No 2 (HD) **9.00** Tales of the Unexpected (S) (AD) **9.30** Hollywood: Singing and Dancing (S) (AD) **10.45** Monty Python's Personal Best (S) **12 noon** Too Young to Die (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00pm** Discovering: Gary Cooper (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00** Tales of the Unexpected (S) (AD) **2.30** Hollywood: Singing and Dancing (S) (AD) **3.45** Monty Python's Personal Best (S) **5.00** Too Young to Die (S) (AD) (HD) **6.00pm Discovering: Natalie Wood** Actress profile. (S) (AD) (HD) **7.00 Katherine Jenkins Live at the O₂** A 2010 concert by the mezzo to promote her Believe album, in which she performs classical pieces, standards, cabaret and musical theatre. (S) (HD) **9.00 Michael Ball: Both Sides Now** A concert by the singer and West End star at the Hammersmith Apollo, featuring hits from his recording and stage careers. (S) (HD) **11.45 Spielberg and Williams: the Adventure Continues** Documentary celebrating the collaborations between the director and the composer. (S) (HD) **12.15am** Rock and Roll (S) (AD) (HD) **12.15** Troublemakers: the Story of Land Art (S) (HD) **1.45** Heimat (S) (HD) **4.00** Frank Sinatra: in Concert at the Royal Festival Hall (S) **5.00** Auction: Jackie Kennedy Special (S) (HD) **5.30-6.00am** Auction (HD)



CSI: Crime Scene Investigation 7.00pm Grissom and Sara

Sky Atlantic

Sky 108

6.00am Fish Town (S) (HD) **7.00** The Guest Wing (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** Richard E Grant's Hotel Secrets (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** The West Wing (S) (HD) **11.00** House (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00pm** Without a Trace (S) (HD) **2.00** Blue Bloods (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** The West Wing (S) (HD) **5.00** House (S) (AD) (HD) **6.00pm House 15/22** Series 8 The team treats an army veteran charged with treason. (S) (AD) (HD) **7.00 CSI: Crime Scene Investigation 7/24** Series 7. An elderly cancer patient is murdered by the miniatures killer. (S) (HD) **8.00 Blue Bloods 5/22** Series 7 Frank must decide if the NYPD will participate in a gang raid. (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00 Game of Thrones 4/7** Series 7. Daenerys fights back, Jaime faces an unexpected situation and Arya returns home. (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00 5/7** Daenerys makes an offer to the Lords of Westeros. Meanwhile, Bran has a vision of the Night King's army. (S) (AD) (HD) **11.10 Spielberg** Documentarian Susan Lacy pulls back the curtain on the career of film-maker Steven Spielberg. (S) (AD) (HD) **1.50am** Dexter (HD) **3.00** Banshee (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00-6.00am** The West Wing: double bill (S) (HD)

Sky Atlantic +1 Sky 217

Universal

Sky 113 Virgin 137 BT 320 HD Virgin 164 BT 385

6.00am CSI: Miami **7.00** Home Shopping **8.00** Law & Order **2.00pm** NCIS: four episodes **6.00pm NCIS 1/24** Series 4 The team tries to prove that Ziva had nothing to do with a political assassination carried out by her former Mossad partner. **7.00 2/24** Gibbs comes out of retirement to help Fornell and his daughter by reopening the case of an escaped convict who is putting their lives in danger. **8.00 7/24** Series 9. A Homeland Security employee goes missing and the team's investigation becomes complicated when it emerges the man's spouse used to be married to both Gibbs and Fornell. **9.00 Law & Order: Special Victims Unit 16/22** Series 10 Benson and Stabler hunt a killer whose motives seemingly stem from a misguided sense of righteousness. **10.00 8/23** Series 16. The SVU detectives team up with their counterparts in the Chicago Intelligence Unit to take down a child pornography ring. **11.00** A former footballer is caught abusing his ex-girlfriend in leaked surveillance camera footage, and Fin and Benson investigate the couple's history. **12 midnight** Law & Order: Special Victims Unit: double bill **2.00am** Law & Order **3.00** Rookie Blue **4.00-6.00am** Num3r3s

Universal +1 Sky 150 Virgin 138



Chicago Fire 9.00pm Severe clashes with Casey

Sky Living

Sky 107 Virgin 112 HD Virgin 111

6.00am 60-Minute Makeover **7.00** Obese: a Year to Save My Life (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** Chicago Fire (S) (HD) **9.00** Criminal Minds (S) (HD) **10.00** Cold Case (S) (HD) **11.00** The Biggest Loser: Australia (HD) **12 noon** House Hunters International (HD) **1.00pm** To Catch a Smuggler: JFK Airport (S) (HD) **2.00** Nothing to Declare (S) (AD) **4.00** Chicago Fire (S) (HD) **5.00** CSI: Crime Scene Investigation (S) (HD) **6.00pm Criminal Minds** (S) (HD) **7.00 New. The Chef's Line** Culinary contest. (HD) **7.30** The Real A&E (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00 Elementary 20/24** Series 3 Jonny Lee Miller stars. (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00 New. Chicago Fire Ep 5** Series 6. A teenager becomes trapped in barbed wire. (S) (HD) **10.00 New series. How To Get Away With Murder Ep 1** Series 4 Annalise tries to pick up the pieces of her shattered life. (HD) **11.00 Criminal Minds** (S) (HD) **12 midnight** CSI: Crime Scene Investigation (S) (HD) **1.00am** Cold Case (S) (HD) **2.00** Bones (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Scandal (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** The Chef's Line (HD) **4.30** The Real A&E (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00-6.00am** Nothing to Declare (S) (AD)

Sky Living +1 Sky 129 Virgin 140

Sky 2

Sky 163 (NI 164) Virgin 121

6.00am Real A&E (S) **7.00** Police 10/7 (S) **8.00** Highway Patrol (S) **9.00** Biggest Losers US (S) **10.00** Obese USA (S) **11.00** Real A&E (S) **12 noon** Police 10/7 (S) **1.00pm** Highway Patrol (S) **2.00** Motorway Patrol (S) **3.00** Road Wars (S) **4.00** Flash (S) **5.00** Stargate Atlantis (S) **6.00pm** Stargate SG-1: O'Neill and Teal'c are caught in a time loop (S) **7.00** Relic Hunter: Sydney is trapped in a temple (S) **8.00** Duck Quacks Don't Echo (S) **9.00** Strikeback: Vengeance **11.00** Duck Quacks Don't Echo (S) **11.30** Harry Hill's Tea Time (S) **12 midnight** The Blacklist (S) **1.00am** Trolled **1.30** Chicago Fire **2.30** How to Get Away with Murder **3.30** as 2pm **4.00** as 3pm **5.00-6.00am** as 12 noon

Syfy

Sky 114 Virgin 135 BT 319 HD Virgin 165 BT 375

6.00am Star Trek: the Next Generation **8.00** Home Shopping **11.00** Buffy the Vampire Slayer **12 noon** Merlin **2.00pm** FILM Age of the Dragons ★★ Fantasy adventure starring Danny Glover **4.00** Buffy the Vampire Slayer **5.00** Star Trek: the Next Generation **7.00pm** Merlin **9.00** FILM Disaster Movie ★ Spoof comedy with Matt Lanter **10.50** FILM Hard Rain ★★ Action thriller starring Morgan Freeman and Christian Slater **12.50am** FILM 3-Headed Shark Attack ★★ 3.00 Fact or Faked: Paranormal Files **4.00-6.00am** Dark Matter

Syfy +1 Sky 194 Virgin 136



Educating Essex 9.00pm Mr Drew deals with bullying

W

Sky 109 Virgin 125 BT 311 HD Virgin 191 BT 383

6.10am MasterChef Junior USA (S) (HD) **8.00** Extreme Makeover: Home Edition (S) **10.00** The Bill (S) **11.00** Tipping Point (HD) **1.00pm** Supernanny US **2.00** The Great British Bake Off (S) (HD) **3.00** Extreme Makeover: Home Edition (S) **5.00** Tipping Point (HD) **5.55pm The Davina Hour** Heptathlete Louise Hazel and broadcaster Miranda Sawyer discuss mid-life crises. (S) (HD) **7.00 The Great British Bake Off** The 12 remaining contenders face three bread-based tasks. (S) (HD) **8.00 One Born Every Minute** Childbirth stories. (S) (HD) **9.00 Educating Essex** Mr Drew intervenes when a pupil receives threatening text messages. (AD) **10.00 John Bishop in Conversation with Freddie Flintoff 6/10** Series 1. A chat with the top cricketer. (S) (HD) **11.00 EastEnders** Karen's job interview gets off to a shaky start. Shown 7.30pm BBC1 **11.40 Code Black 2/18** Series 1 Christa pleads with Neal to perform surgery. (S) (AD) (HD) **12.40am** Wanted Down Under **2.25-3.00am** Judge Faith (HD)

W +1 Sky 213 Virgin 131

TLC

Sky 125 Virgin 167 BT 323 HD Virgin 168 BT 377

6.00am Cake Boss (HD) **7.00** Cake Boss: the Next Great Baker (AD) (HD) **8.00** Say Yes to the Dress: Atlanta (HD) **9.00** Say Yes to the Dress (HD) **10.00** Suddenly Royal (HD) **11.00** 90 Day Fiancé (AD) (HD) **12 noon** Gypsy Sisters (HD) **1.00pm** Say Yes to the Dress Canada (HD) **2.00** Cake Boss (HD) **3.00** Something Borrowed, Something New (HD) **4.00** Say Yes to the Dress: Big Bliss (HD) **5.00** Say Yes to the Dress (HD) **6.00** Say Yes to the Dress: Atlanta **7.00** Say Yes to the Dress **8.00** New series. My Big Fat Fabulous Life (HD) **10.00** New series. Long Island Medium (HD) **11.00** Hoarding: Buried Alive (HD) **12 midnight** as 8pm **2.00am** as 5pm **3.00** as 3pm **4.00** as 4pm **5.00-6.00am** as 1pm

Lifetime

Sky 156 Virgin 208 BT 329 HD Virgin 209 BT 384

7.00am Property Brothers (HD) **8.00** Little Women: LA (HD) **9.00** Vanderpump Rules (HD) **10.00** The Real Housewives of Beverly Hills (HD) **11.00** Judge Judy (HD) **2.00pm** My Ghost Story: Caught on Camera (HD) **3.00** Million Dollar Decorators (HD) **4.00** Dance Moms (HD) **5.00** Hardcore Pawn (HD) **6.00pm** Storage Wars: double bill (HD) **7.00** Judge Judy (HD) **8.00** Hoarders (HD) **9.00** New. Real Housewives of Sydney: the women enjoy a fur wedding (HD) **10.00** New. Seven Year Switch (HD) **11.00** My Crazy Ex (HD) **12 midnight** Real Housewives of Sydney **1.00am** Seven Year Switch (HD) **2.00** My Ghost Story: Caught on Camera (HD) **3.00-4.00am** Dance Moms (HD)

Lifetime +1 Sky 197



Mrs Brown's Boys 9.20pm Agnes waits for a payout

Gold

Sky 110 Virgin 124 BT 310

7.30am Yes, Prime Minister (S) **8.05** The Brittas Empire (S) **8.45** Goodnight Sweetheart (S) **9.20** Last of the Summer Wine (S) **11.20** My Family (S) (AD) **12 noon** The Green Green Grass (S) **12.40pm** Keeping Up Appearances (S) **1.20** The Brittas Empire (S) **2.00** Blackadder II (S) (AD) **3.20** The Green Green Grass (S) **4.00** Last of the Summer Wine (S) **6.00pm Keeping Up Appearances** Hyacinth attends a christening. (S) **6.40 The Good Life** The Goods decide to keep pigs. (S) (AD) **7.20** Tom builds a generator. (S) (AD) **8.00 Blackadder the Third** Edmund falls foul of an enraged Dr Johnson. (S) (AD) **8.40** The Duke of Wellington challenges the prince. (S) (AD) **9.20 Mrs Brown's Boys** The family awaits the fruits of its fraud (S) (HD) **10.00 Jack Dee Live at the Apollo** The comic takes centre stage. (S) **11.00 Gimme Gimme Gimme** Linda and Tom find a half-naked man in their flat. (S) (AD) **11.40 Peep Show** (S) (HD) **12.45am** Jack Dee Live at the Apollo (S) **1.45** Gimme Gimme Gimme (S) (AD) **2.25** Harry Hill's the Best of TV Bump **3.15-4.00am** Peep Show (S) (HD)

Gold +1 Sky 166 Virgin 190

Comedy Central

Sky 112 Virgin 132 BT 307 HD Virgin 181 BT 370

8.00am The Middle (S) (HD) **10.00** Friends (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00pm** Impractical Jokers (S) (HD) **2.00** Friends (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** Bob's Burgers (S) (HD) **5.00** Friends: eight back-to-back episodes (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00pm** FILM Mr & Mrs Smith ★★ Romantic action comedy with Brad Pitt and Angelina Jolie (HD) **11.00** The Cleveland Show (HD) **12 midnight** Eight out of Ten Cats: with Johnny Vegas, Jack Whitehall, Ulrika Jonsson and Jodie Kidd (HD) **12.30am** Impractical Jokers (S) (HD) **1.00** New. The Daily Show (HD) **1.30** South Park (S) (HD) **2.30** The Cleveland Show (HD) **3.25** South Park (S) (HD) **4.15-5.00am** Bob's Burgers (S) (HD)

Sony Channel

Sky 157 Virgin 193 BT 331

7.00am Ghost Hunters **9.00** Hotel Babylon **10.00** Hustle **11.00** America's Got Talent **1.00pm** Hustle **2.00** FILM Zathura: a Space Adventure ★★ Fantasy adventure **4.05** FILM I Spy ★★ Spy action comedy starring Eddie Murphy **6.00pm** Hustle **7.00** Hotel Babylon **8.00** Hustle **9.00** Saving Hope: Charlie encounters a coma patient who does not want to wake up **10.00** The Night Shift **11.00** Secret Diary of a Call Girl **12 midnight** Satisfaction **1.00am** Younger **2.00** Celebrity Ghost Stories **3.00-4.00am** Saving Hope

Sony TV +1 Sky 181



Agatha Christie's Poirot
6.50pm A brace of cases

ITV Encore

Sky 123
6.00am Upstairs, Downstairs (S)
7.55 The Chief **8.50** Always and Everyone **9.50** Heartbeat (S) **11.00** Peak Practice **12.05pm** The Chief **1.10** Always and Everyone **2.15** Peak Practice **3.20** Heartbeat (S) **4.30** Upstairs, Downstairs (S)
6.50pm Agatha Christie's Poirot Murder in the Mews. The detective investigates when a body is found in Hastings's garage. **7.55** The Adventure of Johnnie Waverly. English country squire Marcus Waverly receives anonymous letters threatening the kidnap of his son Johnnie. **9.00** Death in the Clouds. A passenger is murdered on Poirot's flight from Paris, leaving few clues to the killer's identity. (S) (HD)
Hercule Poirot **David Suchet**
Capt Arthur Hastings **Hugh Fraser**
Chief Insp James Japp **Philip Jackson**
Miss Lemon **Pauline Moran**
Mrs Pierce **Gabrielle Blunt**
11.15 Unforgotten 3/6 Series 1 Cassie and Sunny dig deeper into the lives of two of the people mentioned in the diary. (S) (AD) (HD)
12.10am Unforgotten (S) (AD) (HD) **1.10** Home Fires (S) **3.05** The Chief **4.00** Always and Everyone **4.55** Agatha Christie's Poirot (S) (HD) **5.45-6.00am** Nightscreen (HD)
ITV Encore +1 Sky 268

PBS America 94

Freeview 94 Freesat 155 Sky 534 Virgin 276
8.00am Walks around Britain **8.30** World War II: Saving the Reality **9.40** Ocean Vet **10.45** The Teacher Who Defied Hitler **11.55** World War II: Saving the Reality **1.10pm** 13 Hours That Saved Britain **2.15** Ocean Vet **3.15** The Teacher Who Defied Hitler **4.25** World War II: Saving the Reality **5.35** 13 Hours That Saved Britain
6.40pm Ocean Vet The team tries to put a satellite tag on a tiger shark in Bermuda. **7.15** Neil Burnie and his team embark on a project to track the oceanic migration of blue marlin. **7.50** Lancaster at War A detailed look at the Avro Lancaster, the bomber that became the RAF's workhorse during the Second World War. **9.00** Code-Breakers: Bletchley Park's Lost Heroes Keeley Hawes narrates the story of how a mathematician and an engineer unravelled the secrets of Hitler's code machine - reputedly more secure than the Enigma device. **10.15** American Lawmen A look at how Joe Petrosino, the first Italian-American police detective in New York, attempted to protect his people against the Mafia's stronghold on the community. **11.20** Lancaster at War As 7.50pm. **12.20am** Code-Breakers: Bletchley Park's Lost Heroes **1.30-2.00am** Walks around Britain



The Mrs Bradley Mysteries
9.00pm The sleuth and George

Alibi

Sky 132 Virgin 126 BT 312 HD Virgin 200 BT 382
7.10am The Doctor Blake Mysteries (S) (HD) **8.00** New Tricks (S) (AD) **9.00** Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD) **10.00** The Doctor Blake Mysteries (S) (HD) **11.00** Dangerfield (S) **12 noon** Inspector George Gently (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00pm** The Doctor Blake Mysteries (S) (HD) **3.00** Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD) **4.00** New Tricks (S) (AD) **5.00** Dangerfield (S)
6.00pm Inspector George Gently 2/2 Series 3. An academic is found dead following a nuclear disarmament rally. (S) (AD) (HD)
8.00 Murdoch Mysteries 1/18 Series 11. The detective must prove his innocence amid police and government corruption. (S) (HD)
9.00 The Mrs Bradley Mysteries 1/4 Series 1. Amateur sleuth Adela Bradley is asked to give a lecture at her old school. (S)
10.00 Death in Paradise 2/8 Series 1. A bride is shot dead on her wedding day. (S) (AD) (HD)
11.20 Murdoch Mysteries 6/13 Series 1. Murdoch experiences flashbacks concerning the death of his mother. (S) (HD)
12.20am The Closer (S) (HD) **1.15** Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD) **2.15** Reckless (S) (HD) **3.00-4.00am** Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD)
Alibi +1 Sky 226 Virgin 130

Discovery History

Sky 535 Virgin 262
6.00am Aircraft Stories **7.00** Chris Barrie's Massive Machines **8.00** Tanks **9.00** Deadliest Tech **10.00** Battlefield **12 noon** Aircraft Stories **1.00pm** Tanks **2.00** Deadliest Tech **3.00** Chris Barrie's Massive Machines **4.00** Battlefield **5.00** The Weapon Hunter
6.00pm Out of Egypt Dr Kara Cooney examines the rise of cities, arguing they present as many problems as they solve in terms of understanding Egyptian society.
7.00 Cold War Armageddon As the arms race raged on, the 1950s become a decade of paranoia. However, the threat of mutually assured destruction maintained the stalemate between democracy and communism.
8.00 The Weapon Hunter Paul Shull gets a lesson in how to operate a flamethrower.
9.00 Out of Egypt The reasons behind the high value of treasured relics that have been preserved and worshipped for generations.
10.00 Mother That Killed: Crimes of the Century Andrea Yates, who drowned all five of her children.
11.00 Deadliest Tech A look at the use of helicopters in combat.
12 midnight Battlefield: double bill **2.00am** Cold War Armageddon **3.00** Chris Barrie's Massive Machines **4.00** Battlefield (AD) **5.00-6.00am** Hitler's Henchmen
Discovery History +1 Sky 536 Virgin 263



The Orville 9.00pm Mercer and Kelly try reprogramming

Fox

Sky 124 Virgin 157 HD Virgin 199
8.00am Monk (S) (HD) **9.00** The Closer (S) (HD) **11.00** Bones (S) (HD) **1.00pm** NCIS (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** The Closer: double bill (S) (HD) **5.00** Bones: double bill (S) (HD)
7.00pm NCIS 12/24 Series 12 A social worker is taken hostage in Syria, and the team suspect the involvement of an American-born terrorist, and an imam with a price on his head. (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00 13/24.** The team investigates when the first openly gay navy lieutenant set to receive the Medal of Honor is murdered. (S) (AD) (HD)
9.00 The Orville 4/12 Mercer tries to reprogram the brainwashed inhabitants of a long-dormant space craft. (S) (HD)
10.00 American Dad! Series 11 While on vacation, Stan joins the world of old Hollywood. (S) (HD)
10.30 Francine's novel is up for an award, so the family heads to the Big Apple for the ceremony. (S) (HD)
11.00 Family Guy Series 10. Brian turns to substance abuse to calm his nerves when a storm hits. (S) (HD)
11.30 Quagmire discovers his sister needs help. (S) (HD)
12 midnight American Dad! (S) (HD) **1.00am** Family Guy (S) (HD) **2.00-3.00am** American Dad! (S) (HD)
Fox +1 Sky 165 Virgin 158

History

Sky 529 Virgin 270 BT 327 HD BT 379
6.00am Pawn Stars (HD) **7.10** Storage Wars (HD) **8.00** Counting Cars (HD) **9.00** Ancient Aliens (HD) **10.00** Doomsday: Ten Ways the World Will End (HD) **11.00** Forged in Fire (HD) **12 noon** Combat Ships (HD) **1.00pm** Pawn Stars (HD) **2.00** Counting Cars (HD) **3.00** Ice Road Trucker (HD) **4.00** Storage Wars Miami (HD) **4.30** Storage Wars (HD) **6.00** Forged in Fire (HD) **7.00** American Pickers: Mike and Frank face the Georgia Gambler (HD) **8.00** Ancient Assassins (HD) **9.00** Vikings (HD) **10.00** Pirate Treasure of the Knights Templar (HD) **11.00** Forged in Fire (HD) **12 midnight** The Curse of Oak Island (HD) **1.00am** Storage Wars (HD) **2.00** Homicide Hunter (HD) **3.00** The First 48 **4.00** Forged in Fire (HD) **5.00-6.00am** Pawn Stars (HD)
History +1 Sky 530 Virgin 271

Animal Planet

Sky 523 Virgin 256 BT 325 HD Virgin 257 BT 378
6.00am Pit Bulls and Parolees (HD) **8.00** My Cat from Hell (HD) **9.00** The Zoo: double bill (HD) **10.00** Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet (HD) **12 noon** Alaskan Bush People (AD) (HD) **1.00pm** Modern Dinosaurs (HD) **2.00** Pit Bulls and Parolees (HD) **4.00** The Zoo (HD) **6.00** Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet (HD) **8.00** Pit Bulls and Parolees (HD) **10.00** Wildest Middle East (HD) **11.00** Alaskan Bush People (AD) (HD) **12 midnight** The Zoo (HD) **2.00am** Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet (HD) **3.50** Wildest Middle East (HD) **4.40** Alaskan Bush People (AD) (HD) **5.30-6.00am** Meet the Penguins (HD)
Animal Planet +1 Sky 549 Virgin 258



Gold Rush 9.00pm Todd is worried by his poor haul

Discovery

Sky 520 Virgin 250 BT 322 HD Virgin 251 BT 376
6.00am Railroad Alaska (HD) **7.00** Alaska: the Last Frontier (HD) **8.00** Gold Rush (HD) **9.00** Wheeler Dealers (HD) **11.00** Fast 'n' Loud (AD) (HD) **1.00pm** Railroad Alaska (HD) **2.00** Alaska: the Last Frontier (HD) **3.00** Yukon Men (HD) **4.00** Gold Rush (HD) **5.00** Blowing Up History (HD)
6.00pm Wheeler Dealers Mike tracks down a Fiat Panda 4x4 with potential. (HD) **7.00** Mike takes a risk at auction by purchasing a late Alfasud 1.5 Tl with no service history. (HD) **8.00** Gold Rush Parker is unlikely to reach his goal of 5,000 ounces, but his family comes up with a birthday gift that could help. **9.00** New. Todd's Colorado mine is in prime position to observe a rare solar eclipse, but even a celestial spectacle is not enough to distract him from his output this season. **10.00** New. The gold miners of the Yukon put everything they have on the line in the hope of striking it rich. (HD)
11.00 Wheeler Dealers Mike Brewer plans to capitalise on 1980s nostalgia by restoring an original 1982 Toyota Supra. (HD)
12 midnight Gold Rush (HD) **2.00am** How It's Made **3.00** Gold Rush (HD) **5.30-6.00am** How It's Made (HD)
Discovery +1 Sky 521 Virgin 252

Nat Geographic

Sky 526 Virgin 266 BT 317 HD Virgin 268 BT 373
8.00am Strippers: Cars for Cash (S) (AD) **9.00** Supercar Megabuild (HD) **10.00** Car SOS (HD) **1.00pm** World War II: the Apocalypse (HD) **2.00** WWII's Greatest Raids (HD) **3.00** WW2 Hell under the Sea (HD) **4.00** War Heroes of the Skies (HD) **5.00** Air Crash Investigation (HD) **8.00pm** Nazi Secrets: triple bill. Nazi architect Albert Speer **9.00** How Hitler managed to enjoy a life of luxury **10.00** Hitler's obsession with racial purity (S) (AD) (HD) **11.00** Air Crash Investigation (S) (AD) (HD) **12 midnight** Seconds from Disaster **2.00am** Highway thru Hell (HD) **3.00** Wicked Tuna: North v South (HD) **4.00-5.00am** Wicked Tuna (HD)
Nat Geo +1 Sky 527 Virgin 267

Eden

Sky 532 Virgin 247 BT 315 HD Virgin 249 BT 389
9.00am World's Wildest City: Manaus (S) (HD) **10.00** Angry Planet (S) (HD) **11.00** Deadly 60 (S) (HD) **12 noon** Tarsier Tails (S) (HD) **1.00pm** The Blue Planet (S) (HD) **2.00** Wildest Africa (S) (HD) **3.00** Deadly 60 (S) (HD) **4.00** Tarsier Tails (S) (HD) **5.00** The Blue Planet (S) (HD) **6.00pm** Deadly 60 (S) (HD) **7.00** Tarsier Tails (S) (HD) **8.00** Wildest Africa (S) (HD) **9.00** The Blue Planet (S) (HD) **10.00** World's Wildest City: Manaus (S) (HD) **11.00** Angry Planet (S) (HD) **12 midnight** Deadly 60 (S) (HD) **1.00am** Tarsier Tails (S) (HD) **2.00** Wildest Africa (S) (HD) **3.00** The Blue Planet (S) (HD) **3.50** Planet Oil: the Treasure That Conquered the World (S) (HD) **5.30-6.00am** Dog's Best Friend (S) (HD)
Eden +1 Sky 533 Virgin 248

CHILDREN'S

Milkshake! on C5

Full listings for Channel 5 are on p80
6.00am Puffin Rock **6.05** Poppy Cat **6.20** Simon **6.25** **RT CHOICE** New. Bob the Builder: the team builds a wildlife corridor so that animals can cross a road safely **See page 77** **6.35** Fireman Sam **6.50** Thomas & Friends **7.00** The Secret Life of Puppies **7.05** Paw Patrol **7.20** Noddy: Toyland Detective **7.35** Peppa Pig **7.50** Floogals **8.05** New. Digby Dragon **8.20** Rusty Rivets **8.35** Shimmer and Shine **8.55** Ben and Holly **9.05-9.15am** Mofy

CBeebies 202

Freeview 202 Freesat 608 Sky 614 Virgin 702
6.00am Show Me **6.20** Baby Jake **6.30** Yakka Dee **6.35** Dinopaws **6.50** **RT CHOICE** New. Raa Raa the Noisy Lion: Raa Raa's friends help him to fix broken things **See p77** **7.00** Teletubbies **7.15** Bing **7.30** Hey Duggee **7.50** Peter Rabbit **8.00** Go Jetters **8.15** Octonauts **8.25** The Furchester Hotel **8.35** Justin's House **9.00** Everything's Rosie **9.10** Tinga Tinga **9.25** Bing **9.30** Small Potatoes **9.35** Twirlywoos **9.45** Something Special **10.05** Teletubbies **10.20** Numberblocks **10.30** Spot Bots **10.45** Magic Door **10.50** Yakka Dee **10.55** Show Me **11.15** Big Barn Farm **11.30** Andy's Baby Animals **11.40** Waybuloo **12 noon** I Can Cook **12.15pm** Teacup Travels **12.30** My Story **12.50** Melody **1.00** Baby Jake **1.10** Tinga Tinga **1.20** Bing **1.30** Small Potatoes **1.35** Twirlywoos **1.45** Something Special **2.05** Timmy Time **2.15** Numberblocks **2.20** Spot Bots **2.35** Magic Door **2.40** Yakka Dee **2.50** Show Me **3.10** Get Well Soon **3.30** Swashbuckle **3.55** Boj **4.05** School of Roars **4.15** Hey Duggee **4.20** Go Jetters **4.35** My Pet and Me **4.50** Peter Rabbit **5.00** Kate & Mim-Mim **5.10** Sarah & Duck **5.20** Topsy and Tim **5.30** Katie Morag **5.45** Pablo **6.00** Clangers **6.10** The Adventures of Abney & Teal **6.20** In the Night Garden... **6.50-7.00pm** CBeebies Bedtime Stories: read by Ellie Harrison.

CBBC 201

Freeview 201 Freesat 607 Sky 613 Virgin 701
7.00am Brain Freeze **7.05** The Deep **7.25** Dennis & Gnasher **7.40** Newsround **7.45** Danger Mouse **8.00** Dragons **8.20** Newsround **8.30** Junior Bake Off **9.00** Marring Mum and Dad **9.25** Horrible Histories **9.55** My Life **10.25** Next Step **10.45** Tracy Beaker Returns **11.15** So Awkward **11.45** 4 o'Clock Club **12.15pm** Top Class **12.45** Naomi's Nightmares of Nature **11.00** Now You See It **1.20** Help! My Mini School Trip Is Magic **1.30** Officially Amazing **1.55** How to Be Epic **2.10** Blue Peter **2.40** So Awkward **3.10** Odd Squad **3.20** Arthur: Zig and Zag's Zogcasts **3.35** Strange Hill High **4.00** Air-A's Superchargers **4.20** Newsround **4.30** Jamie Johnson **5.00** Secret Life of Boys **5.25** Epic Quick Blast **5.30** Operation Ouch! Hospital Takeover **6.00pm** Scream Street **6.15** Danger Mouse **6.25** Zig and Zag **6.40** The Deep **7.00** New. Creeped Out **7.25** Shark Bites **7.30** Horrible Histories **8.00** Marring Mum and Dad **8.30** Creeped Out **8.55-9.00pm** Lifebabble

CITV 203

Freeview 203 Freesat 602 Sky 621 Virgin 734
Programmes 6.00pm-9.00 not Freeview
6.00am Grizzly Tales **6.25** Super 4 **6.55** The Bagel and Becky Show **7.20** Scooby-Do! **7.50** Ultimate Spider-Man **8.21** Horrid Henry **8.50** Fangbone **9.20** Mission Emplayable **9.25** Oddbods Show **9.50** Super 4 **10.20** Dino Dan **10.50** Grizzly Tales **11.15** Almost Naked Animals **11.45** Horrid Henry **12.45pm** Fort Boyard **1.40** Make It Pop **2.00** Almost Naked Animals **2.30** Oddbods Show **3.00** Dino Dan **3.25** Super 4 **4.00** Mr Bean: the Animated Series **4.15** Fangbone **4.30** Horrid Henry **5.00** New. Wishart **5.30** NinjaGo: Masters of Spinjitzu **6.00pm** Pokémon: Sun and Moon **6.25** Max Steel **6.55** Scooby-Do! **7.25** Horrid Henry **8.25** Wishart **8.55-9.00pm** Mission Emplayable

Tuesday Television

TUESDAY Films & Sport

Television Tuesday

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One sick love story

The Fault in Our Stars ★★★

9.00pm Film4 FREEVIEW
This cancer-themed young-adult romance (see review, p37) took over \$300 million on release in 2014, minting the careers of Shailene Woodley (*The Descendants*) and Ansel Elgort (*Baby Driver*). The bestselling novel, which has been called "mawkish" as well as "compulsively readable", is by John Green, as well known for his charity-promoting YouTube series as his writing. *Stars* is laser-guided in terms of its demographic, but nobody's calling it fluff. **ANDREW COLLINS**



Keeping the flame alive

Tumbledown ★★★ 6.00pm Sky Premiere

The process of moving on is explored in this small-town dramedy. Rebecca Hall plays the widow of a beloved folk singer who is forced to face up to her pain when pursued by a prickly New York writer (Jason Sudeikis). The sentiment is almost as uplifting as the woodsy backdrop, as Hall and Sudeikis prod at each other's sensibilities. It's rare to find a film so eager to deal with bereavement head on, and while it may not have the answers to any of life's deep questions, the feel-good glow it exudes is still satisfying. **JAMES LUXFORD**

Up against the champ

The Bleeder ★★★ Netflix

There's a unique blurring of boxing fact and fiction in this snappily paced biopic, recently added to Netflix. Liev Schreiber stars as Chuck Wepner, the journeyman pugilist from New Jersey who went 15 rounds with Muhammad Ali in 1975 and whose story provided the inspiration for *Rocky*. **JEREMY ASPINALL**



FREEVIEW

Film4 15

F'view 15 F'sat 300 Sky 315 Virgin 428 HD Virgin 429
11.00am Pillow Talk ★★★★★ Glossy battle-of-the-sexes comedy. Doris Day, Rock Hudson (1959, PG) (S)
1.10pm Tulsa ★★ Colourful drama. Susan Hayward, Robert Preston, Pedro Armendariz (1949, U) (S)
2.55 Fixed Bayonets! ★★ Samuel Fuller's uncompromising war drama. Richard Basehart, Gene Evans, Michael O'Shea (1951, PG) (S)
4.45pm The War Wagon ★★★ Rugged western in which reluctant partners (John Wayne and Kirk Douglas) plan to rob a greedy mine-owner. (1967, U)
6.50 Ride Along ★★ Undemanding action comedy in which Kevin Hart is forced to accompany cop Ice Cube on a nightmare 24-hour patrol. (2014, 12) (S) (AD)
9.00 The Fault in Our Stars ★★★ Shailene Woodley is utterly disarming in this bittersweet tear-jerker about a terminally ill girl. **Film of the Day, p37; Choice, left.** Ansel Elgort (2014, 12) (S) (AD)
11.30 Remembrance Made-for-TV drama featuring the screen debut of Gary Oldman. (S)
1.45-3.50am Wild Bill ★★★★★ Bleak but engaging drama. Charlie Creed-Miles (2011, 15) (S)
Film4 +1 F'view 45 (HD only) F'sat 301 Sky 316 Virgin 430

Sony Movie Channel 32

Freeview 32 Sky 323 Virgin 425
9.00am Abducted: Fugitive for Love ★★ Thriller. Sarah Wynter (2007). **10.55 Voices ★★** Mystery. Amy Acker (2008). **12.40pm Stop! or My Mom Will Shoot ★** Action comedy. Sylvester Stallone (1992, PG). **2.25 Just like Heaven ★★** Comedy. Reese Witherspoon (2005, PG). **4.30 Fools Rush In ★★** Comedy. Matthew Perry (1997, 12). **6.45pm My Best Friend's Wedding ★★★★★** Hilarious romantic comedy. Julia Roberts, Dermot Mulroney, Cameron Diaz, Rupert Everett (1997, 12). **9.00 The River Murders ★★** Crime mystery. Ray Liotta, Christian Slater, Ving Rhames (2011, 18). **11.05 The Marine II ★★** Competent thriller. Ted DiBiase, Temuera Morrison, Lara Cox (2009, 15). **1.15am Random Hearts ★★** Drama. Harrison Ford, Kristin Scott Thomas (1999, 15). **4.05-6.00am Wandering Eye ★★** Thriller. Amanda Righetti (2011). **Sony Movie Channel +1 Sky 324**

Movies4Men 48

Freeview 48 Freesat 304 Sky 325 Virgin 426
6.00am Behold a Pale Horse ★★ Drama. Gregory Peck (1964). **8.35 Sinbad the Sailor ★★** Adventure. Douglas Fairbanks Jr (1947, U). **10.50 Django Kills Softly ★★** Western. George Eastman (1967). **1.00pm Bandidos ★★** Western. Enrico Maria Salerno (1967). **3.00 The Persuaders!** **4.00 The Blitz on Berlin** **5.15 Operation Cross Eagles ★★** War drama. Richard Conte (1968). **7.00pm Crash: the Mystery of Flight 1501 ★★** Watchable drama. Cheryl Ladd (1990, PG). **9.00 The Package ★★** Standard action thriller. Steve Austin, Dolph Lundgren (2012, 15). **11.00 The Patriot ★★** Action adventure. Steven Seagal (1998, 18). **12.50am De@th on Live ★★** Sci-fi thriller. Dominic DeVore (2013, 15). **3.00-4.00am The Avro Shackleton** **Movies4Men +1 Freesat 305 Sky 326**

Talking Pictures TV 81

Freeview 81 Freesat 306 Sky 343 Virgin 445
6.00am There Was a Young Lady ★★ Comedy. Michael Denison (1953, U). **7.45 Johnny Ringo** **8.15 There Is Another Sun ★★** Thriller. Maxwell Reed (1951, PG). **10.10 Target: the Corruptors** **11.10 Gaolbreak ★** Drama. Peter Reynolds (1962, 12). **12.25pm Unpublished Story ★★** Drama. Richard Greene (1942, PG). **2.05 Blanche Fury ★★★★★** Melodrama. Valerie Hobson (1948, PG). **4.05 Here Come the Huggetts ★★** Jaunty tale of a suburban family. Jack Warner (1948, U). **6.00pm The Boys ★★** Courtroom drama. Richard Todd, Robert Morley, Felix Aylmer, Dudley Sutton (1961, 12). **8.30 Tell Me Another TV** chat show. **9.00 Dick Powell Theatre** TV drama. **10.00 Damnation Alley ★** Psychedelic Sci-fi. Jan-Michael Vincent, George Peppard (1977, PG). **11.50 Gillian Hills Interview** **12.20am Beat Girl ★★** Drama. (1960, 12). **2.05 Landfall ★★** Drama. (1949, U). **3.50 Up with the Lark ★★** Comedy. (1943, U). **5.00-6.00am** Burke's Law

Premiere

Sky 301 Virgin 431 BT 501 HD Virgin 401
6.00am The Ottoman Lieutenant ★★ Romantic war drama. Michiel Huisman, Hera Hilmar (2017, 12). **8.00 Blind ★★** Romantic drama. Demi Moore, Alec Baldwin (2017, 15). **9.50 As 6pm 11.40 As 8pm 2.00pm The Book of Henry ★★** Thriller. Naomi Watts, Jaeden Lieberher (2016). **3.50 As 10.20pm**

6.00pm Tumbledown ★★ Warm romantic drama. **Choice, left.** Rebecca Hall, Jason Sudeikis (2015, 15)
8.00 Logan ★★★★★ An ageing Wolverine makes his last stand in this brutal but moving *X-Men* spin-off. Hugh Jackman, Patrick Stewart (2017, 15)
10.20 Kong: Skull Island ★★★★★ Cracking action adventure featuring Hollywood's most iconic primate. Tom Hiddleston, Brie Larson, Samuel L. Jackson, John Goodman (2017, 12)

12.20am Lowriders ★★ Drama. (2016, 12). **2.05 The Zookeeper's Wife ★★** (2017, 12). **4.15 Wolves at the Door ★★** (2016, 15). **5.30 The Greatest Showman Special**

Premiere +1 Sky 302 Virgin 432

Villains

Sky 304 Virgin 434 BT 508 HD Virgin 404
6.00am The Mummy Returns ★★ Period horror adventure. Brendan Fraser, Rachel Weisz (2001, 12). **8.10 Fantastic Beasts Special** **8.40 As 5.30pm 11.10 As 8pm 1.20pm As 10.05pm 3.30 Psycho ★★★★★** Alfred Hitchcock horror thriller. Anthony Perkins, Janet Leigh (1960, 15)

5.30pm Hook ★★ Entertaining fantasy adventure. Dustin Hoffman, Robin Williams, Julia Roberts, Bob Hoskins (1991, U)

8.00 No Country for Old Men ★★★★★ Masterful, multifaceted thriller about the bloody aftermath of a botched drug deal. Tommy Lee Jones, Javier Bardem, Josh Brolin (2007, 15)

10.05 Suicide Squad ★★ Supervillains are press-ganged into doing good in this comic-book epic. Will Smith, Jared Leto, Margot Robbie (2016, 15)

12.15am RoboCop ★★★★★ Satirical sci-fi thriller. Peter Weller, Nancy Allen (1987, 18). **2.00 Batman Returns ★★★★★** Action fantasy. Michael Keaton, Danny DeVito (1992, 15). **4.15 Rocky III ★★** Boxing drama. Sylvester Stallone (1982, PG)

Comedy

Sky 308 Virgin 438 BT 506 HD Virgin 408
6.00am Me, Myself & Irene ★★ (2000, 15). **8.05 All Roads Lead to Rome ★★** (2015, 12). **9.45 Planes, Trains and Automobiles ★★★★★** Comedy. (1987, 15). **11.25 The Love Guru ★★** Comedy. (2008, 12). **1.05pm As 8pm 3.05 As 10pm 4.35 Mean Girls ★★** Comedy. (2004, 12)

6.20pm Happy Gilmore ★★ Slapstick sports comedy. Adam Sandler, Christopher McDonald, Julie Bowen (1996, 12)
8.00 You Don't Mess with the Zohan ★★ Silly Adam Sandler comedy. Rob Schneider, John Turturro (2008, 12)
10.00 This Is Spinal Tap ★★★★★ Classic mockumentary about a rock band on their catastrophic comeback tour. Christopher Guest (1984, 15)
11.30 Don Verdean ★★ Kooky comedy. Sam Rockwell, Amy Ryan (2015, 12)

1.10am Fear and Loathing in Las Vegas ★★ Road movie. Johnny Depp, Benicio Del Toro (1998, 18). **3.15 Jackass: the Movie ★★** Comedy. Johnny Knoxville (2002, 18). **4.50 Dragnet ★★** Spoof police drama. Dan Aykroyd (1987, PG)

Hits

Sky 303 Virgin 433 BT 504 HD Virgin 403
6.45am The Three Dogateers ★★ Christmas comedy. Dean Cain, Richard Riehle (2014, PG). **8.15 As 4.45pm 10.15 As 6.45pm 12.30pm As 9pm 2.50 As 11.30pm 4.45 Billy Lynn's Long Halftime Walk ★★** A war hero struggles to walk. Joe Alwyn, Kristen Stewart, Chris Tucker (2016, 15)

6.45pm Fantastic Beasts and Where to Find Them ★★★★★ Fun, ferocious and fabulous adventure. Eddie Redmayne, Katherine Waterston, Colin Farrell, Dan Fogler (2016, 12)

9.00 Guardians of the Galaxy Vol 2 ★★★★★ Spacefaring misfits save the day in this funny sci-fi adventure. Chris Pratt, Zoe Saldana (2017, 12)

11.30 The Great Wall ★★ Good-looking fantasy adventure. Matt Damon, Jing Tian, Andy Lau (2016, 12)

1.30am Sausage Party ★★ Comedy for fans of raw and saucy humour. Seth Rogen (2016, 15). **3.15 2018 Preview Show** **4.15 The Odd Life of Timothy Green ★★** Fantasy comedy drama. Jennifer Garner (2012, U)

Heroes

Sky 307 Virgin 437 BT 502 HD Virgin 407
6.00am As 3.40pm 8.05 Aeonflux ★★ Sci-fi thriller. Charlize Theron (2005, 15). **9.45 As 5.45pm 12 noon As 8pm 2.15pm Avengers Confidential: Black Widow & Punisher ★★** Animated action adventure. (2014, 12). **3.40 Superman III ★★** Fantasy adventure. Christopher Reeve (1983, PG)

5.45pm Conan the Barbarian ★★★★★ Entertaining if slightly ridiculous sword-and-sorcery epic. Arnold Schwarzenegger (1982, 15)

8.00 Spider-Man 2 ★★★★★ Witty, charming and imaginative comic-book sequel. Tobey Maguire, Kirsten Dunst, Alfred Molina, James Franco (2004, PG)

10.15 Wanted ★★ High-octane adventure in which an office drone becomes a hitman. James McAvoy, Morgan Freeman, Angelina Jolie (2008, 18)

12.10am Underworld: Blood Wars ★★ Horror. Kate Beckinsale (2016, 15). **1.45 Barbarella ★★** Cult sci-fi fantasy. (1967, 15). **3.25 As 8.05am 5.05 Superman IV: the Quest for Peace ★★** Adventure. (1987, PG)

Thriller

Sky 309 Virgin 439 BT 509 HD Virgin 409
6.05am What Lies Beneath ★★ Thriller. (2000, 15). **8.25 Fugitives ★★** Thriller. (2015, 15). **10.15 United 93 ★★★★★** Drama. (2006, 15). **12.20pm Breakdown ★★** Thriller. (2015, 15). **2.20 Anti-Social ★★** Drama. Gregg Sulkin (2015, 15). **4.20 Red Dragon ★★** Thriller. Anthony Hopkins (2002, 15)

6.30pm The Da Vinci Code ★★ Enjoyable adaptation of Dan Brown's bestseller. Tom Hanks, Audrey Tautou, Ian McKellen, Alfred Molina (2006, 12)
9.00 Live by Night ★★ Glamorous if sprawling period drama about an ambitious gangster. Ben Affleck, Sienna Miller (2016, 15)
11.20 Hannibal ★★ Gory but blackly comic sequel to *The Silence of the Lambs*. Anthony Hopkins, Julianne Moore, Gary Oldman, Ray Liotta (2001, 18)

1.45am Face/Off ★★★★★ Action thriller. John Travolta, Nicolas Cage (1997, 18). **4.15 Angel Flight Down ★★** Drama based on a true story. Patricia Kalember, David Charvet, Christopher Atkins (1996)



Disney

Sky 305 Virgin 435 BT 503 **HD** Virgin 405
6.25am As 2.20pm **7.55** *The As*
 3.50pm **9.35** *Heavyweights* ★
 Comedy. (1995, PG) **11.20** As 5.30pm
12.50pm As 3.05pm **2.20** *The*
Aristocats ★★★★★ Adventure. (1970, U)
3.50 *The Good Dinosaur* ★★★★★
 Comedy. (2015, PG) **5.30** *The Little*
Mermaid ★★★★★ Musical. (1989, U)

7.00pm *The Muppet Movie*
 ★★★★★ Jim Henson's beloved
 puppets made their feature film
 debut in this zany adventure. Jim
 Henson, Frank Oz, Jerry Nelson, Richard Hunt (1979, U)

8.40 *Blank Check* ★★
Home Alone-style comedy. Brian
 Bonsall, Karen Duffy, James Rebhorn (1994, PG)

10.20 *Fantasia 2000* ★★
 Long-awaited follow-up to the
 1940 animated classic. (1999, U)

11.40 *The Muppet Movie* As 7pm

1.25pm *The Muppet Christmas*
Carol ★★★★★ Comedy. Michael Caine
 (1992, U) **3.05** *The Emperor's New*
Groove ★★★★★ Animated comedy.
 (2000, U) **4.35** *Kronk's New Groove*
 ★★ Comedy. Patrick Warburton (2005, U)

Drama

Sky 310 Virgin 440 BT 511 **HD** Virgin 410
6.00am *Bravetown* ★★ Drama.
 (2015, 15) **8.00** *Always* ★★★★★ Fantasy.
 (1989, PG) **10.10** *Tex* ★★★★★ Drama.
 Matt Dillon (1982, PG) **12 noon** As 8pm
1.40pm *As Good as It Gets*
 ★★★★★ Comedy drama. Jack Nicholson,
 Helen Hunt (1997, 15) **4.00** *Moulin Rouge!*
 ★★★★★ Musical. Nicole Kidman (2001, 12)

6.15pm *Say Anything...* ★★
 Engaging romantic comedy. John
 Cusack, Irene Skye, John Mahoney, Lili Taylor (1989, 15)

8.00 *Sully* ★★ Understated
 biopic starring Tom Hanks. (2016, 12)

9.45 *Miracles from Heaven*
 ★★ A girl's fatal illness is cured
 in this faith-based film. Jennifer Garner,
 Kylie Rogers, Martin Henderson (2016, 12)

11.45 *The Finest Hours* ★★
 Gripping real-life adventure. Chris
 Pine, Casey Affleck, Ben Foster, Eric Bana (2015, 12)

1.50am *Kids in Love* ★★
 Coming-of-age drama. Will Poulter, Alma
 Jodorowsky (2016, 15) **3.30** *Paint Your*
Wagon ★★★★★ Musical comedy
 western. Lee Marvin, Clint Eastwood (1969, PG)

Select

Sky 312 Virgin 442 BT 510 **HD** Virgin 412
6.55am *Living Is Easy with*
Eyes Closed ★★★★★ (2013) **8.55** *Café*
Society ★★★★★ (2016, 12) **10.40** *Born to*
Be Blue ★★★★★ Biography. (2015, 15)
12.25pm *Tramontane* ★★ Drama.
 (2016, U) **2.15** *The Desperate Hours*
 ★★★★★ Thriller. (1955, PG) **4.15** *The*
Innocents ★★★★★ Drama. (2016, 15)

6.15pm *The Darjeeling*
Limited ★★★★★ Intriguing and
 subtly funny comedy drama. Owen
 Wilson, Adrien Brody, Jason Schwartzman (2007, 15)

8.00 *Loving* ★★★★★ Moving
 drama about a mixed-race
 couple whose marriage broke
 the law and convention in 1950s
 America. Joel Edgerton, Ruth Negga (2016, 12)

10.10 *Jarhead* ★★ Impressive
 coming-of-age drama. Jake Gyllenhaal,
 Jamie Foxx, Peter Sarsgaard (2005, 15)

12.15am *Inglourious Basterds*
 ★★★★★ Action adventure. Brad Pitt (2009, 18)
2.50 *Marathon Man* ★★★★★
 Thriller. Dustin Hoffman (1976, 15) **5.00**
Our Little Sister ★★★★★ Drama.
 Haruka Ayase, Masami Nagasawa (2015, PG)

Family

Sky 306 Virgin 436 BT 505 **HD** Virgin 406
6.00am As 3.05pm **7.45** As
 11.25pm **9.30** *Toys* ★★ Comedy
 fantasy. Robin Williams, Michael Gambon, Joan
 Cusack (1992, PG) **11.35** As 6.10pm
1.25pm As 8pm **3.05** *Matilda*
 ★★★★★ Comedy fantasy. Mara Wilson,
 Danny DeVito (1996, PG) **4.50** *Candy Planet*
 ★★ Adventure. Cherami Leigh (2016, U)

6.10pm *The Lego Batman*
Movie ★★★★★ Hilarious animated
 comedy adventure. Will Arnett (2017, U)

8.00 *Kung Fu Panda 3* ★★
 Spectacular sequel. Jack Black (2016, PG)

9.40 *Angus, Thongs and*
Perfect Snogging ★★★★★
 Endearing coming-of-age
 comedy. Georgia Groome, Alan Davies (2008, 12)

11.25 *The Great Gilly Hopkins*
 ★★★★★ Sweetly told story of a
 foster child. Sophie Nélisse, Kathy Bates (2016)

1.15am *Aquamarine* ★★ Comedy.
 Emma Roberts, Joanna "JoJo" Levesque (2006, PG)
3.10 As 9.40pm **5.00** *FernGully:*
the Last Rainforest ★★
 Animated fantasy. Samantha Mathis (1992, U)

Sci-Fi/Horror

Sky 311 Virgin 441 BT 507 **HD** Virgin 411
6.15am As 3pm **8.30** *Fantastic*
Beasts Special **9.00** As 7pm **11.00**
Assassin's Creed As 9pm **1.00pm**
Resident Evil: the Final Chapter
 As 11pm **3.00** **20,000 Leagues**
under the Sea ★★★★★ Adventure.
 Kirk Douglas (1954, U) **5.15** *Within* ★★
 Horror thriller. Michael Vartan (2016, 15)

7.00pm *Split* ★★ Deviously
 constructed horror thriller.
 James McAvoy, Anya Taylor-Joy (2017, 15)

9.00 *Assassin's Creed* ★★
 This moody spin on the
 blockbuster video game is a
 thrilling time-travelling
 spectacular with a great cast.
 Michael Fassbender, Marion Cotillard (2016, 12)

11.00 *Resident Evil: the Final*
Chapter ★★ Thrilling pay-off in
 the sci-fi franchise. Milla Jovovich (2016, 15)

1.00am *Within* As 5.15pm
2.35 *Pet* ★★ Psychological
 thriller. Dominic Monaghan, Ksenia Solo (2016, 18)
4.15 *Target Earth* ★★ Sci-fi
 drama. Christopher Meloni, Marcia Cross (1998)

TCM

Sky 317 Virgin 415 BT 512 **HD** Virgin 416
6.00am Hollywood's Best Film
 Directors **6.40** *Rawhide* **8.50**
Raintree County ★★★★★ Period
 drama. Montgomery Clift (1957) **12.05pm**
The Dirty Dozen ★★★★★ Action
 adventure. Lee Marvin (1967, 15) **3.00**
Went the Day Well? ★★★★★
 Wartime drama. Leslie Banks (1942, PG)

4.50pm *The Ballad of Cable*
Hogue ★★★★★ Elegiac western.
 Jason Robards, Stella Stevens, David Warner (1970, PG)

7.10 *A Big Hand for a Little*
Lady ★★ Fun comedy western
 with a twist. Henry Fonda, Joanne Woodward,
 Jason Robards, Charles Bickford (1966, U)

9.00 *Risky Business* ★★★★★
 Clever and energetic comedy. Tom
 Cruise, Rebecca De Mornay, Joe Pantoliano (1983, 18)

1.00am Conspiracy Theory with
 Jesse Ventura **2.55** Hollywood's
 Best Film Directors

TCM +1 Sky 318 Virgin 417

SPORT Choices



Darts 6.45pm *BT Sport 1*
 Glen Durrant won the BDO
 World Championship last year

Sky Main Event

Sky 401 Virgin 511 BT 402 **HD** Virgin 501 BT 437
6.00am Good Morning Sports Fans
8.30 **LIVE Test Cricket** The fifth
 and final day's play in the first of
 three Tests between South Africa
 and India, at Newlands in Cape Town.
3.45pm Best of Sky Cricket **4.00**
 Sky Sports News **7.00** Sky Sports
 Tonight: the top stories
7.30 **LIVE League Cup Football**
 Coverage of a first-leg match from
 the semi-finals.
10.00 The Debate: expert opinions
11.00 Sky Sports News
1.00am **LIVE Wrestling**
 WWE Smackdown, profiling fighters
 causing a stir and following feuds
 as they spill out of the ring.
3.00-6.00am Sky Sports News

Sky Football

Sky 403 Virgin 513 **HD** Virgin 503
6.00am Football League Greatest
 Games **6.30** SPFL Greatest Games
7.00 Football Life **7.30** Football
 Countdowns **8.00** Football's Greatest
 Players (AD) **8.30** Football's Greatest
 Teams (AD) **9.00** Spanish Football
9.30 La Liga Greatest Games **10.00**
 Football Years **10.30** Soccer AM:
 highlights (AD) **11.00** One2Eleven (AD)
11.30 SPFL Greatest Games
12 noon Football's Greatest Players
 (AD) **12.30pm** Soccer AM (AD) **1.00**
 La Liga Icons **2.00** Football Years
2.30 Soccer AM (AD) **3.00** Football's
 Greatest Players **3.30** Football's
 Greatest Teams (AD) **4.00** Scottish
 Cup Greatest Games **4.15** SPFL
 Greatest Games **4.30** La Liga
 Greatest Games (AD) **5.00** Football
 Years **5.30** Football Countdowns
6.00 Football's Greatest Players **6.30**
 Soccer AM (AD) **7.00** La Liga Icons
7.30 **LIVE League Cup Football**
 Coverage of a first-leg match from
 the semi-finals.
10.00 Spanish Football: weekend
 round-up **11.00** La Liga Icons
12 midnight League Cup Football
12.30am Spanish Football **1.30**
 League Cup Football **2.00** Spanish
 Football **3.00** League Cup Football
3.30 Football Countdowns **4.00**
 Football League Greatest Games **4.30**
 SPFL Greatest Games **5.00-6.00am**
 Football's Greatest (AD)

Sky Golf

Sky 405 Virgin 515 **HD** Virgin 505
6.00am Wonderful World of Golf
8.00 US Tour Golf
6.00pm US Tour Golf: the 2017 Hawaii
 Open **7.00** The Tournament of
 Champions **8.00** The 2015 Hawaii
 Open **9.00** Tournament of Champions
10.00 The 2016 Hawaii Open **11.00**
 The 2017 Hawaii Open
12 midnight US Tour Golf **2.00**
 Wonderful World of Golf (AD) **3.30**
 British Masters Masterclass
4.00-6.00am PGA Tour Classic

Sky Premier League

Sky 402 Virgin 512 **HD** Virgin 502
6.00am Premier League Years (AD)
8.00 The Debate **9.00** Soccer AM
 (AD) **9.30** Legends **10.00** Premier
 League Daily **11.00** The Debate
12 noon Legends **12.30pm** Greatest
 Games **1.00** Best Goals **1.30** Soccer
 AM (AD) **2.00** Best Goals **3.00** Premier
 League Years (AD) **5.00** Soccer AM
 (AD) **5.30** Greatest Games
6.00 Best Goals **6.30** Premier League
 Football **7.00** Best Goals **7.30** Premier
 League Football **8.00** Best Goals **8.30**
 100 Club **9.00** Gary Neville's Soccerbox
10.00 The Debate **11.00** Legends
12 midnight Best Goals **1.00am** The
 Debate **2.00** Legends **2.30** Greatest
 Games **3.00** The Debate **4.00-6.00am**
 Premier League Years (AD)

Sky Cricket

Sky 404 Virgin 514 **HD** Virgin 504
6.00am Cricket's Greatest (AD) **6.30**
 Masterclass **6.50** International
 One-Day Cricket **7.50** Masterclass
8.10 Best of Sky Cricket
8.25 **LIVE Test Cricket** South
 Africa v India, final day of the First
 test at Newlands in Cape Town.
3.45pm Best of Sky Cricket **4.00**
 International One-Day Cricket **5.00**
 Cricket's Greatest (AD)
6.00 Best of Sky Cricket **7.00** Ashes
 Debate **8.00** Test Cricket **9.00** Ashes
 Memories **10.00** International One-Day
 Cricket **11.00** Test Cricket **12 midnight**
 Ashes Debate **1.00am** Cricket's Greatest
 Games **2.00** Test Cricket **3.00** Ashes
 Debate **4.00** Masterclass **5.00-6.00am**
 Cricket's Greatest (AD)

Sky Action

Sky 407 Virgin 517 **HD** Virgin 507
6.00am NFL **7.00** NFL: America's Game
 (AD) **8.00** NFL **9.00** NFL: a Football Life
10.00 NFL **11.00** NFL: America's Game
12 noon NFL **1.00pm** NFL: a Football
 Life **2.00** NFL: Greatest Games **3.30**
 NFL: a Football Life (AD) **4.30** NFL:
 Greatest Games
6.00 NFL **7.00** NFL: America's Game
 Players (AD) **8.00** NFL: a Football Life
9.00 NFL **11.00** NFL: America's Game
 (AD) **12 midnight** NFL **1.00-6.00am**
 NFL: documentaries

Sky Arena

Sky 408 Virgin 518 **HD** Virgin 508
6.00am Sporting Records **7.00** Wrestling
 Greats (AD) **8.00** Sporting Records **9.30** Sporting
 Records **10.00** Sporting News **10.30**
 Sporting Greats (AD) **11.00** Sporting
 Records **12 noon** Great Sporting Moments
1.00pm Sporting Triumphs **2.00**
 Sporting Records **3.00** Great Sporting
 Moments **3.30** Sporting Triumphs
4.30 Sportswomen **5.00** Wrestling
7.00 Sportswomen **7.30** Boxing Gold
8.00 Chasing the Dream **9.00** Wrestling
12 midnight Chasing the Dream
1.00am **LIVE Wrestling**
 WWE Smackdown from the States.
3.00 Chasing the Dream **4.00** Sporting
 Greats (AD) **5.00-6.00am** Records

Eurosport 1

Sky 410 Virgin 523 BT 412 **HD** Virgin 521 BT 435
6.00am Tennis **9.00** Dakar Rally **9.30**
 Rallying **9.45** Winter Olympics: Hall of
 Fame **10.45** Ski Jumping **11.45** Alpine
 Skiing **1.45pm** Ski Jumping **2.45**
 Alpine Skiing
4.45 **LIVE Alpine Skiing** From
 Flachau, Austria. More at 7.30pm.
6.00 Tennis
7.30 **LIVE Alpine Skiing**
8.45 Tennis **9.45** News **9.50** Watts
9.55 News **10.00** Dakar Rally **10.30**
 Rallying **10.45** Formula E **11.15** Tennis:
 Australian Open Classic **12.15am** Rallying
12.30 Dakar Rally **1.00-1.10am** News
2.00 **LIVE Tennis** ATP Sydney.
4.00-6.00am Tennis

BT Sport 1

Sky 413 Virgin 531 BT 408 **HD** Virgin 527 BT 430
6.00am **LIVE Tennis** Action from
 the WTA Sydney International.
9.00 World Rally **11.00** Darts
1.00pm Tennis **5.30** Twenty20
 Cricket **6.30** NBA Reload
6.45 **LIVE Darts** Day four of the
 BDO World Championships.
11.15 FA Cup Football **12.45am**
 Classic Boxing **1.00** Fishing
2.00-7.00am **LIVE Tennis** The
 WTA Sydney International.

BT Sport 2

Sky 414 Virgin 532 BT 409 **HD** Virgin 528 BT 431
6.00am The Football Archives **6.30**
 Twenty20 Cricket
8.30 **LIVE Twenty20 Cricket**
 Adelaide Strikers v Melbourne
 Stars in the Big Bash League.
12 noon Rugby Union **2.30pm**
 Classic Football **2.45** The Irrelevant
 Giant **3.00** NBA inside Stuff **3.30**
 NBA **5.00** The Football Archives
6.00 Tennis
8.00 **LIVE French Football**
 A match from the quarter-finals of
 the League Cup.
10.00 Australian Football
1.00am **LIVE NBA** Oklahoma City
 Thunder v Portland Trail Blazers.
3.30 Thunder & Lightning (AD)
5.00-6.00am Twenty20 Cricket

BT Sport 3

Sky 417 Virgin 533 BT 410 **HD** Virgin 529 BT 432
6.00am **LIVE Tennis** Further play
 from the WTA Hobart International.
9.00 NBA **9.15** FA Cup Football
9.45 Non-League Football **10.15**
 The Football Archives **10.45** Goals
 Reload **11.00** French Football
1.00pm German Football **4.00**
 French Football **6.00** FA Cup **6.30**
 Italian Football **7.00** Cricket: the
 Ashes **10.00** Non-League Football
10.30 Italian Football **11.00** Tennis
1.00-7.00am **LIVE Tennis**
 The WTA Hobart International.

BT Sport/ESPN

Sky 426 Virgin 534 BT 411 **HD** Virgin 530 BT 433
6.00am Pardon the Interruption **7.00**
 Harlem Globetrotters Basketball **7.30**
 BT Reload **7.45** Australian Football
8.45 **LIVE Australian Football**
 Newcastle Jets v Central Coast
 Mariners (kick-off **8.50**);
11.00 More live A-League, Perth Glory
 v Melbourne City (kick-off **11.00**).
1.00pm NBA **2.00** American
 Football **5.30** NBA inside Stuff
6.00 NBA: the Jump **6.30** ESPN
 FC **7.00** American Football **11.30**
 NBA: the Jump
12 midnight **LIVE Basketball**
 Coverage of an NCAA game;
2.00am Live NCAA basketball.
4.00 Basketball **5.30-6.00am** NBA
 inside Stuff

Eurosport 2

Sky 411 Virgin 524 BT 413 **HD** Virgin 522 BT 436
6.15am Ski Jumping **7.15** Rallying
7.30 Dakar Rally **8.00** Olympics:
 Destination Pyeongchang **8.30**
 Cross-Country Skiing **9.00** Tennis
10.00 **LIVE Tennis** ATP Sydney
 International, day three.
12 noon Cross-Country Skiing **12.30pm**
 Dakar Rally **1.00** Tennis
6.00 Snooker **8.00** Speed Skating
9.00 Ski Jumping **10.00** Snooker
12 midnight Dakar Rally **12.30am** News
12.35 Alpine Skiing **1.00** Alpine Skiing
1.30 Dakar Rally **2.00** Ski Jumping
3.00 Alpine Skiing **4.00** Ski Jumping
5.00 Cross-Country Skiing **5.30-**
6.30am Speed Skating



DUTY OF CARE
Kiri (Felicia Mukasa) and her social worker Miriam (Sarah Lancashire)

Tom Kerridge's Lose Weight for Good

8.00pm **BBC2**

LIFESTYLE We can all come up with reasons why we can't lose weight, everything from we're too busy to prepare healthy meals to "diet food" is boring. But Tom Kerridge is having none of it. He suggests that denying ourselves the pleasure we normally get from food isn't the way to do it. Instead he offers lower-calorie versions of things we love to eat.

He's got some surprising dishes to help you lose weight: pasta, pizza and apple tarts. It certainly seems to work for his volunteers – they're shedding pounds. Top tip from him: you need less oil if you add salt when frying onions. **JANE RACKHAM**

Britain's Brightest Family

8.00pm **ITV** (N Ireland: 11.10pm)

ENTERTAINMENT New series
The Chase's *Governess*, aka Anne Hegerty, is the host of this knockout quiz in which the players nominate a family member to answer questions involving general knowledge, numeracy, literacy or problem solving. So it's not just what you know that's important but what you think your family knows.

Viewers of a certain age may immediately be reminded of *Ask the Family*, but in *BBF* it's not the quiz master who decides who will answer a question but the teams' teenage captains. Hegerty was especially impressed with the "smart and confident" under-16s who she thinks will "be quizzers to be reckoned with in years to come". **JR**

Trust Me, I'm a Doctor

8.30pm **BBC2**

HEALTH Michael Mosley presents another agreeable grab-bag of health news, ranging from the deeply helpful to the bleedin' obvious. Coconut oil is first on the menu, with a trial set up to test whether it's a cholesterol-busting superfood or an overhyped fad.

Following the advice given might not directly save your life, but the segment on sleep apnea could: Zoe Williams meets a man who was prompted by a tragedy to campaign for more awareness. There's also a guide to genetic testing kits, and an opportunity to go and put the kettle on when Giles Yeo breaks news that programmes like this have told us before a thousand times: fruit's got a lot of sugar in it. **JACK SEALE**
Your RT Health: page 139

PICK OF THE DAY **Kiri** 9.00pm **C4**

DRAMA OF THE WEEK New series Miriam is a social worker in Bristol, she likes a nip of booze from her hip flask in her morning coffee, and she is devoted to her farting dog.

She has a good heart, and though her colleagues might roll her eyes at her breezy manner and over-sharing, Miriam is trusted and respected. She's one of the best.

But Miriam (Sarah Lancashire) finds herself at the eye of a storm, abandoned and scapegoated, doorstepped by a hungry press, when a young black girl, Kiri, goes missing

during an unsupervised visit to her grandparents.

Writer Jack Thorne (*National Treasure*, *This Is England*) has a keen eye for society's hypocrisies and contradictions, while Lancashire is, of course, thoroughly mesmerising as a woman who must make hard choices and crucial, critically important judgements about human nature. This is an important, powerful drama that poses difficult questions about race and nurture. **ALISON GRAHAM**
See page 20

IN THE AIR TONIGHT

■ **In Fighting for Air** (9pm BBC2) Dr Xand van Tulleken (right) investigates air pollution in Britain.

■ An estimated 50,000 people die a premature death from air pollution every year in the UK. Diesel vehicles are the main culprits.

■ It's been estimated that the health impacts of air pollution cost the country £20 billion in 2016.

■ 16 UK air quality zones exceed the EU legal limit, including London, Birmingham, Nottingham, Leeds, Glasgow and Cardiff.



A Stitch in Time

8.30pm **BBC4**

DOCUMENTARY Art-lovers have long been fascinated by the central mirror in Jan van Eyck's famous 15th-century portrait of the Arnolfinis that hangs in the National Gallery, but fashion historian Amber Butchart and tailor Ninya Mikhaila can't take their eyes off Mrs A's bulky, fur-trimmed wool dress. Every detail screams luxury, they tell us: "Literally wearing your wealth on your sleeves... and trailing it on the ground."

Butchart takes us through the fascinating process of weaving and dying the fabric before Mikhaila cuts, pleats and presses it into a fabulous outfit that Butchart can wear. At this point you can see why Mrs Arnolfini holds her dress bunched up over her stomach – it's remarkably heavy. **JR**

Miriam's Big American Adventure

9.00pm **BBC1** (Scotland: 10.45pm)

DOCUMENTARY The joy of this series is that Miriam Margolyes doesn't bother to hide an iota of her dismay as she drives across Middle America. This week the actress braves a quintessential American institution: a summer camp in Indiana, where she shudders as the jolly young campers robotically pledge their allegiance to the US flag.

In Ohio, she locks horns with a radical Trump-supporting sheriff and some of the many men he's put behind bars. Her final stop is rural Tennessee to stay with a "prepper" who believes America's sovereignty is under threat and has been burying buckets of emergency supplies since 1987. **CLAIRE WEBB**

Girlfriends

9.00pm **ITV**

DRAMA Bridal magazine editor Sue is all pantomime horror when she wakes on her birthday. How can this be? "I was 21 yesterday and then I blinked."

Kay Mellor's hectic drama takes a broad-brush approach to the problems of women in late middle age. Affluent Sue and her downtrodden pals Linda and Gail (Phyllis Logan and Zoë Wanamaker) spend most of their time fretting about the boring men in their lives. Or, in Linda's case, out of their lives. Her husband vanished on a cruise. "I've not slept properly since Micky drowned," she says, prosaically. Then the police come to call... **AG**
Alison Graham: page 43

England's Forgotten Queen

9.00pm **BBC4**

HISTORY Though Helen Castor's history of Lady Jane Grey, which concludes tomorrow, is rich in detail, the mute reconstructions are banal. Still, it's such a good story it can withstand pointless embellishments.

In the second instalment Castor looks at the first five days of Jane's brief reign, as the displaced Mary builds an unexpectedly large band of supporters, prepared to fight to put her on the throne. **AG**

DISCOVER TV PICK

Today's best of BBC3, iPlayer, Netflix and beyond



Witless

From 10am **BBC3**

A swift return for a diverting if not essential comedy thriller about two strangers who are thrown together into witness protection, then have to repeatedly extricate themselves from tight spaces their own stupidity gets them into. Kerry Howard and Zoe Boyle are strong leads.

CHILDREN'S CHOICE



Backstage

7.00pm **Disney**

(Sky 609, Virgin 724)

The day the performers have been waiting for has arrived – the qualifiers. And Alya faces her stage fright.

■ **Digby Dragon**

8.05am **Channel 5**

A falling star lands in town, but Mungo can't see it.

BEST LIVE SPORT

■ **Big Bash Cricket: Brisbane Heat v Hobart Hurricanes**

8.30am **BT Sport 2**

■ **Biathlon 1pm Eurosport 1**

■ **Darts: BDO Championships**

12.05pm **C4**; 6.45pm **BT1**

■ **League Cup Football: semi-final first leg**

7.30pm **Sky Football/Main Event**

■ **NBA double bill from 1am BT Sport 2**

FILM OF THE DAY

The Social Network

1.10am **C4**

Surprisingly entertaining and gripping drama about the tortuous creation of Facebook. **See page 38**



HEROES
Musical mates
Iggy Pop and
David Bowie
in 1977

Hansa Studios: by the Wall 1976-90

9.00pm **Sky Arts**

ARTS Once directly overlooking the Berlin Wall, Hansa Studios always attracted a certain type of artist, especially during the period this doc covers. From Bowie, Iggy and Eno to Wire, Nick Cave, U2 and Depeche Mode, each embodies a similar aesthetic: intelligent and earnest, reflecting the architectural brutalism beyond the studio doors.

An impressive roster of musicians, producers and engineers guide us through pivotal recordings. But the building's period elegance takes equal billing: dark-wood panels, red curtains, soft window light and dark corners. Panning around its corridors is just as evocative as the desolate, faded-colour shots of divided Berlin outside. Bowie's *Low/Heroes* and Iggy's *Lust for Life* dominate the first, and best, quarter, setting the stage for the generations to come. *Fantastisch.* **GARY ROSE**

WEDNESDAY Main Channels

Television Wednesday

DAYTIME

BBC1

6.00am Breakfast Louise Minchin, Dan Walker. (S) (HD)
9.15 Rip-Off Britain: Holidays A coach trip firm that took customers' money but didn't deliver. (S) (HD)
10.00 Homes under the Hammer With properties in Surrey, Staffordshire and Cumbria. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)
11.00 Wanted Down Under A couple and their two children sample life in Australia for a week. (S) (HD)
11.45 Close Calls: on Camera A fishing trawler sinks off the Shetland Isles and a boy gets trapped. (S) (HD)
12.15pm Bargain Hunt Two teams of fire-fighters compete in Detling, Kent. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)
1.00 BBC News Regional News; Weather (S) (HD)
1.45 Doctors When Besa absconds, Ruhma fears for her safety and that of baby Tamanna. (S) (AD) (HD)
2.15 Father Brown 8/10 Series 6. A girl is left for dead at a school fête. (S) (AD) (HD)
3.00 I Escaped to the Country Jonnie Irwin is reunited with horsey house hunters in Suffolk. (S) (HD)
3.45 The Farmers' Country Showdown Series 2 Poultry farmer Rebecca Tonks hopes her new egg products will prove a hit. Rptd tomorrow 6.30am BBC2 (S) (HD)
4.30-5.15 Antiques Road Trip Anita Manning and Charles Hanson search for antiques to sell at an auction in Dumfries. Repeated tomorrow 7.15am BBC2 (S) (HD)

BBC2

6.00am Flog It! Trade Secrets The work of pioneering designers and craftsmen. (R) (S) (HD)
6.30 The Farmers' Country Showdown Shown yesterday 3.45pm BBC1 (S) (HD)
7.15 Antiques Road Trip Shown yesterday 4.30pm BBC1 (S) (HD)
8.00-9.00 Sign Zone Fern Britton Meets... 2/4 Paralympic athlete Stefanie Reid discusses her beliefs. (R) (S) (HD)
9.00 Victoria Derbyshire Current affairs. (S) (HD)
11.00 BBC Newsroom Live (S) (HD)
11.30 Daily Politics Including PMQs. (S) (HD)
1.00pm Coast The last of the Clyde puffers. (R) (S) (HD)
1.15 Brazil with Michael Palin Michael learns about the mining industry, then heads to Rio. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)
2.15 Himalaya with Michael Palin The globetrotter witnesses a Gurkha recruitment drive. (R) (S) (HD)
3.15 The Great British Winter Ellie Harrison explores British forests during the coldest months. (R) (S) (HD)
4.15-5.15 Great Barrier Reef with David Attenborough The annual coral spawning, which is responsible for the reef's great diversity. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

ITV

6.00am Good Morning Britain (S) (HD)
8.30 Lorraine Guests, gossip and fashion. (S) (HD)
9.25 The Jeremy Kyle Show Warring folk. (S) (HD)
10.30 This Morning Celebrity interviews and lifestyle features. Including **Regional Weather** (S) (HD)
12.30pm Loose Women Lively chat. (S) (HD)
1.30 ITV Lunchtime News Regional News; Weather (S) (HD)
2.00 Judge Rinder Real-life court cases. (S) (HD)
3.00 Dickinson's Real Deal Railway tickets, saucy ladies and a bracelet bought in a charity shop entice David and the dealers. (S) (HD) Then **Regional Weather**
4.00-5.00 Tipping Point Game show in which contestants play on an arcade-style machine. (S) (HD)

Channel 4

6.10am Jamie's Comfort Food Bolognese ravioli. (R) (S) (HD)
6.20 3rd Rock from the Sun Double bill. (R) (S) (AD)
7.10 Everybody Loves Raymond Triple bill. (R) (S)
8.35 Frasier Three episodes of the US sitcom. (R) (S)
10.05 Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA Gordon revisits four restaurants that were struggling. (R) (S)
11.00 Sun, Sea and Selling Houses Ian and Jane Crang from West Sussex search for a family home in Almería, Spain. (R) (S) (HD) **12 noon News** (S) (HD)
12.05-5.00pm LIVE Darts The afternoon session on the fifth day of the BDO Lakeside World Professional Darts Championships in Frimley Green, featuring matches in the second round of the men's competition and the conclusion of the first round of the women's competition. Rob Walker presents, with analysis from Paul Nicholson and Danny Crates. (S) (HD)

BBC1

Miriam's Big American Adventure 9.00pm
 Cara and April give Miriam a glimpse of life on the inside



5.15pm Pointless
 With Alexander Armstrong and Richard Osman. Series producer John Ryan. Executive producers James Fox, Tamara Gilder and Dom Waugh (S) (HD)

6.00 BBC News Weather (S) (HD)
6.30 Regional news magazines (S)
 Followed by **Party Political Broadcast** By the Conservative Party. (S) (HD)

7.00 The One Show
 Matt Baker and Michelle Ackerley present. Editor Sandy Smith (S) (HD)
 Followed by **News Update** (S) (HD)

8.00 The Truth about Looking Good
 In the UK we spend over £9 billion a year on beauty products that promise to improve or even transform us. Here Cherry Healey teams up with independent scientists to find out whether such claims have any scientific basis or constitute marketing manipulation. At the University of Sheffield she learns of a study that's exposed cracks in claims about moisturisers, while in Manchester she finds out how her skin is ageing and sees for herself the shocking effects of sun damage. With the help of the University of Sunderland, meanwhile, Cherry puts common cellulite solutions to the test – and finds an easy fix that actually works. She also gets tips on how to save money on her make-up bag, talks to an industry insider about the claims made for certain cosmetics and examines what it is in human psychology that induces us to buy such products in the first place. Director Kate Pringle; Executive producer Paul Overton (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Miriam's Big American Adventure
RT 2/3. Miriam Margolyes continues her exploration of Middle America, heading south from Chicago to New Orleans to meet some of those whose voices and votes are reshaping the nation. In Indiana, Miriam reluctantly stays with hundreds of youngsters at a patriotic summer camp and makes surprising discoveries about herself in the process. In Ohio she talks to the pro-Trump, anti-drugs Sheriff Richard K Jones, who is responsible for a thousand inmates in Butler County Jail. Miriam meets and works with some of the inmates and is saddened by the stories she hears. And in Tennessee, she stays with a group of preppers so convinced of the threat to American values that they've retreated to the hills and stockpiled enough freeze-dried food for the next 25 years – but Miriam takes some convincing of the necessity of their actions. **See page 87.** Director Will Yapp; Series producer Simon Draper (S) (AD) (HD)
RT TRAVEL Browse our great collection of US trips at radiotimes.com/usa

10.00 BBC News Regional News; Weather (S) (HD)
 Followed by **National Lottery Update** (S)

10.45 A Question of Sport
 England batsman Mark Stoneman, 400m runner Emily Diamond, former swimmer Mark Foster and ex-Australia rugby union international James Horwill join team captains Matt Dawson and Phil Tufnell on the light-hearted quiz hosted by Sue Barker. Producer Dave Gymer; Executive producer Gareth JM Edwards. Repeated Friday 7.30pm (S) (HD)

11.15 And They're Off...for Sport Relief 1/6. Ore Oduba hosts a sporting challenge in which five celebrities run a series of bizarre races, while members of the public compete to win a star prize by predicting the winning celebrity. **See choice, p46.** Shown Saturday 6pm (S) (HD)

12 midnight Weather for the Week Ahead (S) (HD)
12.05-6.00am BBC News (S) (HD)

HD BBC1 HD Freeview 101 Freesat 106 Sky 115 Virgin 108

BBC2

Fighting for Air 9.00pm
 Dr Xand van Tulleken is on a mission to show what can be done about air pollution



5.15pm Flog It!
 Paul Martin is joined by Claire Rawle and James Lewis at St Albans Cathedral. (R) (S) (HD)

6.00 Eggheads
 Jeremy Vine hosts the weekday quiz. Series producer Rob Dean; Executive producer Andy Culpin (S) (HD)

6.30 Great British Railway Journeys 8/15 Series 9. Michael Portillo arrives in Newport, Gwent, where he learns about the heroism of a young boy. He then visits a cinema dating back to 1912 in the seaside town of Clevedon, Somerset. Director Titus Ogilvy; Series producer Alison Kreps (S) (AD) (HD)
RT Travel special: centre pages

7.00 Rick Stein's Road to Mexico 2/7. Rick Stein passes vineyards and citrus groves as he heads for LA along a coastline immortalised in the novels of John Steinbeck. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Tom Kerridge's Lose Weight for Good
RT 2/6. Quick and Easy. Last time, Tom's gang of calorie-counting dieters got off to a flying start, between them losing 73 pounds in the first fortnight. Tonight he's turning the spotlight on those in the group who say they are too busy, or too inexperienced, to cook healthy meals at home. To remedy this, the chef demonstrates some easy-to-prepare recipes, including a family breakfast of Cajun scrambled eggs, a dieter's "cheat pizza", a pea and ham pasta that's on the table in under 15 minutes and a really simple reduced-calorie French apple tart. **See p86.** Director Sarah Myland. Producers Martin Morrison and Madeline Eaton (S) (AD) (HD)
RT BOOKS To order *Lose Weight for Good*, price £20 incl p&p, call 0344 245 8092 quoting RTBOOKS02

8.30 Trust Me, I'm a Doctor
RT 2/6 Series 7. Giles Yeo investigates how much fruit we should eat, and Zoe Williams learns more about a sleeping disorder that causes thousands of road accidents each year. Plus Alain Gregoire finds out how you can use your eyes to help cope with age-related hearing loss. **See p86.** Series producer Matt Barrett; Exec producer Jacqueline Smith (S) (HD)
Your RT Health: page 139

9.00 Fighting for Air
 Air pollution in the UK has been declared a "public health emergency" and Dr Xand van Tulleken wants to know what can be done about it. Enlisting the help of enthusiasts and sceptics alike from Kings Heath in Birmingham, Xand stages the first ever large-scale experiment of its kind – aiming to use people power to bring about a quantifiable improvement in air quality for a single day. Can the power of communities, aided by nifty technology and experts in pollution science, succeed where governments appear to be failing? Director Jacqui Farnham; Exec producer Michael Simkin (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 Mock the Week
 Host Dara O Briain and permanent fixture Hugh Dennis are joined by James Acaster, Ed Gamble, Rhys James, Nish Kumar and Zoe Lyons. Producer Ewan Phillips (R) (S) (HD)

10.30 Newsnight With Emily Maitlis. (S) (HD)
11.10 Weather (S) (HD)

11.15 Inside the Factory 5/6 Series 3. Gregg Wallace follows the production of mayonnaise in the Netherlands. **See choice, p76.** Shown yesterday 8pm (S) (AD) (HD)

12.15-2.15am Sign Zone 12.15 DIY SOS: the Big Build A home in West Sussex. Shown last Thu BBC1 (S) (AD) (HD)
1.15 The Real T Rex with Chris Packham Dispelling myths about the tyrannosaurus rex. Shown Sunday 6pm (S) (AD)

HD BBC2 HD Freeview 102 Freesat 102 Sky 102 Virgin 162

ITV

Britain's Brightest Family
8.00pm Anne Hegerty finds out which families are in the know



5.00pm The Chase
David, India, Ged and Sam compete. (S) (HD)

6.00 Regional News Weather (S)

6.25 Party Political Broadcast
By the Conservative Party. (S) (HD)

6.30 ITV Evening News Weather (S)

7.00 Emmerdale
Christie betrays Lachlan to Belle.
Writer Peter Kerry Cast Tuesday/Thursday
Repeated tomorrow 7.45am and 12.10pm ITV2 (S) (AD) (HD)

7.30 Coronation Street
Rana moves to put Sophie off Kate. More 8.30pm.

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| Rana Nazir | Bhavna Limbachia | Angie Appleton | Victoria Ekanoye |
| Sophie Webster | Brooke Vincent | Jude Appleton | Paddy Wallace |
| Kate Connor | Faye Brookes | Sean Tully | Antony Cotton |
| Seb Franklin | Harry Visinoni | Imran Habeeb | Charlie de Melo |
| Eileen Phelan | Sue Cleaver | Billy Mayhew | Daniel Brocklebank |
| Pat Phelan | Connor McIntyre | Mary Cole | Patti Clare |
| Fiz Stape | Jennie McAlpine | Kevin Webster | Michael Le Vell |
| Amy Barlow | Elle Mulvaney | Rosie Webster | Helen Flanagan |
| Tracy Barlow | Kate Ford | Aidan Connor | Shayne Ward |
| Liz McDonald | Beverley Callard | Maria Connor | Samia Longchambon |
| Shona Ramsey | Julia Goulding | Tyrone Dobbis | Alan Halsall |
| Anna Windass | Debbie Rush | Sally Metcalfe | Sally Dynevor |
| Robert Preston | Tristan Gemmill | Tim Metcalfe | Joe Duttine |
| Alya Nazir | Sair Khan | Audrey Roberts | Sue Nicholls |
| Zeedan Nazir | Qasim Akhtar | Joseph Brown | William Flanagan |
| Yasmeen Nazir | Shelley King | David Platt | Jack P Shepherd |

Writer Perrie Balthazar. More cast Friday
Repeated tomorrow 8.20am and 12.45pm ITV2 (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Britain's Brightest Family
RT New series. 1/12. The holiday of a lifetime is the prize on offer as 16 families take part in a knockout quiz. Contestants will need to know what their family members know, as individuals are nominated to answer questions. Presented by Anne Hegerty of *The Chase*. See page 86.
Director Ollie Bartlett; Series producer Jim Connolly (S) (HD)

8.30 Coronation Street
Seb tells Eileen the truth about Phelan.
Writer Martin Allen
Repeated tomorrow 8.50am and 1.15pm ITV2 (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Girlfriends
RT 2/6. Tensions flare up at Sue's party after Andrew confesses a secret. See page 87.

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| Sue | Miranda Richardson | Carole | Paula Wilcox |
| Gail | Zoë Wanamaker | Rob | Nav Sidhu |
| Linda | Phyllis Logan | Natalie | Thaila Zucchi |
| Andrew | Philip Cumbus | Louise | Chloë Hart |
| Ruby | Daisy Head | Kerry | Rachel Dale |
| John | Anthony Head | DI Chris Donoghue | Emmett J Scanlan |
| Dave | Adrian Rawlins | DS Anne Thurston | Rochenda Sandall |
| Edna | Valerie Lilley | Sally | Lauren Frain |
| Ryan | Chris Fountain | Veronica | Alison Burrows |
| Barbara | Wendy Craig | Ben | Kobe Jerome |
| Frank | Dave Hill | Receptionist | Georgia May Hughes |

Writer/Director Kay Mellor; Producer Josh Dynevor (S) (AD) (HD)

Alison Graham: page 43
10.00 ITV News at Ten
Weather; Regional News and Weather (S)

10.40 Heathrow: Britain's Busiest Airport
2/3 Series 3. Passenger experience manager Jawad tries to get 72 Chinese tourists to their connecting flights with only one translator.
Director/Producer Therese Byrne (R) (S) (HD)

11.40 Holiday Horrors: Caught on Camera
A ski trip that became a fight for survival.
Director/Producer Steve Allen (R) (S) (HD)

12.35am Jackpot247 Interactive gaming.
3.00 Tenable A family from Leeds answer questions about top ten lists and try to top the tower. (R) (S) (SL) (HD)
3.50 Nightscreen Text information. (HD)
5.05-6.00am The Jeremy Kyle Show (R) (S) (SL) (HD)

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Channel 4

Kiri 9.00pm Social worker Miriam is accused of making a poor judgement call that leads to an abduction



5.00pm Come Dine with Me
The Mayor of Haslemere kicks off the contest in the Sussex and Surrey borders. (R) (S) (HD)

6.00 The Simpsons
Simpsons Tall Tales. The family play characters from American folk tales. (R) (S) (AD)

6.30 Hollyoaks
Misbah is forced to take action quickly.
Writer James Coleman Cast Tue/Fri Shown yesterday 7pm E4
Rptd tomorrow 6.30am E4 Next episode follows on E4 (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 Channel 4 News Sport; Weather (S) (HD)

8.00 Kirstie and Phil's Love It or List It 2/8 Series 3. Kirstie Allsopp and Phil Spencer meet the Tuck family who are dissatisfied with their cramped, three-bedroom semi-detached home in Long Eaton, Derbyshire.
Series producer Jonny Wharton; Executive producer Andrew Jackson Repeated tomorrow 7pm 4seven (S) (AD) (HD)

DRAMA OF THE WEEK

9.00 Kiri
RT New series. 1/4. Powerful drama about a young black girl's abduction, written by Jack Thorne and starring Sarah Lancashire, Felicia Mukasa, Lucian Msamati and Lia Williams. Shortly before Kiri is due to be adopted by a white foster family, social worker Miriam arranges for her to make an unsupervised visit to her birth grandfather Tobo and his second wife. Kiri goes missing during the visit and as the search for her intensifies, Miriam is blamed by the police, the press and even her colleagues. See page 86.

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| Miriam Grayson | Sarah Lancashire | Jim Warner | Steven Mackintosh |
| Kiri Akindele | Felicia Mukasa | Nate Akindele | Paapa Essiedu |
| Tobi Akindele | Lucian Msamati | Craig | Jordan Cousson |
| Alice Warner | Lia Williams | DC Doug Thompson | Michael Shelford |
| Phil | Gary Shelford | Judge Hockley | Mark Meadows |
| Gabby | Scarlett Brooks | DI Vanessa Mercer | Wunmi Mosaku |
| Patrick | Kaine Zajaz | Rochelle Akindele | Andi Osho |
| Frances | Milo Twomey | James | Jonathan Slinger |
| Julie | Claire Rushbrook | Kathy Clugston | Herself |
| Malcolm | Paul G Raymond | John Humphrys | Himself |
| Lucy | Cara Theobald | Alex Lovell | Herself |
| Si Warner | Finn Bennett | | |

Producer Toby Bentley; Director Euros Lyn Repeated tomorrow 12.10am 4seven and Friday 2.30am C4 (S) (AD) (HD)

See page 20

10.00 999: What's Your Emergency?
In Wiltshire, the focus tonight is on the rise in racially aggravated hate crimes. A mother reports that her nine-year-old daughter has been racially abused by two 11-year-olds while out playing.
Series producer Martin Hicks; Executive producers David Hodgkinson and Ed Coulthard (R) (S) (HD)

11.05 24 Hours in A&E
Ep 2 Series 14. Marie, 31, arrives at St George's after collapsing at home. See choice, page 77.
Shown yesterday 9pm (S) (AD) (HD)

12.05am Poker Action from Monte Carlo. (S) (HD)

1.10 The Social Network ★★★★★ Oscar-winning drama based on a true story, starring Jesse Eisenberg, Justin Timberlake and Andrew Garfield. Harvard student Mark Zuckerberg is a computer programming genius, but he struggles to fit in with the movers and shakers of the university's elite. As a reaction to not being part of the social scene he creates the online network Facebook. **Film of the Day: page 38.**
Director David Fincher (2010, 12) (S) (SL) (AD) (W) (HD)

3.15 Grand Designs Australia A couple plan to build a modern and eco-friendly home. (R) (S)

4.10 Location, Location, Location A property search for two couples in pricey Surrey. (R) (S) (SL) (HD)

5.00 Coast vs Country A home in Devon. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)
5.50-6.20am Four in a Bed The contestants reunite to confront their critics face to face. (R) (S) (HD)

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BBC4

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A Stitch in Time
8.30pm Amber Butchart casts a sartorial eye over Van Eyck's Arnolfinis



7.00pm Beyond 100 Days (S) (HD)
Followed by **Weather** (S) (HD)

7.30 Great Continental Railway Journeys
Michael Portillo concludes his travels in Germany, hearing about a royal rivalry at Kiel Week yacht races. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Handmade: by Royal Appointment
1/4. Wedgwood. Documentary celebrating handcrafted objects made under the royal warrant, beginning by following the creation of a Wedgwood Panther vase by artisan potters.
Director/Producer Jon Willers (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

8.30 A Stitch in Time
RT 2/6. Arnolfini. Fusing biography, art and the history of fashion, Amber Butchart explores the lives of historical figures through the clothes they wore. This time, Van Eyck's *Arnolfini Portrait*. See page 87.
Series producer Lucy Kenwright; Executive producer Caroline Wright (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 England's Forgotten Queen: the Life and Death of Lady Jane Grey
RT 2/3. Mary Tudor raises an army in response to Jane becoming Queen of England, who in turn assembles her forces under the Duke of Northumberland close to Mary's castle at Framlingham. The two sides are evenly matched but, when key supporters including her uncle, the Earl of Arundel, defect to Mary's side, Jane's days on the throne appear to be numbered. Concludes tomorrow 9pm. See p87.
For cast see Tuesday Rptd 1.20am (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 Fit to Rule: How Royal Illness Changed History
2/3. Bad Blood: Stuarts to Hanoverians. Lucy Worsley recounts the physical condition of William III, whose chronic ill health blighted his ability to produce any offspring. Concludes tomorrow 10pm.
Directors Paul Berczeller, Nick Gillam-Smith and Eleanor Scoones; Exec producer Emma Hindley (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 The Wonderful World of Blood with Michael Mosley
Michael Mosley undergoes experiments in order to take an in-depth look at blood, including injecting it with snake venom and starving it of oxygen.
Director Nathan Budd; Executive producer Jacqueline Smith (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

12 midnight Top of the Pops 1981
Including music by the Pretenders. (R) (S)
12.40am Roxy Music and Kim Wilde. (R) (S)
1.20 England's Forgotten Queen: the Life and Death of Lady Jane Grey 2/3. Mary Tudor raises an army. Shown 9pm (S) (AD) (HD)
2.20-3.20am Workers or Shirkers? Ian Hislop's Victorian Benefits Victorian attitudes to the poor. Shown Mon 10pm (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)
Freeview 9 Freesat 110 Sky 116 Virgin 107
HD Freeview 106 Freesat 107 Virgin 163

Channel 5 listings are overleaf plus 30 more Freeview channels

Regional variations

BBC1 SCOTLAND
9.00-10.00pm The Storm That Saved a City **10.45** Miriam's Big American Adventure **11.45** A Question of Sport **12.15am** And They're Off...for Sport Relief **1.00** Weather for the Week Ahead **1.05-6.00am** News

STV
10.00pm ITV News at Ten; STV Weather
10.30 Scotland Tonight; ITV Weather
11.05 Heathrow: Britain's Busiest Airport **12.05am** Home Shopping **1.05** After Midnight **2.35** Storage Hoarders **3.25** Nightscreen **5.05-6.00** The Jeremy Kyle Show

BORDER SCOTLAND
10.40pm Representing Border **11.10-11.40** Border Life

BBC2 WALES
3.15-4.15pm The Great British Winter: Ellie Harrison is in the Lake District to highlight the perils of our capricious weather

ITV WALES
6.25-6.30pm Party Political Broadcast: by the Welsh Conservative Party

BBC2 NORTHERN IRELAND
10.00-10.30pm Survivors

UTV
6.00pm UTV Live
6.25-6.30 Party Political Broadcast
8.00-8.30 Rare Breed: a Farming Year
10.40 Face to Face with Eamonn Mallie
11.10-11.40 Britain's Brightest Family: new series **12.35am** Shopping **1.35-3.00** Nightscreen

RT Choice
Family viewing
Red button coverage
(R) Repeat
(S) Subtitles
(SL) Signing
(AD) Audio description
(HD) High definition
(W) Film in widescreen
(BW) Black and white

Films **P** Premiere
Star Ratings
★★★★ Outstanding
★★★★ Very good
★★★ Worth watching
★★ Could be worse
★ Poor

WEDNESDAY Freeview

Television Wednesday

Channel 5 5



GPs: behind Closed Doors 8.00pm
Dr Graham treats an ex-convict

Freeview 5 Freesat 105 Sky 105 Virgin 105

HD Freeview 105 Freesat 105 Virgin 150

6.00am Milkshake! See page 93

9.15 New. The Wright Stuff (HD)

11.15 GPs: behind Closed Doors A man is unwilling to break the Ramadan fast to take tablets. (S) (AD) (HD) **12.10pm 5 News** (S) (HD)

12.15 The Hotel Inspector A Gloucestershire hotel in need of a new lease of life. (S) (HD) **1.10 New. Access** (S) (HD)

1.15 Home and Away Shown yesterday 6.30pm 5 Star Repeated 6pm C5 (S) (AD) (HD)

1.45 New. Neighbours Rptd 5.30pm (S) (AD) (HD)

2.15 NCIS 5/24 Series 7. A marine who has recently returned from Afghanistan is found dead in his smoke-filled car. (S) (AD)

3.15 The Wrong Babysitter ★★ Thriller starring Daphne Zuniga. Following a recent kidnapping, single mum Susan is reluctant to leave her daughter until a neighbour offers to look after her. But events conspire to open old wounds for Susan. Director George Mendeluk (2017) (S) (W) (HD)

5.00pm 5 News (S) (HD)

5.30 New. Neighbours
Mark probes Louise for information. Shown 1.45pm Repeated 6pm 5 Star (S) (AD) (HD)

6.00 Home and Away
Irene is rushed to hospital. Shown 1.15pm Next episode 6.30pm 5 Star (S) (AD) (HD)

6.30 5 News Tonight (S) (HD)

7.00 Starting Up, Starting Over 5/6. Julie and Trevor left a successful businesses and sank their savings into a haberdashery shop in an idyllic village in the Cotswolds. However, the pressures of running a new business have proved far more stressful than they expected. Director/Producer Josh Good (S) (HD)

Followed by **5 News Update** (S) (HD)

8.00 New. GPs: behind Closed Doors
Dr Graham examines an ex-convict whose torso is covered in infected cigarette burns. Dr Jewell sees a young patient with a painful rash on his face. Director Richard Pepe; Series producers Sarah Powell and Rebecca Parnell (S) (AD) (HD)

Followed by **5 News Update** (S) (HD)

9.00 New. Celebrity Big Brother
Highlights of the housemates' past 24 hours under the eye of Big Brother. Repeated tomorrow 1pm 5 Star (S) (HD)

10.05 New. Celebrity Big Brother's Bit on the Side
With Rylan Clark-Neal. (S) (HD)

10.50 New. Football: the League Cup
Highlights of the semi-final first-leg matches. Presented by Colin Murray. Series producer Stan Ilic Executive producer Stephen Booth (S) (HD)

12.10am Police Interceptors (S) (HD) **1.10 New. SuperCasino** (S) (HD) **3.10 GPs: behind Closed Doors** (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00 Now That's Funny!** (S) (SL) (HD) **4.45 House Doctor** (S) (SL) **5.10 Wildlife SOS** (S) (SL) **5.35-6.00am Nick's Quest** (S) (SL)

+1 Freeview 44 Freesat 128 Sky 177 Virgin 155

My5 Freeview 54 Freesat 133 Sky 175 Virgin 152

BBC4 listings are overleaf

BBC News Freeview 231 Freesat 212 Sky 503 Virgin 601 **Sky News** Freeview 233 Freesat 202 Sky 501 Virgin 602

ITV2 6



22 Jump Street 9.00pm Schmidt, Captain Dickson and Jenko take aim

F'view 6 F'sat 113 Sky 118 Virgin 115 **HD** Virgin 176

6.00am Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records (S) (HD) **6.55 Dress to Impress** (S) (HD) **7.45 Emmerdale** (S) (AD) (HD) **8.20 The Cube** (S) (HD) **9.25 The Ellen DeGeneres Show** (S) (HD) **10.10 Who's Doing the Dishes?** (S) (HD) **11.10 Dress to Impress** (S) (HD)

12.10pm Emmerdale Shown yesterday 7pm ITV (S) (AD) (HD) **12.40 The Big Soap Quiz: Coronation Street v Emmerdale** (S) (HD) **1.45 New. The Ellen DeGeneres Show: chat and entertainment** (S) (HD) **2.35 The Jeremy Kyle Show** (S) (HD) **5.50 Take Me Out** (S) (HD)

7.00pm You've Been Framed! Gold
Double bill of comical mishaps. (S)

8.00 New. Two and a Half Men 7/22 Series 11. Walden and Alan arrange a double date and Lyndsey is jealous. First shown on Comedy Central (S) (HD)

8.30 New. Superstore 7/11 Series 1. The employees are given a chance to win a cash bonus if they hit a sales target by the end of the day. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 22 Jump Street ★★ ★★
Action comedy sequel. Cops Jenko and Schmidt are back masquerading as students, this time to unmask a drug dealer with links to organised crime. But they soon discover that you can get too deep under cover. **Review page 38.**

Director Phil Lord and Christopher Miller (2014, 15) (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

11.15 Family Guy
Series 1. Brian is embarrassed by Peter and runs away from home. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.45 Series 9. Bonnie crosses the line when she takes a trip to Paris. (S) (AD) (HD)

12.15am American Dad! (S) (AD) (HD) **1.10 Two and a Half Men** (S) (HD) **1.40 Superstore** (S) (AD) (HD) **2.05-2.30am** Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records (S) (HD)

ITV2+1 Freeview 27 Freesat 114 Sky 179 Virgin 116

Dave 12
F'view 12 F'sat 157 Sky 111 Virgin 127 **HD** Virgin 194 BT 387

7.10am Scrapheap Challenge **8.10 American Pickers** (S) (HD) **9.00 Storage Hunters** (S) (HD) **10.00 American Pickers** (S) (HD)

1.00pm Top Gear (S) (AD) **3.00 Deadly 60 on a Mission** 4.00 Ice Road Truckers (S) (HD) **5.00 Top Gear** (S) (AD) (HD)

6.00pm Best of Top Gear Highlights. (S) (AD) **7.00 Cops UK: Bodycam Squad** The work of the Staffordshire police force. (S)

8.00 New series. Yianni: Supercar Customiser The work of Yianni Charalambous, car customiser for the rich and famous. (HD)

8.30 New. Yianni works on a vehicle owned by DJ Charlie Sloth. (AD) (HD)

9.00 Live at the Apollo With Jason Manford and Michael McIntyre. (S) (HD)

10.00 Taskmaster 2/8 Series 4. Lolly Adefope tries long distance painting. (HD)

11.00 QI The first episode, with Hugh Laurie, John Sessions and Danny Baker. (S)

11.40 Jo Brand, Howard Goodall and Danny Baker take part in the panel show. (S)

12.20am Mock the Week (S) **1.00 QI** (S) **2.20** Mock the Week (S) **3.00-4.00am** Live at the Apollo (S) (HD)

Dave Ja Vu Freeview 79 Sky 214 Virgin 211

ITV3 10



Endeavour 8.00pm DC Morse and DI Thursday decipher cryptic messages

F'view 10 F'sat 115 Sky 119 Virgin 117 **HD** Virgin 177

6.00am Classic Coronation Street (S) **6.50 Heartbeat** (S) (AD) **7.55 The Royal** (S) **9.00 Judge Judy: real-life cases** (S) (HD) **10.15 The Darling Buds of May: double bill** (S) (HD)

12.35pm The Royal (S) **1.40 Heartbeat** (S) (AD) **2.40 Classic Coronation Street: double bill.** Alf pays Terry and Curly to deliver his election leaflets, then Percy tells Hilda that Tom is not a good enough partner for her (S)

4.20 On the Buses (S) **4.55 Rising Damp** (S) **5.25 George & Mildred** (S)

6.00pm Heartbeat
A flood of forged notes leads the police to believe that a gangster is around. (S) (AD)

7.00 Murder, She Wrote
Grady's wedding day is disrupted when a body is found in the bushes. (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Endeavour 2/4 Series 1. Fugue. Morse meets his match when a serial killer haunting the streets of Oxford keeps himself one step ahead of the law and leaves cryptic messages to goad the police. At first glance, it seems to be the work of a deranged lunatic, but the elaborate staging of the crimes suggests method in the madness – and a macabre sharing of the sleuth's passion for opera. (S) (AD) (HD)

DC Endeavour Morse
DI Fred Thursday
Chief Supt Reginald Bright
Dr Max DeBryn
DS Peter James

Shaun Evans
Roger Allam
Anton Lesser
James Bradshaw
Jack Laskey

10.00 Foyle's War 3/4 Series 3. Foyle investigates what he believes to be a burglary at the headquarters of a multinational company, and the murder of a Home Guard member during a large-scale exercise on the Sussex Downs soon leads him to believe the firm is conducting covert business with the Nazis – and that his former police sergeant may be involved. (S) (AD)

12.15am Inspector Morse (S) (HD) **2.10-2.30am** Nightscreen (HD)

+1 F'view 34 (6pm-midnight) F'sat 116 Sky 180 Virgin 174

ITV4 24
F'view 24 F'sat 117 Sky 120 Virgin 118 **HD** Virgin 178

6.00am The Chase (S) (HD) **6.50 Pawn Stars** (S) (HD) **7.30 Inside** (S) **8.35 Quincy** (S) (HD) **9.35 Minder** (S) (AD) **10.40 The Sweeney** (S) **11.45 The Professionals** (S) (AD)

12.50pm Inside (S) **1.50 Quincy** (S) (HD) **2.55 Minder** (S) (AD) **4.00 The Sweeney** (S) **5.00 The Professionals** (S) (AD)

6.05pm The Car Chasers A major buyer turns up looking for some serious cars. (S) (HD)

7.00 Pawn Stars The guys view a Second World War code-breaking machine. (S) (HD)

7.30 The buyers examine a guitar that appeared in a James Bond movie. (S) (HD)

7.55 River Monsters A journey to unmask a mystery sea monster. Shown Monday 9pm (S) (HD)

9.00 FILM The Enforcer ★★ Crime thriller starring Clint Eastwood and Tyne Daly. When his partner is killed, "Dirty" Harry Callahan is teamed with a female officer. (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

11.00 FILM Hard Target ★★ ★★ Action thriller starring Jean-Claude Van Damme and Lance Henriksen. (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

12.55am The Americans (S) **2.00** The Sweeney (S) **2.50-3.00am** Nightscreen (HD)

ITV4 +1 Freesat 154 Sky 193 Virgin 175

Drama 20



Inspector George Gently 8.00pm
Bluebird Megan (Pixie Lott)

Freeview 20 Freesat 158 Sky 158 Virgin 128

7.10am The Bill (S) **8.00** London's Burning **9.00** Casualty **10.00** Bergerac (S) **11.00** The Bill (S)

12 noon The Duchess of Duke Street **1.00pm** Last of the Summer Wine (S) **1.40** Steptoe and Son (BW) (S) **2.20** Birds of a Feather **3.00** London's Burning **4.00** New Tricks (S) (AD) **5.00** The Duchess of Duke Street

6.00pm One Foot in the Grave
Victor and Margaret return from holiday to find things not quite as they left them. (S)

6.40 Last of the Summer Wine
Compo, Clegg and Foggy learn the mysterious prophet Bickerdyke has foretold the end of the world – just as the rural calm is shattered by a series of explosions. (S)

7.20 Goodnight Sweetheart
Yvonne and Phoebe invite Gary to dinner on the same evening and, although Ron cautions him against trying to keep both dates, his warnings fall on deaf ears. (S)

8.00 Inspector George Gently 2/4 Series 6. Blue for Bluebird
The body of a murdered girl, washed up by a pier, leads Gently and Bacchus to investigate the staff and holidaymakers at a family holiday camp. (S) (AD)

10.00 New Tricks 7/10 Series 12. The Russian Cousin
A private investigator is stabbed through the heart in what appears to be a robbery gone wrong. But all may not be as it seems. Will the team have the expertise to decipher the mysterious codes that fill the victim's notebooks? And what has become of the rare collectable stamp, known as *The Russian Cousin*, which could hold the key to the whole investigation? (S) (AD)

11.20 Birds of a Feather
Sharon and Tracey are suspected of carrying out a spate of burglaries in Chigwell – and neighbour Dorian is not inclined to stick up for them.

12 midnight The Bill **1.00am** Bergerac (S) **2.15** Crocodile Shoes **3.10** A Fine Romance **3.25-4.00am** Garden Hopping

ITVBe 26
F'view 26 F'sat 118 Sky 149 (31 STV) Virgin 119 **HD** Virgin 179

9.00am The Only Way Is Essex (S) **10.00** Flipping Out (HD) **11.00** The Real Housewives of Atlanta: an end-of-summer dinner (S)

12 noon Buying and Selling (HD) **1.00pm** Dinner Date (S) (HD) **2.00** Chrissy Knows Best (HD) **3.00** The Real Housewives of New Jersey (S) (HD) **4.00** The Real Housewives of Beverly Hills: double bill (S) (HD)

6.00pm Dinner Date Anna from Cheltenham looks for love. (S) (HD)

7.00 Buying and Selling A couple whose property has decreased in value. (HD)

8.00 Dinner Date Damien from Lancashire hopes that love is on the menu. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Botched by Nature Meeting Americans in need of medical advice. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 New. Chrissy Knows Best
Todd and the kids film a commercial. (S) (HD)

10.30 New. Faye's gambling spirals. (S) (HD)

11.00 Kendra on Top Kendra sees the wardrobe for her new music video. (HD)

11.30 Colin must decide if he wants to reunite with his father. (HD)

12 midnight-12.55am Mob Wives (HD)

ITVBe +1 Freesat 119 Sky 206 Virgin 120

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The Goldbergs 8.30pm Beverly dishes out some relationship advice

F'view 28 F'sat 122 Sky 136 Virgin 106 **HD** Virgin 145

6.00am Hollyoaks Shown Mon/Tue 6.30pm C4 (S) (AD) **7.00** Coach Trip: Road to Tenerife Shown Tue 7.30pm (S) (AD) **7.30** Streetmate (S) (HD) **8.00** Charmed (S) **9.00** Melissa & Joey (S) (AD) **10.00** Baby Daddy (S) (HD) **11.00** Brooklyn Nine-Nine (S) (AD) (HD) **12 noon** The Goldbergs (S) (AD) **1.00pm** The Big Bang Theory (S) (AD) **2.00** Melissa & Joey (S) (AD) **3.00** Baby Daddy (S) (HD) **4.00** Brooklyn Nine-Nine (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00** The Goldbergs (S) (AD) (HD)

6.00pm The Big Bang Theory 18&19/24 Series 9. (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 New. Hollyoaks

Scott spots Maggie and Brody hugging. Cast pp79/109 Rptd tomorrow 6.30pm C4 (S) (AD) (HD)

7.30 New. Coach Trip: Road to Tenerife The tourists arrive in Bilbao, where Brendan leads the group to a sheep farm, before splashing the cash on a boat party. Repeated tomorrow 7am (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 The Goldbergs

2/22 Series 5. Adam must tackle a project on the Second World War. (S) (AD) (HD)

8.30 New. 3/22. Geoff and Erica struggle with their relationship. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 New. Don't Tell the Bride

While his fiancée Sabrina dreams of a traditional wedding, Daniel is planning a Caribbean-carnival style affair. (S) (HD)

10.00 Body Fixers

Dr Esho treats an acid attack victim, while other team members help a distraught bride-to-be who has lost all of her hair and a woman tormented by the huge gap in her front teeth. (S) (HD)

11.10 The Big Bang Theory

14&15/24 Series 4. (S) (AD) (HD)

12.05am Gogglebox: including opinions on The Voice UK (S) (HD) **1.10** The Goldbergs (S) (AD) (HD) **1.45** The Inbetweeners (S) (SL) (AD)

2.40 Don't Tell the Bride (S) (HD) **3.35** Celebs Go Dating (S) (AD) (HD) **4.25** Rude(ish) Tube (S) **4.50-6.00am** Charmed (S)

E4 +1 Freeriew 29 Freesat 123 Sky 137 Virgin 146

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F'view 47 F'sat 127 Sky 140 Virgin 143 **HD** F'view 110

9.00am Four in a Bed: from Skegness (S) (HD) **9.30** Come Dine with Me (S) (HD)

12 noon Coast vs Country (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00pm** A Place in the Sun: Winter Sun (S) (HD) **3.00** Sun, Sea and Selling Houses (S) (HD) **4.00** Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA (S)

6.00pm Location, Location, Location Searching for homes in Hertfordshire. (S) (HD) **7.00 Jamie and Jimmy's Friday Night Feast 7/12 Series 5.** Comedian Greg Davies joins Jamie Oliver and Jimmy Doherty at their café. Shown last Friday C4 (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 The Secret Life of the Zoo Series 4 A power struggle emerges among the female chimpanzees. Shown Tue 8pm C4 (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 FILM The Hunger Games: Mockingjay Part 2 ★★★★★ Finale to the action adventure series, starring Jennifer Lawrence. **Review page 35.** (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

11.40 First Dates Hotel Series 2. Maître d' Fred Sirieix's guests include nursery worker Kaylee, who is matched with bricklayer Keiren. **See choice, page 67.** (S) (AD) (HD)

12.45am The Undateables (S) (AD) **1.40** Naked Attraction (S) (AD) (HD) **2.30** 20 Kids and Counting (S) (AD) (HD) **3.25** Food Unwrapped Diet Special (S) (AD) (HD) **4.20-5.00am** 3rd Rock from the Sun (S) (AD)

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Location, Location, Location 9.00pm Phil and Kirstie help buyers in Kent

F'view 14 F'sat 124 Sky 138 Virgin 147 **HD** Virgin 195

8.55am Food Unwrapped (S) (AD) (HD) **9.30** A Place in the Sun: Home or Away (S) (HD) **10.30** Four in a Bed (S) (HD)

1.05pm Come Dine with Me (S) (HD) **3.50** A Place in the Sun: Home or Away (S) (HD) **5.55** The Secret Life of the Zoo (S) (AD) (HD)

6.55pm The Supervet A cat whose hind leg was shattered after being hit by a car has surgery. (S) (HD)

7.55 Grand Designs Adam Purchase and Nicola Brennan try to restore a dilapidated Grade II-listed silvermine engine-house in Cornwall. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Location, Location, Location Kirstie Allsopp and Phil Spencer kick off the series in Kent. Kirstie searches for a home for a family of six, while Phil helps a family from London as they search for an idyllic seaside lifestyle. (S) (HD)

10.00 Grand Designs The efforts of Jon and Gill to build a New Zealand-style three-storey house on the slopes of the Malvern hills. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.05 Eight out of Ten Cats Does Countdown

With guests David Williams, Jessica Hynes and Rhod Gilbert. (S) (HD)

12.05am Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA (S) **1.05** as 9pm **2.05** Grand Designs (S) (AD) (HD) **3.10-3.50am** Eight out of Ten Cats (S) (HD)

More4 +1 Freeriew 86 Freesat 125 Sky 139 Virgin 196

5 USA 21

Freeriew 21 Freesat 129 Sky 174 Virgin 153

9.00am Catch a Contractor **9.20** McBride: Murder Past Midnight (S) **11.15** The Mentalist (S) (AD) **12.10pm** Law & Order (S) **2.10** The Mentalist: the team protects a witness in a murder case (S) (AD) **3.05** Rookie Blue (S)

5.00pm Law & Order 17&18/24 Series 9 (S) **7.00** NCIS: New Orleans 14&15/24 Series 1 (S) (AD) **9.00** Criminal Minds: Suspect Behavior 1/13. Cooper and his Red Cell group are called to Cleveland to look into a number of child abductions (S) **10.00** Law & Order: Special Victims Unit 21&22/22 Series 10

11.55 Chicago PD 21&23 Series 3 **12.50am** Cedar Cove 2/50 Chicago Fire: Severide searches for his ex-fiancée **3.50-4.00am** Access

5 USA +1 F'view 56 (6pm-5am) F'sat 130 Sky 191 Virgin 185

5 Star 30

Freeriew 30 Freesat 131 Sky 176 Virgin 151

8.00am Access **8.05** According to Jim (S) **8.25** Gilmore Girls (S) **9.15** Milkshake! **11.00** Access **11.05** According to Jim (S) **12 noon** Nightmare Tenants, Slum Landlords (S) **1.00pm** Celebrity Big Brother: Eviction (S) **2.00** Police Interceptors (S) **3.00** Neighbours (S) (AD)

3.30 Home and Away (S) (AD) **4.00** The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air (S) **5.00** Will & Grace (S) **6.00pm** Neighbours Shown 5.30pm C5 (S) (AD) **6.30 New.** Home and Away Rptd tomorrow 6pm C5 (S) (AD) **7.00** The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air (S) **8.00 New series.** Fresh off the Boat (S) **8.30** Will & Grace 1/16 Series 9

First shown last Friday C5 (S) **9.00 FILM** Total Recall ★★★★★ Sci-fi action thriller (S) **11.20** FILM Blitz ★★ Crime thriller (S) **1.25am** Sex Pod (S) **2.25** My Secret Sex Fantasy (S) **3.25** According to Jim (S) **3.45-4.00am** Access

5 Star +1 Freeriew 55 Freesat 132 Sky 190 Virgin 186

PBS America is listed overleaf. See p94 for Film4 and other Freeview movie channels

Yesterday 19

Freeriew 19 Freesat 159 Sky 537 Virgin 245

6.00am Coast (S) (AD) **7.10** Pointless **8.00** Time Team (S) **9.00** Coast (S) (AD) **10.00** Abandoned Engineering (S) (AD) **11.00** Slow Train through Africa with Griff Rhys Jones

12 noon Time Team (S) **1.00pm** Human Planet (S) (AD) **2.00** Yellowstone (S) **3.00** Coast: the Outer Hebrides (S) (AD) **4.00** Slow Train through Africa with Griff Rhys Jones

5.00 The World's Weirdest Weapons (S) (AD) **6.00pm** Battleplan Three examples of military sieges, including the Nazi attack on Leningrad during the Second World War. (S)

7.00 Abandoned Engineering Forgotten projects of the space age. (S) (AD)

8.00 New. Hunting Down the Nazis The story of Nazi hunter Simon Wiesenthal. (AD)

9.00 Open All Hours Grumpy grocer Arkwright buys a guard dog.

9.40 Granville is left in charge of the shop. **10.20** Arkwright has a sales drive. (S)

11.00 The Two Ronnies Double bill. (S) **1.00am** Museum Secrets: the Bardo Museum in Tunisia (S) **2.00-3.00am** Pointless

Yesterday +1 Sky 538 Virgin 246

Home 25

Freeriew 25 Freesat 166 Sky 196 Virgin 281 BT 314

7.05am Homes under the Hammer **8.00** Flog It! **9.00** Ground Force **10.00** Wanted Down Under

11.00 Cash in the Attic **12 noon** Escape to the Country **1.00pm** DIY SOS: The Big Build (AD) **2.00** Escape to the Country **3.00** Flog It! **4.00** Cash in the Attic **5.00** Homes under the Hammer **6.00** Ground Force **7.00** Wanted Down Under **8.00** Escape to the Country **9.00** Escape to the Country

10.00 Fantasy Homes by the Sea (AD) **11.00** Marbella Mansions (AD) **12 midnight** DIY SOS: The Big Build **1.00am** Homes under the Hammer **2.00** Wanted Down Under **2.50-4.00am** Flog It!

Home +1 Sky 244 Virgin 282

5 Spike 31

Freeriew 31 Freesat 141 Sky 160 Virgin 154

9.00am The Cars That Made Britain Great **10.00** Police Interceptors **12 noon** Knight Rider **1.00pm** FILM Operation Mad Ball

★★★ Comedy (BW) **3.10** FILM Good Day for a Hanging ★★ Western starring Fred MacMurray **5.00** Knight Rider

6.00pm Police Interceptors **8.00** Nightmare Tenants, Slum Landlords: Oxfordshire landlady Margaret finally confronts her rogue lettings agent in a spectacular showdown

9.00 FILM Cleaner ★★ Thriller starring Samuel L Jackson, Ed Harris and Eva Mendes

11.00 Spartacus: Blood and Sand **7/13 Series 1** The Thracian warrior insists on fighting alone

12 midnight The X-Files **1.00am** The Cars That Made Britain Great **2.00-3.00am** Helix

5 Spike +1 Sky 219

True Entertainment 61

Freeriew 61 (not Wales) Freesat 142 Sky 182 Virgin 189

6.00am The Waltons **7.00** Little House on the Prairie **8.00** The Waltons **10.00** Little House on the Prairie **1.00pm** The Waltons' Crisis **3.00** FILM Come Dance at My Wedding ★★ **5.00** Murder, She Wrote **6.00** Touched by an Angel

7.00 M*A*S*H **8.00** The Man from Uncle **9.00** Taggart **11.45** Daddy's Girl **1.45am** M*A*S*H **2.15-3.00am** Queen Elizabeth II: 60 Years On

True Entertainment +1 Freesat 152 Sky 183

Horror Channel 70

Freeriew 70 Freesat 138 Sky 319 Virgin 149

8.00am Highlander **9.00** Star Trek: the Next Generation **10.00** Star Trek **11.00** FILM Shockwave ★★ **12.50pm** Horror Highlights **1.00** FILM Trapped in Space

★★★ **2.50** Horror Highlights **3.00** Earth: Final Conflict **4.00** FILM The Land That Time Forgot ★★ **5.50** Horror Highlights

6.00pm Star Trek **7.00** Star Trek: the Next Generation **8.00** Lost in Space **9.00** FILM Don't Blink ★★ **10.50** FILM The Seasoning House ★★ ★★ **12.40am** FILM Antiviral ★★ ★★

2.45-4.30am FILM Frankenhooker ★★ ★★

Pick 11

Freeriew 11 Freesat 144 Sky 152 Virgin 123

6.00am Nothing to Declare **7.00** Border Patrol **8.00** Border Security: Canada's Front Line **9.00** Without a Trace **10.00** Babylon 5 **11.00** Stargate SG-1 **12 noon** Nothing to Declare **1.00pm** A Town Called Eureka **2.00** Without a Trace **3.00** Stop, Search, Seize **4.00** Nothing to Declare UK **5.00** Monkey Life (AD) **6.00** A Town Called Eureka

7.00 Stargate SG-1 **8.00** Babylon 5 **9.00** Bones (AD) **10.00** Criminal Minds **11.00** Brit Cops: Rapid Response **12 midnight** The Force: Manchester **1.00am** Police 10/7 **1.30** Police 10/7 **2.00** Road Wars **3.00** as 11pm **4.00** Nothing to Declare

5.00-6.00am Motorway Patrol (AD)

Pick +1 Freesat 145 Sky 164 (NI 283)

Really 17

Freeriew 17 Freesat 160 Sky 155 Virgin 129

6.00am Brainwashed **7.00** Home Shopping **8.00** Antiques Road Trip **9.00** A Place in the Sun: Winter Sun **10.00** DIY SOS **11.00** Ghost Adventures (AD) **12 noon** The Dead Files **1.00pm** Escape to the Country **2.00** A Place in the Sun: Winter Sun **3.00** Wanted Down Under **4.00** The Dead Files **5.00** Ghost Adventures (AD)

6.00pm Antiques Road Trip **7.00** Escape to the Country **8.00** DIY SOS **9.00** Posh Pawn **10.00** Traffic Cops **11.00** Murder Made Me Famous **12 midnight** Crime Stories **1.00am** I Survived Evil

2.00 Home Shopping **4.00** Murder Made Me Famous **4.50-6.00am** Crime Stories

Quest +1 F'view 83 (7pm-4am) F'sat 168 Sky 195 Virgin 173

Quest 37

Freeriew 37 Freesat 167 Sky 144 Virgin 172

6.00am On Coarse **6.20** Lake Escapes **7.10** Mighty Cruise Ships **8.00** Chasing Classic Cars **9.00** How It's Made **11.00** Railroad Australia **12 noon** Outback Truckers **1.00pm** Mighty Cruise Ships **2.00** Wheeler Dealers **3.00** Fantomworks **4.00** Planes That Changed the World **5.00** How Stuff's Made **6.00** Chasing Classic Cars **7.00** New. Ultimate Airport Dubai **8.00** Salvage Hunters **9.00** New. Auction Hunters **10.00** New. Secrets of the Arsenal **11.00** World's Deadliest Drivers **12 midnight** Wheeler Dealers **1.00am** as 6pm **2.00** Fantomworks **3.00** Destroyed in Seconds **4.00** Outback Truckers **5.00-6.00am** Overhaulin'

Quest +1 F'view 83 (7pm-4am) F'sat 168 Sky 195 Virgin 173

Challenge 46

Freeriew 46 Freesat 146 Sky 145 Virgin 139

6.00am Golden Balls **7.00** Catchphrase (AD) **8.00** Bruce Forsyth's Family Your Cards Right **9.00** The Chase **10.00** Play Your Fortunes (AD) **11.00** Bruce's Price Is Right **12 noon** Wheel of Fortune **1.00pm** Catchphrase (AD) **2.00** Family Fortunes (AD) **3.00** The Chase **4.00** Takeshi's Castle **5.00** Ninja Warrior **6.00** Catchphrase (AD) **7.00** The Chase: triple bill of the quiz show hosted by Bradley Walsh **10.00** Who Wants to Be a Millionaire? **11.00** Bullseye **1.00am** The Chase **4.00** Bullseye **5.00-6.00am** Golden Balls

Challenge +1 Freesat 147 Sky 170 Virgin 180

CBS Action 39

Freeriew 39 Freesat 137 Sky 148 Virgin 192

9.00am JAG **10.00** The District **11.00** Diagnosis Murder **12 noon** NCIS: LA **3.00** NCIS **4.00** CSI: Miami **5.00** NCIS: LA **6.00** NCIS **7.00** Diagnosis Murder **8.00** Walker, Texas Ranger **9.00** NCIS **10.00** NCIS: LA **11.00** Ultimate Force **12 midnight** The District **12.55am** NCIS **1.55** CSI: Miami **2.55** MacGyver **3.50** Walker, Texas Ranger **4.35-6.00am** Dr Quinn

CBS Action +1 Freeriew 64 (HD only)

CBS Drama 71

Freeriew 71 Freesat 134 Sky 147 Virgin 197

9.00am Gunsmoke **10.00** Touched by an Angel **11.00** Matlock **12 noon** Judge Judy **1.00pm** CSI: Miami **2.00** Medium **3.00** Matlock **4.00** Judge Judy **5.00** JAG **6.00** Medium **7.00** Touched by an Angel **8.00** Judge Judy: four editions **10.00** CSI: Miami: a woman dies in a suspected carjacking **11.00** Medium **12 midnight** Judge Judy **1.00am** CSI: Miami **2.00** Matlock **3.00** Touched by an Angel **4.00-5.00am** Gunsmoke

CBS Drama +1 Freeriew 64 (HD only)

BBC Parliament 232

Freeriew 232 Freesat 201 Sky 504 Virgin 605

9.00am Tuesday in Parliament **9.30** Select Committees **11.30** House of Commons **12 noon** Prime Minister's Questions **12.45pm** House of Commons **7.30** House of Lords: recorded coverage **11.00** Wednesday in Parliament **11.30** Prime Minister's Questions **12.15am** Daily Politics **1.45-9.00am** House of Lords

WEDNESDAY Satellite & cable

Television Wednesday



A League of Their Own
8.00pm Mo Farah guests

Sky 1

Sky 106 Virgin 110 HD Virgin 109

6.00am Futurama (S) (AD) **7.00** Monkey Life (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** Meerkat Manor (S) **9.00** Road Wars (S) **10.00** Stargate Atlantis (S) (HD) **11.00** MacGyver (S) (HD) **12 noon** NCIS: Los Angeles (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Hawaii Five-0 (S) (HD) **3.00** NCIS: Los Angeles (S) (HD) **4.00** Stargate SG-1 (S) **5.00** The Simpsons (S) (HD)

6.00pm Futurama (S) (HD)
6.30 The Simpsons Bart is sent to a juvenile detention centre. **7.00** Principal Skinner and Mrs Krabappel get engaged. **7.30** Marge and Homer go on a second honeymoon. (S) (HD)

8.00 A League of Their Own With Mo Farah, Anthony Joshua and Emma Bunton. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 A League of Their Own: US Road Trip 2.0 2/7 Series 2 The boys perform with the LA Rams cheerleaders. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 The Russell Howard Hour 1/14. With Diane Abbott. (S) (HD)

11.00 The Force: North East A trail of blood puzzles officers. (S) (HD)
12 midnight Ross Kemp: Extreme World (S) (HD) **1.00am** Hawaii Five-0 (S) (HD) **3.00** The Blacklist (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** Stop, Search, Seize (S) (HD) **5.00-6.00am** The Dog Whisperer (HD)

Sky 1 +1 Sky 130

Sky Arts

Sky 122 Virgin 122 HD Virgin 206

6.00am André Rieu: Falling in Love - Live in Maastricht 2016 (HD)
9.00 Tales of the Unexpected (S) (AD) **9.30** Hollywood: Singing and Dancing (S) (AD) **10.45** Monty Python's Personal Best (S) **12 noon** Too Young to Die (S) (AD) (HD)
1.00pm Discovering: Natalie Wood (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00** Tales of the Unexpected (S) (AD) **2.30** Hollywood: Singing and Dancing (S) (AD) **3.45** Monty Python's Personal Best (S) **5.00** Too Young to Die (S) (AD) (HD)

6.00pm Discovering: Spencer Tracy A profile of the Oscar-winning actor. (S) (AD) (HD)
7.00 Tina Turner: Live in Rio A 1988 concert at the Maracana Stadium in Rio de Janeiro. (S)

8.30 Video Killed the Radio Star David Bowie's videos. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 New. Hansa Studios: by the Wall 1976-90 Documentary about the recording studio, which used to overlook the Berlin Wall and hosted artists including David Bowie, Iggy Pop, U2 and Brian Eno. See page 87. (HD)

10.30 Scott Walker: 30 Century Man ★★ Music documentary charting the life and work of enigmatic singer/songwriter Scott Walker, from sixties pop star to reclusive avant-garde musician. (S) (W)

12.30am Rock and Roll (S) (AD) (HD) **12.30** Depeche Mode: Live in Berlin (S) (HD) **1.55** Heimat (S) (HD) **5.00-6.00am** Auction (S) (HD)



Game of Thrones 9.00pm Jon (right) goes beyond the wall

Sky Atlantic

Sky 108

6.00am Fish Town (S) (HD) **7.00** The British (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** Richard E Grant's Hotel Secrets (S) (AD) (HD)
9.00 The West Wing (S) (HD) **11.00** House (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00pm** Without a Trace (S) (HD) **2.00** Blue Bloods (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** The West Wing (S) (HD)
5.00pm House 16/22 Series 8 An ice-hockey player begins coughing up blood. (S) (AD) (HD)
6.00 18/22. A boy's nightmares become a reality. (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 CSI: Crime Scene Investigation 8/24 Series 7 A doctor's wife and a newspaper editor are found dead. (S) (HD)
8.00 Blue Bloods 6/22 Series 7 Frank contends with a whistleblower within the NYPD. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Game of Thrones 6/7 Series 7. Jon Snow and his team go beyond the wall to capture a white walker. (S) (AD) (HD)
10.20 7/7. Tyrion tries to save Westeros from itself. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.50 The Sopranos 17/21 Series 6. AJ is inconsolable after his split from Blanca. (S) (AD) (HD)
1.00am The Tunnel: Vengeance (S) (HD) **2.05** Dexter (HD) **3.10** Banshee (S) (AD) (HD) **4.20-6.00am** The West Wing (S) (HD)

Sky Atlantic +1 Sky 217

Universal

Sky 113 Virgin 137 BT 320 HD Virgin 164 BT 385

6.00am CSI: Miami **7.00** Home Shopping **8.00** Law & Order **2.00pm** NCIS: four editions

6.00pm NCIS 5/24 Series 4 The team investigates the death of a lance corporal, whose body has been found in an empty house, and makes a startling discovery regarding the man's personal life. **7.00 6/24.** Kidnappers strike on Halloween, wounding a marine sergeant and snatching his daughter. Abby turns up at the lab in a revealing fancy-dress costume. **8.00 8/24** Series 9. Gibbs and the team are called in to help identify dead US Marines among the wreckage of a military aircraft transporting their bodies back home.

9.00 Law & Order: Special Victims Unit 17/22 Series 10 Munch investigates the rape and beating of a mute girl who can only communicate by drawing pictures. **10.00 9/23** Series 16. Rollins makes a connection between a series of sexual assaults on young girls and some cases she worked on while back in Atlanta. **11.00 10/23.** As the unit's counterparts in Atlanta visit New York for a conference, one of the detectives reports being raped and Rollins reveals a secret. **12 midnight** Law & Order: Special Victims Unit **2.00am** Law & Order **3.00** Rookie Blue **4.00-6.00am** Num3r3r: double bill

Universal +1 Sky 150 Virgin 138



The Chef's Line 7.00pm Battle commences in the kitchen

Sky Living

Sky 107 Virgin 112 HD Virgin 111

6.00am 60-Minute Makeover **7.00** Obese: a Year to Save My Life (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** Chicago Fire (S) (HD) **9.00** Criminal Minds (S) (HD) **10.00** Cold Case (S) (HD) **11.00** The Biggest Loser: Australia (HD) **12 noon** House Hunters International (HD) **1.00pm** To Catch a Smuggler: JFK Airport (S) (HD) **2.00** Nothing to Declare (S) (AD) **4.00** Chicago Fire (S) (HD) **5.00** CSI: Crime Scene Investigation (S) (HD)

6.00pm Criminal Minds 5/24 Series 6. A serial killer targets families in the Midwest. (S) (HD)
7.00 New. The Chef's Line A no-holds-barred cook-off. (HD)

7.30 The Real A&E (S) (AD) (HD)
8.00 Elementary 21/24 Series 3 Two paramedics are killed. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Criminal Minds 4/24 Series 9. The profilers investigate a "surgeon" performing lobotomies. **10.00 5/24.** Hotch is rushed into surgery and a girl goes missing. **11.00 3/22** Series 1. The team hunts for a copycat bomber. (S) (HD)

12 midnight CSI: Crime Scene Investigation (S) (HD) **1.00am** Cold Case (S) (HD) **2.00** Bones (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Scandal (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** The Chef's Line (HD) **4.30** The Real A&E (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00-6.00am** The Best of Nothing to Declare (S)

Sky Living +1 Sky 129 Virgin 140

Sky 2

Sky 163 (NI 164) Virgin 121

6.00am Real A&E (S) **7.00** Police 10/7 **8.00** Highway Patrol (S) **9.00** Biggest Loser US (S) **10.00** Obese USA (S) **11.00** Real A&E (S) **12 noon** Police 10/7 **1.00pm** Highway Patrol **2.00** Motorway Patrol **3.00** Road Wars (S) **4.00** The Flash **5.00** Stargate Atlantis (S)
6.00pm Stargate SG-1 (S) **7.00** Relic Hunter (S) **8.00** Duck Quacks Don't Echo (S) **8.30** Harry Hill's Tea Time (S) **9.00** The Blacklist (S) **10.00** Trolled (S) **10.00** A League of Their Own (S) **11.00** Chicago Fire (S) **12 midnight** How to Get Away with Murder (S) **1.00am** Most Shocking (S) **2.00** Real A&E (S) **3.00** Motorway Patrol (S) **4.00** Road Wars (S) **5.00-6.00am** Police 10/7 (S)

Syfy

Sky 114 Virgin 135 BT 319 HD Virgin 165 BT 375

6.00am Star Trek: the Next Generation **8.00** Home Shopping **11.00** Buffy the Vampire Slayer **12 noon** Merlin **2.00pm** FILM Earthfall ★★ Sci-fi disaster movie **4.00** Buffy the Vampire Slayer **5.00** Star Trek: the Next Generation: double bill **7.00** Merlin **9.00** FILM Vampires Suck ★★ Comedy spoof starring Matt Lanter and Jenn Proske **11.00** FILM Superhero Movie ★★ Fantasy action spoof **12.50am** FILM 5-Headed Shark Attack ★★ 2.40 Fact or Faked: Paranormal Files **3.30** The Captains Close Up **4.00-6.00am** Dark Matter

Syfy +1 Sky 194 Virgin 136



The City Addicted to Crystal Meth 9.00pm Louis Theroux

W

Sky 109 Virgin 125 BT 311 HD Virgin 191 BT 383

6.10am MasterChef Junior USA (S) **8.00** Extreme Makeover: Home Edition (S) **10.00** The Bill (S) **11.00** Tipping Point (HD) **1.00pm** Supernanny US **2.00** The Great British Bake Off (S) (HD) **3.00** Extreme Makeover: Home Edition (S) **5.00** Tipping Point (HD)

5.55pm The Davina Hour Professor Ian Robertson and Angela Patmore join Davina McCall to investigate stress. (S) (HD)

7.00 The Great British Bake Off Testing the contestants' dessert-making skills. (S) (HD)

8.00 One Born Every Minute Childbirth stories. (S) (HD)

9.00 Louis Theroux: the City Addicted to Crystal Meth The journalist learns how drug addiction has ravaged the impoverished city of Fresno. (S) (AD)

10.00 John Bishop in Conversation with Sir Lenny Henry 7/10 Series 1. The comedian and actor discusses his showbusiness career. (S) (HD)

11.00 Cherry Healey's Property Virgins More advice. (S) (HD)

12 midnight Code Black (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00am** Luther (S) (HD) **2.10-3.00am** Judge Faith (HD)

W +1 Sky 213 Virgin 131

TLC

Sky 125 Virgin 167 BT 323 HD Virgin 168 BT 377

6.00am Cake Boss (HD) **6.30** Cake Boss: the Next Great Baker (AD) (HD)
8.00 Say Yes to the Dress: Atlanta (HD) **9.00** Say Yes to the Dress: 10.00 Suddenly Royal (HD) **11.00** 90 Day Fiance (AD) (HD) **12 noon** Gypsy Sisters (HD) **1.00pm** Say Yes to the Dress Canada (HD) **2.00** Cake Boss (HD) **3.00** Something Borrowed, Something New (HD) **4.00** Say Yes to the Dress: Big Bliss (HD) **5.00** Say Yes to the Dress (HD) **6.00** Say Yes to the Dress: Atlanta (HD) **6.30** Say Yes to the Dress (HD) **7.00** Say Yes to the Dress (HD) **9.00** New. 90 Day Fiance (HD) **9.00** New. Gypsy Brides US (HD) **10.00** Say Yes to the Dress: UK (HD) **11.00** Hoarding: Buried Alive (HD) **12 midnight** as 8pm **1.00am** as 2pm **2.00** as 10pm **3.00** as 3pm **4.00** as 4pm **5.00-6.00am** as 1pm

TLC +1 Sky 154 Virgin 169

Lifetime

Sky 156 Virgin 208 BT 329 HD Virgin 209 BT 384

7.00am Property Brothers (HD) **8.00** Little Women: LA (HD) **9.00** Vanderpump Rules (HD) **10.00** The Real Housewives of Beverly Hills (HD) **11.00** Judge Judy (HD) **2.00pm** My Ghost Story: Caught on Camera (HD) **3.00** Million Dollar Decorators (HD) **4.00** Dance Moms (HD) **5.00** Hardcore Pawn (HD) **6.00** Storage Wars (HD) **6.30** Storage Wars (HD) **7.00** Judge Judy (HD) **8.00** Hoarders (HD) **9.00** New series. Little Women: Terra's Big House (HD) **10.00** New series. Little Women: Monie Gets Married (HD) **11.00** Fit to Fat to Fit (HD) **12 midnight** Little Women: Terra's Big House (HD) **1.00am** Little Women: Monie Gets Married (HD) **2.00** My Ghost Story: Caught on Camera (HD) **3.00-4.00am** Dance Moms (HD)

Lifetime +1 Sky 197



Blackadder Goes Forth 8.00pm Melchett and Edmund

Gold

Sky 110 Virgin 124 BT 310

7.20am Yes, Prime Minister (S) **7.55** The Brittas Empire (S) **8.35** Goodnight Sweetheart (S) **9.15** Last of the Summer Wine (S) **11.20** My Family (S) (AD) **12 noon** The Green Green Grass (HD) **12.40pm** Keeping Up Appearances (S) **1.20** The Brittas Empire (S) **2.00** Blackadder the Third (S) (AD) **3.20** The Green Green Grass (S) **3.55** Last of the Summer Wine (S)

6.00pm Keeping Up Appearances (S)

6.40 The Good Life (S) (AD)

8.00 Blackadder Goes Forth Captain Blackadder develops an interest in art. (S) (AD)

8.40 Captain Blackadder faces a firing squad. (S) (AD)

9.20 The Royle Family Jim is surprised by wedding costs. (S) (AD)

10.00 Live at the Apollo Comedy sets by Sarah Millican, Joe Lycett and Russell Kane. (S) (HD)

11.00 Absolutely Fabulous (S) (AD)

11.40 Peep Show (S) (HD)

12.15am Peep Show (S) (HD) **12.45** Live at the Apollo (S) (HD) **1.45** The Royle Family (S) (AD) **2.20** Harry Hill's the Best of TV Burp (S) **2.45** Harry Hill's TV Burp (S) **3.10-4.00am** Peep Show (S) (HD)

Gold +1 Sky 166 Virgin 190

Comedy Central

Sky 112 Virgin 132 BT 307 HD Virgin 181 BT 370

8.00am The Middle (S) (HD) **10.00** Friends (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00pm** Impractical Jokers (S) (HD) **2.00** Friends (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** Bob's Burgers (S) (HD) **5.00** Friends: eight back-to-back episodes (S) (AD) (HD)
9.00 Impractical Jokers: Joe, Sal, Murr and Q head to Hawaii **10.00** Russell Brand - Messiah Complex: a stand-up performance at the Hammersmith Apollo in London (HD) **11.00** The Cleveland Show: double bill (HD) **12 midnight** Impractical Jokers (S) (HD) **1.00am** New. The Daily Show (HD) **1.30** South Park (S) (HD) **2.30** The Cleveland Show (HD) **3.25** South Park (S) (HD) **4.15-5.00am** Bob's Burgers (S) (HD)

Comedy Central +1 Sky 127 Virgin 133

Sony Channel

Sky 157 Virgin 193 BT 331

7.00am Ghost Hunters **9.00** Hotel Babylon **10.00** Hustle **11.00** America's Got Talent **1.00pm** Hustle **2.00** FILM Hook ★★★ Fantasy adventure starring Dustin Hoffman, Robin Williams, Julia Roberts and Bob Hoskins **5.00** Ghost Hunters **6.00** Hustle **7.00** Hotel Babylon **8.00** Hustle **9.00** Saving Hope: a court hearing is held over whether Charlie should be kept alive **10.00** The Night Shift **11.00** Secret Diary of a Call Girl **12 midnight** Satisfaction **1.00am** Younger **2.00** Celebrity Ghost Stories **3.00-4.00am** Saving Hope

Sony TV +1 Sky 181



Unforgotten 9.00pm Cassie continues her investigation

ITV Encore

Sky 123
6.00am Drama Trails **6.10** Upstairs, Downstairs (S) **8.05** The Chief **8.55** Always and Everyone **9.50** Heartbeat (S) **11.05** Peak Practice **12.10pm** The Chief **1.15** Always and Everyone **2.20** Peak Practice **3.25** Heartbeat (S) **4.35** Upstairs, Downstairs (S)
6.45pm Agatha Christie's Poirot The Adventure of Johnnie Waverly A man gets threatening letters. (S) (HD) **7.55** Four and Twenty Blackbirds A man plummets to his death. (S) **9.00 Unforgotten 3/6** Series 1 Cassie and Sunny dig deeper into the lives of two of the people mentioned in the diary. (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00 4/6.** Cassie questions Sir Phillip about his past. (S) (AD) (HD) DCI Cassie Stuart **Nicola Walker** DS Sunil "Sunny" Khan **Sanjeev Bhaskar** Eric Slater **Tom Courtenay** Sir Phillip Cross **Trevor Eve** Father Robert Greaves **Bernard Hill**
11.00 Jordskott 3/8 Series 2 Eva finds something that belonged to her mother long ago. (HD) **12.20am 4/8.** Eva and Wass find evidence that more children's lives are in danger. Swedish +subtitles. (HD) **1.40** Cold Feet (S) (AD) (HD) **2.40** Harlots (S) (AD) (HD) **3.30** The Chief **4.25** Always and Everyone **5.20** Drama Trails **5.30-6.00am** Nightscreen (HD)
 ITV Encore +1 Sky 268

PBS America 94

Freeview 94 Freesat 155 Sky 534 Virgin 276
8.00am Walks around Britain **8.30** Maggie's War **9.50** Ocean Vet **10.50** Code-Breakers: Bletchley Park's Lost Heroes **11.55** Maggie's War **1.10pm** Lancaster at War **2.15** Ocean Vet **3.15** Code-Breakers: Bletchley Park's Lost Heroes **4.20** Maggie's War **5.35** Lancaster at War
6.40pm Ocean Vet Dr Neil Burnie and the team capture and release wild green-sea turtles. **7.15** Neil Burnie and the team try to save the life of a sixgill shark.
7.50 Doolittle's Raiders: a Final Toast Veterans of a 1942 bombing mission commemorate their raid on Japan.
9.00 Dam Busters: the Race to Smash the German Dams James Holland presents an analysis of the RAF's air attacks on German dams in 1943, and asks the true impact of the raids has been underestimated.
10.15 American Lawmen A look at how the FBI's Melvin Purvis led the search for the men responsible for the wave of brutal crime that took place in the US Midwest during the Great Depression.
11.15 Doolittle's Raiders: a Final Toast The veterans of a 1942 bombing mission commemorate their raid on Japan.
12.20am Dam Busters: the Race to Smash the German Dams **1.30-2.00am** Walks around Britain



Crossing Lines 8.00pm The team hunts a serial killer

Alibi

Sky 132 Virgin 126 BT 312 HD Virgin 200 BT 382
7.10am The Doctor Blake Mysteries (S) (HD) **8.00** New Tricks (S) (AD) **9.00** Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD) **10.00** The Doctor Blake Mysteries (S) (HD) **11.00** Dangerfield (S) **12 noon** Inspector George Gently (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00pm** The Doctor Blake Mysteries (S) (HD) **3.00** Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD) **4.00** New Tricks (S) (AD) **5.00** Dangerfield (S)
6.00pm Inspector George Gently 1/2 Series 4. A schoolgirl with links to a rising TV star is murdered. (S) (AD) (HD)
8.00 Crossing Lines 1/10 Series 1 Four women are murdered and their bodies left in wooded areas of parks in European cities. (S) (HD)
9.00 Criminal Minds: Suspect Behavior 9/13. Young mothers are kidnapped. (S) (AD) (HD)
10.00 Death in Paradise 3/8 Series 1. After predicting her own murder, a voodoo priestess is found dead in the local school the next day. (S) (AD) (HD)
11.20 Murdoch Mysteries 7/13 Series 1. A murder plot emerges during a theatre performance. (S) (HD)
12.20am The Closer (S) (HD) **1.15** Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD) **2.15** Reckless (S) (HD) **3.00-4.00am** Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD)
 Alibi +1 Sky 226 Virgin 130

Discovery History

Sky 535 Virgin 262
6.00am Aircraft Stories **7.00** Chris Barrie's Massive Machines **8.00** Tanks **9.00** Deadliest Tech **10.00** Battlefield **12 noon** Aircraft Stories **1.00pm** Tanks **2.00** Deadliest Tech **3.00** Chris Barrie's Massive Machines **4.00** Battlefield **5.00** The Weapon Hunter
6.00pm Out of Egypt Dr Kara Cooney visits the pyramids in Egypt and explores other examples in Sri Lanka, as well as temples in Mexico.
7.00 Cold War Armageddon How the rivalry between capitalism and communism raged from Berlin to Havana and even to outer space.
8.00 Ultimate Weapons Exploring the potential of weapons of the future, based on advanced robotic systems.
9.00 Egypt Unwrapped Experts attempt to reveal the mysteries surrounding a 3,000-year-old mummy that is often referred to as the screaming man.
10.00 Waco Cult: Crimes of the Century The Branch Davidians, the cult led by David Koresh that came to a fiery end in 1993.
11.00 Deadliest Tech A look at the guns used in modern warfare, which now fuse accuracy and range.
12 midnight Battlefield **2.00am** Cold War Armageddon **3.00** Chris Barrie's Massive Machines **4.00** Battlefield (AD) **5.00-6.00am** Hitler's Henchmen
 Discovery History +1 Sky 536 Virgin 263



Bones 5.00pm Brennan and Booth hunt a killer on a mission

Fox

Sky 124 Virgin 157 HD Virgin 199
8.00am Monk (S) (HD) **9.00** The Closer (S) (HD) **11.00** Bones (S) (HD) **1.00pm** NCIS (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** The Closer (S) (HD)
5.00pm Bones 15/23 Series 6 Booth realises the killer he is looking for is an old acquaintance. (S) (HD) **6.00 16/23.** Brennan and Booth are trapped in a lift. (S) (HD)
7.00 NCIS 14/24 Series 12. DiNozzo investigates a murder at the military academy he once attended. **8.00 15/24.** Fornell struggles to deal with recent events.
9.00 1/23 Series 15. Agents in Washington DC search for their missing colleagues. (S) (AD) (HD)
10.00 American Dad! Series 11 Stan witnesses a couple die in a car crash, so goes to see a psychiatrist to help with the trauma. (S) (HD)
10.30 Jeff suddenly turns up at the Smith House. (S) (HD)
11.00 Family Guy Series 10. Ryan Reynolds becomes obsessed with Peter following the actor's unexpected arrival in Quahog. (S) (HD) **11.30** Brian and Stewie travel back in time to witness the events of the pilot episode. (S) (HD)
12 midnight American Dad! (S) (HD) **1.00am** Family Guy (S) (HD) **2.00-5.00am** American Dad! (S) (HD)
 Fox +1 Sky 165 Virgin 158

History

Sky 529 Virgin 270 BT 327 HD BT 379
6.00am Pawn Stars (HD) **7.10** Storage Wars (HD) **8.00** Counting Cars (HD) **9.00** Ancient Aliens (HD) **10.00** Doomsday: Ten Ways the World Will End (HD) **11.00** Forged in Fire (HD) **12 noon** The Curse of Oak Island (HD) **12.55pm** First Look! Curse of Oak Island (HD) **1.00** Pawn Stars (HD) **2.00** Counting Cars (HD) **3.00** Ice Road Truckers (HD) **4.00** Storage Wars (HD) **6.00** Forged in Fire (HD) **7.00** American Pickers (HD) **8.00 New.** The Curse of Oak Island (HD) **11.00** Forged in Fire (HD) **1.00am** Storage Wars (HD) **2.00** Homicide Hunter (HD) **3.00** The First 48 **4.00** Forged in Fire (HD) **5.00-6.00am** Pawn Stars (HD)
 History +1 Sky 530 Virgin 271

Animal Planet

Sky 523 Virgin 256 BT 325 HD Virgin 257 BT 378
6.00am Pit Bulls and Parolees (HD) **8.00** The Zoo (HD) **10.00** Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet (HD) **12 noon** Alaskan Bush People (AD) (HD) **1.00pm** Wildest Middle East (HD) **2.00** Pit Bulls and Parolees (HD) **4.00** The Zoo (HD) **6.00** Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet (HD) **8.00** Pit Bulls and Parolees (HD) **10.00** Wildest Middle East: a look at Arabia, the world's largest peninsula (AD) (HD) **11.00** Alaskan Bush People (AD) (HD) **12 midnight** The Zoo (HD) **2.00am** Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet (HD) **3.50** Wildest Middle East (HD) **4.40** Alaskan Bush People (AD) (HD) **5.30-6.00am** Meet the Penguins (HD)
 Animal Planet +1 Sky 549 Virgin 258



Street Outlaws 9.00pm Kamikaze works on his engine

Discovery

Sky 520 Virgin 250 BT 322 HD Virgin 251 BT 376
6.00am Railroad Alaska (HD) **7.00** Alaska: the Last Frontier (HD) **8.00** Gold Rush (HD) **9.00** Wheeler Dealers (HD) **11.00** Fast 'n' Loud (HD) **1.00pm** Railroad Alaska (HD) **2.00** Alaska: the Last Frontier (HD) **3.00** Yukon Men (HD) **4.00** Gold Rush (HD) **5.00** Secrets of the Underground (HD)
6.00pm Wheeler Dealers Edd takes a punt on a Caterham. (HD) **7.00** Mike combines his love of vintage Escorts and rallying by building a Ford rally car. (HD)
8.00 MythBusters Dispelling myths about the flammable nature of cars. (HD)
9.00 New. Street Outlaws The Chief's car is out of action and, in his absence, Sean tries to grab the number one spot. (HD)
10.00 New. Moonshiners Following characters who produce whiskey illegally. (HD)
11.00 Gold Rush Even a solar eclipse cannot distract Todd from his lack of good fortune. (HD)
12 midnight Gold Rush (HD) **1.00am** Street Outlaws (HD) **2.00** How It's Made **3.00** Street Outlaws (HD) **3.50** Moonshiners (HD) **4.40** Gold Rush (HD) **5.30-6.00am** How It's Made (HD)
 Discovery +1 Sky 521 Virgin 252

Nat Geographic

Sky 526 Virgin 266 BT 317 HD Virgin 268 BT 373
8.00am Strippers: Cars for Cash (AD) (HD) **9.00** Supercar Megabuild (HD) **10.00** Car SOS (HD) **1.00pm** Hitler's Death Army: Das Reich (HD) **3.00** Hitler's Last Year (HD) **5.00** Air Crash Investigation (HD) **6.00** Titanic: 20 Years Later with James Cameron (HD) **7.00** Air Crash Investigation (HD) **8.00 New series.** Lawless Island: Alaska (HD) **9.00** New. Wicked Tuna: North v South: the Hot Tuna is struck by a rogue wave (HD) **10.00** Gold Diggers (HD) **11.00** Air Crash Investigation (S) (AD) (HD) **12 midnight** Seconds from Disaster (S) **2.00am** Highway thru Hell (HD) **3.00** Wicked Tuna: North v South (HD) **4.00-5.00am** Wicked Tuna (HD)
 Nat Geo +1 Sky 527 Virgin 267

Eden

Sky 532 Virgin 247 BT 315 HD Virgin 249 BT 389
9.00am World's Wildest City: Manaus (S) (HD) **10.00** as 11pm **11.00** as 6pm **12 noon** Tarsier Tails (S) (HD) **1.00pm** The Blue Planet (S) (HD) **2.00** Wildest Africa (S) (HD) **3.00** Deadly 60 (S) (HD) **4.00** Tarsier Tails (S) (HD) **5.00** The Blue Planet (S) (HD) **6.00** Deadly 60 (S) (HD) **7.00** Tarsier Tails (S) (HD) **8.00** Wildest Africa (S) (HD) **9.00** The Blue Planet (S) (HD) **10.00** World's Wildest City: Manaus (S) (HD) **11.00** Angry Planet (S) (HD) **12 midnight** as 6pm **1.00am** as 7pm **2.00** as 8pm **3.00** as 5pm **3.50** Planet Oil: the Treasure That Conquered the World (S) (HD) **4.40** Tarsier Tails (S) (HD) **5.05-6.00am** Dog's Best Friend (S) (HD)
 Eden +1 Sky 533 Virgin 248

CHILDREN'S

Milkshake! on C5

Full listings for Channel 5 are on p90
6.00am Puffin Rock **6.05** Poppy Cat **6.20** Simon **6.25 New.** Bob the Builder **6.35** Fireman Sam **6.50** Thomas & Friends **7.00** The Secret Life of Puppies **7.05** Paw Patrol **7.20** Noddy: Toyland Detective **7.35** Peppa Pig: double bill **7.50** Flogals **8.05** CHOICE New. Digby Dragon: a falling star lands in Applecross. See p87 **8.20** Rusty Rivets: the gang go on a skiing trip **8.35** Shimmer and Shine **8.55** Ben and Holly **9.05-9.15am** Mofy

CBeebies 202

Freeview 202 Freesat 608 Sky 614 Virgin 702
6.00am Show Me Show Me **6.20** Baby Jake **6.30** Yakka Dee **6.35** Dinopaws **6.50 New.** Raa Raa the Noisy Lion **7.00** Teletubbies **7.15** Bing: double bill **7.30** Hey Duggee: double bill **7.50** Peter Rabbit **8.00** Go Jettlers **8.15** Octonauts **8.25** The Furchester Hotel **8.35** Justin's House **9.00** Everything's Rosie **9.10** Tinga Tinga Tales **9.20** Bing **9.30** as 1.25pm **9.35** as 1.35pm **9.45** as 1.45pm **10.00** Teletubbies **10.20** as 2.15pm **10.30** Spot Bots **10.45** Magic Door **10.50** Yakka Dee **10.55** Show Me Show Me **11.15** Big Barn Farm **11.30** Andy's Baby Animals **11.40** Waybuloo **12 noon** I Can Cook on the Go **12.15pm** Teacup Travels **12.30** My Story **12.50** Melody **1.00** Baby Jake **1.10** Tinga Tinga Tales **1.20** Bing **1.25** Small Potatoes **1.35** Twirlywinks **1.45** Something Special: We're All Friends **2.05** Timmy Time **2.15** Numberblocks **2.20** Spot Bots **2.35** Magic Door **2.45** Yakka Dee **2.50** Show Me Show Me **3.10** Get Well Soon **3.30** Swashbuckle **3.55** Boj **4.05** School of Roars **4.15** Hey Duggee **4.20** Go Jettlers **4.35** My Pet and Me **4.50** Peter Rabbit **5.00** Do You Know? **5.15** Sarah & Duck **5.20** Topsy and Tim **5.35** Katie Morag **5.50** Pablo **6.00** Clangers **6.10** The Adventures of Abney & Teal **6.20** In the Night Garden... **6.50-7.00pm** CBeebies Bedtime Stories: read by Stephen Graham

CBBC 201

Freeview 201 Freesat 607 Sky 613 Virgin 701
7.00am Brain Freeze **7.05** The Deep **7.25** Dennis & Gnasher Unleashed **7.40** Newsround **7.45** Danger Mouse **8.00** Dragons: Race to the Edge **8.20** Newsround **8.30** Junior Bake Off **9.00** Marrying Mum and Dad **9.25** Horrible Histories **9.55** My Life: What's a Girl? **10.25** The Next Step **10.45** Tracy Beaker Returns **11.15** So Awkward **11.45** 4 o'Clock Club **12.15pm** Top Class **12.45** Naomi's Nightmares of Nature **1.10** Now You See It **1.20** Help! My Mini School Trip Is Magic **1.30** Officially Amazing **1.55** How to Be Epic @ Everything **2.10** Operation Ouch! **2.40** So Awkward **3.10** Odd Squad **3.20** Arthur **3.35** Strange Hill High **4.00** Ali-As Superchargers **4.20** Newsround **4.30** The Designers **5.00** 4 o'Clock Club **5.30** Operation Ouch! Hospital Takeover **6.00pm** Scream Street **6.15** Danger Mouse **6.25** Zig and Zag **6.40** The Deep **7.00** Horrible Histories **7.30** Art Ninja **8.00** Marrying Mum and Dad **8.30-9.00pm** 4 o'Clock Club

CITV 203

Freeview 203 Freesat 602 Sky 621 Virgin 734
 Programmes 6.00pm-9.00 not Freeview
6.00am Grizzly Tales **6.25** Super 4 **6.55** Horrid Henry **7.20** Scooby-Doo! Mystery Incorporated **7.50** Ultimate Spider-Man **8.20** Horrid Henry **8.50** Fangbone **9.20** Mission Employable **9.25** The Oddbods Show **9.50** Super 4 **10.20** Dino Dan **10.50** Grizzly Tales **11.15** Almost Naked Animals **11.45** Horrid Henry **12.45pm** Fort Boyard **1.40** Make It Pop **2.15** Almost Naked Animals **2.40** The Oddbods Show **3.00** Dino Dan **3.25** Super 4 **4.00** Mr Bean: the Animated Series **4.15 New.** Fangbone **4.30** Ben 10 **5.00** Star Wars Freemaker Adventures **5.30** NinjaGo **6.00pm** Pokémon **6.25** Max Steel **6.55** Scooby-Doo! Mystery Incorporated **7.25** Horrid Henry **8.25** Wishfart **8.55-9.00pm** Mission Employable

Wednesday Television

WEDNESDAY Films & Sport

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Who's for supper?

Raw ★★★★★ 10.20pm Sky Premiere

A vegetarian student (Garance Marillier) gets cravings way beyond steak tartare after being forced to eat raw meat during a vicious freshman hazing in this extreme piece of French cinema. Filtering coming-of-age horror stories like *Carrie* via the cannibalistic outbursts of early David Cronenberg movies, writer/director Julia Ducournau's debut is stylish, darkly witty and beautifully acted, with a couple of startling twists. Genre fans with strong stomachs will find this a memorably tasty morsel. **ALAN JONES**



The man, the legend

Buffalo Bill ★★★

6.00pm Talking Pictures TV **FREEVIEW**

The life of William Cody, aka Buffalo Bill, continues to inspire movie-makers hoping to capture the frontier spirit of the Old West. This biopic (review, p38) sees Joel McCrea play the scout-turned-showman, but he's also been played by Paul Newman, Charlton Heston, JK Simmons and Keith Carradine. Through the popularity of his Wild West shows, Cody was the biggest celebrity of his era, earning Queen Victoria's seal of approval, before dying on this day in 1917. **JAMIE HEALY**

Leaving iPlayer

Lucky Jim ★★★★★

BBC iPlayer

FREE TO VIEW

Today is your last chance to catch this comic masterpiece from the Boulting brothers on iPlayer. Ian Carmichael gives a good account of himself as Kingsley Amis's creation, a disaster-prone lecturer whose university career gets off to the worst possible start.

DAVID PARKINSON



FREEVIEW

Film 4

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F'view 15 F'sat 300 Sky 315 Virgin 428 **HD** Virgin 429

11.00am Four Guns to the Border ★★ Handsomely photographed western. Rory Calhoun, Colleen Miller, George Nader, Walter Brennan (1954, U) (S)

12.40pm Pimpernel Smith ★★★★★ Smashing adventure that updates the story of the Scarlet Pimpernel to Nazi-occupied Europe. Leslie Howard, Francis Sullivan, Mary Morris (1941, U) (S)

3.10 Last Train from Gun Hill ★★★★★ Kirk Douglas is at his most intense as a man seeking revenge in this finely wrought western. Anthony Quinn, Carolyn Jones (1959, 15) (S)

5.05pm Master of the World ★★ Adaptation of two Jules Verne novels. Vincent Price, Charles Bronson, Henry Hull, Mary Webster (1961, U)

7.10 Chronicle ★★★★★ Fabulous found-footage sci-fi drama. Michael B Jordan, Dane DeHaan, Alex Russell, Michael Kelly (2012, 15) (S) (AD)

9.00 Exodus: Gods and Kings ★★★★★ Ridley Scott gives the Moses story a modern thriller edge. Christian Bale, Joel Edgerton, John Turturro, Aaron Paul, Ben Mendelsohn (2014, 12) (S) (AD)

11.55-3.45am JFK ★★★★★ Fascinating conspiracy thriller. **Review, p38.** Kevin Costner, Sissy Spacek, Joe Pesci, Tommy Lee Jones, Gary Oldman (1991, 15) (S)

Film 4 +1 F'view 45 (HD only) F'sat 301 Sky 316 Virgin 430

Sony Movie Channel

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Freeview 32 Sky 323 Virgin 425

9.00am The Perfect Assistant ★★ Thriller. Josie Davis (2008) **11.05 The Perfect Marriage** ★★ Thriller. Jamie Luner (2006) **1.10pm Legends of the Fall** ★★★★★ Epic drama. Brad Pitt (1994, 15) **3.40 The Legend of Zorro** ★★★★★ Adventure. Antonio Banderas, Catherine Zeta-Jones (2005, PG)

6.25pm Crouching Tiger, Hidden Dragon ~~★★★★★~~ Magnificent martial arts epic. Chow Yun-Fat, Michelle Yeoh, Zhang Ziyi (2000, 12)

9.00 Heist ★★★★★ Excellent crime drama. Gene Hackman, Danny DeVito, Delroy Lindo, Sam Rockwell (2001, 15)

11.20 The Score ★★ Smart heist thriller. Robert De Niro, Edward Norton, Angela Bassett (2001, 15)

1.55am Sniper Reloaded ★★ Adventure. Chad Michael Collins (2011, 15) **3.55-5.50am Ties That Bind** ★★ Mystery. Kristanna Loken (2010)

Sony Movie Channel +1 Sky 324

Movies4Men

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Freeview 48 Freesat 304 Sky 325 Virgin 426

6.00am Machine Gun Kelly ★★★★★ Crime drama. Charles Bronson (1958, 12) **7.40 The Hindenburg Disaster** **8.40 Enigma** ★★ Thriller. Martin Sheen (1982, 15) **10.45 The Big Sky** ★★★★★ Western. Kirk Douglas (1952, U) **1.05pm Texas Adios** ★★★★★ Spaghetti western. (1966, 15)

3.00 The Persuaders! **4.00 Tunes of Glory** ★★★★★ Drama. **Review, p38.** Alec Guinness (1960, PG)

6.15pm Operation Barbarossa **7.15 Deadly Voltage** ★★ Low-budget disaster drama. Mike Dopud, Alaina Huffman (2015)

9.00 Prison Riot ★★ Violent action movie. Dolph Lundgren, Matthew Reese, Chuck Liddell (2015, 18)

10.45 Hijacked ★ Action thriller. (2012, 15) **12.35am Absolute Fear** ★★ Thriller. Stephanie Lemelin (2012) **2.35-4.00am The Last Patrol** ★★ Action adventure. (2000, 12)

Movies4Men +1 Freesat 305 Sky 326

Talking Pictures TV

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Freeview 81 (HD only) Freesat 306 Sky 343 Virgin 445

6.00am Recoil ★★ Crime drama. (1953, PG) **7.45 Johnny Ringo** **8.15 Tiger by the Tail** ★★ Thriller. (1955, PG) **9.55 The Angel Who Panned Her Harp** ★★ Fantasy comedy. (1954, U)

11.25 Target: The Corruptors **12.30pm They Can't Hang Me** ★★ Spy drama. (1955)

2.05 The Stranger ★★ Thriller. Orson Welles, Edward G Robinson (1946, PG) **4.00 Freedom Radio** ★★ Wartime drama. Clive Brook (1940, PG)

6.00pm Buffalo Bill ★★ Glossy portrait of the Wild West showman. **Review, p38; Choice, left.** Joel McCrea, Maureen O'Hara (1944, U)

8.00 A Family at War Period drama. **9.00 Dick Powell Theatre** Drama. **10.00 Sea Fury** ★★★★★ Ocean action drama. Stanley Baker, Victor McLaglen (1958, PG)

12 midnight Midnight Fear ★★ Thriller. Craig Wasson (1990, 18) **1.45am Dry Rot** ★★ Comedy. Ronald Shiner (1956, U) **3.30 No Smoking** ★★ Comedy. (1954, U) **5.00-6.00am** Burke's Law

Premiere

Sky 301 Virgin 431 BT 501 **HD** Virgin 401

6.00am As 4pm **7.50** As 5.50pm **9.55** As 8pm **12.15pm The Book of Henry** ★★ Thriller. Naomi Watts, Jaeden Lieberher (2016) **2.05 Blind** ★★ Romantic drama. Demi Moore, Alec Baldwin (2017, 15) **4.00 Tumbledown** ★★ Romantic comedy drama. **Choice, p84.** Rebecca Hall, Jason Sudeikis (2015, 15)

5.50pm Kong: Skull Island ★★★★★ Cracking action adventure featuring Hollywood's most iconic primate. Tom Hiddleston, Brie Larson, Samuel L Jackson, John Goodman (2017, 12)

8.00 Logan ★★★★★ An ageing Wolverine makes his last stand in this brutal but moving *X-Men* spin-off. Hugh Jackman, Patrick Stewart (2017, 15)

10.20 Raw ★★★★★ Subversive, coming-of-age shocker. **Choice, left.** Garance Marillier, Ella Rumpf (2016, 18)

12.05am Rules Don't Apply ★★ Comedy drama. (2016, 12) **2.20 Lowriders** ★★ Drama. (2016, 12) **4.05 Wolves at the Door** ★★ (2016, 15) **5.30 Pitch Perfect 3** Special

Premiere +1 Sky 302 Virgin 432

Villains

Sky 304 Virgin 434 BT 508 **HD** Virgin 404

6.00am Zoolander As 2.20pm **7.40 Collateral** As 3.55pm **9.45 Star Trek II: the Wrath of Khan** As 6pm **11.45 The Dark Knight** As 8pm **2.20pm Zoolander** ★★★★★ Satirical comedy. Ben Stiller (2001, 12) **3.55 Collateral** ★★★★★ Action thriller. Tom Cruise, Jamie Foxx (2004, 15)

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8.00 The Dark Knight ~~★★★★★~~ Epic action fantasy in which Batman tackles the Joker. Christian Bale, Heath Ledger, Gary Oldman (2008, 12)

10.35 Cape Fear ★★★★★ Dazzling and very violent remake of the classic 1962 thriller. Robert De Niro, Nick Nolte, Jessica Lange, Juliette Lewis (1991, 18)

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Comedy

Sky 308 Virgin 438 BT 506 **HD** Virgin 408

6.45am Pitch Perfect 3 Special **7.15 The Blues Brothers** ★★★★★ Musical comedy. John Belushi (1980, 15) **9.35 Drillbit Taylor** ★★ Comedy. Owen Wilson (2007, 12) **11.20 Walk Hard: the Dewey Cox Story** ★★★★★ Musical comedy. John C Reilly (2007, 15) **1.05pm** As 8pm **2.50** As 9.45pm

4.25pm All about Steve ★★ Romantic comedy. Sandra Bullock (2009, 12)

6.15 High Anxiety ★★ Hilarious Hitchcock parody. Mel Brooks, Madeline Kahn, Cloris Leachman (1977, 15)

8.00 Little Man ★ Comedy. Marlon Wayans, Shawn Wayans (2006, 12)

9.45 Popstar: Never Stop Never Stopping ★★★★★ Send-up of the pop industry. Andy Samberg (2016, 15)

11.20 Zoolander 2 ★★ Belated sequel. Ben Stiller, Owen Wilson (2016, 12)

1.10am The Sweetest Thing ★★★★★ Romantic comedy. Cameron Diaz (2002, 15) **2.50 jacks number two** ★★★★★ Comedy. Johnny Knoxville (2006, 18)

4.30 As 6.45am **5.00 Fred Claus** ★★ Comedy. Vince Vaughn (2007, PG)

6.00am Snakes on a Plane ★★ Thriller. Samuel L Jackson (2006, 15) **8.00 Dick Tracy** ★★★★★ Adventure. Warren Beatty (1990, PG) **10.00** As 6.40pm **12.30pm The Bourne Identity** ★★★★★ Spy thriller. Matt Damon (2002, 12) **2.40 The Bourne Supremacy** ★★★★★ Spy thriller. Matt Damon (2004, 12)

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6.40 Angels & Demons ★★ Glossy sequel to *The Da Vinci Code*. Tom Hanks, Ewan McGregor (2009, 12)

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1.10am K-Shop ★★ Horror thriller. Ziad Abaza (2015, 18) **3.20 ID2: Shadwell Army** ★★ Action drama. Simon Rivers (2016, 18) **5.05 Point Last Seen** ★★ Thriller. Linda Hamilton (1998)

Hits

Sky 303 Virgin 433 BT 504 **HD** Virgin 403

6.15am Tinkerbell and the Secret of the Wings ★★ Animated fantasy. Mae Whitman (2012, U) **7.45** As 6pm **9.45 I Saw the Light** ★★ Music biography. Tom Hiddleston (2015, 15)

12 noon As 8pm **2.20pm** As 10.20pm **4.05 I Am Legend** ★★ Sci-fi action horror. Will Smith (2007, 15)

6.00pm Why Him? ★★ Bryan Cranston lives every father's nightmare in this foul-mouthed but funny comedy. James Franco (2016, 15)

8.00 The Accountant ★★ Convulsed but striking drama. Ben Affleck, Anna Kendrick, JK Simmons (2016, 15)

10.20 Bad Neighbours 2 ★★★★★ Wittingly subversive sequel where Zac Efron jumps the fence to join Seth Rogen and Rose Byrne. Chloë Grace Moretz (2016, 15)

12.05am I Saw the Light As 9.45am **2.25 The Finest Hours** ★★ Action thriller based on a true story. Chris Pine, Casey Affleck (2015, 12)

4.35 Tinkerbell and the Secret of the Wings As 6.15am

Heroes

Sky 307 Virgin 437 BT 502 **HD** Virgin 407

6.40am Robin Hood ★★ Adventure. Russell Crowe, Cate Blanchett (2010, 12) **9.05** As 5.30pm **11.35** As 8pm **1.55pm 300** ★★★★★ Historical adventure. Gerard Butler, Lena Headey (2006, 15)

3.55 Superman IV: the Quest for Peace ★★ Fantasy adventure. Christopher Reeve, Gene Hackman (1987, PG)

5.30pm Captain America: Civil War ★★★★★ Exhilarating and dramatic entry in the superhero series. Chris Evans, Robert Downey Jr (2016, 12)

8.00 The Matrix ~~★★★★★~~ Spectacular sci-fi action thriller about a computer hacker drawn into alternative worlds and mind control. Keanu Reeves, Carrie-Anne Moss (1999, 15)

10.25 Watchmen ★★★★★ Ambitious, stylish fantasy thriller. Billy Crudup, Jackie Earle Haley, Patrick Wilson (2009, 18)

1.15am As 1.55pm **3.15** Fantastic Beasts Special **3.45 Mighty Morphin Power Rangers: the Movie** ★★ Adventure. Karan Ashley (1995, PG) **5.30** Fantastic Beasts Special

Thriller

Sky 309 Virgin 439 BT 509 **HD** Virgin 409

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Disney

Sky 305 Virgin 435 BT 503 HD Virgin 405
6.00am As 2.40pm **7.40** As 4.20pm **9.30 Prom** ★★ Comedy. Aimee Teegarden, Thomas McDonnell (2011, U)
11.20 As 6.10pm **1.10pm** As 9.50pm
2.40 Hercules ★★ Musical. Tate Donovan, Danny DeVito, James Woods (1997, U)
4.20 Zootropolis ★★ Comedy. Ginnifer Goodwin, Jason Bateman (2016, PG)

6.10pm Moana ★★★★★

Captivating musical adventure with a gung-ho Polynesian heroine. Auli'i Cravalho, Dwayne Johnson (2016, PG)

8.00 The Great Muppet Caper ★★ Cameo-packed musical comedy. Diana Rigg, Charles Grodin (1981, U)

9.50 Blinky Bill ★★ Delightful animated retelling of the legend. Brian Bedford, Phil Harris (1973, U)

11.25 Pete's Dragon ★★ Fantasy. Helen Reddy, Jim Dale (1977, U)

1.25am Freaky Friday ★★ Comedy. Jodie Foster interview, p16. (1976, U) **3.15 101 Dalmatians II: Patch's London Adventure** ★★ (2003, U) **4.40 Lilo & Stitch 2: Stitch Has a Glitch** ★★ (2005, U)

Drama

Sky 310 Virgin 440 BT 511 HD Virgin 410

6.10am Maggie's Plan ★★ Romantic comedy. Greta Gerwig (2016, 15)
8.00 The Seven Year Itch ★★ Comedy. Marilyn Monroe, Tom Ewell (1955, PG)
9.50 Our Brand Is Crisis ★★ Comedy drama. Sandra Bullock (2015, 15)
11.45 Away ★★ Drama. Juno Temple, Timothy Spall (2016, 15) **1.45pm** As 8pm

4.00pm The 33 ★★ Disaster drama. Antonio Banderas, Juliette Binoche (2014, 12)

6.20 My Big Fat Greek Wedding 2 ★★ Big-hearted romantic comedy sequel. Nia Vardalos (2016, 12)

8.00 The Zookeeper's Wife ★★ Dignified true story. Jessica Chastain, Johan Heldenbergh, Daniel Brühl (2017, 12)

10.15 Fifty Shades Darker - Unmasked Edition ★★ Extended version of the erotic sequel. Dakota Johnson, Jamie Dornan (2017, 18)

12.30am Demolition ★★ Romantic drama. Jake Gyllenhaal, Naomi Watts (2015, 15) **2.15 Boulevard** ★★ Drama. Robin Williams, Kathy Baker (2014, 15)
3.50 Zorba the Greek ★★ Drama. Anthony Quinn, Alan Bates (1964, PG)

Select

Sky 312 Virgin 442 BT 510 HD Virgin 412

7.10am Evolution ★★ Horror. Max Brebant (2015, 15) **8.40 Goat** ★★ Drama. Ben Schnetzer (2016, 15) **10.30 Battle for Sevastopol** ★★ Drama. Yulia Peresild (2015, 15) **12.35pm Queen of Earth** ★★ Thriller. Elisabeth Moss (2015, 15) **2.10 The Beguiled** ★★ Western. Clint Eastwood, (1970, 15)

4.00pm Frantz ★★ François Ozon's engrossing romantic drama. Pierre Niney, Paula Beer (2016, 12)

6.00 White Men Can't Jump ★★ Fast-paced comedy drama. Wesley Snipes, Woody Harrison (1992, 15)

8.00 8 Mile ★★ Compelling drama. Eminem, Kim Basinger (2002, 15)

10.00 The Birth of a Nation ★★ Harrowing portrayal of a 19th-century slave rebellion. Nate Parker, Armie Hammer, Jackie Earle Haley (2016, 15)

12.10am Lemon ★★ Comedy drama. Brett Gelman (2017) **1.45 Born on the Fourth of July** ★★ Biographical drama. Tom Cruise (1989, 18) **4.15 Exit** ★★ Romantic drama. Chen Shiang-chyi (2014, PG)

Family

Sky 306 Virgin 436 BT 505 HD Virgin 406
6.25am Fantastic Beasts Special
6.55 The Dragon Spell ★★ Comedy adventure. (2016, U) **8.25** As 3.10pm **10.15** As 5pm **11.45** As 11.35pm **1.40pm** As 6.30pm **3.10 Jumanji** ★★ Fantasy. (1995, PG)
5.00 Blinky Bill the Movie ★★ Adventure. Ryan Kwanten (2015, U)

6.30pm The Secret Life of Pets ★★ Madcap animated caper. Louis CK, Eric Stonestreet (2016, U)

8.00 The Huntsman: Winter's War ★★ Spin-off from the Snow White story. Chris Hemsworth (2016, 12)

10.00 Top Cat Begins ★ Prequel to *Top Cat: the Movie*. Jason Harris (2016, U)

11.35 Lemony Snicket's A Series of Unfortunate Events ★★ Visually inspired fantasy comedy adventure. Jim Carrey (2004, PG)

1.35am Underdog ★★ Action comedy adventure. Jason Lee, Peter Dinklage, James Belushi (2007, U) **3.10 The Huntsman: Winter's War** As 8pm
5.15 The Dragon Spell As 6.55am

Sci-Fi/Horror

Sky 311 Virgin 441 BT 507 HD Virgin 411

6.00am The Frighteners ★★ Supernatural comedy thriller. Michael J Fox (1996, 15) **8.00** As 4.30pm **10.00** As 6.30pm **12.30pm** As 9pm
2.30 As 11pm **4.30 The Purge: Election Year** ★★ Third episode of the dystopian thriller series. Frank Grillo, Elizabeth Mitchell, Mykelti Williamson (2016, 15)

6.30pm Transformers ★★ Michael Bay's spectacular sci-fi blockbuster. Shia LaBeouf, Megan Fox (2007, 12)

9.00 Life ★★ The cast makes the best of a script that owes much to *Alien* in this haunting sci-fi thriller. Jake Gyllenhaal, Rebecca Ferguson (2017, 15)

11.00 The Girl with All the Gifts ★★ Children could be the cure for global infection in this chilling dystopian tale. Gemma Arterton, Glenn Close, Sennia Nanua (2016, 15)

1.00am Saw II ★★ Horror. Tobin Bell, Donnie Wahlberg (2005, 18) **2.40 The Sixth Sense** ★★ Supernatural drama. Bruce Willis, Haley Joel Osment (1999, 15)
4.30 Godzilla ★★ Monster horror. Matthew Broderick, Jean Reno (1997, PG)

TCM

Sky 317 Virgin 415 BT 512 HD Virgin 416

6.00am Hollywood's Best Film Directors **6.35 Rawhide** **8.50 A Big Hand for a Little Lady** ★★ Western. (1966, U) **10.45 The Ballad of Cable Hogue** ★★ Western. (1970, PG) **1.05pm Went the Day Well?** ★★ Drama. (1942, PG) **3.00 Fighter Attack** ★★ Drama. (1953, U)

4.35pm Rider on a Dead Horse ★★ Western. John Vivyan, Bruce Gordon, Kevin Hagen, Lisa Lu, Charles Lampkin (1962)

6.05 Empire of the Sun ★★ Steven Spielberg's compelling Second World War drama. Christian Bale, John Malkovich, Miranda Richardson (1987, PG)

9.00 Soldier ★ Sci-fi action thriller. Kurt Russell, Jason Scott Lee (1998, 18)

11.00 Wolf Creek ★★ Accomplished but shockingly raw Aussie horror. John Jarratt (2005, 18)

1.00am Conspiracy Theory with Jesse Ventura **3.00 Hollywood's Best Film Directors**

TCM +1 Sky 318 Virgin 417

SPORT Choices



Twenty20 Cricket 8.30am
BT Sport 2 Brendon McCullum has a bash for Brisbane Heat

Sky Main Event

Sky 401 Virgin 511 BT 402 HD Virgin 501 BT 437

6.00am Good Morning Sports Fans
10.00 Premier League Daily **11.00** Sky Sports Daily
12 noon Sky Sports News
7.00pm Sky Sports Tonight
7.30 LIVE League Cup Football Coverage of a first-leg match from the semi-finals.
10.00 The Debate: discussion on the latest Premier League issues
11.00-6.00am Sky Sports News

Sky Football

Sky 403 Virgin 513 HD Virgin 503

6.00am Football League Greatest Games **6.30** SPFL Greatest Games
7.00 Football Years **7.30** Football Countdowns **8.00** League Cup Football
8.30 Football's Greatest Teams (AD) **9.00** Spanish Football **10.00** League Cup Football: action from the opening semi-final first-leg match
12.30pm Spanish Football **1.30** La Liga Icons **2.00** Spanish Football **3.00** League Cup Football **3.30** Football's Greatest Teams (AD) **4.00** Scottish Cup Greatest Games **4.30** La Liga Greatest Games **5.00** Football Years: the 1991/2 season **5.30** League Cup Football: the opening semi-final first-leg match
6.00 Spanish Football **7.00** League Cup Football: action from the opening semi-final first-leg match, as the teams involved looked to enhance their chances of reaching the Wembley final
7.30 LIVE League Cup Football Coverage of a first-leg match from the semi-finals.
10.00 Spanish Football
11.00 La Liga Icons: player profiles
12 midnight League Cup Football: highlights from tonight's semi-final first-leg match **1.00am** One2Eleven
1.30 SPFL Greatest Games **2.00** League Cup Football **3.00** Football Years **3.30** Football Countdowns **4.00** Football League Greatest Games **4.30** SPFL Greatest Games **5.00** Football's Greatest Players (AD) **5.30-6.00am** Football's Greatest Teams (AD)

Sky Golf

Sky 405 Virgin 515 HD Virgin 505

6.00am Wonderful World of Golf (AD) **8.00** PGA Tour Classic: the 2000 and 2005 Hawaii Open tournaments **10.00** US Tour Golf
1.00pm PGA Tour Classic **3.00** US Tour Golf: past Hawaii Open tournaments
6.00 Best of Open Zone **7.00** Inside the PGA Tour **7.30** Best of Shot Zone **8.00** US Tour Golf: past Hawaii Open tournaments **10.00** Inside the PGA Tour: the US golf scene **10.30** Best of Shot Zone **11.00** US Tour Golf: last year's Hawaii Open
12 midnight Inside the PGA Tour **12.30am** Best of Shot Zone **1.00** Rory McIlroy: a decade on Tour **1.30** Inside the PGA Tour **2.00** Wonderful World of Golf (AD) **3.30** PGA Tour Profiles **4.00-6.00am** PGA Tour Classic

Sky Premier League

Sky 402 Virgin 512 HD Virgin 502

6.00am Greatest Games **7.00** Legends
8.00 The Debate **9.00** Legends **10.00** Premier League Daily **11.00** The Debate
12 noon Legends **12.30pm** Greatest Games **1.00** 100 Club **2.00** Best Goals **3.00** Premier League Years (AD) **5.00** The Debate **6.00** Best Goals **7.00** Premier League World **7.30** Best Goals
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Sky Cricket

Sky 404 Virgin 514 HD Virgin 504

6.00am Cricket's Greatest (AD) **7.00** Masterclass **8.50** Oval: 100 Not Out **9.00** Test Cricket **10.00** Ashes Debate **11.00** International One-Day Cricket
12 noon Test Cricket **1.00pm** Ashes Debate **2.00** International One-Day Cricket **3.00** Greatest Games **4.00** Test Cricket **5.00** International One-Day Cricket
6.00 Best of Sky Cricket **6.30** The Cricket Report **7.00** Ashes Memories **8.00** Cricket Commentators on Tour (AD) **9.00** Ashes Memories **10.00** The Cricket Report **10.30** Michael Holding: Whispering Death **11.30** Greatest Games
12 midnight The Cricket Report **12.30am** Cricket's Greatest (AD) **1.00** Greatest Games **2.00** Cricket's Greatest (AD) **3.00** Masterclass **5.00-6.00am** Cricket's Greatest (AD)

Sky Action

Sky 407 Virgin 517 HD Virgin 507

6.00am NFL **10.00** Racing News **10.30** Super League Gold (AD) **2.45pm** Rugby League **3.00** Super League Gold (AD) **4.00** Super League Super Tries **4.30** Fishing **5.30** Super League Super Tries
6.30 Sports Unlimited **7.30** The Offload: rugby union magazine **8.00** Watersports **9.00** Motorsport Mundial **9.30** French Rugby Union **10.00** Fishing **11.00** Sports Unlimited
12 midnight Watersports **1.00am** Motorsport Mundial **1.30** French Rugby Union **2.00** Fishing **3.00** Sports Unlimited **4.00** Watersports **5.00** Motorsport Mundial **5.30-6.00am** French Rugby Union

Sky Arena

Sky 408 Virgin 518 HD Virgin 508

6.00am Sporting Records **7.00** Wrestling **8.00** Sporting Records **9.00** Adventure Racing **9.30** Glencoe Skyline Race **10.00** Sporting Greats (AD) **11.00** Sporting Records **12 noon** Great Sporting Moments **1.00pm** Sporting Triumphs **2.00** Sporting Records **3.00** Great Sporting Moments **3.30** Sporting Triumphs **4.30** Sporting Records **5.00** Wrestling **7.00** Tennis **10.00** Wrestling
12 midnight More than a Game **2.00am** Tennis **4.00** Sporting Greats **5.00-6.00am** Sporting Records

Eurosport 1

Sky 410 Virgin 523 BT 412 HD Virgin 521 BT 435

6.00am Tennis: Australian Open
10.00 LIVE Tennis ATP Sydney.
12 noon Alpine Skiing
1.00pm LIVE Biathlon In Germany.
3.00 Alpine Skiing **4.00** Ski Jumping **5.00** Biathlon **6.00** Tennis: Australian Open **7.30** Tennis **9.30** News
9.35 Olympics: Confessions **9.40** Winter Olympics: Ones to Watch
9.45 Lindsey Vonn: Chasing History **9.55** News **10.00** Dakar Rally **10.30** Rallying **10.45** Tennis: Australian Open **12.15am** Rallying
12.30 Dakar Rally **1.00** Biathlon **2.00-6.00am LIVE Tennis** ATP Sydney International quarter-finals.

BT Sport 1

Sky 413 Virgin 531 BT 408 HD Virgin 527 BT 430

7.00am Goals Reload **7.15** Italian Football
7.45 LIVE Tennis The WTA Sydney International.
10.00 Fishing **11.00** Darts **1.00pm** Champions League Classics **2.30** Cricket: the Ashes **5.30** Twenty20 Cricket **6.30** BT Sport Reload
6.45 LIVE Darts The BDO World Championships, day five.
12 midnight Non-League Football
1.00am The Football Archives
1.30 Goals Reload
2.00-6.00am LIVE Tennis The WTA Sydney International. Live play continues until 8am.

BT Sport 2

Sky 414 Virgin 532 BT 409 HD Virgin 528 BT 431

6.00am Rugby Union
8.30 LIVE Twenty20 Cricket Brisbane Heat v Hobart Hurricanes.
12 noon Women's Football **1.00pm** FA Cup **5.00** Reload **5.30** Tennis **7.30** Premier League **8.00** Rugby Union **9.00** There's No Place Like Home (AD) **10.15** UFC **11.15** NBA
1.00-6.00am LIVE NBA Minnesota Timberwolves against Oklahoma City Thunder (tip-off 1.00);
3.30 Golden State Warriors v Los Angeles Clippers (tip-off 3.30).

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Sky 417 Virgin 533 BT 410 HD Virgin 529 BT 432

7.00am Fishing
8.00 LIVE Tennis The WTA Hobart International.
10.00 Italian Football **10.30** Non-League Football **11.00** French Football **12.30pm** Italian Football **1.00** German Football **3.00** NBA **4.30** Non-League Football **5.00** Australian Football
8.00 LIVE French Football A League Cup quarter-final.
10.00 Twenty20 Cricket **11.00** Premier League World **11.30** FA Cup **12 midnight** Italian Football
1.00-7.00am LIVE Tennis The WTA Hobart International.

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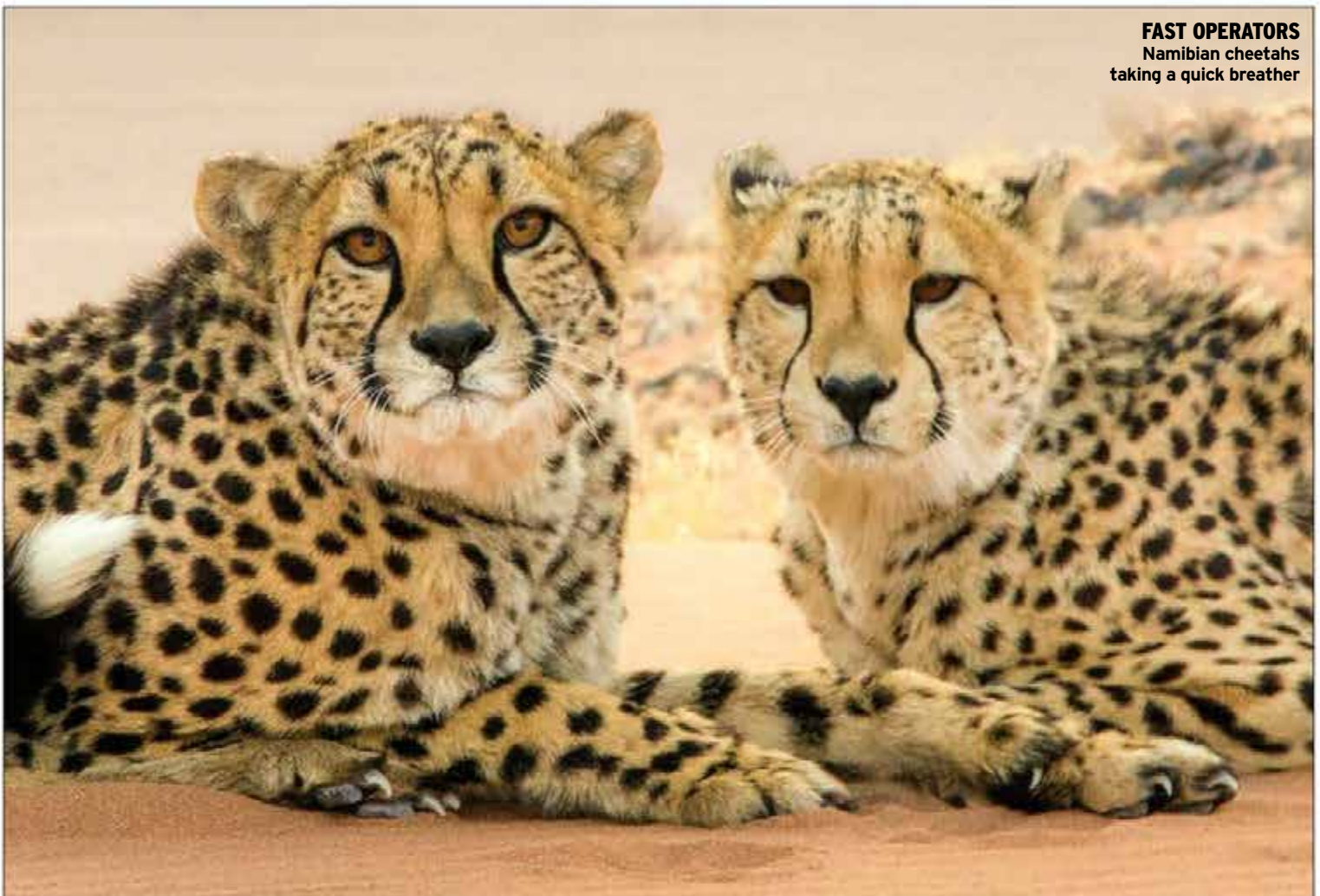
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6.00am Pardon the Interruption
6.30 LIVE Australian Football Wellington Phoenix v Melbourne Victory (kick-off 6.35), A-League;
8.45 Western Sydney Wanderers v Adelaide United (kick-off 8.50).
11.00 Major League Baseball **11.30** American Football **12.30pm** NBA
1.00 ESPN FC **1.30** Around the Horn **2.00** American Football **5.30** NBA **6.00** Major League Baseball **6.30** ESPN FC **7.00** Basketball **10.30** NBA **11.00** American Football
12 midnight LIVE Basketball A double bill of NCAA games.
4.00 Reload **4.30** American Football **5.30-6.00am** Major League Baseball

Eurosport 2

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6.30am Alpine Skiing **7.15** Rallying **7.30** Dakar Rally **8.00** Ski Jumping **9.00** Biathlon **11.00** Alpine Skiing **12 noon** Formula E **12.30pm** Dakar Rally
1.00 LIVE Tennis Action from the ATP Sydney International.
2.30 Tennis
4.30 LIVE Tennis ATP Sydney.
6.00 Snooker **8.00** Biathlon **9.00** Alpine Skiing **10.00** Snooker **12 midnight** Dakar Rally **12.30am** News **12.40** Biathlon **1.00** Watts **1.30** Dakar Rally **2.00** Alpine Skiing **3.00** Biathlon **4.30** Watts **5.15-6.15am** Alpine Skiing



FAST OPERATORS
Namibian cheetahs
taking a quick breather

PICK OF THE DAY **Big Cats** 8.00pm **BBC1** (Wales: Sun 14 Jan)

NATURE **New series** Just to be clear, some of them aren't big at all. Some of them, such as the Sri Lankan rusty spotted cat, are like nervy kittens and could fit in the palm of your hand. But still, the stars of this feline three-parter are the leopards, lions and cheetahs.

And boy, they're gorgeous, and handsomely filmed by the Natural History Unit, though I have a slight grumble that the programme seems squeamish about showing us a full hunt complete with kill. When it does show a puma

taking a penguin (yes, it's an odd one), Bertie Carvel apologises on the voiceover that it "may seem ruthless, even callous..." No, not really – they're carnivores, not cuddly toys.

But there are lovely details – the twitch of a mother leopard's tail as she stalks her prey, a male lion swatting a troublesome cub away, and the lonesome mating call of a snow leopard in the Himalayas.

DAVID BUTCHER

EastEnders

7.30pm **BBC1**

SOAP Tamzin Outhwaite's original stint on *EastEnders* became one of those classic eras for the soap that all fans remember. Mel walking out on Ian on Millennium Eve just hours after she married him, that fizzing chemistry with Steve Owen (who went on to die in an exploding car), getting chained to a radiator by Dan Sullivan – ah, heady, halcyon days.

So it's no wonder that show boss John Yorke wants to channel some of that early 2000s energy by reintroducing Mel to life in Albert Square. No doubt she'll soon be crossing paths with both Phil (who's owed £30,000 – plus interest) and the aforementioned Mr Beale...

DAVID BROWN

See page 24; *Soapland*: page 67

George Clarke's Amazing Spaces

8.00pm **C4**

PROPERTY How many superlatives can you squeeze into one TV programme? A lot if you're George Clarke, who enthuses wildly over a Tokyo home that he describes as like being inside a Cubist painting.

In comparison, he's concerned the renovation of a dilapidated narrow boat won't be plain sailing because its owner is so laid-back, and he's also worried that turning a cattle trailer into a luxury camper van might be a challenge too far. They both end up looking fantastic, of course. We also see a spectacular conversion of a Martello tower in Suffolk. No wonder every other word Clarke utters is some version of "amazing".

JANE RACKHAM

Wartime Crime

8.00pm **Yesterday**

HISTORY In 1944, during the German occupation of the city, police in Paris made a grisly discovery of multiple body parts in the basement of a building belonging to Dr Marcel Petiot. Pretending to be part of a Resistance cell that would get anyone keen to escape occupied France over the border, Petiot would invite potential victims – Jews and criminals alike – to his house, where he'd inject them with cyanide, then burn or dump their bodies.

This doc paints a vivid, disturbing portrait of a monster. Petiot's patients loved his charming manner and he even helped liberate Paris, but his childhood cruelties and conscience-free killings mark him out as a psychopath. **GILL CRAWFORD**

Death in Paradise

9.00pm **BBC1**

DRAMA Jack (Ardal O'Hanlon) is waiting on his wing-woman Florence (Joséphine Jobert), who is laid up with a sprained ankle. That means cartoonish constable Dwayne (Danny John-Jules) steps in to take her place. At one stage he agrees to a favour for the commissioner – addressing a lecture club full of nurses on the life of a detective. In a development Benny Hill might have considered hokey, the gathering isn't all he'd hoped for...

It's the light relief in a plot that slow-plays the case of a top poker player killed at the table. Jack groans, "We're dealing with a group of suspects who literally make a living out of being unreadable."

DAVID BUTCHER

TV CV ZOE TELFORD

■ Telford appears in tonight's **Death in Paradise** (9pm BBC1) as a player at a Saint Marie poker tournament. ■ She recently starred in *Genius* as chemist Clara Haber, and in *Unforgotten* as Bella Cross. She is best known for playing special

adviser Claire Sutton in 2013's *Yes, Prime Minister* revival, Michelle Paradise in *Love and Marriage*, and Anna Klein in *Criminal Justice*. ■ She was journalist Marianne Swift in *Thick of It*, and Dr Sarah Sawyer in the first series of *Sherlock*.



A House through Time

9.00pm **BBC2** (Scotland: 11.15pm)

DOCUMENTARY This is a fascinating and novel exercise in unearthing some very valuable nuggets of British social history. In the second episode centred on the history of everyone who has ever lived at 62 Falkner Street in Liverpool, David Olusoga finds the story of a woman attempting to overturn Victorian social mores.

She wanted to divorce her husband (for adultery and domestic abuse), an extraordinarily difficult thing to do back then, and something that could be heard only at the forbidding Central Criminal Court in London.

We also learn that wealthy residents of the Georgian terraced house were not protected from contagious disease and the boom and bust years of business. **ALISON GRAHAM**

Hunted

9.00pm **C4**

REALITY This series really toys with your mind. Mostly it can make you paranoid about state surveillance techniques – try watching it on a laptop and not wondering if anyone is watching you via the webcam – but at other times, the numerous near misses where fugitives evade the technologically assisted professional “hunters” simply by running away make you wonder how much the tension is manufactured. How hard can it be to catch someone who’s accompanied by a camera crew?

This week highlights how the hunters may not be that sharp, when one breaks into someone’s house with a warning to his colleague, “Watch out for that turtle thing there.” It’s a tortoise. **DAVID CRAWFORD**

The Tunnel: Vengeance

9.00pm, 10.00pm **Sky Atlantic**

DRAMA Just as DCI Karl Roebuck starts to pull together the threads of the Pied Piper mystery, a load more begin to unravel. In this concluding double bill he’s worked out where the missing Saban is, but his colleague Elise Wassermann has vanished. When he eventually gets enough clues to discover where she is, he’s forced to make an impossible decision.

There’s a shockingly warped climax to the Pied Piper’s revenge, as well as some emotional scenes between stars Stephen Dillane and Clémence Poésy. You’ll be in tatters when the credits roll. **JR**

Derry Girls

10.00pm **C4**

SITCOM Derry girls Erin, Orla, Clare and Michelle may be the focus of Channel 4’s newest comedy but their wee Northern Irish mummies are the stars of tonight’s second episode. Tara Lynne O’Neill shines as Erin’s ma, Mary, who gloriously leads her daughter up the garden path when she asks if she might have a trust fund to pay for a school trip to Paris.

Meanwhile, the delightfully ditzily aunt Sarah (Kathy Kiera Clarke) embarks on a quest for TV fame with the incredibly dry Uncle Colm (Kevin McAleer). **SARAH DORAN**

DISCOVER TV PICK

Today’s best of BBC3, iPlayer, Netflix and beyond



This World: Frat Boys

iPlayer (expires today)

Surely American college fraternities can’t be as bad as movies make out? Oh yes they can: this documentary, first shown in 2016, visits Florida to uncover stories of dangerous initiation rituals and a drinking culture that allows sexual assaults to occur.

CHILDREN’S CHOICE

Blue Peter

5.30pm **CBBC**

There’s a big announcement ahead of *Blue Peter*’s 60th birthday. And Radzi and Sport Badge holder Chloe go behind the scenes at Sports Personality of the Year.

Millie Inbetween

5.00pm **CBBC** Cousin Leo moves into Craig’s old room.

BEST LIVE SPORT



■ **US Tour Golf: Hawaii Open, round one 12 midnight Sky Golf/Main Event** Justin Thomas was the winner in Honolulu last year.

■ **European Tour Golf: South African Open, round one 8am, 12 noon Sky Golf/Main Event**

■ **Big Bash Cricket: Sydney Thunder v Perth Scorchers 8.30am BT Sport 2**

■ **Biathlon 1pm Eurosport 1**

FILM OF THE DAY

GoodFellas

11.25pm **ITV4**

Robert De Niro, Ray Liotta and Joe Pesci all shine in Martin Scorsese’s eye-catching mob drama. **See page 38**

BEING ME

Follow Lucas (formerly Lauren, inset) and his mum Karen during his transition



Transformation Street

9.00pm **ITV**

DOCUMENTARY New series

Lucas is a patient at a London clinic where cameras are following sex-change patients over the course of a year. Hearing Lucas and his mother Karen discuss his transition from female to male, we get a sense of the emotional landscape they have crossed.

Lucas can’t wait to have his breasts surgically removed: “I don’t fit in my body. I’m not a girl... Having breasts for me is like being stuck behind prison bars,” he explains, joshing his mum that, “She baked me wrong in the oven.”

For Karen, the transition process is hard: “It’s like a grieving process for Lauren [Lucas’s birth name] and then I have to think, ‘Oh, I’ve got a new son!’”

It’s a programme full of strong case studies and arresting human stories. But be warned: to watch the surgical scenes you need to be made of stern stuff.

DAVID BUTCHER

THURSDAY Main Channels

DAYTIME

BBC1

6.00am Breakfast Naga Munchetty, Charlie Stayt. (S) (HD)
9.15 Rip-Off Britain: Holidays Exposing a surprise exclusion from many travel insurance policies. (S) (HD)
10.00 Homes under the Hammer Properties in Kent, Warwickshire and Tredegar, Blaenau Gwent. (S) (AD) (HD)
11.00 Wanted Down Under A nurse weighs up a move from Glasgow to the Sunshine Coast. (S) (HD)
11.45 Close Calls: on Camera The story of a worker whose truck toppled and rolled on top of him. (S) (HD)
12.15pm Bargain Hunt Two teams search for profitable collectables in Oswestry. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)
1.00 BBC News Regional News; Weather (S) (HD)
1.45 Doctors A meeting with AI leads Emma and Jimmi to share their experiences of living alone. (S) (HD)
2.15 Father Brown 9/10 Series 6. The locals are unhappy when a brash American opens a golf club near Kembleford – only for a body to turn up. (S) (HD)
3.00 I Escaped to the Country A retired couple who have settled into their new Somerset home. (S) (HD)
3.45 The Farmers' Country Showdown Series 2 Shire-horse owners compete at the Edenbridge and Oxted Agricultural Show. Rptd tomorrow 6.30am BBC2 (S) (HD)
4.30–5.15 Antiques Road Trip Charles Hanson and Anita Manning travel through the Lake District. Repeated tomorrow 7.15am BBC2 (S) (HD)

BBC2

6.00am Flog It! Trade Secrets A look at items that sparkle when they catch the light. (R) (S) (HD)
6.30 The Farmers' Country Showdown Shown yesterday 3.45pm BBC1 (S) (HD)
7.15 Antiques Road Trip Shown yesterday 4.30pm BBC1 (S) (HD)
8.00–9.00 Sign Zone MasterChef: the Professionals Challenges include making a filled pasta dish. (R) (S) (AD)
9.00 Victoria Derbyshire Current affairs. (S) (HD)
11.00 BBC Newsroom Live (S) (HD)
12 noon Daily Politics News and debate. (S) (HD)
1.00pm Coast Mark Horton investigates the perilous state of some seaside piers in East Anglia. (R) (S)
1.15 Brazil with Michael Palin Michael encounters a rich diversity of people in southern Brazil. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)
2.15 Himalaya with Michael Palin The traveller joins a family of nomads heading to a horse festival. (R) (S)
3.15 The Great British Winter Ellie Harrison's tour of the nation's winter landscapes brings her to Morecambe Bay, the UK's largest estuarine habitat. (R) (S) (HD)
4.15–5.15 Great Barrier Reef with David Attenborough The veteran naturalist explores the shark-infested waters of Osprey Reef. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

ITV

6.00am Good Morning Britain (S) (HD)
8.30 Lorraine With Lorraine Kelly and guests. (S) (HD)
9.25 The Jeremy Kyle Show Family feuds. (S) (HD)
10.30 This Morning Hosted by Phillip Schofield and Holly Willoughby. Including **Regional Weather** (S) (HD)
12.30pm Loose Women The ladies put the world to rights once more with a celebrity guest. (S) (HD)
1.30 ITV Lunchtime News Regional News; Weather (S)
2.00 Judge Rinder Real-life court cases. (S) (HD)
3.00 Dickinson's Real Deal A bowl that's thought to be Royal Worcester, some Pelham puppets and an amethyst pendant. (S) (HD) Followed by **Regional Weather**
4.00–5.00 Tipping Point With Ben Shephard. (S) (HD)

Channel 4

6.20am 3rd Rock from the Sun Double bill. (R) (S) (AD)
7.10 Everybody Loves Raymond Triple bill. (R) (S)
8.30 Frasier Three episodes of the US sitcom. (R) (S)
10.05 Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA The chef visits New Jersey's Spanish Pavilion. (R) (S)
11.00 Sun, Sea and Selling Houses Southport estate agent Gill and her friend Sue look round properties in Alicante. (R) (S) (HD) **12 noon News** (S) (HD)
12.05–5.00pm LIVE Darts The BDO Lakeside World Professional Darts Championships continues with matches in the second round of the men's tournament and the quarter-finals of the women's competition. There's also a look at the future of darts with the final of the Youth World Championship. (S) (HD)

BBC1

Death in Paradise

9.00pm
 Wayne is called on to help Jack flush out the killer of a poker champion



5.15pm Pointless

Quiz show presented by Alexander Armstrong. (S) (HD)

6.00 BBC News Weather

6.30 Regional news magazines

7.00 The One Show

With Matt Baker and Michelle Ackerley. (S) (HD)

7.30 EastEnders

RT Mel Owen makes her return to Walford. The Ahmed family is thrown into turmoil. **See p96.**

Mel Owen	Tamzin Outhwaite	Patrick Trueman	Rudolph Walker
Masood Ahmed	Nitin Ganatra	Keanu Taylor	Danny Walters
Mariam Ahmed	Indira Joshi	Max Branning	Jake Wood
Arshad Ahmed	Madhav Sharma	Ian Beale	Adam Woodyatt
Keegan Baker	Zack Morris	Carmel Kazemi	Bonnie Langford
Bernadette Taylor	Clair Norris	Derek Harkinson	Ian Lavender
Denise Fox	Diane Parish	Jack Branning	Scott Maslen
Ben Mitchell	Harry Reid	Phil Mitchell	Steve McFadden
Johnny Carter	Ted Reilly	Ricky Mitchell	Henri Charles
Michelle Fowler	Jenna Russell	Lily Fowler	Aine Garvey
Harry "Woody" Woodward	Lee Ryan	Janet Mitchell	Grace
Tiffany Butcher	Maisie Smith	Chatham Taylor	Alfie Jacobs
Karen Taylor	Lorraine Stanley	Riley Taylor	Tom Jacobs
Joyce Murray	Maggie Steed	Amy Mitchell	Abbie Knowles
Kathy Beale	Gillian Taylor	Dennis Rickman	Bleu Landau
Ted Murray	Christopher Timothy	Will Mitchell	Freddie Phillips
Stacey Fowler	Lacey Turner		

Writer Rob Gittins This week's episodes directed by John Dower
 More cast Monday Satellite and cable viewers can watch a repeat at 11pm on W (S) (AD) (HD)

Followed by **News Update** (S) (HD)

8.00 Big Cats

RT **New series. 1/3.** Following ultimate cat species from around the world, from the lions of

Tanzania – the only cat species to live in groups – to the tiny rusty spotted cat of Sri Lanka, 200 times smaller than a lion but just as curious. The film also peers into the secret lives of the Canada lynx, which lives farther north than any cat, and follows an African leopard, which for a decade has worn a radio collar that allows scientists to follow every twist and turn of its existence. **See page 96.**

Producer Nick Easton; Series producer Gavin Boyland (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Death in Paradise

RT **2/8 Series 7.** DI Mooney and the team enter the world of poker when a finalist is poisoned during the Caribbean Poker Masters tournament – and the only suspects are all sitting round the table. But when one blink of an eye can reveal a player's hand, how did the killer commit murder? **See p96.**

DI Jack Mooney	Ardal O'Hanlon	Adelaide Scott	Charlotte Beaumont
Officer Dwayne Myers	Danny John-Jules	Les Doyle	Mark Benton
DS Florence Cassell	Josephine Jobert	Eugene Sutton	Nigel Planer
Officer JP Hooper	Tobi Bakare	Melanie Devaux	Zoe Telford
Catherine Bordey	Elizabeth Bourguin	Bobby Rodriguez	Nigel Whitmey
Ray Campbell	Theo Barklem-Biggs	Comm Selwyn Patterson	Don Warrington

Writer Jake Riddell; Producer Sue Howells
 Director Stewart Svavaasand (S) (AD) (HD)

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10.00 BBC News Regional News; Weather

10.45 Question Time

David Dimbleby chairs the discussion from Islington, with a panel of politicians and other guests facing questions from the audience. The debate continues in **Question Time Extra Time** on Radio 5 Live.

Editor Hilary O'Neill; Executive producer Nicolai Gentchev (S) (HD)
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11.45 This Week

Andrew Neil, Michael Portillo and guests look back at the past seven days' political developments.

Editor Penny Davies; Executive editors Will Boden and Samir Shah
 Repeated tomorrow 10.15pm BBC Parliament (S) (HD)

12.30am Weather for the Week Ahead

12.35–6.00am BBC News

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BBC2

A House through Time

9.00pm
 David Olusoga explores a period of change for the Liverpool home



5.15pm Flog It!

Charles Hanson and Catherine Southon view treasures in Morecambe, including a vintage Rolex. (R) (S) (HD)

6.00 Eggheads

Jeremy Vine hosts the weeknight quiz. (S) (HD)

6.30 Great British Railway Journeys

9/15 Series 9. Michael Portillo travels from Taunton to Newton Abbot. Along the way he joins in with a fertility dance in Stogumber, visits a celebrated garden at Hestercombe to discover the fruits of an unusual partnership, and enjoys a trip aboard the longest heritage line in England. (S) (AD) (HD)

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7.00 Rick Stein's Road to Mexico

3/7. The chef heads across one of the busiest border crossings in the world – San Diego to Tijuana – for the start of his Mexican adventures. He follows the Pacific coast down to Ensenada and samples flour tortilla burritos and fresh fish marinated and cooked on Poptota Beach. Rick also visits the Valle de Guadalupe – Mexico's best-kept secret for fabulous wines.

Director Ben Southwell; Producer Arezoo Farahzad (R) (S) (AD) (HD)
RT DVDs To order **Rick Stein's Road to Mexico**, price £16.99 incl p&p (RRP £19.99), call 0844 8487300 or visit radiotimes.com/dvds02 quoting RT1585

8.00 The Hairy Bikers' Mediterranean Adventure

2/6. Si King and Dave Myers explore the culinary heritage of Sardinia, starting out in Cagliari, where everyone is in high spirits for the feast of St Eufisio. The duo join in by making a local speciality, almond and orange cakes. They meet the tuna fishermen of Carloforte and a chef who has his own special way of serving the fish. Meanwhile, a group of shepherds show the bikers how to make sheep's black pudding, and they are served a stew by the "King of Sardinia".

Executive Producer Gill Tierney; Series producers Francois Gandolfi and Richard Sharman (S) (AD) (HD)

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9.00 A House through Time

RT **2/4.** David Olusoga continues the story of Britain from the Victorian era to the 21st century, through the prism of one terraced house in Liverpool. Between the 1850s and 90s, the home's inhabitants are living through one of the fastest periods of change the world has ever seen. David uncovers the story of a woman widowed in a cholera epidemic who turns the domicile from a single dwelling into a boarding house. He follows the trail of an immigrant from Denmark struggling to stay afloat in a global financial crisis. And he recounts the lives of the Robinsons, for whom the house is the backdrop to a family drama involving violence, infidelity and a tangle with the divorce courts. **See page 97.**

Series producer Mary Crisp; Exec producer Maxine Watson (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 Live at the Apollo

Ed Byrne introduces stand-up sets from Angela Barnes and Geoff Norcott at the Hammersmith Apollo. (S) (HD)

10.30 Newsnight

With Emily Maitlis. (S) (HD)

11.10 Weather

11.15 Michael Palin: a Life on Screen

The actor looks back on his career, from appearing in *Monty Python's Flying Circus* to travelling around the world. **See choice, p57.** Shown Sunday 9pm (S) (AD) (HD)

12.15–2.20am Sign Zone 12.15 Labour: the Summer That Changed Everything

David Modell follows Labour MPs through six months in the life of their party. (R) (S)

1.15 Imagine... Rachel Whiteread: Ghosts in the Room

A profile of the sculptor who became the first woman to win the Turner Prize back in 1993. (R) (S)

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ITV

Transformation

Street 9.00pm
Lucas can rely on his mother Karen's support as he awaits surgery



5.00pm The Chase

Laura, June, Alex and Todd take part. (S) (HD)

6.00 Regional News Weather (S)

6.30 ITV Evening News Weather (S)

7.00 Emmerdale

Robert and Victoria hatch a plan. More at 8pm.

Victoria Barton	Isabel Hodgins	Priya Kotecha	Fiona Wade
Harriet Finch	Katherine Dow Blyton	Rishi Sharma	Bhasker Patel
Cain Dingle	Jeff Hordley	Ross Barton	Michael Parr
Moira Dingle	Natalie J Robb	Sam Dingle	James Hooton
Jai Sharma	Christopher Bisson	PC Swirling	Andy Moore
Laurel Thomas	Charlotte Bellamy	Samson Dingle	Sam Hall
Tom Waterhouse	Ned Porteous	Sarah Sugden	Katie Hill
Zak Dingle	Steve Halliwell	Noah Dingle	Jack Downham
Lisa Dingle	Jane Cox	Sasha	Amy Du Quesne
Lydia Hart	Karen Bilk	Estate agent	Augustina Seymour
Paddy Kirk	Dominic Brunt	Police officer	Geoffrey Newland
Pete Barton	Anthony Quinlan		

Writer Chris Gill More cast Tuesday
Repeated tomorrow 7.45am and 12.10pm ITV2 (S) (AD) (HD)

7.30 Divorce Wars: Tonight

In the peak month for relationship breakdowns in Britain, Julie Etchingham asks why many in the legal profession now believe our divorce laws are in need of urgent reform.

Director/Producer Diani Vyas Repeated 3am (S) (HD)

NOTE: as *Tonight* reacts to the news its subject matter may change

8.00 Emmerdale

Harriet watches as Cain and Moira bond.

Writer Jo Summerscales
Repeated tomorrow 8.20am and 12.45pm ITV2 (S) (AD) (HD)

8.30 The Cruise: Return to the Mediterranean

New series. 1/6 Series 3. As 4,000 passengers board the liner *Royal Princess* in Athens, cruise first-timer Maureen from Norfolk is hoping to find love on the ocean waves. With the ship heading for Marseille, reports of strong winds mean that the staff must come up with ways to avoid leaving travellers feeling disappointed.

Series producer Mark Jones
Executive producers Alicia Kerr and Paul Hamann (S) (HD)

9.00 Transformation Street

RT New series. 1/3. Following the experiences of people undergoing gender reassignment.

Cameras observe Lucas and his mother as he starts to transition from female to male and has surgery to have his breasts removed. Elsewhere, railway worker Wendy is counting down the days until her gender confirmation surgery. **See p97.**

Directors Carly Aston and Clare Bradbury
Series producer Sally Benton (S) (HD)

10.00 ITV News at Ten

Weather; Regional News and Weather (S)

10.45 Great Art

2/5. The Impressionists and the Man Who Made Them. Tim Marlow explores what made the works of Monet, Cézanne, Degas, Renoir and their contemporaries so enduringly popular. He also reveals how one French collector's support for the artists nearly drove him to bankruptcy, but was to ultimately ensure their huge success.

Director Phil Grabsky (S) (AD) (HD)

11.45 Joanna Lumley's Postcards

Trans-Siberian Adventure. An encounter with a mighty manifestation of Genghis Khan.

Producer Verity Maidlow; Exec producer Clive Tulloh (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

12.10am Jackpot247 Interactive gaming.

3.00 Divorce Wars: Tonight Shown 7.30pm (HD)

3.25 Nightscreen Text information. (HD)

5.05-6.00am The Jeremy Kyle Show Feuding folk air their dirty linen in public. (R) (S) (SL) (HD)

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Channel 4

Derry Girls

10.00pm James, Michelle and Erin each have a reason to be excited by a school trip to Paris



5.00pm Come Dine with Me

In Hertfordshire, there's a Thai menu and chicken cooked by a vegetarian. (R) (S) (HD)

6.00 The Simpsons

The Mook, the Chef, the Wife and Her Homer Homer becomes head of the local Mafia. (R) (S) (AD)

6.30 Hollyoaks

Scott spots Maggie and Brody hugging.

Writer Kevin Rundle Cast Tue/Fri Shown yesterday 7pm E4 Rptd tomorrow 6.30am E4 Next episode follows on E4 (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 Channel 4 News Sport; Weather (S) (HD)

8.00 George Clarke's Amazing Spaces

RT New series. 1/8 Series 7. The architect is joined by craftsman Will Hardie to traverse the UK visiting ingenious and eccentric builds created by pioneering designers. They begin with a trip to a canal boat conversion in Dudley and a cattle trailer in Yorkshire which is being turned into a luxury holiday camper. They also hatch a plan to build a nostalgic toy treehouse. In Japan, meanwhile, George visits a dynamic, multi-coloured open-plan space. **See page 96.**

Series producer Christian Kehoe; Executive producers Will Daws and Stuart Cabb Repeated tomorrow 7pm 4seven (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Hunted

RT 2/6 Series 3. Former Scotland Yard detective Chief Peter Bleksley and his team of hunters have already apprehended one of the fugitives and tracked Bob and Alex Ayling to a remote church in Cheshire. Number one target, former police firearms officer, Jamie Clark gives away his whereabouts when he withdraws money from an ATM in Ramsbottom and city girls Sandra and Mella have to rethink their strategy when they reach Scotland. **See p97.**

Executive producers Tim Whitwell, Matt Bennett and Jonathan Smith Repeated tomorrow 1.10am 4seven (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 Derry Girls

RT 2/6. Erin, Clare, James, Orla and Michelle are all extremely excited when Sister Michael announces the school trip to Paris, until they find out it costs £375 each. **See page 97.**

Clare	Nicola Coughlan	Da Gerry	Tommy Tiernan
Orla	Louisa Harland	Granda Joe	Ian McElhinney
Erin	Saoirse-Monica Jackson	Jenny Joyce	Leah O'Rourke
James	Dylan Llewellyn	Miss Mooney	Claire Rafferty
Michelle	Jamie-Lee O'Donnell	Charlene Kavanagh	
Sister Michael	Siobhan McSweeney		Sophie Robertson
Ma Mary	Tara Lynne O'Neill	Fionnula	Tracey Lynch
Aunt Sarah	Kathy Kiera Clarke	Uncle Colm	Kevin McAleer

Writer Lisa McGee; Director Michael Lennox
Producer Catherine Gosling Fuller (S) (AD) (HD)

10.35 The Undateables

1/4 Series 8. Bookseller Sam, who has Asperger's, finds the gay scene a little intimidating.

See choice, page 66. Shown Monday 9pm (S) (AD) (HD)

11.35 Working Class White Men

1/2. Being Somebody. Professor Green follows the struggles of three very different young men.

See choice, page 77. Shown Tuesday 10pm (S) (AD) (HD)

12.35am The Secret Life of the Zoo Ep 8 Series 4

There's a power struggle among the chimpanzees at Chester Zoo. Shown Tuesday 8pm (S) (AD) (HD)

1.30 Food Unwrapped Diet Special Ideas for beating the post-Christmas bloat. Shown last Thursday (S) (AD) (HD)

2.30 How to Retire at 40 People who have found ingenious or unusual ways to retire early. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

3.00 Grand Designs Australia An environmentally friendly home planned for the Victoria countryside. (R) (S)

3.55 Coast vs Country On the Isle of Wight. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

4.50 Location, Location, Location Derby. (R) (S) (SL) (HD)

5.45-6.15am Extreme Cake Makers Nastassja makes a salted caramel cake with waffle pieces. (R) (S) (HD)

+1 F'view 13 F'sat 121 Sky 135 Virgin 142 HD F'view 104 F'sat 126 Sky 227 Virgin 141

BBC4

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Bloody Queens:

Elizabeth and Mary 8.00pm
The story of the Virgin Queen and her rival



7.00pm Beyond 100 Days (S) (HD)

Followed by **Weather (S) (HD)**

7.30 Great Continental Railway Journeys

In Copenhagen, Michael Portillo braves one of the world's oldest rollercoasters before crossing the bridge linking Denmark to Sweden. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Bloody Queens: Elizabeth and Mary

The explosive relationship between Elizabeth I and Mary, Queen of Scots – who never actually met – is explored in this drama documentary, using reconstructions and expert opinion to bring letters between the two to life.

Elizabeth I
Mary, Queen of Scots
Thomas Randolph
Lord Burghley
Sir James Melville
Lord Robert Dudley
Anthony Babington

Helen Bradbury
Beth Cooke
Adam Burton
Michael Jenn
Jamie Laird
Simon Cotton
Nicholas Agnew

Director/Producer Renny Bartlett
Repeated 12.40am (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 England's Forgotten Queen: the Life and Death of Lady Jane Grey

3/3. Historian Helen Castor discovers that in her nine days on the throne, Jane established a legacy that would later inspire Elizabeth I, opening the door for a woman to rule England in her own right.

For cast see Tuesday Rptd 1.40am (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 Fit to Rule: How Royal Illness Changed History

3/3. Happy Families: Hanoverians to Windsors. Lucy Worsley traces the medical histories and fraught family dynamics of Queen Victoria and her descendants. She begins with the death of heir presumptive Princess Charlotte while giving birth to a stillborn child in 1817, wiping out the monarchy's next two generations, but paving the way for Princess Victoria to ascend the throne. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 Lost Land of the Volcano 1/3. With the help of trackers from a remote tribe, a team of scientists and film-makers search for the weird and wonderful wildlife that call the tropical island of New Guinea home.

Series producer Steve Greenwood; Executive producer Tim Martin (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

12.40am Bloody Queens: Elizabeth and Mary

The letters between Mary Queen of Scots and Elizabeth I. Shown 8pm (S) (AD) (HD)

1.40 England's Forgotten Queen: the Life and Death of Lady Jane Grey 3/3. How Jane's nine-day reign ended. Shown 9pm (S) (AD) (HD)

2.40-3.40am Peaky Blinders

5/6 Series 4. Tommy becomes immersed in a bloody battle with Luca Changretta and his gang. First shown on BBC2 (S) (AD) (HD)

Freeview 9 Freesat 110 Sky 116 Virgin 107

HD Freeview 106 Freesat 107 Virgin 163

Regional variations

BBC2 SCOTLAND

7.00pm Boots: Pharmacists under Pressure? An Inside Out Special: Marie Ashby reports
7.30-8.00 Timeline: reports and analysis from across Scotland
9.00-10.00 The Family Doctors: new series. Behind the scenes of a busy GP practice
11.15-12.15am A House through Time: historian David Olusoga continues the story of Britain from the Victorian era to the 21st century through the prism of one terraced house in Liverpool

STV

10.00pm ITV News at Ten; STV Weather
10.30 Scotland Tonight; ITV Weather
11.05 Great Art
12.10am Home Shopping **1.10** After Midnight **2.40** Divorce Wars: Tonight
3.05 Nightscreen
5.05-6.00 The Jeremy Kyle Show

BORDER SCOTLAND

10.45pm Representing Border **11.10** Great Art **12.10-3.00am** Nightscreen

BBC1 WALES

8.00-9.00pm The Miners Who Made Us: a celebration of the history of coal mining in Wales

BBC2 WALES

3.15-4.15pm The Great British Winter: Ellie Harrison looks at the nation's forests

BBC1 NORTHERN IRELAND

10.40pm The View **11.15** Question Time **12.15am** This Week **1.00-6.00** BBC News

UTV

12.10am Shopping **1.40-3.00** Nightscreen

RT Choice
Family viewing
Red button coverage
(R) Repeat
(S) Subtitles
(SL) Signing
(AD) Audio description
(HD) High definition
(W) Film in widescreen
(BW) Black and white

Films Premiere
Star Ratings
★★★★ Outstanding
★★★★ Very good
★★★ Worth watching
★★ Could be worse
★ Poor

Channel 5 listings are overleaf plus 30 more Freeview channels

THURSDAY Freeview

Television Thursday

Channel 5 5



Big Family Values: More Kids than Cash 8.00pm The Grogan clan

Freeview 5 Freesat 105 Sky 105 Virgin 105
HD Freeview 105 Freesat 105 Virgin 150
6.00am Milkshake! See page 103
9.15 New. The Wright Stuff (HD)
11.15 GPs: behind Closed Doors The victim of a road traffic accident arrives. (S) (AD) (HD) **12.10pm 5 News** (S) (HD)
12.15 The Hotel Inspector Alex Polizzi visits the Oakland, a struggling hotel and nightclub in Essex. (S) (HD) **1.10 New. Access** (S) (HD)
1.15 Home and Away Shown yesterday 6.30pm 5 Star Repeated 6pm Channel 5 (S) (AD) (HD)
1.45 New. Neighbours Rptd 5.30pm (S) (AD) (HD)
2.15 NCIS 6/24 Series 7. Gibbs's mentor is linked to a double murder. (S) (AD) (HD)
3.15 Dear Diary, I Died ★★ Thriller starring Whitney Rose Pynn. A woman discovers her sister's suicide was staged. Director Ben Demaree (2016) (S) (W) (HD)

5.00pm 5 News (S) (HD)
5.30 Neighbours
 Leo is put in an awkward position. Shown 1.45pm Repeated 6pm 5 Star (S) (AD) (HD)
6.00 Home and Away
 Ash drives Mick deep into the Bush. Shown 1.15pm Next episode 6.30pm 5 Star (S) (AD) (HD)
6.30 5 News Tonight (S) (HD)
7.00 Baby Ballroom
2/8. Three-time British champions Mia and Andrei demonstrate the steely ambition that has made them one of the best junior partnerships in the UK. Director/Producer Ben Roe First shown on 5 Star (S) (AD) (HD) Followed by **5 News Update** (S) (HD)
8.00 New. Big Family Values: More Kids than Cash
3/4. More large families spreading the love and counting the pennies. Including a family of ten from Essex getting by on one income, and a single mum of seven who combines home-schooling with two jobs. Executive producer Mark Dolan (S) (HD) Followed by **5 News Update** (S) (HD)
9.00 New. Celebrity Big Brother
 Highlights of another day, revealing which of the residents is playing up for the benefit of the cameras. Repeated tomorrow 1pm 5 Star (S) (HD)
10.00 New. Celebrity 100 Per Cent Hotter
2/4 Series 2. Trend experts Dan, Karen and Melissa give makeovers to Charlotte Dawson, star of *Ex on the Beach*, and Irish pop duo Jedward. Executive producer Simon Andrae Series editor Rachel Viner (S) (HD)
11.05 New. Celebrity Big Brother's Bit on the Side
 Presented by Ryan Clark-Neal. (S) (HD)
12 midnight New. SuperCasino (HD) **3.10am** GPs: behind Closed Doors (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** Now That's Funny! (S) (SL) (HD) **4.45** House Doctor (S) (SL) **5.10** Wildlife SOS (S) (SL) **5.35-6.00am** Nick's Quest (S) (SL)

+1 Freeview 44 Freesat 128 Sky 177 Virgin 155
 My5 Freeview 54 Freesat 133 Sky 175 Virgin 152

BBC4 listings are overleaf

ITV2 6



Release the Hounds 9.00pm Matt Edmondson hosts a *Love Island* special

F'view 6 F'sat 113 Sky 118 Virgin 115 **HD** Virgin 176
6.00am Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records (S) (HD) **6.55** Dress to Impress (S) (HD)
7.45 Emmerdale (S) (AD) (HD) **8.20** Coronation Street (S) (AD) (HD) **9.25** The Ellen DeGeneres Show (S) (HD) **10.10** Who's Doing the Dishes? (S) (HD) **11.10** Dress to Impress (S) (HD)
12.10pm Emmerdale Shown yesterday 7pm ITV (S) (AD) (HD) **12.45** Coronation Street Shown yesterday 7.30/8.30pm (S) (AD) (HD) **1.45** **New.** The Ellen DeGeneres Show (S) (HD)
2.35 The Jeremy Kyle Show (S) (HD) **5.50** Take Me Out: with Paddy McGuinness (S) (HD)
7.00pm You've Been Framed! Gold
 Featuring cute kids and crazy animals. (S)
8.00 New. Two and a Half Men
8/22 Series 11. Walden finds himself in danger. First shown on Comedy Central (S) (HD)
8.30 New. Superstore
8/11 Series 1. Glenn uses the store's wedding day sale to show his support for same-sex marriage. (S) (AD) (HD)
9.00 New series. Release the Hounds
1/5 Series 4. *Love Island* stars Chloë Crowhurst, Marcel Somerville and Gabby Allen brave the vicious dogs to win the money. Hosted by Matt Edmondson. (S) (HD)
10.00 Celebrity Juice
2/14 Series 14. With guests Jimmy Carr, Hayley Tamaddon, Kelly Brook and Louis Walsh. Keith Lemon presents. (S) (HD)
10.50 Family Guy
Series 2. Lois's aunt dies, leaving the Griffins her Rhode Island mansion. (S) (AD) (HD)
11.20 Series 1. Peter loses his job at the toy factory. First-ever episode. (S) (AD) (HD)
11.45 American Dad!
Series 8. Stan saves enough money to join a golf club. (S) (AD) (HD)
12.15am Crossover episode with *Family Guy* and *The Cleveland Show*. (S) (AD) (HD)
12.40 Two and a Half Men (S) (HD) **1.10** Superstore (S) (AD) (HD) **1.35-2.30am** Ibiza Weekender: Imogen plays favourites (S) (HD)
ITV2+1 Freeview 27 Freesat 114 Sky 179 Virgin 116

Dave 12

F'view 12 F'sat 157 Sky 111 Virgin 127 **HD** Virgin 194 BT 387
7.10am Scrapheap Challenge **8.10** American Pickers (S) (HD) **9.00** Storage Hunters (S) **10.00** American Pickers (S) (HD)
1.00pm Best of Top Gear (S) (AD) **2.00** Top Gear (S) (AD) **3.00** Deadly 60 **4.00** Ice Road Truckers (S) **5.00** Best of Top Gear (S) (AD)
6.00pm Top Gear The trio attempt a Channel crossing in amphibious cars. Jools Holland is the Star in a Reasonably Priced Car. (S) (AD)
7.00 Cops UK: Bodycam Squad The work of the Staffordshire police force. (S) (HD)
8.00 QI XL With guest panellists Jo Brand, David Mitchell and Phil Jupitus. (S) (HD)
9.00 Live at the Apollo With Rob Brydon, Sarah Millican and Jason Byrne. (S) (HD)
10.00 Taskmaster 3/8 Series 4. The show's resident comedians don camouflage to hide from Greg Davies. (S) (HD)
11.00 QI Bill Bailey, Rich Hall and Jeremy Hardy join Stephen Fry and Alan Davies. (S)
11.40 With Jeremy Hardy and Dave Gorman. (S)
12.20am Mock the Week (S) **1.00** QI **2.20** Mock the Week (S) **3.00-4.00am** Live at the Apollo: featuring Chris Addison and Tim Vine (S) (HD)
Dave Ja Vu Freeview 79 Sky 214 Virgin 211

ITV3 10



Agatha Christie's Marple 8.00pm The sleuth uncovers dark secrets

F'view 10 F'sat 115 Sky 119 Virgin 117 **HD** Virgin 177
6.00am Classic Coronation Street (S) **6.55** Heartbeat (S) (AD) **7.55** The Royal (S) **9.00** Judge Judy: triple bill (S) (HD) **10.25** The Darling Buds of May: double bill (S) (HD)
12.35pm The Royal (S) **1.40** Heartbeat (S) (AD) **2.40** Classic Coronation Street: double bill. Sally tells Kevin they need to have a place of their own, then Sally gathers bits of furniture together from friends and neighbours (S) **3.50** On the Buses (S) **4.55** Rising Damp (S) **5.25** George & Mildred (S)
6.00pm Heartbeat
 Mason's personal feelings compromise his professional judgement when a local woman is murdered. Dawn bites off more than she can chew with her hot-dog business. (S) (AD)
7.00 Murder, She Wrote
 The murder of a gambling lothario leads to the exposure of secret lives in Cabot Cove. Guest-starring George Chakiris. (S) (AD) (HD)
8.00 Agatha Christie's Marple Greenshaw's Folly. Miss Marple helps an old friend to find refuge at country pile Greenshaw's Folly, but a sinister shadow soon begins to fall over the strange old building's various inhabitants. Miss Marple uncovers dark, deadly secrets from the past, but a dangerous storm is brewing as the threat of another murder starts to gather momentum. (S) (AD) (HD)
 Miss Marple Julia McKenzie
 Miss Katherine Greenshaw Fiona Shaw
 Alfred Pollock Martin Compton
 Grace Ritchie Joanna David
 Fr Brophy Robert Glenister
10.00 Foyle's War
4/4 Series 3. Funk Hole. As Foyle and his team search for a missing boy, their investigation leads them to a hotel – and the discovery of the youngster's body in the nearby woods suggests one of the residents could be responsible. (S) (AD)
12.15am Inspector Morse: an academic disappears. Barry Foster guest-stars (S) (HD)
2.10-2.30am Nightscreen (HD)
 +1 F'view 34 (6pm-midnight) F'sat 116 Sky 180 Virgin 174

ITV4 24

F'view 24 F'sat 117 Sky 120 Virgin 118 **HD** Virgin 178
6.00am The Chase (S) (HD) **6.50** Pawn Stars (S) (HD) **7.35** Ironside (S) **8.35** Quincy (S) (HD) **9.40** Minder (S) (AD) **10.45** The Sweeney (S) **11.50** The Professionals (S) (SL) (AD)
12.50pm Ironside (S) **1.55** Quincy (S) (HD) **2.55** Minder (S) (AD) **4.00** The Sweeney (S) **5.05** The Professionals (S) (AD)
6.05pm The Car Chasers A 1965 Malibu, a 1951 Ford Shoobox and a 1953 Mercury. (S) (AD)
7.05 Pawn Stars Uniforms that belonged to a Cold War-era general. (S) (HD)
7.30 A painting by Muhammad Ali. (S) (HD)
8.00 The Chase: Celebrity Special Dr Christian Jessen, Helen Lederer, Stephen Hendry and JB Gill compete. (S) (HD)
9.00 FILM From Russia with Love ★★ Spy adventure starring Sean Connery. James Bond is sent to Istanbul to help a beautiful Russian diplomat. (S) (AD) (W) (HD)
11.25 FILM GoodFellas ★★ Crime drama starring Robert De Niro, Ray Liotta and Joe Pesci. **Film of the Day: p38.** (S) (AD) (W) (HD)
2.20am Tommy Cooper (S) (SL) (AD)
2.45-3.00am Nightscreen (HD)
ITV4 +1 Freesat 154 Sky 193 Virgin 175

Drama 20



The White Queen 9.00pm King Edward meets Elizabeth Woodville

Freeview 20 Freesat 158 Sky 158 Virgin 128
7.10am The Bill (S) **8.00** London's Burning **9.00** Casualty **10.00** Bergerac **11.00** The Bill **12 noon** The Duchess of Duke Street **1.00pm** Last of the Summer Wine (S) (AD) **1.40** Steptoe and Son (BW) (S) **2.20** Birds of a Feather **3.00** London's Burning **4.00** New Tricks (S) (AD) **5.00** The Duchess of Duke Street
6.00pm One Foot in the Grave
 Victor and Margaret try to look after their god-daughter's tortoise. (S)
6.40 Last of the Summer Wine
 Compo bets Foggy that he will succeed in getting Nora Batty to kiss him. (S) (AD)
7.20 Goodnight Sweetheart
 Realising life in the 1990s does not hold much for him, Gary decides he would be better off returning to 1941 for good. (S)
8.00 A Place to Call Home
1/13 Series 1. Romantic drama set during the 1950s. A woman is torn between enduring the harsh legacy of the Second World War and the hope of a new life in her native Australia. (S)
9.00 The White Queen
1/10. Lavish dramatisation of Philippa Gregory's novel. After he meets beautiful widow Elizabeth Woodville, young King Edward IV is torn between love and loyalty. With a country ravaged by war and a court divided by jealousy, should he pursue a woman many consider a witch?
10.20 New Tricks
8/10 Series 12. Lottery Curse. When a skeleton is identified as a lottery winner who went missing 17 years previously, suspicion falls on other members of the successful syndicate. (S) (AD)
11.20 Birds of a Feather
 After Dorien's husband goes missing, she is later seen digging a suspiciously man-shaped hole in the garden.
12 midnight The Bill (S) **1.00am** Bergerac **2.15** Crocodile Shoes **3.10** A Fine Romance **3.30-4.00am** Garden Hopping

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F'view 26 F'sat 118 Sky 149 (31 STV) Virgin 119 **HD** Virgin 179
9.00am Be Beautiful (S) (AD) (HD) **9.10** The Only Way Is Essex (S) (AD) **10.00** Flipping Out (HD) **11.00** The Real Housewives of Atlanta (S)
12 noon Buying and Selling (HD) **1.00pm** Dinner Date (S) (HD) **2.00** Chrisley Knows Best (HD) **3.00** The Real Housewives of New Jersey (S) (HD) **4.00** The Real Housewives of Beverly Hills (S) (HD)
6.00pm Dinner Date Lucy from Surrey picks three dates from five menus. (S) (HD)
7.00 Buying and Selling Jonathan and Drew Scott help homeowners take their next step on the property ladder. (HD)
8.00 Dinner Date Jess from Essex samples the cooking of three eligible men. (S) (AD) (HD)
9.00 Vanderpump Rules The cast members reunite and look back. (HD)
10.00 Atlanta Plastic Dr Baron meets a woman whose weight loss has left her with sagging skin on her upper arms. (HD)
11.00 Bridezillas Willaura teeters on the brink when her make-believe prestige is exposed. Adrienne attempts to take control. (HD)
12 midnight-12.55am Mob Wives (HD)
ITVBe +1 Freesat 119 Sky 206 Virgin 120

E4 28



2 Broke Girls 9.00pm Caroline goes on a date and leaves Max on her own

F'view 28 F'sat 122 Sky 136 Virgin 106 **HD** Virgin 145

6.00am Hollyoaks Shown Tue/Wed 6.30pm C4 (S) (AD) (HD) **7.00** Coach Trip: Road to Tenerife Shown yesterday 7.30pm (S) (AD) (HD) **7.30** Streetmate (S) (HD) **8.00** Charmed (S) **9.00** Melissa & Joey (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** Baby Daddy (S) (HD) **11.00** Brooklyn Nine-Nine (S) (AD) (HD) **12 noon** The Goldbergs (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00pm** The Big Bang Theory (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00** Melissa & Joey (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Baby Daddy (S) (HD) **4.00** Brooklyn Nine-Nine (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00** The Goldbergs (S) (AD) (HD)

6.00pm The Big Bang Theory 20/24 Series 9. On a cabin trip, Sheldon spills one of Leonard's secrets. (S) (AD) (HD) **6.30 21/24.** A planned Game of Thrones viewing party is ruined. (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 New. Hollyoaks
Scott explains to Damon what he saw. Cast p79/109 Rptd tomorrow 6.30pm C4 (S) (AD) (HD)

7.30 New. Coach Trip: Road to Tenerife
The tourists enjoy tripboarding on the beach. Repeated tomorrow 7am (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 The Big Bang Theory 21/24 Series 8. Penny contemplates returning to acting. (S) (AD) (HD) **8.30 1/24 Series 11.** Amy struggles to answer Sheldon's marriage proposal. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 New. 2 Broke Girls 15/22 Series 6. Caroline is excited about going on a date with Bobby. (S) (AD) (HD) **9.30 New. 16/22.** Caroline takes a burlesque class. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 The Inbetweeners 3/6 Series 1. Simon miraculously passes his driving test. (S) (AD)

10.30 4/6. Will pulls one of the school's most attractive and popular girls. (S) (AD)

11.05 The Big Bang Theory 16&17/24 Series 4. (S) (AD) (HD)

12.05am Gogglebox (S) (HD) **1.10** Rude Tube: Extreme Rides (S) (HD) **2.15 2 Broke Girls** (S) (AD) (HD) **3.05** Rude Tube (S) **3.30** Celebs Go Dating (S) (AD) (HD) **4.25** Rude(ish) Tube (S) **4.45-6.00am** Charmed (S)

E4 +1 Freewiew 29 Freesat 123 Sky 137 Virgin 146

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F'view 47 F'sat 127 Sky 140 Virgin 143 **HD** F'view 110

9.00am Four in a Bed (S) (HD) **9.30** Come Dine with Me: five episodes (S) (HD)

12 noon Coast vs Country (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00pm** A Place in the Sun: Winter Sun (S) (HD) **3.00** Sun, Sea and Selling Houses (S) (HD) **4.00** Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA (S)

6.00pm Location, Location, Location
Kirstie Allsopp and Phil Spencer embark on two property searches in Sussex. (S) (HD)

7.00 Kirstie and Phil's Love It or List It 2/8 Series 3. Kirstie and Phil help the Tuck family in Long Eaton, Derbyshire. Shown yesterday 8pm Channel 4 (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 The World's Wildest Weather
Unusual and dangerous weather. (S) (HD)

9.00 24 Hours in A&E Ep 2 Series 14
A woman who collapsed with a headache. See choice, p77. Shown Tue 9pm C4 (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 Ep 1. A patient arrives after falling face first in the street. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.05 999: What's Your Emergency?
Ep 1 Series 4. The focus tonight is on the rise in racially aggravated hate crimes. (S) (AD) (HD)

12.10am Kiri (S) (AD) (HD) **1.10** First Dates Hotel (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00** The Great Festive Bake Off (S) (AD) (HD) **3.10** Hunted (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00-5.00am** Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA (S)

More4 14



Walks with My Dog 9.00pm Dom Joly takes a seat on Hadrian's Wall

F'view 14 F'sat 124 Sky 138 Virgin 147 **HD** Virgin 195

8.55am Food Unwrapped (S) (HD) **9.30** A Place in the Sun: Home or Away (S) (HD) **10.30** Four in a Bed (S) (HD)

1.05pm Come Dine with Me (S) (HD) **3.50** A Place in the Sun: Home or Away (S) (HD) **5.55** The Secret Life of the Zoo (S) (AD) (HD)

6.55pm The Supervet
Noel Fitzpatrick fits Ira, a two-year-old labrador, with a bionic spine. (S) (HD)

7.55 Grand Designs
Revisiting a timber eco-house in the Kent countryside. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 New series. Walks with My Dog 1/6 Series 2. Caroline Quentin follows the Helford estuary in Cornwall, Dom Joly is on Hadrian's Wall and former Wales rugby captain Gareth Thomas explores the Brecon Beacons. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 The Yorkshire Dales and the Lakes 1/8. Cameras follow the residents of Bleak Bank Farm in the Dales. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.05 Eight out of Ten Cats Does Countdown
Lee Mack and Bob Mortimer take on Sean Lock and Victoria Coren Mitchell. (S) (HD)

12.05am Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA (S) **1.05** Walks with My Dog (S) (AD) (HD) **2.05** Grand Designs (S) (AD) (HD) **3.10-3.50am** Eight out of Ten Cats (S) (HD)

More4 +1 Freewiew 86 Freesat 125 Sky 139 Virgin 196

5 USA 21

Freewiew 21 Freesat 129 Sky 174 Virgin 153

9.00am Catch a Contractor **9.20** McBride: It's Murder, Madam (S) **11.10** The Mentalist (S) (AD) **12.05pm** Law & Order (S) **2.05** The Mentalist **3.00** Rookie Blue (S)

5.00pm Law & Order 19&20/24 Series 9 (S) **7.00** NCIS: New Orleans 16&17/24 Series 1 (S) (AD) **9.00 New series.** Chicago Justice 1/13 Series 1. Following the work of the State's Attorney's team of prosecutors and investigators, beginning with the aftermath of a horrific warehouse fire. First shown on Universal **10.00** Law & Order: Special Victims Unit 1&2/24 Series 11 **11.55** NCIS: New Orleans 12.50am Cedar Cove **2.50** Chicago Fire: a blackout brings chaos (S) **3.50-4.00am** Access

5 USA +1 F'view 56 (6pm-5am) F'sat 130 Sky 191 Virgin 185

5 Star 30

Freewiew 30 Freesat 131 Sky 176 Virgin 151

8.00am Access **8.05** My Wife and Kids (S) **8.25** Gilmore Girls (S) **9.15** Milkshake! **11.00** Access **11.05** According to Jim (S) **12 noon** Nightmare Tenants, Slum Landlords (S) **1.00pm** Celebrity Big Brother (S) **2.00** Police Interceptors: Drugs Bust (S) **3.00** Neighbours (S) (AD) **3.30** Home and Away (S) (AD) **4.00** The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air (S) **5.00** Will & Grace: double bill (S) **6.00pm** Neighbours Shown 5.30pm Channel 5 (S) (AD) **6.30 New.** Home and Away Repeated tomorrow 1.15pm Channel 5 (S) (AD) **7.00** The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air **8.00** Celebrity 100 Per Cent Hotter (S) **9.00 FILM** A Walk among the Tombstones ★★ Crime thriller (S) **11.20 FILM** Parker ★★★ Crime thriller (S) **1.45am** Empire (S) **2.40** Teen Wolf (S) **3.30** According to Jim (S) **3.55-4.00am** Access

5 Star +1 Freewiew 55 Freesat 132 Sky 190 Virgin 186

PBS America is listed overleaf. See p104 for Film4 and other Freeview movie channels

Yesterday 19

Freewiew 19 Freesat 159 Sky 537 Virgin 245

6.00am Coast (S) (AD) **7.10** Pointless **8.00** Time Team (S) **9.00** Coast (S) (AD) **10.00** Hunting Down the Nazis (AD) **11.00** The Golden Age of Steam Railways (S) (AD)

12 noon Time Team (S) **1.00pm** Human Universe (S) (AD) **2.00** Yellowstone (S) **3.00** Coast (S) (AD) **4.00** The Golden Age of Steam Railways (S) (AD) **5.00** The World's Wildest Weapons: jetpacks (S) (AD)

6.00pm Battleplan The importance of military fleets throughout the ages. (S) (AD) **7.00 Hunting Down the Nazis** The story of Nazi hunter Simon Wiesenthal. (AD)

8.00 **CHOICE New.** Wartime Crime A mass murderer in France. See page 96. (AD) **9.00 The Two Ronnies** Featuring an instalment of the serial Hampton Wick. (S)

10.00 Classic sketches and monologues. (S) **11.00 Men Behaving Badly** Gary and Dorothy take a weekend break. **11.40** Tony tries to make Deborah jealous. **12.20am** Gary makes a drunken proposal. (S) **12.20am** Men Behaving Badly (S) **1.00** Museum Secrets (S) **2.00-3.00am** Pointless

Yesterday +1 Sky 538 Virgin 246

Home 25

Freewiew 25 Freesat 166 Sky 196 Virgin 281 BT 314

7.05am Homes under the Hammer **8.00** Flog It! **9.00** Ground Force **10.00** Wanted Down Under **11.00** Cash in the Attic **12 noon** Escape to the Country **1.00pm** DIY SOS: The Big Build (AD) **2.00** Escape to the Country **3.00** Flog It! **4.00** Cash in the Attic **5.00** Homes under the Hammer **6.00** Ground Force **7.00** Wanted Down Under **8.00** Escape to the Country **10.00** My Dream Derelict Home (AD) **11.00** Ty Pennington's British Adventure (AD) **12 midnight** DIY SOS: The Big Build (AD) **1.00am** Homes under the Hammer **2.00** Wanted Down Under **2.50-4.00am** Flog It!

Home +1 Sky 244 Virgin 282

5 Spike 31

Freewiew 31 Freesat 141 Sky 160 Virgin 154

9.00am Access **9.10** Car Crash TV **9.40** Police Interceptors **11.45** Knight Rider **12.50pm** FILM El Paso ★★ Western **2.55** FILM The Man from Colorado ★★★ Psychological western **5.00** Knight Rider **6.00pm** Police Interceptors **8.00** 999 Emergency: Winter Road Rescue: winter kicks off with Storm Angus **9.00** Storm Surge: Winter Road Rescue: a red alert is issued for a huge tidal surge **10.00** Fights, Camera, Action! **11.00** The X-Files 11/25 Series 2. Mulder and Scully investigate an attack on a nurse in an old people's home **12 midnight 12/25** A cop shows a psychic connection to a killer **1.00am** Nightmare Tenants, Slum Landlords: a home is occupied by squatters **2.00-3.00am** Helix

5 Spike +1 Sky 219

True Entertainment 61

Freewiew 61 (not Wales) Freesat 142 Sky 182 Virgin 189

6.00am The Waltons **7.00** Little House on the Prairie **8.00** The Waltons **10.00** Little House on the Prairie **1.00pm** FILM A Walton Wedding ★★ **3.00** FILM Daughter of the Bride ★★ **5.00** Murder, She Wrote **8.00pm** Touched by an Angel **7.00** M*A*S*H **8.00** The Man from Uncle **9.00** Taggart **1.10-3.00am** FILM Million Dollar Murder ★★

True Entertainment +1 Freesat 152 Sky 183

Horror Channel 70

Freewiew 70 Freesat 138 Sky 319 Virgin 149

8.00am Highlander **9.00** Star Trek: the Next Generation **10.00** Star Trek **11.00** FILM The Land That Time Forgot ★★ **12.50pm** Horror Highlights **1.00** FILM Mega Shark vs Crocosaurus ★ **2.50** Horror Highlights **3.00** Earth: Final Conflict **4.00** FILM Meteorites! ★ **5.50** Horror Highlights **6.00** Star Trek **7.00** Star Trek: the Next Generation **8.00** Lost in Space **9.00** FILM Final Girl ★★ Horror **10.45** FILM Virus ★★ Sci-fi horror **12.40am** FILM I Spit on Your Grave 2 ★ **2.35-4.30am** FILM Haunter ★★

Pick 11

Freewiew 11 Freesat 144 Sky 152 Virgin 123

6.00am Nothing to Declare **7.00** Border Patrol **8.00** Border Security: Canada's Front Line **9.00** Without a Trace **10.00** Babylon 5 **11.00** Stargate SG-1 **12 noon** as 4pm **1.00pm** A Town Called Eureka **2.00** Without a Trace **4.00** Nothing to Declare UK **5.00** Monkey Life (AD) **6.00** A Town Called Eureka **7.00** Stargate SG-1 **8.00** Babylon 5 **9.00** Murders that Shocked the Nation (AD) **10.00** Cambridge Rapist **11.00** Brit Cops: Rapid Response **12 midnight** The Force: Manchester (AD) **1.00am** Police 10/7 **2.00** Road Wars **3.00** Brit Cops: Rapid Response (AD) **4.00** Nothing to Declare (AD) **5.00-6.00am** Motorway Patrol (AD)

Pick +1 Freesat 145 Sky 164 (NI 283)

Really 17

Freewiew 17 Freesat 160 Sky 155 Virgin 129

6.00am Brainwashed **7.00** Shopping **8.00** Antiques Road Trip **9.00** A Place in the Sun: Winter Sun **10.00** DIY SOS **11.00** Ghost Adventures (AD) **12 noon** The Dead Files **1.00pm** Escape to the Country **2.00** A Place in the Sun: Winter Sun **3.00** Wanted Down Under **4.00** The Dead Files **5.00** Ghost Adventures (AD) **6.00** Antiques Road Trip **7.00** Escape to the Country **8.00** DIY SOS **9.00** Embarrassing Bodies **10.00** Hunting the Paedophiles Crime Agency **11.00** Murder Made Me Famous **12 midnight** Crime Stories **1.00am** I Survived Evil **2.00** Shopping **4.00** Murder Made Me Famous **4.50-6.00am** Crime Stories

Quest 37

Freewiew 37 Freesat 167 Sky 144 Virgin 172

6.00am Dream Fishing **6.20** Lake Escapes **7.10** Cruise Ships **8.00** Chasing Classic Cars **9.00** How It's Made **11.00** Railroad Australia **12 noon** Outback Truckers **1.00pm** Mega Shippers **2.00** Wheeler Dealers **3.00** Fantomworks (AD) **4.00** Planes That Changed the World **5.00** How Stuff's Made **6.00** Chasing Classic Cars **7.00** New. Airport Dubai **8.00** Salvage Hunters **9.00** New series. Goblin Works Garage **10.00** New. Motorcycle Mania **11.00** New. Deadliest Drivers **12 midnight** Wheeler Dealers **1.00am** Chasing Classic Cars **2.00** Fantomworks (AD) **3.00** Destroyed in Seconds **4.00** Outback Truckers **5.00-6.00am** Overhaulin'

Quest +1 F'view 83 (7pm-4am) F'sat 168 Sky 195 Virgin 173

Challenge 46

Freewiew 46 Freesat 146 Sky 145 Virgin 139

6.00am Golden Balls **7.00** Catchphrase (AD) **8.00** Bruce Forsyth's Play Your Cards Right **9.00** The Chase **10.00** Family Fortunes (AD) **11.00** Bruce's Price Is Right **12 noon** Wheel of Fortune **1.00pm** Catchphrase (AD) **2.00** Family Fortunes (AD) **3.00** The Chase **4.00** Takeshi's Castle **5.00** Ninja Warrior **6.00** Catchphrase (AD) **7.00** The Chase: quiz show hosted by Bradley Walsh **10.00** Who Wants to Be a Millionaire?: Chris Tarrant hosts the quiz **11.00** Bullseye **1.00am** The Chase **4.00** Bullseye **5.00-6.00am** Golden Balls

Challenge +1 Freesat 147 Sky 170 Virgin 180

CBS Action 39

Freewiew 39 Freesat 137 Sky 148 Virgin 192

9.00am JAG **10.00** The District **11.00** Diagnosis Murder **12 noon** Gunsmoke **1.00pm** Mission: Impossible **2.00** NCIS: LA **3.00** NCIS **4.00** CSI: Miami **5.00** NCIS: LA **6.00** NCIS **7.00** Diagnosis Murder **8.00** Walker, Texas Ranger **9.00** NCIS **10.00** NCIS: LA **11.00** Ultimate Force **12 midnight** The District **1.00am** NCIS **2.00** CSI: Miami **3.00** MacGyver **3.55** Walker, Texas Ranger **4.45-6.00am** Dr Quinn

CBS Action +1 Freewiew 64 (HD only)

CBS Drama 71

Freewiew 71 Freesat 134 Sky 147 Virgin 197

9.00am Gunsmoke **10.00** Touched by an Angel **11.00** Matlock **12 noon** Judge Judy **1.00pm** CSI: Miami **2.00** Medium **3.00** Matlock **4.00** Judge Judy **5.00** JAG **6.00** Medium **7.00** Touched by an Angel: Monica responds to a news advert looking for an angel **8.00** Judge Judy **10.00** CSI: Miami **11.00** Medium **12 midnight** Judge Judy **1.00am** CSI: Miami **2.00** Matlock **3.00** Touched by an Angel **4.00-5.00am** Gunsmoke

BBC Parliament 232

Freewiew 232 Freesat 201 Sky 504 Virgin 605

9.00am Wednesday in Parliament **9.30** House of Commons **10.30** Business Questions **11.15** House of Commons **5.30pm** House of Lords

11.00 Thursday in Parliament **11.30** Scottish First Minister's Questions: questions to First Minister Nicola Sturgeon in the Scottish Parliament

12.15am Daily Politics **1.15-9.00am** House of Lords

THURSDAY Satellite & cable

Television Thursday



Delicious 10.00pm Gina plots her revenge at the restaurant

Sky 1

Sky 106 Virgin 110 **HD** Virgin 109

6.00am Futurama (S) **7.00** Monkey Life (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** Meerkat Manor (S) **9.00** Road Wars (S) **10.00** Stargate Atlantis (S) (HD) **11.00** MacGyver (S) (HD) **12 noon** NCIS: Los Angeles (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Hawaii Five-0 (S) (HD) **3.00** NCIS: Los Angeles (S) (HD) **4.00** Stargate SG-1 (S) **5.00** The Simpsons (S) (HD)

6.00pm Futurama (S) (HD)

6.30 The Simpsons Homer becomes a masked vigilante.

7.00 Homer's first love.

7.30 The family escape from Alcatraz and head for France. (S) (HD)

8.00 Duck Quacks Don't Echo With Rob Brydon, Emma Bunton and Carol Vorderman. (S) (HD)

9.00 A League of Their Own With Ashley Cole, Noel Fielding and Aisling Bea. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 Delicious 2/4 Series 2 Gina sets out to give Sam a 40th birthday she will never forget. (HD)

11.00 The Force: North East Northumbria Police deal with a flood of 999 calls. (S) (HD)

12 midnight Ross Kemp: Extreme World (S) (HD) **1.00am** Hawaii Five-0 (S) (HD) **3.00** The Blacklist (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** Stop, Search, Seize (S) (HD) **5.00-6.00am** The Dog Whisperer (HD)

Sky 1 +1 Sky 130

Sky Arts

Sky 122 Virgin 122 **HD** Virgin 206

6.00am Beethoven, Brahms and Chopin (HD) **7.00** Rachmaninov: Rhapsody/The Two Pigeons (HD)

9.00 Tales of the Unexpected (S) (AD) **9.30** Hollywood: Singing and Dancing (S) (AD) **10.45** Monty Python's Personal Best (S) **12 noon** Too Young to Die (S) (AD) (HD)

1.00pm Discovering: Spencer Tracy (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00** Tales of the Unexpected (S) (AD) **2.30** Hollywood: Singing and Dancing (S) (AD) **3.45** Monty Python's Personal Best (S) **5.00** Too Young to Die (S) (AD) (HD)

6.00pm Discovering: James Mason The life and career of the Huddersfield-born actor. (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 Chaplin in Bali A film about Charlie Chaplin's trip to the island in 1932 and how it marked a turning point in his life. (S) (HD)

8.00 Gene Tierney: a Forgotten Star A tribute to the American actress. (S) (HD)

9.00 Chocolat ★★★★ Romantic comedy drama starring Juliette Binoche and Johnny Depp. The pious inhabitants of a French village are angered when Vianne Rocher arrives and opens a chocolate shop - during Lent. (S) (W) (HD)

11.15 Fabergé: a Life of Its Own Examining the history of the jewellery firm. (S) (HD)

12.45am Rock and Roll (S) (AD) (HD) **12.45** Tina Turner: Live in Rio (S) (HD) **2.15** Heimat (S) (HD) **5.00-6.00am** Auction (S) (HD)



The Tunnel: Vengeance 9.00pm Karl and Elise

Sky Atlantic

Sky 108

6.00am Fish Town (S) (HD) **7.00** The British (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** Richard E Grant's Hotel Secrets (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** The West Wing (S) (HD) **11.00** House (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00pm** Without a Trace (S) (HD) **2.00** Blue Bloods (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** The West Wing (S) (HD) **5.00** House (S) (HD)

7.00pm CSI: Crime Scene Investigation 9/24 Series 7 Probing the death of a wheelchair user who was pushed into the path of an oncoming car. (S) (HD)

8.00 Blue Bloods 8/22 Series 7 A woman becomes the prime suspect when her abusive former boyfriend is murdered. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 New. The Tunnel: Vengeance 5/6 Series 3. Karl makes a worrying discovery at Elise's apartment. (S) (HD)

10.00 New. 6/6. Karl and Elise face a tense showdown with the Pied Piper. English, French +subtitles. See page 96. (S) (HD)

11.00 Risky Drinking Documentary highlighting alcohol abuse in America through honest and intimate stories. (HD)

12.35am The Tunnel: Vengeance (S) (HD) **2.25** Dexter (HD) **3.25** Banshee (S) (AD) (HD) **4.20-6.00am** The West Wing (S) (HD)

2.00pm NCIS: four episodes

Sky Atlantic +1 Sky 217

Universal

Sky 113 Virgin 137 BT 320 **HD** Virgin 164 BT 385

6.00am CSI: Miami 7.00 Home Shopping 8.00 Law & Order

6.00pm NCIS 9/24 Series 4 McGee tries to help his sister, who believes she may have murdered someone, but is too traumatised to remember what happened.

7.00 10/24. Two FBI agents try to seize control of the team's investigation into the discovery of a perfectly preserved body hidden in a chimney at a marine base.

8.00 9/24 Series 9. Ziva and Gibbs lead the mission to rescue the captured Marine in Afghanistan and discover that her captor's siblings have bigger plans.

9.00 Law & Order: Special Victims Unit 18/22 Series 10 Stabler and Tutuola link an artist's death to a similar murder, but another detective is assigned to the case and does all he can to exclude them from the investigation.

10.00 11/23 Series 16. Benson investigates when a girl is invited to meet her celebrity crush, and is later found assaulted in an alley.

11.00 12/23. Amaro declines an invitation to his father's wedding, but he is forced to get involved in his dad's life after a fight breaks out at the ceremony.

12 midnight Law & Order: Special Victims Unit: two further episodes

2.00am Law & Order 3.00 Rookie Blue **4.00-6.00am** Numb3rs

5.00-6.00am Police 10/7 (S)

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5.00-6.00am Police 10/7 (S)

Universal +1 Sky 150 Virgin 138



Madam Secretary 10.00pm Elizabeth targets a cartel

Sky Living

Sky 107 Virgin 112 **HD** Virgin 111

6.00am 60-Minute Makeover **7.00** Obese: a Year to Save My Life USA (S) (HD) **8.00** Chicago Fire (S) (HD) **9.00** Criminal Minds (S) (HD) **10.00** Cold Case (S) (HD) **11.00** The Biggest Loser: Australia (HD) **12 noon** House Hunters International (HD) **1.00pm** To Catch a Smuggler: JFK Airport (S) (HD) **2.00** Nothing to Declare (S) **4.00** Chicago Fire (S) (HD) **5.00** CSI: Crime Scene Investigation (S) (HD)

6.00pm Criminal Minds (S) (HD)

7.00 New. The Chef's Line Cooking challenge. (HD)

7.30 The Real A&E A boy with a broken arm. (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Elementary 22/24 Series 3 Holmes hunts for a convict. (S) (HD)

9.00 Conviction 1/13. A skilled lawyer is blackmailed. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 New. Madam Secretary Series 4. Elizabeth works to extradite a cartel leader. (S) (HD)

11.00 Criminal Minds 4/22 Series 1 The team hunts a rapist. (S) (HD)

12 midnight CSI: Crime Scene Investigation (S) (HD) **1.00am** Cold Case (HD) **2.00** The Good Doctor (S) (HD) **3.00** Scandal (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** The Chef's Line (HD) **4.30** The Real A&E (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00-6.00am** The Best of Nothing to Declare (S)

Sky Living +1 Sky 129 Virgin 140

Sky 2

Sky 163 (NI 164) Virgin 121

6.00am Real A&E (S) **7.00** Police 10/7 (S) **8.00** Highway Patrol (S) **9.00** Biggest Loser US (S) **10.00** Obese USA (S) **11.00** Real A&E (S)

12 noon Police 10/7 (S) **1.00pm** Highway Patrol (S) **2.00** Motorway Patrol (S) **3.00** Road Wars (S) **4.00** The Flash (S) **5.00** Stargate Atlantis: the team flee from the Wrath (S)

6.00pm Stargate SG-1: Daniel is captured by an Unas (S) **7.00** Relic Hunter: Syd negotiates a minefield (S) **8.00** A League of Their Own (S) **9.00** Flintoff: Lord of the Flies (S)

11.00 America's Next Top Model (S) **12 midnight** Madam Secretary **1.00am** Most Shocking (S) **2.00** Real A&E (S) **3.00** as 2pm **4.00** as 3pm **5.00-6.00am** Police 10/7 (S)

Syfy

Sky 114 Virgin 135 BT 319 **HD** Virgin 165 BT 375

6.00am Star Trek: the Next Generation **8.00** Home Shopping

11.00 Buffy the Vampire Slayer **12 noon** Merlin **2.00pm** FILM Martian Land ★★ Disaster movie

4.00 Buffy the Vampire Slayer **5.00** Star Trek: the Next Generation **7.00pm** Merlin **8.00** The Librarians **9.00** FILM Hard Rain

★★★ Action thriller starring Morgan Freeman and Christian Slater **11.00** The Librarians **12 midnight** FILM Robot Overlords

★★ Sci-fi action adventure **2.00am** FILM The Da Vinci Treasure ★ Mystery

4.00-6.00am Dark Matter **Syfy +1** Sky 194 Virgin 136



The Davina Hour 8.00pm A look at technology addiction

W

Sky 109 Virgin 125 BT 311 **HD** Virgin 191 BT 383

6.10am MasterChef Junior USA (S) (HD) **8.00** Extreme Makeover: Home Edition (S) **10.00** The Bill (S) **11.00** Tipping Point (HD) **1.00pm** Supernanny US **2.00** The Great British Bake Off (S) (HD) **3.00** Extreme Makeover: Home Edition (S) **5.00** Tipping Point (HD) **5.55** The Davina Hour: exploring our addiction to technology (S) (HD)

7.00pm The Great British Bake Off The contestants are challenged to prepare double-crust fruit pies and custard tarts. (S) (HD)

8.00 One Born Every Minute Childbirth stories. (S) (HD)

9.00 Murder Made Me Famous How jealousy and obsession fuelled a media fixation on Jodi Arias. (HD)

10.00 John Bishop in Conversation with Jo Brand 8/10 Series 1. John chats to the comedian and actress. (S) (HD)

11.00 EastEnders Masood finds himself in an awkward situation. Shown 7.30pm BBC1

11.40 Code Black 4/18. Christa has a crisis of confidence during a procedure. (S) (AD) (HD)

12.40am Wanted Down Under **1.30** Luther (S) (HD) **2.35-3.00am** Judge Faith: real-life cases (HD)

W +1 Sky 213 Virgin 131

TLC

Sky 125 Virgin 167 BT 323 **HD** Virgin 168 BT 377

6.00am Cake Boss (HD) **6.30** Cake Boss: the Next Great Baker (AD) (HD) **8.30** Say Yes to the Dress (HD) **10.00** Suddenly Royal (HD) **11.00** 90 Day Fiancé (AD)

(HD) 12 noon Gypsy Sisters (HD) **1.00pm** Say Yes to the Dress Canada (HD) **2.00** Cake Boss (HD) **3.00** Something Borrowed, Something New (HD) **4.00** Say Yes to the Dress: Big Bliss (HD)

5.00 Say Yes to the Dress (HD) **6.00** Say Yes to the Dress: Atlanta (HD) **7.00** Say Yes to the Dress (HD) **8.00** Hodges Half Dozen (HD) **9.00** New. My 600lb Life: Where Are They Now? (HD) **10.00** New. Untold Stories of the ER (HD)

11.00 Hoarding: Buried Alive (HD) **12 midnight** as 8pm **1.00am** Cake Boss (HD) **2.00** as 5pm **3.00** as 3pm **4.00** as 4pm **5.00-6.00am** as 1pm

TLC +1 Sky 154 Virgin 169

Lifetime

Sky 156 Virgin 208 BT 329 **HD** Virgin 209 BT 384

7.00am Property Brothers (HD) **8.00** Little Women: LA (HD) **9.00** Vanderpump Rules (HD) **10.00** The Real Housewives of Beverly Hills (HD)

11.00 Judge Judy (HD) **2.00pm** My Ghost Story: Caught on Camera (HD) **3.00** Million Dollar Decorators (HD) **4.00** Dance Moms (HD) **5.00** Hardcore Pawn (HD) **6.00** Storage Wars (HD) **7.00** Judge Judy (HD)

8.00 Hoarders (HD) **9.00** Project Runway (HD) **10.00** FILM The Wrong Woman ★★ (W) (HD) **11.45** Hoarders (HD) **12.45am** Storage Wars (HD) **1.15** FILM The Wrong Woman ★★ (W) (HD) **3.00-4.00am** Dance Moms (HD)

Lifetime +1 Sky 197



Absolutely Fabulous 9.20pm Edina (right) starts to feel old

Gold

Sky 110 Virgin 124 BT 310

7.30am Yes, Prime Minister (S) **8.00** The Brittas Empire (S) **8.40** Goodnight Sweetheart (S) **9.20** Last of the Summer Wine (S) (AD) **11.20** My Family (S) (AD) **12 noon** The Green Green Grass (HD)

12.40pm Keeping Up Appearances (S) **1.20** The Brittas Empire (S) **2.00** Blackadder Goes Forth (S) (AD) **3.20** The Green Green Grass (S) **4.00** Last of the Summer Wine (S) (AD)

6.00pm Keeping Up Appearances Hyacinth's wealthy acquaintance asks for a lift. (S)

6.40 The Good Life The Goods earn extra money. (S) (AD) **7.20** Tom hurts his back. (S) (AD)

8.00 Blackadder Goes Forth Blackadder organises a show. (S) (AD) **8.40** Captain Blackadder joins the Royal Flying Corps. (S) (AD)

9.20 Absolutely Fabulous Edina suffers nightmares. (S) (AD)

10.00 Game On Martin decides he wants to become a teacher. **10.40** Mandy is offered a job.

11.20 Live at the Apollo Sarah Millican hosts, with Russell Kane and Steve Hughes. (S) (HD)

12.20am Shooting Stars (S) (HD) **1.00** Big Train (S) **1.40** Game On 2.50 Shooting Stars (S) (HD) **3.20-4.00am** Harry Hill's TV Burp (S)

Gold +1 Sky 166 Virgin 190

Comedy Central

Sky 112 Virgin 132 BT 307 **HD** Virgin 181 BT 370

8.00am The Middle (S) (HD) **10.00** Friends (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00pm** Impractical Jokers (S) (HD) **2.00** Friends (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** Bob's Burgers (S) (AD) **5.00** Friends: eight back-to-back episodes (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00pm FILM Grown Ups ★★ Comedy starring Adam Sandler. Thirty years after winning a junior basketball championship a group of friends reunite for their coach's funeral (S) (HD) **11.00** The Cleveland Show (HD) **12 midnight** Impractical Jokers (S) (HD) **1.00am** New. The Daily Show (HD) **1.30** South Park (S) (HD) **2.30** The Cleveland Show (HD) **3.25** South Park (S) (HD) **4.15-5.00am** Bob's Burgers: double bill (S) (HD)

Comedy Central +1 Sky 127 Virgin 133

Sony Channel

Sky 157 Virgin 193 BT 331

7.00am Ghost Hunters **9.00** Hotel Babylon **10.00** Hustle **11.00** America's Got Talent **1.00pm** Hustle **2.00** FILM Matilda ★★ ★★ Comedy featuring starring Mara Wilson **4.05** FILM Look Who's Talking Now! ★★ Comedy starring John Travolta and Kirstie Alley

6.00pm Hustle **7.00** Hotel Babylon: an MP is caught out by a reporter **8.00** Hustle **9.00** Saving Hope **10.00** The Night Shift

11.00 Secret Diary of a Call Girl **12 midnight** Satisfaction **1.00am** Younger **2.00** Celebrity Ghost Stories **3.00-4.00am** Saving Hope

Sony TV +1 Sky 181



Vera 9.00pm Robert Doran is questioned by the detective



Father Brown 8.00pm The clergyman races against time



NCIS 7.00pm A murder case has baffling elements



Mysteries of the Missing 9.00pm Prof Floyd McCoy

ITV Encore

Sky 123

6.00am Drama Trails **6.10** Upstairs, Downstairs (S) **8.00** The Chief **8.55** Always and Everyone **9.55** Heartbeat (S) **11.05** Peak Practice **12.10pm** The Chief **1.15** Always and Everyone **2.15** Peak Practice **3.20** Heartbeat (S) **4.30** Upstairs, Downstairs (S)

6.50pm Agatha Christie's Poirot Four and Twenty Blackbirds A restaurant customer's change of diet intrigues Poirot. (S) (HD) **7.55 The Third Floor Flat** A murder takes place in the detective's apartment block. (S)

9.00 Vera 1/4 Series 3. DCI Vera Stanhope investigates the brutal murder of physiotherapist Lizzie Faulkner. In a story of betrayal, guilt and the need for atonement, Vera must move quickly to avoid another tragedy. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 The Halcyon 2/8. Lady Hamilton goes to war with Garland – but that may prove to be the least of his worries. (S) (AD) (HD)
Lady Hamilton *Olivia Williams*
Richard Garland *Steven Mackintosh*
Freddie Hamilton *Jamie Blackley*
Toby Hamilton *Edward Bluemel*
Lillian *Annabelle Apsion*

12 midnight Jordskott (HD) **2.35am** Band of Gold **4.30** Always and Everyone **5.20** Drama Trails **5.30–6.00am** Nightscreen (HD)

ITV Encore +1 Sky 268

PBS America

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Freeview 94 Freesat 155 Sky 534 Virgin 276 **8.00am** Walks around Britain **8.30** Holocaust Survivor: a Promise to My Father **9.40** Ocean Vet **10.40** Dam Busters: the Race to Smash the German Dams **11.50** Holocaust Survivor: a Promise to My Father **1.00pm** Doolittle's Raiders: a Final Toast **2.15** Ocean Vet **3.15** Dam Busters: the Race to Smash the German Dams **4.25** Holocaust Survivor: a Promise to My Father **5.35** Doolittle's Raiders: a Final Toast

6.45pm Ocean Vet A mission to protect the breeding grounds of the Bermuda black grouper. **7.20** The team studies the shark species that swim close to Bermuda's beaches at night.

7.50 Omaha Beach: Honor and Sacrifice The personal stories of veterans as they return to Omaha Beach in Normandy, to recall their exploits on 6 June 1944, when the Allied invasion of France began.

9.00 New. Great Escape – the Reckoning The RAF team that tracked down the people who killed 50 Allied airmen.

10.15 American Lawmen A look at Prohibition-era Palm Beach, where Sheriff Bob Baker was determined to take down one of the most infamous and deadly gangs in Florida's history.

11.15 Omaha Beach: Honor and Sacrifice As 7.50pm.

12.20am Great Escape – the Reckoning **1.30–2.00am** Walks around Britain: the Isle of Man

Alibi

Sky 132 Virgin 126 BT 312 HD Virgin 200 BT 382

7.10am The Doctor Blake Mysteries (S) (HD) **8.00** New Tricks (S) (AD) **9.00** Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD) **10.00** The Doctor Blake Mysteries (S) (HD) **11.00** Dangerfield (S) **12 noon** Inspector George Gently (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00pm** The Doctor Blake Mysteries (S) (HD) **3.00** Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD) **4.00** New Tricks (S) (AD) **5.00** Dangerfield (S)

6.00pm Inspector George Gently 2/2 Series 4. The detective looks into the death of a former informant. (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Father Brown 1/10 Series 1 The cleric must act quickly before an innocent woman is sent to the gallows. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Crossing Lines 1/10 Pilot of the drama about a task force investigating crimes crossing European borders, beginning the hunt for a serial killer. (S) (HD)

10.00 Death in Paradise 4/8 Series 1. A woman confesses to killing her husband. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.20 Murdoch Mysteries 8/13 Series 1. A member of a rowing club is murdered. (S) (HD)

12.20am The Closer (S) (HD) **1.15** Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD) **2.10** Reckless (S) (HD) **3.00–4.00am** Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD)

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Discovery History

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6.00am Aircraft Stories **7.00** Chris Barrie's Massive Machines **8.00** Tanks **9.00** Deadliest Tech **10.00** Battlefield **12 noon** Aircraft Stories **1.00pm** Tanks **2.00** Deadliest Tech **3.00** Chris Barrie's Massive Machines **4.00** Battlefield **5.00** The Weapon Hunter

6.00pm Out of Egypt How a transitional period from ancient to more modern cultures led to an increased belief in the Devil.

7.00 Cold War Armageddon The high-stakes game of nuclear poker which developed in the 1960s.

8.00 Ultimate Weapons A look at weapons which are capable of overwhelming their targets in highly effective ways, featuring shock and awe tactics.

9.00 Egypt Unwrapped Experts use new research to learn more about the dynasty of King Scorpion, after an image of him was first unearthed a century ago.

10.00 Lennon Murder: Crimes of the Century The events of 8 December 1980, when John Lennon was shot dead by Mark Chapman on a Manhattan street.

11.00 Deadliest Tech The 100-year history of the tank in warfare. **12 midnight** Battlefield **2.00am** Cold War Armageddon **3.00** Chris Barrie's Massive Machines **4.00** Battlefield (AD) **5.00–6.00am** Hitler: Germany's Fatal Attraction

Discovery History +1 Sky 536 Virgin 263

Fox

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8.00am Monk (S) (HD) **9.00** The Closer (S) (HD) **11.00** Bones (S) (HD) **1.00pm** NCIS (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** The Closer: double bill (S) (HD)

5.00pm Bones 17/23 Series 6 Seven pairs of dismembered feet are washed ashore. (S) (HD) **6.00 18/23.** A TV presenter appears to have been killed by a mythical creature. (S) (HD)

7.00 NCIS 16/24 Series 12. A murder victim has been using an alias from Gibbs's past. (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00 17/24.** A forged painting is connected to the murder of a navy lieutenant. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 New. The Orville 5/12 The crew comes to the aid of a stranded vessel. (S) (HD)

10.00 Family Guy Series 15 Brian and Chris look after Stewie when he gets injured. (S) (HD)

10.30 Series 14. Peter is overcome with jealousy. (S) (HD)

11.00 American Dad! Series 11 Stan commits Francine to an insane asylum. (S) (HD)

11.30 Stan lies about his texting and driving accident. (S) (HD)

12 midnight Family Guy (S) (HD) **1.00am** American Dad! (S) (HD) **3.00** Family Guy (S) (HD) **4.00–5.00am** American Dad! (S) (HD)

Fox +1 Sky 165 Virgin 158

History

Sky 529 Virgin 270 BT 327 HD BT 379

6.00am Pawn Stars (HD) **7.10** Storage Wars (HD) **8.00** Counting Cars (HD) **9.00** Ancient Aliens (HD) **10.00** Domsday: Ten Ways the World Will End (HD) **11.00** Forged in Fire (HD) **1.00pm** Pawn Stars (HD) **2.00** Counting Cars (HD) **3.00** Ice Road Truckers (HD) **4.00** Storage Wars (HD) **6.00** Forged in Fire (HD) **7.00** American Pickers (HD) **8.00** Ancient Assassins (HD) **9.00 New series.** Empires of Blood **10.10** Vinnie Jones's Toughest Cops **11.10** Forged in Fire (HD) **12.10am** Camp X (HD) **1.10** Storage Wars (HD) **2.10** Homicide Hunter (HD) **3.10** The First **48** **4.10** Forged in Fire (HD) **5.10–6.00am** Pawn Stars (HD)

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Animal Planet

Sky 523 Virgin 256 BT 325 HD Virgin 257 BT 378

6.00am Pit Bulls and Parolees (HD) **8.00** The Zoo (HD) **10.00** Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet (HD) **12 noon** Alaskan Bush People (AD) (HD)

1.00pm Wildest Middle East (HD) **2.00** Pit Bulls and Parolees (HD) **4.00** The Zoo (HD) **6.00** Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet (HD) **8.00** Pit Bulls and Parolees (HD) **10.00** Wildest Middle East: challenges faced by wildlife in Jordan (HD) **11.00** Alaskan Bush People (AD) (HD)

12 midnight The Zoo (HD) **2.00am** Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet (HD) **3.50** Wildest Middle East (HD) **4.40** Alaskan Bush People (AD) (HD) **5.30–6.00am** Meet the Penguins (HD)

Animal Planet +1 Sky 549 Virgin 258

Discovery

Sky 520 Virgin 250 BT 322 HD Virgin 251 BT 376

6.00am Railroad Alaska (HD) **7.00** Alaska: the Last Frontier (HD) **8.00** Gold Rush (HD) **9.00** Wheeler Dealers (HD) **11.00** Fast 'n' Loud (HD) **1.00pm** Railroad Alaska (HD) **2.00** Alaska: the Last Frontier (HD) **3.00** Yukon Men (HD) **4.00** Gold Rush (HD) **5.00** Secrets of the Underground (HD)

6.00pm Wheeler Dealers Edd and Mike take advantage of an iconic three-wheeler, the Messerschmitt KR200.

7.00 Mike visits France in search of a retro Citroën HY Van.

8.00 Mike plans to bring a Toyota Supra into the modern era. (HD)

9.00 Mysteries of the Missing Evidence surrounding the mystery of the lost city of Atlantis. (HD)

10.00 New series. The Interrogation Room Shedding light on police interviews with cold-blooded killers. (HD)

11.00 Ed Stafford: into the Unknown Ed investigates the Patomskiy crater. (HD)

12 midnight Mysteries of the Missing (HD) **1.00am** How It's Made (HD) **3.00** Mysteries of the Missing (HD) **3.50** The Interrogation Room (HD) **4.40** Gold Rush (HD) **5.30–6.00am** How It's Made (HD)

Discovery +1 Sky 521 Virgin 252

Nat Geographic

Sky 526 Virgin 266 BT 317 HD Virgin 268 BT 373

8.00am Strippers: Cars for Cash (HD) **9.00** Supercar Megabuild (HD) **10.00** Car SOS (HD) **1.00pm** Nazi Megastructures (HD) **5.00** Air Crash Investigation: triple bill (HD) **8.00pm** To Catch a Smuggler: JFK Airport: agents intercept a batch of leather coats lined with cocaine (HD) **9.00 New.** Banged Up Abroad: a journalist investigating the use of illegal weapons in Sudan discovers there is a price on his head (HD) **11.00** Air Crash Investigation (S) (AD) (HD) **12 midnight** Seconds from Disaster (S) (HD) **2.00am** Highway thru Hell (HD) **3.00** Wicked Tuna: North v South (HD) **4.00–5.00am** Wicked Tuna (HD)

Nat Geo +1 Sky 527 Virgin 267

Eden

Sky 532 Virgin 247 BT 315 HD Virgin 249 BT 389

9.00am Your Inner Fish – an Evolution Story (S) (HD) **10.00** Angry Planet (S) (HD) **11.00** Deadly 60 (S) (HD) **12 noon** Tarsier Tails (S) (HD) **1.00pm** The Blue Planet (S) (HD) **2.00** as 8pm **3.00** Deadly 60 (S) (HD) **4.00** Tarsier Tails (S) (HD) **5.00** The Blue Planet (S) (HD) **6.00** Deadly 60 (S) (HD) **7.00** Tarsier Tails (S) (HD) **8.00** Wildest Africa (S) (HD) **9.00** The Blue Planet (S) (HD) **10.00** Your Inner Fish – an Evolution Story (S) (HD) **11.00** Angry Planet (S) (HD) **12 midnight** Deadly 60 (S) (HD) **1.00am** Tarsier Tails (S) (HD) **2.00** as 8pm **3.00** The Blue Planet (S) (HD) **3.50** Wild Ones (S) (AD) (HD) **4.15** Dog's Best Friend (S) (HD) **4.40** Nature's Great Events (S) (HD) **5.30–6.00am** Dog's Best Friend (S) (HD)

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CHILDREN'S

Milkshake! on C5

Full listings for Channel 5 are on p100

6.00am Puffin Rock **6.05** Poppy Cat **6.20** Simon **6.25 New.** Bob the Builder **6.35** Fireman Sam **6.50** Thomas & Friends **7.00** The Secret Life of Puppies **7.05** Paw Patrol **7.20** Noddy: Toyland Detective **7.35** Peppa Pig: double bill **7.50** Floogals **8.05** New. Digby Dragon: Digby is sure he will win all the events at the Applecross Games **8.20** Rusty Rivets **8.35** Shimmer and Shine **8.55** Ben and Holly **9.05–9.15am** Mofy

CBeebies

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6.00am Show Me Show Me **6.20** Baby Jake **6.30** Yakka Dee **6.35** Dinopaws **6.50** New. Raa Raa the Noisy Lion **7.00** Teletubbies **7.15** Bing **7.30** Hey Duggee **7.50** Peter Rabbit **8.00** Go Jetters **8.10** Octonauts **8.25** The Furchester Hotel **8.35** Justin's House **9.00** Everything's Rosie **9.10** Tinga Tinga Tales **9.25** Bing **9.30** Small Potatoes **9.35** Twirlywoos **9.45** Something Special **10.05** Teletubbies **10.20** Numberblocks **10.30** Spot Bots **10.45** Magic Door **10.50** Yakka Dee **10.55** Show Me Show Me **11.15** Big Barn Farm **11.30** Andy's Baby Animals **11.40** Waybuloo **12 noon** I Can Cook on the Go **12.15pm** Teacup Travels **12.30** My Story **12.50** Melody **1.00** Baby Jake **1.10** Tinga Tinga Tales **1.20** Bing **1.30** Small Potatoes **1.35** Twirlywoos **1.45** Something Special **2.05** Timmy Time **2.15** Numberblocks **2.20** Spot Bots **2.35** Magic Door **2.45** Yakka Dee **2.50** Show Me Show Me **3.10** Get Well Soon **3.30** Swashbuckle **3.55** Boj **4.05** School of Roars **4.15** Hey Duggee **4.20** Go Jetters **4.35** My Pet and Me **4.50** Peter Rabbit **5.00** Footy Pups **5.15** Sarah & Duck **5.25** Topsy and Tim **5.35** Katie Morag **5.50** Pablo **6.00** Clangers **6.10** Abney & Teal **6.20** In the Night Garden... **6.50–7.00pm** CBeebies Bedtime Stories: read by Shobna Gulati

CBBC

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Freeview 201 Freesat 607 Sky 613 Virgin 701

7.00am Brain Freeze **7.05** The Deep **7.25** Dennis and Gnasher **7.40** Newsround **7.45** Danger Mouse **8.00** Dragons: Race to the Edge **8.20** Newsround **8.30** Junior Bake Off **9.00** Marring Mum and Dad **9.25** Horrible Histories **9.55** My Life: I Am Ethan **10.25** The Next Step **10.45** Tracy Beaker Returns **11.15** So Awkward **11.45** 4 o'Clock Club **12.15pm** Top Class **12.45** Naomi's Nightmares of Nature **11.00** Now You See It **1.20** Help! My Mini School Trip Is Magic **1.30** Officially Amazing **1.55** How to Be Epic @ Everything **2.10** Operation Ouch! **2.40** So Awkward **3.10** Odd Squad **3.20** Arthur **3.35** Strange Hill High **4.00** All-As Superchargers **4.20** Newsround **4.25** Lifebabbler **4.30** CHOICE Millie Inbetween See p97 **5.30** CHOICE Blue Peter See p97 **6.00pm** Scream Street **6.15** Danger Mouse **6.25** Zig and Zag **6.40** The Deep **7.00** Horrible Histories **7.30** Blue Peter **8.00** Marring Mum and Dad **8.30–9.00pm** Millie Inbetween

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Programmes 6.00pm–9.00 not Freeview **6.00am** Grizzly Tales for Gruesome Kids **6.25** Super 4 **6.55** Ben 10 **7.20** Scooby-Doo! **7.50** Ultimate Spider-Man **8.20** Horrid Henry **8.50** Fangbone **9.20** Mission Employable **9.25** The Oddbods Show **9.50** Super 4 **10.20** Dino Dan **10.50** Grizzly Tales for Gruesome Kids **11.15** Almost Naked Animals **11.45** Horrid Henry **12.45pm** Fort Boyard **1.40** Make It Pop **2.00** Almost Naked Animals **2.30** The Oddbods Show **3.00** Dino Dan **3.25** Super 4 **4.00** Mr Bean: Animated Series **4.15** Fangbone **4.30** Teen Titans Go! **5.00** Spy School **5.30** Ninjabo: Masters of Spinjitzu **6.00** Pokémon: Sun and Moon **6.25** Max Steel **6.55** Scooby-Doo! **7.25** Horrid Henry **8.25** Wishart **8.55–9.00pm** Mission Employable

THURSDAY Films & Sport

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Smiley's peepers

Tinker Tailor Soldier Spy ★★★★★

11.15pm **Film4** **FREEVIEW**

For some actors, finding the right clothes or accessories is essential for nailing a character. Inspired by the glasses Colin Firth wore in *A Single Man*, Gary Oldman travelled to Old Focals in Pasadena to get just the right frames for this thriller (review, p38). "I wanted wide glasses like a wise old owl," Oldman said, and after sifting through 200 pairs the decision was made. Read about Oldman's preparations to play Churchill in *Darkest Hour* on page 32. **JAMIE HEALY**



One last hurrah

Sisters ★★★ *Netflix*

After they honed their craft on TV in *Saturday Night Live*, the Tina Fey and Amy Poehler comedy double act gets a well-deserved movie showcase in this recent arrival on Netflix. They star as the sisters who are called back to their childhood home to sort out their belongings before their parents sell the property. And that's all the excuse they need to throw a party like it's 1989. The ladies' fast and racy patter keeps the energy levels high, even when the film wanders off track. **STELLA PAPANICHAEL**

Where's the Hitch?

The Wrong Man ★★★★★

6.50pm **TCM**
We all know that Alfred Hitchcock liked to cameo in his movies, but in *The Wrong Man* he changed his mind. He did film a cameo in a restaurant, but decided his presence detracted from the scene. So instead he appears in the prologue, telling the audience that this would be a Hitchcock film with a difference. **TOM FOLLEY**



FREEVIEW

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F'view 15 F'sat 300 Sky 315 Virgin 428 **HD** Virgin 429

- 11.00am Dark Command** ★★ John Wayne western. Claire Trevor, Walter Pidgeon (1940, U) (S)
- 12.50pm The File on Thelma Jordan** ★★ *Film noir*. Barbara Stanwyck, Wendell Corey (1949) (S)
- 2.55 Drums along the Mohawk** ★★★★★ Exciting adventure starring Henry Fonda and Claudette Colbert as settlers under attack by hostile tribesmen. (1939, PG) (S)
- 5.00pm The Enemy Below** ★★★★★ Stunningly effective Second World War U-boat drama. Robert Mitchum, Curt Jurgens (1957, PG)
- 7.00 The Seeker: The Dark Is Rising** ★★ Far-from-faithful adaptation of Susan Cooper's series of fantasy novels. Alexander Ludwig, Christopher Eccleston (2007, 12) (S)
- 9.00 Red 2** ★★ Ebullient action comedy sequel. Bruce Willis, Anthony Hopkins (2013, 12) (S) (AD)
- 11.15 Tinker Tailor Soldier Spy** ★★★★★ Deft take on John le Carré's complex Cold War novel. **Review, p38; Choice, left.** Gary Oldman, Colin Firth, Tom Hardy, Mark Strong (2011, 15) (S) (AD)
- 1.50-3.40am The Pact** ★★ Horror thriller about a young woman menaced in the family home. Caitly Lotz, Casper Van Dien (2011, 15) (S)

Film4 +1 F'view 45 (HD only) F'sat 301 Sky 316 Virgin 430

Sony Movie Channel 32

- Freeview 32** Sky 323 Virgin 425
- 9.00am Live Once, Die Twice** ★★ Drama. Kellie Martin (2006) **10.40 Lies and Deception** ★★ Mystery. Mädchen Amick (2005) **12.15pm Fools Rush In** ★★ Romantic comedy. Matthew Perry, Salma Hayek (1997, 12) **2.30 Smokey and the Bandit II** ★★ Comedy. Burt Reynolds, Jackie Gleason (1980, PG) **4.45 xXx: the Next Level** ★★ Spy action thriller. Ice Cube, Willem Dafoe (2005, 12) **6.55pm The Rundown** ★★ Lively action comedy. The Rock, Seann William Scott (2003, 15) **9.00 In the Line of Fire** ★★★★★ Slick thriller. Clint Eastwood, John Malkovich, Rene Russo (1993, 15) **11.45 12 Rounds 2: Reloaded** ★★ Passable action thriller. Randy Orton (2013, 15) **1.50am Ticking Clock** ★★ Sci-fi thriller. Cuba Gooding Jr (2011, 18) **4.05-5.00am Abducted: Fugitive for Love** ★★ Thriller. Sarah Wynter (2007) **Sony Movie Channel +1** Sky 324

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- Freeview 48** Freesat 304 Sky 325 Virgin 426
- 6.00am Cornered** ★★ Crime drama. Dick Powell, Walter Slezak (1945) **8.00 The Fallen** ★★ Drama. (2004, 12) **10.00 The Air Campaign** **11.10 Professionals for a Massacre** ★★ Western. George Hilton (1967) **1.05pm The Virginian** ★★ Western. Trace Adkins (2014, 12) **3.00 The Persuaders!**: adventure **4.00 Everyman's War** ★★ Drama. (2009, 15) **5.55 The Fall of France** **7.10pm Magma: Volcanic Disaster** ★★ Disaster movie. Xander Berkeley, Amy Jo Johnson (2006) **9.00 The River Murders** ★★ Low-budget thriller. Ray Liotta, Christian Slater, Ving Rhames (2011, 18) **11.00 The Hit List** ★★ Action thriller. Cuba Gooding Jr (2011, 15) **12.50am Fifty/Fifty** ★★ Adventure. Peter Weller (1991, 15) **2.55-4.00am Luftwaffe: the Eagle Strikes**: documentary **Movies4Men +1** Freesat 305 Sky 326

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- Freeview 81** (HD only) Freesat 306 Sky 343 Virgin 445
- 6.00am Tread Softly** ★ Comedy. Frances Day (1952) **7.30 Johnny Ringo**: western **8.00 I'll Get You for This** ★★ Drama. George Raft (1950) **9.40 Child in the House** ★★ Drama. Phyllis Calvert, Eric Portman (1956, U) **11.20 Target: the Corruptors** **12.20pm Dry Rot** ★★ Comedy. Ronald Shiner (1956, U) **2.00 Floodtide** ★★ Drama. Gordon Jackson, Rona Anderson (1949, U) **3.50 The Young Ones** ★★★★★ Drama. Cliff Richard (1961, U) **6.00pm The Other Love** ★★ Romantic drama. Barbara Stanwyck, David Niven (1947, PG) **8.00 Tell Me Another** Interviews. **8.30 Dick Powell Theatre** Drama. **9.30 The Truth about Women** ★★ Laurence Harvey recalls his exotic adventures in this comedy. Julie Harris, Diane Cilento (1958, 12) **11.30 The Culpepper Cattle Co** ★★★★★ Western. Gary Grimes (1972, 15) **1.20am Dreamland** **3.20 Dentist in the Chair** ★★ Comedy. Bob Monkhouse (1960, U) **5.00-6.00am** Burke's Law

Premiere

Sky 301 Virgin 431 BT 501 **HD** Virgin 401

- 6.00am** As 4.15pm **7.50 Blind** ★★ Drama. Demi Moore (2017, 15) **9.40 Rules Don't Apply** ★★ Comedy drama. Warren Beatty (2016, 12) **11.55** As 8pm **2.15pm Tumbledown** ★★ Comedy drama. **Choice, p84.** Rebecca Hall (2015, 15) **4.15 The Book of Henry** ★★ Thriller. Naomi Watts (2016)
- 6.10pm Lowriders** ★★ Drama set in LA's Hispanic custom-car community. Gabriel Chavarria, Demian Bichir, Theo Rossi, Eva Longoria, Melissa Benoist (2016, 12)
- 8.00 Logan** ★★★★★ An ageing Wolverine makes his last stand in this brutal but moving *X-Men* spin-off. Hugh Jackman, Patrick Stewart (2017, 15)
- 10.20** **This Is Your Death** ★★ Dark satire about a reality TV show where contestants commit suicide live on air. Josh Duhamel (2017, 18)
- 12.10am Raw** ★★★★★ Horror. **Choice, p94.** Garance Marillier (2016, 18) **1.55** As 7.50am **3.45** As 6.10pm **5.30** The Greatest Showman Special

Premiere +1 Sky 302 Virgin 432

Villains

Sky 304 Virgin 434 BT 508 **HD** Virgin 404

- 6.10am** As 5.45pm **8.20 Psycho** **XXXXX** Horror. Anthony Perkins, Janet Leigh (1960, 15) **10.10 101 Dalmatians** ★★★★★ Adventure. (1996, U) **11.55 Beowulf** ★★★★★ Animation. (2007, 12) **1.50pm Happy Gilmore** ★★ Comedy. (1996, 12) **3.30 The Mummy Returns** ★★ Adventure. Brendan Fraser, Rachel Weisz (2001, 12)
- 5.45pm Superman II** ★★★★★ Impressive fantasy adventure sequel. Christopher Reeve, Gene Hackman, Margot Kidder, Terence Stamp (1980, PG)
- 8.00 The Good, the Bad and the Ugly** **XXXXX** Brilliant conclusion to the *Dollars* trilogy. Clint Eastwood, Eli Wallach, Lee Van Cleef (1966, 18)
- 11.00 Halloween** **XXXXX** An escaped murderer goes on the rampage in this ground-breaking horror. Donald Pleasence, Jamie Lee Curtis (1978, 18)

- 12.45am Psycho** As 8.20am **2.40 Happy Gilmore** As 1.50pm **4.15 Batman and Robin** ★★ Action fantasy. George Clooney, Arnold Schwarzenegger, Chris O'Donnell, Uma Thurman (1997, PG)

Comedy

Sky 308 Virgin 438 BT 506 **HD** Virgin 408

- 7.00am Boo! a Madea Halloween** ★★ Comedy horror. Tyler Perry (2016, 12)
- 8.50 Bowfinger** ★★★★★ Comedy. Steve Martin, Eddie Murphy, Heather Graham (1999, 12)
- 10.30 The Top Ten Show** **10.50** As 8pm **12.55pm** As 6.15pm **2.40** As 10pm **4.15 Splash** ★★★★★ Romantic fantasy. Tom Hanks (1984, PG)
- 6.15pm The Boss** ★★ Below-par Melissa McCarthy comedy. Kristen Bell, Kathy Bates, Tyler Labine (2016, 15)
- 8.00 Stuck on You** ★★ Bad-taste comedy about conjoined twin brothers. Matt Damon (2003, 12)
- 10.00 Table 19** ★★ Mild, well-mannered and fitfully amusing romantic comedy. Anna Kendrick (2017, 12)
- 11.35 The Waterboy** ★★ Endearing comedy. Adam Sandler, Kathy Bates, Henry Winkler, Fairuza Balk (1998, 12)
- 1.15am 5 to 7** ★★ Elegant love story. Anton Yelchin, Bérénice Marlohe (2014, 12)
- 3.00 jackass 2.5** ★★ Comedy. Johnny Knoxville (2007, 18) **4.15 Easy Come, Easy Go** ★★ Musical adventure. Elvis Presley (1967, U)

Hits

Sky 303 Virgin 433 BT 504 **HD** Virgin 403

- 6.00am** As 5.15pm **7.45** As 7pm **9.50 I Am Legend** ★★★★★ Sci-fi action horror. Will Smith (2007, 15) **11.45** As 11.15pm **1.30pm** As 9pm **3.45 Grimsby** ★★ Spy spoof. Sacha Baron Cohen (2016, 15) **5.15 Snoopy and Charlie Brown: the Peanuts Movie** ★★★★★ Adventure. Noah Schnapp (2015, U)
- 7.00pm Ghostbusters** ★★ Gender-reversed reboot of the comedy. Melissa McCarthy, Kristen Wiig (2016, 12)
- 9.00 John Wick: Chapter 2** ★★★★★ The reluctant hitman's attempts to stay out of the game are thwarted in spectacular fashion. Keanu Reeves, Ian McShane (2016, 18)
- 11.15 Ouija: Origin of Evil** ★★ A family faces its darkest fears in this tension-laden horror prequel to *Ouija*. Elizabeth Reaser (2016, 15)
- 1.05am Grimsby** As 3.45pm **2.40 Dead End** ★★ Horror. Aria Emory, Drew Harwood (2016, 18) **4.15 Ozzy** ★★ Animation. Jacob Tremblay (2016, PG)

Heroes

Sky 307 Virgin 437 BT 502 **HD** Virgin 407

- 6.00am** As 5.40pm **8.30** As 8pm **10.55 Charlie's Angels** ★★ Adventure. Cameron Diaz, Drew Barrymore, Lucy Liu (2000, 15) **12.50pm Superman Returns** ★★★★★ Fantasy. Brandon Routh, Kevin Spacey (2006, 12) **3.25 The Magnificent Seven** **XXXXX** Western. Yul Brynner, Steve McQueen (1960, PG)
- 5.40pm The Matrix Reloaded** ★★★★★ Effects-laden sequel to the ground-breaking sci-fi thriller. Keanu Reeves, Laurence Fishburne (2002, 15)
- 8.00 Guardians of the Galaxy Vol 2** ★★★★★ Funny and imaginative sci-fi adventure sequel. Chris Pratt, Zoe Saldana (2017, 12)
- 10.20 Assassin's Creed** ★★ Spectacular spin on the hit video game with a top-notch cast. Michael Fassbender, Marion Cotillard, Jeremy Irons (2016, 12)

- 12.20am GI Joe: the Rise of Cobra** ★★★★★ Adventure. Channing Tatum (2009, 12) **2.25 Punisher: War Zone** ★★ Thriller. Ray Stevenson (2008, 18) **4.15 Turbo: a Power Rangers Adventure** ★ Adventure. (1997, PG)

Thriller

Sky 309 Virgin 439 BT 509 **HD** Virgin 409

- 6.45am Collateral Damage** ★★ Action thriller. Arnold Schwarzenegger (2001, 15)
- 8.45 US Marshals** ★★ Thriller. Tommy Lee Jones, Wesley Snipes (1998, 15) **11.00** As 9pm **1.05pm Desierto** ★★ Thriller. Gael García Bernal, Jeffrey Dean Morgan (2015, 15) **2.45 Body of Lies** ★★ Thriller. Leonardo DiCaprio, Russell Crowe (2008, 15)
- 4.55pm Escobar: Paradise Lost** ★★★★★ Muscular romantic thriller. Benicio Del Toro, Josh Hutcherson (2014, 15)
- 7.00 Panic Room** ★★ Tense thriller. Jodie Foster interview, **p16.** Jodie Foster, Forest Whitaker (2002, 15)
- 9.00 Inferno** ★★ Treasure-hunt thriller. Tom Hanks, Felicity Jones (2016, 12)
- 11.05 Kidulthood** ★★ Impressive urban drama with radiant performances from its young cast. Noel Clarke, Rafe Spall (2005, 15)
- 12.45am My Father Die** ★★ Action drama. Joe Anderson (2016, 18)
- 2.30 Manson** ★★ Crime drama. Ryan Kiser (2014, 18) **4.20 Sam Churchill: Search for a Homeless Man** ★★ Mystery drama. John Schneider (1998)

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Disney

Sky 305 Virgin 435 BT 503 **HD** Virgin 405
6.00am Atlantis: Milo's Return ★★ 7.30 As 4.15pm **9.00 As 5.45pm**
11.15 The Love Bug ★★★★★ **1.15pm**
Springtime with Roo ★★ 2.30
The Many Adventures of Winnie the Pooh ★★★★★ **3.50** Olaf's Frozen Adventure **4.15 Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs** ★★★★★ (1937, U)

5.45pm Beauty and the Beast ★★★★★ Sumptuous live-action fantasy. Emma Watson, Dan Stevens (2017, PG)

8.00 Muppet Treasure Island ★★★★★ Musical version of the pirate saga. Tim Curry (1996, U)

9.45 Honey, I Shrank the Kids ★★★★★ Honeymoon adventure. Rick Moranis, Matt Frewer, Marcia Strassman (1989, U)

11.25 The Sword in the Stone ★★★★★ Thoroughly enjoyable cartoon adventure. Rickie Sorensen (1963, U)

12.55am The News Boys ★★ Period musical. Christian Bale (1992, PG)

3.05 Confessions of a Teenage Drama Queen ★★ Comedy. Lindsay Lohan (2004, PG) **4.45 Mulan II** ★★ Animation. Ming-Na (2004, U)

Drama

Sky 310 Virgin 440 BT 511 **HD** Virgin 410

6.15am The Finest Hours ★★ Action thriller. (2015, 12) **8.20 I'll See You in My Dreams** ★★ Comedy drama. (2015, 12) **10.05 Red Dog: True Blue** ★★ Comedy drama. (2016, 12) **11.45 As 8pm 1.30pm As 9.45pm 3.50 Steel Magnolias** ★★★★★ Comedy drama. Sally Field (1989, PG)

5.55pm William Shakespeare's Romeo + Juliet ★★★★★ Baz Luhrmann's richly visualised update of the Bard's romantic tragedy. Leonardo DiCaprio, Claire Danes (1996, 12)

8.00 Collateral Beauty ★★ Modern-day variation on A Christmas Carol. Will Smith, Helen Mirren, Edward Norton, Keira Knightley, Kate Winslet (2016, 12)

9.45 Men of Honor ★★ Absorbing action drama. Robert De Niro, Cuba Gooding Jr, Charlize Theron (2000, 15)

12.05am Risen ★★ Biblical drama. Joseph Fiennes (2016, 12) **2.00 By the Sea** ★★ Romantic drama. Brad Pitt, Angelina Jolie Pitt (2015, 15) **4.10 Roustabout** ★★ Musical. Elvis Presley, Barbara Stanwyck (1964, U)

Select

Sky 312 Virgin 442 BT 510 **HD** Virgin 412

6.00am After Love ★★ Drama. (2016, 12) **7.50 Man Down** ★★ Drama. Shia LaBeouf (2015, 15) **9.25 Warsaw '44** ★★ Drama. (2014, 15) **11.35 Girl, Interrupted** ★★ Drama. (1999, 15) **1.45pm Five Easy Pieces** ★★★★★ Drama. Jack Nicholson (1970, 15) **3.30 The Prestige** ★★★★★ Mystery. (2006, 12)

5.45pm The Confirmation ★★★★★ Touching, bittersweet comedy. Clive Owen, Jaeden Lieberher (2017, 12)

7.30 Vanilla Sky ★★ A man's life begins to unravel after he is involved in a car accident in this glossy thriller. Tom Cruise (2001, 15)

10.00 Don't Look Now ★★★★★ A bereaved couple heads to Venice but terror awaits them in this extraordinary supernatural thriller. Donald Sutherland, Julie Christie (1973, 15)

12 midnight Fatal Attraction ★★★★★ Thriller. Michael Douglas, Glenn Close, Anne Archer (1987, 18) **2.05am American Honey** ★★★★★ Comedy drama. Sasha Lane, Shia LaBeouf (2016, 15) **4.50 The Fencer** ★★ Drama. Mart Avandi (2015, PG)

Family

Sky 306 Virgin 436 BT 505 **HD** Virgin 406
6.45am As 4.45pm 8.10 Louis & Luca and the Snow Machine ★★ Adventure. Hugh Bonneville (2013, U) **9.35 Hop** ★★ Comedy. James Marsden (2011, U) **11.15 As 6.10pm 1.05pm As 8pm 2.45 As 9.40pm 4.45 Louis & Luca - the Big Cheese Race** ★★ Animation. Hugh Bonneville (2015, U)

6.10pm The Boss Baby ★★ Witty animated comedy. (2017, U)

8.00 Ice Age: Collision Course ★★ Diverting animated comedy. Ray Romano, John Leguizamo, Denis Leary, Queen Latifah, Seann William Scott (2016, U)

9.40 Alice through the Looking Glass ★★ Amusingly absurd fantasy. Johnny Depp, Mia Wasikowska (2016, PG)

11.40 The Golden Child ★★ Eddie Murphy action comedy. Charles Dance, Charlotte Lewis (1986, PG)

1.25am The Muppets Take Manhattan ★★ Comedy. Jim Henson, Frank Oz, Dave Goelz (1984, U) **3.10 Toys** ★★ Comedy fantasy. Robin Williams, Michael Gambon, Joan Cusack (1992, PG) **5.20 Hop** As 9.35am

Sci-Fi/Horror

Sky 311 Virgin 441 BT 507 **HD** Virgin 411

7.00am Galaxy Quest As 1.05pm **8.45 Passengers** As 7pm **10.45 Rogue One** As 9pm **1.05pm Galaxy Quest** ★★★★★ Sci-fi spoof. Tim Allen, Sigourney Weaver, Alan Rickman (1999, PG) **3.00 Damien - Omen II** As 11.20pm **5.00 The Final Conflict: Omen III** ★★ Horror. Sam Neill (1980, 18)

7.00pm Passengers ★★ Polished but formulaic space saga. Chris Pratt, Jennifer Lawrence (2016, 12)

9.00 Rogue One ★★★★★ In this thrilling and action-packed Star Wars prequel, the Rebel Alliance risks everything to capture the plans to the Death Star. Felicity Jones, Diego Luna, Ben Mendelsohn (2016, 12)

11.20 Damien - Omen II ★★ Decent sequel to the terrifying 1976 shocker. William Holden, Lee Grant (1978, 18)

1.10am The Final Conflict: Omen III As 5pm **3.05 The Thing** ★★★★★ Sci-fi horror. Kurt Russell (1982, 18) **5.00 2018 Preview Show**

TCM

Sky 317 Virgin 415 BT 512 **HD** Virgin 416

6.00am Hollywood's Best Film Directors **6.40 Rawhide** **8.50 Empire of the Sun** ★★ Drama. Christian Bale (1987, PG) **11.50 Rider on a Dead Horse** ★★ Western. John Vinyan (1962) **1.25pm Fighter Attack** ★★ Drama. (1953, U) **3.00 Torpedo Run** ★★ Drama. Glenn Ford (1958, U)

4.55pm The Last Challenge ★★ Unpretentious western. Glenn Ford, Angie Dickinson, Chad Everett (1967)

6.50 The Wrong Man ★★★★★ Gritty crime drama. Choice, left. Henry Fonda, Vera Miles, Anthony Quayle (1956, PG)

9.00 Caddyshack ★★ Wonderfully crass comedy. Chevy Chase, Rodney Dangerfield, Bill Murray (1980, 15)

11.00 Mad Max 2 ★★★★★ Exhilarating action thriller. Mel Gibson, Bruce Spence, Vernon Wells (1981, 18)

1.00am Conspiracy Theory with Jesse Ventura **3.00 Hollywood's Best Film Directors**

TCM +1 Sky 318 Virgin 417

SPORT Choices



European Tour Golf
 8.00am, 12 noon Sky Golf/
Main Event Branden Grace plays

Sky Main Event

Sky 401 Virgin 511 BT 402 **HD** Virgin 501 BT 437

6.00am Good Morning Sports Fans
8.00 LIVE European Tour Golf The South African Open, day one in Gauteng. More at 12 noon.
10.00 Premier League Daily
11.00 Sky Sports Daily
12 noon LIVE European Tour Golf The South African Open.
3.00pm Sky Sports News
7.00 Sky Sports Tonight
7.30 LIVE Rugby Union A match from the European Challenge Cup.
10.00 Sky Sports News
12 midnight LIVE US Tour Golf The Hawaii Open, round one.
3.30-7.00am LIVE Golf The EurAsia Cup, day one in Malaysia.

Sky Football

Sky 403 Virgin 513 **HD** Virgin 503

6.00am Greatest Games **7.00** Football Years **7.30** Countdowns **8.00** League Cup Football **9.00** Scottish Cup Greatest Games **9.30** La Liga Greatest Games **10.00** League Cup Football **12.30pm** Football Years (AD) **1.00** La Liga Icons **2.00** League Cup Football **3.00** Football's Greatest (AD) **4.00** Scottish Cup Greatest Games **4.30** La Liga Greatest Games **4.45** Spanish Football Gold (AD) **5.00** Football Years (AD) **5.30** Football Countdowns **6.00** League Cup Football **7.00** Football League Matters **7.30** OneEleven **8.00** League Cup Football **9.00** Football League Matters **9.30** Ronaldo: a Sensational Season **10.00** Spanish Football **10.30** Football League Matters **11.00** La Liga Icons **12 midnight** Spanish Football **12.30am** Football League Matters **1.00** OneEleven **1.30** SPFL Greatest Games **2.00** Spanish Football **2.30** Football League Matters **3.00** Football Years **3.30** Football Countdowns **4.00** Greatest Games **5.00-6.00am** Football's Greatest Teams (AD)

Sky Golf

Sky 405 Virgin 515 **HD** Virgin 515

6.00am Wonderful World of Golf (AD)
8.00 LIVE European Tour Golf The South African Open, day one in Gauteng. More at 12 noon.
10.00 US Tour Golf
12 noon LIVE European Tour Golf Further play from day one of the South African Open, at the City of Ekurhuleni in Gauteng.
3.00pm US Tour Golf **5.00** European Tour Golf **7.00** US Tour Golf **9.00** European Tour Golf **10.00** US Tour Golf **11.00** European Tour Golf
12 midnight LIVE US Tour Golf The Hawaii Open, round one in the Waialae CC in Honolulu.
3.30-7.00am LIVE EurAsia Cup Day one in Malaysia.

Sky Premier League

Sky 402 Virgin 512 **HD** Virgin 502

6.00am Greatest Games **7.00** Premier League World **7.30** Legends **8.00** Debate **9.00** Premier League World **9.30** Legends **10.00** Premier League Daily **11.00** The Debate **12 noon** Premier League World **12.30pm** Greatest Games **1.00** 100 Club **2.00** Best Goals **3.00** Premier League Years (AD) **5.00** Premier League World **5.30** Greatest Games **6.00pm** Premier League Today **6.30** 100 Club **7.00** Preview **7.30** Premier League Today **8.00** Premier League Today **8.30** Premier League Football **9.00** Best Goals **10.00** Debate **11.00** Premier League Today **11.30** Preview **12 midnight** Best Goals **1.00am** The Debate **2.00** Preview **2.30** Greatest Games **3.00** The Debate **4.00** Best Goals **5.00** Premier League Today **5.30-6.00am** Preview

Sky Cricket

Sky 404 Virgin 514 **HD** Virgin 504

6.00am Cricket's Greatest (AD) **7.00** Masterclass **9.15** Atherton **9.30** Cricket Report **10.00** Darren Gough **10.30** The Final Frontier **11.00** Greatest Games **12 noon** The Cricket Report **12.30pm** Cricket's Greatest (AD) **2.00** Masterclass **3.00** The Cricket Report **3.30** Greatest Games **4.00** Cricket's Greatest (AD) **6.00** Best of Sky Cricket **6.30** The Cricket Report **7.00** Ashes Memories **8.00** Jimmy Anderson **9.00** Ashes Memories **10.00** Jimmy Anderson **11.00** Greatest Games **12 midnight** Cricket's Greatest (AD) **1.00am** Greatest Games **2.00** Cricket's Greatest (AD) **3.00** Masterclass **5.00-6.00am** Cricket's Greatest (AD)

Sky Action

Sky 407 Virgin 517 **HD** Virgin 507

6.00am The Pioneer **6.30** Marathon **7.00** Triathlon **8.00** Sports Unlimited **9.00** Motorsport **10.00** Racing News **10.30** Fishing **11.00** Sports Unlimited **12 noon** Motorsport **12.30pm** French Rugby Union **1.00** Fishing **2.00** Sports Unlimited **3.00** Watersports **4.00** Motorsport **4.30** Fishing **5.30** Sports Unlimited **6.30** French Rugby Union **7.00** World Rugby **7.30 LIVE Rugby Union** A match from the European Challenge Cup.
10.00 NFL (AD) **11.00** Watersports **12 midnight** Motorsport **12.30am** Rugby Union **3.30** Fishing **4.00** Sports Unlimited **5.00-6.00am** Watersports

Sky Arena

Sky 408 Virgin 518 **HD** Virgin 508

6.00am Records **7.00** Wrestling **8.00** Records **10.00** Greats **11.00** Records **12 noon** Great Moments **1.00am** Triumphs **2.00** Records **3.00** Sporting Moments **3.30** Triumphs **4.30** Records **5.00** Wrestling **7.00** Tennis **7.30** Powerboating **8.30** Motor Racing **9.00** Wrestling **12 midnight** Sports Unlimited **1.00am** Watersports **2.00** Motorsport Mundial **2.30** French Rugby Union **3.00** Fishing **3.30** Greats (AD) **5.00-6.00am** Records

Eurosport 1

Sky 410 Virgin 523 BT 412 **HD** Virgin 521 BT 435

6.00am Tennis: Australian Open
8.30 LIVE Tennis ATP Sydney International quarter-finals.
10.00 Dakar Rally **10.30** Formula E **11.00** Ski Jumping **12 noon** Biathlon **1.00pm LIVE Biathlon** In Germany.
3.00 Biathlon **4.00** Alpine Skiing **5.00** Biathlon **6.00** Tennis: Australian Open **8.00** Tennis **9.30** Eurosport News **9.35** Lindsey Vonn: Chasing History **9.40** Winter Olympics: short films **9.50** Watts **9.55** Eurosport News **10.00** Dakar Rally **10.30** Rallying **10.45** Australian Open Classic **12.15am** Rallying **12.30** Dakar Rally **1.00-1.10am** Eurosport News

BT Sport 1

Sky 413 Virgin 531 BT 408 **HD** Virgin 527 BT 430

6.00am LIVE Tennis The WTA Sydney International continues.
8.00 BT Sport Reload **8.30** Premier League World **9.00** Italian Football **9.30 LIVE Tennis** Action from the WTA Sydney International.
11.30 FA Cup Football **12 noon** French Football **1.30pm** Premier League World **2.00** Jordan Rides the Bus (AD) **3.00** Rugby Union **4.00** French Football **5.30** BT Sport Reload **5.45** Twenty20 Cricket **6.45 LIVE Darts** The evening session on day six of the BDO World Championships.
12 midnight Premier League Match Pack **12.30am** No Crossover: the Trial of Allen Iverson (AD) **2.00** The Opposition (AD) **2.30** Ceasefire Massacre (AD)
3.00 LIVE Tennis The WTA Sydney International.
5.00 Motorcycling **5.30-6.00am** NBA

BT Sport 2

Sky 414 Virgin 532 BT 409 **HD** Virgin 528 BT 431

6.00am The Football Archives **6.30** Rugby Union **7.30** Twenty20 Cricket **8.30 LIVE Twenty20 Cricket** Sydney Thunder v Perth Scorchers.
12 noon Cricket: the Ashes
3.00pm Ashes Memories **3.30** NBA **7.00** NBA Reload **7.30** NBA **8.00 LIVE NBA** Philadelphia 76ers v Boston Celtics (tip-off **8.00**).
10.30 UFC **11.30** French Football **12 midnight** German Football **12.30am** The Football Archives **1.00** Twenty20 Cricket **2.00** UFC **3.00 LIVE Tennis** WTA Hobart.
5.00-6.00am The Football Archives

BT Sport 3

Sky 417 Virgin 533 BT 410 **HD** Virgin 529 BT 432

7.00am French Football
8.00 LIVE Tennis WTA Hobart.
10.00 French Football **11.00** Darts **1.00pm** German Football **4.00** Premier League World **4.30** FA Cup Football **5.00** German Football **5.30** French Football
6.00 Rugby Union **7.00** Tennis **9.00** Motorcycling **9.30** Rugby Union
12 midnight-6.00am French Football

BT Sport//ESPN

Sky 426 Virgin 534 BT 411 **HD** Virgin 530 BT 433

6.00am Pardon the Interruption **6.30** NBA **7.00** Around the Horn **7.30** American Football **11.00** Major League Baseball **11.30** American Football **12 noon** Pardon the Interruption **12.30pm** NBA **1.00** ESPN FC **1.30** Basketball **5.00** Pardon the Interruption **5.30** American Football
6.00 Major League Baseball **6.30** ESPN FC **7.00** Basketball **10.30** American Football **11.00** NBA
12 midnight-6.00am LIVE Basketball Ohio State Buckeyes v Maryland Terrapins (tip-off **12.00**); **2.00am** Live college basketball; **4.00** UCLA Bruins v Utah Utes.

Eurosport 2

Sky 411 Virgin 524 BT 413 **HD** Virgin 522 BT 436

6.15am Biathlon **7.15** Rallying **7.30** Dakar Rally **8.00** Formula E **8.30** Watts **9.00** Biathlon **10.00** Alpine Skiing **10.30** Ski Jumping **11.30** Fifa Football **12 noon** Formula E **12.30pm** Dakar Rally **1.00** Tennis: Australian Open **4.30** Tennis **6.00** Snooker **8.00** Biathlon **9.00** Ski Jumping **10.00** World Snooker **12 midnight** Dakar Rally **12.30am** Biathlon **1.30** Dakar Rally **2.00** Ski Jumping **3.00** Fifa Football **3.30** Biathlon **5.00** Alpine Skiing **5.45-6.15am** Fifa Football

HIGH HOPES

Nicholas, Matthew, Ruth and Matthew outside Hereford Cathedral



The Wine Show

7.00pm **Channel 5**

WINE Reincarnated from its previous existence on ITV4, this entertaining series finds new life in Channel 5's "Gadget Show slot". Wine doesn't get enough airtime, so it's nice to see actors Matthew Goode and Matthew "don't give me sweet wine" Rhys back. This time their ranks are swelled by James Purefoy and Jancis Robinson.

The team venture from their base in the south of France to source wines to accompany a lunch by Michelin-starred chef Stéphane Reynaud. How they were persuaded to take part in this nightmare is anyone's guess. For those not sick of wine after the Christmas indulgence, this'll be a welcome thirst-quencher. **GARY ROSE**

Would I Lie to You?

9.00pm **BBC1**

ENTERTAINMENT The final round has become madder and madder. It's still Quickfire Lies and sometimes introduced as the round where panellists have to lie "against the clock". In practice, it's the Lee Mack Improvising Wildly round: he's given a ludicrous claim and goes into comedy overdrive defending it. This time, the fact that it involves him planning to launch a cookbook "this Christmas" doesn't help his case, but the laughs around his co-writer, a Chinese chef called Steve Jenkins, are beautifully stir-fried.

David Mitchell's team-mates are Jordan Stephens from Rizzle Kicks and *The Apprentice's* Claude Littner. Does the latter have a secret Harley Davidson? **DAVID BUTCHER**

Rome Unpacked

9.00pm **BBC2**

DOCUMENTARY What Andrew Graham-Dixon loves about Rome is not that he's surrounded by 2,000 years of history but that there are so many different textures to it. To understand the past, he and Giorgio Locatelli say you have to taste all its layers – just like a good lasagne.

To prove their point they move from marvellous 12th-century mosaics in a tiny church to a vast derelict slaughterhouse before admiring Baroque art and fascist architecture, which in any other city would have been destroyed.

Food-wise they gobble down tripe and kidney sandwiches, among other things. More appetising are Michelin-starred Cristina Bowerman's innovative bean-based dishes. **JANE RACKHAM**

PICK OF THE DAY **A Vicar's Life** 8.30pm **BBC2**

DOCUMENTARY New series It's a tricky balance, producing docs on religious themes that engage people with a faith while not alienating those without, but the BBC has a good track record, in series such as *An Island Parish* and *Canterbury Cathedral*. And this six-parter, which follows vicars in rural Herefordshire, ticks the same boxes.

The introductory episode sees Rev Matthew Stafford commission a "jazzy clerical shirt" to marry Mel and Stu,

and shows us the amusing tat he gets sent including a solar-powered Pope and a Cheesus Christ cheese grater. But the twinkly music belies serious issues. Vicar Ruth visits dying congregant Barbara in a hospice ("It's really hard to see her like that"), while Nicholas has to report a break-in at one of his country churches.

So, in the face of diminishing congregations, how do the reverends stay relevant? **MARK BRAXTON**

JIMMY DOHERTY'S TV HERO

"When I was a child, I used to run home from school to watch *Amateur Naturalist* with Gerald Durrell," says Jimmy Doherty, who co-hosts **Jamie and Jimmy's Friday Night Feast** (8pm C4) with Jamie Oliver. "He'd show you how to catch animals to study them – and I built a little lab in my bedroom and a reptile house in my garage. I had lizards, grasshoppers, toads, newts, an aviary."

Durrell (pictured on the RT cover in 1980) also wrote *My Family and Other Animals*. "He



had such a sense of wonderment in the natural world, and it led me into academia.

"Billy Connolly is an inspiration, too," says Doherty. "He's one of the great storytellers. He has a way of painting pictures with words that lets you inside a world, and uses humour to make you feel relaxed."



Lethal Weapon

9.00pm **ITV**

DRAMA This small-screen version of the movie franchise barely troubled the ratings on ITV but it's a hit in America. So here's a second series of rampaging action comedy about the sappy-macho cops whose interests lean towards big guns, liquor and blowing up cars.

When we last saw them, straggle-haired LA detective Riggs – whose superpower is that he doesn't care if he dies – was heading to Mexico to avenge his wife's murder by killing the drug lord responsible.

His partner Murtaugh catches up with him and buddy-buddy palaver ensues, including their unique brand of semi-vigilante justice and some of television's silliest shootouts. These guys know how to dodge bullets. **DB**

David Bowie Night

From 9.00pm **BBC4**

MUSIC Two cracking docs from the archive, each homing in on the specifics of Bowie's genius. *Five Years* (9pm), from 2013, pinpoints key moments in the great man's career, helping to explain how he got so many different things so right, one after another, for nearly all the 1970s and a bit of the 1980s. It does that via interviews with collaborators, from Rick Wakeman to Nile Rodgers.

The Story of Ziggy Stardust (10.30pm), from 2012, reminds us that Ziggy was only a brief flash of alien light: there was just a year between *Starman* on *Top of the Pops* and the axing of the alter ego. The Spiders and their acolytes recall how Bowie found himself by pretending to be someone else. **JACK SEALE**

Will & Grace

10.00pm **Channel 5**

SITCOM The revived sitcom hits form with an episode that smartly plays on the long gap between series. Will and Jack are middle-aged now, a cold fact that their dating strategy is yet to acknowledge: while Jack's efforts to look young by using hold-in underwear, heavy make-up and magnets leads to some fun physical humour, Will tries to educate a 23-year-old airhead about the struggle for gay equality and the lasting merits of *Borderline* by Madonna.

Grace has a silly subplot involving Karen's voice-activated shower, but only after she's delivered the best line of the night, explaining why she stopped going to gay bars with Jack: "I got tired of you introducing me as your drag queen friend, Judy Ism." **JS**

DISCOVER TV PICK

Today's best of BBC3, iPlayer, Netflix and beyond



Sick Note

NowTV/Sky Box Sets

Nick Frost! Rupert Grint! Don Johnson! There are your three reasons to give this dark comedy thriller, which debuted on Sky last year, another look. To stick with it, you'll need a stomach for overtly tasteless stories: Grint is a man who chooses not to reveal that his cancer diagnosis was mistaken.

CHILDREN'S CHOICE

Just Dance World Cup Final

6.00pm **Disney (Sky 609, Virgin 727)**

The UK team get ready to compete in the national final of the worldwide competition.

■ **The Dog Ate My Homework** 5.30pm **CBBC**

With guests Lauren Layfield, Saima Chowdrey, Matthew Crosby and Jess Robinson.

BEST LIVE SPORT



■ **Championship Football: Sheffield United v Sheffield Wednesday** 7pm (k/o 7.45pm)

Sky Football/Main Event In-form Leon Clarke is the leading scorer for the Blades.

■ **Cricket: New Zealand v Pakistan, third ODI** 9.55pm **Sky Cricket; 11pm Main Event**

■ **US Tour Golf: Hawaii Open, round two** 12 midnight **Sky Golf**

FILM OF THE DAY

Amy

12.10am **C4**

Oscar-winning documentary about Amy Winehouse.

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ORWELLIAN HUMOUR

Frank Skinner welcomes Charlie Brooker, Pearl Mackie and Scarlett Moffatt



Room 101

8.30pm **BBC1**

COMEDY OF THE WEEK

Charlie Brooker completely floors his fellow guests with his rather broad suggestion that "anything I don't want to do" should be consigned to the dreaded vault.

"Most things aren't worth bothering with," he explains with a totally straight face to Scarlett Moffatt and Pearl Mackie's obvious horror. "It would have made no difference to the quality of my life if 98 per cent of it hadn't happened." He must be an absolute joy to live with – although he is hilarious here and argues his case eloquently.

So will Frank Skinner agree or will he come up with his own reason not to put that idea into Room 101? Among the hated things also up for discussion are haircuts, mosquitos and Crocs – that's the plastic shoes not the reptiles. **JANE RACKHAM**

FRIDAY Main Channels

DAYTIME

BBC1

6.00am Breakfast Naga Munchetty, Charlie Stayat. (S) (HD)
9.15 Rip-Off Britain: Holidays A look at issues viewers had with apparently "free" cancellations. (S) (HD)
10.00 Homes under the Hammer A flat, a Victorian house and a 1960s terraced house. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)
11.00 Wanted Down Under A couple looking for a better work-life balance in New Zealand. (S) (HD)
11.45 Close Calls: on Camera A speedboat trip sees the vessel swamped by a wave. (S) (HD)
12.15pm Bargain Hunt Antiques challenge. (S) (AD) (HD)
1.00 BBC News Regional News; Weather (S) (HD)
1.45 Doctors Daniel enjoys a night out, but feels the worse for wear the next day. (S) (AD) (HD)
2.15 Father Brown 10/10 Series 6. The clerical sleuth races to protect a crown that supposedly contains a nail from the crucifixion of Christ. (S) (AD) (HD)
3.00 I Escaped to the Country A couple who wanted to start a smallholding in the Welsh border region. (S) (HD)
3.45 The Farmers' Country Showdown Series 2 Farmers compete to win the year's Against the Odds category at the British Farming Awards. (S) (HD)
4.30-5.15 Antiques Road Trip Antiques experts Charles Hanson and Anita Manning travel to an auction via Edinburgh, Melrose and Kelso. (S) (HD)

BBC2

6.00am Flog It! Trade Secrets Bargains bought from car-boot and jumble sales. (R) (S) (HD)
6.30 The Farmers' Country Showdown Shire horse owners compete. Shown yesterday 3.45pm BBC1 (S) (HD)
7.15 Antiques Road Trip Shown yesterday 4.30pm BBC1 (S) (HD)
8.00-9.00 Sign Zone MasterChef: the Professionals The final round of heats continues. (R) (S) (AD)
RED BUTTON 8.30-9.30, 10.00-11.00 Skeleton The women's event from the World Cup meeting in Altenberg
9.00 Victoria Derbyshire Current affairs. (S) (HD)
11.00 BBC Newsroom Live (S) (HD)
12 noon Daily Politics Parliamentary report. (S) (HD)
RED BUTTON 12 noon-1.00pm, 1.30-2.30 Skeleton The men's event from the World Cup meeting in Altenberg
1.00pm Coast Visiting Looe and Falmouth. (R) (S)
1.15 Himalaya with Michael Palin The adventurer travels along the Yangtze river into China. (R) (S)
2.15 Michael's final leg takes him to Bhutan, where he witnesses archery contests at a Buddhist festival. (R) (S)
3.15 The Great British Winter A trip to the Shetland archipelago, witnessing the Northern Lights, Viking practices and present-day crofting. (R) (S) (HD)
4.15-5.15 Great Barrier Reef with David Attenborough The naturalist examines what the future holds for the reef. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

ITV

6.00am Good Morning Britain Chevy Chase reflects on the highs and lows of his career. (S) (HD)
8.30 Lorraine Entertainment and fashion news. (S) (HD)
9.25 The Jeremy Kyle Show Fighting talk. (S) (HD)
10.30 This Morning Including **Regional Weather** (S) (HD)
12.30pm Loose Women Topical discussion. (S) (HD)
1.30 ITV Lunchtime News Regional News; Weather (S) (HD)
2.00 Judge Rinder Real-life legal disputes. (S) (HD)
3.00 Dickinson's Real Deal An art nouveau frame, some letter seals and a vase feature in a "best of" compilation. (S) (HD) Followed by **Regional Weather**
4.00-5.00 Tipping Point Game show. (S) (HD)

Channel 4

6.15am Kirstie's Vintage Gems Creating some quick and easy 1960s-style pop art. (R) (S) (HD)
6.20 3rd Rock from the Sun Double bill. (R) (S) (AD)
7.10 Everybody Loves Raymond Triple bill. (R) (S)
8.35 Frasier Three episodes of the sitcom. (R) (S)
10.05 Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA Gordon helps a restaurant in West Babylon, New York. (R) (S)
11.00 Sun, Sea and Selling Houses Special-needs teacher Kerry Smith from London seeks a holiday home in southern Spain. (R) (S) (HD) **12 noon News** (S) (HD)
12.05-5.00pm LIVE Darts This afternoon two men will book their places in the semi-finals and the first of the women's finalists will be decided. (S) (HD)

BBC1

Room 101 8.30pm

Frank Skinner is torn over whether to banish a guest's pet peeve, as the series returns



5.15pm Pointless

With Alexander Armstrong and Richard Osman. (S) (HD)

6.00 BBC News Weather

(S) (HD)

6.30 Regional news magazines

(S) (HD)

7.00 The One Show

With Michelle Ackerley and Patrick Kielty. (S) (HD)

7.30 A Question of Sport

Emily Diamond, Mark Foster, James Horwill and Mark Stoneman guest on the light-hearted quiz.

Shown Wednesday 10.45pm (S) (HD)

Followed by **News Update** (S) (HD)

8.00 BBC SPORT ONLINE 7.30-9.30 Basketball

Coverage of Worcester Wolves v Bristol Flyers in the BBL at bbc.co.uk/sport

8.00 EastEnders

Whitney tries to get to the bottom of Tiffany's problems.

Writer Matthew Barry Cast Monday/Thursday Satellite and cable viewers can watch a repeat at 11pm on W (S) (AD) (HD)

COMEDY OF THE WEEK

8.30 Room 101

RT New series. 1/9 Series 7. Satirist Charlie Brooker, presenter Scarlett Moffatt and actress Pearl Mackie express their anger. **See page 107.**
 Director Ian Lorimer; Producer Emily Pickthall (S) (HD)

9.00 Would I Lie to You?

RT 8/10. David Mitchell and Lee Mack are joined by guest panellists Ade Edmondson, Claude Littner, Cariad Lloyd and Jordan Stephens. **See page 106.**
 Director Barbara Wilshire; Producers Mia Cross, Juliet Redden (S) (HD)

9.30 Mrs Brown's Boys

3/6 Series 1. Mammy's Merchandise. Agnes is making plans to ensure that Dermot and Maria eventually make the right choice of best man for their wedding.

Agnes Brown	Brendan O'Carroll	Cathy Brown	Jennifer Gibney
Winnie McGoogan	Eilish O'Carroll	Dermot Brown	Paddy Houlihan
Grandad Brown	Dermot O'Neill	Buster Brady	Danny O'Carroll

Writer Brendan O'Carroll; Director Ben Kelleff
 Producer Stephen McCrum (R) (S) (HD)

10.00 BBC News Regional News; Weather

(S) (HD) Followed by **National Lottery Update** (S)

10.35 The Graham Norton Show

The host is joined by Meryl Streep and Tom Hanks, co-stars of Steven Spielberg's new political drama *The Post*. Plus First Aid Kit performing *It's a Shame*.
 Director Steve Smith; Series producer Jon Magnusson (S) (HD)

11.25 Witless

New series. 1/5 Series 3. Leanne and Rhona's attempt to frame nemesis Willy Whelan backfires. The whole series has been available at bbc.co.uk/bbcthree and iPlayer since Wednesday.

Leanne	Kerry Howard	DJ Sound as F***	Nicholas Fruin
Rhona	Zoe Boyle	Gurvin	Joshua Grant
Patrick	Samuel Anderson	Willy Whelan	Francis Magee
DC Snowberry	Mark Davison	Brigid	Amy McAllister
Da	Brian Doherty	DC Wilton	T'Nia Miller
One Pack	Tim Faraday	Benny	Nick Preston
Emma (college tutor)	Sarah Flind	Prosecutor	Darren Machin

Writers Joe Tucker and Lloyd Woolf; Director Andrew Chaplin
 Producer Charlotte Lewis (S) (HD)

11.50 Sticky

Animated sitcom from the co-creator of *Fonejacker*. Panic ensues when the internet disappears worldwide.

Featuring the voices:

Herbert	Tom Hardy	Tim the librarian	Tony Way
Ashley	Javone Prince	Hayes	Tom Davis
Ziggy	Charlotte Riley	Mr Boot	Arthur Darvill
Jay	Kayvan Novak	Trisha	Dona Roll
		Creepy Craig	Liam Hourican

Writer Steve Burge; Director/Producer Ed Tracy Available online at bbc.co.uk/bbcthree and iPlayer since November (S) (HD)

12.15am Weather for the Week Ahead

(S) (HD)

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BBC2

A Vicar's Life

8.30pm The Rev Matthew Stafford (left) enters into the spirit of Mel and Stu's wedding



5.15pm Flog It!

A collection of finds from the series. Also, Paul Martin visits Coughton Court in Warwickshire. (R) (S) (HD)

6.00 Eggheads

Jeremy Vine hosts the daily quiz. (S) (HD)

6.30 Great British Railway Journeys

10/15 Series 9. Michael Portillo investigates the first radio signal to be sent across the Atlantic. Then in Plymouth, he uncovers what happened to surviving crew members of the ill-fated RMS *Titanic*, and in Fowey rediscovers a lost literary figure. (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 Rick Stein's Road to Mexico

4/7. The chef lands in the town that placed Tequila on the map and explores Guadalajara. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Mastermind

Specialist subjects are political crisis the Dreyfus Affair, Leonardo da Vinci, JS Bach and TV comedy *The Inbetweeners*. Presented by John Humphrys. Director Derek Hallworth; Producer Mark Helsby (S) (HD)

8.30 A Vicar's Life

RT New series. 1/6. Following the day-to-day lives of three vicars – Matthew, who works in a small Shropshire market town; Ruth, who is based in the cathedral city of Hereford; and Nicholas, who serves the scattered hill farming communities of the Black Mountains in south-east Wales. Tonight, Matthew persuades a hairdresser and her fiancé to get married in church, Ruth cares for a terminally ill churchwarden, while Nicholas has to deal with a break-in. **See p106.**
 Executive producer Jo Roe (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Rome Unpacked

RT 2/2. Andrew Graham-Dixon and Giorgio Locatelli go in search of Rome's papal, Baroque and Renaissance history, discovering it's visible all around them. After marvelling at the mosaics in the 12th-century Basilica di San Clemente, the duo head to the vast Testaccio slaughterhouse, where workers were once paid in offal which they took home and used as the basis of delicious dishes that are still sold in Rome today. Then Andrew shows Giorgio a 16th-century painting, *The Bean Eater* by Carracci, a Baroque masterpiece that makes an everyday subject look extraordinary. **See page 106.**
 Series producer Silvia Sacco; Executive producer Jeremy Dear (S) (AD)

10.00 QI

Sarah Millican, Cariad Lloyd and Alice Levine join regular panellist Alan Davies and host Sandi Toksvig. Director Ian Lorimer; Producer Piers Fletcher (S) (HD)

10.30 Newsnight

With Kirsty Wark. (S) (HD)

11.00 Weather

(S) (HD)

11.05 Deep Water

3/4. A guilt-ridden Nick and Tori investigate the death of Toohey and his links to the Pointers gang. (S) (HD)

12 midnight 4/4. Nick and Tori discover a vital lead, and the Thrustri identifies Oscar as the next to die.

Nick Manning	Noah Taylor	Terry O'Donahue	Oscar Redding
Tori Lustigman	Yael Stone	Don Lustigman	Geoff Morrell
Inspector Peel	William McInnes	Will Lustigman	Otis Pavlovic
Oscar Taylor	Jeremy Lindsay Taylor	Abel Chalmers	Anthony Phelan
Kyle Hampton	Craig McLachlan	Adna Rexhaj	Victoria Haralabidou
Brenda MacIntosh	Danielle Cormack	Ismail Rexhaj	Simon Elrahi
Rhys Callahan	Dan Spielman	Amir/Haris Rexhaj	Julian Maroun
Chris Toohey	Ben Oxenbould	Simon Mawbrey	Simon Burke
Brett O'Donahue	Fletcher Humphrys	Rohan Asad	George H Xanthis

Both episodes first shown on BBC Four (S) (HD)

12.50-2.05am Sign Zone 12.50 Millionaire Bankrupts Exposed: Panorama The methods used to retain the wealth of those declared bankrupt. Shown Monday 8.30pm BBC1 (S)

1.20 Annie: out of the Ashes The case of a woman who was left with severe facial scarring after a fire. (R) (S)

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ITV

Lethal Weapon

9.00pm Riggs goes into the swing of things as he goes south of the border to Mexico



5.00pm The Chase

Kate, Shaun, Gemma and John compete. (S) (HD)

6.00 Regional News Weather (S)

6.30 ITV Evening News Weather (S)

7.00 Emmerdale

Laurel is worried. Harriet is full of self-doubt. Writer Paul Coates Cast Tuesday/Thursday (S) (AD) (HD)

7.30 Coronation Street

Daniel casts a shadow over Chesney and Sinead's wedding. Continues at 8.30pm.

Chesney Brown	Sam Aston	Beth Sutherland	Lisa George
Sinead Tinker	Katie McGlynn	Eva Price	Catherine Tyldesley
Daniel Osbourne	Rob Mallard	Toyah Battersby	Georgia Taylor
Craig Tinker	Colson Smith	Leanne Battersby	Jane Danson
Bethany Platt	Lucy Fallon	Simon Barlow	Alex Bain
Sam Bryce	Amy Dolan	Dev Alahan	Jimmi Harkishin
Gemma Winter	Dolly-Rose Campbell	Gina Seddon	Connie Hyde
Brian Packham	Peter Gunn	Arlene Tinker	Alison Burrows
Cathy Matthews	Melanie Hill	Nancy Tinker	Kate Fitzgerald
Roy Cropper	David Neilson	Karen	Emma Ashton
Saira Habeeb	Kim Viithana	DC Yates	Kent Riley
Hassan Habeeb	Kriss Dosanjh	PC Rawani	Jag Sanghera
Henry Newton	George Banks	Prison officer	Alexis Platt
Abi Franklin	Sally Carman	Registrar	Beatrice Comins
Carla Connor	Alison King	Journalist	Rhiannon Kearns
Kirk Sutherland	Andrew Whymant		

Writer Simon Crowther More cast Wednesday (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 River Monsters

2/6 Series 9. Coral Reef Killer. On the tropical island of Sulawesi, Indonesia, a tourist snorkeler and several local fishermen have been injured and killed by a sea creature that impales its victims. Extreme angler Jeremy Wade sets about solving the mystery before anyone else is hurt. Director George Pagliero; Series producer Andie Clare (S) (HD)

8.30 Coronation Street

Eileen's faith in Phelan is shaken. Gemma gives Henry his marching orders. Writer Simon Crowther (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Lethal Weapon

RT New series. 1/22 Series 2. El Gringo Loco Riggs goes to Mexico, where he plans to avenge his wife's death – with Murtaugh in hot pursuit. Once they are back in the US, they have a few people to answer to during the ongoing investigation concerning Tito Flores, including Murtaugh's family. Meanwhile, Captain Avery is questioned by Internal Affairs about his department's integrity. See page 107. (S) (AD) (HD)

Roger Murtaugh	Damon Wayans	Riana Murtaugh	Chandler Kinney
Martin Riggs	Clayne Crawford	Roger Murtaugh Jr	Dante Brown
Dr Maureen "Mo" Cahill		Det Sonya Bailey	Michelle Mitchener
	Jordana Brewster	Gordon Barnes	Eric Ladin
Trish Murtaugh	Keesha Sharp	Tito Flores	Danny Mora
Capt Brooks Avery	Kevin Rahm	Monty Jenkins	George Sharperson

10.00 ITV News at Ten

Weather; Regional News and Weather (S)

10.40 Take Me Out

1/9. With a hairdresser from Glasgow, a rugby player from Surrey, a children's entertainer from Southport and a student from Southampton. Shown Saturday 7pm (S) (HD)

11.40 Through the Keyhole

Keith Lemon goes on a rummage around the abodes of three mystery celebrities, offering clues to Eamonn Holmes, Emma Bunton and Jonathan Ross as to who the famous residents are. Director Toby Baker; Exec producers Leon Wilson and Ed Sleeman (R) (S) (HD)

12.35am Jackpot247

Interactive gaming.

3.00 Alphabetical Quiz with Jeff Stelling.

(R) (S) (SL) (HD)

3.50–6.00am Nightscreen

Text information. (HD)

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Channel 4

Jamie and Jimmy's Friday Night Feast

8.00pm It's smiles all round as Warwick Davis pays a visit



5.00pm Come Dine with Me

There's an authentic African evening, some home-made classics and a menu of international flavours at dinner parties in the Watford and Hemel Hempstead area. Also on offer are yodelling, opera, gizzards and some very obscure entertainment. (R) (S) (HD)

6.00 The Simpsons

Jazzy and the Pussycats. Bart learns to play the drums, much to Lisa's chagrin. (R) (S) (AD)

6.30 Hollyoaks

Scott tries to explain to Damon what he saw.

Scott Drinkwell	Ross Adams	Ryan Knight	Duncan James
Damon Kinsella	Jacob Roberts	Sami Maalik	Rishi Nair
Maggie Kinsella	Michelle Holmes	Ste Hay	Kieron Richardson
Brody Hudson	Adam Woodward	Tegan Lomax	Jessica Ellis
Myra McQueen	Nicole Barber-Lane	Tony Hutchinson	Nick Pickard
Peri Lomax	Ruby O'Donnell	Yasmine Maalik	Haiesha Mistry
Prince	Malique Thompson-Dwyer	DS Thorpe	James Bradshaw

Writer Kevin Rundle More cast Tuesday. Shown yesterday 7pm E4 Rptd next Monday E4 Next episode follows on E4 (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 Channel 4 News Sport; Weather (S) (HD)

8.00 Jamie and Jimmy's Friday Night Feast

8/12 Series 5. Jamie Oliver and Jimmy Doherty welcome actor Warwick Davis to their café on Southend pier to make a beef and Stilton pie. Jamie also cooks a warming Vietnamese feast of pho, which is ideal for winter, and Jimmy builds a DIY hog roast. And the friends make honey as they find out how important British bees are to the nation's entire agricultural system. Series producer Dunk Barnes Executive producer Samantha Beddoes (S) (AD) (HD)

Jimmy Doherty's TV Hero: page 107

9.00 The Big Fat Quiz of Everything

Quizmaster Jimmy Carr asks contestants, including Vic Reeves, Bob Mortimer, Claudia Winkleman, Miranda Hart, Jonathan Ross and Nish Kumar, vexing questions on history, music, science, film and television from every epoch of the last 100,000 years. Charles Dance, Jon Snow, and the children of Mitchell Brook Primary School drop by to assist, and there are numerous other celebrity question setters. Tune in to find out what was said on the first ever phone call, why 1997 was such a big year for chess and who among the contestants knows enough to claim the Big Fat Quiz crown. Director Mick Thomas; Series producer Matt Nida Repeated 2.05am 4seven (S) (HD)

11.05 First Dates Hotel

Ep 1 Series 2. Maître d' Fred Sirieix's guests include nursery worker Kaylee, who is matched with bricklayer Keiren. But what will recruitment consultant Vanessa make of company director Julian and his orange suit? See choice, p67. Shown Monday 10pm (S) (AD) (HD)

12.10am Amy ★★★★★ Oscar-winning documentary. Using archive footage, previously unseen material and contemporary interviews, director Asif Kapadia paints an intimate portrait of singer/songwriter Amy Winehouse, who died at the age of just 27. Film of the Day: page 39. (2015, 15) (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

2.30 Kiri 1/4. Social worker Miriam is caught up in a police investigation when a young girl goes missing on one of her unsupervised visits. See choice, page 86. Shown Wednesday 9pm (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)

3.20 Grand Designs Australia A Sydney family builds a three-storey beach house in Byron Bay. (R) (S)

4.15 Coast vs Country The experts help a couple looking for a property in Essex. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

5.10–6.05am Location, Location, Location With two couples who had high expectations. (R) (S) (SL) (HD)

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BBC4

9

Five Years in the Making of an Icon

9.00pm Pivotal moments in the career of David Bowie



9.00 RED BUTTON from 11.00am

Sound of 2018 Watch the most exciting new music acts in the world, as nominated on the BBC Music Sound of 2018 list.

7.00pm World News Today

Weather (S) (HD)

7.30 Top of the Pops 1985

Featuring Smiley Culture, Sal Solo, Paul Young, Tears for Fears, Toy Dolls, Madonna and Band Aid. First aired 3 January. Producer Michael Hurlf Repeated 12.30am (R) (S)

8.10 The Good Old Days

Arthur Askey, Ted Durante and Hilda, Sheila Buxton, Liz Robertson and Billy Dainty entertain an audience from the stage of the Leeds City Varieties. First broadcast in 1980. Producer Barney Colehan (R) (S) (HD)

9.00 David Bowie: Five Years in the Making of an Icon

RT The first programme in a night dedicated to the music icon. This 2013 documentary looks back at five turning points in Bowie's career. The film follows his launch as alien rocker Ziggy Stardust through his stateside rebirth as the "plastic soul" star of *Young Americans*. But as drug use started to take its toll, the sinister Thin White Duke crooned over the icy rhythms of *Station to Station*. After regenerating with the electronic "Berlin" trilogy, Bowie then went on to huge commercial success with *Scary Monsters (and Super Creeps)* and *Let's Dance*. See page 107. Director/Producer Francis Whatley (R) (S) (HD)

RT DVDs To order *David Bowie: Rare and Unseen*, price £9.99 incl p&p (RRP £12.99), call 0844 848 7300 or visit radiotimes.com/dvds02, quoting RT1585

10.30 David Bowie and the Story of Ziggy Stardust

Jarvis Cocker narrates an insight into the singer/songwriter's creation of his alter ego, revealing how David Bowie's hairstyles, fashion sense, stage presentation and album *The Rise and Fall of Ziggy Stardust and the Spiders from Mars* turned him into a star. Featuring contributions by Elton John, Marc Almond, Holly Johnson, Peter Hook and Jon Savage. Director/Producer James Hale Repeated 2.15am (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

11.30 Glam Rock at the BBC

A celebration of the spangly pop and rock that lit up the British charts in the early 1970s, featuring T Rex, David Bowie, Roxy Music, Alice Cooper and others. Producer David Maguire Executive producer Mark Cooper (R) (S) (HD)

12.30am Top of the Pops 1985 Featuring Madonna and Band Aid. Shown 7.30pm (S)

1.15 Northern Soul: Living for the Weekend The rise of the music and dance movement during the 1970s. (R) (S) (HD)

2.15–3.15am David Bowie and the Story of Ziggy Stardust Shown 10.30pm (S) (AD) (HD)

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HD Freeview 106 Freesat 107 Virgin 163

Channel 5 listings are overleaf plus 30 more Freeview channels

Regional variations

BBC2 SCOTLAND

7.00–8.00pm Rick Stein's Road to Mexico: the chef heads from San Diego to Tijuana

STV

12.35am Home Shopping 1.35 After Midnight 3.05 Tenable 3.55 Nightscreen 5.05–6.00 The Jeremy Kyle Show

BBC2 WALES

3.15–4.15pm The Great British Winter: Ellie Harrison explores winter in the estuarine habitat of Morecambe Bay

ITV WALES

8.00–8.30pm The Strait: landscape photographer Glyn escapes to the snowcapped hills

UTV

12.35am Shopping 1.35–3.00 Nightscreen

RT Coverage
RT Red button coverage
(R) Repeat
(S) Subtitles
(SL) Signing
(AD) Audio description
(HD) High definition
(W) Film in widescreen
(BW) Black and white

Films **P** Premiere
Star Ratings
★★★★★ Outstanding
★★★★ Very good
★★★ Worth watching
★★ Could be worse
★ Poor

FRIDAY Freeview

Channel 5 5



The Wine Show 7.00pm Jancis Robinson and Joe Fattorini offer advice

Freeview 5 Freesat 105 Sky 105 Virgin 105

HD Freeview 105 Freesat 105 Virgin 150

6.00am Milkshake! See page 113

9.15 New. The Wright Stuff (HD)

11.15 GPs: behind Closed Doors Pregnant patients. (S) (AD) (HD) **12.10pm 5 News** (S) (HD)

12.15 The Hotel Inspector The Caspian hotel in Ealing. (S) (HD) **1.10 New. Access** (S) (HD)

1.15 Home and Away Shown yesterday 6.30pm 5 Star Repeated 6pm C5 (S) (AD) (HD)

1.45 New. Neighbours Rptd 5.30pm (S) (AD) (HD)

2.15 NCIS 7/24 Series 7. A civilian doctor is found dead on naval academy grounds. (S) (AD)

3.15 The Perfect Stalker ★★ Thriller starring Danielle Savre. A woman suffering from a personality disorder becomes obsessed with her neighbour. Director Curtis Crawford (2016) (S) (W) (HD)

5.00pm 5 News (S) (HD)

5.30 Neighbours Mishti and Leo's relationship is tested. Shown 1.45pm Repeated 6pm 5 Star (S) (AD) (HD)

6.00 Home and Away Tori rejects Ash's apology. Shown 1.15pm Next episode 6.30pm 5 Star (S) (AD) (HD)

6.30 5 News Tonight (S) (HD)

7.00 New series. The Wine Show **RT** **1/7 Series 2.** Actors James Purefoy and Matthew Goode look around the south of France for wines to accompany a gourmet lunch. See **p106.** Directors Ed St Giles, Jim Ashley and Carl Prechezer; Series producer Melanie Jappy (S) (HD) Followed by **5 News Update** (S) (HD)

8.00 New. Costa Del Celebrity **2/4.** The five famous friends continue their exploration of Spain, including lessons in flamenco and wine-making. Directors Donna Wood and Nick Gardner Producer Arianna Perretta (S) (HD) Followed by **5 News Update** (S) (HD)

9.00 New. Celebrity Big Brother: Live Eviction Emma Willis hosts. Continues 10.35pm. Repeated at 3.10am (HD)

10.00 New. Will & Grace **RT** **2/16 Series 9.** Will is back on the dating scene after his divorce, but he's feeling his age. See **p107.** (S) (HD) Grace Adler Debra Messing Will Truman Eric McCormack Karen Walker Megan Mullally Jack McFarland Sean Hayes Tony Anthony Ramos

10.35 New. Celebrity Big Brother: Live Eviction Catching up with the latest action. Repeated at 4am (HD)

11.05 New. Celebrity Big Brother's Bit on the Side Presented by Rylan Clark-Neal. (S) (HD)

12 midnight New. SuperCasino (S) (HD) **3.10am** Celebrity Big Brother: the Eviction Shown 9/10.35pm (S) (HD) **4.25** Lip Sync Battle UK (S) (HD) **4.45** House Doctor (S) (SL) **5.10** Wildlife SOS (S) (SL) **5.35-6.00am** Nick's Quest (S) (SL)

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BBC4 listings are overleaf

ITV2 6



Paul 9.00pm An extraterrestrial needs help from Graeme (Simon Pegg)

F'view 6 F'sat 113 Sky 118 Virgin 115 **HD** Virgin 176

6.00am Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records (S) (HD) **6.55** Dress to Impress (S) (HD) **7.45** Emmerdale (S) (AD) (HD) **8.50** You've Been Framed! Gold (S) **9.25** The Ellen DeGeneres Show (S) (HD) **10.10** Who's Doing the Dishes? (S) (HD) **11.10** Dress to Impress (S) (HD)

12.10pm Emmerdale Shown yesterday 7/8pm ITV (S) (AD) (HD) **1.15** You've Been Framed! Gold (S) **1.45** New. The Ellen DeGeneres Show (S) (HD) **2.35** The Jeremy Kyle Show (S) (HD) **5.50** Take Me Out (S) (HD)

7.00pm You've Been Framed! Gold: A to Z An alphabetical selection of calamities. (S)

8.00 New. Two and a Half Men **9/22 Series 11.** Walden's date with an accident-prone model lasts longer than he expected. First shown on Comedy Central (S) (HD)

8.30 New. Superstore In an Olympic special, the store celebrates the 2016 Games with a promotion – but Glenn's opening ceremony proves to be a disaster. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Paul ★★ Sci-fi comedy with Simon Pegg and Nick Frost. On their much anticipated road trip to America's notorious Area 51, two sci-fi geeks find themselves in the company of a real-life extraterrestrial who needs their help. **Review page 38.**

Graeme Willy Simon Pegg Clive Gollings Nick Frost Paul Seth Rogen (voice only) Jason Bateman Jane Lynch Special Agent Lorenzo Zoil Pat Stevens Director Greg Mottola (2010, 15) (S) (W) (HD)

11.10 Family Guy **Series 2.** Peter's father moves in. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.40 Series 1. Peter destroys the town's TV transmitter. (S) (AD) (HD)

12.10am American Dad! (S) (AD) (HD) **1.05** Two and a Half Men (S) (HD) **1.35** Superstore (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00-2.30am** Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records (S) (HD)

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Dave 12

F'view 12 F'sat 157 Sky 111 Virgin 127 **HD** Virgin 194 BT 387

7.10am Scrapheap Challenge **8.10** American Pickers (S) (HD) **9.00** Storage Hunters (S) **10.00** American Pickers (S) (HD)

1.00pm Best of Top Gear (S) (AD) **2.00** Top Gear (S) (AD) **3.00** Deadly 60 **4.00** Ice Road Truckers (S) **5.00** Top Gear (S) (AD)

7.00pm Cops UK: Bodycam Squad A raid takes place on a suspected drugs den. (S) (HD)

8.00 Inebriated locals in Burton cause problems on the night shift. (S) (HD)

9.00 Live at the Apollo Pub Landlord Al Murray lets rip, before calling time and making way for Chris Addison and Tim Vine. (S)

10.00 Taskmaster 4/8 Series 4. Greg Davies sets tasks to Mel Giedroyc and Noel Fielding, ultimately deciding who wins.

11.00 **QI** Stephen Fry quizzes Peter Serafinowicz, Julia Morris and Rich Hall. (S)

11.40 Rob Brydon, Gyles Brandreth and Rich Hall answer questions on Africa, alcoholics and Aristotle. (S)

12.20am Mock the Week (S) **1.00** **QI** (S) **2.20** Mock the Week (S) **3.00-4.00am** Dynamor: Magician Impossible (S) (AD) (HD)

Dave Ja Vu Freeview 79 Sky 214 Virgin 211

ITV3 10



Rosemary & Thyme 9.00pm A Harley Street psychiatrist is found murdered

F'view 10 F'sat 115 Sky 119 Virgin 117 **HD** Virgin 177

6.00am Classic Coronation Street (S) **6.55** Heartbeat (S) (AD) **7.55** The Royal (S) **9.00** Judge Judy (S) (HD) **10.25** The Darling Buds of May: double bill (S) (HD)

12.35pm The Royal (S) **1.40** Heartbeat (S) (AD) **2.40** Classic Coronation Street: double bill. Pete joins Terry and Curly selling door-to-door, then Linda is confused by her feelings (S) **3.50** On the Buses (S) **4.55** Rising Damp (S) **5.25** George & Mildred (S)

5.55pm Heartbeat David is terrified that Peggy's double-dealing has incurred the wrath of a ghost. (S) (AD)

7.00 Murder, She Wrote An old friend of Jessica's dies and the heir to a fortune, who has been missing for over 20 years, makes a reappearance. (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Rosemary & Thyme **Aqua Cadaver.** Rosemary and Laura are invited to a village in the hills behind Malaga to help create an Arabic garden. But one of the local residents is found dead. (S) (AD)

9.00 Three Legs Good. Harley Street psychiatrist Pavel Volkar is found dead in London's Regent's Park, where Rosemary and Laura are working. (S) (AD)

Rosemary Boxer Felicity Kendal Laura Thyme Pam Ferris Neil Spicer Martin Turner Nicola Spicer Tracy Brabin Luis Mendes Joe Ferrera Helena Daisy Dunlop Ollie Tim Woodward Hilby Gil Brailley

10.00 Foyle's War **1/4 Series 4. The French Drop.** Foyle uncovers an intricate web of espionage spun by the Special Operations Executive when a burnt body is discovered. (S) (AD)

12.10am Inspector Morse (S) (SL) (HD) **2.05** Love and Marriage (S) (AD) (HD) **2.55** **FILM** Death on the Nile ★★ Murder mystery starring Peter Ustinov (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

5.15 Richard Wilson on the Road (S) (HD)

5.35-6.00am Nightscreen (HD)

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F'view 24 F'sat 117 Sky 120 Virgin 118 **HD** Virgin 178

6.00am The Chase (S) (HD) **6.50** Pawn Stars (S) (HD) **7.30** Ironside (S) **8.35** Quincy (S) (HD) **9.35** Minder (S) (AD) **10.45** The Sweeney (S) **11.50** The Professionals (S) (AD)

12.50pm Ironside (S) (AD) **1.55** Quincy (S) (HD) **2.55** Minder (S) (AD) **4.00** The Sweeney (S) **5.05** The Professionals (S) (AD)

6.05pm The Car Chasers A treasure trove of four-wheel classics. (S) (HD)

7.00 Pawn Stars Corey and Chumlee have big plans for Halloween. (S) (HD)

7.30 The pawnbrokers check out a rifle used in the Wounded Knee Massacre. (S) (HD)

8.00 Hornblower 2/8. Horatio questions his readiness for command. (S) (HD)

10.05 **FILM** **Platoon** ★★★★★ Oscar-winning war drama starring Tom Berenger, Willem Dafoe and Charlie Sheen. Within days of his arrival in Vietnam, college dropout Chris Taylor is plunged into the hellish life of a GI, a world of fear, exhaustion and casual brutality. **Review page 35.** (S) (AD)

12.35am **FILM** Dawn of the Dead ★★ (S) (AD) (W) (HD) **2.30-3.00am** The Protectors

ITV4 +1 Freesat 154 Sky 193 Virgin 175

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The Inspector Lynley Mysteries **8.00pm** Havers is in Buckinghamshire

Freeview 20 Freesat 158 Sky 158 Virgin 128

7.10am The Bill (S) **8.00** London's Burning **9.00** Casualty **10.00** Bergerac (S) **11.00** The Bill: Conway takes to the airwaves

12 noon The Duchess of Duke Street **1.00pm** Last of the Summer Wine (S) (AD)

1.40 Steptoe and Son (BW) (S) **2.20** Birds of a Feather **3.00** London's Burning **4.00** New Tricks (S) (AD) **5.00** The Duchess of Duke Street: Charlie Tyrrell feels disillusioned

6.00pm One Foot in the Grave Victor thinks he has discovered a talent for writing comedy, but his views of what is funny differ from everybody else. (S)

6.40 Last of the Summer Wine Compo, Clegg and Foggy gamely volunteer to investigate reports of something sinister stirring in the woods. (S) (AD)

7.20 Goodnight Sweetheart Gary realises life in 1941 is not what he expected when he is put on fire-watching duty. Phoebe is distressed to discover her relationship is the subject of gossip. (S)

8.00 The Inspector Lynley Mysteries **2/4 Series 2. In the Presence of the Enemy** Havers is sent to Buckinghamshire to investigate the death of a left-wing politician's illegitimate daughter, whose body has been found in a river. Teaming up with a friendly and helpful local police constable, she makes good headway with the case – until the disappearance of a second child complicates matters. (S)

10.00 New Tricks **9/10 Series 12. Life Expectancy.** When a blood-stained bust is uncovered in a cemetery, the find seems to be connected to the murder of an alternative-medicine practitioner, who was bludgeoned to death seven years earlier. (S) (AD)

11.20 Birds of a Feather Sharon's husband Chris sees a family tragedy as a chance to escape from prison.

12 midnight The Bill **1.00am** Bergerac (S)

2.15 Crocodile Shoes **3.10** A Fine Romance **3.35-4.00am** Garden Hopping

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F'view 26 F'sat 118 Sky 149 (131 STV) Virgin 119 **HD** Virgin 179

9.00am Be Beautiful (S) (AD) (HD) **9.10** The Only Way Is Essex (S) (AD) **10.00** Flipping Out (HD) **11.00** The Real Housewives of Atlanta (S) **11.30** **New.** Cake Hunters (S) (HD)

12 noon Buying and Selling (HD) **1.00pm** Dinner Date (S) (HD) **2.00** Chrisley Knows Best (HD) **3.00** The Real Housewives of New Jersey (S) (HD) **4.00** The Real Housewives of Beverly Hills: double bill (S) (HD)

6.00pm Dinner Date Darren from London hopes to find love on a blind date. (S) (HD)

7.00 Buying and Selling Brothers Jonathan and Drew Scott help homeowners take their next step up the property ladder. (HD)

8.00 Dinner Date Matt from London chooses to dine with three of five potential sweethearts hoping for a second date. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Botched A failed face lift. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 A fitness enthusiast addicted to nasal spray asks Paul Nassif to fix her nose. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 Mob Wives Ramona shares her wedding plans, but Karen continues to offer unwelcome advice. (S) (HD)

12 midnight-12.55am The Jeremy Kyle Show USA

ITVBe +1 Freesat 119 Sky 206 Virgin 120

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American Reunion 9.00pm Jim, Kevin, Oz and Finch celebrate the old days

F'view 28 F'sat 122 Sky 136 Virgin 106 **HD** Virgin 145

6.00am Hollyoaks Shown Wed/Thu 6.30pm C4 (S) (AD) (HD) **7.00** Coach Trip: Road to Tenerife Shown Thu 7.30pm (S) (AD) (HD) **7.30** Streetmate (S) (HD) **8.00** Charmed (S) **9.00** Melissa & Joey (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** Baby Daddy (S) (AD) (HD) **11.00** Brooklyn Nine-Nine (S) (AD) (HD)

12 noon The Goldbergs (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00pm** The Big Bang Theory (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00** Melissa & Joey (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Baby Daddy (S) (HD) **4.00** Brooklyn Nine-Nine (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00** The Goldbergs (S) (AD) (HD)

6.00pm **The Big Bang Theory** 22/24 Series 9. The gang runs into Penny's old boyfriend Zack. (S) (AD) (HD) **6.30** 23/24. Sheldon pays Stuart to be Amy's substitute boyfriend. (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 New. Hollyoaks More drama from the Chester suburb. Cast pp79/109 Rptd next Monday C4 (S) (AD) (HD)

7.30 New. Coach Trip: Road to Tenerife The tourists take part in a traditional cider-pouring class in Gijón, Spain. (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 The Crystal Maze: Celebrity Special Joel Dommett, Jermaine Jenas, Adil Ray, Tamara Wall and team captain Rylan Clark-Neal enter the labyrinth. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 American Reunion ★★ Comedy starring Jason Biggs, Alyson Hannigan and Seann William Scott. Old friends Jim, Oz and Stifler assemble for their school reunion, but while they might now be 30-somethings with all the trappings of a suburban lifestyle, trouble, and rampant hormones, are still not far away. Directors Jon Hurwitz and Hayden Schlossberg (2012, 15) (S) (W) (HD)

11.15 The Big Bang Theory 18&19/24 Series 4. (S) (AD) (HD) **12.15am** Gogglebox (S) (SL) (HD) **1.20** Tattoo Fixers (S) (AD) (HD) **2.25** The Crystal Maze: Celebrity Special (S) (AD) (HD) **3.20** Celebs Go Dating (S) (AD) (HD) **4.10** Rude(ish) Tube (S) **4.35-6.00am** Charmed (S)

E4 +1 Freeriew 29 Freesat 123 Sky 137 Virgin 146

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F'view 47 F'sat 127 Sky 140 Virgin 143 **HD** F'view 110

9.00am Four in a Bed (S) (HD) **9.30** Come Dine with Me: five editions (S) (HD) **12 noon** Coast vs Country (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00pm** A Place in the Sun: Winter Sun (S) (HD) **3.00** Sun, Sea and Selling Houses (S) (AD) **4.00** Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA (S)

6.00pm **Location, Location, Location** First-time buyers in north London. (S) (HD) **7.00** **George Clarke's Amazing Spaces 1/8** Series 7. A canal boat conversion. See choice, p96. Shown yesterday 8pm C4 (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** **Kirstie and Phil's Love It or List It 2/8** Series 3. A cramped semi-detached home in Long Eaton, Derbyshire. (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** **999: What's Your Emergency? Ep 1** Series 4. In Wiltshire, the focus is on the rise in racially aggravated hate crimes. (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** **The Undateables 1/4** Series 8. Photography graduate Becky, who has scoliosis, is determined to find a boyfriend. See choice, page 66. Shown Monday 9pm C4 (S) (AD) (HD) **11.05** **The Secret Life of the Zoo Ep 8** Series 4. A chimpanzee power struggle. (S) (AD) (HD) **12.10am** SAS: Who Dares Wins (S) (AD) (HD) **1.10** Hunted (S) (AD) (HD) **2.05** The Big Fat Quiz of Everything (S) (HD) **3.50-4.50am** Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA (S) (HD)

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Red Eye 9.00pm Jackson explains Lisa's role in an assassination plot

F'view 14 F'sat 124 Sky 138 Virgin 147 **HD** Virgin 195

8.55am Food Unwrapped (S) (HD) **9.30** A Place in the Sun: Home or Away (S) (HD) **10.30** Four in a Bed (S) (HD)

1.05pm Come Dine with Me (S) (HD) **3.50** A Place in the Sun: Home or Away (S) (HD) **5.55** The Secret Life of the Zoo (S) (AD) (HD)

6.55pm **The Supervet** A six-year-old German shepherd with a life-threatening tumour is treated. (S) (HD)

7.55 **Grand Designs** Kevin revisits a prototype, prefabricated home in west Cumbria. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 **Red Eye ★★**

■ Suspense thriller. Travelling back home on a night flight, Lisa Reiser discovers that she is being forced to co-operate in an assassination plot. **Review page 39.**

Lisa Reiser
Charles Keefe
Director Wes Craven (2005, 12) (S) (W) (HD)
Rachel McAdams
Cillian Murphy
Brian Cox
Jayma Mays
Jack Scalia

10.40 **24 Hours in A&E** A man who fell from a ladder. (S) (AD)

11.40 **Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA**

The Lido Di Manhattan in California. (S) **12.40am** Ramsay's Hotel Hell (S) (AD) (HD) **1.35** Grand Designs (S) (AD) (HD) **2.45-3.30am** Eight out of Ten Cats (S) (HD)

More4 +1 Freeriew 86 Freesat 125 Sky 139 Virgin 196

5 USA 21

Freeriew 21 Freesat 129 Sky 174 Virgin 153

9.00am Catch a Contractor **9.20** Cedar Cove **11.25** The Mentalist (S) (AD) **12.20pm** Law & Order (S) **2.20** The Mentalist (S) (AD) **3.10** Rookie Blue (S) **5.00** Law & Order (S) **7.00pm** NCIS: New Orleans 19&20/24 Series 1 (S) (AD) **9.00** The Mysteries of Laura 8/22 Series 1. The detective investigates the death of a cosmetics salesperson (S) **10.00** Law & Order: Special Victims Unit: double bill **3/24** Series 11. A young woman goes missing **10.55** 4/24. A recovering alcoholic wakes up with a head injury and a dead woman lying in his bed **11.55** NCIS: New Orleans **12.50am** Cedar Cove **2.50** Chicago PD **3.50-4.00am** Access

5 USA +1 F'view 56 (6pm-5am) F'sat 130 Sky 191 Virgin 185

5 Star 30

Freeriew 30 Freesat 131 Sky 176 Virgin 151

8.00am Access **8.05** My Wife and Kids (S) **8.25** Gilmore Girls (S) **9.15** Milkshake! **11.00** Access **11.05** According to Jim (S) **12 noon** Nightmare Tenants, Slum Landlords (S) **1.00pm** Celebrity Big Brother (S) **2.00** Police Interceptors (S) **3.00** Neighbours (S) (AD) **3.30** Home and Away (S) (AD) **4.00** The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air (S) **5.00** Will & Grace (S) **6.00pm** Neighbours Shown 5.30pm C5 (S) (AD) **6.30** **New.** Home and Away Rptd next Monday C5 (S) (AD) **7.00** The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air: double bill (S) **8.00** Diet Secrets and How to Lose Weight (S) **9.00** **FILM** Elysium ★★ Sci-fi drama starring Matt Damon and Jodie Foster. **Review p38** (S) **11.10** **FILM** Jet Li's The One ★★ Sci-fi martial arts adventure (S) **1.00am** Now That's Funny! (S) **3.05** Top 20 Funniest (S) **3.50-4.00am** Access

5 Star +1 Freeriew 55 Freesat 132 Sky 190 Virgin 186

PBS America is listed overleaf. See p114 for Film4 and other Freeview movie channels

Yesterday 19

Freeriew 19 Freesat 159 Sky 537 Virgin 245

6.00am Coast (S) (AD) **7.10** Pointless **8.00** Time Team (S) **9.00** Coast (S) (AD) **10.00** Wartime Crime (AD) **11.00** as 8pm **12 noon** Time Team (S) **1.00pm** Human Universe (S) (AD) **2.00** Yellowstone (S) **3.00** Coast (S) (AD) **4.00** The Golden Age of Steam Railways (S) (AD) **5.00** The World's Weirdest Weapons: guided bombs (S) (AD)

6.00pm **Battleplan** Pre-emptive strikes. (S) **7.00** **Wartime Crime** Examining the story of Dr Marcel Petiot, a mass murderer in Nazi-occupied France. (AD)

8.00 **Who Do You Think You Are?** Nigel Havers explores his family history. (S) (AD) **9.00** **Men Behaving Badly** Gary and Dorothy take a weekend break.

9.40 Tony tries to make Deborah jealous. **10.20** Gary makes a drunken proposal. (S) **11.00** **The World's Weirdest Weapons** Investigating the quest to make the world's first guided bombs. (S) (AD)

12 midnight Battleplan: pre-emptive strikes (S) **1.00am** Surviving the Holocaust - Freddie Knoller's War (S) **2.00-3.00am** Pointless

Yesterday +1 Sky 538 Virgin 246

Home 25

Freeriew 25 Freesat 166 Sky 196 Virgin 281 BT 314

7.05am Homes under the Hammer **8.00** Flog It! **9.00** Ground Force **10.00** as 7pm **11.00** Cash in the Attic **12 noon** Escape to the Country **1.00pm** DIY SOS: the Big Build (AD) **2.00** Escape to the Country **3.00** Flog It! **4.00** Cash in the Attic **5.00** Homes under the Hammer **6.00** Ground Force **7.00** Wanted Down Under **8.00** Escape to the Country **10.00** Tiny House, Big Living **11.00** Ground Force **12 midnight** as 1pm **1.00am** as 5pm **2.00** as 7pm **2.50-4.00am** Flog It!

Home +1 Sky 244 Virgin 282

5 Spike 31

Freeriew 31 Freesat 141 Sky 160 Virgin 154

9.00am The Cars That Made Britain Great **10.00** Police Interceptors **12 noon** Knight Rider **1.00pm** **FILM** Destroyer ★★ War drama starring Edward G Robinson (BW) **3.00** **FILM** The Jigsaw Man ★★ Spy drama starring Michael Caine, Laurence Olivier and Susan George **5.00** Knight Rider **6.00pm** Police Interceptors **8.00** Traffic Cops: on the Edge: a 16-year-old car thief is apprehended in the early hours, and a young speeder crashes his car, causing a fireball and breaking his back in the process. **9.00** **New.** Impact Wrestling: high-risk matches and interviews with the stars **11.00** **FILM** Darkness Descends ★★ Thriller starring Danny Trejo **1.00am** The X-Files **2.00-3.00am** Wynonna Earp

5 Spike +1 Sky 219

True Entertainment 61

Freeriew 61 (not Wales) Freesat 142 Sky 182 Virgin 189

6.00am The Waltons **7.00** Little House on the Prairie **8.00** The Waltons **10.00** Little House on the Prairie **1.00pm** **FILM** A Wedding on Walton's Mountain ★★ Drama **3.00** **FILM** Too Young to Marry ★★ Romantic drama starring Polly Draper **5.00** Murder, She Wrote **6.00** Touched by an Angel: a businessman settles old scores **7.00** M*A*S*H **8.00** The Man from Uncle **9.00** Taggart **11.00-1.00am** **FILM** At the Midnight Hour ★★

True Entertainment +1 Freesat 152 Sky 183

Horror Channel 70

Freeriew 70 Freesat 138 Sky 319 Virgin 149

8.00am Highlander **9.00** Star Trek: the Next Generation **10.00** Star Trek **11.00** **FILM** Meteorites! ★ **12.50pm** Horror Highlights **10.00** Amazing Stories: the Movie III **3.00** Earth: Final Conflict **4.00** **FILM** Independence Day-saster ★★ **5.50** Horror Highlights **6.00** Star Trek **7.00** Star Trek: the Next Generation **8.00** Lost in Space **9.00** **FILM** The Unborn ★★ Horror **10.50** **FILM** Hostel ★★ Horror **12.40am** **FILM** The Reef ★★ **4.20-4.30am** Horror Highlights

Pick 11

Freeriew 11 Freesat 144 Sky 152 Virgin 123

6.00am as 4am **7.00** Border Patrol **8.00** Border Security: Canada's Front Line **9.00** as 2pm **10.00** Babylon 5 **11.00** Stargate SG-1 **12 noon** Nothing to Declare **1.00pm** A Town Called Eureka **2.00** Without a Trace **3.00** Stop, Search, Seize (AD) **4.00** Nothing to Declare UK **5.00** Monkey Life (AD) **6.00pm** A Town Called Eureka **7.00** Stargate SG-1 **8.00** Babylon 5: **9.00** Elementary **10.00** The Force: Essex **11.00** The Force: Manchester (AD) **12 midnight** Brit Cops: Rapid Response **1.00am** Police 10/7 **2.00** Road Wars **3.00** Brit Cops: Rapid Response (AD) **4.00** Nothing to Declare **5.00-6.00am** Motorway Patrol (AD)

Pick +1 Freesat 145 Sky 164 (NI 283)

Really 17

Freeriew 17 Freesat 160 Sky 155 Virgin 129

6.00am Brainwashed **7.00** Home Shopping **8.00** Antiques Road Trip **9.00** A Place in the Sun: Winter Sun **10.00** **DIY SOS** (AD) **11.00** Ghost Adventures (AD) **12 noon** The Dead Files **1.00pm** Escape to the Country (AD) **2.00** A Place in the Sun: Winter Sun **3.00** Wanted Down Under **4.00** The Dead Files **5.00** Ghost Adventures **6.00pm** Antiques Road Trip **7.00** Escape to the Country **8.00** **DIY SOS** **9.00** Ghost Adventures **10.00** Ghost Adventures Aftershock (AD) **12 midnight** Haunted Collector **1.00am** Ghost Adventures **2.00** Home Shopping **4.00** Born to Kill? **4.50-6.00am** DIY SOS

Quest 37

Freeriew 37 Freesat 167 Sky 144 Virgin 172

6.00am Dream Fishing **6.20** Lake Escapes **7.10** Mega Shippers **8.00** Chasing Classic Cars **9.00** How It's Made **11.00** Railroad Australia **12 noon** Outback Truckers **1.00pm** Mega Shippers **2.00** Wheeler Dealers **3.00** Fantomworks (AD) **4.00** Crashes That Changed Flying **5.00** How Stuff's Made **6.00** Chasing Classic Cars **7.00** **New.** Ultimate Airport Dubai **8.00** Salvage Hunters **9.00** **New.** Chaos Caught on Camera **10.00** Body Cam Cops **11.00** **New.** World's Deadliest Drivers **12 midnight** as 2pm **1.00am** as 6pm **2.00** as 3pm **3.00** Destroyed in Seconds **4.00** as 12 noon **5.00-6.00am** Overhauled

Quest +1 F'view 83 (7pm-4am) F'sat 168 Sky 195 Virgin 173

Challenge 46

Freeriew 46 Freesat 146 Sky 145 Virgin 139

6.00am Golden Balls **7.00** Catchphrase (AD) **8.00** Bruce Forsyth's Play Your Cards Right **9.00** The Chase **10.00** Family Fortunes (AD) **11.00** Bruce's Price Is Right **12 noon** Wheel of Fortune **1.00pm** Catchphrase (AD) **2.00** Family Fortunes (AD) **3.00** The Chase **4.00** Takeshi's Castle **5.00** Ninja Warrior **6.00** Catchphrase **7.00** The Chase: Triple bill of the quiz show hosted by Bradley Walsh **10.00** Who Wants to Be a Millionaire? **11.00** Bullseye **1.00** The Chase **4.00** Bullseye **5.00-6.00am** Golden Balls

Challenge +1 Freesat 147 Sky 170 Virgin 180

CBS Action 39

Freeriew 39 Freesat 137 Sky 148 Virgin 192

9.00am JAG **10.00** The District **11.00** Diagnosis Murder **12 noon** Gunsmoke **1.00pm** Mission: Impossible **2.00** NCIS: LA **3.00** NCIS **4.00** CSI: Miami **5.00** NCIS: LA **6.00** NCIS **7.00** Diagnosis Murder **8.00** Walker, Texas Ranger **9.00** NCIS **10.00** NCIS: LA **11.00** Ultimate Force **12 midnight** The District **12.55am** NCIS **1.55** CSI: Miami **3.00** MacGyver **3.55** Walker, Texas Ranger **4.40-6.00am** Dr Quinn

CBS Action +1 Freeriew 64 (HD only)

CBS Drama 71

Freeriew 71 Freesat 134 Sky 147 Virgin 197

9.00am Gunsmoke **10.00** Touched by an Angel **11.00** Matlock **12 noon** Judge Judy **1.00pm** CSI: Miami **2.00** Medium **3.00** Matlock **4.00** Judge Judy **5.00** JAG: Harm and Mac are sent to Iran **6.00pm** Medium **7.00** Touched by an Angel **8.00** Judge Judy **10.00** CSI: Miami **11.00** Medium **12 midnight** Judge Judy: double bill **1.00am** CSI: Miami **2.00** Matlock **3.00** Touched by an Angel **4.00-5.00am** Gunsmoke

BBC Parliament 232

Freeriew 232 Freesat 201 Sky 504 Virgin 605

9.00am Thursday in Parliament **9.30** Select Committees **2.30pm** House of Lords: recorded coverage **6.00** Select Committees: recorded coverage **10.15** This Week: the past seven days in politics **11.30** Prime Minister's Questions: Theresa May answers questions in the Commons **12.15am** Daily Politics **1.15-5.15am** Political Highlights

FRIDAY Satellite & cable

Television Friday



Modern Family 8.30pm
Mitchell makes a point to Cam

Sky 1

Sky 106 Virgin 110 **HD** Virgin 109

6.00am Futurama (S) (HD) **7.00** Monkey Life (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** Meerkat Manor (S) **9.00** Road Wars (S) **10.00** Stargate Atlantis (S) (HD) **11.00** MacGyver (S) (HD) **12 noon** NCIS: Los Angeles (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Hawaii Five-0 (S) (HD) **3.00** NCIS: Los Angeles (S) (HD) **4.00** Stargate SG-1 (S) **5.00** The Simpsons (S) (HD)

6.00pm Futurama (S) (HD)

6.30 The Simpsons Reports of Mr Burns' death cause a media storm. **7.00** Bart steals a mobile phone. **7.30** Bart enthusiastically trades lives with a wealthy lookalike. **8.00** Lisa becomes smitten with a musician named Brendan. (S) (HD)

8.30 New. Modern Family Ep 9 Series 9. Mitchell's plan to teach Cam and Lily a lesson backfires. (S) (HD)

9.00 New. Delicious 3/4 Series 2 A member of staff reveals a long-kept secret. (HD)

10.00 A League of Their Own With Sara Cox, Harry Styles, Niall Horan and Louis Tomlinson. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 The Russell Howard Hour With guest Diane Abbott. (S) (HD)

12 midnight The Force: North East (S) (HD) **1.00am** Hawaii Five-0 (S) (HD) **3.00** The Blacklist (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** Stop, Search, Seize (S) (HD) **5.00-6.00am** The Dog Whisperer (HD)

Sky 1 +1 Sky 130

Sky Arts

Sky 122 Virgin 122 **HD** Virgin 206

6.00am Lang Lang: New York Rhapsody (S) (HD) **7.45** Ludovico Einaudi: Elements - Live (HD) **9.00** Tales of the Unexpected (S) (AD)

9.30 Hollywood: Singing and Dancing (S) (AD) **10.45** Monty Python's Personal Best (S) **12 noon** Too Young to Die (S) (AD) (HD)

1.00pm Discovering: James Mason (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00** Tales of the Unexpected (S) (AD) **2.30** Hollywood: Singing and Dancing (S) (AD) **3.45** Monty Python's Personal Best (S) **5.00** Too Young to Die (S) (AD) (HD)

6.00pm Discovering: Marilyn Monroe Film critics discuss the life and career of the actress. (S) (AD)

7.00 Breezin' - the George Benson Story The American soul singer's life and career. (S) (HD)

8.00 Live from the Artists Den With Alabama Shakes. (S) (HD)

9.00 Phil Collins: Going Back to Detroit The singer explores the legacy of the Motown sound. (HD)

10.00 Joe Cocker: Mad Dog with Soul Charting the rise of the singer, who was catapulted to stardom following an appearance at Woodstock in 1969. (S) (HD)

11.45 Soul Power! Examining the historical and political contexts of the evolution of soul music. (S)

12.45am Marvin Gaye: Greatest Hits Live (S) **1.45** Heimat (S) (HD) **4.45** South Bank Masterclasses: Paul Noble (S) (HD) **5.00-6.00am** Auction: double bill (S) (HD)



The West Wing 3.00pm
A dilemma for the Bartlets

Sky Atlantic

Sky 108

6.00am Fish Town (S) (HD) **7.00** The British (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** Richard E Grant's Hotel Secrets (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 The West Wing (S) (HD) **11.00** House (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Without a Trace (S) (HD) **2.00** Blue Bloods (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** The West Wing (S) (HD)

5.00pm House 23/23 Series 7 A performance artist visits the hospital. (S) (AD) (HD)

6.00 House 22/22 Series 8 The doctor examines his life and personal demons. (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 CSI: Crime Scene Investigation 10/24 Series 7. A man seemingly implicates himself in the stabbing of his wife. (S) (HD)

8.00 Blue Bloods 9/22 Series 7 Frank contends with a conflicted priest who will not break the seal of confession to help find a missing child. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Game of Thrones 1/7 Series 7. Jon organises the defence of the North, Cersei tries to even the odds, and Daenerys comes home. **10.10** 2/7. Jon faces a revolt. Tyrion plans the conquest of Westeros. **11.20** 3/7. Daenerys holds court and Cersei returns a gift. (S) (AD) (HD)

12.30am Dexter (HD) **2.50** Banshee (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00-6.00am** The West Wing: double bill (S) (HD)

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Universal

Sky 113 Virgin 137 BT 320 **HD** Virgin 164 BT 385

6.00am CSI: Miami **7.00** Shopping **8.00** Law & Order **2.00pm** NCIS

6.00pm NCIS 13/24 Series 4. The team launches a manhunt with the help of the Lt Col Hollis Mann. **7.00** 14/24. The agents try to track down an arms dealer in possession of the launch codes for the navy's encrypted satellite defence system. **8.00** 10/24 Series 9. Tony's father is found drunk in a car that has a dead body in the boot and becomes the prime suspect in the murder of a Navy lieutenant who cut him out of a land development deal.

9.00 Law & Order: Special Victims Unit 19/22 Series 10 A woman reports her granddaughter has disappeared, triggering an investigation that leaves Benson and Stabler suspecting the missing girl's mother may have abducted her. **10.00** 13/23 Series 16. A rape victim is found in the street - groggy after being dragged - and in her confused state she mistakenly accuses the wrong man of attacking her. **11.00** 14/23. When the assistant of a female videogame developer is attacked at a convention, the team goes under cover online and discovers a world of misogynistic abuse by gamers. **12 midnight** Law & Order: Special Victims Unit: double bill **2.00am** Law & Order **3.00** Rookie Blue **4.00-6.00am** Num3rs

Universal +1 Sky 150 Virgin 138



The Good Doctor 9.00pm
Shaun faces work pressures

Sky Living

Sky 107 Virgin 112 **HD** Virgin 111

6.00am 60-Minute Makeover **7.00** Obese: a Year to Save My Life USA (S) (HD) **8.00** Chicago Fire (S) (HD)

9.00 Criminal Minds (S) (HD) **10.00** Cold Case (S) (HD) **11.00** The Biggest Loser: Australia (HD) **12 noon** House Hunters International (HD) **1.00pm** To Catch a Smuggler: JFK Airport (S) (HD) **2.00** Nothing to Declare (S) (HD) **4.00** Chicago Fire (S) (HD) **5.00** CSI: Crime Scene Investigation (S) (HD)

6.00pm Criminal Minds 8/24 Series 6. A body is found. (S) (HD)

7.00 New. The Chef's Line A look behind the scenes at Dandelion restaurant in Melbourne. (HD)

7.30 The Real A&E A 72-year-old falls off his bike. (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Elementary 23/24 Series 3 A beekeeper is murdered. (S) (HD)

9.00 New. The Good Doctor 11/18. Medical drama. (S) (HD)

10.00 Unforgettable 1/13 Series 3 Carrie goes under cover. (S) (HD) **11.00** 2/13. A boxer is killed. (S) (HD)

12 midnight CSI: Crime Scene Investigation (S) (HD) **1.00am** Cold Case (S) (HD) **2.00** Criminal Minds (S) (HD) **3.00** Scandal (S) (HD) **4.00** The Chef's Line (HD) **4.30** The Real A&E (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00** Nothing to Declare (S) **5.30-6.00am** The Best of Nothing to Declare (S)

Sky Living +1 Sky 129 Virgin 140

Sky 2

Sky 163 (NI 164) Virgin 121

6.00am as 11am **7.00** Police 10/7 (S) **8.00** as 1pm **9.00** Biggest Loser (S) **10.00** Obese USA (S)

11.00 Real A&E **12 noon** Police 10/7 (S) **1.00pm** Highway Patrol (S) **2.00** Motorway Patrol **3.00** Road Wars (S) **4.00** The Flash (S) **5.00** Stargate Atlantis (S)

6.00pm Stargate SG-1 (S) **7.00** Relic Hunter (S) **8.00** America's Next Model (S) **9.00** Madam Secretary: the President awaits the election results (S) **10.00** Stella

11.00 Delicious: a member of staff reveals a long-kept secret **12 midnight** The Good Doctor (S) **2.00am** Real A&E (S) **3.00** Motorway Patrol (S) **4.00** Road Wars (S) **5.00-6.00am** Police 10/7 (S)

Syfy

Sky 114 Virgin 135 BT 319 **HD** Virgin 165 BT 375

6.00am Star Trek: the Next Generation **8.00** Home Shopping **11.00** Buffy the Vampire Slayer **12 noon** Merlin **1.00pm** The Librarians **2.00** FILM Earthtastrophe ★★ Sci-fi disaster movie **4.00** Buffy the Vampire Slayer **5.00** Star Trek: the Next Generation: back-to-back episodes **7.00pm** The Librarians **8.00** Merlin **9.00** FILM Disaster Movie ★ Spoof comedy **10.50** FILM Daylight's End ★★ Sci-fi horror **1.00am** FILM Sinister Square ★★ **3.00** Fact or Faked: Paranormal Files **4.00-6.00am** Dark Matter

Syfy +1 Sky 194 Virgin 136



Stacey Dooley in the USA 9.00pm
A look at immigration

W

Sky 109 Virgin 125 BT 311 **HD** Virgin 191 BT 383

6.10am MasterChef Junior USA (S) (HD) **8.00** Extreme Makeover: Home Edition (S) **10.00** The Bill (S)

11.00 Tipping Point (HD) **1.00pm** Supernanny US **2.00** The Great British Bake Off (S) (HD) **3.00** Extreme Makeover: Home Edition (S)

5.00pm Tipping Point Quiz hosted by Ben Shephard. (HD)

7.00 The Great British Bake Off Biscuits and traybakes (HD)

8.00 One Born: Twins and Triplets Following four couples through their multiple pregnancies and births. (S) (HD)

9.00 Stacey Dooley in the USA South Americans who cross illegally into the USA. (S) (HD)

10.00 John Bishop in Conversation with Rupert Everett 9/10 Series 1. The comedian chats to the actor. (S) (HD)

11.00 EastEnders Ian discovers Masood has been faking success. Shown 8pm BBC1

11.40 Code Black 5/18 Series 1 Neal clashes with his neurosurgeon father over how to treat his gravely ill mother. (S) (AD) (HD)

12.40am Wanted Down Under: life in New Zealand **1.30** Luther (S) (HD) **2.35-3.00am** Judge Faith (HD)

W +1 Sky 213 Virgin 131

TLC

Sky 125 Virgin 167 BT 323 **HD** Virgin 168 BT 377

6.00am Cake Boss (HD) **7.00** Cake Boss: the Next Great Baker (AD) (HD)

8.00 Say Yes to the Dress: Atlanta (HD) **9.00** Say Yes to the Dress (HD) **10.00** Suddenly Royal (HD) **11.00** 90 Day Fiancé (AD) (HD) **12 noon** Gypsy Sisters (HD) **1.00pm** Say Yes to the Dress: Canada (HD) **2.00** Cake Boss (HD)

3.00 Something Borrowed, Something New (HD) **4.00** Say Yes to the Dress: Big Bliss (HD) **5.00** Say Yes to the Dress (HD) **6.00** Say Yes to the Dress: Atlanta (HD) **7.00** Say Yes to the Dress (HD) **9.00** New series. Say Yes to the Dress: UK (HD) **10.00** Gypsy Brides US (HD) **11.00** Hoarding: Buried Alive (HD) **12 midnight** as 8pm **1.00am** as 2pm **2.00** as 5pm **3.00** as 3pm **4.00** as 4pm **5.00-6.00am** as 1pm

TLC +1 Sky 154 Virgin 169

Lifetime

Sky 156 Virgin 208 BT 329 **HD** Virgin 209 BT 384

7.00am Property Brothers (HD) **8.00** Little Women: LA (HD) **9.00** Vanderpump Rules (HD) **10.00** The Real Housewives of Beverly Hills (HD) **11.00** Judge Judy (HD) **2.00pm** My Ghost Story: Caught on Camera (HD) **3.00** Million Dollar Decorators (HD) **4.00** Dance Moms (HD) **5.00** Hardcore Pawn (HD) **6.00** Storage Wars (HD) **7.00** Judge Judy (HD) **8.00** Hoarders: a widow who developed hoarding through kleptomania (HD) **9.00** My Crazy Ex: a man is forced to fight to save his relationship (HD) **10.00** Ex Isle (HD) **11.00** Seven Year Switch (HD) **12 midnight** My Crazy Ex (HD) **1.00am** Ex Isle (HD) **2.00** My Ghost Story: Caught on Camera (HD) **3.00-4.00am** Dance Moms (HD)

Lifetime +1 Sky 197



The Vicar of Dibley 9.20pm
Geraldine hits the airwaves

Gold

Sky 110 Virgin 124 BT 310

7.25am Yes, Prime Minister (S) **8.00** The Brittas Empire (S) **8.40** Goodnight Sweetheart (S) **9.20** Last of the Summer Wine (S) (AD)

11.20 My Family (S) (AD) **12 noon** The Green Green Grass (HD) **12.40pm** Keeping Up Appearances (S) **1.20** The Brittas Empire (S) **2.00** Blackadder Goes Forth (S) (AD) **3.20** The Green Green Grass (HD) **4.00** Last of the Summer Wine (S) (AD)

6.00pm Keeping Up Appearances The Buckets are invited on a golfing weekend. (S)

6.40 The Good Life Barbara harvests the couple's crops. (S) (AD)

7.20 Tom tries to market his garden produce. (S) (AD)

8.00 Blackadder Goes Forth Capt Blackadder takes a break from the trenches. (S) (AD)

8.40 Capt Blackadder pretends to be insane. (S) (AD)

9.20 The Vicar of Dibley Frank makes a startling admission on his radio show. (S) (AD)

10.00 Live at the Apollo Sarah Millican hosts. (S) (HD)

11.00 Smack the Pony Double bill of the sketch show. (AD)

12.10am Big Train (S) **1.30** House of Fools (S) (AD) (HD) **2.40-4.00am** Smack the Pony (AD)

Gold +1 Sky 166 Virgin 190

Comedy Central

Sky 112 Virgin 132 BT 307 **HD** Virgin 181 BT 370

8.00am The Middle (S) (HD) **10.00** Friends (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00pm** Impractical Jokers (HD) **2.00** Friends (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** Bob's Burgers (S) (HD) **5.00** Friends (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00pm Impractical Jokers **9.00** The Cleveland Show (HD) **10.00** New series. Bob's Burgers: Bob competes with Jimmy Pesto (HD) **10.30** Rick and Morty: Summer, Rick and Morty mess up the time frame (HD) **11.00** South Park (S) (HD) **12 midnight** Eight out of Ten Cats (HD) **12.30am** Da Ali G Show (HD) **1.00** New. The Daily Show (HD) **1.30** South Park (S) (HD) **2.30** The Cleveland Show (HD) **3.25** South Park (S) (HD) **4.15-5.00am** Bob's Burgers (S) (HD)

Comedy Central +1 Sky 127 Virgin 133

Sony Channel

Sky 157 Virgin 193 BT 331

7.00am Ghost Hunters **9.00** Hotel Babylon **10.00** Hustle **11.00** America's Got Talent **1.00pm** Hustle **2.00** FILM Jumanji ★★★★★ Fantasy adventure starring Robin Williams **4.15** FILM Look Who's Talking Too ★★ Comedy sequel starring John Travolta **6.00pm** Hustle **7.00** Hotel Babylon: a football team's shenanigans get out of hand **8.00** Hustle **9.00** Saving Hope **10.00** The Night Shift **11.00** Secret Diary of a Call Girl **12 midnight** Satisfaction **1.00am** Younger **2.00** Celebrity Ghost Stories **3.00-4.00am** Saving Hope

Sony TV +1 Sky 181

ALL PROGRAMMES ON THE ABOVE CHANNELS ARE REPEATS UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED

Key (S) Subtitles (SL) Signing (AD) Audio description (HD) High definition (W) Widescreen



Whitechapel 9.00pm Chandler is reminded of past crimes

ITV Encore

Sky 123

6.00am Drama Trails **6.10** Upstairs, Downstairs (S) **8.05** The Chief **9.00** Always and Everyone **9.55** Heartbeat (S) **11.00** Peak Practice **12.05pm** The Chief **1.10** Always and Everyone **2.15** Peak Practice **3.15** Heartbeat (S) **4.25** Upstairs, Downstairs (S)

6.50pm **Agatha Christie's Poirot The Third Floor Flat.** A murder takes place in the detective's apartment block. (S) (HD) **7.55** **Triangle at Rhodes.** A flirtatious wife is murdered. (S) (HD)

9.00 **Whitechapel 1/3** *Series 2* Chandler investigates another set of apparent copycat killings. **10.00** **2/3.** Chandler and Miles continue their efforts to track down the killer, who is using the legacy of the Kray twins to evoke fear. **11.00** **3/3.** Chandler and the team begin to play the twins at their own game. (S) (AD) (HD)

DL Joseph Chandler Rupert Penry-Jones
DS Ray Miles Phil Davis
Edward Buchan Steve Pemberton
DC Emerson Kent Sam Stockman
Jimmy/Johnny Kray Craig Parkinson

12.05am Broadchurch: double bill (S) (AD) (HD) **2.05** Houdini & Doyle (S) (AD) (HD) **3.05** The Chief **4.55** Always and Everyone **5.40-6.00am** Nightscreen (HD)

ITV Encore +1 Sky 268

PBS America 94

Freeview 94 Freesat 155 Sky 534 Virgin 276

8.00am Walks around Britain **8.30** Escape in the Pacific 4-4-43 **9.40** Ocean Vet **10.50** Great Escape - the Reckoning **11.55** Escape in the Pacific 4-4-43 **1.10pm** Omaha Beach: Honor and Sacrifice **2.25** Ocean Vet **3.20** Great Escape - the Reckoning **4.30** Escape in the Pacific 4-4-43 **5.40** Omaha Beach: Honor and Sacrifice

6.55pm **Ocean Vet** Professor Neil Burnie and his team swim with 50-ton humpback whales. **7.25** Neil Burnie and the team visit the Sargasso Sea to explore the inshore mangrove bays.

7.55 **Spitfire: the Birth of a Legend** The story of the iconic single-seater fighter plane, from its original design to its vital role in the Second World War, with contributions from former pilots.

9.00 **Spitfire Women** The female pilots who served in Britain's Air Transport Auxiliary during the Second World War, risking their lives to transport aircraft to the front lines. Featuring interviews with the last surviving veterans. **10.15** **American Lawmen** Lawlessness runs rampant in a notorious Texas outpost, and it is up to a Confederate army veteran named Dallas Stoudenmire to tame the town known as "Hell" Paso.

11.20 **Spitfire: the Birth of a Legend** As 7.55pm. **12.20am** Spitfire Women **1.30-2.00am** Walks around Britain



Rebus 9.00pm The detective is hampered by a colleague

Alibi

Sky 132 Virgin 126 BT 312 HD Virgin 200 BT 382

7.10am The Doctor Blake Mysteries (S) (HD) **8.00** New Tricks (S) (AD) **9.00** Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD) **10.00** The Doctor Blake Mysteries (S) (HD) **11.00** Dangerfield (S) (AD) **12 noon** Inspector George Gently (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00pm** The Doctor Blake Mysteries (S) (HD) **3.00** Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD) **4.00** New Tricks (S) (AD) **5.00** Dangerfield (S)

6.00pm **Inspector George Gently 1/4** *Series 5.* A black club-goer is murdered. (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** **New Tricks 1/10** *Series 11* An old friend asks Gerry to investigate the murder of his grandson. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 **Rebus 1/4** *Series 3.* When the body of a prostitute is found wrapped in cellophane at a local landmark, Rebus is reminded of an identical case 20 years prior that went unsolved. (S)

10.30 **Murdoch Mysteries 9/13** *Series 1.* A man dies after being forced to drink varnish. (S) (HD)

11.35 **The Closer 9/15** *Series 6* Brenda has an important job interview with the mayor. (S) (HD) **12.35am** Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD) **1.30** Reckless (S) (HD) **2.20** Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD) **3.10-4.00am** The Closer (S) (HD)

Alibi +1 Sky 226 Virgin 130

Discovery History

Sky 535 Virgin 262

6.00am Aircraft Stories **7.00** Off the Rails **8.00** Tanks **9.00** Deadliest Tech **10.00** Battlefield **12 noon** Aircraft Stories **1.00pm** Tanks **2.00** Deadliest Tech **3.00** Chris Barrie's Massive Machines **4.00** Battlefield **5.00** The Weapon Hunter **6.00pm** **Out of Egypt** Examining tombs, graves and burials from all over the world to reveal how different cultures treated their dead.

7.00 **Cold War Armageddon** How, long after Stalin, in the 1970s Russia's determination for military dominance strengthened.

8.00 **Ultimate Weapons** A look at the effectiveness of sniper rifles, some of which can accurately hit a target over a mile away.

9.00 **Egypt Unwrapped** Investigating the reasons behind the building of the Sphinx sculpture, which is the largest free-standing carving from a single block of stone in the world.

10.00 **DC Snipers: Crimes of the Century** How a pair of renegade snipers were able to terrorise Washington DC in 2002, killing ten people over the course of 23 days.

11.00 **Deadliest Tech** Examining the secrets of the explosives that are used in modern warfare.

12 midnight Battlefield **2.00am** Cold War Armageddon **3.00** Off the Rails **4.00** Battlefield (AD) **5.00-6.00am** Hitler: Germany's Fatal Attraction

Discovery History +1 Sky 536 Virgin 263



Bull 10.00pm The team helps to prosecute a widow

Fox

Sky 124 Virgin 157 HD Virgin 199

8.00am Monk (S) (HD) **9.00** The Closer (S) (HD) **11.00** Bones (S) (HD) **1.00pm** NCIS (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** The Closer: double bill (S) (HD)

5.00pm **Bones 19/23** *Series 6* An attempted theft results in the death of a security guard (S) (HD) **6.00** **20/23.** Brennan and Booth investigate the murder of a member of a radical "honesty group". (S) (HD)

7.00 **NCIS 18/24** *Series 12.* The agents investigate the murder of a woman at an officer's home. **8.00** **19/24.** When a naval officer and a prostitute are murdered, the trail leads back an attack in 1979. **9.00** **New. 2/23** *Series 15.* The body of a US Navy lieutenant, who disappeared more than a year ago, is found buried. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 **New series. Bull Ep 1** *Series 2.* The legal drama returns as trial consultant Dr Jason Bull joins the district attorney in prosecuting a widow accused of murdering her husband. (S) (HD)

11.00 **Family Guy** *Series 10* Peter goes on a road trip. (S) (HD) **11.30** Lois searches for a retirement community. (S) (HD)

12 midnight American Dad! (S) (HD) **1.00am** Family Guy (S) (HD) **2.00-3.00am** American Dad! (S) (HD)

Fox +1 Sky 165 Virgin 158

History

Sky 529 Virgin 270 BT 327 HD BT 379

6.00am Pawn Stars (HD) **7.10** Storage Wars (HD) **8.00** Counting Cars (HD) **9.00** Ancient Aliens (HD) **10.00** Doomsday: Ten Ways the World Will End (HD) **11.00** Forged in Fire (HD) **12 noon** Camp X (HD) **1.00pm** Pawn Stars (HD) **2.00** Counting Cars (HD) **3.00** Ice Road Trunkers (HD) **4.00** Storage Wars (HD) **6.00** Forged in Fire **7.00** American Pickers (HD) **8.00** World War II in 3D (HD) **9.00** Project Nazi **10.00** Hunting Hitler (HD) **11.00** World War 2 Treasure Hunters (HD) **12 midnight** Mystery Pickers (HD) **1.00am** Storage Wars (HD) **2.00** Homicide Hunter (HD) **3.00** The First 48 **4.00** Forged in Fire (HD) **5.00-6.00am** Pawn Stars (HD)

History +1 Sky 530 Virgin 271

Animal Planet

Sky 523 Virgin 256 BT 325 HD Virgin 257 BT 378

6.00am Pit Bulls and Parolees (HD) **8.00** The Zoo (HD) **10.00** Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet (HD) **12 noon** Alaskan Bush People (AD) (HD) **1.00pm** Wildest Middle East (HD) **2.00** Pit Bulls and Parolees (HD) **4.00** The Zoo (HD) **5.00** Wildlife at the Zoo (HD) **6.00** Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet (HD) **8.00** Pit Bulls and Parolees (HD) **10.00** Wildest Middle East (HD) **11.00** Alaskan Bush People (AD) (HD) **12 midnight** The Zoo (HD) **1.00am** Wildlife at the Zoo (HD) **2.00** Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet (HD) **3.50** Wildest Middle East (HD) **4.40** Alaskan Bush People (AD) (HD) **5.30-6.00am** Meet the Penguins (HD)

Animal Planet +1 Sky 549 Virgin 258



Gold Rush 8.00pm The miners put everything on the line

Discovery

Sky 520 Virgin 250 BT 322 HD Virgin 251 BT 376

6.00am Railroad Alaska (HD) **7.00** Alaska: the Last Frontier (HD) **8.00** Gold Rush (HD) **9.00** Wheeler Dealers (HD) **11.00** Fast 'n' Loud (HD) **1.00pm** Railroad Alaska (AD) (HD) **2.00** Alaska: the Last Frontier (HD) **3.00** Yukon Men (HD) **4.00** Gold Rush (HD) **5.00** Secrets of the Underground (HD)

6.00pm **Wheeler Dealers** Mike is ecstatic when he snaps up a cult VW Corrado coupé. (HD) **7.00** **Gold Rush** Even a solar eclipse cannot distract Todd from his lack of good fortune. (HD) **8.00** The gold miners of the Yukon hope to strike it rich. (HD)

9.00 **New. How It's Made** The making of coffee pods, plant oil extractors and power trainers. (HD) **9.30** **New.** The process of constructing beehives and cast-iron cookers. (HD)

10.00 **Wheeler Dealers** Mike Brewer brings a 1982 Toyota Supra into the modern era. (HD)

11.00 **MythBusters** Dispelling widespread myths about the flammable nature of cars. (HD) **12 midnight** How It's Made (HD) **3.50am** Wheeler Dealers (HD) **4.40** Gold Rush (HD) **5.30-6.00am** How It's Made (HD)

Discovery +1 Sky 521 Virgin 252

Nat Geographic

Sky 526 Virgin 266 BT 317 HD Virgin 268 BT 373

8.00am Strippers: Cars for Cash (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** Supercar Megabuild (HD) **10.00** Car SOS (HD) **1.00pm** Nazi Megastructures (HD) **5.00** Air Crash Investigation (HD) **8.00** Supercar Megabuild: double bill. Shane Lynch and Dan Baruffo work on a Porsche built for ice racing, before turning a luxury Bentley into an off-roader (HD) **10.00** Strippers: Cars for Cash: the teams trawl scrap metal heaps for bargain Japanese car parts (HD) **11.00** Air Crash Investigation (S) (AD) (HD) **12 midnight** Seconds from Disaster (S) **2.00am** Highway thru Hell (HD) **3.00** Wicked Tuna: North v South (HD) **4.00-5.00am** Wicked Tuna (HD)

Nat Geo +1 Sky 527 Virgin 267

Eden

Sky 532 Virgin 247 BT 315 HD Virgin 249

9.00am Your Inner Fish - an Evolution Story (S) (HD) **10.00** as 11pm **11.00** as 6pm **12 noon** as 7pm **1.00pm** as 9pm **2.00** as 8pm **3.00** Deadly 60 (S) (HD) **4.00** Tarsier Tails (S) (HD) **5.00** The Blue Planet (S) (HD) **6.00pm** Deadly 60 (S) (HD) **7.00** Tarsier Tails (S) (HD) **8.00** Wild West Africa (S) (HD) **9.00** The Blue Planet (S) (HD) **10.00** Your Inner Fish - an Evolution Story (S) (HD) **11.00** Angry Planet (S) (HD) **12 midnight** as 6pm **1.00am** as 7pm **2.00** as 8pm **3.00** as 9pm **3.50** Wild Ones (S) (HD) **4.15** Dog's Best Friend (S) (HD) **4.40** Nature's Great Events (S) (HD) **5.30-6.00am** Dog's Best Friend (S) (HD)

Eden +1 Sky 533 Virgin 248

CHILDREN'S

Milkshake! on C5

Full listings for Channel 5 are on p110

6.00am Puffin Rock **6.05** Poppy Cat **6.20** Simon **6.25** **New.** Bob the Builder: Saffi wants to save the elephant ride when the school playground has to be downsized **6.35** Fireman Sam **6.50** Thomas & Friends **7.00** The Secret Life of Puppies **7.05** Paw Patrol **7.20** Noddy: Toyland Detective **7.35** Peppa Pig: double bill **7.50** Floogals **8.05** Digby Dragon **8.20** Rusty Rivets **8.35** Shimmer and Shine **8.55** Ben and Holly **9.05-9.15am** Mofy

CBeebies 202

Freeview 202 Freesat 608 Sky 614 Virgin 702

6.00am Show Me Show Me **6.20** Baby Jake **6.30** Yakka Dee **6.35** Dinopaws **6.50** **New.** Raa Raa **7.00** Teletubbies **7.15** Bing **7.30** Hey Duggee **7.55** Peter Rabbit **8.00** Go Jetters **8.15** Octonauts **8.25** The Furchester Hotel **8.35** Justin's House **9.00** Everything's Rosie **9.10** Tinga Tinga Tales **9.25** Bing **9.30** Small Potatoes **9.35** Twirlywoos **9.45** Something Special **10.05** Teletubbies **10.20** Numberblocks **10.30** Spot Bots **10.45** Magic Door **10.50** Yakka Dee **10.55** Show Me Show Me **11.15** Big Barn Farm **11.30** Andy's Baby Animals **11.40** Waybuloo **12 noon** I Can Cook on the Go **12.15pm** Teacup Travels **12.30** My Story **12.50** Melody **1.00** Baby Jake **1.10** Tinga Tinga Tales **1.20** Bing **1.30** Small Potatoes **1.35** Twirlywoos **1.45** Something Special **2.05** Timmy Time **2.15** Numberblocks **2.20** Spot Bots **2.35** Tee and Mo **2.45** Yakka Dee **2.50** Show Me Show Me **3.10** Get Well Soon **3.30** Swashbuckle **3.55** Boj **4.05** School of Roars **4.15** Hey Duggee **4.20** Go Jetters **4.45** Peter Rabbit **5.00** Octonauts **5.20** The Great Swamp Search **5.30** Topsy and Tim **5.35** Katie Morag **5.50** Pablo **6.00** Charlie and Lola **6.10** 64 Zoo Lane **6.20** In the Night Garden... **6.50-7.00pm** CBeebies Bedtime Stories: a tale for younger viewers

CBBC 201

Freeview 201 Freesat 607 Sky 613 Virgin 701

7.00am Brain Freeze **7.05** The Deep **7.25** Dennis & Gnasher **7.35** MOTD Kickabout **7.40** Newswound **7.45** Danger Mouse **8.00** Dragons **8.20** Newswound **8.30** Junior Bake Off **9.00** Marring Mum and Dad **9.25** Horrible Histories **9.55** My Life **10.25** The Next Step **10.45** Tracy Beaker Returns **11.15** So Awkward **11.45** 4 o'Clock Club **12.15pm** Top Class **12.40** Nightmares of Nature **1.10** Now You See It **1.20** Help! My Mini School Trip Is Magic **1.25** Officially Amazing **1.55** How to Be Epic @ Everything **2.10** Operation Ouch! **2.40** So Awkward **3.10** Odd Squad **3.20** Arthur **3.35** Strange Hill High **4.00** All-As Superchargers **4.20** Newswound **4.30** Our School **5.00** **New series.** The Dumping Ground **5.30** **CHOICE** **New.** The Dog Ate My Homework **See page 107** **6.00pm** **New.** Sam & Mark's Big Friday **7.00** Horrible Histories **7.30** The Dog Ate My Homework **8.00** Marring Mum and Dad **8.30-9.00pm** The Dumping Ground

CITV 203

Freeview 203 Freesat 602 Sky 621 Virgin 734

Programmes 6.00pm-9.00pm not Freeview
6.00am Grizzly Tales **6.25** Super 4 **6.55** Teen Titans **7.20** Scooby-Doo! **7.50** Ultimate Spider-Man **8.21** Horrid Henry **8.50** Fangbone **9.20** Mission Employable **9.25** The Oddbods Show **9.50** Super 4 **10.20** Dino Dan **10.50** Grizzly Tales **11.15** Almost Naked Animals **11.45** Horrid Henry **12.45pm** Fort Boyard **1.40** Make It Pop **2.00** Almost Naked Animals **2.30** The Oddbods Show **3.00** Dino Dan **3.25** Super 4 **4.00** Mr Bean: the Animated Series **4.15** Fangbone **4.30** The Powerpuff Girls **5.00** Adventure Time **5.30** NinjaGo **6.00pm** Pokémon: Sun and Moon **6.25** Max Steel **6.55** Scooby-Doo! **7.25** Horrid Henry **8.25** Wishfart **8.55-9.00pm** Mission Employable

Friday Television

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Don't meet the parents

Get Out ★★★★★ 8.00pm Sky Premiere
Sight and Sound magazine's film of the year for 2017 is a socially aware horror mystery in which a young black man's anxiety about meeting his white girlfriend's posh parents for the first time proves to be well founded. Delivered from an African-American perspective that addresses simmering tensions in Trump-era America, Jordan Peele's debut feature eschews the carnage of contemporary horror fare and embraces the classic storytelling of a previous age. It's altogether remarkable, and the less you know going in, the further your chin will drop. **TREVOR JOHNSTON**



One scary lady

Insidious: Chapter 3 ★★★ 11.15pm Film4 **FREEVIEW**
Although memorable for playing a gallery of grotesques in Farrelly brothers movies (including tan-freak Magda in *There's Something about Mary*), veteran character player Lin Shaye has become known as the "Godmother of horror". With a CV that would make anyone want to leave the lights on, she's appeared in *A Nightmare on Elm Street*, *Critters* and *2001 Maniacs*, and moved from a supporting role in *Insidious* to the lead in *Chapter 3* (review, p35). Fourth instalment, *The Last Key*, is in cinemas today. **ANDREW COLLINS**

A very British agent

Callan ★★★ 12.50am **Movies4Men** **FREEVIEW**
In the midst of Bondmania, ITV launched its own series about a British agent with a licence to kill. But Callan (Edward Woodward) was a dour loner, tortured by a profession plied in bleak, unglamorous Britain. The show ended in 1972 and this film followed in 1974... but Callan was no happier. **JEREMY ASPINALL**



FREEVIEW

Film4 15

F'view 15 F'sat 300 Sky 315 Virgin 428 **HD** Virgin 429
11.00am Winchester '73 ★★★★★ Fine, mature western. James Stewart, Shelley Winters (1950, U) (S)
12.50pm 20 Million Miles to Earth ★★★★★ One of animation master Ray Harryhausen's best fantasy films. William Hopper (1957, PG) (S)
2.30 Rio Grande ★★★★★ Wonderful western about a cavalry fort commander's relationship with his estranged wife and son. John Wayne, Maureen O'Hara (1950, U) (S) (AD)
4.35pm The Frogmen ★★★ Richard Widmark heads a starry cast as a tough commander in this tense Second World War action drama. **Review, p38.** (1951, U) (AD)
6.40 GI Joe: Retaliation ★★ Sequel that brims with mindless action. Dwayne Johnson, Bruce Willis, Channing Tatum, Adrienne Palicki (2013, 12) (S)
9.00 The Gunman ★★ Sean Penn strikes plenty of action-man poses in this shoot-'em-up thriller. Idris Elba (2015, 15) (S)
11.15 Insidious: Chapter 3 ★★★ Effective horror. **Review, p35; Choice, left.** Dermot Mulroney, Stefanie Scott, Lin Shaye (2015, 15) (S)
1.10-3.00am Pusher ★★ Crime thriller remake. Richard Coyle, Bronson Webb, Agyness Deyn (2012, 18) (S)
Film4 +1 F'view 45 (HD only) F'sat 301 Sky 316 Virgin 430

Sony Movie Channel 32

Freeview 32 Sky 323 Virgin 425
9.00am My Neighbor's Secret ★★ Thriller. Nicholas Brendon (2009)
11.10 Wandering Eye ★★ Thriller. Amanda Righetti (2011)
1.05pm The Legend of Zorro ★★★★★ Adventure. Antonio Banderas, Catherine Zeta-Jones (2005, PG)
3.45 First Knight ★★★★★ Adventure. Sean Connery, Richard Gere (1995, PG)
6.35pm Legends of the Fall ★★★★★ Epic drama. **Review, p38.** Brad Pitt, Anthony Hopkins (1994, 15)
9.00 The Patriot ★★★★★ Well-staged period drama. Mel Gibson, Heath Ledger, Joely Richardson (2000, 15)
12.25am Miami Vice ★★ Gritty crime thriller. Colin Farrell, Jamie Foxx (2006, 15)
3.10-6.00am Florence Nightingale: TV drama
Sony Movie Channel +1 Sky 324

Movies4Men 48

Freeview 48 Freesat 304 Sky 325 Virgin 426
6.00am Behold a Pale Horse ★★ Drama. Gregory Peck (1964)
8.35 War in the Atlantic
9.45 Submarine Seahawk ★★ Drama. John Bentley (1959, U)
11.25 Ramrod ★★★★★ Western. Veronica Lake (1947, PG)
1.20pm Jesse James: Lawman ★★ Western. Kevin Sorbo, Peter Fonda (2015)
3.00 The Persuaders! TV adventure
4.00 The Blitz on London
5.15 Sealed Cargo ★★ Drama. Dana Andrews (1951, U)
7.05pm Termination Point ★★ Routine sci-fi thriller. Jason Priestley, Lou Diamond Phillips (2007)
9.00 Sniper: Special Ops ★★ By-the-numbers action tale. Steven Seagal (2016)
10.45 Legionnaire ★★ Gritty period action adventure. Jean-Claude Van Damme (1998, 15)
12.50am Callan ★★★★★ Spy drama. **Choice, left.** Edward Woodward, Eric Porter (1974, 15)
3.00-4.00am The Hawker Harrier
Movies4Men +1 Freesat 305 Sky 326

Talking Pictures TV 81

Freeview 81 (HD only) Freesat 306 Sky 343 Virgin 445
6.00am Men against the Sun ★★ Adventure drama. John Bentley (1952, PG)
7.10 Johnny Ringo
7.40 Buffalo Bill ★★★★★ Western. Joel McCrea, Maureen O'Hara (1944, U)
9.30 The Hi-Jackers ★★ Crime drama. Anthony Booth (1963, PG)
10.50 Target: the Corruptors
11.50 Landfall ★★ Drama. Michael Denison, Patricia Plunkett (1949, U)
1.35pm King Solomon's Mines ★★★★★ Adventure. Paul Robeson, Cedric Hardwicke (1937, U)
3.15 The Rogues
4.15 Tawny Pipit ★★★★★ Comedy. Bernard Miles, Rosamund John (1944, U)
6.00pm The Brain Machine ★★ Trashily enjoyable B-movie. Patrick Barr, Elizabeth Allan (1954, U)
8.00 Tell Me Another TV chat show.
8.30 Dick Powell Theatre TV drama.
9.30 The Cassandra Crossing ★ All-star disaster thriller. Richard Harris, Sophia Loren (1976, PG)
12.05am Bitter Harvest ★★★★★ Touching drama. Janet Munro (1963, 12)
1.55 Ballad in Blue ★★ Drama. Ray Charles (1964, PG)
3.40 Marilyn ★★ Crime drama. Sandra Dorne (1953, PG)
5.00-6.00am Burke's Law TV drama

Premiere

Sky 301 Virgin 431 BT 501 **HD** Virgin 401
6.00am Rules Don't Apply ★★ Comedy drama. (2016, 12)
8.10 The Book of Henry ★★ Thriller. Naomi Watts (2016)
10.00 As 5.40pm
12.20pm As 8pm
2.05 Blind ★★ Romantic drama. Demi Moore, (2017, 15)
3.55 Tumbledown ★★ Comedy drama. **Choice, p84.** Rebecca Hall (2015, 15)

5.40pm Logan ★★★★★ Brutal but moving X-Men spin-off. Hugh Jackman, Patrick Stewart, Dafne Keen (2017, 15)
8.00 Get Out ★★★★★ Remarkable horror mystery. **Choice, left.** Daniel Kaluuya, Allison Williams, Bradley Whitford, Catherine Keener (2017, 15)
10.00 This Is Your Death ★★ Dark satire. Josh Duhamel (2017, 18)
11.50 Lowriders ★★ Workmanlike LA-set drama. Gabriel Chavarria, Demian Bichir, Theo Rossi (2016, 12)

1.35am Raw ★★★★★ Horror. **Choice, p94.** Garance Marillier (2016, 18)
3.30 Blind As 2.05pm
5.30 The Greatest Showman Special

Premiere +1 Sky 302 Virgin 432

Villains

Sky 304 Virgin 434 BT 508 **HD** Virgin 404
6.20am As 2.05pm
8.15 As 6.15pm
10.00 As 8pm
12 noon No Country for Old Men ★★★★★ Crime thriller. Tommy Lee Jones, Javier Bardem, Josh Brolin (2007, 15)
2.05pm Dirty Harry ★★★★★ Crime thriller. Clint Eastwood (1971, 18)
4.05 The Karate Kid ★★★★★ Adventure. Ralph Macchio (1984, 12)

6.15pm Dodgeball: a True Underdog Story ★★ Daft sports comedy. Vince Vaughn, Ben Stiller (2004, 12)
8.00 Split ★★ Deviously constructed horror thriller. James McAvoy, Anya Taylor-Joy, Betty Buckley (2017, 15)
10.00 Misery ★★★★★ Darkly funny and joltingly violent thriller. James Caan, Kathy Bates (1990, 18)
11.50 Universal Soldier ★★ Entertaining futuristic action thriller. Jean-Claude Van Damme (1992, 18)

1.35am Inglourious Basterds ★★★★★ Second World War action adventure. Brad Pitt, Christoph Waltz (2009, 18)
4.20 The Karate Kid As 4.05pm

Comedy

Sky 308 Virgin 438 BT 506 **HD** Virgin 408
6.00am Planes, Trains and Automobiles ★★★★★ Comedy. Steve Martin, John Candy (1987, 15)
7.40 Brewster's Millions ★★ Comedy. Richard Pryor, John Candy (1985, PG)
9.30 As 6.05pm
11.25 Liar Liar ★★★★★ Comedy. Jim Carrey (1997, 12)
1.00pm As 8pm
2.50 As 10pm
4.30 As 11.00pm

6.05pm Nine to Five ★★★★★ Rousing feminist comedy. Jane Fonda, Lily Tomlin, Dolly Parton (1980, 15)
8.00 Keeping Up with the Joneses ★★★★★ Action comedy with a quality cast. Zach Galifianakis, Jon Hamm, Isla Fisher, Gal Gadot (2016, 12)
10.00 Fist Fight ★★ Gag-filled comedy. Ice Cube, Charlie Day (2017, 15)
11.40 Sausage Party ★★★★★ Comedy for fans of raw and saucy humour. Seth Rogen, Kristen Wiig (2016, 15)

1.15am Knocked Up ★★★★★ Romantic comedy. Seth Rogen, Katherine Heigl (2007, 15)
3.30 Jackass ★★★★★ Comedy. Johnny Knoxville (2010, 18)
5.10 Get Santa ★★★★★ Fantasy comedy. Jim Broadbent, Rafe Spall (2014, U)

Hits

Sky 303 Virgin 433 BT 504 **HD** Virgin 403
6.00am The Finest Hours ★★★★★ Action thriller. Chris Pine, Casey Affleck (2015, 12)
8.00 As 5pm
10.15 As 7.15pm
12.10pm As 9pm
2.30 The Top Ten Show
2.50 Nocturnal Animals ★★★★★ Thriller. Amy Adams (2016, 15)
5.00 Truth ★★★★★ Drama. Cate Blanchett, Robert Redford (2015, 15)

7.15pm Dad's Army ★★★★★ Fond, flag-waving big-screen reboot of the TV comedy series. Toby Jones, Bill Nighy, Catherine Zeta-Jones (2016, PG)
9.00 Allied ★★★★★ Brad Pitt and Marion Cotillard star as married agents whose relationship is rocked by suspicion in this Second World War thriller. (2016, 15)
11.10 Live by Night ★★★★★ Glamorous if sprawling gangster drama. Ben Affleck, Sienna Miller (2016, 15)

1.30am As 2.50pm
3.35 The Neighbour ★★ Solid horror thriller. Josh Stewart, Alex Essoe, Bill Engvall (2016, 18)
5.15 The Top Ten Show
5.30 Fantastic Beasts Special

Heroes

Sky 307 Virgin 437 BT 502 **HD** Virgin 407
6.00am Last Action Hero ★★★★★ Adventure. Arnold Schwarzenegger (1993, 15)
8.15 The As 5.50pm
10.25 Charlie's Angels: Full Throttle ★★ Comedy. Cameron Diaz (2003, 12)
12.15pm As 8pm
2.05 As 9.50pm
3.55 Ghost Rider ★★ Action fantasy horror. Nicolas Cage, Eva Mendes (2007, 15)

5.50pm The Matrix Revolutions ★★★★★ Sci-fi action thriller. Keanu Reeves, Carrie-Anne Moss, Laurence Fishburne (2003, 15)
8.00 The Lego Batman Movie ★★★★★ Hilarious animated comedy adventure. Will Arnett (2017, U)
9.50 Deadpool ★★★★★ A mutant mercenary causes utter havoc in this irreverent fantasy. (2016, 15)
11.40 Army of Darkness ★★ Second horror sequel to *The Evil Dead*. Bruce Campbell, Embeth Davidtz (1993, 15)

1.20am Last Action Hero As 6am
3.35 Rambo ★★ Violent action drama. Sylvester Stallone, Julie Benz (2007, 18)
5.10 Batman ★★★★★ Action fantasy. Adam West, Burt Ward (1966, U)

Thriller

Sky 309 Virgin 439 BT 509 **HD** Virgin 409
6.05am Locked In ★★★★★ Thriller. Katrina Bowden (2016)
7.30 Burn Country ★★ Thriller. Dominic Rains (2016, 15)
9.15 Don't Breathe ★★★★★ Horror. Stephen Lang (2016, 15)
10.45 As 9pm
12.40pm Drone ★★ Thriller. Sean Bean (2017, 15)
2.25 The Infiltrator ★★★★★ Crime drama. Bryan Cranston (2016, 15)

4.35pm Wall Street ★★★★★ A glib Wall Street broker falls under the spell of his ruthless boss in this Oscar-winning drama. Michael Douglas, Charlie Sheen (1987, 15)
6.45 Wall Street: Money Never Sleeps ★★★★★ Effective sequel. Michael Douglas, Shia LaBeouf, Carey Mulligan (2010, 12)
9.00 Mine ★★ Static survival thriller. Armie Hammer, Annabelle Wallis (2016, 15)
10.55 Dog Eat Dog ★★ Crime thriller. Nicolas Cage, Willem Dafoe (2015, 18)

12.40am Southern Fury ★★ Action thriller. Adrian Grenier, Nicolas Cage (2017, 18)
2.25 Face/Off ★★★★★ Action thriller. John Travolta, Nicolas Cage (1997, 18)
4.55 Deep Family Secrets ★★★★★ Thriller. Richard Crenna (1997)

Disney

Sky 305 Virgin 435 BT 503 **HD** Virgin 405
6.15am The Odd Life of Timothy Green ★★ Fantasy. (2012, U) **8.05 Heavyweights** ★ Comedy. (1995, PG) **9.50** As 4.40pm **11.25** As 6.15pm
1.10pm Robin Hood ★★★★★ Adventure. (1973, U) **2.40 Return to Oz** ★★★★★ Fantasy. (1985, PG) **4.40 Mulan** ★★★★★ Musical. (1998, U)

6.15pm Tangled ★★★★★ Fun-packed action flows like Rapunzel's tresses in this animated fairy tale. Mandy Moore (2010, PG)

8.00 Remember the Titans ★★★★★ Inspiring American football drama. Denzel Washington, Will Patton (2000, PG)

10.00 Queen of Katwe ★★★★★ Uplifting drama based on the true story of a poor Kampala girl who becomes a chess prodigy. Madina Nalwanga, David Oyelowo, Lupita Nyong'o (2016, PG)

12.10am As 1.10pm **1.45 Freaky Friday** ★★ Comedy. Jodie Foster interview, p16. Jodie Foster (1976, U) **3.35 Tinker Bell** ★★★★★ Fantasy. (2008, U) **5.05 Tinkerbell and the Secret of the Wings** ★★★★★ Fantasy. (2012, U)

Drama

Sky 310 Virgin 440 BT 511 **HD** Virgin 410
6.05am Great Expectations ★★ Drama. (1997, 15) **8.05 The King and I** ★★★★★ Musical. (1956, U) **10.15 Last Cab to Darwin** ★★ Comedy. (2015) **12.25pm** As 8pm **2.40 Aftermath** ★★★★★ Thriller. Arnold Schwarzenegger (2017, 15) **4.25 Failure to Launch** ★★ Comedy. Matthew McConaughey (2006, 12)

6.10pm A Street Cat Named Bob ★★★★★ True-story drama about a recovering drug addict. Luke Treadaway, Ruta Gedminas, Joanne Froggatt (2016, 12)

8.00 Hidden Figures ★★★★★ The inspirational true story of three African-American women working at Nasa in the 1960s. Taraji P Henson, Octavia Spencer, Janelle Monáe (2016, PG)

10.15 Dreamgirls ★★★★★ Glitzy musical drama. Jamie Foxx, Beyoncé Knowles, Eddie Murphy, Jennifer Hudson (2006, 12)

12.30am The Stanford Prison Experiment ★★★★★ Drama. Billy Crudup (2015, 15) **2.40 Our Brand Is Crisis** ★★★★★ Comedy drama. Sandra Bullock (2015, 15) **4.35 Fiddler on the Roof** ★★★★★ Musical. Topol (1971, U)

Select

Sky 312 Virgin 442 BT 510 **HD** Virgin 412
6.35am Men & Chicken ★★ (2015, 15) **8.25 The Commune** ★★★★★ (2016, 15) **10.20 The Childhood of a Leader** ★★★★★ Thriller. (2015, 12) **12.20pm Cemetery of Splendour** ★★★★★ (2015, 12) **2.25 The Guns of Navarone** ★★★★★ Adventure. (1961, PG) **5.05 Girl Asleep** ★★★★★ Fantasy. (2015, 12)

6.30pm Dazed and Confused ★★★★★ Subversive comedy drama. Jason London, Rory Cochrane (1993, 15)

8.15 Lost in Translation ★★★★★ Bittersweet romantic drama. Bill Murray, Scarlett Johansson (2003, 15)

10.00 Snatch ★★★★★ Cheeky crime comedy from Guy Ritchie. Brad Pitt, Jason Statham, Benicio Del Toro (2000, 18)

11.45 Donnie Brasco ★★★★★ Gritty crime drama. Al Pacino, Johnny Depp, Michael Madsen, Bruno Kirby (1997, 18)

1.55am The Usual Suspects ★★★★★ Crime thriller. Gabriel Byrne, Kevin Spacey (1995, 18) **3.45 Heaven Knows What** ★★★★★ Drama. Arielle Holmes (2014, 18) **5.25 The Measure of a Man** ★★★★★ Drama. Vincent Lindon (2015, PG)

Family

Sky 306 Virgin 436 BT 505 **HD** Virgin 406
7.05am As 11.50pm **8.45 Pete's Dragon** ★★★★★ Fantasy adventure. Bryce Dallas Howard, Oakes Fegley (2016, PG) **10.35** As 6.10pm **12.25pm** As 8pm **2.25** As 9.55pm **4.25 Trolls** ★★★★★ Bright and breezy animated musical adventure. Anna Kendrick, Justin Timberlake, Zooey Deschanel (2016, U)

6.10pm The Polar Express ★★★★★ Fast-moving animated fantasy adventure. Tom Hanks, Michael Jeter, Nona Gaye, Peter Scolarri (2004, U)

8.00 Sing ★★★★★ Heartfelt animation. Matthew McConaughey (2016, U)

9.55 The Jungle Book ★★★★★ Jon Favreau's jaw-dropping adventure. Neel Sethi, Bill Murray (2016, PG)

11.50 Muppets from Space ★★★★★ Colourful comedy. F Murray Abraham, Ray Liotta, Andie MacDowell (1999, U)

1.30am Blinky Bill the Movie ★★★★★ Animation. Ryan Kwanten (2015, U) **3.05 Underdog** ★★ Action comedy. Jason Lee (2007, U) **4.40 Monster House** ★★★★★ Animated comedy horror. Steve Buscemi (2006, PG)

Sci-Fi/Horror

Sky 311 Virgin 441 BT 507 **HD** Virgin 411
6.00am Titan AE ★★★★★ Animated sci-fi adventure. (2000, PG) **7.40 Star Trek: The Motion Picture** ★★★★★ Sci-fi adventure. William Shatner (1979, U) **9.55** As 8pm **12.05pm** As 10.15pm **2.05 Star Trek: First Contact** ★★★★★ Sci-fi adventure. Patrick Stewart (1996, 12)

4.05pm Star Trek: Insurrection ★★★★★ Sci-fi adventure. Patrick Stewart, Jonathan Frakes, Brent Spiner (1998, PG)

6.00 Star Trek: Nemesis ★★★★★ Action-packed *Next Generation* adventure. Patrick Stewart, Tom Hardy (2002, 12)

8.00 Star Trek ★★★★★ Bold, energetic and fun sci-fi prequel. Chris Pine, Zachary Quinto, Leonard Nimoy (2009, 12)

10.15 Star Trek: Generations ★★★★★ Entertaining sci-fi adventure. Patrick Stewart (1994, PG)

12.20am Star Trek: First Contact As 2.05pm **2.20 Star Trek: Insurrection** As 4.05pm **4.15 Titan AE** As 6am

TCM

Sky 317 Virgin 415 BT 512 **HD** Virgin 416
6.00am Hollywood's Best Film Directors **7.00** Rawhide **9.05 The Wrong Man** ★★★★★ Crime drama. Choice, p104. (1956, PG) **11.10 The Last Challenge** ★★ Western. (1967) **1.05pm Torpedo Run** ★★ Drama. (1958, U) **3.00 Sands of Iwo Jima** ★★ Drama. John Wayne (1949, PG)

5.10pm Dallas ★★ Gary Cooper western. Ruth Roman, Steve Cochran (1950, PG)

7.10 Sullivan's Travels ★★★★★ Sparkling Preston Sturges satire. Joel McCrea, Veronica Lake, William Demarest (1941, PG)

9.00 Mad Max 2 ★★★★★ Exhilarating action thriller. Mel Gibson, Bruce Spence, Vernon Wells (1981, 18)

11.00 Sherlock Holmes: a Game of Shadows ★★ Hyperactive but fun period adventure. Robert Downey Jr, Jude Law (2011, 12)

1.40am Conspiracy Theory with Jesse Ventura **3.30** Hollywood's Best Film Directors

TCM +1 Sky 318 Virgin 417

SPORT Choices



Football League 7.00pm
Sky Football/Main Event
 Wednesday's Jordan Rhodes

Sky Main Event

Sky 401 Virgin 511 BT 402 **HD** Virgin 501 BT 437
7.00am Good Morning Sports Fans **8.00 LIVE European Tour Golf** The South African Open, day two. **10.00** Premier League Daily **11.00** Sky Sports Daily **12 noon LIVE European Tour Golf** The South African Open. **3.00pm** Sky Sports News **7.00 LIVE Football League** Sheffield Utd v Sheffield Wednesday in the Championship (kick-off 7.45), the Steel City derby at Bramall Lane. **10.00** The Debate **11.00-6.00am LIVE International One-Day Cricket** New Zealand v Pakistan, the third of five matches, from the University Oval, Dunedin.

Sky Football

Sky 403 Virgin 513 **HD** Virgin 503
6.00am Greatest Games **7.00** Football Years **7.30** Countdowns **8.00** Football's Greatest (AD) **9.00** Scottish Cup Greatest Games **9.30** La Liga Greatest Games **10.00** Spanish Football **10.30** Football League Matters **11.00** One2Eleven **11.30** SPFL Greatest Games **12 noon** Spanish Football **12.30pm** Football League Matters **1.00** La Liga Icons **2.00** Spanish Football **2.30** Football League Matters **3.00** Football's Greatest Players (AD) **3.30** Football's Greatest Teams (AD) **4.00** Scottish Cup Greatest Games **4.30** La Liga Greatest Games **5.00** La Liga Preview **6.00** Football League Greatest Games **6.30** Football League Matters **7.00 LIVE Football League** Sheffield Utd v Sheffield Wednesday in the Championship (kick-off 7.45). **10.15** Football League Greatest Games **11.00** La Liga Icons **12 midnight** Football League **3.15am** Football League Greatest Games **3.30** Football Countdowns **4.00** Greatest Games **5.00-6.00am** Football's Greatest (AD)

Sky Golf

Sky 405 Virgin 515 **HD** Virgin 505
7.00am Sporting Triumphs **8.00 LIVE European Tour Golf** The South African Open, day two. **10.00** Rory McIlroy: a Decade on Tour **10.30** PGA Tour Profiles **11.00** Sporting Triumphs **12 noon LIVE European Tour Golf** The South African Open. **3.00pm** Golf **5.00** Sporting Triumphs **6.00** European Tour Golf **7.00** Sporting Triumphs **8.00** European Tour Golf **9.00** EurAsia Cup **11.00** European Tour Golf **12 midnight LIVE US Tour Golf** Round two of the Hawaii Open, from the Waialae CC in Honolulu. **3.30-7.00am LIVE EurAsia Cup** Day two of the team competition at the Glenmarie Golf and Country Club in Shah Alam, Malaysia.

Sky Premier League

Sky 402 Virgin 512 **HD** Virgin 502
6.00am Greatest Games **7.00** Preview **7.30** Legends **8.00** Debate **9.00** Premier League Daily **11.00** Debate **12 noon** Premier League Today **12.30pm** Premier League Today **1.00** 100 Club **2.00** Best Goals **3.00** Premier League Years **5.00** Preview **5.30** Premier League Today **6.30** Prediction Show **7.00** Review **7.30** Premier League Today **8.00** Prediction Show **8.30** Preview **9.00** Premier League Today **9.30** Prediction Show **10.00** Debate **11.00** Preview **11.30** Prediction Show **12 midnight** Premier League Today **12.30am** Preview **1.00** Debate **2.00** Preview **2.30** Greatest Games **3.00** Debate **4.00** Preview **4.30** Prediction Show **5.00-6.00am** Preview

Sky Cricket

Sky 404 Virgin 514 **HD** Virgin 504
6.00am Cricket's Greatest (AD) **7.00** Masterclass **8.45** Atherton: BFI Cricket on Film **9.00** Greatest Games **10.00** Johannesburg 20 Years On **10.30** Masterclass **11.00** Greatest Games **12 noon** Cricket's Greatest (AD) **2.00pm** Masterclass **3.00** Greatest Games **4.00** Cricket's Greatest (AD) **6.00** Best of Sky Cricket **7.00** Ashes Memories **8.00** Best of Bumble **9.00** Ashes Memories **9.55-6.00am LIVE International One-Day Cricket** New Zealand v Pakistan, the third in a five-match series, at University Oval, Dunedin.

Sky Action

Sky 407 Virgin 517 **HD** Virgin 507
6.00am Triathlon **6.30** Transylvania Ultramarathon **7.00** NFL: America's Game (AD) **8.00** NFL: America's Game (AD) **9.00** NFL: a Football Life **10.00** Racing News **10.30** Rugby Union **1.00pm** NFL: Greatest Games **2.30** Rugby Union **5.00** Rugby Union **7.30 LIVE Rugby Union** European Rugby Challenge Cup. **10.00** Fishing **11.00** NFL: a Football Life **1.00am** More than a Game **2.30** NFL: Greatest Games **4.00** More than a Game **4.30-6.00am** NFL: Greatest Games

Sky Arena

Sky 408 Virgin 518 **HD** Virgin 508
6.00am Sporting Records **7.00** Wrestling **8.00** Sporting Records **10.00** Sporting Greats (AD) **11.00** Sporting Records **12 noon** Great Sporting Moments **1.00** Sporting Triumphs **2.00** Sporting Records **3.00** Sports Unlimited **4.00** Motorsport Mundial **5.00** Wrestling **7.00** George Groves: Fourth Time Lucky **7.30** Boxing: Anthony Crolla v Ricky Burns **9.30** Motor Racing **10.00** Sports Unlimited **11.00** Motorsport Mundial **12 midnight** Boxing **2.00am** Rugby Union **4.30** Sporting Greats (AD) **5.00-6.00am** Sporting Records

Eurosport 1

Sky 410 Virgin 523 BT 412 **HD** Virgin 521 BT 435
5.00am LIVE Tennis The ATP Sydney International, semi-finals. More at 10am on Eurosport 2 **7.00** Tennis: Australian Open **9.30 LIVE Alpine Skiing** World Cup meeting in Wengen, Switzerland, the men's downhill combined event. **11.00 LIVE Ski Jumping** Qualifying in Tauplitz-Bad Mitterndorf. **12 noon LIVE Nordic Combined Skiing** World Cup meeting in Val di Fiemme, Italy, the Gundersen event. **1.00pm LIVE Biathlon** World Cup event in Ruhpolding, Germany. **3.00** Ski Jumping **4.00** Alpine Skiing **4.30 LIVE Snowboarding** World Cup meeting at Snowmass, Colorado. **6.00** Tennis: Australian Open **8.00** Tennis **10.00** Dakar Rally **10.30** Rally **10.45-12.15am** Australian Open Classic

BT Sport 1

Sky 413 Virgin 531 BT 408 **HD** Virgin 527 BT 430
6.00am Premier League **6.30** Australian Football **7.30** Reload **7.45 LIVE Tennis** WTA Sydney. **10.00** Premier League **10.30** French Football **11.00** Darts **1.00pm** Italian Football **1.30** Reload **1.45** Rugby Union **2.45** German Football **3.15** French Football **3.45** Australian Football **5.15** Premier League **5.45** Twenty20 Cricket **6.45 LIVE Darts** Day seven of the BDO World Championships. **11.45** Classic Football **2.15am** Reload **2.30** Premier League **3.30-6.00am LIVE Tennis** The WTA Hobart International.

BT Sport 2

Sky 414 Virgin 532 BT 409 **HD** Virgin 528 BT 431
6.00am Motorcycling **6.30** World Rally Classic **7.30** Twenty20 Cricket **8.30 LIVE Twenty20 Cricket** Melbourne Renegades v Melbourne Stars in the Big Bash League. **12 noon** Cricket Classics **3.00** NBA **5.00** Formula E **5.30** Rugby Union **6.30** Premier League **7.00 LIVE Rugby Union** European Rugby Champions Cup. **10.00** UFC Unleashed **11.00** BT Sport Reload **11.15** Twenty20 Cricket **12.15am LIVE Women's Twenty20 Cricket** Big Bash action. **3.45** BT Sport Reload **4.00-7.30am LIVE Twenty20 Cricket** Big Bash League action.

BT Sport 3

Sky 417 Virgin 533 BT 410 **HD** Virgin 529 BT 432
6.00am French Football **8.00 LIVE Tennis** WTA Hobart. **10.00** German Football **10.30** US Game of the Week **12.30pm** German Football **2.30** Reload **2.45** Tennis **6.45** German Football **7.15 LIVE German Football** Bayer Leverkusen v Bayern Munich. **9.30** Tennis **11.30** NBA **1.00am LIVE NBA** Bucks v Warriors. **3.30** Bernie and Ernie **4.30** UFC Unleashed **5.30-6.00am** Motorcycling

BT Sport/ESPN

Sky 426 Virgin 534 BT 411 **HD** Virgin 530 BT 433
6.00am Basketball **6.30** Pardon the Interruption **7.00** Around the Horn **7.30** Harlem Globetrotters **8.30** Reload **8.45 LIVE Australian Football** **11.00** MLB **11.30** American Football **12 noon** Pardon the Interruption **12.30pm** NBA **1.00** ESPN FC **1.30** Basketball **5.30** NBA **6.00** Major League Baseball **6.30** ESPN FC **7.00** Reload **7.15** French Football **7.45 LIVE French Football** **9.45** Reload **10.00** Nature Boy (AD) **11.00** NBA **11.30** Around the Horn **12 midnight LIVE Basketball** **2.00am** American Football **5.30-6.00am** Major League Baseball

Eurosport 2

Sky 411 Virgin 524 BT 413 **HD** Virgin 522 BT 436
6.15am Ski Jumping **7.15** Rallying **7.30** Dakar Rally **8.00** Watts **8.15 LIVE Nordic Combined Skiing** World Cup meeting, Val di Fiemme. **9.30** Formula E **10.00 LIVE Tennis** ATP Sydney. **12 noon** Watts **12.15pm** Dakar Rally **2.00** Tennis **6.00** Snooker **8.00 LIVE Freestyle Skiing** **9.30** Watts **9.35** News **9.40** Lindsey Vonn **9.45** Winter Olympics: short films **9.55** News **10.00-12 midnight** Snooker



Mäkling å killing

Ladybird Book duo **Joel Morris** and **Jason Hazeley** are now spoofing Scandi *noir*

Angstrom

Wednesday 6.30pm **Radio 4**

WE GOT PAID for our first gag when we were still in sixth form,” says Joel Morris, writer, with Jason Hazeley, of Radio 4’s Scandi *noir* spoof

Angstrom. “We sold a quickie to Russ Abbot.” Thirty years later, and buoyed by the runaway success of their ironic reworking (right) of the Ladybird children’s books of the 1960s and 70s, Hazeley and Morris can look back on television triumphs that include *Charlie Brooker’s Screen Wipe*, *That Mitchell and Webb Look* and *A Touch of Cloth*.

There’s been one failure. “It’s true. We walked out of *Danger Mouse* in 2014,” Morris says cheerfully. Though it might have upset Hazeley: “My childhood dream was to work for *Danger Mouse*,” he says, “and we couldn’t cut it.”

‘The public went berserk – it was like Buzz Lightyear’

Hazeley, 46, and Morris, 47, have been together so long they say it’s hard to tell the difference between each other’s lines, but off the page they’re a pleasing contrast. Hazeley is gawky and angular, Morris shorter and boyish. They met at grammar school in Chelmsford, a town described by Dickens, Hazeley points out, “as the dullest place on God’s earth”. For their own entertainment, they volunteered to help on a school newsletter.

“Within a fortnight,” says Morris, “we’d produced a parody newsletter and, frankly, we’ve been doing the same thing ever since.”

Their latest project features the brooding detective Knut Angstrom and his younger blue-haired, multi-pierced sidekick, Mina Oblong. Taking the rise out of *The Killing*, *Wallander*, *The Bridge* and the rest is, you might argue, comedy’s equivalent of kicking a football at a barn door. The genre’s tropes – existential gloom, knitwear and grisly murders – are all easy targets, but *Angstrom* brings a particularly knowing silliness to Scandi *noir*.

“The other thing we wanted to parody was watching something that is just very long,” says Morris. “Some people really enjoy how a Scandi *noir* goes on for ten episodes on the back of a single crime. But, if you’re like me, by the time you get to episode five, you’ve forgotten what’s going on unless you’re binge-watching it. You’ve forgotten how far the conspiracy went up into the government. You’ve forgotten who is the secret figure with the file of disgusting sex dungeon pictures. We wanted to create that feeling of not quite paying attention to a box set.”

Everything we hear (the show is recorded at the BBC Radio Theatre) is supposedly written by a Brit, Martin English, under the pen name Bjorgen Swedenssonsson. “He’s just a hack who was previously doing *The Bill* or *Taggart*,” says Hazeley. “He’s never been to Scandinavia and all the research comes from Wikipedia. So, by episode two, he’s run out of ideas and put Benny from Abba in it. Because that’s obviously a character you need in a Scandi *noir*.”

The pair conjure up this daftness at two desks in a small West End office. They exchange ideas

POST-IT NOTES

The scene breakdown for episode one of *Angstrom*, our Scandi *noir* spoof for Radio 4



TOILET

The yellow Sindy toilet is a prop from Joel’s favourite comedy sketch – Rowan Atkinson and Mel Smith’s bathroom salesman skit in *Not the Nine o’Clock News*

from behind their laptops, “like playing Battleships”, says Hazeley. The money from the Ladybird books has made the central London office possible. Previously they worked in public spaces with free wi-fi and a coffee shop, which is how they came up with the Ladybird idea. “There’s a gift shop at the Royal Festival Hall and we saw reprints of classic Ladybird books,” says Joel. “We went, ‘Oh, they’ll do loads more of these,’ and they didn’t. So we took them an idea for doing something new with the old artwork.”

The first edition was *The Ladybird Book of the Hipster* in 2015. “The public went berserk,” says Hazeley. “It was like Buzz Lightyear,” says Morris. “Shops ran out of stock.” Why was it so

Joel Morris (left) and Jason Hazeley show us round their London office

"COMPETENT" BANNER

It was made for the Ladybird launch party after a critical (serious) review in the *Guardian* books section, which contained only this positive word

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ALARM CLOCK

We need it because we make podcasts in the office and it helps keep them to time. It's from Jason's daughter's bedside table.

LAPTOPS

We don't type and pace, the common writing duo style – one typing, one talking. We write and swap, our laptops opposite each other like a game of Battleships

PENGUIN

This is a knitted penguin holding a ladybird – handmade by Joel's mum

LADYBIRDS

The full set of our Ladybird books for grown-ups – 32 titles

SIMON O'HAGAN
PICK OF THE WEEK

One to One
Tuesday 9.30pm Radio 4

Identity, says Helen Glover, was the word that kept cropping up when she set out to talk to top-level sportspeople about life after retirement. "So much of who you are is bound up in training and competing," the double Olympic rowing champion (below) tells me.

That loss of identity can be devastating. In the first of three excellent *One to Ones*, Glover meets Kelly Holmes, whose two golds at the 2004 Athens Olympics – in the 800 and 1500 metres – put her in the pantheon. Holmes carried on for a year, then retired and, soon after, depression struck. "I thought, 'I have no clue who I am any more,'" she tells Glover. Holmes has since made a success of various projects, but "only this year have I come to terms with what I need to be as a person".

Glover was minded to explore this subject because she herself is facing the big R. Since winning her second Olympic title at the Rio Games in 2016, she's put rowing on hold, taken part in a half-Ironman triathlon, and now, at 31, she's deciding whether to try for Tokyo in 2020.

"I didn't want these programmes to be negative," she says. "Amazing things can happen. Athletes have qualities that mean they can go on to achieve even more." Glover's subsequent interviews are with the former badminton world champion Gail Emms and the former Olympic athlete Kriss Akabusi, and at least one of them bears this out.

There's a limit to how many former sportspeople the media can absorb, but Glover proves herself to be an adept interviewer who's very much at home on Radio 4.



AMBRIDGE DIARY

The Archers this week...

Ruth may be promising to support Pip, but there's still a large obstacle to overcome: Jill. The Archer matriarch doesn't exactly look fondly on the Fairbrothers, so what will be her reaction when she learns the truth. Will she accept Pip's state of affairs or push her further away than ever? At least David is making an effort to be reasonable – however, a confrontation soon gets out of hand when he and Toby finally come face to face.

Helen reaches the end of her tether with the kefir, while Tom and Susan are forced to face the cold, hard facts: the stuff just isn't selling. And Roy worries that Lexi is being taken advantage of – but is stunned when she has her say on the matter. **DAVID BROWN**

GARY MOYES/REX

popular? "Some parodies are supposed to destroy the target, so you can never take it seriously again. But Ladybird books are pastiche; they take the form and enjoy it," says Morris. "People know it's not a 'real' Ladybird, it's actually *The Elves and the Shoemaker*, and not a hipster boot emporium. They recognise the images, that's the door that lets you in to the joke."

That gentleness, and their insistence on the original illustrators being credited in the new versions of the books, meant Hazeley and Morris were warmly regarded by the Ladybird community. When Martin Aitchison, the illustrator of the Peter and Jane reading series, died in 2016, they were invited to the memorial service. "All

the models for the Ladybird artworks are actual people," says Morris. "We met the real Peter and Jane and it was really weird. I said, 'I feel I know you. You were members of my family.'"

Like the Ladybird books, *Angstrom's* humour is affectionate rather than angry. "We're pretty lousy at satire," says Hazeley. "We did one week on *Have I Got News for You* and, quite correctly, they never asked us back". Essentially a couple of softies, they're happy to gently take the mickey, out of themselves as much as us. "Really," says Morris, "the big joke of *Angstrom* is the writer is out of his depth." After a pause Hazeley says, "Hopefully no one will spot what we've done there." **MICHAEL HODGES**

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Eddie Mair



SOUND BITES

BY GILLIAN REYNOLDS

Resolution blues

My best intentions may be some time

YOU SURVIVED the festive season and are standing proud – or possibly slightly stooped – as 2018 looms. New horizons. New goals. New resolutions. Isn't it exciting?

No, of course it isn't. Too many times we've both experienced the shimmering hope afforded by the gleaming newness of January 1st, only to have our knees grazed as we tumble headfirst onto the gravel of reality.

Apologies for that rather purple prose. Just finishing the last of the Christmas sherry. It has a tang to it. I don't think it's from this Christmas. I'm not completely certain it's sherry.

Over the years I've made countless new year resolutions, only to break them before the end of Auld Lang Syne. Be nicer to everyone: failed. Be nicer to people at work: failed. Be nicer to Vaughan Savidge and stop making personal remarks about him: failed, though the old git deserved it.

Any of the permanent changes I've made in my life have never begun on January 1st: aside from the gloom, the cold and the dregs of the festive feast, there's the relentless pressure of having to live up to the daft promises we collectively make on December 31st. New year resolutions are officially a thing, and publicly giving up on them meets with the same response as if you'd drowned a kitten or criticised the Queen.

'Is the gloom of January the right moment for a fresh start in anything?'

"How are your resolutions going?" people will enquire, cheerily. I think it's supposed to count as support, but to me it feels like pressure.

The calendar taunts by counting the number of days you've grimly kept your resolve. January 2nd. Day two. Your second day of going without. It grinds on. January 3rd. Is it only three days? It's another whole year until I can do this again.

"Day four – how are your resolutions going?"

"How much do you like hospital food?"

Our celebrity culture does not help. Now, in addition to the encouragement of well-meaning friends and colleagues, famous people have got in on the act. Their fitness programmes and diet regimes are much better than those offered by fully qualified nutritionists or doctors because



they have agents. And it's great motivation. It's one thing to disappoint ourselves, but to let down a celebrity we've seen on TV and to whom we've indirectly given money? Unthinkable!

So if this new year has engendered a sense of a new you, I wish you luck. If you've already tried and failed, join the club. But don't give up. I think I have a better plan. I don't think it's our fault. It's the calendar's fault.

I WONDER WHETHER the gloom of January is the right moment for a fresh start in anything. It's hard to see the sunlit uplands of tomorrow when there's only three hours of daylight and it's too cold to be outside for longer than five minutes. Wouldn't spring be a better time for us to forge our resolutions? How about April 6th? A New Financial Year Resolution! The clocks will have changed, the evenings will be lighter and accountants everywhere will be partying like they've just landed the Apple contract for running an office in Jersey.

Yes, why not ditch the constraints of our traditional calendar and live the way HMRC does? I can already smell the fresher air, see the dew glistening on the gravel and the choirs singing something Gregorian.

Boy, this stuff is strong. I've checked the label. Does Unilever even make sherry?

Eddie Mair presents PM and iPM on Radio 4

Just ask Alexa, and all that jazz...



Radio's new best friends are "smart speakers". Not Eddie Mair, you understand, but little boxes like Amazon's Alexa, digital assistant devices that respond to voice commands. You can ask Alexa to turn lights on or find answers to questions but, so far, Alexa's most preferred use is for listening to radio. **Jazz FM** prides itself on using the latest technology to serve its tech-savvy audience and has been working with Amazon to go beyond instant on-air access. Soon it will offer bespoke listening. For jazz fans this is a great leap forward. Here's why. Most of us prefer particular kinds of jazz, whether trad, bop, blues, boogie, Latin, Afro or freeform. Now you'll be able to say "Alexa – play Jazz FM" and you'll get a personalised greeting plus, over time, the opportunity to explore all of Jazz FM's specialist shows and, by voice command, hear exactly your kind of music. Hard on Jazz's heels, the BBC is now doing the same for all 56 of its UK stations.

Cowan's back at Classic FM

Longtime Classic FM listeners will rejoice at the return of **Rob Cowan** after 17 years at Radio 3. His comfortable broadcasting style, informed but informal, always genuinely engaged, was first developed at Classic FM 25 years ago. It's bound to make his new Saturday-evening show a haven from the week's physical or political storms.

Charlotte's tip for the top

It's sad, though, that Charlotte Green – who left Radio 4's presentation team in 2013 to sign up with Classic FM – will sign off at the end of this month. Into her Sunday afternoon slot will step **Charlotte Hawkins** from the ITV *Good Morning Britain* team and a recent contestant on *Strictly Come Dancing*. An accomplished interviewer, she will include a weekly feature on the show, "star of the future". First up is the brilliant 18-year-old cellist **Sheku Kanneh-Mason** (above), BBC Young Musician of the Year in 2016, soloist at last summer's BBC Proms and subject of an inspirational recent BBC4 documentary. But with all that, and a clutch of other glittering awards plus a Decca recording contract under his belt, surely he's a star already?



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Cowan's Classics/ The Sound of Music with Howard Goodall

7.00pm/9.00pm Classic FM
Classic FM's Saturday evenings welcome two big names who are both formidable experts and tremendous audience-pleasers. The composer Howard Goodall (above) is a great educator with a huge range of enthusiasms whose programme about the Beatles' *Sgt Pepper's* album was a TV highlight of 2017. Now he begins a series of six programmes in which he celebrates the history of musical theatre in the company of Andrew Lloyd Webber, and what these two don't know about the subject wouldn't fill a single square on Joseph's technicolor dreamcoat. Before Goodall there's two hours of Rob Cowan, who returns to the station he graced before spending many years as one of Radio 3's most familiar voices. In a feature confidently titled *Sure Shot*, he champions a new recording which he's tipping for success. And at 3pm tomorrow Charlotte Hawkins begins her new Classic FM series. See Gillian Reynolds on page 119.

SIMON O'HAGAN

Archive on 4: Good Luck Professor Spiegelhalter

8.00pm Radio 4
It says much about our interest in forces we don't understand that there is a Professor of the Public Understanding of Risk at Cambridge University. This is indeed Sir David Spiegelhalter, who has appeared in several TV programmes about chance and statistics. Here he examines the "lucky" discovery of penicillin, ink jet printers and post-it notes in an attempt to discover what part luck may have played in the process. DAVID MCGILLIVRAY

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1.00am Kan D Man and DJ Limelight
4.00 Benji B

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7.00 DJ Target
9.00 Charlie Sloth Hip-hop.
11.00 Diplo and Friends
1.00am Semtex Hip-hop.
3.00 1Xtra Mixes **4.00 Benji B**

BBC Radio 2

88-90.2 FM bbc.co.uk/radio2
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News and Weather on the hour, plus 6.30 and 7.30am
6.00am Sounds of the 60s
Tony Blackburn with big period hits and the odd rarity, including requests, today featuring discs by the Viscounts, Patsy Cline, the 5th Dimension and many others. Plus listener dedications, the odd obscure track and contributions from collector and producer Phil Swern. Repeated Sunday 14 January
8.00 Dermot O'Leary
Music and top guests, including live studio sessions.
10.00 Graham Norton
Pop music, playful chat and, in the first hour, **Grill Graham**, in which Graham and Maria McErlane play agony aunt responding to listeners' personal dilemmas, with listeners' reaction later in the show. Guests include actresses Sarah Lancashire - discussing her new Channel 4 drama *Kiri* - and Brenda Blethyn, who stars in series eight of the ITV drama *Vera*. And Australian vet Scott Miller (*Vet on the Hill*) drops by for a chat. See Wednesday 9pm Channel 4 and tomorrow 9pm ITV

1.00pm Pick of the Pops
Paul Gambaccini counts down pop charts from this week in 1977 and 1988 with most of the Top 20, including hits by 10cc, Queen, the Proclaimers, the Pet Shop Boys and many others. Repeated Wednesday 12 midnight
3.00 Suzi Perry
Sitting in for Zoë Ball.
6.00 Liza Tarbuck
With an inspired and eclectic playlist and listeners' texts read out.
8.00 Trevor Nelson's Rhythm Nation Original soul and R&B.
10.00 The Craig Charles House Party Funk, soul and neo-R&B. Repeated Thursday 12 midnight
12.00 Ana Matronic's Disco Devotion
Disco-era hits from both the pop and dance charts, plus rarities from a cross-section of acts.
2.00am Radio 2 Playlists
Including **Show Tunes**, presented by Elaine Paige. At **3.00 Love Songs** and at **4.00 Easy**.
5.00 Huey Morgan

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7.00am Breakfast With Elizabeth Alker.
9.00 Record Review With Andrew McGregor.
9.30 Building a Library As part of **New Year, New Music**, Gillian Moore assesses available recordings of music by Ligeti.
10.30 Hannah French discusses new recordings of Baroque music, including Handel's opera *Lotario* and recitals from Philippe Jaroussky, Chantal Santon Jeffery and Delphine Galou.
11.45 Andrew chooses an outstanding new release as his **Disc of the Week**.
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Disc details are posted on the website

12.15pm Music Matters
As part of **New Year, New Music**, Tom Service talks to the composer and conductor Esa-Pekka Salonen, principal conductor of the Philharmonia Orchestra and conductor laureate for the Los Angeles Philharmonic. (R) Repeated Monday 10pm
1.00 Saturday Classics
Mezzo Joyce DiDonato chooses some gems from the American repertoire, including standards from the Great American Songbook and works by less well-known composers. Featuring music by William Grant Still, Amy Beach, Ruth Crawford Seeger, Charles Griffes, Henry Cowell, Paul Creston, Philip Glass, John Corigliano, Mark Adamo, Jake Heggie and Craig Urquhart, and classic compositions by Jerome Kern, Harold Arlen, Duke Ellington, Cole Porter and Irving Berlin. (R) See 6pm
3.00 Sound of Cinema

In the second of two programmes on film music of Franz Waxman, Matthew Sweet focuses on the postwar years, when Waxman's remarkable musical gifts helped establish the sound of Hollywood. He produced some of his greatest scores during these years, from *Sunset Boulevard* to *Taras Bulba*, and also made a major contribution to the classical musical life of America through the annual Los Angeles Music Festival, which he created and ran.
4.00 Jazz Record Requests
Alyn Shipton with listeners' requests including Duke Ellington's famous version of *Creole Love Call* with vocalist Adelaide Hall. ADDRESS: Jazz Record Requests, BBC Radio 3, Broadcasting House, London W1A 1AA EMAIL: jazz.record.requests@bbc.co.uk
5.00 Jazz Line-Up
Kevin Le Gendre presents Cuban pianist Alfredo Rodriguez and his trio in concert at the Sage, recorded last April on the *Jazz Line-Up* stage as part of the Gateshead Jazz Festival. Revised repeat
6.00 Opera on 3
Joyce DiDonato stars in Rossini's *Semiramide* - the story of the Queen of Assyria, who conspired with her then lover Assur, an army commander, to poison her husband King Nino, whose corpse comes back from the underworld to claim justice.

BBC 6 Music

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7.00am Mary Anne Hobbs New music.
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1.00pm Liz Kershaw Guests, requests and features.
3.00 Gilles Peterson Hip-hop, soul, Latin and jazz.
6.00 The Craig Charles Funk and Soul Show R&B, gospel, northern soul and contemporary remixes.
9.00 The Tom Robinson Show New music.
12.00 The Freak Zone Playlist
1.00am The Joy of 6 **2.00 6 Music Recommends**
3.00 Live Hour Ralph McTell in 1974. **4.00 The First Time...** With Mick Fleetwood. **5.00 Chris Hawkins**

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1.00pm RockBlock **2.00 Request Show**
6.00 Joe Elliott Rptd Tue 9pm **7.00 Planet Rock of Ages** Rptd Wed 7pm **8.00 Mojo Rocks** Rptd Wed 8pm
10.00 New Rock Show **12.00 Blues Power** Rptd Thu 9pm **1.00am Through the Night** **5.00 Liz Barnes**

Complicating the situation is Semiramide's love for a younger warrior, Arsace, who unknown to her is her long-lost son. Presented by Donald Macleod. Recorded last month at the Royal Opera House.

Rossini Semiramide
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Nino's Ghost
Chorus and Orchestra of the Royal Opera House, conductor Antonio Pappano
RT OFFER Rossini *Semiramide* (3 CDs) - featuring Alex Penda, Marianna Pizzolato, Lorenzo Regazzo, John Osborn and the Virtuosi Brunensis and the Poznan Camerata Bach Choir conducted by Antonino Fogliani, recorded in 2012 at the Rossini in Wildbad Festival - is available for £22.95 incl p&p. Call 0115 982 7500 quoting ref 866034042 or visit radiotimes.com/cds

10.00 Hear and Now
Tom Service presents highlights from the London Contemporary Music Festival, recorded in December and featuring works by American experimentalist Robert Ashley performed by new music ensemble Apartment House, with the composer's son Sam Ashley on vocals.

12.00 Geoffrey Smith's Jazz
Geoffrey Smith introduces highlights from the recording career of Montreal-born pianist Oscar Peterson (1925-2007), who was renowned for his dazzling technique, mighty swing and the ensemble power of his great trios and who was popular enough to fill the Royal Albert Hall. (R)

1.00am Through the Night With Catriona Young.
Beethoven Symphony No 6 in F (Pastoral) (5th mv't)
John Adams Hallelujah Junction **Cohen Hallelujah Variations** **Bach Sonatina** (*Gottes Zeit ist die allerbeste Zeit, BWV106*) **Lennon and McCartney Let It Be** **Piazzolla Primavera portefaña; Oblivion; Libertango** **Gluck Ballet Music** (*Orpheus and Eurydice*) **Ravel La valse** **Bernstein Mambo** (*West Side Story*) **Thiele What a Wonderful World** Greg Anderson and Elizabeth Joy Roe (pianos) **2.28 Copland Hoe Down** (*Rodeo*), arr four guitars **2.32 Bach, orch Schoenberg Komm, Gott Schöpfer, heiliger Geist, BWV631** **2.35 Dvorak String Quartet in F, Op 96 (American)** **3.01 Gershwin Symphonic Suite** (*Porgy and Bess*) **3.27 Ravel Gaspard de la nuit** **3.49 Stenhammar Spring Night** **3.57 Veremans Night and Sunrise on the Net** **4.09 De Boeck Ave Maria** **4.12 Gilson Andante and Scherzo for cello and orchestra** **4.21 Ysaÿe Prelude** (*Solo Violin Sonata No 2 in A minor, Op 27 No 2*) (*Obsession*) **4.24 Franck Pastorale in E, Op 19** **4.34 Chausson Chanson perpétuelle, Op 37** **4.42 Albéniz Cuba** (*Suite española No 1, Op 47*) **4.48 Rodrigo Cuatro madrigales amatorios** **4.56 Ravel Pièce en forme de habanera, arr Neuberth for viola and piano** **5.01 Bach Concerto in C minor, BWV1060, for two harpsichords** **5.15 Judith Weir String Quartet** **5.27 Wagner Im Treibhaus** (*Wesendonck-Lieder*) **5.33 Strauss Der Rosenkavalier** (*Final Trio*) **5.38 Messiaen Le loriot** (*Catalogue d'oiseaux, Book 1*) **5.46 Vivaldi Violin Concerto in A, RV335** (*The Cuckoo*) **5.56 Boulanger Nocturne for flute and piano** **6.00 Lutoslawski Dance Preludes** **6.11 Stants String Quartet No 2** **6.25 Haydn Symphony No 88 in G** **6.46 Ruth Watson Henderson Missa brevis**

Classic FM

99.9-101.9 FM classicfm.com
Freeview 731 Freesat 721 Sky 0106 Virgin 922
7.00am Alan Titchmarsh
10.00 Bill Turnbull With popular favourites.
1.00pm Tim Lihoreau Classical tracks.
3.00 Nicholas Owen Classic FM favourites.
5.00 Saturday Night at the Movies
Andrew Collins looks at upcoming UK film releases with highlights of scores including Carter Burwell's Golden Globe-nominated music for *Three Billboards outside Ebbing, Missouri*. Plus music by Michael Giacchino (*Coco*) and Dario Marianelli (*Darkest Hour*).
7.00 Cowan's Classics
RT New series. Following ten years at BBC Radio 3, Rob Cowan returns to Classic FM, championing new recordings and both popular and lesser-known works. His first **Artist of the Week** is American soprano Jessye Norman.
9.00 The Sound of Music
RT New series. 1/6. In their first exchange, Howard Goodall and Andrew Lloyd Webber discuss the impact of growing up in a musical household.
10.00 Smooth Classics With Myleene Klass.
1.00am Katie Breathwick **4.00 Emma Nelson**

BBC Radio 4

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News 5.30am, 6.00, 7.00 (FM), 8.00 and hourly to 2.00pm, 4.00 and hourly to 11.00 (FM/LW), 12 midnight (FM)
Weather 6.04am (FM), 6.57 (FM), 7.57, 12.57pm, 5.57, 9.59, 12.29am (FM)
Shipping Forecasts 5.20am, 12.01pm (LW), 5.54, 12.48am
5.30am FM only News Briefing

5.30-7.30am* LW only Test Match Special Australia v England
Day three of the Fifth Ashes Test at the Sydney Cricket Ground. *approximate times
Commentary also on 5 Live Sports Extra

5.43 FM only Prayer for the Day
With space scientist Monica Grady.
5.45 FM only iPM With Luke Jones and Eddie Mair.
Producer Roger Sawyer. Extended repeat 5.30pm
bbc.co.uk/blogs/ipm email: ipm@bbc.co.uk
Eddie Mair: page 119

6.00 FM only News and Papers
6.07 FM only Open Country 11/16. Football and Fairies around Bradford
Helen Mark uncovers fantastic fairy stories and forgotten football legends in the landscape around Bradford. She also visits the nearby village of Salthaire, a Unesco World Heritage Site with a gallery devoted to the work of Bradford-born artist David Hockney. Repeated from Thursday

6.30 FM only Farming Today This Week
7.00 Today FM only until 7.30
With Nick Robinson and Frank Gardner.
7.25, 8.25 Sports News
7.48 Thought for the Day
With Catherine Pepinster.

9.00 Saturday Live
Extraordinary stories and remarkable people with Richard Coles and Aasmah Mir, whose main guest is actor Phil Daniels.
Producer Corinna Jones

10.30 The Kitchen Cabinet 3/7. Worcester. Jay Rayner's culinary roadshow visits Worcester. Andi Oliver, Tim Hayward, Paula McIntyre and Zoe Laughlin tackle questions from a local audience.
Producer Hannah Newton Repeated Tuesday 3pm

11.04 The Forum 2/2. Nikola Tesla's Electric Dreams
Jasmina Vujic, Jane Alcorn and Michael Krause join Bridget Kendall to explore Nikola Tesla's dream of creating a worldwide system of free wireless electricity. The Serbian-American engineer and inventor died in New York in 1943. First broadcast on BBC World Service. Producer Radek Boschetty
11.30 From Our Own Correspondent
Presented by Kate Adie. Producer Joe Kent
12.04pm Money Box
With Paul Lewis. Repeated tomorrow at 9pm
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BBC Radio 4 Extra

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6.00am Friday's Child as 4pm
7.30 Michael Bentine - The Reluctant Jester
8.00 Archive on 4: Rural Rides as 3pm
9.00 Tony Law's Surreal Guide to Surreal Comedy The absurdist comic embarks on a journey through the history of surreal humour, including Monty Python sketches, *Why Bother?* - a 1994 programme by Peter Cook and Chris Morris - and a complete episode of *Between the Ears*. Plus extracts from *The Goon Show*, a rare interview with Gerard Hoffnung (1925-59) and a memorable Sunday in 1994 when Vic and Bob took the reins at Radio 1. With input from Noel Fielding, Will Self and Sean Hughes. From 2014
12.00 The Unbelievable Truth Panel show (1/6)
12.30pm Round the Horne 1965 comedy (1/16)
1.00 Shardlake: Heartstone Justin Salinger and Bryan Dick star as lawyer-detective Matthew Shardlake and his assistant Jack Barak in Colin MacDonal's dramatisation of the bestselling 2010 novel by CJ Sansom - omnibus (1-5/10)
2.10 Inheritance Tracks Abba co-founder Benny Andersson discusses recordings by Dalarna's Spelmansforbund and Maria Callas
2.15 In the Psychiatrist's Chair A 1991 programme in which Birmingham-born Barbara Cartland (1901-2000) talks to Dr Anthony Clare

12.30 The News Quiz 1/8. Simon Evans, Andrew Maxwell, Helen Lewis and Zoe Lyons join chairman Miles Jupp for a satirical look through the week's news.
Repeated from yesterday

1.00 News 1.15 One to One
Trevor Nelson meets Adrienne, who has eight half-siblings she did not know about. She tries to convince him they are one big happy family.
Producer Perminder Khatkar (R)

1.30 Mastertapes Randy Newman (The A-Side) 1/2
John Wilson meets American singer/songwriter and film composer Randy Newman, who talks about his 1972 album *Sail Away* and also performs live.
Producer Paul Kobrak (R)

2.00 Mastertapes Randy Newman (The B-Side) 2/2
In the second part of his interview about the 1972 album *Sail Away*, Randy Newman takes questions from the audience at the BBC's Maida Vale studios and performs live. (R)

2.30 Drama: Offshore
A dramatisation by Michael Butt of Penelope Fitzgerald's 1979 Booker Prize-winning novel, set among a small community of eccentric barge-dwellers living on the River Thames. Nenna and her two daughters find themselves facing a series of tricky decisions.

Nenna	Hattie Morahan	Laura	Isabella Inghald
Tilda	Rosie Boore	Fr Watson/Edward	David Reakes
Martha	Molly Pipe	Pinkie	Rupert Holliday-Evans
Maurice	Joel MacCormack	Antiques man	Philip Bretherton
Richard	Clive Hayward	Louise	Kath Weare
Willis	Neil McCaul	Mrs Hodge	Ellie Darvill

Director David Hunter
3.30 Opening Night
Glasgow is the focus of this month's theatre magazine. Janice Forsyth meets Dominic Hill, artistic director of the Citizens Theatre, to hear about future plans. She also visits the Royal Conservatoire of Scotland as students prepare for a show in Govan. *Into the New* aims to be thought-provoking and dynamic, but how will it go down with locals?
Producer Victoria McArthur

4.00 Weekend Woman's Hour
With Jane Garvey.
Producer Rabeka Nurmahomed; Editor Jane Thurlow
EMAIL: womanshour@bbc.co.uk

5.00 Saturday PM With Luke Jones.
5.30 iPM Extended repeat from 5.45pm
6.00 Six o'Clock News
6.15 Loose Ends
Clive Anderson and Scottee are joined by comedian Lucy Porter and writer Anoushka Warden, whose first play - *My Mum's a Twat* - is opening at the Royal Court Jerwood Theatre Upstairs. Music from saxophonist and composer YolanDa Brown and Son of Dave.
Producer Sukey Frith

3.00 Archive on 4: Rural Rides Mark Steel provides a light-hearted review of the history of journalistic expeditions around Britain, revealing how writers were often hired to take whistle-stop tours of unfamiliar regions to gather material for publication. From 2013
4.00 Friday's Child John Peacock's dramatisation of Georgette Heyer's 1944 romance novel. With Elli Wantage, James Frain, Simon Russell Beale, Paul Panting, Julian Rhind-Tutt and others. From 1995
5.30 Michael Bentine - The Reluctant Jester A 1993 series in which the early Goons star Michael Bentine (1922-96) shares stories of his life and career (2/6)
6.00 The Real George Orwell - Nineteen Eighty-Four Christopher Eccleston and Tim Pigott-Smith star in Jonathan Holloway's dramatisation of George Orwell's classic dystopian thriller. With Kim Wall, Pippa Nixon, Sam Alexander and Christine Absalom. From 2013 (1/2)
7.00 Tony Law's Surreal Guide to Surreal Comedy 10.00-12.00 Comedy Club: Four at the Store (1/4), at 10.30 The Jason Byrne Show (4/6), at 11.00 Jeremy Hardy Speaks to the Nation (1/4), and at 11.30 Tom Wrighlesworth's Open Letters (4/4)
12.00 as 6pm **1.00am** as 1pm **2.10** as 2.10pm **2.15** *In the Psychiatrist's Chair* as 2.15pm **3.00** as 3pm **4.00** as 4pm **5.30** as 5.30pm

7.00 Profile
Insights into a personality in the headlines.
Producer Richard Knight
Repeated tomorrow 5.45am and 5.40pm

7.15 Saturday Review
Antonia Quirke presents a digital edition, with panellists Andy Riley, Errollyn Wallen and Inua Ellams. Included among their reviews are Matt Huynh's interactive graphic novel *The Boat*, virtual museum tours around the world, and *The Miniaturists* podcast.
Producer Oliver Jones

8.00 Archive on 4: Good Luck Professor Spiegelhalter
Statistician David Spiegelhalter digs a bit deeper into the phenomenon that we perhaps all too lightly refer to as luck.
Producer Kevin Mousley

9.00 Drama: Graeae's Midwich Cuckoos 1/2. John Wyndham's 1957 sci-fi novel adapted by Roy Williams for the Graeae theatre company of disabled performers. The production focuses on what it means to grow up feeling different. After a blackout, children in the village of Midwich begin to display strange abilities.

Zellerby	Tyrone Huggins	Boy cuckoo (aged 12)	Jermaine Anderson
Janet/Charge nurse	Alexandra Mathie	Girl cuckoo (aged 12)	Cassie Campbell
Molly/Anthea	Cherlyee Houston	Girl cuckoo (aged 1)	Terri Donovan
Michaela (aged 12)	Annabel Pattison	Carl/Doctor	Graeme Hawley
Michaela (aged 1)	Hermon Berhane	Neil	Reuben Johnson
		Dean	Charlie Concannon
		Adam Ali	

Boy cuckoo (aged 1) Adam Ali
Directors Jenny Sealey and Polly Thomas
Repeated from Sunday Part 2 tomorrow 3pm
10.00 News and Weather
10.15 Across the Red Line 1/4. Working with conflict resolution specialist Gabrielle Rifkind, Anne McElvoy invites figures on opposite sides of a political issue to listen to each other. Rptd from Wed

11.00 FM only Round Britain Quiz 7/12. Val McDermid and Alan McCredie of Scotland take on the south of England's Marcus Berkman and Paul Sinha. Tom Sutcliffe asks the questions. Repeated from Monday

11.00-7.30am* LW only Test Match Special Australia v England
Day four of the Fifth Ashes Test from the Sydney Cricket Ground. *approximate times
Commentary also on 5 Live Sports Extra

11.30 FM only Wintertide
Robert Pugh reads a short story by Cyran Jones that meditates on how people pass the time during winter. Repeated from Sunday
12.00 FM only News and Weather
12.30-12.45am FM only From Fact to Fiction A writer creates a fictional response to a news story. Rptd from yesterday
1.00 FM only as BBC World Service

BBC World Service

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Programmes may differ online, and on Freesat, Sky, and Virgin
5.00am News 5.05 The Newsroom **5.30** Boston Calling: the news from an American perspective
6.00 Weekend **8.30** Outlook: Perspectives on important issues **9.00** News **9.05** The World This Week **9.30** The Cultural Frontline **10.00** Sports Hour **11.00** News **11.05** The Newsroom **11.30** In the Balance **12.00** Newshour Extra **1.00pm** Newshour **2.00** News **2.05** Music Extra: Bella Bellow - Beloved Songbird of Togo **3.00** News **3.05** Sportsworld **4.00** News **4.05** Sportsworld **5.00** News **5.05** Sportsworld: reports, interviews and analysis **6.00** The Newsroom **6.30** The Cultural Frontline **7.00** News **7.05** Music Extra: India **8.00** News **8.05** The Forum **8.50** Over to You **9.00** Newshour **10.00** News **10.05** The Newsroom **10.20** Sports News **10.30** In the Balance **11.00** News **11.05** The World This Week **11.30** Boston Calling: the news from an American perspective **12.00** News **12.05am** The Cultural Frontline **12.30** Trending **12.50** Over to You **1.00** News **1.05** The World This Week **1.30** Click **2.00** News **2.05** The Newsroom **2.30** Discovery: Lise Meitner **3.00** News **3.05** From Our Own Correspondent: Global reports **3.30** Living with the Gods **3.50** Witness **4.00** News **4.05** World Book Club: Agatha Christie

BBC Radio 5 Live

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F'view 705 F'sat 705 Sky 0105 Virgin 905
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News and sport bulletin every half-hour
Times vary during live sports coverage
5.00am 5 Live Boxing

5 Live Sports Extra Digital only 5.00-7.30am The Ashes
The third day of the Fifth Test.

5.30 The Friday Football Social
Revised repeat
6.00 Saturday Breakfast
9.00 The Danny Baker Show (R)

5 Live Sports Extra Digital only 9.00am-5.00pm The Ashes
Third day, Fifth Test highlights.

11.00 Fighting Talk
12.00 5 Live Sport
FA Cup third round. The commentary matches are Fleetwood Town v Leicester City (12.45), Exeter City v West Bromwich Albion (3.00), and Norwich City v Chelsea (5.30). At **5.00pm Sports Report.**

5 Live Sports Extra Digital only 5.15pm-7.45 Women's Football
Bristol City v Everton (kick-off 5.30).

7.30pm 6-0-6 Phone-in.
8.30 Kermode and Mayo's Film Review Revised repeat

5 Live Sports Extra Digital only 8.00-11.00 The Ashes Highlights.

9.30 Adrian Goldberg
5 Live Sports Extra Digital only 11.00-5.00am The Ashes
The fourth day of the fifth Ashes Test. Continues until 7.30am.

12.00 5 Live in Short (R)
1.00am Up All Night

Talksport

1053, 1089 MW talksport.co.uk
F'view 723 F'sat 731 Sky 0108 Virgin 927
6.00am Seven Days of Talksport
7.00 Georgie Bingham and Tony Cascarino Sporting news.
11.00 Warm Up
With the Two Mikes.
1.00pm Match Day Live
With Adrian Durham.
7.30 The Full Time Phone-in
With Danny Kelly.
10.00 Fight Night
12.00 Extra Time
With Tom Latchem.

Asian Network

bbc.co.uk/asiannetwork
F'view 709 F'sat 709 Sky 0119 Virgin 912
6.00am Jasmine Takhar
10.00 Raj and Pablo
Bollywood previews, star interviews, film reviews and Mumbai gossip.
1.00pm Preeya Kalidas
3.00 The Official Asian Music Chart With Yasser Ranjha.
6.00 Panjabi Hit Squad
Dee and Rav with the latest hip-hop, plus Bollywood and bhangra anthems.
9.00 Kan D Man and DJ Limelight
Urban beats and guest DJs.
12.00 as Radio 5 Live

Absolute Radio

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F'view 727 F'sat 724 Sky 0107 Virgin 915
8.00am Frank Skinner
Popular indie-minded show with punk, indie rock and more.
11.00 Sarah Champion
2.00pm Rock 'n' Roll Football
With Rob Beckett.
5.00 Andy Bush's Indie Disco
Andy Bush introduces indie classics, from the Smiths and New Order to 1990s Britpop and beyond.
7.00 Absolute Classic Rock Party
10.00 Chris Martin
4.00am Martyn Lee

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Today's Choices



Amy Lamé's Sunday Service

4.00pm 6 Music

We are only one week into 2018, and if things weren't bad enough already, Jarvis Cocker has retired from his regular Sunday slot on 6 Music. If, like me, you are one of the multitude who has fallen in love with the Pulp frontman's soft Sheffield drawl over the years, then maybe you can take some solace in the fact his cult show will live on. LGBT activist Amy Lamé (above), who recently took up the rather soundbitey role of London's "night czar", will host a new Sunday Service full of conversation, special guests and the best in alternative music to see out the weekend. She has big shoes to fill, but New Jersey-born Lamé, a regular stand-in on the station, has the necessary gusto to convert the masses.

TOM GOULDING

World Book Club

2.05pm BBC World Service

Agatha Christie has more readers than any other novelist (she has sold more than two billion books, in 103 languages) as well as, surely, some of the keenest. The universal nature of Christie-mania makes *Murder on the Orient Express* – recently given the big-screen treatment and arguably her most popular novel – a prime World Book Club pick. In this edition, knowledgeable readers pose thoughtful, and thought-provoking, questions to the panel: Sophie Hannah, who has written two new Hercule Poirot mysteries, and James Prichard, Christie's great-grandson and chairman of the company that oversees her legacy. Most provocative of all: did Christie even like her idiosyncratic hero? HANNAH SHADDOCK

BBC Radio 1

97.6–99.8 FM bbc.co.uk/radio1
F'view* 700 F'sat 700 Sky 0101 Virgin 901

News on the half-hour 7.30am–3.30pm

6.00am Dev

10.00 Matt Edmondson

1.00pm Alice Levine

4.00 Radio 1's Life Hacks

6.00 Radio 1's Most Played

The biggest tracks of the week.

7.00 Daniel P Carter Loud rock.

10.00 Phil Taggart

1.00am Monki House and grime.

3.00 Artist Takeover (R)

4.00 Jordan North

1Xtra

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F'view 701 F'sat 701 Sky 0137 Virgin 907

6.00am Mim Shaikh

10.00 Nick Bright

1.00pm Jamz Supernova

4.00 Trevor Nelson Neo-R&B.

7.00 David Rodigan

9.00 1Xtra Talks

10.00 DJ Edu Underground music.

1.00am Monki House and grime.

3.00 DJ Edu Rptd from last Sunday

BBC Radio 2

88–90.2 FM bbc.co.uk/radio2

F'view* 702 F'sat 702 Sky 0102 Virgin 902

News and Weather on the hour, plus 7.30am

6.00am The Sunday Hour

The Rev Kate Bottley with hymns, choral classics and gospel music.

7.00 Good Morning Sunday

Angie Greaves sits in for Clare

Balding with easy listening music, spiritually minded discussion and studio guests.

9.00 Steve Wright's Sunday Love Songs Personal dedications.

11.00 The Michael Ball Show Music, listener interaction, guests and live performances. Plus TV and film previews and a look at the papers.

1.00pm Elaine Paige on Sunday

With music from Broadway, Hollywood and the West End. Plus the latest stage and screen news.

3.00 Sounds of the 70s

Johnnie Walker with oldies, LP tracks and guests, today with 1970s reminiscences by Dave

Vanian, co-founder and lead vocalist of the Damned, who with New

Rose in 1976 became the first UK punk band to release a single.

Repeated tomorrow 12 midnight

5.00 Len Goodman

The longtime *Strictly Come Dancing* judge sits in for Paul O'Grady with a pick of personal favourites.

7.00 Claudia Winkleman

Relaxed show with chat and music, including listeners' dedications.

9.00 Clare Teal

Big band, swing and jazz from the past 80 years, including British dance bands and trad jazz band.

11.00 Don Black

2/13. The successful lyricist presents popular standards and classics, mostly from the last century, tonight including a spotlight on English songwriter

Walter Donaldson (1893–1947), who co-wrote *My Mammy*, *My Blue Heaven*, *Makin' Whoopee* and, among many other hits, *My Baby Just Cares for Me*.

12.00 Sounds of the 60s (R)

2.00am Radio 2 Playlists

With Blues. At **3.00 Pop Ballads**, and at **4.00 Monday Motivation**.

BBC Radio 3

90.2–92.4 FM bbc.co.uk/radio3

Freeview* 703 Freesat 703 Sky 0103 Virgin 903

News and weather 7.00am, 8.00, 9.00, 1.00pm

7.00am Breakfast With Elizabeth Alker.

9.00 Sunday Morning With Sarah Walker.

12.00 Private Passions

Michael Berkeley's guest is the artist Grayson Perry, who discusses the emotional power of music and memory and includes among his

choices pieces by Tchaikovsky, Philip Glass and Marcello, and a recording by Kathleen Ferrier. (R)

1.00pm Radio 3 Lunchtime Concert

Clemency Burton-Hill presents a recital given at Wigmore Hall, London, by the Meccore Quartet.

Szymanowski String Quartet No 1

Sibelius String Quartet in D minor (Voces intimae) (R)

2.00 The Early Music Show

Fiona Talkington profiles Joseph de Bologne, Chevalier de Saint-Georges (1745–99). Son of a French plantation owner and his slave mistress, he became a virtuoso violinist and composer and a close friend of Queen Marie Antoinette. (R)

3.00 Choral Evensong

A sequence of music and readings for Epiphany with the Exon Singers at the Parish Church of St Eustachius, Tavistock. Introit: Tribus miraculis ornatum (David Bednall). Hymn: Brightest and Best of the Sons of the Morning (Epiphany).

Reading: Matthew 2, vv1–12. Reflection: The Arrival of the Wise Men at the Stable. Carol: Stars in Heaven (Toby Young). Carol: Remember Bethlehem (Richard Wilberforce). Hymn: Bethlehem of Noblest Cities (Stuttgart). Reading: Matthew 2, vv13–18. Reflection: The Slaughter of the Innocents and the Flight into Egypt. Motet: Vox in Rama (Wert). Reading: Luke 2, vv21–35. Cantic: Nunc dimittis (Rachmaninov). Reflection: A Light to Lighten the Gentiles. Hymn: O Worship the Lord (*Was lebet*). Organ Voluntary: Chorale Prelude on *Wie schön leuchtet der Morgenstern* (Buxtehude). Director of music Richard Wilberforce. Organist Josef Laming. Rptd from Wed

4.00 Choir and Organ

Sara Mohr-Pietsch introduces music for organ by Bach and Vierne and orchestral pieces transcribed for the king of instruments.

5.00 The Listening Service

Tom Service explores the power of the semitone – the smallest interval in western music. It can convey sorrow, triumph, even – in the theme from *Jaws* – fear. And in a trill it can decorate. Mezzo Sarah Connolly talks about tragic semitones in Purcell's *Dido and Aeneas*, musicologist Sarha Moore considers the music of the Middle East and India and heavy metal, and Tom feels the pull of the semitone in *The Sound of Music*. (R)

5.30 Words and Music

Plague, Pox and Pestilence. Music, poetry and prose on the subject of disease, from Daniel Defoe to WB Yeats, Koehlin to Cole Porter, Fanny Burney to Mrs Beeton. The readers are Michael Fenton Stevens and Josette Simon. Producer Clive Portbury

BBC 6 Music

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Freeview 707 Freesat 707 Sky 0120 Virgin 909

7.00am Mary Anne Hobbs New music.

10.00 Cerys Matthews Eclectic music.

1.00pm The Leisure Society With Tracey Emin.

2.00 Guy Garvey Repeated 12 midnight

4.00 CHOICE: Amy Lamé's Sunday Service

New series. The Duckie host and writer presents.

6.00 Now Playing @6Music With Tom Robinson.

8.00 Sunday Special Music and chat.

10.00 Don Letts's Culture Clash Radio

12.00 Guy Garvey Old and new tunes. (R)

2.00am The BBC Introducing Mixtape

3.00 Live Hour

4.00 The First Time...

5.00 Chris Hawkins

Planet Rock

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Freesat 730 Sky 0110 Virgin 924

7.00am Sam Hughes

10.00 The Hairy Rock Show Rptd Tuesday 7pm

12.00 Blues Power Sunday

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1.00pm Request Show

5.00 Danny Bowes

7.00 My Planet Rocks

8.00 The Long Player

12.00 Blues Power Sunday Brunch

1.00am Through the Night

4.00 The Hairy Rock Show (R)

6.45 Sunday Feature: Select/Copy/Paste 1/3 Conception

Clemency Burton-Hill embarks on an exploration of how technology influences creativity in art, writing and music. Computers can help us paint, write, design and compose, but what about that spark of imagination which makes us human? The first of three programmes focuses on how we come up with ideas, with composers Suzanne Ciana and John Luther Adams. Producer Barney Rowntree

7.30 Radio 3 in Concert

Clemency Burton-Hill introduces a concert given in December at the Rudolfinum in Prague.

Maxim Rysanov (viola), Prague Radio Symphony Orchestra, conductor Michal Nesterowicz

Suk Fantastic Scherzo

Martinu Rhapsody-Concerto

Tchaikovsky Symphony No 1 in G minor (Winter Daydreams)

9.00 Drama on 3: Tis Pity She's a Whore

A visceral new radio production of John Ford's tragic and compassionate play of doomed love between a brother and sister, first performed circa 1630. With the music of Jimi Hendrix and Nick Cave. Introduced by Emma Smith of Oxford University.

Annabella Giovanni Signor Florio Putana Friar Bonaventura Lord Soranzo

Jessie Buckley Vasques

Damen Molony Hippolita

Niall Buggy Grimaldi

Fenella Woolgar Dorando

Oliver Cotton Cardinal

Matthew Pidgeon Officer

Adaped and directed by Pauline Harris

Enzo Cilenti

Indira Varma

Gary Duncan

Tayla Kovacevic-Ebong

Neil McCaul

Adam Fitzgerald

10.45 Early Music Late

Simon Heighes introduces a performance of William Byrd's *Mass for Four Voices* interspersed with Latin motets taken from the Cantiones sacrae, a joint publication by Byrd and his friend and mentor and fellow Catholic Thomas Tallis, given at the BRQ Vantaa Festival in Finland by Ensemble Plus Ultra.

11.45 Edgard Varèse

Octandre, *Density 21.5* and *Hyperprisms* played by musicians from the Guildhall School, and the

landscape *Amérique* performed by the BBC Symphony Orchestra conducted by Sakari Oramo.

12.30am Through the Night

With Catriona Young, beginning with a performance of Monteverdi's *Vespers of 1610*. **Monteverdi** *Vespro della Beata Vergine* Soloists, Boston Baroque, director Martin Pearlman

2.06 Bach Solo Violin Sonata No 3 in C, BWV1005

2.31 Hannikainen Piano Concerto

3.05 Beethoven String Quartet in E flat, Op 74 (Harp)

3.41 Anon, arr Freedman Two Canadian Folk Songs

3.46 Strauss Variations on Das Dirndl in herb auf mi

3.53 Grieg Norwegian Dance, Op 35 No 1

3.59 Graupner Flute Concerto in F

4.09 Svendsen Romance (arr violin and choir)

4.18 Schumann Toccata in C, Op 7

4.24 Tchaikovsky Polonaise (Eugene Onegin)

4.31 Bach Harpsichord Concerto No 5 in F minor, BWV1056

4.41 Haydn Piano Sonata in G minor, H VI 44

4.52 Britten Five Flower Songs

5.02 Abel Trio in G, Op 16 No 4

5.12 Paganini Duetto amoroso

5.22 Mendelssohn Overture: The Hebrides (Fingal's Cave)

5.33 Beethoven Fantasia in C minor, Op 80

5.56 Mozart Piano Sonata in D, K576

6.11 Druschetsky Sextet in E flat (R)

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7.00am Aled Jones Classical works.

10.00 Bill Turnbull Popular favourites.

1.00pm Tim Lihoreau Classic FM favourites.

3.00 Charlotte Hawkins

New series. Broadcaster Charlotte Hawkins (ITV's *Good Morning Britain*) joins Classic FM to present classical favourites and new discoveries, with a focus on young artists. Her first **Star of the Future** is British cellist Sheku Kanneh-Mason.

5.00 The Classic FM Chart With John Brunning.

7.00 David Mellor

Featuring recordings by Georg Solti (1912–97), former esteemed music director and conductor of the Chicago Symphony Orchestra.

9.00 Everything You Ever Wanted to Know about Classical Music

Catherine Bott discusses listeners' musical endeavours for 2018 and offers a few of her own, including learning more about Italian composer

Mario Castelnuovo-Tedesco (1895–1968).

10.00 Smooth Classics With Myleene Klass.

1.00am Sam Pittis Classical tracks.

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5.30am FM News Briefing
5.30-7.30am* LW only Test Match Special Australia v England
Fourth day of the Fifth Test in Sydney Cricket.
For details see yesterday *approximate times
Commentary also available on 5 Live Sports Extra

5.43 FM only Bells on Sunday
The morning bells from York Minster.
5.45 FM only Profile Repeated from yesterday 7pm
6.00 FM only News Summary
6.05 FM only Something Understood
For the Feast of the Baptism of Christ, Mark Tully considers the power of initiation rites both religious and secular. With readings of poetry by Emily Dickinson and C Day Lewis and music from Brijji Maharaj, Leonard Bernstein and blues guitarist Elizabeth Cotten. The readers are Alistair McGowan, Emma Cuniffe and Francis Cadder.
Producer Frank Stirling Repeated 11.30pm
6.35 FM only Living World Mountain Hares. Sarah Pitt visits the Peak District in search of mountain hares. Introduced by Brett Westwood.
Producer Andrew Dawes (R)
7.00 FM only News; Sunday Papers
7.10 Sunday FM only until 7.30
Edward Stourton looks at the news from a religious perspective. Producer Amanda Hancox
7.55 Radio 4 Appeal
Adjoa Adoh appeals on behalf of Opportunity International UK, which tackles global poverty by creating jobs.
Producer Kate Howells Rptd 9.26pm and Thu 3.27pm
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8.00 News; Sunday Papers
8.10 Sunday Worship
Led by Father Brendan Callaghan at Holy Name Church, Manchester. A meditation on the universality of the Christian message at the start of Epiphany. Hymns and carols include *As with Gladness Men of Old and Hall Redeemer, King Divine!*, Cornelius's *The Three Kings* and Thomas Hewitt Jones's *What Child Is This?* Preacher Father William Pearsall. Kantos Chamber Choir, director Ellie Slorach. Organist Simon Leach.
8.48 A Point of View
Howard Jacobson reflects on a topical issue.
Producer Adele Armstrong (R)

BBC Radio 4 Extra

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6.00am Tales of the City as 1pm
7.15 Father's Help as 2.15pm
7.30 Clare in the Community Sitcom (3/6)
8.00 Lines from My Grandfather's Forehead (2/8)
8.30 Harry Worth in Things Could Be Worse
9.00 Appointment in Arezzo as 8pm
10.10 The Listening Project With Fi Glover
10.15 Desert Island Discs Revisited as 9.15pm
11.00 The Moth Radio Hour True US tales (8/8)
11.50 Inheritance Tracks With Kirstie Allsopp
12.00 Lines from My Grandfather's Forehead
12.30pm Harry Worth in Things Could Be Worse 1976 sitcom with Harry Worth (1/13)
1.00 Tales of the City Comedy of manners by Armistead Maupin, originally serialised in *The San Francisco Chronicle* in 1978. Set in San Francisco, this first book in Maupin's series sees naive Ohio-born Mary Ann Singleton moving to the city and taking up residence in an apartment complex of colourful characters. Dramatised by Bryony Lavery (1-5/5)
2.15 Father's Help Zia Mohyeddin reads RK Narayan's 1942 tale about a classroom battle
2.30 How to Stop Time Tom Hollander reads an adaptation by Jeremy Osborne of Matt Haig's 2017 novel about a man born in the late 16th century but still alive in 2017 - omnibus (6-10/10)

8.58 Tweet of the Day
Emperor Penguin. With Doug Allan.
Repeated from Sunday
9.00 Broadcasting House
With Paddy O'Connell.
10.00 The Archers Omnibus edition.
11.15 Desert Island Discs
Kirsty Young's castaway is satirist Charlie Brooker. Producer Cathy Drysdale Rptd Friday 9am
12.04pm 50 Years of Just a Minute: Nicholas Parsons in Conversation with Paul Merton
Nicholas Parsons talks about being host of the long-running panel show. Rptd from Monday
12.30 The Food Programme
Porridge. Sheila Dillon discusses the current popularity of porridge and oversees a porridge-making contest.
Producer Elizabeth Burke Repeated tomorrow 3.30pm

1.00 The World This Weekend
With Matthew Price.
1.30 Hardeep's Sunday Lunch 1/2. Hardeep Singh Kohli cooks Sunday lunch with people in Northern Ireland.
2.00 Gardeners' Question Time
Eric Robson visits gardeners in Essex, and experts Bob Flowerdew, Christine Walkden and Matt Biggs answer their questions.
Producer Dan Cocker Repeated from Friday
2.45 The Listening Project
Omnibus. Fi Glover introduces conversations bringing past problems into the open.
3.00 Drama: Graeae's Midwich Cuckoos 2/2. John Wyndham's 1957 sci-fi novel adapted by Roy Williams for the Graeae company of disabled performers. As the powers of the Midwich children grow, so do fears for their and others' safety.
Zellerby Tyrone Huggins Michaela Hermon Berhane
Janet Alexandra Mathie Boy Cuckoo Adam Ali
Molly Cheryl Houston Girl Cuckoo Terri Donovan
Directors Polly Thomas and Jenny Sealey
Repeated Saturday 9pm

4.00 Bookclub
Travel writer Colin Thubron discusses *In Siberia* - his account of travelling through Russia in the late 1990s - with James Naughtie and an audience of readers.
Producers Dymphna Flynn and Di Speirs
Repeated Thursday 3.30pm
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4.30 In Pursuit of Edward Thomas
When he died in 1917 at the Battle of Arras, Edward Thomas had been a poet for little more than two years. Matthew Hollis asks why he is nevertheless regarded so highly.
Producer Tim Dee (R)
5.00 Germany without Merkel
Anne McElvay of *The Economist* and German vlogger Tilo Jung ask how German millennials view a future without Angela Merkel.
Producer Caroline Bayley Repeated from Tuesday

5.40 Profile Repeated from 5.45am
6.00 Six o'Clock News
6.15 Pick of the Week
With Jake Yapp. Producer Cecile Wright
7.00 The Archers
Ruth has a difficult question to raise.
For cast see Friday Repeated tomorrow 2pm
Ambridge Diary: page 117
7.15 The Break
1/6. The Key. Comedy by Ian Brown and James Hendrie set in a fictional town on the Yorkshire coast. Edgy, sharp-tongued City burnout Andy has fled London for his uncle Jeff's seaside home, hoping for a rest.
Andy Tom Palmer Corinne Alison Steadman
Jeff Philip Jackson Frank Mark Benton
Producer/Director Gordon Kennedy (R)

7.45 The Reservoir Tapes 15/15. Bertie Carvel reads *Joe's Story*, by Jon McGregor. Becky's father recalls the morning his daughter went missing.
Producer Justine Willett
8.00 Open Book
David Walliams talks to Mariella Frostrup about his latest children's book, *Bad Dad*, his favourite writers and his relationship with his own father. Producer Kirsten Locke (R)
8.30 Last Word
Matthew Bannister reflects on the lives of people who have recently died. Rptd from Fri
9.00 Money Box Rptd from yesterday 12.04pm
9.26 Radio 4 Appeal Repeated from 7.55am
9.30 In Business
Diversifying Russia's Economy. Oil and gas are the backbone of Russia's economy. Caroline Bayley finds out how the country is diversifying into new areas. Rptd from Thursday
10.00 The Westminster Hour
Political magazine with Carolyn Quinn.
11.00 FM only The Film Programme
Director of *Darkest Hour* Joe Wright talks to Francine Stock about our continuing fascination with Churchill.
Producer Stephen Hughes Repeated from Thursday

11.00-12.45am; 1.00-5.20am* LW only Test Match Special Australia v England
The final day of the Fifth Ashes Test from Sydney. Continues until 7.30am. *approximate times
Commentary also available on 5 Live Sports Extra
11.30 FM only Something Understood
Repeated from 6.05am
12.00 FM only News
12.15-12.45am FM only Thinking Allowed
The Housing Crisis and Beyond. Laurie Taylor asks architect Anna Minton and sociologist David Madden how our homes came to be seen more as investments than simply places of shelter.
Producer Jayne Egerton Repeated from Wednesday
1.00 FM only as BBC World Service

BBC World Service

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5.00am News **5.05 The Newsroom** **5.30 Assignment:** **6.00 Weekend** **8.30 The Food Chain** **9.00 News** **9.05 The Compass:** What Happened Next **9.30 Heart and Soul:** Preaching across the Divide **10.00 News** **10.05 From Our Own Correspondent** **10.30 Trending** **10.50 Over to You** **11.00 News** **11.05 The Newsroom** **11.30 Boston Calling** **12.00 News**
12.05pm Music Extra: India **1.00 Newshour:** the stories behind the latest headlines **2.00 News** **2.05 CHOICE:** World Book Club: Agatha Christie **3.00 News** **3.05 The Arts Hour** **4.00 News** **4.05 Sportsworld** **5.00 News** **5.05 Sportsworld** **6.00 News** **6.05 Sportsworld** **7.00 The Newsroom** **7.30 Living with the Gods** **7.50 More or Less** **8.00 News** **8.05 Music Extra:** Bella Bellow - Beloved Songbird of Togo **9.00 Newshour** **10.00 The Newsroom** **10.20 Sports News** **10.30 Heart and Soul:** Preaching across the Divide **11.00 News** **11.05 The History Hour** **12.00 News** **12.05am The Arts Hour** **1.00 News** **1.05 World Business Report** **1.30 Outlook** **2.00 News** **2.05 The Newsroom** **2.30 Healthcheck** **3.00 News** **3.05 Hardtalk** **3.30 The Conversation** **4.00 News** **4.05 Trending** **4.30 The Cultural Frontline**

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With Chris Smith and Kat Arney.

5 Live Sports Extra Digital only 9.00-7.30 The Ashes
Day four of the Fifth Test in Sydney.
6.00 Sunday Breakfast
With Chris Warburton and Sam Walker.
9.00 Sportsweek
Presented by Garry Richardson.
5 Live Sports Extra Digital only 9.00-1.00pm The Ashes
Highlights, day four, Fifth Test.
10.00 Pienaar's Politics
11.00 5 Live Investigators
With Adrian Goldberg.
12.00 5 Live Sport
FA Cup third round. Commentary on Newport County v Leeds United (12.00), Sherwsbury v West Ham (2.00), and Nottingham Forest v Arsenal (4.00).
5 Live Sports Extra Digital only 1.45pm-4.15 Women's Football
Chelsea v Arsenal (kick-off 2.00).
6.00 6-0-6 Phone-in.
5 Live Sports Extra Digital only 7.00-11.00 The Ashes Highlights.
7.30 Peter Allen and Caroline Barker
10.00 Adrian Goldberg
Sitting in for Stephen Nolan.

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6.00am Fisherman's Blues
With Nigel Botherway.
7.00 Georgie Bingham and Tony Cascarino Sports news.
11.00 Warm Up With Max Rushden.
1.00pm Sunday Exclusive
With Mark Saggers.
3.30 The Full Time Phone-in
With Mark Saggers.
5.00 The Final Word
8.00 Trans Europe Express
10.00 The Two Mikes
With Mike Graham and Mike Parry.
1.00am NFL Sunday Night Football
Presented by Will Gavin.
5.00 Early Breakfast
With Will Gavin.

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1.00pm Asian Network Presents
R&B singer Harris Hameed plays his pick of must-listen tracks.
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4.00 Waqas Saeed
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Bhangra music and Punjabi culture.
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Today's Choices



Book of the Week: Auntie's War

9.45am/12.30am Radio 4
Reading from his own *Book of the Week*, Edward Stourton describes the Second World War as the world's first radio war, and the way he brings to life the story of how the BBC covered the conflict is just terrific. This is no sombre reflection but a droll, sprightly, anecdote-filled account characterised by the same relaxed authority that Stourton brings to all his broadcasting. I enjoyed hearing how, in 1940, reporting from the Maginot Line, Richard Dimpleby missed the fall of France out of sheer impatience. He'd had enough of the phoney war and persuaded the BBC to send him to north Africa instead. I was also interested to learn that it was during the war that the BBC acquired the nickname Auntie thanks to its seemingly knowing what was best for us, but has anyone outside of broadcasting ever actually used it?

SIMON O'HAGAN

The Cameron Years

8.00pm Radio 4
David Cameron's time as prime minister could have been remembered for a good number of reasons, until 23 June 2016. After the Brexit result, he will go down in history as the man who took the UK out of the EU. But how did he get from wanting to "stop banging on about Europe" while in opposition to the vote that cost him No 10? Perceptive political columnist Steve Richards charts Cameron's dramatic journey on the choppy waters of the European question, talking to major players such as spin doctor Craig Oliver, Ken Clarke and Nigel Farage to tell the story. DAVID CRAWFORD

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10.00 Clara Amfo
1.00pm Scott Mills
4.00 Greg James Music and chat.
7.00 Annie Mac
9.00 The 8th with Charlie Sloth Live from the top of BBC HQ.
11.00 Huw Stephens
1.00am René LaVice Drum 'n' bass.
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4.00 Jordan North

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1.00pm Yasmin Evans
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7.00 DJ Target New talent.
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11.00 Sian Anderson
1.00am René LaVice Drum 'n' bass.
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News and Weather on the hour, plus 5.30am, 6.30, 7.30 and 8.30
5.00am Vanessa Feltz
6.30 Sara Cox Sitting in for Chris Evans.
9.30 Ken Bruce Including throughout the week after **11.30 Tracks of My Years**, featuring - two a day - ten of the all-time favourite records of singer/songwriter and actress Charlie Dore (*Pilot of the Airwaves*). She starts with discs by the Beatles and Duncan Browne.
12.00 Amol Rajan Sitting in for Jeremy Vine with topical discussion and human-interest stories. Plus music.
2.00pm Steve Wright Chart oldies, chat and guests.
5.00 Simon Mayo Music, chat and discussion.
7.00 The Blues Show with Paul Jones The 1960s Manfred Mann singer with R&B and blues, contrasting new recordings with classic sounds.
8.00 Ana Matronic Sitting in for Jo Whaley with a pick of new music and indie oldies.
10.00 Will Young Essential R&B 3/4. The singer and actor shares favourite contemporary R&B, with tracks by Massive Attack, Gabrielle, MNB, Barry White with Faith Evans, Toni Braxton and the Spice Girls.
11.00 The Russell Davies Archive 2/4. Classic and neglected records released between the 1920s and the 1940s.
12.00 Sounds of the 70s (R)
2.00am Radio 2 Playlists Three hours of themed Radio 2 shows, starting with **Jazz** introduced by Jamie Cullum. At **3.00 Great British Songbook** The best music new and old. And at **4.00 Hidden Treasures**, great songs that have fallen into relative obscurity.

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6.30am Breakfast With Petroc Trelawny.
9.00 Essential Classics Suzy Klein presents a selection of classical music.
9.30 Suzy plays a well-known piece and invites suggestions for further listening.
10.10 Time Traveller A slice of cultural history.
10.50 Writer and broadcaster Sue MacGregor reveals some of the things that have inspired her in the course of her life and work.
12.00 Composer of the Week: Franz Peter Schubert (1797-1828)
1/5. Schooldays. Donald Macleod presents a week of programmes about Franz Schubert, focusing on five key years during the composer's short life. Each programme also features one of his string quartets. The first year under consideration is 1813, when Schubert was a shy, bespectacled 16-year-old schoolboy who - much to his father's disappointment - was not concentrating on his main studies, being far too distracted by music.
Schubert String Quartet No 10 in flat, D87 Other music includes settings of songs by Schiller and Körner, an opera aria, and movements from his First Symphony.
RT OFFER Schubert *Complete Symphonies* (4 CDs) - featuring nine symphonies and Rosamunde performed by the Vienna Philharmonic Orchestra, conducted by Riccardo Muti - is available for £14.95 incl p&p. Call 0115 982 7500 quoting ref 5748082 or visit radiotimes.com/cds

1.00pm Radio 3 Lunchtime Concert

Sara Mohr-Pietsch introduces today's recital **LIVE** from Wigmore Hall in London.
Isabelle van Keulen (violin), Ronald Brautigam (piano)
Beethoven Violin Sonata in G, Op 30 No 3
Szymanowski The Fountain of Arethusa (Myths)
Fauré Violin Sonata No 1 in A, Op 13 Rptd Sun 1pm
2.00 Afternoon Concert
Tom Redmond presents a week of performances by the BBC Philharmonic. Two modern pieces inspired by Beethoven appear in today's opening concert. Brett Dean draws on the composer's frustration with deafness, and Sally Beamish's new piece was inspired by the concerto that precedes it on the programme.
Brett Dean Testament
Beethoven Piano Concerto No 1 in C
Sally Beamish City Stanzas (Piano Concerto No 3)
Elgar Variations on an Original Theme (Enigma) Jonathan Biss (piano), BBC Philharmonic, conductor Simone Young
3.50 Bantock Thalaba the Destroyer Conductor Michael Seal
Elgar Cello Concerto in E minor Asier Polo, conductor Juanjo Mena
5.00 In Tune Sean Rafferty's guests include the King's Singers and period instrument ensemble the Revolutionary Drawing Room.

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7.00am Shaun Keaveny Indie music and laughs.
10.00 Lauren Laverne Chat, music and guests.
1.00pm Mark Radcliffe and Stuart Maconie Discerning playlist of new music and hip oldies, juxtaposed with rock-savvy banter.
4.00 Steve Lamacq New music and guests.
7.00 Marc Riley New music and features.
9.00 Gideon Coe BBC archive live performances.
12.00 6 Music Recommends With Lauren Laverne.
1.00am The First Time... With Trent Reznor in 2013.
2.00 Golden Years - the David Bowie Story 5/6 2000 series. See Wednesday 11pm Radio 2
2.30 Live Hour 3.30 Jukebox 5.00 Chris Hawkins

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6.00am Breakfast with Paul Anthony 10.00 Wyatt Wendels 2.00pm Darren Redick 6.00 RockBlock 7.00 Nights with Alice Cooper 11.00 Planet Rock Plays It in Full 12.00 New Rock Show 2.00am Through the Night 4.00 Nights with Alice Cooper (R)

7.00 In Tune Mixtape

A specially curated playlist.
7.30 Radio 3 in Concert
Martin Handley introduces Saturday's concert from the Barbican Hall, London. Sakari Oramo and the BBC Symphony Orchestra conclude their Sibelius symphony cycle, including on their programme two haunting settings of Finnish texts for soprano and orchestra. *Ekho*, by Sibelius's younger contemporary Aarre Merikanto, sets a poem retelling the myth of Echo and Narcissus. Anu Komi (soprano), BBC Symphony Orchestra, conductor Sakari Oramo
Sibelius Symphony No 7; Luonnotar
8.00 Interval Martin Handley talks to Sibelius expert Leah Broad of Oxford University.
8.20 Merikanto Ekho
Sibelius Symphony No 2 in D
10.00 Music Matters Rptd from Saturday 12.15pm
10.45 The Essay: Cornerstones 1/5. Flint. Five guest presents each reflect on how people and places are shaped by a particular rock. Alan Garner begins the series with flint, a stone that, perhaps more than any other, has furthered the advancement of human civilisation, making tools that create fire and weapons which in turn provide food, clothing and shelter.
Producer Mark Smalley

11.00 Jazz Now

Soweto Kinch presents a concert given in the Clow Ballroom on London's South Bank by percussionist Marilyn Mazur's 11-piece band Shamanica. The line-up includes pianist Makiko Hirabayashi, drummer Anna Lund and saxophonist Lotte Anker. And Emma Smith talks to UK pianist Elliott Galvin about his latest album.

12.30am Through the Night

With Catriona Young.
Beethoven Piano Concerto No 1 in C. Grieg Morning Mood (Peer Gynt). Haydn Symphony No 103 in E flat (Drum Roll) Daniel Goiti (piano), Romanian Radio Chamber Orchestra, conductor Roberto Buffo
1.42 CPE Bach Quartet in D for flute, viola and continuo 1.58 Mozart Litanie Lauretanae, K195
2.25 Estendörffer Joseph, lieber Joseph mein
2.31 Dvorak Symphony No 6 in D 3.17 Pranzner Concerto Duo No 4 3.29 Chopin Nocturne in C minor, Op 48 No 1 3.35 Jarzelski Diligam te domine
3.41 Gesualdo O vos omnes, W840 3.44 Scarlatti Sonata in G minor for two harpsichords, Kk88
3.53 Chausson Chanson perpétuelle
4.00 Glazunov Lyric Poem 4.11 Pergolesi Violin Sonata in G 4.20 Handel, orch Mozart Overture and Prelude, Act 2 (Acis and Galatea)
4.31 Bach Organ Fugue in G minor, BWV542 (Great), arr Fiona Walsh for guitar quartet 4.38 Field Aria; Nocturne and Chanson 4.46 Karłowicz When spring arrives; Do not believe what the people say; Sometimes when long I dream; Rust-coloured leaves fall from the tree 4.53 Debussy Danse sacrée et danse profane
5.04 Haydn Piano Sonata in G, H XVI 27
5.15 Schubert, orch Mottl Fantasia in F minor, D940
5.35 Handel Meine Seele hört im Sehen, HWV207
5.41 Bach Cantata No 35: Geist und Seele wird verwirret 6.06 Busoni Sechs kurze Stücke zur Pflege des polyphonen Spiels (excerpts)
6.24 Elgar To her beneath whose steadfast star

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7.00 Smooth Classics With John Brunning.
8.00 The Full Works Concert With Jane Jones. **Vaughan Williams English Folksongs Suite** Royal Liverpool PO/Wilson *Fantasia on Greensleeves* Philharmonia Orchestra/Slatkin *Oboe Concerto* Britten Sinfonia/Nicholas Daniel (oboe) *Rhosymedre (Three Preludes on Welsh Hymn Tunes)* Royal Northern Sinfonia/Hickox *Silent Noon* Bryn Terfel (bass-baritone), Malcolm Martineau (piano) *The 49th Parallel (Prelude)* RTE Concert Orchestra/Penny *Fantasia on a Theme by Thomas Tallis* RPO/Zukerman *All People That on Earth Do Dwell* Ian Wells (organ), Massed Choirs from Merseyside, Liverpool Cathedral Choir and Brass Ensemble/Tracey *Five Variants of Dives and Lazarus* Hallé/Elder *The Running Set* Royal Northern Sinfonia/Hickox *Tuba Concerto* Patrick Harrild, LSO/Thomson *Norfolk Rhapsody No 1* Bournemouth SO/Daniel
10.00 Smooth Classics 1.00am Sam Pittis



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News 5.30am, 6.00, 7.00 (FM), 8.00 and hourly to 12 midnight (FM/LW)

Weather 5.57am (FM), 6.05 (FM), 6.57 (FM), 7.57, 12.57pm, 5.57, 9.59, 12.30am

Shipping Forecasts 5.20am, 12.01pm (LW), 5.54 (LW), 12.48am

5.30am FM only News Briefing

5.30-7.30am* LW only Test Match Special Australia v England

Continued coverage of the final day of the Fifth Test from Sydney. *approximate times
Commentary also available on 5 Live Sports Extra

5.43 FM only Prayer for the Day
With space scientist Monica Grady.

5.45 FM only Farming Today

5.58 FM only Tweet of the Day

Curliew. With Andy Radford. (R)

6.00 Today FM only until 7.30

With John Humphrys and Carrie Gracie.

6.25, 7.25, 8.25 Sports News

7.48 Thought for the Day

With the Rev Dr Jane Leach.

9.00 Start the Week

Andrew Marr marks the centenary of women over 30 being granted the vote with guests historian Jane Robinson, political theorist Christopher Finlay and poet Fiona Sampson. Producer Katy Hickman Shortened repeat 9.30pm

9.45 FM only Book of the Week: Auntie's War

RT 1/5. A War Footing. Edward Stourton reads from his account of the role of the BBC during the Second World War. Abridged by Anna Magnusson.

Producer Pippa Vaughan Repeated 12.30am

RT BOOKS To order *Auntie's War* for £18.50 inc p&p, call 0344 245 8092 quoting RTBOOKS02

9.45 LW Daily Service

Led by the Rev Christopher Landau. Songs of Thankfulness and Praise (*Northampton*). Mark 1, vv4-11. I Stood on the River of Jordan (Hogan). Take My Life and Let It Be (*Nottingham*). With the Manchester Singers. Director of music Robert Brooks.

10.00 Woman's Hour

Discussion presented by Jane Garvey.

10.45 Shardlake: Heartstone 6/10

The 15-Minute Drama.

For details see drama repeat 7.45pm

11.00 The Untold

Grace Dent tells the story of a Bristol software consultant who wrote a song that ended up being recorded by Jay Z. Producer Polly Weston

11.30 Tom Wrigglesworth's Hang-Ups

1/6. Broadband on the Run. Comedy by Tom Wrigglesworth, James Kettle and Miles Jupp based on Wrigglesworth's phone calls home to his family in Sheffield.

Tom Wrigglesworth Mum Kate Anthony
Dad Paul Copley Mabel Bradley Elizabeth Bennett
Producer Richard Morris (R)

BBC Radio 4 Extra

bbc.co.uk/radio4extra

Freeview 708 Freesat 708 Sky 0131 Virgin 910

6.00am Dr Finlay: the Adventures of a Black Bag

AJ Cronin's *The Sisters Scobie*

6.30 The Qatar Philharmonic as 8.30pm

7.00 Millport 2001 sitcom with Lynn Ferguson (1/6)

7.30 I'm Dave Podmore, Get Me Out There

8.00 Hancock's Half-Hour 1954 comedy

8.30 Dad's Army 1976 comedy

9.00 The 99p Challenge Panel show (4/6)

9.30 The Party Line 2006 topical comedy (2/6)

10.00 To the Ends of the Earth: Journey to the Centre of the Earth

Adaptation by Moya O'Shea of Jules Verne's 1864 novel combining action, science, knowledge, discovery and surprise. From 2017 (1/2)

11.00 Writing Lives as 9pm

11.15 Devonia as 9.15pm

12.00 Hancock's Half-Hour 1954 comedy

12.30pm Dad's Army 1976 comedy

1.00 Dr Finlay: the Adventures of a Black Bag

1.30 The Qatar Philharmonic as 8.30pm

2.00 In Siberia Colin Thubron's travel book (1/10)

2.15 Five Hundred Years of Friendship (11/15)

2.30 More Tales of the City Armistead Maupin's 1980 novel dramatised by Bryony Lavery (1/5)

2.45 Speaking for Themselves The personal letters of Clementine and Winston Churchill (1/10)

3.00 To the Ends of the Earth: Journey to the Centre of the Earth as 10am

12.04pm The Curious Cases of Rutherford & Fry

New series. 1/5. The Baffled Bat. Hannah Fry and Adam Rutherford investigate questions submitted by listeners, beginning with how one bat disentangles its echolocation signals from the noise of other bats. Producers Michelle Martin, Maria Simons

12.15 You and Yours Consumer reports.

1.00 The World at One With Mark Maddell.

1.45 Conflict and Co-operation: a History of Trade

6/10. The Black Death. Paul Seabright explores the UK's trading past. The Black Death wiped out as many as half of the communities it affected, yet in its wake there was a major resurgence in European trade. Producer Chris Ledgard

2.00 The Archers Rptd from yesterday 7pm

2.15 Drama: Stone

New series. 1/10. Return of the detective series created by Danny Brocklehurst. A body is discovered after a fire at a homeless hostel. Written by Martin Jameson. Continues tomorrow.

DCI John Stone	Hugo Speer	Alice	Sydney Wade
DS Sue Kelly	Deborah McAndrew	Digsy	Kieran O'Brien
DI Mike Tanner	Craig Cheetham	Neil	Graeme Hawley
Jackie Stanton-Hope		Christine	Emily Pithon
	Jill Halfpenny	Adam Bentley	Reuben Johnson
	Christine Bottomley	Dana	Olivia Sweeney
Sarah Devon De Costa	Everal A Walsh	Mel	Krissi Bohn
Grace Peverall	Susan Twist	Mrs Stafford	Claire Benedict
Sully	Michael Peavoy	Edward Peverall	David Schofield
McAffrey	Conrad Nelson	Cat/Jolene	Angela Lonsdale

Producers Gary Brown and Nadia Molinari

Director Gary Brown

3.00 Round Britain Quiz

8/12. A Midlands team of Stephen Maddock and Rosalind Miles take on the North of England's Stuart Maconie and Adele Geras. With Tom Sutcliffe in the chair. Producer Paul Bajoria Repeated Saturday 11pm

3.30 The Food Programme

Repeated from yesterday 12.30pm

4.00 Copyright or Wrong

Lawyer and author Richard Taylor explores the history of copyright and its uncertain future in the internet age. Producer Sara Parker (R)

4.30 The Infinite Monkey Cage

1/6. When Two Stars Collide. Brian Cox and Robin Ince talk gravitational waves with Nils Andersson, Dara O Briain and Sheila Rowan. Producer Alexandra Feacheam Rptd tomorrow 11pm

5.00 PM Presented by Eddie Mair.

Eddie Mair: page 117

6.00 Six o'Clock News

6.30 The Museum of Curiosity

New series. 1/6. The return of the comedy panel show hosted by John Lloyd, with new curator Sally Phillips and guests Rory Bremner, Pete Brown and Nikki Bedi. Producers Richard Turner and Anne Miller Repeated Sunday 12.04pm

4.00 The 99p Challenge Panel show (4/6)

4.30 The Party Line 2006 topical comedy (2/6)

5.00 Millport 2001 sitcom with Lynn Ferguson (1/6)

5.30 I'm Dave Podmore, Get Me Out There

6.00 I Am Legend Cult 1954 sci-fi (5/9)

6.30 A Good Read With Sue MacGregor

7.00 Hancock's Half-Hour 1954 comedy

7.30 Dad's Army 1976 comedy

8.00 Dr Finlay: the Adventures of a Black Bag

AJ Cronin's *The Sisters Scobie*

8.30 The Qatar Philharmonic Razia Iqbal explores the history of the first Western symphony orchestra to be created in a Gulf state

9.00 Writing Lives Sally Orrok reads Jane Campion Hoye's *Slum Songs in the Sun*. A young volunteer at a school in Kenya encounters a girl who forces her to confront an impossible dream

9.15 Devonia John Duttine stars in *The Beano* - the first of three plays by Andy Rashleigh about a paddle steamer and its crew

10.00-12.00 Comedy Club: I'm Dave Podmore, Get Me Out There, at 10.30 Absolute Power (5/6), at 11.00 The News Quiz Extra (1/8), and at 11.45 Hearing with Hegley (1/6)

12.00 as 6pm 12.30am as 6.30pm

1.00 as 8pm 1.30 as 8.30pm 2.00 as 2pm

2.15 as 2.15pm 2.30 as 2.30pm 2.45 as 2.45pm

3.00 as 3pm 3.00 as 4pm 4.30 as 4.30pm

5.00 as 5pm 5.30 as 5.30pm

7.00 The Archers

Brian makes a controversial decision. For cast see Friday Repeated tomorrow 2pm

7.15 Front Row

John Wilson interviews the winner of the Costa debut novel award, announced last week. Producer Hannah Robins

7.45 Shardlake: Heartstone

6/10. CJ Sansom's Tudor lawyer is in Portsmouth, investigating a case at the request of a servant of the queen, Catherine Parr. Dramatised by Colin MacDonald.

Shardlake	Justin Salinger	Sir Nicholas Hobbey	David Seddon
Barak	Bryan Dick	Hugh Curteys	Will Howard
Queen Catherine	Emily Wachter	Abigail Hobbey	Isabella Inchbald
Ellen Fettiplace	Kath Weare	David Hobbey	
Dyrrick	Philip Bretherton	Tayla Kovacevic-Ebong	
Goodyrke	Clive Hayward	Rev Seckford	Neil McCaul
Sir Richard Rich	Nicholas Murchie	Philip West	Chris Pavlo
George Leacon	Finn den Hertog	Feaveryear	Gary Duncan

Director David Jackson Young Repeated from 10.45am

8.00 The Cameron Years

New series. 1/3. Steve Richards explores former prime minister David Cameron's six years in power and discusses his legacy with the help of insiders. Producer Leala Padmanabhan Rptd Wednesday 11am

8.30 Crossing Continents

7/9. Black and Proud in Brazil. David Baker reports on how black Brazilians are winning access to higher education. Producer Michael Gallagher Repeated from Thursday

9.00 The Far Future

A tech society means leaving data for future generations in huge, mundane quantities. How long should this information be stored? What can we - should we - pass on? Helen Keen reports. Producer Marnie Chesterton Repeated from Tuesday

9.30 Start the Week Shortened rpt from 9am

10.00 The World Tonight

With Ritula Shah.

10.45 Book at Bedtime: The Vital Spark: A Far Cry from Kensington

1/10. Muriel Spark's autobiographical novel set in London's postwar publishing scene. War widow Mrs Hawkins is enjoying her life until an author acquaintance changes everything. Abridged by Rosemary Goring. Read by Maggie Service. Producer Eilidh McCreadie **RT BOOKS** To order *A Far Cry from Kensington* for £9.50 plus £1.50 p&p, call 0344 245 8092 quoting RTBOOKS02

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11.00 The Strange Case of Henry James's Testicles

John Sutherland investigates the "obscure hurt" suffered by Henry James in 1861. How did it influence his literary career? (R)

11.30 Today in Parliament

12.00 News

12.30-12.45am Book of the Week:

Auntie's War 1/5. Repeated from 9.45am

1.00 as BBC World Service

BBC World Service

bbc.co.uk/worldserviceradio

Freeview* 710 Freesat 711 Sky 0115 Virgin 906

Programmes may differ online, and on Freesat, Sky, and Virgin

5.00am News 5.05 The Newsroom 5.30 Crowd

Science 6.00 Newsday 8.30 Business Daily: business and finance news, interviews and reports

8.50 Witness 9.00 News 9.05 The Arts Hour

10.00 World Update 11.00 The Newsroom

11.30 The Conversation 12.00 News

12.05pm Outlook 1.00 The Newsroom 1.30 The Why Factor 1.50 More or Less 2.00 Newshour

3.00 News 3.05 Hardtalk 3.30 World Business Report 4.00 BBC OS 6.00 News 6.05 Outlook

7.00 The Newsroom 7.30 Sport Today

8.00 News 8.05 The Why Factor 8.30 Discovery: Lise Meitner 9.00 Newshour: the stories behind the latest headlines 10.00 The Newsroom

10.20 Sports News: the latest stories and results from around the world 10.30 World Business Report 11.00 News 11.05 Hardtalk: Interviews with newsmakers and personalities from across the globe 11.30 The Conversation 12.00 News

12.05am The Forum 12.50 Sporting Witness 1.00 News 1.05 Business Matters 2.00 News

2.05 The Newsroom 2.30 The Why Factor: histories behind everyday objects and actions

2.50 More or Less 3.00 News 3.05 BBC World Hacks 3.30 In the Studio 4.00 News

4.05 Outlook: perspectives on important issues

BBC Radio 5 Live

693, 909 MW bbc.co.uk/fivelive

F'view 705 F'sat 705 Sky 0105 Virgin 905

Sports Extra F'view 706 F'sat 706

Sky 0144 Virgin 908

News and sport bulletin every half-hour

Times vary during live sports coverage

5.00am Wake Up to Money

Sean Farrington and Louise Cooper present financial news stories.

5 Live Sports Extra Digital only

5.00-7.30am The Ashes

Australia v England continues.

7.00 5 Live Breakfast

Nicky Campbell and Rachel Burden present news. Plus a phone-in on the big issue of the day at 9.00.

5 Live Sports Extra Digital only

9.00-12.00 The Ashes

Highlights of Australia v England.

10.00 The Emma Barnett Show

News headlines and current affairs interviews. Plus listeners' stories and contributions.

1.00pm Afternoon Edition

Sarah Brett and Nihal Arthanayake present the latest UK and international news.

4.00 5 Live Drive

Anna Foster and Tony Livesey with sport, travel updates and the latest news. Plus interviews.

7.00 5 Live Sport

Sports news, interviews and features, including at 7.00 Monday Night Club, featuring football discussion and debate following the FA Cup fourth-round draw. At 7.45, commentary on Brighton v Crystal Palace in the third round of the FA Cup.

10.30 Phil Williams

News, sport and discussion, with listeners' emails, texts and tweets.

1.00am Up All Night

Presented by Rhod Sharp.

Talksport

1053, 1089 MW talksport.co.uk

F'view 723 F'sat 731 Sky 0108 Virgin 927

6.00am Sports Breakfast

With Alan Brazil.

10.00 Max Rushden

1.00pm Hawksbee and Jacobs

4.00 Adrian Durham and Darren Gough

Sporting events.

7.00 Kick-Off With Danny Kelly.

10.00 Sports Bar

Presented by Andy Goldstein and Jason Cundy.

1.00am Extra Time With Will Gavin.

Asian Network

bbc.co.uk/asiannetwork

F'view 709 F'sat 709 Sky 0119 Virgin 912

6.00am Harp Kaur

10.00 Asian Network's Big Debate

1.00pm Asian Network Reports

News from the UK and South Asia.

1.30 Noreen Khan

Desi music, retro hits and guests, with James O'Malley responding to listeners' tech and digital queries.

5.00 Asian Network Reports

5.30 Bobby Friction

South Asian culture, including big Bollywood and bhangra anthems and chat with famous people.

9.00 Mawaan and Emily

12.00 as Radio 5 Live

Absolute

Today's Choices



The Forum

9.05am BBC World Service
Ruthless social climber?
Powerful political player?
Champion of the dispossessed?
That's just three of the disparate descriptions of Eva Perón (above) offered up in this edition of *The Forum*, and whatever you may think of "Evita" she was undeniably an extraordinary woman. The small-town actress (and not a particularly good one, apparently) rose to become Argentina's First Lady and arguably the most powerful woman in Latin America; after her death she was immortalised in the blockbuster musical *Evita* – cue instrumental strains to *Don't Cry for Me Argentina* – and on film by Madonna. Joining host Rajan Datar for what proves to be a stimulating debate are three experts on Perón: Dr Jill Hedges, Ranaan Rein and Claudia Soria. **CHRIS GARDNER**

The Full Works Concert

8.00pm Classic FM
Frederic Chopin – a child prodigy who became one of the stars of the Romantic era – is one of five "Great Composers" featured on Classic FM this week. He wrote mainly for the piano and tonight's programme includes the *Polonaise in A* (Vladimir Ashkenazy is the soloist) and Jean-Yves Thibaudet playing the *Piano Concerto No 1*. Jacqueline du Pré – accompanied by her then husband, pianist Daniel Barenboim – plays the *Cello Sonata in G minor*, and the National Philharmonic Orchestra gives us the ethereal music used for the ballet *Les Sylphides*. **DAVID GILLARD**

One to One

9.30am Radio 4
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BBC Radio 1

97.6–99.8 FM bbc.co.uk/radio1
F'view* 700 F'sat 700 Sky 0101 Virgin 901
News as yesterday, plus news at 4.30am
Newsbeat at 12.45 and 5.45pm
6.30am Nick Grimshaw
10.00 Clara Amfo
1.00pm Scott Mills
4.00 Greg James
7.00 Annie Mac
A journey of musical discovery.
9.00 The 8th with Charlie Sloth
Live from the top of BBC HQ.
11.00 Huw Stephens
Underground and unsigned acts.
1.00am Annie Nightingale
4.00 Jordan North

1Xtra

bbc.co.uk/1xtra
F'view* 701 F'sat 701 Sky 0137 Virgin 907
6.00am Nick Bright
10.00 Ace Listeners' requests.
1.00pm Yasmin Evans
4.00 MistaJam Tunes and guests.
7.00 DJ Target New talent.
9.00 The 8th with Charlie Sloth
11.00 Jamz Supernova Neo-R&B.
1.00am Annie Nightingale **3.00 1Xtra Mixes** **4.00 Jamz Supernova**

BBC Radio 2

88–90.2 FM bbc.co.uk/radio2
F'view* 702 F'sat 702 Sky 0102 Virgin 902
News and **Weather** as yesterday
5.00am Vanessa Feltz
6.30 Sara Cox
9.30 Ken Bruce
Including after **11.30 Tracks of My Years** with singer/songwriter and actress Charlie Dore discussing two more of her all-time favourite records, today featuring music by Aretha Franklin and Bruce Hornsby.
12.00 Amol Rajan
2.00pm Steve Wright
5.00 Simon Mayo
7.00 Jamie Cullum
Classic and contemporary tracks, and an interview with singer/songwriter Julia Biel.
8.00 Ana Matronic
10.00 Barry Humphries: Barry's Forgotten Musical Masterpieces
2/4. Barry Humphries presents personal musical memories, featuring recordings that provide fascinating snapshots of social history. Tonight's playlist includes Jack Hylton, British disc jockey Christopher Stone, the Western Brothers and Noël Coward's ground-breaking 1932 song *Mad about the Boy*.
11.00 Nigel Ogden
With **The Organist Entertains**, including recordings of John Mann, Kevin Morgan, Richard Hills and Donald Mackenzie performing works by Cole Porter, Gerhard Winkler and many others.
11.30 Listen to the Band
Frank Renton recalls November's Brass in Concert championship with the New Composition/Arrangement winner performed by the Paris Brass Band and performances by cornet star Kirsty Abbotts and Tredegar Town Band.
12.00 Sounds of the 80s
Sara Cox gets nostalgic. (R)
2.00am Radio 2 Playlists
Starting with **Folk**, presented by Mark Radcliffe. At **3.00 90s Hits**, and at **4.00 Wednesday Workout**.

BBC Radio 3

90.2–92.4 FM bbc.co.uk/radio3
Freeview* 703 Freesat 703 Sky 0103 Virgin 903
News and **weather** as yesterday
6.30am Breakfast With Petroc Trelawny.
9.00 Essential Classics With Suzy Klein.
9.30 Suzy plays a well-known piece and invites suggestions for further listening.
10.10 Time Traveller A slice of cultural history.
10.50 Broadcaster Sue MacGregor talks about experiences from which she has drawn inspiration for her life and career.
12.00 Composer of the Week: Schubert 2/5. Composing for Money. Donald Macleod explores five years in the life of Schubert. In 1816, when he made his first money from composing, 19-year-old Schubert was locked in a room and forced to compose by friends who went on to encourage him to leave his teaching work and devote himself to music. Music includes one of the songs he gave to his first love – though not resulting in the marriage he longed for – and part of an early setting of the Mass. Plus settings of poems by Goethe and his eleventh string quartet.

1.00pm Radio 3 Lunchtime Concert
Nicola Heywood Thomas begins a series of performances from two of last year's music festivals in the south west of England – the Dartington International Summer School and Festival, with pianist Barry Douglas, and the Two Moors Festival, with soprano Carolyn Sampson.
Tchaikovsky *May (Bright Nights); June (Barcarolle); August (Harvest) (The Seasons)* Barry Douglas (piano)
Schubert *Gretchen am Spinnrade, D118; Gretchen's Blitte, D564; Der König in Thule, D367* Carolyn Sampson (soprano), Joseph Middleton (piano)
Beethoven: Piano Sonata in C, Op 53 (Waldstein) Barry Douglas (piano)
2.00 Afternoon Concert
Tom Redmond continues a week of **LIVE** performances by the BBC Philharmonic, beginning with today's concert under their principal guest conductor direct from MediaCityUK, Salford.
Christian Ihle Hadland (piano), BBC Philharmonic, conductor Ben Gernon
Rossini Overture: The Barber of Seville
Mozart Piano Concerto No 9 in E flat, K271
Stravinsky The Song of the Nightingale
3.15 Roussel Suite: Le festin d'araignée
Claude Vivier London Child Katrien Baerts (soprano), conductor Manoj Kamps
George Walker Lyric for Strings Conductor Clark Rundell
Saint-Saëns Piano Concerto No 1 in D Louis Lortie, conductor Edward Gardner
Beethoven Symphony No 5 in C minor Conductor Nicholas Collon
5.00 In Tune
Sean Rafferty's guests include pianist Anna Tsybuleva, who performs in the studio.

BBC 6 Music

bbc.co.uk/6music
Freeview 707 Freesat 707 Sky 0120 Virgin 909
7.00am Shaun Keaveny Indie music and laughs.
10.00 Lauren Laverne Chat, music and guests.
1.00pm Mark Radcliffe and Stuart Maconie Discerning playlist of new music and hip oldies.
4.00 Steve Lamacq Phone-ins and guests.
7.00 Marc Riley From Manchester.
9.00 Gideon Coe Archive live performances.
12.00 6 Music Recommends
1.00am The First Time... With film and TV director David Lynch in 2013. **2.00 Golden Years – the David Bowie Story 6/6** **2.30 Live Hour** With Wire in 2011. **3.30 Jukebox** **5.00 Chris Hawkins**

Planet Rock

planetrock.com
Freesat 730 Sky 0110 Virgin 924
6.00am Breakfast **10.00 Wyatt Wendels** **2.00pm Darren Redick** **6.00 RockBlock** **7.00 The Hairy Rock Show** Rptd from Sun 10am **9.00 Joe Elliott** Rptd from Sat 6pm **10.00 Nights with Alice Cooper** **1.00am Through the Night** **4.00 Nights with Alice Cooper** (R)

7.00 In Tune Mixtape

A specially curated playlist.

7.30 Radio 3 in Concert

Ian Skelly introduces Saturday's concert from the Royal Concert Hall in Nottingham, which takes the mood from mysterious to the very dark world of Bartok's blood-curdling one-act opera.
Bluebeard **Robert Hayward** (bass-baritone)
Judith **Claudia Mahnke** (mezzo)
National Youth Orchestra of Great Britain, conductor Sir Mark Elder

Liadov The Enchanted Lake

Dukas The Sorcerer's Apprentice

Bartok Duke Bluebeard's Castle

10.00 Free Thinking

Landmark: the Odyssey. Philip Dodd talks to his guests about their different involvements with Homer's *Odyssey* – translator Emily Wilson; memoirist Daniel Mendelsohn, who combined the story of Odysseus with an account of his own family; poet Karen McCarthy Woolf, who wrote *Nightshift* for a Radio 4 series *The Odyssey*; and novelist Amit Chaudhuri, author of *Odysseus Abroad*.
Producer Zahid Warley

10.45 The Essay: Cornerstones

2/5. Lewisian Gneiss. The oldest rock in the UK is called Lewisian gneiss. The stone is named after an old German word for "spark", because of its sheen. It forms part of the North West Highlands and the Western Isles and is up to three billion years old – two-thirds of the age of the Earth. Writer Sara Maitland wonders whether the rock's attractive sheen is what inspired Neolithic builders to use it for the Callanish stone circle on Lewis. For details see yesterday

11.00 Late Junction

Anne Hilde Neset welcomes local musicians **LIVE** to the studio in Oslo by way of previewing the annual All Ears Festival for Improvised Music. Founded in 2002, it begins on Thursday and runs for four days. Tonight, the best of the line-up drop in to perform live.

12.30am Through the Night

Catriona Young begins with a Handel oratorio from last year's BBC Proms. **Handel Israel in Egypt** Zoë Brookshaw and Rowan Pierce (soprano), Christopher Lowrey (countertenor), Jeremy Budd (tenor), Dingle Yandell (bass-baritone), Callum Thorpe (bass), Choir and Orchestra of the Age of Enlightenment, conductor William Christie
2.18 Platti Oboe Concerto in G minor **2.31 Grieg Violin Sonata No 3 in C minor, Op 45** **3.28 Villa-Lobos Guitar Prelude No 3 in A minor** **3.35 Scarlatti Sonatas in D minor, Kk9 (Pastorale); in B minor, Kk27; in A, Kk322** **3.42 Bach Brandenburg Concerto No 3 in G, BWV1048** **3.56 Rimsky-Korsakov Salleri's Aria (Mozart and Salleri)** **4.04 Mozart Flute Quartet in A, K298** **4.16 Strauss Roses from the South** **4.26 Kroll Banjo and Fiddle** **4.31 Jarnefelt Kanteletar** **4.37 Wikander King Lily of the Valley** **4.41 Abel Trio in F for two flutes and continuo** **4.50 Handel The Alchemist (incidental music)** **5.07 Mozart Piano Sonata in C, K330** **5.21 Verdi Di Provenza il mar (La traviata)** **5.26 Strauss Death and Transfiguration** **5.51 Schubert Arpeggione Sonata in A minor D821** **6.17 Telemann Concerto in D for two horns, TWV52:D2**

Classic FM

99.9–101.9 FM classicfm.com
Freeview 731 Freesat 721 Sky 0106 Virgin 922
6.00am More Music Breakfast
Tim Lihoreau with news, finance and features.
9.00 John Suchet Popular classical works.
1.00pm Anne-Marie Minhall Requests.
5.00 John Brunning Classic FM favourites.
7.00 Smooth Classics With John Brunning.
8.00 The Full Works Concert
RT Jane Jones showcases Chopin as part of Classic FM's Great Composers series.
Chopin Polonaise in A, Op 40 No 1
Vladimir Ashkenazy (piano) **Piano Concerto No 1 in F minor, Op 21** Jean-Yves Thibaudet, Rotterdam PO, conductor Valery Gergiev
Les Sylphides National PO, conductor Richard Bonyngue **Nocturne in E flat, Op 9 No 2** Mattias Jacobsson (guitar) **Cello Sonata in G minor, Op 65** Jacqueline du Pré, Daniel Barenboim (piano) **Nocturne in C sharp minor, Op posth** Joshua Bell (violin), Academy of St Martin in the Fields, conductor Michael Stern
10.00 Smooth Classics With Katie Breathwick.
1.00am Sam Pittis Classical music.

BBC Radio 4

92.4-94.6 FM 198 LW bbc.co.uk/radio4

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Freeview 704 Freesat 704 (FM) 710 (LW)
Sky 0104 (FM) 0143 (LW) Virgin 904 (FM) 911 (LW)News 5.30am, 6.00 and hourly to 12 midnight
Weather 6.05am, 6.57, 7.57, 12.57pm, 5.57, 9.59, 12.30am
Shipping Forecasts 5.20am, 12.01pm (LW), 5.54 (LW), 12.48am

5.30am News Briefing

5.43 Prayer for the Day
With space scientist Monica Grady.5.45 Farming Today
News about food, farming and the countryside.5.58 Tweet of the Day
Robin. With Professor Andy Radford.6.00 Today
With John Humphrys and Nick Robinson.

6.25, 7.25, 8.25 Sports News

6.45 Yesterday in Parliament

7.48 Thought for the Day
With Indarjit Singh.9.00 Black Music in Europe:
a Hidden History

3/3. 1920-1930. Clarke Peters concludes his series by exploring the sound of Zonophone records, a label that recorded a huge amount of early African popular music. Many were made in London for export to West Africa, including several Nigerian hymns. Producer Tom Woolfenden. Repeated 9.30pm

9.30 One to One

New series. 1/3. Helen Glover - twice an Olympic gold medallist in rowing - meets another double Olympic champion in athlete Kelly Holmes, to discuss the challenges of life after retirement from top-level sport. Later in the series Glover meets ex-badminton player Gail Emms and ex-athlete Kriss Akabusi. Producer Karen Gregor

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9.45 FM only Book of the Week:
Auntie's War

2/5. Wartime Propaganda. Edward Stourton reads his account of the BBC during the Second World War. Today, propaganda and coded messages sent across Europe. For details see yesterday. Repeated 12.30am

9.45 LW only Daily Service

Ernie Rea leads a spiritual reflection on the theme Symbols of Baptism: Anointed with Oil, including a Bible reading: Psalm 23, vvi-6.

10.00 Woman's Hour

10.45 Shardlake: Heartstone 7/10

The 15-Minute Drama. See drama repeat 7.45pm

11.00 Too Much Medicine?

The Problem of Over-Treatment
Dr Margaret McCartney investigates the controversy surrounding medicine's search for traces of disease in people who would otherwise never know about them, or suffer any ill effects. And she explores the alternative "slow medicine" approach. Producer Mike Hally

11.30 Tales from the Stave

Frances Fyfield and her team are in the British Library looking at the sketches for Frederick Delius's perennial favourite *On Hearing the First Cuckoo in Spring*, which he completed in 1912. Producer Tom Alban12.04pm The Curious Cases of
Rutherford & Fry

2/5. The Dreadful Vegetable. Rutherford and Fry dig into the science of taste, and examine the evidence that children and adults experience a different intensity of flavours when they eat the same foods. For details see yesterday

12.15 Call You and Yours
Consumer affairs phone-in.

1.00 The World at One With Mark Mardell.

1.45 Conflict and Co-operation:
a History of Trade

7/10. When Cultures Collide. Paul Seabright investigates the cultural impact of trade over the centuries. When Captain Cook arrived in New Zealand waters in 1769, his sailors and the Maori people who met them began to trade almost immediately, showing the major role that trade plays - for good and ill - in the meeting of civilisations. And, in a story from China, he hears how the social consequences of trade contacts made many centuries ago can still be seen today. For details see yesterday

2.00 The Archers Rptd from yesterday 7pm

2.15 Drama: Stone

2/10. The team investigates the homeless charity and also the background of the victim, trying to figure out who would want to do him harm. Meanwhile, Stone's daughter Alice begins acting out of character. By Martin Jameson. For cast and details see yesterday

3.00 The Kitchen Cabinet
Repeated from Saturday 10.30am

3.30 Making History

3/7. Hester Cant digs into the past of acid attacks on the streets of London, and Iszi Lawrence learns how and why the Suffragettes embraced the art of ju-jitsu. Producer Nick Patrick
ADDRESS: Making History, PO Box 3096, Brighton BN1 1PL
email: making.history@bbc.co.uk
Phone: 0370 010 0400

4.00 The Arts of Life

It was 25 years ago that broadcaster Roger Hill was asked to produce a report on what he called "the Arts of Life" - the way in which art, in its widest sense, can enrich and inspire people who are up against it. Now he revisits Liverpool, Manchester, Birmingham and the north-east of England to see if those effects are still present, taking in a homeless centre, an HIV support group, a community project for young people and a community dealing with the loss of its coal mine. Producer Nicola Swords (R)

6.00 I Am Legend Cult 1954 sci-fi (6/9)

6.30 Dad Made Me Laugh Max Bygraves

7.00 The Ken Dodd Show 1964 comedy

7.30 The Men from the Ministry 1973 comedy

8.00 Secret Agent - X9 Dramatisation by Mark Brissenden of the 1930s Dashiell Hammett thriller in which the iconic spy tackles his arch enemy The Top in Manhattan. With Stuart Milligan (1/4)

8.30 Phil Collins: King of the Wild Frontier Patrick Humphries heads to Geneva to explore music star Phil Collins's collection of Alamo memorabilia - the biggest of its kind outside America

9.00 Behind the Screen Michael Jayston reads Hugh Walpole's *The Guest in the House* - the first instalment in a re-creation of the 1930 serial by British mystery writers known as the Detection Club (1/6)9.15 Devonia John Duttine stars in *Day Trip* - the second of three plays by Andy Ransleigh10.00-12.00 Comedy Club: Mark Steel's in Town (5/6), at 10.30 Lionel Nimrod's *Inexplicable World* (2/6), at 11.00 ElvenQuest (6/6), at 11.30 *The Consultants* (2/4), and at 11.45 *Where Did it All Go Wrong?* (2/4)

12.00 I Am Legend as 6pm 12.30am as 6.30pm 1.00 as 8pm 1.30 as 8.30pm

2.00 as 2pm 2.15 as 2.15pm 2.30 as 2.30pm

2.45 as 2.45pm 3.00 as 3pm 4.30 as 4pm

4.30 as 4.30pm 5.00 as 5pm 5.30 as 5.30pm

4.30 Great Lives

6/8. Matthew Parris and guests present a profile of a major cultural figure. Producer Kirsten Lass Repeated Friday 11pm

5.00 PM With Eddie Mair.

6.00 Six o'Clock News

6.30 Mark Steel's in Town
6/6. Ventnor. The comedian ends his latest series with a visit to Ventnor on the Isle of Wight. Producer Carl Cooper

7.00 The Archers

Lexi considers her options. For cast see Friday. Repeated tomorrow 2pm

7.15 Front Row

Samira Ahmed with arts interviews, news and reviews. Producer Dymphna Flynn

7.45 Shardlake: Heartstone

7/10. Shardlake and Barak return to Hoyland, where "the first of the events that was to change the life of the Hobby family forever" occurs - and a stag hunt on the estate ends with a gruesome discovery. For cast and details see yesterday

8.00 The Dawn of British Jihad

Before 9/11, British attitudes to taking part in faith-inspired armed combat were different. British Muslims travelled freely to fight in countries like Afghanistan, Bosnia and Burma for a few weeks or months, and then returned home to their day jobs or studies, with no questions asked. Mobeen Azhar sheds light on the people and organisations involved in this early wave of British Jihadis. Producers Richard Fenton Smith and Sajid Iqbal

8.40 In Touch

Peter White presents news and information for the blind and partially sighted.

9.00 Inside Health

With Dr Mark Porter. Producer Deborah Cohen Rptd tomorrow 3.30pm

9.30 Black Music in Europe:
a Hidden History Repeated from 9am

10.00 The World Tonight

With Ritula Shah.

10.45 Book at Bedtime: The Vital
Spark: A Far Cry from Kensington

2/10. Muriel Spark's novel about a young war widow who is working at a struggling publishing house in 1950s London and appears to have a stalker. Meanwhile, Wanda - a highly strung Polish dressmaker - is on the receiving end of threatening letters. For details see yesterday

11.00 The Infinite Monkey Cage

Repeated from yesterday 4.30pm

11.30 Today in Parliament

The day's business in Westminster.

12.00 News

12.30-12.45am Auntie's War

2/5. Repeated from 9.45am

1.00 as BBC World Service

BBC World Service

bbc.co.uk/worldserviceradio

Freeview* 710 Freesat 711 Sky 0115 Virgin 906

Programmes may differ online, and on Freesat, Sky, and Virgin

5.00am News 5.05 The Newsroom 5.30 Discovery:

Lise Meitner 6.00 Newsday 8.30 Business Daily

8.50 Witness 9.00 News CHOICE: 9.05 The

Forum 9.50 Sporting Witness 10.00 World Update

11.00 Newsroom 11.30 In the Studio 12.00 News

12.05pm Outlook 1.00 The Newsroom

1.30 The Documentary: The Hackers of Siberia

2.00 Newshour 3.00 News 3.05 BBC World

Tracks 3.30 World Business Report 4.00 BBC OS

6.00 News 6.05 Outlook 7.00 The Newsroom

7.30 Sport Today: global round-up 8.00 News

8.05 The Documentary: The Hackers of Siberia:

investigating global developments, issues and

affairs 8.30 Click: technological news 9.00

Newsroom: the stories behind the latest headlines

10.00 The Newsroom 10.20 Sports News: the

latest stories and results from around the world

10.30 World Business Report: informed analysis

11.00 News 11.05 BBC World Hacks

11.30 In the Studio 12.00 News

12.05am World Book Club: Agatha Christie

1.00 News 1.05 Business Matters 2.00 News

2.05 The Newsroom 2.30 The Documentary:

The Hackers of Siberia 3.00 News

3.05 Hardtalk 3.30 The Compass: My Perfect

Country 4.00 News 4.05 Outlook

BBC Radio 5 Live

693, 909 MW bbc.co.uk/fiveliveF'view 705 F'sat 705 Sky 0105 Virgin 905
Sports Extra F'view 706 F'sat 706
Sky 0144 Virgin 908

News and sport as yesterday

5.00am Morning Reports
With news, sport and business.5.15 Wake Up to Money
Sean Farrington and Louise Cooper present the latest financial news stories.

6.00 5 Live Breakfast

Nicky Campbell and Rachel Burden present news from the UK and around the world, including business, travel updates and the day's sports stories. And there's a phone-in on the big issue of the day at 9.00.

10.00 The Emma Barnett Show
News and current affairs interviews, plus listeners' stories and contributions, and a round-up of the day's headlines.1.00pm Afternoon Edition
Sarah Brett and Nihal Arthanayake present the latest UK and international news, sport, features and discussion, including interviews with big-name studio guests.4.00 5 Live Drive
Anna Foster and Tony Livesey with sport, travel updates and the latest news, including interviews with those at the centre of the stories.7.00 5 Live Sport
Mark Pougatch presents sports news and live coverage of tonight's League Cup semi-final first leg match.10.30 Phil Williams
News, sport and discussion, with listeners' emails, texts and tweets.1.00am Up All Night
Rhod Sharp with the latest international news, from sunset in Los Angeles to sunrise in Sydney, plus regular themed features.

Talksport

1053, 1089 MW talksport.co.uk
F'view 723 F'sat 731 Sky 0108 Virgin 927

6.00am Alan Brazil

10.00 Max Rushden

1.00pm Hawksbee and Jacobs

4.00 Adrian Durham and
Darren Gough The latest news from the footballing world.

7.00 Kick-Off With Mark Saggars.

10.00 Sports Bar With Andy

Goldstein and Jason Cundy.

1.00am Extra Time

Asian Network

bbc.co.uk/asiannetwork
F'view 709 F'sat 709 Sky 0119 Virgin 912

6.00am Harp Kaur

10.00 Asian Network's Big Debate

1.00pm Asian Network Reports

News from the UK and South Asia.

1.30 Noreen Khan

Desi music, retro hits and guests.

5.00 Asian Network Reports

Sport and showbiz updates.

5.30 Bobby Friction

South Asian culture, plus Ashanti

Omkar with her *Track of the Week*.

9.00 Guz Khan

12.00 as Radio 5 Live

Absolute Radio

absoluteradio.co.uk
F'view 727 F'sat 724 Sky 0107 Virgin 915

6.00am Christian O'Connell

10.00 Leona Graham

Records by guitar-strumming

males and rock goddesses, from

the Beatles and Bruce Springsteen

to Grace Slick and Patti Smith.

1.00pm Andy Bush

4.00 Dave Berry

7.00 Danielle Perry

10.00 Pete Donaldson

1.00am Chris Martin

BBC Radio 4 Extra

bbc.co.uk/radio4extra

Freeview 708 Freesat 708 Sky 0131 Virgin 910

6.00am Secret Agent - X9 as 8pm

6.30 Phil Collins: King of the Wild Frontier

7.00 Guests Are like Fish 2014 comedy (4/4)

7.30 Mark Steel's in Town From Hull (5/6)

8.00 The Ken Dodd Show 1964 comedy

8.30 The Men from the Ministry 1973 comedy

9.00 The News Quiz Extra Extended edition

9.45 Hearing with Hegley Comic verse (1/6)

10.00 To the Ends of the Earth: Journey to

the Centre of the Earth as 3pm

11.00 Behind the Screen as 9pm

11.15 Devonia as 9.15pm

12.00 The Ken Dodd Show 1964 comedy

12.30pm The Men from the Ministry Comedy

1.00 Secret Agent - X9 as 8pm

1.30 Phil Collins: King of the Wild Frontier

2.00 In Siberia Colin Thubron's 1999 book (2/10)

2.15 Five Hundred Years of Friendship (12/15)

2.30 More Tales of the City (2/5)

2.45 Speaking for Themselves (2/10)

3.00 To the Ends of the Earth: Journey to

the Centre of the Earth By Jules Verne (2/2)

4.00 The Food Quiz With Jay Rayner

4.30 Semi Circles 1982 Simon Brett comedy (6/6)

5.00 Guests Are like Fish 2014 comedy (4/4)

5.30 Mark Steel's in Town From Hull (5/6)

Today's Choices



Thinking Allowed

4.00pm **Radio 4**

From churches to bowling alleys, the amenities we have in our cities tell us a lot about them – what the economy's like, what sort of people live there, how they socialise. In this fascinating *Thinking Allowed*, professor of sociology Daniel Silver talks us through his analysis of 40,000 American postcodes, from which he discovered how shops, galleries, tattoo parlours and other outlets influenced locals' behaviour. Our surroundings are so familiar that we tend not to think much about what it says about our community when that new bar opens up or second-hand boutique appears. This snapshot of US city life – which tells us a lot about the UK too – might have you looking anew. **KASIA DELGADO**

The Compass: My Perfect Country

1.30pm/8.05pm

BBC World Service

"Rwanda is the only place I've been where I can walk into a boardroom and forget I'm a woman," says Isobel, a Rwandan woman who runs a PR firm. In the latest in the series that travels the world in search of the ingredients for the perfect country, it's the closing of Rwanda's gender gap that has drawn the attention of Fi Glover and her panel. The 800,000 people who died in the 1994 genocide were mostly men, and now Rwanda enshrines in law female landownership and positions in decision-making jobs. Will the policy make it into the *Perfect Country* portfolio? **SARAH CARSON**

Angstrom

6.30pm **Radio 4**

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BBC Radio 1

97.6–99.8 FM bbc.co.uk/radio1
F*view* 700 F*sat 700 Sky 0101 Virgin 901

News and Newsbeat as yesterday
6.30am Nick Grimshaw
10.00 Clara Amfo
1.00pm Scott Mills
4.00 Greg James
7.00 Annie Mac
9.00 The 8th with Charlie Sloth
11.00 Huw Stephens New acts.
1.00am Benji B With future beats.
4.00 Adele Roberts

1Xtra

bbc.co.uk/1xtra
F*view 701 F*sat 701 Sky 0137 Virgin 907
6.00am Nick Bright
10.00 Ace Listeners' requests.
1.00pm Yasmin Evans
4.00 MistaJam
7.00 DJ Target New talent.
9.00 The 8th with Charlie Sloth
11.00 1Xtra Residency
1.00am Benji B **3.00 1Xtra Mixes**
4.00 1Xtra Residency

BBC Radio 2

88–90.2 FM bbc.co.uk/radio2
F*view* 702 F*sat 702 Sky 0102 Virgin 902

News and weather as Monday
5.00am Vanessa Feltz
6.30 Sara Cox
9.30 Ken Bruce
Including after **11.30 Tracks of My Years**, with singer/songwriter and actress Charlie Dore, who chooses Simon and Garfunkel and Split Enz.
12.00 Amol Rajan
2.00pm Steve Wright
5.00 Simon Mayo
7.00 The Folk Show with Mark Radcliffe
8.00 Ana Matronic
10.00 Nile Rodgers's Good Times
2/4. Behind-the-scenes mover and shaker Vicki Wickham (*Ready Steady Go!*) joins producer/arranger Nile Rodgers at his home studio for a conversation in which the disco-era superstar reveals his musical inspirations and shares the records he loves. Tonight he talks about his 25-year musical partnership with bassist and Chic co-founder Bernard Edwards (1952–96), who persuaded Rodgers to switch from his big jazz guitar to a Fender Stratocaster. And Rodgers recalls touring with the Jackson 5, and Edwards's sudden death while on tour in Japan.

11.00 David Bowie's Heroes 40th Anniversary
Another chance to hear a programme broadcast in October to mark the 40th anniversary of the release of David Bowie's album *Heroes*. Singer Florence Welch explores the personal and musical factors that influenced the album's writing and recording in Berlin in 1977. Featuring archive recordings of Bowie, who discusses his decision to live in Berlin and the city's impact on an album most famous for its title track. With contributions from Iggy Pop, producer Tony Visconti and collaborator Brian Eno. Bowie died two years ago today, aged 69. (R)

12.00 Pick of the Pops (R)
2.00am Radio 2 Playlists Starting with **Country**. At **3.00 Easy**, and at **4.00 Radio 2 Rocks**.

BBC Radio 3

90.2–92.4 FM bbc.co.uk/radio3
Freeview* 703 Freesat 703 Sky 0103 Virgin 903

6.30am Breakfast With Petroc Trelawny.
9.00 Essential Classics With Suzy Klein.
9.30 Suzy plays a well-known piece and invites suggestions for further listening.
10.10 Time Traveller A slice of cultural history.
10.50 Suzy's guest is Sue MacGregor.
12.00 Composer of the Week: Schubert 3/5. Friends, and Unfinished Business
Donald Macleod explores five years in the life of Schubert. He continues with 1820, when Schubert was 23 and struggling to establish himself as a freelance composer. Friends rallied round to help, including paying his rent. Music includes extracts from two unfinished works – the oratorio *Lazarus* and the *Quartet Movement in C minor* – and one of the best-loved of all his Goethe settings – *Erkönig*, first performed in this year. Plus the glorious *Song of the Spirits over the Waters*.

1.00pm Radio 3 Lunchtime Concert
Nicola Heywood Thomas introduces more concert recordings of Carolyn Sampson at the Two Moors Festival and Barry Douglas at the Dartington International Summer School and Festival.
Schubert Wilhelm Meister Songs, D877 (*No 2 Heiss mich nicht reden; No 3 Nur wer die Sehnsucht kennt; No 4 So lasst mich scheinen*) *Kennst du das Land, D321*
Carolyn Sampson (soprano), Joseph Middleton (piano)
Britten Notturmo
Schubert Piano Sonata in C minor, D958
Barry Douglas

2.00 Afternoon Concert With Tom Redmond.
Claire Booth (soprano), BBC Philharmonic, conductor Simone Young
Schoenberg Notturmo
Webern Passacaglia, Op 1
Berg Wozzeck (excerpts)
3.00 Dukas The Sorcerer's Apprentice
BBC Philharmonic, conductor Manoj Kamps
Coleridge-Taylor Novellates, Op 52 Nos 1 and 4
BBC Philharmonic, conductor Lee Reynolds

3.30 Choral Evensong
From Hereford Cathedral. Introit: Jesus **LIVE** richte mein Beginnen (Bach). Responses: Sumsion. Psalms 53, 54, 55 (Martin, Rimbault, Hervey). First Lesson: Amos 3. Office Hymn: The race that long in darkness pined (Dundee). Canticles: Brewer in D. Second Lesson: 1 Corinthians, v2. Anthem: Reges Tharsis (Sheppard). Organ Voluntary: Dieu parmi nous (La nativité du Seigneur) (Messiaen). Geraint Bowen (Director of music). Peter Dyke (Assistant director of music). Repeated Sunday 3pm

4.30 New Generation Artists
Two former NGA members team up as a piano duo in this studio recording from 2014.
Rachmaninov Six Duets, Op 11
Zhang Zuo and Louis Schwizgebel (piano)

BBC 6 Music

bbc.co.uk/6music
Freeview 707 Freesat 707 Sky 0120 Virgin 909

7.00am Shaun Keaveny Indie music and laughs.
10.00 Lauren Laverne Chat, music and guests.
1.00pm Mark Radcliffe and Stuart Maconie
4.00 Steve Lamacq New music and phone-ins.
7.00 Marc Riley New music and features.
9.00 Gideon Coe BBC archive live performances.
12.00 6 Music Recommends
1.00am The First Time... With Terry Hall in 2013 discussing his influences. **2.00 One Nation under a Groove 1/2.** Craig Charles with the story of George Clinton, Parliament and Funkadelic. **2.30 Live Hour**
3.30 Jukebox **5.00 Chris Hawkins**

Planet Rock

planetrock.com
Freesat 730 Sky 0110 Virgin 924
6.00am Breakfast with Paul Anthony Rock music
10.00 Wyatt Wendels **2.00pm Darren Redick**
6.00 RockBlock **7.00 Planet Rock of Ages** Rptd from Saturday 7pm **8.00 Mojo Rocks** Rptd from Saturday 8pm
10.00 Nights with Alice Cooper **1.00am Through the Night** **4.00 Nights with Alice Cooper**

5.00 In Tune

With Sean Rafferty. Choreographers Eva Kloborg and Frank Andersen discuss their production of *La Sylphide* for English National Ballet.

7.00 In Tune Mixtape
A specially curated playlist.

7.30 Radio 3 in Concert
Verity Sharp presents a new production of Peter Bellamy's ballad opera *The Transports*, recorded at the Radio Theatre in Broadcasting House.

Bellamy The Transports: Part One
Susannah Holmes
Henry Kable
Narrator
Abe Carman
The Coachman
The Mother
The Convict
The Shantyman
John Simpson, the humane turnkey
The Father

Rachel McShane
Sean Cooney
Matthew Crampton
David Eagle
Michael Hughes
Nancy Kerr
Benji Kirkpatrick
Saul Rose
Greg Russell
Paul Sartin

8.20–8.40 A Portrait of Peter Bellamy Verity Sharp sketches a portrait of the composer.

10.00 Free Thinking
The In Between. Eleanor Rosamund Barraclough explores how the brain and body respond to periods of stasis such as we encounter in airports or on station platforms. With neuroscientist Dean Burnett, poet Vahni Capildeo, artist Alexandra Carr, writer Iain Sinclair and philosopher Emily Thomas. Producer Jacqueline Smith

10.45 The Essay: Cornerstones
3/5. North Sea Oil and Gas. Esther Woolfson contrasts the solidity of Aberdeen – the "Granite City" – with the parlous state of the North Sea oil and gas industry. For details see Monday

11.00 Late Junction
Provocative Norwegian polymath Jenny Hval is the latest compiler of the Late Junction mixtape.

12.30am Through the Night With Catriona Young.
Turina La procesión del Rocío Canteloube Songs of the Auvergne (excerpts) **Debussy Ibéria (Images)** **Ravel Alborada del gracioso** **Villa-Lobos Bachiana brasileira No 6** **Koshitani, arr Takeshi Moriuchi Hatsuko** **Albéniz Navarra** **Gershwin Cuban Overture** **Mari Moriya (soprano), RTE National Symphony Orchestra, conductor Duncan Ward**
2.01 Albéniz Suite española, Op 47 **2.23 Navas Ay, divino amor** **2.31 Rachmaninov All-Night Vigil** **3.27 Brian Eno, arr Julia Wolfe Music for Airports** **3.40 Mozart Divertimento in E flat, K113** **3.54 Schubert Heidenroslein, D257; Der König in Thule, D367; Gretchen am Spinnrade, D118**
4.03 Britten Five Flower Songs **4.14 Borodin Polovtsian Dances (Prince Igor)** **4.25 Bach Sarabande (Cello Suite No 6 in D, BWV1012) arr for four cellos** **4.31 Bernstein Overture: Candide** **4.36 Piazzolla Adios Noniño** **4.46 Ester Magdi The Broken Oar** **4.50 Schubert Auf dem Wasser zu singen, D774** **4.54 Mozart Adagio and Fugue in C minor, K546**
5.02 Byrd First Pavan and Galliard **5.09 Grieg Norwegian Dances, Op 35 Nos 1 and 2** **5.19 Hildegard of Bingen Spiritus sanctus vivificans vite; O ignis spiritus paracleti; Caritas abundat in omnia**
5.30 Britten Choral Dances (Gloriana)
5.39 Bartok Dance Suite **5.56 Debussy Estampes**
6.11 Grace Williams Sea Sketches

Classic FM

99.9–101.9 FM classicfm.com
Freeview 731 Freesat 721 Sky 0106 Virgin 922
6.00am More Music Breakfast
9.00 John Suchet Popular classical works.
1.00pm Anne-Marie Minhall
5.00 John Brunning
7.00 Smooth Classics With John Brunning.
8.00 The Full Works Concert With Jane Jones.
Haydn Symphony No 101 in D (Clock)
Royal Concertgebouw Orchestra, conductor Nikolaus Harnoncourt
Cello Concerto No 1 in C Steven Isserlis, Chamber Orchestra of Europe, conductor Roger Norrington
Minuet No 1 in C, H 116
Philharmonia Hungarica, conductor Antal Dorati
Keyboard Concerto in D, H XVIII 11
Alexandre Tharaud (piano), Les Violons du Roy, conductor Bernard Labadie
Sinfonia concertante in B flat, H 1105
Anthony Robson (oboe), Felix Warnock (bassoon), David Watkin (cello), Orchestra of the Age of Enlightenment, director Elizabeth Wallfisch (violin)
Andante in F, H XVII 9 Alfred Brendel (piano)
10.00 Smooth Classics **1.00am Sam Pittis**

BBC Radio 4

92.4-94.6 FM 198 LW bbc.co.uk/radio4
For national variations see p135
Freeview 704 Freesat 704 (FM) 710 (LW)
Sky 0104 (FM) 0143 (LW) Virgin 904 (FM) 911 (LW)
News, weather and shipping forecasts as yesterday

5.30am News Briefing
5.43 Prayer for the Day
With space scientist Monica Grady.
5.45 Farming Today
5.58 Tweet of the Day
Superb Fairy Wren. With Andy Radford.
6.00 Today
With Nick Robinson and Carrie Gracie.
6.25, 7.25, 8.25 Sports News
6.45 Yesterday in Parliament
7.48 Thought for the Day
With Rev Dr Giles Fraser.
9.00 Soul Music
4/5. Ich habe genug. The series about the emotions elicited by music continues with one of the most frequently recorded of all the Bach cantatas. Repeated 9.30pm
9.30 The Ideas That Make Us
1/5. Character. Bettany Hughes examines more core concepts in philosophy. Today she considers changing ideas about character at an ancient Greek palace, on a stage, at a political think-tank and in a prison kitchen. Producer Dixi Stewart
9.45 FM only Book of the Week: Auntie's War
3/5. Remarkable Voices. General de Gaulle rallies the French from London, and US journalists arrive to report the Blitz. Read by author Edward Stourton. For details see Monday Repeated 12.30am
9.45 LW only Daily Service
A meditation on Jesus's baptism in the River Jordan, led by the Rev Marie-Elsa Bragg.
10.00 Woman's Hour
10.41 Shardlake: Heartstone 8/10
The 15-Minute Drama.
For details see drama repeat 7.45pm
10.55 The Listening Project
Two ten-year-old friends get to grips with priorities at school. Presented by FI Glover. Producer Marya Burgess
11.00 The Cameron Years
Repeated from Monday 8pm
11.30 Chain Reaction
2/6. Series in which one week's interviewee becomes the next week's interviewer. Today Al Murray interviews *Private Eye* editor Ian Hislop. Producer Richard Morris (R)
12.04pm The Curious Cases of Rutherford & Fry
3/5. The Cosmic Speed Limit. Rutherford and Fry approach the cosmic speed limit, and question what would happen if it were possible for anything to be able to travel faster than the speed of light. For details see Monday

BBC Radio 4 Extra

bbc.co.uk/radio4extra
Freeview 708 Freesat 708 Sky 0131 Virgin 910
6.00am Secret Agent - X9 as 8pm
6.30 Lifeboats on the Thames as 8.30pm
7.00 Like They've Never Been Gone (6/6)
7.30 Jeremy Hardy Feels It (4/4)
8.00 The Navy Lark 1960 comedy
8.30 Round the Horne Camp comedy (2/16)
9.00 The Write Stuff James Walton hosts (2/6)
9.30 Change at Oglethorpe 1995 comedy (1/6)
10.00 Lost Horizon as 3pm
11.00 Behind the Screen as 9pm
11.15 Devonia *Night Boat* by Andy Rashleigh
12.00 The Navy Lark 1960 comedy
12.30pm Round the Horne Camp comedy (2/16)
1.00 Secret Agent - X9 By Dashiell Hammett (2/4)
1.30 Lifeboats on the Thames as 8.30pm
2.00 In Siberia Colin Thubron's travel book (3/10)
2.15 Five Hundred Years of Friendship (13/15)
2.30 More Tales of the City Bryony Lavery's adaptation of Armistead Maupin's 1980 book - the second in his series set in San Francisco, chronicling the colourful exploits of the tenants at liberated landlord Anna Madrigal's apartment complex at 28 Barbary Lane in Russian Hill. With Kate Harper (3/5)
2.45 Speaking for Themselves (3/10)
3.00 Lost Horizon Barry Campbell's dramatisation of James Hilton's 1933 novel (1/3)
4.00 The Write Stuff James Walton hosts (2/6)

12.15 You and Yours Consumer reports.
1.00 The World at One With Mark Mardell.
1.45 Conflict and Co-operation: A History of Trade
8/10. The Box. If there's one innovation that deserves a chapter to itself in the modern history of trade, it's the shipping container. Paul Seabright explores the story of the humble metal box - how it took years for it to become the shape it is today and why it has had such an impact. For details see Monday
2.00 The Archers Repeated from yesterday 7pm
2.15 Drama: Stone
3/10. The father of the victim killed in the fire is pulled in for questioning, and Stone probes their complex relationship. But his ongoing problems with his daughter lead him to some soul searching of his own. Written by Richard Monks. For cast and details see Monday
3.00 Money Box Live
Listeners receive financial advice.
Your RT Money: page 142
3.30 Inside Health Rptd from yesterday 9pm
4.00 Thinking Allowed
RT Scenescapes. Laurie Taylor meets sociologist Daniel Silver of the University of Toronto Scarborough to hear about a huge project analysing the make-up of city streets in 40,000 American zipcodes. Producer Jayne Egerton Repeated Sunday 12.15am
4.30 The Media Show
The topical programme about all forms of media, with leading industry players casting light on the issues of the day.
5.00 PM With Eddie Mair.
6.00 Six o'Clock News
6.30 Ångström
RT New series. 1/4. The Man Who Wasn't Dead. Scandi-noir spoof by Joel Morris and Jason Hazeley. Matthew Holness stars as Knut Ångström, a brooding, alcoholic, maverick Swedish detective from the tough streets of Oslo, in a Scandinavian detective yarn adapted from the bestselling *Ångström* trilogy by Martin English (writing as Björger Swedensson). Following the death of his wife, Ångström is posted to the Njalsland peninsula where he becomes embroiled in a labyrinthine murder (or possibly not-murder) case. Also starring Nadia Kamil, Simon Kane, Morgana Robinson, David Reed and Freya Parker. Producer Lyndsay Fenner
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7.00 The Archers
Susan's hopes are dashed while David tries to swallow his pride. For cast see Friday Repeated tomorrow 2pm
7.15 Front Row
Stig Abell with arts news and reviews. Producer Rebecca Armstrong

4.30 Change at Oglethorpe 1995 comedy (1/6)
5.00 Like They've Never Been Gone (6/6)
5.30 Jeremy Hardy Feels It (4/4)
6.00 I Am Legend Richard Matheson's cult 1954 sci-fi tale in which the last man on earth battles plague-infected vampires. Read by Angus MacInnes (7/9)
6.30 Musical Legends Early synthpop mainstream chart star Gary Numan (*Are "Friends" Electric?*, *Cars*) talks to Tom Morton about his craft
7.00 The Navy Lark 1960 comedy
7.30 Round the Horne Camp comedy (2/16)
8.00 Secret Agent - X9 By Dashiell Hammett (2/4)
8.30 Lifeboats on the Thames Horatio Clare joins the crews of some of Britain's busiest lifeboats, including the one at Tower Station next to Waterloo Bridge, London, which in 2007 was launched 265 times and rescued 92 people. From 2008 (1/2)
9.00 Behind the Screen Penelope Keith reads Agatha Christie's *Something Is Missing* (2/6)
9.15 Devonia John Duttine stars in *Night Boat*, about a paddle steamer and its crew
10.00-12.00 Comedy Club: Jeremy Hardy Feels It (4/4), at 10.30 The Secret World (3/6), at 11.00 Mr and Mrs Smith (3/4), and at 11.30 Children's Hour with Armstrong and Miller (2/4)
12.00 as 6pm **12.30am** as 6.30pm **1.00** as 8pm **1.30** as 8.30pm **2.00** as 2pm **2.15** as 2.15pm **2.30** as 2.30pm **2.45** as 2.45pm **3.00** as 3pm **4.00** as 4pm **4.30** as 4.30pm **5.00** as 5pm **5.30** as 5.30pm

7.45 Shardlake: Heartstone 8/10. As he continues his investigations into the murky history of the Hobby family, Shardlake finally realises the startling truth about Sir Nicholas Hobby's young ward, Hugh Curteys. And in his parallel enquiries into the case of Bedlam inmate Ellen Fettiplace and the traumatic events at Rolfswood 19 years earlier, he boards the Mary Rose for a second interview with Phillip West - an assistant purser on the warship, and Ellen's one-time fiancé. For cast and details see Monday Repeated from 10.45am
8.00 Across the Red Line
2/4. Anne McElvoy invites figures on opposing sides of a political issue to listen to each other. She is joined by conflict resolution specialist Gabrielle Rifkind. Producer Phil Tinline
8.45 Four Thought
Artist Zarah Hussain explains how designing a garden has prompted her to reflect on cultural identity. Recorded in front of a live audience at Somerset House in London and presented by Olly Mann. Producer Sheila Cook
9.00 A Little Lateral Thinking
Stephen Smith looks at how - 50 years after its coinage by Edward de Bono - the concept of lateral thinking has become a byword for creativity. Producer Adele Armstrong (R)
9.30 Soul Music Repeated from 9am
10.00 The World Tonight
With Ritula Shah.
10.45 Book at Bedtime: The Vital Spark: A Far Cry from Kensington 3/10. By Muriel Spark. Mystery set in London about a young war widow lodging in a rooming house and a Polish dressmaker who is on the receiving end of various threatening letters. Read by Maggie Service. For details see Monday
11.00 Life on Egg 3/4. Stand-In. Comedy drama by Dan Maier. When Peter is sent to the mainland for some urgent training, Harry is given a replacement by the minister, who soon has the prison whipped into shape, much to Harry's annoyance. Governor Harry Harry Hill Tim the Helicopter Pilot/Warden Ann Karen Bartke Leo Hatchet Dan Maier Peter Marek Larwood Prisoner Gyles Brandreth Minister Tanya Moodie Gyles Brandreth Producer Sam Mitchell (R)
11.15 Lazy Susan: East Coast Listening Post 4/4. Empire. In the final episode of the comedy by Celeste Dring and Freya Parker (aka Lazy Susan), Jenna and Dana meet self-made businesswoman and strip-club mogul Jackie Sanchez.
12.00 News
12.30-12.45am Book of the Week: Auntie's War 3/5. Repeated from 9.45am
1.00 as BBC World Service

BBC World Service

bbc.co.uk/worldserviceradio
Freeview* 710 Freesat 711 Sky 0115 Virgin 906
Programmes may differ online, and on Freesat, Sky, and Virgin
5.00am News 5.05 The Newsroom **5.30 Click:** technological news **6.00** Newsday: headlines **8.30** Business Daily **8.50** Witness: reports on key events **9.00** News **9.05** World Book Club: Agatha Christie **10.00** World Update **11.00** The Newsroom **11.30** Documentary **12.00** News **12.05pm** Outlook: perspectives on important issues **1.00** The Newsroom **1.30 CHOICE:** The Compass: My Perfect Country: FI Glover and Martha Lane Fox hunt the globe for solutions to society's problems **2.00** Newshour **3.00** News **3.05** Hardtalk **3.30** World Business Report: Informed analysis **4.00** BBC OS **6.00** News **6.05** Outlook: perspectives on important issues **7.00** The Newsroom **7.30** Sport Today: global round-up **8.00** News **8.05 CHOICE:** The Compass: My Perfect Country **8.30** Healthcheck **9.00** Newshour: the stories behind the latest headlines **10.00** The Newsroom **10.20** Sports News **10.30** World Business Report **11.00** News **11.05** Hardtalk **11.30** Documentary **12.00** News **12.05am** The Thought Show **1.00** News **1.05** Business Matters **2.00** News **2.05** The Newsroom **2.30** Documentary **3.00** News **3.05** The Inquiry **3.30** The Food Chain **4.00** News **4.05** Outlook: perspectives on important issues

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Sports Extra F'view 706 F'sat 706 Sky 0144 Virgin 908
News and sport as Monday
5.00am Morning Reports
A round-up of news, sport and business for the day ahead, and a look at the morning's newspapers.
5.15 Wake Up to Money
Sean Farrington and Mickey Clark present financial news stories.
6.00 5 Live Breakfast
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4.00 5 Live Drive
Anna Foster and Tony Livesey with sport, travel updates and the latest news, including interviews with those at the centre of the top stories.
7.00 5 Live Sport
Mark Pougach presents sports news and live coverage of tonight's League Cup semi-final first leg.
10.30 Phil Williams
News, sport and discussion, with listeners' emails, texts and tweets.
1.00am Up All Night
Rhod Sharp with the latest international news and regular themed features.

Talksport

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F'view 723 F'sat 731 Sky 0108 Virgin 927
6.00am Alan Brazil
10.00 Max Rushden
10.00pm Hawksbee and Jacobs
4.00 Adrian Durham and Darren Gough Football news.
7.00 Kick-Off With Mark Saggers.
10.00 Sports Bar With Andy Goldstein and Jason Cundy.
1.00am Extra Time

Asian Network

bbc.co.uk/asiannetwork
F'view 709 F'sat 709 Sky 0119 Virgin 912
6.00am Harpz Kaur
10.00 Asian Network's Big Debate
1.00pm Asian Network Reports
1.30 Noreen Khan Desi music and guests, with James O'Malley responding to tech queries.
5.00 Asian Network Reports
5.30 Bobby Friction
South Asian culture, including big Bollywood and bhangra anthems and chat with famous people.
9.00 Yasser New, unsigned and underground British-Asian music.
12.00 as Radio 5 Live

Absolute Radio

absoluteradio.co.uk
F'view 727 F'sat 724 Sky 0107 Virgin 915
6.00am Christian O'Connell
10.00 Leona Graham
Records by guitar-strumming males and rock goddesses, from the Beatles and Bruce Springsteen to Grace Slick and Patti Smith.
1.00pm Andy Bush
4.00 Dave Berry
7.00 Danielle Perry
10.00 Pete Donaldson
1.00am Chris Martin

THURSDAY Radio

Radio Thursday

Today's Choices



From the Steppes to the Stage

11.30am Radio 4

"Something western, something modern was needed," we're told, "to change Mongolia in the 20th century." Few would have guessed that this something is opera. Kate Molleson's two programmes were chiefly inspired by baritone Ariunbaatar Ganbaatar (above), whose international awards include BBC Cardiff Singer of the World, which he won last June. The raw material for this cultural revolution was traditional Mongolian "long song", developed in the clean air of the country's grasslands. This was exploited during the Soviet era, and the Mongolian Academic Theatre is now a world-class opera house. Ganbaatar's voice reduced Cardiff judge Mary King to tears (the YouTube video went viral), and it's not hard to see why.

DAVID MCGILLIVRAY

Crossing Continents

11.00am Radio 4

Here's a rare window on a war that's rumbled since 2014, all but forgotten by the outside world. Lucy Ash meets the careworn customers and astonishingly resilient staff of a non-profit bakery in the "grey zone" in Eastern Ukraine – the buffer between the Russian-backed separatists and government forces. Born out of the ruins of a bombed-out bread factory, the bakery is a much-needed haven from politics and violence, and it distributes buns for free to people who have lost everything. "The aroma of fresh bread," says the man behind it, "gives people hope. It smells like normal life." CLAIRE WEBB

BBC Radio 1

97.6–99.8 FM bbc.co.uk/radio1
F'view* 700 F'sat 700 Sky 0101 Virgin 901

News and Newsbeat as Tuesday

6.30am Nick Grimshaw

10.00 Clara Amfo

1.00pm Scott Mills

4.00 Greg James

7.00 Annie Mac

With a showcase of new music.

9.00 The 8th with Charlie Sloth

Live from the top of BBC HQ.

11.00 Radio 1's Residency

Dance music with Black Madonna.

12.00 A set by Bradley Zero.

1.00am Toddla T Carnival vibes.

3.00 Artist Takeover The Blossoms take control of the station.

4.00 Adele Roberts

1Xtra

bbc.co.uk/1xtra

F'view 701 F'sat 701 Sky 0137 Virgin 907

6.00am Nick Bright 10.00 Ace

1.00pm Yasmin Evans

4.00 MistaJam Tunes and guests.

7.00 DJ Target New talent.

9.00 The 8th with Charlie Sloth

11.00 Seani B Dancehall.

1.00am Toddla T

3.00 1Xtra Mixes 4.00 Seani B

BBC Radio 2

88–90.2 FM bbc.co.uk/radio2

F'view* 702 F'sat 702 Sky 0102 Virgin 902

News and weather as Monday

5.00am Vanessa Feltz

6.30 Sara Cox

Pop music, chat, news and sport.

9.30 Ken Bruce

Including after 11.30 Tracks of My Years, with singer/songwriter and actress Charlie Dore (*Pilot of the Airwaves*) discussing tracks by Robert Palmer and the Pogues.

12.00 Amol Rajan

Topical discussion, popular music and regular features.

2.00pm Steve Wright

New pop and hits of yesteryear, plus regular features and big-name guests.

5.00 Simon Mayo

Music, chat, travel, finance and sport, plus chef Nigel Barden's weekly food feature.

7.00 Bob Harris Country

Old and new country, roots and Americana, tonight featuring a live performance by Kentucky-born Nashville singer/songwriter Carly Pearce, who in October released her debut album *Every Little Thing*.

8.00 Ana Matronic

10.00 The Radio 2 Arts Show Jonathan Ross with the latest in film, art, theatre, dance, music and books, including interviews. Plus new music and hip oldies.

12.00 The Craig Charles House Party

Featuring seven decades of funk, soul and neo-R&B. (R)

2.00am Radio 2 Playlists

Three one-hour specialist shows, starting with an omnibus edition of *Tracks of My Years*, as featured this week on Ken Bruce's morning show, with singer/songwriter and actress Charlie Dore (*Pilot of the Airwaves*) discussing ten of her favourite records of all time, from Simon and Garfunkel to Split Enz. At 3.00 Have a Great Weekend and at 4.00 Feelgood Friday, both anticipating the weekend with a pick of old and new upbeat records.

BBC Radio 3

90.2–92.4 FM bbc.co.uk/radio3

Freeview* 703 Freesat 703 Sky 0103 Virgin 903

News and weather as Monday

6.30am Breakfast With Petroc Trelawny.

9.00 Essential Classics With Suzy Klein.

9.30 Suzy plays a well-known piece and invites suggestions for further listening.

10.10 Time Traveller A slice of cultural history.

10.50 Sue MacGregor on the things that have influenced her life and career.

12.00 Composer of the Week: Schubert

4/5. Donald Macleod explores five years in the life of Schubert, continuing with 1824. At 27 Schubert was suffering from syphilis and experiencing episodes of despair and depression. His father encouraged him to persevere, and he was able to put the sorrow and melancholy he was feeling into his music. Such works includes the *Rosamunde String Quartet*, some of his *Grand Duo Sonata* for piano four hands, and – proof of his composition speed – his setting of *Gebet* for vocal quartet, commissioned in the morning and performed the same evening.

1.00pm Radio 3 Lunchtime Concert

This week's lunchtime concerts come from two music festivals based in south-west England – the Dartington Festival and the Two Moors Festival. Presented by Nicola Heywood Thomas.

Haydn *String Quartet in G, Op 54 No 1*

Endellion Quartet

Schubert *Der Vollmond strahlt auf (Rosamunde, D797); Blondel zu Marien, D626*

Carolyn Sampson (soprano),

Joseph Middleton (piano)

Beethoven *String Quartet in D, Op 18 No 3*

Endellion Quartet

2.00 Afternoon Concert

Tom Redmond presents today's *Opera Matinée* – a performance of Beethoven's *Fidelio* performed by this week's orchestra, the BBC Philharmonic on tour in San Sebastian, Spain. Then more from the orchestra on home ground in songs by Elgar, a tone poem by Honegger and a Copland symphony.

Beethoven *Fidelio*

Leonore

Florestan

Rocco

Marzelline

Jaquino

Don Pizarro

Don Fernando

Orfeon Donostiarra, BBC Philharmonic,

conductor Juanjo Mena

3.50 Elgar *Three Songs, Op 59*

Roderick Williams (baritone),

conductor Andrew Davis

Honegger *Pacific 231* Conductor Manoj Kamps

Copland *Symphony No 3*

Conductor John Wilson

5.00 In Tune

Sean Rafferty with music, chat, arts news and

studio guests, today featuring a performance by

the Elias String Quartet.

BBC 6 Music

bbc.co.uk/6music

Freeview 707 Freesat 707 Sky 0120 Virgin 909

7.00am Shaun Keaveny Indie music and laughs.

10.00 Lauren Laverne Chat, music and guests.

1.00pm Mark Radcliffe and Stuart Maconie

4.00 Steve Lamacq New music, phone-ins

and guests. And at 6.00 Roundtable.

7.00 Marc Riley New music and features.

9.00 Gideon Coe Archive live performances.

12.00 6 Music Recommendations

1.00am The First Time... With Ben Folds (ex-Ben Folds Five) talking to Matt Everitt in 2013. 2.00 One Nation under a Groove 2/2. With Craig Charles.

2.30 Live Hour With Girlschool in 1982 and Richard Ashcroft in 2006 3.30 Jukebox 5.00 Chris Hawkins

Planet Rock

planetrock.com

Freesat 730 Sky 0110 Virgin 924

6.00am Breakfast with Paul Anthony 10.00 Wyatt

Wendels 2.00pm Darren Redick 6.00 RockBlock

7.00 Danny Bowes (R) 9.00 Blues Power Repeated

from Sat 12 midnight 10.00 Nights with Alice Cooper

1.00am Through the Night 4.00 Danny Bowes (R)

7.00 In Tune Mixtape

A specially curated playlist featuring favourites, lesser-known gems and a few surprises.

7.30 Radio 3 in Concert

Tonight's concert of Baroque music from

LIVE Wigmore Hall in London.

Sonia Prina (mezzo),

Akademie für Alte Musik, Berlin

Handel *Concerto grosso in F, HWV320*

Ferrandini *Il pianto di Maria*

Bach *Cantata No 54: Widerstehe doch der Sünde*

Locatelli *Concerto Grosso in E flat, Op 7 No 6*

(*Il pianto di Arianna*)

Vivaldi *Longe mala, umbrae, terrores, RV629*

10.00 Free Thinking

Counterculture and Protest. Matthew Sweet

discusses protests like the 1968 uprising at

Columbia University and 1985's Battle of the

Beanfield plus illegal clubbing in warehouses in

the 1980s with guests including DJ Norman Jay,

novelist Tony White and film-maker Paul Cronin.

10.45 The Essay: Cornerstones

4/5. Gypsum and Alabaster. Artist and

archaeologist Rose Ferraby explores gypsum – a

soft rock which provides the chief ingredient of

plaster. But as well as being in the walls that

surround us, gypsum dates back to at least the

ancient pyramids of Egypt. Highly soluble, it is also

responsible for sink holes around the North

Yorkshire city of Ripon. Alabaster – a soft,

translucent form of gypsum – has been used to

stunning effect for medieval memorials and

sometimes in place of stained-glass windows.

For details see Monday

11.00 Late Junction

Concluding her week of live broadcasts from Oslo,

Anne Hilde Neset takes a sonic tour of the city. Her

guide is artist and field recordist Jana Winderen.

With a background in marine biology and the fine

arts, Winderen has dedicated her life to recording

and revealing sounds from the most remote

sources, including oceans, glaciers and ice

cavities. Also tonight, Anne Hilde plays some Sami

rap and pays tribute to Morton Feldman on what

would have been his 92nd birthday.

12.30am Through the Night

With Catriona Young, beginning with a concert from

last summer's BBC Proms season. Schubert *Symphony*

No 8 in B minor (Unfinished) Mahler, comp Cooke

Symphony No 10 BBC Scottish Symphony Orchestra,

conductor Thomas Dausgaard 2.06 Mozart *Piano Trio*

in C, K548 2.31 Poulenc *Flute Sonata* 2.44 Elgar

Symphony No 2 in E flat 3.33 Fauré Nocturne in E flat

minor, Op 33 No 1 3.42 Pezel *German Dance Suite*

3.50 Kodaly *Matra Pictures* 4.01 Mendelssohn

Overture: Ruy Blas 4.10 Haydn *Keyboard Sonata in D,*

H XVI 37 4.20 Strauss *Love Scene (Feuersnot)*

4.31 Beethoven *Variations on God Save the King,*

Wo 078 4.39 Martucci *Novelleto Op 82 No 2*

4.46 Handel *Concerto grosso in A minor, Op 6 No 4*

4.58 Chopin *Prelude in C sharp minor, Op 45*

5.04 Smetana *Vltava (Ma vlast)* 5.16 Barber *Agnus*

Dei 5.24 Uccellini *Violin Sonata, Op 5 No 7*

5.31 Schubert *Piano Sonata in C, D840*

5.51 Dvorak *The Water Goblin* 6.12 Haydn *Missa*

brevis Sancti Joannis de Deo (Kleine Orgelmesse)

Classic FM

[bbc.co.uk/classicfm.com](http://bbc.co.uk/classicfm)

Freeview 731 Freesat 721 Sky 0106 Virgin 922

6.00am More Music Breakfast

9.00 John Suchet Popular classical works.

1.00pm Anne-Marie Minhall Requests.

5.00 John Brunning Classic FM favourites.

7.00 Smooth Classics With John Brunning.

8.00 The Full Works Concert

Catherine Bott showcases Grieg as part of Classic FM's Great Composers series.

Grieg *Peer Gynt Suite No 1* New York PO,

conductor Leonard Bernstein

Piano Concerto in A minor, Op 16 Lars Vogt, CBSO,

conductor Simon Rattle *Holberg Suite, Op 40*

Academy of St Martin in the Fields, conductor

Neville Marriner *Wedding Day at Troldhaugen, Op 65*

No 6 Alice Sara Ott (piano) *Ave maris stella*

Gabrieli Consort, conductor Paul McCreesh

Norwegian Dances, Op 35 Gøtheburg SO,

conductor Neeme Jarvi *Intermezzo in A minor*

Truls Mørk (cello), Jean-Yves Thibaudet (piano)

The Last Spring, Op 34 Australian Chamber

Orchestra, conductor Richard Tognetti

10.00 Smooth Classics 1.00am Jane Jones

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News, weather and shipping forecasts as Tuesday

5.30am News Briefing
5.43 Prayer for the Day
With space scientist Monica Grady.
5.45 Farming Today
Food, farming and the countryside.
5.58 Tweet of the Day
Pied Babbling. Andy Radford on the pied babbler.

6.00 Today
With Nick Robinson and Carrie Gracie.
6.25, 7.25, 8.25 Sports News
6.45 Yesterday in Parliament
7.48 Thought for the Day
With Dr Nafitali Brawer.
8.30 LW only Yesterday in Parliament
9.00 In Our Time
The Siege of Malta. Melvyn Bragg presides over a discussion about the 1565 episode in which the Mediterranean island held off would-be Ottoman invaders, thus changing the course of European history. He is joined by Helen Nicholson of Cardiff University, Kate Fleet of Cambridge University and Diarmaid MacCulloch of Oxford University. Producer Simon Tillotson Repeated 9.30pm

9.45 FM only Book of the Week: Auntie's War
4/5. George Orwell. Edward Stourton reads from his account of the BBC's role during the Second World War. Today, propaganda, truth and lies and the space between. And George Orwell joins the BBC.
For details see Monday Repeated 12.30am

9.45 LW only Daily Service
Led by Mgr Tony Rogers. Christ Is Our Light! (*Godmanchester*). Zephaniah 3, vv14-20. Let the Heaven Light Shine on Me (Hogan). Christ Is the King, O Friends Rejoice (*Gelobt sei Gott*).

10.00 Woman's Hour
Discussion and interviews.
10.45 Shardlake: Heartstone 9/10
The 15-Minute Drama. See drama repeat 7.45pm

11.00 Crossing Continents
RT 8/9. Ukraine's Frontline Bakery.
Lucy Ash reports from a community living on the edge.
Producer Albina Kovalyova Repeated Monday 8.30pm

11.30 From the Steppes to the Stage
RT 1/2. Kate Molleson examines the story of how Mongolia rose to become an opera superpower. Producer Steven Rajam

12.04pm The Curious Cases of Rutherford & Fry
4/5. Mathematician Hannah Fry and geneticist Adam Rutherford investigate everyday science mysteries sent in by listeners.
For details see Monday

12.15 You and Yours
Consumer and public interest reports.

1.00 The World at One
With Mark Radell.

1.45 Conflict and Co-operation: a History of Trade
9/10. The Human Cargo. Paul Seabright explores the politics and economics of slavery, and how slave labour contributed to the industrialisation of the western world.
For details see Monday

2.00 The Archers Rptd from yesterday 7pm
2.15 Drama: Stone
4/10. By Richard Monks. DCI Stone's investigation into a murder victim's final movements shines a spotlight on several new suspects, but will Stone and his team manage to track them down? Written by Richard Monks. For cast and details see Monday

3.00 Open Country
12/16. Finding Fossils on the Jurassic Coast. The recent discovery of fossilised teeth on the Jurassic Coast in Dorset has revolutionised our understanding of the prehistoric landscape. Helen Mark tells the story of the discovery, which has unearthed mankind's earliest ancestor, meets amateur fossil hunters in the area whose work is enhancing our knowledge of the past, and visits their extraordinary fossil collections.
Producer Helen Lennard Repeated Saturday 6.07am

3.27 Radio 4 Appeal Rptd from Sun 7.55am

3.30 Bookclub Repeated from Sunday 4pm

4.00 The Film Programme
Writer-director Martin McDonagh - *In Bruges*, *The Guard* - talks to Francine Stock about his award-winning drama *Three Billboards Outside Ebbing, Missouri*, a black comedy starring Frances McDormand. In addition, Greg Barker discusses his documentary *The Final Year*, about the final 12 months in office of Barack Obama's foreign policy team. After the second Churchill biopic in a year, there's a look at other historical figures who are deserving of the movie treatment; and historians and history buffs pitch their costume dramas, the only condition being that their heroine or hero has never been the subject of a biopic before.
Producer Stephen Hughes Rptd Sunday 11pm

4.30 BBC Inside Science
Adam Rutherford investigates the news in science and the science in the news.
Repeated 9pm

5.00 PM With Eddie Mair.

6.00 Six o'Clock News
6.30 John Finnemore's Souvenir Programme
2/6. Sketch show, written by and starring John Finnemore with his regular ensemble cast of Margaret Cabourn-Smith, Simon Kane, Lawry Lewin and Carrie Quinlan. Producer Ed Morrish

7.00 The Archers
Adam is outmanoeuvred and Kate is at her wit's end. For cast see Friday Rptd tomorrow 2pm

7.15 Front Row
Kirsty Lang talks to the philanthropist Jonathan Ruffer about funding the regeneration of Bishop Auckland through the region's arts. Producer Jerome Weatherald

7.45 Shardlake: Heartstone
9/10. By CJ Sansom. Shardlake finally uncovers the truth about Ellen Fettiplace and the events at the Rolfswood foundry 19 years earlier. And as he tracks down Sir Nicholas Hobby's young ward Hugh Curteys to the warship *Mary Rose*, the lawyer-detective's two investigations begin to converge.
For cast and details see Monday Rptd from 10.45am

8.00 The Briefing Room
David Aaronovitch is joined by a number of guests to discuss big issues in the news.
Producer Innes Bowen

8.30 In Business
7/9. Electric Cars. There is a motoring revolution under way: the fast accelerating switch from petrol and diesel cars to electric vehicles. In Norway, almost 40 per cent of new car purchases are now fully electric or hybrids. Other countries are starting to catch up, and Britain wants to ban the sale of all petrol and diesel cars by 2040. But as Peter Morgan reports, obstacles remain. Many drivers feel "range anxiety" - the fear that the car battery will run out before they can recharge it. Electric cars are not cheap to buy - and where will all the extra electricity come from? Producer Arlene Gregorius Rptd Sun 9.30pm

9.00 BBC Inside Science Rptd from 4.30pm

9.30 In Our Time Shortened rpt from 9am

10.00 The World Tonight
With Daisy McAndrew.

10.45 Book at Bedtime: The Vital Spark: A Far Cry from Kensington
4/10. By Muriel Spark. Mystery set in London about a young war widow lodging in a rooming house and a Polish dressmaker who is on the receiving end of various threatening letters. Read by Maggie Service.
For details see Monday

11.00 The Brig Society
3/6. Diplomat. Marcus Brigstocke represents Britain as he tries his hand at becoming a diplomat, finding out about the history and origins of the position, and the training required. With Margaret Cabourn-Smith, William Andrews and Colin Houtt.
Producer David Tyler (R)

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The day's developments in Westminster.

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7.00 5 Live Sport
Eleanor Oldroyd presents sports news, interviews and features.

10.00 Question Time Extra Time
Adrian Chiles and political correspondent Chris Mason introduce coverage of *Question Time*, with a chance for listeners to continue the debate after the BBC programme ends.

1.00am Up All Night
Tom Green presents extensive coverage of breaking news and the latest headlines from around the world.

Talksport

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6.00am Alan Brazil
10.00 Jim White
1.00pm Hawksbee and Jacobs
Paul Hawksbee and Andy Jacobs with the latest sporting issues.

4.00 Adrian Durham and Darren Gough
The latest news from the footballing world.

7.00 Kick-Off With Mark Saggars.
10.00 Sports Bar With Andy Goldstein and Jason Cundy.
1.00am Extra Time

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F'view 709 F'sat 709 Sky 0119 Virgin 912

6.00am Harpz Kaur
10.00 Asian Network's Big Debate
1.00pm Asian Network Reports
News from the UK and South Asia.

1.30 Noreen Khan
Desi music, retro hits and guests.

5.00 Asian Network Reports
Sport and showbiz updates.

5.30 Bobby Friction
Bollywood and bhangra anthems.

9.00 Mim Shaikh
12.00 as Radio 5 Live

Absolute Radio

absoluteradio.co.uk
F'view 727 F'sat 724 Sky 0107 Virgin 915

6.00am Christian O'Connell
10.00 Leona Graham
Records by guitar-strumming males and rock goddesses, from the Beatles and Bruce Springsteen to Grace Slick and Patti Smith.

1.00pm Andy Bush
4.00 Dave Berry
7.00 Danielle Perry
10.00 Pete Donaldson
1.00am Chris Martin

BBC Radio 4 Extra

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Freeview 708 Freesat 708 Sky 0131 Virgin 910

6.00am Secret Agent - X9 as 8pm
6.30 Lifeboats on the Thames as 8.30pm
7.00 Fat Chance 1999 comedy (2/5)
7.30 John Finnemore's Souvenir Programme
8.00 Not in Front of the Children as 7pm
8.30 The Goon Show Comedy with Spike Milligan
9.00 The Unbelievable Truth Game show (2/6)
9.30 King Street Junior Comedy (4/6)
10.00 Lost Horizon By James Hilton (2/3)
11.00 Behind the Screen as 9pm
11.15 Good Evening as 9.15pm
12.00 Not in Front of the Children as 7pm
12.30pm The Goon Show Comedy
1.00 Secret Agent - X9 By Dashiell Hammett (3/4)
1.30 Lifeboats on the Thames as 8.30pm
2.00 In Siberia John Rowe reads an adaptation by Andrew Simpson of Colin Thubron's 1999 travel book depicting Thubron's late-1990s journey to the heart of Siberia. From 2000 (4/10)
2.15 Five Hundred Years of Friendship
Dr Thomas Dixon investigates how 1970s gender politics changed relationships (14/15)
2.30 More Tales of the City (4/5)
2.45 Speaking for Themselves Sylvestra Le Touzel and Alex Jennings read the personal letters of Clementine and Winston Churchill. From 1999 (4/10)
3.00 Lost Horizon By James Hilton (2/3)

4.00 The Unbelievable Truth Game show (2/6)
4.30 King Street Junior Comedy (4/6)
5.00 Fat Chance 1999 comedy (2/5)
5.30 John Finnemore's Souvenir Programme
6.00 I Am Legend Sci-fi by Richard Matheson (8/9)
6.30 Great Lives Ancient Greek poet Sappho (2/9)
7.00 Not in Front of the Children Radio version of the 1967-70 TV family comedy series (12/13)
7.30 The Goon Show 1955 comedy
8.00 Secret Agent - X9 By Dashiell Hammett (3/4)
8.30 Lifeboats on the Thames Horatio Clare joins crews at Chiswick and Teddington (2/2)
9.00 Behind the Screen Sarah Badel reads Dorothy L Sayers's *Out*, *Damned Spot* (3/6)
9.15 Good Evening Roy Smiles's comic and affectionate celebration of the massively influential and satirical early 1960s *Beyond the Fringe* team, starring Matt Addis (as Alan Bennett), Rory Kinnear (Peter Cook), Jonathan Aris (Jonathan Miller) and Benedict Cumberbatch (Dudley Moore). From 2008
10.00-12.00 Comedy Club: John Finnemore's Souvenir Programme (1/6), at **10.30 Sketchorama** (1/4), at **11.00 Start/Stop** (1/6), at **11.30 Facts and Fancies** (1/5), and at **11.45 For One Horrible Moment** (1/5)
12.00 as 6pm **12.30am** as 6.30pm **1.00** as 8pm **1.30** as 8.30pm **2.00** as 2pm **2.15** as 2.15pm **2.30** as 2.30pm **2.45** as 2.45pm **3.00** as 3pm **4.00** as 4pm **4.30** as 4.30pm **5.00** as 5pm **5.30** as 5.30pm

BBC World Service

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Freeview* 710 Freesat 711 Sky 0115 Virgin 906
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5.00am News **5.05 The Newsroom**
5.30 Healthcheck **6.00 Newsday** **8.30 Business Daily** **8.50 Witness** **9.00 News** **9.05 The Thought Show** **10.00 World Update** **11.00 The Newsroom** **11.30 The Food Chain** **12.00 News** **12.05pm Outlook: perspectives on important issues** **1.00 The Newsroom** **1.30 Assignment: reports on world events** **2.00 Newshour: the stories behind the latest headlines** **3.00 News** **3.05 The Inquiry** **3.30 World Business Report: informed analysis** **4.00 BBC OS** **6.00 News** **6.05 Outlook: perspectives on important issues** **7.00 The Newsroom** **7.30 Sport Today: global round-up** **8.00 News** **8.05 CHOICE: Assignment: BBC correspondents report their experiences** **8.30 Science in Action: science and technology news** **9.00 Newshour: the stories behind the latest headlines** **10.00 The Newsroom** **10.20 Sports News** **10.30 World Business Report: informed analysis** **11.00 News** **11.05 The Inquiry** **11.30 The Food Chain** **12.00 Newshour Extra** **1.00am News** **1.05 Business Matters** **2.00 News** **2.05 The Newsroom** **2.30 Assignment** **3.00 News** **3.05 Hardtalk** **3.30 World Football** **4.00 News** **4.05 Outlook**

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Today's Choices



Kermode and Mayo's Film Review

2.00pm Radio 5 Live
I used to deputise for rockabilly film buff Mark Kermode and review the week's new releases for temperate host Simon Mayo in their now twice-Sony-awarded show, colloquially known as "Wittertainment" and winner of the Listeners' Choice award at last year's inaugural British Podcast Awards. A duo so inseparable that when Mayo moved from 5 Live to Radio 2, their view-from-the-stalls bickering expanded from segment to fixture, they grow in stature, audience and in-jokiness ("And hello to Jason Isaacs"). Kermode's admirably partisan expert's stance is countered by Mayo's more ajar critical openness, and a studio interview with – recent example – Steve Coogan, didn't stop Kermode from judging his latest film *The Dinner* "too long" (after he'd gone). Big names Al Murray, Sanjeev Bhaskar and David Morrissey now stand in, but there's no beating the originals. **ANDREW COLLINS**

Radio 3 in Concert

7.30pm Radio 3
A joyous European tour from the BBC Philharmonic and conductor Edward Gardner. The evening starts and finishes in Bohemia – first, Smetana's merry homage to his homeland via the overture to his opera *The Bartered Bride* and, finally, Janáček's festive musical love letter to his home town Brno, *Sinfonietta*. French composers dominate the rest of the bill, with two delights from Saint-Saëns (the brilliantly innovative *Piano Concerto No 4* and the evocative tribute to the Auvergne, *Rapsodie d'Auvergne*). **DAVID GILLARD**

BBC Radio 1

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News and **Newsbeat** as Tuesday except no news at 10pm
6.30am Nick Grimshaw
10.00 Clara Amfo
1.00pm Scott Mills
4.00 The Official Chart
Top 40 rundown with Greg James.
6.00 Radio 1's Dance Anthems
7.00 Annie Mac Music and chat.
9.00 Pete Tong Club sounds.
11.00 Danny Howard
1.00am B.Traits Carnival bassline.
4.00 Radio 1's Essential Mix
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bbc.co.uk/1xtra
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6.00am Nick Bright
10.00 Ace Listeners' requests.
1.00pm Yasmin Evans
4.00 Sian Anderson Grime.
7.00 Seani B Dancehall.
9.00 Semtex 11.00 Sir Spyro
1.00am Kan D Man and DJ Limeight
4.00 Diplo and Friends

BBC Radio 2

88–90.2 FM bbc.co.uk/radio2
F'view* 702 F'sat 702 Sky 0102 Virgin 902
News and **weather** as Monday except no news at 9pm
5.00am Vanessa Feltz
6.30 Sara Cox
9.30 Ken Bruce
Including after **11.30 Tracks of My Years**, with two final picks by singer/songwriter and actress Charlie Dore: Tim Hardin and Elvis Costello.
12.00 Amol Rajan
Sitting in for Jeremy Vine.
2.00pm Steve Wright
5.00 Simon Mayo
7.00 Tony Blackburn's Golden Hour
Poppy, soulful and funky party oldies from the veteran DJ.
8.00 Friday Night Is Music Night
In a concert broadcast last June to mark 20 years since the UK publication of JK Rowling's debut novel, *Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone*, Richard Balcombe conducts the BBC Concert Orchestra in a performance devoted to witches, wizards, magic and spells. Presented by James and Oliver Phelps, who played the Weasley twins in the Harry Potter films, the concert features music by all four composers in the series: John Williams, Patrick Doyle, Nicholas Hooper and Alexandre Desplat. Plus music by Dukas, Grieg, Stravinsky and others, with West End star Louise Dearman singing favourites from *The Wizard of Oz*, *The Little Mermaid* and *Wicked*. Recorded on 3 May at Watford Colosseum. (R)
10.00 Sounds of the 80s
Sara Cox waxes nostalgic with an eclectic 1980s playlist. Plus guests.
12.00 Anneka Rice
2.00am Radio 2 Playlists
Including **Funky Soul**, presented by Craig Charles. At **3.00 New to 2**, and at **4.00 21st Century Songs**.
5.00 Huey Morgan

BBC Radio 3

90.2–92.4 FM bbc.co.uk/radio3
Freeview* 703 FreeSat 703 Sky 0103 Virgin 903
News and **weather** as Monday
6.30am Breakfast
Music, news and the occasional surprise, presented by Petroc Trelawny.
9.00 Essential Classics
Presented by Suzy Klein.
9.30 Suzy plays a well-known piece and invites suggestions for further listening.
10.10 Time Traveller A slice of cultural history.
10.50 Writer and broadcaster Sue MacGregor on the things that have inspired and influenced her throughout her life and career.
12.00 Composer of the Week: Schubert 5/5. Penniless and Ill. Donald Macleod explores five different years in Schubert's life, ending with 1826, when the composer was only two years away from his untimely death. Three of his close friends married in this year, while he remained single. He was short of money, suffering from manic depression and syphilis and smoking and drinking heavily, but he was also conscious of what he had achieved, declaring that was going to write "still more beautiful things". Featuring the monumental final string quartet, plus the setting of Goethe's poignant *Nur wer die Sehnsucht kennt* (*None but the Lonely Heart*).
1.00pm Radio 3 Lunchtime Concert
This week's lunchtime concerts come from two music festivals based in South West England: the Dartington International Summer School and Festival and the Two Moors Festival. Presented by Nicola Heywood Thomas.
Schubert *Viola, D786*
Carolyn Sampson (soprano), Joseph Middleton (piano)
Brahms *Piano Quartet No 1 in G minor, Op 25*
Barry Douglas (piano), Endellion Quartet
2.00 Afternoon Concert
Tom Redmond introduces another selection of recent concert recordings by the BBC Philharmonic.
Bach, arr Webern *Ricerchare a 6 (Musical Offering)*
Beethoven *Leonore Overture No 3*
Debussy *Prélude à l'après-midi d'un faune*
Smyth *On the Cliffs of Cornwall (Prelude, Act 2: The Wreckers)*
Webern *Five Pieces, Op 10*
Ives, orch Schuman *Variations on America*
John Luther Adams *The Light That Fills the World*
BBC Philharmonic, conductor Joshua Weilerstein
3.15 Stravinsky *Apollo*
conductor Nicholas Collon
Szymanowski *Violin Concerto No 1*
Alina Ibragimova (violin), conductor Leo Hussain
Berg *Symphonic Suite (Lulu)*
Sophie Bevan (soprano), conductor Edward Gardner
Holst *Egdon Heath*
Conductor Manoj Kamps

BBC 6 Music

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Freeview 707 FreeSat 707 Sky 0120 Virgin 909
7.00am Shaun Keaveny Indie music and laughs.
10.00 Lauren Laverne Chat, music and guests.
1.00pm Mark Radcliffe and Stuart Maconie
4.00 Steve Lamacq Tonight's clubbing options.
7.00 Iggy Pop With records from his collection.
9.00 Tom Ravenscroft Music and chat.
12.00 Nemone's Electric Ladyland
2.00am Classic Concert Texas at the Tramway, Glasgow, in 1994. **3.00 Live Hour** The Movies performing in London in 1980. Also a 2011 recorded session by My Jerusalem. **4.00 The First Time...** With Roy Harper in 2013. **5.00 Chris Hawkins**

Planet Rock

planetrock.com
FreeSat 730 Sky 0110 Virgin 924
6.00am Breakfast with Paul Anthony Rock music
10.00 Wyatt Wendels 2.00pm Darren Redick
6.00 RockBlock Music chosen by a listener **7.00 Friday Night Rocks** With Andy Shire **10.00 Nights with Alice Cooper** Classic rock, trivia and reminiscences
1.00am Through the Night 5.00 Liz Barnes

5.00 In Tune

Sean Rafferty with chat, the latest arts news and music including live studio performances.

7.00 In Tune Mixtape

An eclectic mix of music.

7.30 Radio 3 in Concert

RT Tom Redmond introduces tonight's concert of French and Czech classics live from the the Bridgewater Hall in Manchester. Louis Lortie (piano), BBC Philharmonic, conductor Edward Gardner
Smetana *Overture: The Bartered Bride*
Saint-Saëns *Piano Concerto No 4; Rapsodie d'Auvergne*
Berlioz *Royal Hunt and Storm (The Trojans)*
Janacek *Sinfonietta*

10.00 The Verb

Ian McMillan welcomes David Crystal, who talks about pronunciation; novelist Jenny Colgan; and novelist and short story writer Kirsty Logan, who performs her tale *Lord Fox* accompanied by a harp.

10.45 The Essay: Cornerstones

5/5. Clay Bricks. Poet Fiona Hamilton considers the different state of clay before and after it is baked hard – the satisfying tactile quality of clay squished in the hand, compared to the dry ordinariness of a brick. Mud bricks are as old as civilisation and have been used throughout the world. In England they underpinned the Industrial Revolution, enabling the rapid and cheap construction of mills, factories and terraced housing and the bridges and viaducts of an expanding rail network. These ubiquitous clay bricks derive from deposits left across large parts of England after the last Ice Age – the youngest rock of all. For details see Monday

11.00 World on 3

Lopa Kothari presents a live recording of Indian classical musician Hariprasad Chaurasia, master of the bansuri – the Indian bamboo flute. Plus a round-up of the latest new releases from around the globe.

1.00am Through the Night

Catriona Young begins with a concert by the Orchestra della Svizzera Italiana. **Haydn** *Symphony No 95 in C minor Ravel* *Le tombeau de Couperin*
1.40 Mozart *Piano Concerto No 9 in E flat, K271 (Jeunehomme)* **Debussy** *Clair de lune* Orchestra della Svizzera Italiana, director Maxim Emelyanov (piano)
2.18 Schoeck *Sommernacht* **2.30 Shostakovich** *Cello Sonata in D minor, Op 40* **3.01 Schoenberg** *Verklärte Nacht, arr string orchestra* **3.32 Britten** *Sacred and Profane, Op 91* **3.48 Sibelius** *Petite Suite for brass septet* **3.56 Liszt** *Legend No 1 (St Francis Preaching to the Birds)* **4.08 Scarlatti** *Flute Sonata No 3 in C minor* **4.17 Goleminov** *Cello Sonata* **4.25 Dvorak** *Slavonic Dances: Op 46 No 8 in G minor; Op 46 No 3 in A flat* **4.33 Haydn** *Pleyel Divertimento in B flat, H II 46 arr Perry for wind quintet* **4.43 Monteverdi** *Lettera amorosa; Chi voi haver felice* **4.53 Mozart** *Rondo in C, K373* **5.01 Bach** *Wie furchttsam (Cantata No 33: Allein zu dir; Herr Jesu Christ)* **5.13 Bruch** *Romance, Op 85* **5.24 Haydn** *Sonata in B flat, H XVI 41* **5.35 Geršwin** *Lullaby* **5.44 Ravel** *Three Choral Songs* **5.51 Walton** *Violin Concerto* **6.22 Szymanowski** *Piano Sonata No 3, Op 36* **6.42 Saint-Saëns** *Septet in E flat, Op 65*

Classic FM

99.9–101.9 FM classicfm.com
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6.00am More Music Breakfast
Tim Lihoreau with news, finance and features.
9.00 John Suchet Popular classical works.
1.00pm Anne-Marie Minhall Requests.
5.00 John Brunning Classic FM favourites.
7.00 Smooth Classics With John Brunning.
8.00 The Full Works Concert
Catherine Bott continues Classic FM's Great Composers series.
Bruch *Violin Concerto No 1 in G minor* Nicola Benedetti, Czech PO, conductor Jakub Hrusa
Symphony No 1 in E flat Leipzig Gewandhaus Orchestra, conductor Kurt Masur
Kol nidrei Mischa Maisky (violin), Paris Orchestra, conductor Semyon Bychkov
Concerto in A flat minor, Op 88a
Katia and Marielle Labeque (pianos), Philharmonia Orchestra, conductor Semyon Bychkov
Adagio appassionato, Op 57 Chloe Hanslip (violin), London Symphony Orchestra, conductor Paul Mann
10.00 Smooth Classics A selection of music.
1.00am Katie Breathwick 4.00 Emma Nelson

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News, weather and shipping forecasts as Tuesday

5.30am News Briefing

5.43 Prayer for the Day

With space scientist Monica Grady.

5.45 Farming Today

5.58 Tweet of the Day
Green Woodhoopoe. With Andy Radford.

6.00 Today

With John Humphrys and Nick Robinson.

6.25, 7.25, 8.25 Sports News

6.45 Yesterday in Parliament

7.48 Thought for the Day

With the Rt Rev Nick Baines.

8.31 LW only Yesterday in Parliament

9.00 Desert Island Discs Rptd from Sun 11.15am

9.45 FM only Book of the Week:

Auntie's War

5/5. Edward Stourton describes how the BBC's War Reporting Unit comes into being, and correspondent Guy Byam is parachuted behind enemy lines.

For details see Monday

9.45 LW Daily Service

Led by the Rev Clair Jaquiss. Awake, Awake, Fling off the Night (*Morning Hymn*). Acts 19, vv1-7. Holy Spirit, Ever Dwelling (Howells). We Turn to Christ Anew (*Leoni*).

10.00 Woman's Hour

Lively discussion and interviews. Including at **10.45 Shardlake: Heartstone 10/10**

The 15-Minute Drama. For details see 7.45pm

11.00 Butterbeer and Grootcakes

Aleks Krotoski explores the world of fictional food made real, sampling delicacies created by the fans of various fictional properties.

These include quail in rose petal sauce from *Like Water for Chocolate*, Sansa Stark's favourite lemon cakes in *Game of Thrones*, fried squirrel and raccoon from *The Hunger Games*, and Butterbeer - Harry Potter's

tipple of choice. Joining her to discuss this phenomenon are Joanne Harris, author of *Chocolat* and its accompanying cookbook, and Sam Bompas, who helped create the

Roald Dahl-inspired *Dinner at the Twits*.

Producer Giles Edwards (R)

11.30 The Pale Horse

2/3. Dramatisation by Joy Wilkinson of Agatha Christie's 1961 murder mystery. Despite his girlfriend's irritation, Mark Easterbrook can't resist looking into a series of recent deaths.

Mark Jason Hughes Venables Nicholas Jones
Ginger Georgia Groome Mrs Davis/Mrs Tuckerton
Thyrza Eleanor Bron Jane Slavin

Inspector Lejeune Gorman Clive Hayward
Michael Bertenshaw Rhoda Elaine Claxton
Hermia Phoebe Pryce Bradley Stephen Hogan
Osborne Ron Cook

Producer/Director Mary Peate (R)

BBC Radio 4 Extra

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6.00am Secret Agent - X9 1930s thriller (4/4)

6.30 The Howling Terror Mystery as 8.30pm

7.00 The Leopard in Autumn Comedy drama (3/6)

7.30 The Break Comedy (1/6)

8.00 I'm Sorry I'll Read That Again Comedy

8.30 Albert and Me Comedy drama (1/8)

9.00 The Motion Show Debating game (6/6)

9.30 After Henry 1986 comedy (6/8)

10.00 Lost Horizon as 3pm

11.00 Behind the Screen as 9pm

11.15 Rosa Parks Abie Seams stars in the story of Alabama-born black seamstress Rosa Parks

12.00 I'm Sorry I'll Read That Again Comedy

12.30pm Albert and Me Comedy drama (1/8)

1.00 Secret Agent - X9 1930s thriller (4/4)

1.30 The Howling Terror Mystery as 8.30pm

2.00 In Siberia John Rowe reads an adaptation by Andrew Simpson of Colin Thubron's 1999 travel book. From 2000 (5/10)

2.15 Five Hundred Years of Friendship (15/15)

2.30 More Tales of the City (5/5)

2.45 Speaking for Themselves Sylvestra Le Touzel and Alex Jennings read the personal letters of Clementine and Winston Churchill (5/10)

3.00 Lost Horizon Derek Jacobi stars in Barry Campbell's dramatisation of James Hilton's 1933 novel in which a plane crash survivor makes his

12.04pm The Curious Cases of Rutherford & Fry

5/5. Mathematician Hannah Fry and geneticist Adam Rutherford investigate everyday science mysteries sent in by listeners. For details see Monday

12.15 You and Yours Consumer reports.

1.00 The World at One

With Matthew Price.

1.45 Conflict and Co-operation: a History of Trade

10/10. **Trading Nations.** Paul Seabright concludes his exploration of our trading history by asking how much national boundaries matter in a globalised world. For details see Monday See 9pm

2.00 The Archers Repeated from yesterday 7pm

2.15 Drama: Stone

5/10. DCI Stone tracks down one of the key suspects in the current murder case but is forced to consider the possibility that mistakes may have been made in a connected case from 20 years earlier. Written by Cath Staincliffe.

For cast and details see Monday

3.00 Gardeners' Question Time

Matthew Wilson, Bunny Guinness and Anne Swithinbank field horticultural questions in Lancashire. Eric Robson is in the chair. Producer Hannah Newton Repeated Sunday 2pm

3.45 Short Works

What Does the Fox Say? by Ian Sansom.

A day clearing out the garden, at his wife's request, leads to an unexpected stocktaking of one man's life so far. Read by the author, whose books include the *Mobile Library* mystery series. Producer Michael Shannon Repeated tomorrow 12.30am

4.00 Last Word

Matthew Bannister hosts the programme that celebrates the lives of the recently deceased. Repeated Sunday 8.30pm

4.30 More or Less

New series. Author, economist and *Financial Times* journalist Tim Harford returns with a new series of the programme that interrogates the numbers that are prevalent everywhere - in the news, in politics and in life generally. Series producer Richard Vadon Repeated Sunday 8pm

4.55 The Listening Project

A six-year-old finds his mother's memories of a childhood without smartphones incomprehensible. Fi Glover presents. (R)

5.00 PM With Eddie Mair.

6.00 Six o'Clock News

6.30 The News Quiz

2/8. Miles Jupp hosts with the topical comedy panel game. Guests include Angela Barnes, Lucy Porter and Lloyd Langford.

Producers Sam Bryant and Richard Morris

Repeated tomorrow 12.30pm

7.00 The Archers

Toby receives a shocking instruction.

Jill Archer Patricia Greene Susan Carter Charlotte Martin
David Archer Timothy Bentinck Alice Carter Hollie Chapman
Ruth Archer Felicity Finch Ian Craig Stephen Kennedy
Pip Archer Daisy Badger Toby Fairbrother Rhys Bevan
Kenton Archer Richard Attlee Joe Grundy Edward Kelsey
Pat Archer Patricia Callimore Clarrie Grundy Heather Bell
Helen Archer Louiza Patikas Adam Macy Andrew Wincott
Brian Aldridge Kate Madikane Perdita Avery
Roy Tucker Ian Peppercell
June Spencer

Charles Collingwood
Jennifer Aldridge Angela Piper Peggy Woolley
Writer Simon Frith; Director Marina Calderone
Editor Huw Kennair-Jones

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7.15 Front Row

Kirsty Lang talks to Tom Hanks about his latest film role in *The Post*. Producer Julian May

7.45 Shardlake: Heartstone

10/10. Concluding part of the Tudor mystery novel by CJ Sansom. Matthew Shardlake is on board the *Mary Rose* when the warship is sunk in battle with the loss of more than four hundred lives. Among the handful of survivors, Shardlake reports back to Queen Catherine with the results of his investigations into the Curtesys children and the family of Sir Nicholas Hobbey. And he pays a final visit to Ellen Fettiplace in Bedlam.

For cast and details see Monday Repeated from 10.45am

8.00 Any Questions?

From Sedbury, Gloucestershire, with Jonathan Dimbleby in the chair and a panel including Graham Brady MP, Molly Scott Cato MEP and Matthew Parris.

Producer Kirsten Lass Repeated tomorrow 1.10pm

8.50 A Point of View

Howard Jacobson reflects on a topical issue.

Producer Adele Armstrong Repeated Sunday 8.48am

9.00 Conflict and Co-operation:

a History of Trade

1/2. Omnibus edition. Producer Chris Ledgard

10.00 The World Tonight

With Daisy McAndrew.

10.45 Book at Bedtime: The Vital Spark: A Far Cry from Kensington

5/10. By Muriel Spark. Mystery set in London about a young war-widow lodging in a rooming house and a Polish dressmaker receiving threatening letters. Read by Maggie Service. For details see Monday

11.00 Great Lives Rptd from Tuesday 4.30pm

11.30 Today in Parliament

Mark D'Arcy reports from Westminster.

11.55 The Listening Project

Fi Glover introduces a conversation between a mother and her ten-year-old son. (R)

12.00 News

12.30-12.45am Book of the Week:

Auntie's War 5/5. Repeated from 9.45am

1.00 as BBC World Service

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8.50 Witness: key events in history 9.00 Newshour

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11.30 World Football: global reports 12.00 News

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Newsroom 1.30 Heart and Soul: Finding Shelter

in Germany's Cities of Refuge: the world's main

faiths 2.00 Newshour 3.00 News 3.05 Tech Tent

3.30 World Business Report: informed analysis

4.00 BBC OS 6.00 News 6.05 The Fifth Floor:

global news 7.00 The Newsroom 7.30 Sport Today:

global round-up 8.00 News 8.05 Trending

8.30 Crowd Science 9.00 Newshour: the stories

behind the latest headlines 10.00 The Newsroom

10.20 Sports News 10.30 World Business Report:

informed analysis 11.00 News 11.05 Hardtalk:

Interviews with newsmakers and personalities

from across the globe 11.30 World Football:

reports from around the globe 12.00 News

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12.30 Crowd Science 1.00 News 1.05 Business

Matters 2.00 News 2.05 The Newsroom

2.30 Heart and Soul: Finding Shelter in Germany's

Cities of Refuge 3.00 News 3.05 In the Balance

3.30 Stumped 4.00 Newshour Extra

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News and sport as Monday

5.00am Morning Reports

With news, sport and business.

5.15 Wake Up to Money

Sean Farrington and Mickey Clark

present financial news stories.

6.00 5 Live Breakfast

Nicky Campbell and Rachel Burden

present news from the UK and

around the world. At **9.00 Your Call**.

10.00 Chiles on Friday

Adrian Chiles presents the day's

news. Plus current affairs interviews,

listeners' stories and contributions.

1.00pm The Friday Sports Panel

Eleanor Oldroyd is joined by a panel

of leading sportspeople to discuss

the week's sporting issues.

2.00 Kermode and Mayo's

Film Review

RT Weekly guide with Mark

Kermode and Simon Mayo.

Have your say on 0500 909693.

Revised rpt tomorrow 8.00pm

4.00 5 Live Drive

Anna Foster and Tony Livesey with

sport, travel updates and the latest

news, including interviews with

those at the centre of the top stories.

7.00 5 Live Sport

Including **The Friday Football**

Social, in which Darren Fletcher

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10.00 Stephen Nolan

Topical discussion, live from Salford.

1.00am Up All Night

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6.00am Alan Brazil

10.00 Jim White

10.00pm Hawksbee and Jacobs

4.00 Adrian Durham and

Darren Gough Footballing news.

7.00 Kick-Off With Mark Saggars.

10.00 The Two Mikes

With Mike Graham and Mike Parry.

1.00am Extra Time

With Tom Latchem.

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1.00pm Asian Network Reports

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1.30 Noreen Khan

Desi music, retro hits and guests.

5.00 Asian Network Reports

News from the UK and South Asia.

5.30 Bobby Friction

South Asian

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Face behind the voice

Nick Barnes BBC Radio Newcastle



Age 54

Current job Football commentator for BBC Newcastle, covering Sunderland matches since 2003. He writes a weekly preview on the club's website and occasionally reports on football for BBC's *Look North*.

CV Brought up in Devon, he studied English at the University of Kent, joining BBC Radio Devon as a travel reporter in 1986. Moved to BBC Radio Cumbria (1988-98) and worked for BBC Radio Sport in London across the national networks, before joining BBC Newcastle in 1998. Won a Sony award for his coverage of Carlisle United while at Radio Cumbria.

Best moment "Travelling on the team bus to Wembley with Carlisle United for the Autoglass Trophy Final in 1995. Great occasion, even though they lost."

Worst moment "My first day for BBC Radio Sport at Broadcasting House. I was told I was to have a week's training but was suddenly thrown in for a Radio 1 bulletin shift. And with no script because the printer had broken down."

Off-air "I live in a flat in Gateshead, down by the Tyne. Spare time is often spent walking with my partner, Joanne, and her two border terriers. I have two children from a previous relationship – Will, 19, and Daisy, 17."

First radio memory "The Radio 2 midweek football commentaries with Peter Jones and Bryon Butler."

Favourite broadcasters "5 Live's John Murray – a consummate commentator and the ultimate professional, with a wonderful voice. And, of course, Wogan was the boss."

Ambition "To have facsimiles of my match notebooks published. They're a bit of a work of art, because I decorate them with coloured drawings of club and international crests."

Dream job "What I'm doing now has always been my dream."

Secret skills "I do a lot of drawing and painting. I enjoy cooking. And I've walked all the Wainwrights – the 214 fells listed by Alfred Wainwright in the Lake District." **DAVID GILLARD**

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Saturday

6.00am Tammy Gooding
9.00am Dave Bradley **11.00am** Toni McDonald **2.00pm** Trevor Owens **3.00pm** Sport: football: *104FM/104.6FM/DAB* Leamington v Kidderminster Harriers (kick-off **3.00pm**); *MW* Slough Town v Hereford FC (kick-off **3.00pm**) **6.00pm** Richard Searling's Northern Soul **8.00pm** BBC Introducing in Hereford and Worcester **10.00am** Alex Lester **1.00am** as *Radio 5 Live*

Sunday

6.00am John Hellings **7.00am** Kate Justice **9.00am** Malcolm Boyden **12.00pm** Jonathan Ray **3.00pm** Mike Wyer **6.00pm** Genevieve Tudor **8.00pm** John Hellings **10.00pm** Gagan Grewal **1.00am** as *Radio 5 Live*

Weekdays

5.00am Nina Das Gupta **6.05am** Elliott and Toni **9.05am** Elliott Webb **10.05am** Malcolm Boyden **1.05pm** Tammy Gooding **4.05pm** Kate Justice **7.00pm** Georgey Spanswick **10.00pm** Graham Torrington; **Fri:** Colin Young's Trunk of Funk **1.00am** as *Radio 5 Live*
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Kent

Saturday

6.00am Pat Marsh **10.00am** Jon Holmes **2.00pm** The Sports Hub **6.00pm** Roger Day **8.00pm** BBC Introducing in Kent **9.00pm** Justin Dealey **11.00pm** Paul Barnes **1.00am** Sean Rowley **2.00am** as *Radio 5 Live*

Sunday

5.30am Hymns on Sunday **6.00am** Sunday Breakfast **8.00am** Sunday Gardening **11.00am** Lembit Opik **2.00pm** Dominic King: King and Company **3.00pm** Julia George **5.00pm** Daryl Denham **9.00pm** Kent Folk **10.00pm** Bill Rennells **12.00pm** as *Radio 5 Live*

Weekdays

6.00am John Warnett and Anna Cookson **9.00am** Julia George; **Fri:** Cristo **12.00pm** Pat Marsh and Erika North **4.00pm** Dominic King; **Fri:** Daryl Denham **7.00pm** Georgey Spanswick **10.00pm** Paul Miller; **Fri:** Steve N Allen **1.00am** as *Radio 5 Live*
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Leicester

Saturday

6.00am Emma Boydell **9.00am** Monica Winfield **1.00pm** Early kick-off **2.00pm** Sport **6.00pm** The Beat **10.00pm** Herdle White **1.00am** as *Radio 5 Live*

Sunday

6.00am Jo Bostock **9.00am** Clueless **12.00pm** Down to Earth **1.00pm** Talking History **2.00pm** Ed Stagg **6.00pm** Kamlesh Purohit **8.00pm** Dulcie Dixon **10.00pm** Gagan Grewal **1.00am** as *Radio 5 Live*

Weekdays

5.00am Tony Lyman **6.00pm** Jo Hayward **9.00pm** Ben Jackson

12.00pm Ady Dayman; **Mon:** Monica Winfield **4.00pm** Martin Ballard **6.00pm** Martin Ballard **6.00pm** Football Forum; **Tue:** Inside Sport; **Wed:** Rugby Hour; **Thu:** Bootroom; **Fri:** Sport Weekend Preview **7.00pm** Georgey Spanswick **10.00pm** Graham Torrington; **Fri:** Dean Jackson **1.00am** as *Radio 5 Live*
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Lincolnshire

Saturday

6.00am Rod Whiting **9.00am** Chris Berron **12.00pm** Solid Gold Saturday **2.00pm** Hope and Glory: football commentary and updates, featuring Boston United v Tamworth, and Blyth Spartans v Gainsborough Trinity (kick-offs **3.00pm**) **6.00pm** The Beat **8.00pm** BBC Introducing in Lincolnshire **10.00pm** A Touch of Soul **1.00am** as *Radio 5 Live*

Sunday

6.00am Rod Whiting **7.00pm** Lincolnshire Farming **7.30pm** Rod Whiting **9.00pm** Gardening Phone-in **10.00pm** Pirate Gold **1.00pm** Poachings **3.00pm** Howard Leader **6.00pm** Westenders **8.00pm** Henry Ayrton's Jukebox **10.00pm** Keith Skues **1.00am** as *Radio 5 Live*

Weekdays

6.00am Scott Dalton **9.00am** Melvyn in the Morning **12.00pm** Carla Greene **3.00pm** William Wright **6.00pm** Mon: Paul Hudson's Weather Show; **Tue:** Tuesday Extra; **Wed:** The Music; **Thu:** Amy's Lincolnshire Kitchen; **Fri:** Sport **7.00pm** Georgey Spanswick; **Tue:** Hope and Glory: football: Rochdale v Lincoln City **10.00pm** Russell Walker; **Fri:** Dean Jackson **1.00am** as *Radio 5 Live*
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London

Saturday

6.00am Best of Jo Good **7.00am** Jo Good and Simon Lederman **10.00pm** Robert Elms **1.00pm** My London **2.00pm** BBC Radio London Sport **6.00pm** Gary Crowley **8.00pm** BBC London Introducing **9.00pm** My London **10.00pm** Sunny and Shay **2.00am** Jim Davis

Sunday

6.00am Inspirat **9.00pm** Nikki Bedi **12.00pm** Soul on Sunday **2.00pm** Gaby Roslin **4.00pm** BBC Radio London Sport **6.00pm** Sunny and Shay **8.00pm** Dotun Adebayo **10.00pm** Duncan Barks **1.00am** Jim Davis

Weekdays

4.00am Petrie Hosken; **Fri:** Jason Rosam **7.00pm** Vanessa Feltz **10.00pm** Robert Elms **1.00pm** Jo Good **4.00pm** Eddie Nestor **7.00pm** Simon Lederman **10.00pm** Duncan Barks; **Fri:** Sunny and Shay **1.00am** Mon-Thu: Dotun Adebayo **2.00am** Fri: Jim Davis
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Berkshire

Saturday

6.00am Howard Hughes **8.00am** Andrew Peach **11.00pm** Steve Madden **1.00pm** Sport: football: Stevenage v Reading (k-o **3.00pm**), the FA Cup third-round fixture at the Lamex Stadium **6.00pm** Stereo Underground **8.00pm** BBC Introducing **9.00pm** David Allen **1.00am** as *Radio 5 Live*

Sunday

6.00am Paul Coia **9.00am** Matt Allwright **11.00pm** Sue Kinnear **2.00pm** Henry Wymbs **5.00pm** David Miller **7.00pm** Paul Miller Soul Show **8.00pm** Bridgitte Tetteh **9.00pm** Bill Rennells **12.00pm** as *Radio 5 Live*

Weekdays

5.30am Steve Madden **7.00am** Andrew Peach **10.00pm** Sarah Walker; **Fri:** Tony Blackburn's Weekend Warm-up **1.00pm** Sue Kinnear **4.00pm** Phil Kennedy **6.00pm** Fri: Weekend Kick-Off **7.00pm** Georgey Spanswick **10.00pm** Paul Miller **1.00am** as *Radio 5 Live*
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Cambridgeshire

Saturday

6.00am Charlie Thompson **9.00pm** Gerald Main **12.00pm** Nick Carter **2.00pm** Sport: football: Peterborough Utd v Walsall (kick-off **3.00pm**), the League One match from Abax Stadium **6.00pm** Rock 'n' Roll Heaven **8.00pm** BBC Introducing **9.00pm** Justin Dealey **11.00pm** Paul Barnes **1.00am** as *Radio 5 Live*

Sunday

6.00am Pam Mungroo **8.30am** Devine County **10.00am** Chris South's Great Outdoors **12.00pm** Walk Right Back **2.00pm** Keith Greentree **4.00pm** The John Leech Soul Show **6.00pm** Naked Scientists **7.00pm** Sue Marchant **10.00pm** Keith Skues **1.00am** as *R5 Live*

Weekdays

4.00am Wally Webb **6.00pm** Ben Stevenson **7.00pm** Dotty McLeod **9.00pm** Chris Mann **12.00pm** Jez Sallis **3.00pm** Sue Marchant; **Fri:** Walk Right Back **4.00pm** Thordis Fridriksson **6.00pm** Mon/Tue: Devine County; **Wed:** Chris South's Great Outdoors; **Thu:** BBC Introducing; **Fri:** The Kick-off **7.00pm** Georgey Spanswick; **Tue:** Sport: football: Luton Town v Peterborough United (kick-off **7.45pm**) **10.00pm** Nick Risby **1.00am** as *Radio 5 Live*
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Coventry and Warwickshire

Saturday

5.00am Keith Wedgbury **7.00pm** Pete Morgan **10.00pm** Mollie Green **12.00pm** Pete Waterman **2.00pm** Sport: football: commentary on Coventry City v Stoke City (kick-off **3.00pm**), the FA Cup third-round match at the Ricoh Arena **6.00pm** Network Gold **8.00pm** BBC Introducing in Coventry and Warwickshire **10.00pm** Alex Lester **1.00am** as *Radio 5 Live*

Sunday

6.00am Justine Greene **9.00am** Gold and Treasure **12.00pm** Pete Morgan **3.00pm** Bob Broolly **6.00pm** Midlands Masala **8.00pm** Nikki Tapper **10.00pm** Gagan Grewal **1.00am** as *Radio 5 Live*

Weekdays

6.00am The Breakfast Show **9.00pm** Vic Minett **12.00pm** Brody Swain **3.00pm** Phil Upton **6.00pm** Sport; **Tue:** Non-League Football Show **7.00pm** Georgey Spanswick **10.00pm** Graham Torrington; **Fri:** Colin Young's Trunk of Funk **1.00am** as *Radio 5 Live*
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Derby

Saturday

6.00am Martyn Williams **9.00am** Andy Twigg **12.00pm** Ed Stagg **2.00pm** Sportscene: football: Birmingham City v Burton Albion (kick-off **3.00pm**), FA Cup third-round match at St Andrew's **5.00pm** Sportscene: Reaction **6.00pm** The Beat **8.00pm** BBC Introducing in Derbyshire and East Staffordshire **10.00pm** A Touch of Soul **1.00am** as *Radio 5 Live*

Sunday

6.00am Dean Pepall **9.00am** James Watt **1.00pm** Tony Lyman **4.00pm** Memorable Melodies **6.00pm** Satvir Rana **8.00pm** Devon Daley **10.00pm** Gagan Grewal **1.00am** as *Radio 5 Live*

Weekdays

5.00am Tony Lyman **6.30pm** Ian Skye **10.00pm** Sally Pepper

1.00pm Andy Twigg **4.00pm** Martyn Williams **6.00pm** Mon: Sportscene Talk-in **7.00pm** Georgey Spanswick **10.00pm** Graham Torrington; **Fri:** Dean Jackson **1.00am** as *Radio 5 Live*
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Essex

Saturday

6.00am Sonia Watson and Ben Fryer **9.00pm** Planet Ray **11.00pm** Ken Crowther **12.00pm** Kath Melandri **2.00pm** Sport: football: Northampton Town v Southend Utd and Colchester Utd v Cheltenham Town **6.00pm** Rock 'n' Roll Heaven **8.00pm** BBC Introducing in Essex **9.00pm** Justin Dealey **11.00pm** Paul Barnes **1.00am** as *Radio 5 Live*

Sunday

6.00am Peter Holmes **9.00am** The Essex Quest **12.00pm** Mark Punter's Vintage Vinyl **2.00pm** Keith Greentree **4.00pm** The John Leech Soul Show **7.00pm** Sue Marchant **10.00pm** Keith Skues **1.00am** as *Radio 5 Live*

Weekdays

4.00am Rob Jelly **6.00pm** Ian Wyatt **10.00pm** Ronnie Barbour **12.00pm** Tony Fisher **4.00pm** Dave Monk **7.00pm** Georgey Spanswick; **Wed:** Sport **8.00pm** Wed: Georgey Spanswick **10.00pm** Nick Risby **1.00am** as *Radio 5 Live*
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Gloucestershire

Saturday

5.00am The Great Gloucestershire Road Trip **6.00pm** Steve Kitchen **9.00pm** Faye Hatcher **12.00pm** David Smith **2.30pm** Matchday: *FM* Rugby union: Northampton Saints v Gloucester (kick-off **3.00pm**); *MW* Football: Forest Green Rovers v Port Vale (k-o **3.00pm**); *DAB* Football: Colchester Utd v Cheltenham Town (k-o **3.00pm**) **5.30pm** Johnny Coppin **6.05pm** Geoff Barker's Rock 'n' Roll Party **8.00pm** BBC Introducing **10.00pm** Rick Edwards **1.00am** as *Radio 5 Live*

Sunday

5.00am Pete Wilson **6.00pm** Richard Atkins **9.00pm** Kate Clark **12.00pm** Pete Wilson **1.00pm** The Vintage Chart Show **3.00pm** Graham Pass **5.00pm** Community Radio Show **6.00pm** Manny Masih **8.00pm** Kevin Philemon **10.00pm** Graham Pass **12.00pm** Sounds of Brass **1.00am** as *Radio 5 Live*

Weekdays

5.30am Joe Lemer **6.00pm** Mark Cummings **9.00pm** Anna King **12.00pm** Dominic Cotter **3.00pm** Nicky Price **5.00pm** Steve Kitchen **6.00pm** Wed: Cherry and White Wednesday; **Thu:** Footy Thursday **7.00pm** Georgey Spanswick **10.00pm** Dan Chisholm **1.00am** as *Radio 5 Live*
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Frequencies

Norfolk

Saturday
6.00am Breakfast Show **9.00** Keith Greentree **12.00** The Garden Party **2.00pm** Sport **5.00** Sport: football: Norwich City v Chelsea **7.30** Canary Call **8.00** BBC Introducing **9.00** Justin Dealey **11.00** Paul Barnes **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Sunday
6.00am Anthony Isaacs **9.00** Treasure Quest **12.00** Treasure Quest Extra Time **1.00pm** Gudgin's Guest **2.00** Keith Greentree **4.00** The John Leech Soul Show **6.00** Introducing **2.8.00** Sue Marchant **10.00** Keith Skues **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Weekdays
4.00am Wally Webb **6.30** Nick Conrad **10.00** Chrissie Jackson **1.00pm** Stephen Bumfrey **4.00** Matthew Gudgin **6.00 Thu:** The Scrimmage; **Fri:** Sport **6.30 Fri:** Local Report **7.00** Georgy Spanswick **10.00** Nick Risby **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live
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Northampton

Saturday
6.00am John Griff **9.00** Treasure Quest **12.00** John Rose **1.00pm** Sport: FM Football: Northampton Town v Southend Utd (kick-off **2.00**); DAB Rugby union: Northampton Saints v Gloucester (kick-off **3.00**) **6.00** Rock 'n' Roll Heaven **8.00** Lal Muttok **9.00** Justin Dealey **11.00** Paul Barnes **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Sunday
6.00am Martin Heath **9.00** John Griff **12.00** Paul Gadsby **2.00pm** Keith Greentree **4.00** The John Leech Soul Show **6.00** Jona Kotnis **8.00** Mark Dean **10.00** Keith Skues **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Weekdays
4.00am Wally Webb **6.00** Stuart Linnell **9.00** Bernie Keith **12.00** Helen Blaby **3.00pm** Carson Wishart **6.00 Wed:** The Saints Show; **Thu:** Football Show; **Fri:** Sport **7.00** Georgy Spanswick **10.00** Nick Risby **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live
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Nottingham

Saturday
6.00am Mark Dennison **9.00** Frances Finn **12.00** Jo Davies **1.30pm** Matchday: football: Bradford City v Notts County (kick-off **3.00**) **6.00** The Beat **10.00** A Touch of Soul **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Sunday
6.00am Verity Cowley **9.00** John Holmes **12.00** Paul Robey **4.00pm** Jo Davies **6.00** Kaval Vaseer **8.00** Jodi Law **10.00** Gagan Grewal **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Weekdays

5.00am Tony Lyman **6.00** Andy Whittaker and Sarah Julian **9.00** Mark Dennison **12.00** Alan Clifford **4.00pm** Verity Cowley **7.00** Georgy Spanswick **10.00** Graham Torrington; **Fri:** Dean Jackson **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live
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Oxford

Saturday
6.00am Danny Cox **9.00** Tim Smith **12.00** Gillham Gold **2.00pm** Sport: football: Oxford United v Blackpool (kick-off **3.00**) **6.00** Stereo Underground **8.00** BBC Introducing **9.00** David Allen **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Sunday
6.00am Sophie Law **10.00** The Big Oxfordshire Quiz **11.00** Bill Buckley **2.00pm** Henry Wyms **5.00** David Miller **7.00** Paul Miller Soul Show **9.00** Bill Rennells **12.00** as Radio 5 Live
Weekdays
6.00am Charles Nove **7.00** David Prever **10.00** Kat Orman **1.00pm** Lilley Mitchell **4.00** Howard Bentham **7.00** Georgy Spanswick **10.00** Paul Miller **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live
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Shropshire

Saturday
6.00am Eric Smith **10.00** Ryan Kennedy **2.00pm** Shropshire United: football: FM Shrewsbury Town v Gillingham (kick-off **3.00**); DAB AFC Telford United v Curzon Ashton (kick-off **3.00**) **5.00** The Verdict **6.00** Marie Crichton's Country Show **8.00** BBC Introducing **10.00** Alex Lester **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Sunday
6.00am John Hellings **7.00** Ryan Kennedy **11.00** Paul Shuttleworth **3.00pm** Mike Wyer **6.00** Genevieve Tudor's Sunday Folk **8.00** Jazz **10.00** Gagan Grewal **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Weekdays
6.00am Eric Smith and Clare Ashford **9.00** Jim Hawkins in the Morning **12.00** Colin Young's Lunchbox **3.00pm** Adam Green and Vicki Archer **7.00** Georgy Spanswick; **Tue:** Extra Time **10.00** Graham Torrington; **Fri:** Colin Young's Trunk of Funk **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live
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BBC Surrey and BBC Sussex

Saturday
5.00am Shaun Tilley's 70s and 80s Heaven **6.00** Mark Carter **9.00** Danny Pike **12.00** Graham Dene **2.00pm** Joe Talbot **6.00** Stereo Underground

8.00 BBC Introducing: The South **9.00** David Allen **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live
Sunday
5.30am Hymn Half Hour **6.00** Emily Jeffery **9.00** Dig It **12.00** Sylvie Blackmore **3.00pm** Mark Carter **5.00** David Miller **7.00** Paul Miller Soul Show **9.00** Unforgettable **12.00** as Radio 5 Live

Weekdays
6.00am Surrey: James Cannon and Lesley Collier **6.00** Sussex: Neil Pringle **9.00** Danny Pike **12.00** Allison Ferns; **Fri:** Joe Talbot **4.00pm** Sarah Gorrell Surrey only: **5.00** Mike Buxton; **6.00-7.00** The Rewind. **7.00** Georgy Spanswick **10.00** Paul Miller **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live
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Stoke

Saturday
6.00am Stuart Ellis and Jodie Looker **10.00** Den Siegertsz **2.00pm** Sport: football: Coventry City v Stoke City (kick-off **3.00**) **5.00** Praise and Grumble **6.00** Richard Searling's Northern Soul **8.00** BBC Introducing from Stoke **10.00** Alex Lester **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Sunday
6.00am Tim Wedgwood **6.30** In Praise of God **7.00** Tim Wedgwood **9.00** Stuart Ellis and Jodie Looker **12.00** Terry Walsh **2.30pm** In Praise of God (R) **3.00** Paula White **6.00** Ajmal Hussain **8.00** Jazz **10.00** Gagan Grewal **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Weekdays
5.00am Den Siegertsz **7.00** Liz and John at Breakfast **10.00** Perry Spiller **1.00pm** Louise Stones **4.00** Stuart George **6.00** Sport at Six **7.00** Georgy Spanswick **10.00** Graham Torrington; **Fri:** Colin Young's Trunk of Funk **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live
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Suffolk

Saturday
6.00am Luke Deal **9.00** Wayne Bavin **12.00** Life's a Pitch **2.00pm** Sport: football: Ipswich Town v Sheffield Utd **6.00** Rock 'n' Roll Heaven **8.00** BBC Suffolk Introducing **9.00** Justin Dealey **11.00** Paul Barnes **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Sunday
6.00am Jon Wright **9.00** Wayne Bavin **12.00** Georgina Wroe **2.00pm** Keith Greentree **4.00** The John Leech Soul Show **7.00** Sue Marchant **10.00** Keith Skues **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Weekdays
4.00am Wally Webb **6.00** Luke Deal **7.00** Mark Murphy

10.00 James Hazell **1.00pm** Lesley Dolphin; **Tue:** Sarah Lilley **4.00** Stephen Foster **7.00** Georgy Spanswick **10.00** Nick Risby **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live
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Three Counties

Beds, Herts and Bucks

Saturday
6.00am Saturday Breakfast **9.00** Treasure Quest **12.00** Mike Naylor **2.00pm** Countdown to Kick-Off **3.00** Sport **5.00** 5-0-5 **6.00** Rock 'n' Roll Heaven **8.00** BBC Introducing in Beds, Herts and Bucks **9.00** Justin Dealey **11.00** Paul Barnes **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Sunday
6.00am Helen Leigh **9.00** Justin Dealey **11.00** Nick Coffey's Weekend Kitchen **1.00pm** Nana Akua **2.00** Keith Greentree **4.00** The John Leech Soul Show **6.00** Yasmeen Khan **8.00** Edward Aado **10.00** Keith Skues **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Weekdays
4.00am Wally Webb **6.00** Andy Collins **9.00** The JVS Show **12.00** Nick Coffey **3.00pm** Roberto Perrone **6.00 Mon:** Sports Show: results and reports **7.00** Georgy Spanswick; **Tue:** Sport **10.00 (Tue: 10.30)** Nick Risby **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live
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Saturday
5.00am Nina Das Gupta **7.00** Mollie Green **10.00** Richie Anderson **12.00** Pete Waterman **2.00pm** Sport: football: FM Exeter City v West Bromwich Albion (k-o **3.00**); DAB Wolverhampton Wanderers v Swansea City and Birmingham City v Burton Albion (kick-offs **3.00**) **6.00** Network Gold **8.00** BBC Introducing in the West Midlands **10.00** Alex Lester **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Sunday
6.00am Sior Coleman **7.00** Llewela Bailey **9.00** Daz and Rachel **12.00** Ed Doolan **1.00pm** The Soul and Motown Show **3.00** Bob Brolly **6.00** Gagan Grewal **8.00** Nikki Tapper **10.00** Gagan Grewal **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Weekdays
5.00am Mollie Green **6.00** Alex Lester **9.00** Danny Kelly **12.00** Caroline Martin **2.00pm** Sunny and Shay; **Fri:** Richie Anderson **4.00** Paul Franks **5.30** The Football Phone-in **7.00** Georgy Spanswick **10.00** Graham Torrington; **Fri:** Colin Young's Trunk of Funk **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live; **Fri:** The Reggae Show **3.00 Fri:** Network Gold
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Absolute FM 105.8 (London/South East), 105.2 (West Midlands) plus MW1215, 1197, 1233, 1242, 1260
 These stations are also broadcast via Freeview, satellite, cable, digital radio and the internet.

Local

BBC stations:
Asian Network MW 837 (Leicester/Nottingham/Derby), 1458 (Birmingham), 828 (Wolverhampton), 1449 (Peterborough/Cambridge)
Berkshire 104.1 (Hannington), 94.6 (Henley), 95.4 (Windsor), 104.4 (Reading)
Cambridgeshire 95.7 (Peterborough), 96, MW 1026
Coventry & Warwickshire 94.8 (Coventry), 103.7 (Stratford/S. Warwickshire), 104 (Nuneaton)
Derby 104.5 (Drum Hill), 96 (Buxton), 95.3 (Stanton Moor), MW 1116
Essex 103.5 (north Essex), 95.3 (south Essex), 107.7 (Chelmsford), MW 765 (Colchester/Chelmsford), 1530 (Southend), 729 (Manningtree)
Gloucestershire 104.7 (Churchdown Hill), 95 (Stroud), 95.8 (Cirencester), MW 1413
Hereford and Worcester 94.7 (Hereford), 104 (Worcester & Gt Malvern), 104.6 (Kidderminster), MW 738 (Worcester), 1584 (Tenbury Wells)
Kent 96.7 (west), 97.6 (Folkestone), 104.2 (east), MW 774
Leicester 104.9
Lincolnshire 94.9 (Lincoln), 104.7 (Grantham)
London 94.9
Norfolk 95.1 (east), 95.6 (Wells), 104.4 (west), MW 855 (east), 87.3 (King's Lynn)
Northampton 104.2 (Northants), 103.6 (Corby/Kettering)
Nottingham 103.8 (Notts), 95.1 (Newark), 95.5 (Mansfield)
Oxford 95.2
Shropshire 90 (Church Stretton), 96 (Shropshire), 95 (Ludlow), 104.1 (Clun)
Stoke 94.6 (Stoke), 104.1 (Stafford), MW 1503
Suffolk 103.9 (south), 104.6 (Bury St Edmunds & north west), 95.5 (Lowestoft), 95.9 (Aldeburgh)
Sussex and Surrey 95.0 (Newhaven), 95.1 (Horsham), 95.3 (Brighton/Worthing), 104.0 (East Surrey/North Sussex), 104.5 (East Sussex), 104.6 (West Surrey/NE Hants), 104.8 (West Sussex), MW 1161 (East Sussex), MW 1368 (East Surrey/North Sussex), MW 1485 (Brighton)
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WM 95.6 (West Midlands)
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Banbury Sound 107.6 (north Oxon)
The Beach 103.4 (Great Yarmouth/Lowestoft), 97.4 (Southwold/Halesworth)
BOB 106 106.7 (Stevenage), 106.9 (Hertford/Ware/Welwyn/Hatfield)
The Breeze 101.6 (Four Marks/Medway/Aylesford/Bordon)
Grayshott/Beacon Hill & Hindhead, 101.8 (Petersfield), 102 (Alton), 97.1 (Haslemere & Midhurst), 107.6 (Basingstoke), 106.4 (N. Hants), 105.6 (Newbury/Thatcham), 107.4 (Hungerford), 107.5 (Gloucestershire/The Malverns)
Buzz Radio MW 963/972 (London)
Capital 95.8 (London), 96.2 (Nottingham), 96.5 (Mansfield), 102.2 (Birmingham), 102.8 (Derby), 105.4 (Leicester)
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Eagle Radio 96.4 (Hants/Surrey)
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Freeradio 80s 1152 (Birmingham), 1359 (Coventry), 990 (Wolverhampton)
Gem 106 (East Midlands)
Gold MW 945 (Derby), 999 (Nottingham), 1548 (London)

HCR 104 FM (Huntingdon)
Heart 95.9 (Thanet), 96.1 (Ashford/Colchester), 96.3 (Basildon), 96.4 (Bury St Edmunds), 96.6 (Northants), 96.7 (Winchester), 96.9 (Bedford/Newhaven), 97 (Dover/Folkestone/Reading), 97.1 (Ipswich), 97.4 (Banbury/Newmarket), 97.5 (south Hampshire/Ryde/Southend/Horsham), 97.6 (Dunstable), 100.7 (west Mids), 102 (Hastings), 102.3 (Dorset), 102.4 (Eastbourne/Norwich/Gloucester/Cheltenham), 102.6 (Chelmsford/Oxford), 102.7 (Peterborough/Reigate/Crawley), 102.8 (east Kent), 102.9 (Berkshire), 103 (Cambridge/Stroud/east Devon), 103.1 (west Kent), 103.3 (Milton Keynes), 103.4 (Henley on Thames), 103.5 (Brighton), 106.2 (London)
Hfm 102.3
Jack FM 106.4/106.8 (Oxfordshire)
Jack FM 2 107.9 (Oxfordshire)
Jackie 107.8 (south west London/north Surrey)
Justice 107.2 (Brighton/Hove)
Kismet Radio MW 1035 (London)
Kiss 100 (London), 107.7 (Peterborough), 105.6 (Cambridge), 106.1 (Norwich), 106.4 (Ipswich)
KL FM 96.7 (King's Lynn)
Kmfm 106 (Canterbury/Herne Bay/Whitstable), 107.6 (Ashford), 105.6 (Maidstone), 107.9 (Medway towns), 100.4 (Hoo St Werburgh), 101.6 (Sevenoaks), 96.2 (Tunbridge Wells), 96.4 (Folkestone), 106.8 (Dover), 107.2 (Thanet)
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LBC London News MW 1152 (London)
Lincs 102.2 (Lincoln), 96.7 (Grantham), 97.6 (Scunthorpe)
London Greek 103.3
London Turkish MW 1584
Magic 105.4 (London)
Mansfield 103.2
Mix 96.2 (Aylesbury)
More Radio Eastbourne 107.5 (Eastbourne/Hailsham)
More Radio Hastings 107.8 (Hastings/Bexhill)
More Radio Mid Sussex 106.4 (Burgess Hill/Haywards Heath), 106.8 (Lewes)
More Radio Worthing 107.7 (Worthing/Littlehampton/Shoreham)
North Norfolk Radio 96.2 (Norfolk), 103.2 (Cromer/Wells)
Norwich 99.9
Oak 107 (Loughborough), 107.9 (Hinckley)
Peak 107.4 (Chesterfield), 102 (Matlock)
Premier Christian MW1305 (London), 1332 (central), 1413 (east/west), 1566 (Guildford)
Reading 107
Rugby 107
Rutland 107.2 (Rutland), 97.4 (Stamford)
Sabras MW 1260 (Leicester)
Sam FM 106 (Southampton), 106.5 (Bristol), 107.7 (Swindon)
Signal 196.4 (Congleton), 96.9 (Stafford), 102.6 (Staffordshire/Cheshire)
Signal 2 MW1170 (Staffordshire/Cheshire)
Signal 107 106.5 (Shrewsbury), 1071 (Oswestry/north Shropshire), 107.4 (Telford), 107.7 (Wolverhampton)
Smooth FM 102.2 (London), 105.7 (West Midlands), 106.6/101.4 (East Midlands); MW 792 (Bedford), 828 (Bournemouth/Luton), 1152 (Norfolk), 1251 (Bury St Edmunds), 774 (Gloucester), 1521 (Crawley), 603 (east Kent), 1170 (Portsmouth/Ipswich), 1557 (south Hants), 1332 (Peterborough), 1017 (Shrewsbury/Telford), 1359 (Chelmsford/Warwickshire), 1431 (Southend), 1161 (Swindon), 1323 (Brighton), 1242 (west Kent)
Spectrum MW 558 (London)
Spirit 102 (Salisbury)
Star 107.9 (Cambridge), 107.1 (Ely)
Sunrise MW 1458 (London)
Sunshine 106.2 (Hereford), 107.8 (Leominster), 107 (Monmouth), MW 855 (S. Shropshire/N. Herefordshire/N. Worcestershire)
The Eye 103 (Melton Mowbray/Vale of Belvoir)
Time 106.6 Slough/Windsor/Maidenhead), 107.5 (Romford/Barking & Dagenham/Redbridge)
Touch FM 102.4 (Burton), 96.2 (Coventry), 101.6 (Lichfield), 102 (Stratford), 107.3 (Warwick)
Town 102 (Ipswich)
Trax 107.9 (Bassetlaw)
Radio X 104.9 (London)
XL MW 1296 (Birmingham)

BBC Local Radio

Face behind the voice

Nick Barnes BBC Radio Newcastle



Age 54

Current job Football commentator for BBC Newcastle, covering Sunderland matches since 2003. He writes a weekly preview on the club's website and occasionally reports on football for BBC's *Look North*.

CV Brought up in Devon, he studied English at the University of Kent, joining BBC Radio Devon as a travel reporter in 1986. Moved to BBC Radio Cumbria (1988-98) and worked for BBC Radio Sport in London across the national networks, before joining BBC Newcastle in 1998. Won a Sony award for his coverage of Carlisle United while at Radio Cumbria.

Best moment "Travelling on the team bus to Wembley with Carlisle United for the Autoglass Trophy Final in 1995. Great occasion, even though they lost."

Worst moment "My first day for BBC Radio Sport at Broadcasting House. I was told I was to have a week's training but was suddenly thrown in for a Radio 1 bulletin shift. And with no script because the printer had broken down."

Off-air "I live in a flat in Gateshead, down by the Tyne. Spare time is often spent walking with my partner, Joanne, and her two border terriers. I have two children from a previous relationship – Will, 19, and Daisy, 17."

First radio memory "The Radio 2 midweek football commentaries with Peter Jones and Bryon Butler."

Favourite broadcasters "5 Live's John Murray – a consummate commentator and the ultimate professional, with a wonderful voice. And, of course, Wogan was the boss."

Ambition "To have facsimiles of my match notebooks published. They're a bit of a work of art, because I decorate them with coloured drawings of club and international crests."

Dream job "What I'm doing now has always been my dream."

Secret skills "I do a lot of drawing and painting. I enjoy cooking. And I've walked all the Wainwrights – the 214 fells listed by Alfred Wainwright in the Lake District." **DAVID GILLARD**

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Berkshire

Saturday

6.00am Howard Hughes
8.00 Andrew Peach
11.00 Steve Madden
1.00pm Sport: football: Stevenage v Reading (k-o **3.00**), the FA Cup third-round fixture at the Lamex Stadium
6.00 Stereo Underground
8.00 BBC Introducing
9.00 David Allen
1.00am as *Radio 5 Live*

Sunday

6.00am Paul Coia
9.00 Matt Allwright
11.00 Sue Kinnear
2.00pm Henry Wymbs
5.00 David Miller
7.00 Paul Miller Soul Show
8.00 Bridgitte Tetteh
9.00 Bill Rennells
12.00 as *Radio 5 Live*

Weekdays

5.30am Steve Madden
7.00 Andrew Peach
10.00 Sarah Walker;
Fri: Tony Blackburn's Weekend Warm-up
1.00pm Sue Kinnear
4.00 Phil Kennedy
6.00 Fri: Weekend Kick-Off
7.00 Georgy Spanswick
10.00 Paul Miller
1.00am as *Radio 5 Live*
Phone-ins: 0345 900 1041
radio.berkshire@bbc.co.uk

Bristol

Saturday

4.00am BCFM
5.00 Martin Evans
6.00 Ali Vowles
9.00 Phil Hammond

12.00 James Hanson
1.00pm Sport: football: Watford v Bristol City (k-o **3.00**), at Vicarage Road
6.30 Geoff Barker's Rock 'n' Roll Party
8.00 BBC Introducing
10.00 Rick Edwards
1.00am BBC Introducing
3.00 Ujima Radio

Sunday

4.00am Somer Valley FM
5.00 Martin Evans
6.00 Lucy Tegg
10.00 Clueless
1.00pm The Vintage Chart Show
3.00 Graham Pass
5.00 Community Radio Show
6.00 Manny Masih
8.00 Kevin Philemon
10.00 Graham Pass
12.00 Sounds of Brass
1.00am as *Radio 5 Live*

Weekdays

5.00am Joe Lemer
6.30 Emma Britton
9.00 John Darvall
12.00 Steve Vablesy
2.00pm Claire Cavanagh
4.00 Laura Rawlings
6.00 Geoff Twentyman
7.00 Georgy Spanswick
10.00 Dan Chisholm
1.00am as *Radio 5 Live*;
Fri: The Beats, Breaks and Bass Show
3.00 Fri: Ujima Radio
Phone-ins: 03459 005 949
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BBC SOMERSET

As Bristol except:

Saturday

6.00am Pick of the Week
7.00 Simon Parkin
10.00–1.00pm Charlie Taylor

Weekdays

6.30am Claire Carter
9.00–12.00 Simon Parkin
4.00pm–7.00 Matt Faulkner
Tel: 01823 323956
Phone-ins: 0345 303 1566
somerset@bbc.co.uk

Cornwall

Saturday

6.00am Donna Birrell
9.00 Duncan Warren
12.00 Freddy Zapp
2.00pm Sport
6.05 Geoff Barker's Rock 'n' Roll Party
8.00 BBC Introducing: with David White
10.00 Rick Edwards
1.00am as *Radio 5 Live*

Sunday

6.00am Faith Programme: with Donna Birrell
9.00 Duncan Warren
12.00 Sunday Requests
2.00pm Cornwall Connected
5.00 John Prowse and Steve Penhalligon
5.05 Boogie Wonderland
7.00 Sounds of Brass: presented by Philip Hunt
8.00 Graham Pass
10.00 Rick Edwards
1.00am as *Radio 5 Live*

Weekdays

5.00am Pam Spriggs
6.00 Julie Skentelbery
9.00 David White
12.00 Laurence Reed
3.00pm Debbie McCrory
5.00 Martin Bailie
7.00 Georgy Spanswick
10.00 David Sheppard
1.00am as *Radio 5 Live*
Phone-ins: 01872 222222
Evenings: 0345 3001858

South, West and South West region

Devon

Saturday

6.00am Tim Manns
9.00 Kerry White
12.00 Richard Green's Retro Show
2.00pm Sport
6.00 Geoff Barker's Rock 'n' Roll Party
8.00 BBC Introducing in Devon: with James Santer
10.00 Rick Edwards
1.00am as *Radio 5 Live*

Sunday

6.00am Farming Today This Week **6.30** Tim Manns
9.00 Toby Buckland
12.00 The Sunday Request Show: with Darren Cox
3.00pm A Bit More Fitz
5.00 The Vintage Chart Show
7.00 Sounds of Brass: presented by Philip Hunt
8.00 Graham Pass
10.00 Rick Edwards
1.00am as *Radio 5 Live*

Weekdays

5.00am Laura James
6.30 Gordon Sparks
10.00 David FitzGerald
1.00pm Janet Kipling;
Fri: Victoria Graham
4.00 Matt Woodley and Pippa Quelch
7.00 Georgy Spanswick
10.00 David Sheppard: with The Late Show
1.00am as *Radio 5 Live*
Phone-ins: 0345 301 1034
radio.devon@bbc.co.uk

Essex

Saturday

6.00am Sonia Watson and Ben Fryer
9.00 Planet Ray
11.00 Ken Crowther
12.00 Kath Melandri
2.00pm Sport: football: commentary and updates, featuring Northampton Town v Southend United and Colchester United v Cheltenham Town
6.00 Rock 'n' Roll Heaven: presented by Bernie Keith
8.00 BBC Introducing in Essex: with Ollie Winberg
9.00 Justin Dealey
11.00 Paul Barnes
1.00am as *Radio 5 Live*

Sunday

6.00am Peter Holmes
9.00 The Essex Quest
12.00 Mark Punter's Vintage Vinyl
2.00pm Keith Greentree
4.00 The John Leech Soul Show: soul music
7.00 Sue Marchant
10.00 Keith Skues
1.00am as *Radio 5 Live*

Weekdays

4.00am Rob Jelly
6.00 Ian Wyatt
9.00 Ronnie Barbour
12.00 Tony Fisher
4.00pm Dave Monk
7.00 Georgy Spanswick;
Wed: Sport
8.00 Wed: Georgy Spanswick
10.00 Nick Risby
1.00am as *Radio 5 Live*
Phone-ins: 0300 200 40 41
Email: essex@bbc.co.uk

Gloucestershire

Saturday

5.00am The Great Gloucestershire Road Trip
6.00 Steve Kitchen
9.00 Faye Hatcher
12.00 David Smith
2.30pm Matchday: FM Rugby union: Northampton Saints v Gloucester (kick-off **3.00**), the Premiership match from Franklin's Gardens; MW Football: Forest Green Rovers v Port Vale (k-o **3.00**), the League Two match from the New Lawn; DAB Football: Colchester United v Cheltenham Town (kick-off **3.00**), the League Two match from Weston Homes Community Stadium
5.30 Johnny Coppin
6.05 Geoff Barker's Rock 'n' Roll Party
8.00 BBC Introducing
10.00 Rick Edwards
1.00am as *Radio 5 Live*

Sunday

5.00am Pete Wilson
6.00 Richard Atkins
9.00 Kate Clark
12.00 Pete Wilson
1.00pm The Vintage Chart Show
3.00 Graham Pass
5.00 Community Radio Show
6.00 Manny Masih
8.00 Kevin Philemon
10.00 Graham Pass
12.00 Sounds of Brass: presented by Philip Hunt
1.00am as *Radio 5 Live*

Weekdays

5.30am Joe Lemer
6.00 Mark Cummings
9.00 Anna King
12.00 Dominic Cotter
3.00pm Nicky Price
5.00 Steve Kitchen
6.00 Wed: Cherry and White Wednesday;
Thu: Footy Thursday
7.00 Georgy Spanswick: conversation and music
10.00 Dan Chisholm
1.00am as *Radio 5 Live*
Tel: 01452 308585
Phone-ins: 01452 307575

Guernsey

Saturday

6.00am Music Box
7.00 Breakfast Show: with Isla Blatchford
9.00 Jon Ozanne
12.00 Gillham Gold: presented by Tony Gillham
2.00pm Sportscene
6.00 Geoff Barker's Rock 'n' Roll Party
8.00 BBC Introducing: with James Santer
10.00 Rick Edwards
1.00am as *Radio 5 Live*

Sunday

6.00am Sunday Songbook
7.00 Sunday Breakfast
9.00 Classical Choice: presented by Fiona Le Tissier
10.00 Phone-in: presented by Simon Fairclough
12.00 Nice 'n' Easy: presented by Chris Bougaard
2.00pm as *Radio 5 Live*
5.00 The Vintage Chart Show

7.00 Sounds of Brass: presented by Philip Hunt
8.00 Graham Pass
10.00 Rick Edwards
1.00am as *Radio 5 Live*

Weekdays

6.00am Oscar Pearson
9.30 Jenny Kendall-Tobias
1.00pm The Islands at One
1.30 John Randall
5.00 Oliver Guillou
7.00 Georgy Spanswick: featuring evening conversation and music
10.00 David Sheppard: with The Late Show
1.00am as *Radio 5 Live*
Phone-ins: 01481 200373
radio.guernsey@bbc.co.uk

Hereford/Worcester

Saturday

6.00am Tammy Gooding
9.00 Dave Bradley
11.00 Toni McDonald
2.00pm Trevor Owens
3.00 Sport: football: FM104/104.6/DAB: commentary on Leamington v Kidderminster Harriers (kick-off **3.00**), the National League North contest from the New Windmill Ground; MW Commentary on Slough Town v Hereford FC (k-o **3.00**), the Evo-Stik League South Premier Division clash at Arbour Park
6.00 Richard Searling's Northern Soul
8.00 BBC Introducing in Hereford and Worcester
10.00 Alex Lester
1.00am as *Radio 5 Live*

Sunday

6.00am John Helliings
7.00 Kate Justice
9.00 Malcolm Boyden
12.00 Jonathan Ray
3.00pm Mike Wyer
6.00 Genevieve Tudor
8.00 John Helliings
10.00 Gagan Grewal: news, music, chat and features
1.00am as *Radio 5 Live*

Weekdays

5.00am Nina Das Gupta
6.05 Elliott and Toni
9.05 Elliott Webb
10.05 Malcolm Boyden
1.05pm Tammy Gooding
4.05 Kate Justice
7.00 Georgy Spanswick: featuring evening conversation and music
10.00 Graham Torrington;
Fri: Colin Young's Trunk of Funk
1.00am as *Radio 5 Live*
Phone-ins: 03453 008181
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Jersey

Saturday

6.00am Matthew Price
9.00 Charlie McArdle
12.00 Gillham Gold: presented by Tony Gillham
2.00pm Sportscene
6.00 MW as *Radio 5 Live*
8.00 FM Geoff Barker's Rock 'n' Roll Party;
8.00 FM BBC Music Introducing in Jersey: with Connor Burgher
10.00 FM Rick Edwards
1.00am as *Radio 5 Live*

Frequencies

Sunday

6.00am Matthew Price
9.00 Christina Ghidoni
12.00 Tony Gillham
2.00pm Phil Taylor
4.30 Voices
5.00 *MW as Radio 5 Live*
5.00 *FM The Vintage Chart Show*
7.00 *FM Sounds of Brass:* presented by Philip Hunt
8.00 *FM Graham Pass*
10.00 *FM Rick Edwards*
1.00am *as Radio 5 Live*

Weekdays

6.00am Ashlea Tracey
9.00 Matthew Price;
Thu/Fri: Cameron Ward
1.00pm Jersey at One
1.10 Cathy Le Feuvre
4.00 Carrie Cooper
7.00 *MW as Radio 5 Live*
7.00 *FM Geogey Spanswick:* conversation and music
10.00 *FM David Sheppard:* with The Late Show
1.00am *as Radio 5 Live*
Phone-ins: 01534 720255
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Kent

Saturday

6.00am Pat Marsh
10.00 Jon Holmes: music, nonsense and chaos
2.00pm The Sports Hub
6.00 Roger Day
8.00 BBC Introducing in Kent: with Abbie McCarthy
9.00 Justin Dealey
11.00 Paul Barnes
1.00am Sean Rowley
2.00 *as Radio 5 Live*

Sunday

5.30am Hymns on Sunday
6.00 Sunday Breakfast: presented by Mike Zlolk
8.00 Sunday Gardening: presented by Phil Harrison
11.00 Lembit Opik
2.00pm Dominic King: King and Company
3.00 Julia George
5.00 Daryl Denham
9.00 Kent Folk
10.00 Bill Rennells
12.00 *as Radio 5 Live*

Weekdays

6.00am John Warnett and Anna Cookson
9.00 Julia George; **Fri:** Cristo
12.00 Pat Marsh and Erika North
4.00pm Dominic King;
Fri: Daryl Denham
7.00 Geogey Spanswick
10.00 Paul Miller: with The Late Show; **Fri:** Steve N Allen
1.00am *as Radio 5 Live*
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London

Saturday

6.00am Best of Jo Good
7.00 Jo Good and Simon Lederman
10.00 Robert Elms
1.00pm My London
2.00 BBC Radio London Sport
6.00 Gary Crowley
8.00 BBC London Introducing: with Gary Crowley
9.00 My London
10.00 Sunny and Shay
2.00am Jim Davis

Sunday

6.00am Inspirit: presented by Jumoké Fashola
9.00 Nikki Bedi: arts, entertainment and music
12.00 Soul on Sunday
2.00pm Gaby Roslin
4.00 BBC Radio London Sport
6.00 Sunny and Shay
8.00 Dotun Adebayo
10.00 Duncan Barkes
1.00am Jim Davis

Weekdays

4.00am Petrie Hosken;
Fri: Jason Rosam
7.00 Vanessa Feltz
10.00 Robert Elms
1.00pm Jo Good
4.00 Eddie Nestor: music and conversation
7.00 Simon Lederman
10.00 Duncan Barkes;
Fri: Sunny and Shay
1.00am Mon-Thu: Dotun Adebayo
2.00am Fri: Jim Davis
Phone-ins: 020 7224 2000
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Oxford

Saturday

6.00am Danny Cox
9.00 Tim Smith
12.00 Gillham Gold: presented by Tony Gillham
2.00pm Sport: football: Oxford United v Blackpool (kick-off **3.00**), the League One match at the Kassam Stadium
6.00 Stereo Underground: presented by Richard Latto
8.00 BBC Introducing in Oxford
9.00 David Allen: with music and conversation
1.00am *as Radio 5 Live*

Sunday

6.00am Sophie Law
10.00 The Big Oxfordshire Quiz
11.00 Bill Buckley
2.00pm Henry Wymbs: with Irish Eye
5.00 David Miller
7.00 Paul Miller Soul Show
9.00 Bill Rennells: memorable tunes from the past six decades
12.00 *as Radio 5 Live*

Weekdays

6.00am Charles Nove
7.00 David Prever
10.00 Kat Orman
1.00pm Lilley Mitchell
4.00 Howard Bentham
7.00 Geogey Spanswick
10.00 Paul Miller
1.00am *as Radio 5 Live*
Phone-ins: 03459 311 111
radio.oxford@bbc.co.uk
bbc.co.uk/radiooxford

Radio Solent

Saturday

6.00am Katie Martin
9.00 Bubblegum and Cheese
12.00 Seven Day Solent
2.00pm Sport: *FM 96.1/DAB* Football: Fleetwood Town v Portsmouth (kick-off **3.00**), the League One match at Highbury Stadium; *FM 103.8/MW* FA Cup action
6.00 Stereo Underground: presented by Richard Latto
8.00 BBC Introducing: Solent: with Stephanie Nieuwenhuys
9.00 David Allen
1.00am *as Radio 5 Live*

Sunday

6.00am Tim Daykin
9.00 Nick Girdler
12.00 The Kitchen Garden: with Rebecca Parker
2.00pm Richard Cartridge
5.00 David Miller
7.00 Paul Miller Soul Show
9.00 Unforgettable: presented by Bob Roberts
12.00 *as Radio 5 Live*

Weekdays

5.00am Breakfast Show
6.30 Julian Clegg
10.00 Sasha Twining
1.00pm Alex Dyke
4.00 Louisa Hannan
7.00 Geogey Spanswick: conversation and music
10.00 Paul Miller: with The Late Show
1.00am *as Radio 5 Live*

103.8 FOR WEST DORSET

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Weekdays

6.30am Steve Harris
9.00-10.00 Julian Clegg
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Email: radio.solent@bbc.co.uk
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BBC Surrey and BBC Sussex

Saturday

5.00am Shaun Tilley's 70s and 80s Heaven
6.00 Mark Carter
9.00 Danny Pike
12.00 Graham Dene
2.00pm Joe Talbot
6.00 Stereo Underground: presented by Richard Latto
8.00 BBC Introducing: The South: with Melita Dennett
9.00 David Allen
1.00am *as Radio 5 Live*

Sunday

5.30am Hymn Half Hour: presented by David Miller
6.00 Emily Jeffery
9.00 Dig It
12.00 Sylvie Blackmore
3.00pm Mark Carter
5.00 David Miller
7.00 Paul Miller Soul Show
9.00 Unforgettable: presented by Bob Roberts
12.00 *as Radio 5 Live*

Weekdays

6.00am Surrey: James Cannon and Lesley Collier
6.00 Sussex: Neil Pringle
9.00 Danny Pike
12.00 Allison Ferns;
Fri: Joe Talbot
4.00pm-7.00 Sarah Gorrell
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Sussex phone-ins 03459 570057
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Three Counties

Beds, Herts and Bucks

Saturday

6.00am Saturday Breakfast
9.00 Treasure Quest
12.00 Mike Naylor

2.00pm

Countdown to Kick-Off
3.00 Sport
5.00 5-0-5: with Luke Ashmead
6.00 Rock 'n' Roll Heaven: with Bernie Keith
8.00 BBC Introducing in Beds, Herts and Bucks: presented by Gareth Lloyd
9.00 Justin Dealey
11.00 Paul Barnes
1.00am *as Radio 5 Live*

Sunday

6.00am Helen Leigh: faith news, local information and discussion on the big issues
9.00 Justin Dealey
11.00 Nick Coffey's Weekend Kitchen: celebrating the best local food and drink
1.00pm Nana Akua
2.00 Keith Greentree
4.00 The John Leech Soul Show: soul music across the eastern counties
6.00 Yasmeen Khan
8.00 Edward Adoo
10.00 Keith Skues
1.00am *as Radio 5 Live*

Weekdays

4.00am Wally Webb
9.00 Andy Collins
9.00 The JVS Show: Jonathan Vernon-Smith with the phone-in programme
12.00 Nick Coffey
3.00pm Roberto Perrone
6.00 Mon: Sports Show: results and reports
7.00 Geogey Spanswick: conversation and music;
Tue: Sport
10.00 (Tue: 10.30) Nick Risby: with The Late Show
1.00am *as Radio 5 Live*
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Wiltshire

Saturday

6.00am Graham Rogers
9.00 Sue Davies
12.00 Jonathan Fido
2.00pm Sport
6.00 Geoff Barker's Rock 'n' Roll Party
8.00 BBC Introducing: presented by Sam Bonham
10.00 Rick Edwards
1.00am *as Radio 5 Live*

Sunday

6.00am Breakfast Show
9.00 Sue Davies
12.00 Wild about Wiltshire
1.00pm The Vintage Chart Show
3.00 Graham Pass
5.00 Community Radio Show
6.00 Manny Masih
8.00 Kevin Philemon
10.00 Graham Pass
12.00 Sounds of Brass: presented by Philip Hunt
1.00am *as Radio 5 Live*

Weekdays

5.00am Early Breakfast
6.30 Ben Prater
9.00 Marie Lennon
12.00 Graham Seaman
2.00pm James Thomas
4.00 Graham Rogers
7.00 Geogey Spanswick: conversation and music
10.00 Dan Chisholm
1.00am *as Radio 5 Live*
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National

BBC Radio 1 97.6-99.8
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BBC Radio Five Live MW 693, 909
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Essex 103.5 (north Essex), 107.7 (Chelmsford), 95.3 (south Essex), MW 765 (Colchester/Chelmsford), 1530 (Southend), 729 (north east Essex)
Gloucestershire 104.7 (Churchdown Hill) 95 (Stroud), 95.8 (Cirencester), MW 1413
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BBC Local Radio

Face behind the voice

Nick Barnes BBC Radio Newcastle



Age 54

Current job Football commentator for BBC Newcastle, covering Sunderland matches since 2003. He writes a weekly preview on the club's website and occasionally reports on football for BBC's *Look North*.

CV Brought up in Devon, he studied English at the University of Kent, joining BBC Radio Devon as a travel reporter in 1986. Moved to BBC Radio Cumbria (1988-98) and worked for BBC Radio Sport in London across the national networks, before joining BBC Newcastle in 1998. Won a Sony award for his coverage of Carlisle United while at Radio Cumbria.

Best moment "Travelling on the team bus to Wembley with Carlisle United for the Autoglass Trophy Final in 1995. Great occasion, even though they lost."

Worst moment "My first day for BBC Radio Sport at Broadcasting House. I was told I was to have a week's training but was suddenly thrown in for a Radio 1 bulletin shift. And with no script because the printer had broken down."

Off-air "I live in a flat in Gateshead, down by the Tyne. Spare time is often spent walking with my partner, Joanne, and her two border terriers. I have two children from a previous relationship - Will, 19, and Daisy, 17."

First radio memory "The Radio 2 midweek football commentaries with Peter Jones and Bryon Butler."

Favourite broadcasters "5 Live's John Murray - a consummate commentator and the ultimate professional, with a wonderful voice. And, of course, Wogan was the boss."

Ambition "To have facsimiles of my match notebooks published. They're a bit of a work of art, because I decorate them with coloured drawings of club and international crests."

Dream job "What I'm doing now has always been my dream."

Secret skills "I do a lot of drawing and painting. I enjoy cooking. And I've walked all the Wainwrights - the 214 fells listed by Alfred Wainwright in the Lake District." **DAVID GILLARD**

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Cumbria

Saturday

NEWS: half-hourly 6.00am to 9.00, 10.00, 12 noon, 1.00pm

WEATHER: 7.32am, 8.32, 11.32

6.00am Helen Millican

9.00 Val Armstrong

12.00 Joe Costin

2.00pm BBC Radio Cumbria Sport: football: *FM* Barnet v Carlisle United (kick-off **3.00**); *MW* Barrow v Tranmere Rovers (kick-off **3.00**)

6.00 John Mann's Soul and Motown **8.00** BBC Introducing in Cumbria: with Tom Salmon

10.00 John Lipscombe

12.00 as *Radio 5 Live*

Sunday

NEWS AND WEATHER: as Saturday

6.00am Paul Braithwaite

9.00 Val Armstrong **12.00** Joe Costin

2.00pm Harry King

5.00 Sunday Best

6.00 Your Classical: hosted by John Lipscombe

7.00 Braithwaite's Country: with Paul Braithwaite

9.00 John Mann

12.00 as *Radio 5 Live*

Weekdays

NEWS: half-hourly 5.00am to 9.00, hourly 10.00 to 12 midnight, plus 5.30pm

WEATHER: 6.32am, 7.32, 8.32, 12.32pm, 4.32, 5.32

5.00am Mon-Wed: Andy Wood; **Thu/Fri:** Richard Corrie

6.30 Mike Zeller **9.00** Kevin Fernihough **12.00** Gordon Swindlehurst

2.00pm Caroline Robertson **5.00** The News Hour

6.00 Mon: Your Classical: with John Lipscombe; **Tue:** Life Stories; **Wed:** Money Talks; **Thu:** BBC Introducing in Cumbria: with Tom Salmon; **Fri:** BBC Radio Cumbria Sport

7.00 Georgey Spanswick: conversation and music

10.00 Ian Timms; **Fri:** Joe Costin

12.00 ITimms Playlist

1.00am as *Radio 5 Live*

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Derby

Saturday

NEWS: half-hourly 6.30am to 9.00, hourly to 2.00pm, hourly 6.00 to 9.00

WEATHER: 7.32am, 8.32, 9.25, 10.25, 11.25

6.00am Martyn Williams **9.00** Andy Twigg **12.00** Ed Stagg

2.00pm SportsScene: football: Birmingham City v Burton Albion (kick-off **3.00**)

5.00 SportsScene: Reaction

6.00 The Beat: with Dean Jackson **8.00** BBC Introducing in Derbyshire and East Staffordshire

10.00 A Touch of Soul **1.00am** as *Radio 5 Live*

Sunday

NEWS: half-hourly 6.30am to 9.00, hourly to 9.00pm; **WEATHER:** as Saturday

6.00am Dean Peppal

9.00 James Watt **1.00pm** Tony Lyman

4.00 Memorable Melodies: with Mike Carey

6.00 Satvinder Rana

8.00 Devon Daley **10.00** Gagan Grewal **1.00am** as *Radio 5 Live*

Weekdays

NEWS: half-hourly 6.00am to 9.00, hourly to 12 midnight, plus 4.30pm, 5.30, 6.30

WEATHER: 6.33am, 7.26, 8.26, 10.38, 12.33pm, 4.33, 5.30

5.00am Tony Lyman

6.30 Ian Skye

10.00 Sally Pepper

1.00pm Andy Twigg

4.00 Martyn Williams

6.00 Mon: SportsScene Talk-in

7.00 Georgey Spanswick

10.00 Graham Torrington;

Fri: Dean Jackson

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Humberside

Saturday

NEWS: half-hourly 6.30am to 8.00, hourly to 1.00pm; **WEATHER:** half-hourly 6.00am to 1.00pm, plus 8.33am

6.00am Paul Hudson's Weather Show **7.00** Neil Rudd

10.00 Absolutely Clueless

1.00pm Kofi Smiles

2.00 Humberside Sport: football: Blackburn Rovers or Crewe Alexandra v Hull City and Yeovil Town v Grimsby Town

6.00 John Kane's Northern Soul **8.00** BBC Introducing: with Alan Raw **10.00** Jericho Keys **1.00am** as *Radio 5 Live*

Sunday

NEWS: half-hourly 6.00am to 9.00, hourly to 1.00pm; **WEATHER:** half-hourly 6.00am to 2.00pm, plus 9.30am

6.00am Blair Jacobs **8.00** The Great Outdoors: with Blair Jacobs and Doug Stewart

10.00 Lara King **1.00pm** The Sunday Playlist **3.00** Howard Leader **6.00** Westenders

8.00 Henry's Jukebox

10.00 Steve White

1.00am as *Radio 5 Live*

Weekdays

NEWS: half-hourly 5.00am to 9.00, hourly 10.00 to 4.00pm, half-hourly 4.30 to 6.00, hourly 7.00 to 10.00

WEATHER: half-hourly 5.00am to 6.00pm, plus 6.33am, 7.33, 8.33, 4.33pm, 5.33

6.00am Lizzie Rose and Carl Wheatley **9.00** David Burns

12.00 Phil White

3.00pm Andy Comfort
6.00 Mon-Thu: Sportstalk
7.00 Georgey Spanswick
10.00 Russell Walker
1.00am as *Radio 5 Live*

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Lancashire

Saturday

NEWS: half-hourly 7.00am to 1.00pm

WEATHER: with news, plus 7.15am, 8.15

6.00am John Gillmore and Nishma Hindocha **10.00** Steve Royle **12.00** Glen Hunt

2.00pm Matchday Live: football: Oxford United v Blackpool (kick-off **3.00**)

6.00 Sounds like Saturday Night: with Dave Swanton

8.00 BBC Introducing in Lancashire: with Sean McGinty

10.00 Desi Nation

12.00 On the Wire: with Steve Barker

2.00am as *Radio 5 Live*

Sunday

NEWS: as Saturday; **WEATHER:** as news, plus 6.30am, 8.05, 12.05pm

6.00am Joe Wilson **9.00** Ted Robbins **12.00** Lancashire Outdoors **2.00pm** The Country Show **4.00** Unforgettable

6.00 Indus **8.00** The Drift

9.00 Lancashire Bluenotes

10.00 Sunday Night Soul

12.00 as *Radio 5 Live*

Weekdays

NEWS: half-hourly 6.00am to 6.00pm, hourly to 11.00pm; **WEATHER:** as news, plus 7.20am, 8.20, 12.30pm, 4.50, 5.50

6.00am Graham Liver **9.30** Sally Naden and Brett Davison

12.00 John Gillmore; **Fri:** John Gillmore and Nishma Hindocha

4.00pm Gary Hickson

6.00 Sport

7.00 Georgey Spanswick

10.00 Allan Beswick;

Fri: FNAT: with John Clayton and Sean McGinty

1.00am as *Radio 5 Live*

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Leeds

Saturday

NEWS: half-hourly 6.00am to 9.30, then hourly to 1.00pm; **WEATHER:** with news hourly 7.00am to 1.00pm

6.00am Johnny I'Anson

9.00 Nick Ahad

12.00 Larry and Paul

2.00pm West Yorkshire Sport: football: Bolton Wanderers v Huddersfield Town and Port Vale or Yeovil Town v Bradford City

6.00 John Kane's Northern Soul **8.00** BBC Introducing in West Yorkshire: with Alan Raw

10.00 Jericho Keys

1.00am as *Radio 5 Live*

Sunday

NEWS: half-hourly 7.00am to 9.00, hourly to 1.00pm; **WEATHER:** with news hourly 7.00am to 1.00pm

6.00am Johnny I'Anson

9.00 Tim Crowther

11.00 West Yorkshire Sport: football: Newport County v Leeds United (kick-off **12.00**)

3.00pm Neil Foster

5.00 Paul Hudson's Weather Show **6.00** Connections

8.00 The Durbervilles
9.00 Gary Copley
10.00 Steve White
1.00am as *Radio 5 Live*

Weekdays

NEWS: half-hourly 6.00am to 9.00, 12 noon to 2.00pm, and 4.00 to 7.00, elsewhere hourly; **WEATHER:** with news every hour 6.00am to 10.00pm

5.00am Steve Bailey

6.00 Liz Green

9.00 Richard Stead

12.00 Andrew Edwards

3.00pm Gayle Lofthouse

6.00 West Yorkshire Sport

7.00 *MW* as *Asian Network*

7.00 *FM* Georgey Spanswick

10.00 Russell Walker

1.00am as *Radio 5 Live*

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Lincolnshire

Saturday

NEWS: hourly 7.00am to 1.00pm, plus 7.30am, 8.30

WEATHER: 7.20am, 8.45, 11.45, 1.45pm

6.00am Rod Whiting **9.00** Chris Berrow **12.00** Solid Gold

Saturday: with Melvyn Prior

2.00pm Hope and Glory: football: Boston United v Tamworth, and Blyth Spartans v Gainsborough Trinity (kick-offs **3.00**)

6.00 The Beat: presented by Dean Jackson

8.00 BBC Introducing in Lincolnshire: with Chris Berrow

10.00 A Touch of Soul

1.00am as *Radio 5 Live*

Sunday

NEWS: hourly 7.00am to 1.00pm

WEATHER: 7.03am, 8.45

6.00am Rod Whiting

7.00 Lincolnshire Farming: with Alan Stennett

7.30 Rod Whiting

9.00 Gardening Phone-in

10.00 Pirate Gold

1.00pm Poachings

3.00 Howard Leader

6.00 Westenders: with Chloe Davies and Jonathan Parker

8.00 Henry Ayrton's Jukebox

10.00 Keith Skues

1.00am as *Radio 5 Live*

Weekdays

NEWS: hourly 6.00am to 7.00pm, plus 6.3

Frequencies

Newcastle

Saturday
NEWS: half-hourly 7.00am to 9.00, hourly 10.00 to 1.00pm
WEATHER: 7.57am, 8.57, 9.57, 11.57
6.00am Stephanie Finnon
9.00 Sue Sweeney
12.00 Sport: football: Middlesbrough v Sunderland, the FA Cup third-round fixture, at the Riverside Stadium (kick-off **1.00**); Newcastle United v Luton Town, the FA Cup third-round match at St James' Park (kick-off **3.00**) **5.00** Sport
6.00 Beat Surrender
8.00 BBC Introducing in the North East: with Nick Roberts
10.00 Chris Donald's Soul Club
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

Sunday
NEWS AND WEATHER: as Saturday
6.00am Sunday Breakfast
9.00 Garden Mania
10.00 Sue Sweeney **2.00pm** FM only until 4.40 Gilly Hope
2.55 MW Sport: rugby union: Newcastle Falcons v Exeter Chiefs, the Premiership fixture at Kingston Park (kick-off **3.00**)
6.00 Michael Poulter **10.00** The Late Show: with Steffen Peddie **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Weekdays
NEWS: every 15 mins from 6.30am to 9.00, half-hourly to 4.00pm and every 15 mins from 4.15 to 5.30, then 6.00; WEATHER: 6.57am, 7.57, 8.57, 11.57, 12.57pm, 4.57, 5.57
5.00am Music Mix **6.00** Gilly Hope **7.00** Alfie and Anna at Breakfast **10.00** Lisa Shaw **12.00** Simon Logan
4.00pm Today's North East
5.30 Total Sport
7.00 Georgy Spanswick
10.00 Paddy MacDee; **Mon:** Steffen Peddie **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live
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Sheffield

Saturday
NEWS: hourly 7.00am to 2.00pm, plus 6.30am, 7.30, 8.30
WEATHER: hourly 7.00am to 2.00pm
6.00am Kat Harbourne **7.00** Kat Cowan **10.00** Steve White
1.00pm Live-ish
2.00 Football Heaven: the day's football news
3.00 Football Heaven Live
5.00 Praise or Grumble
6.30 Northern Soul and Motown: with John Kane
8.00 BBC Introducing in Sheffield: with Christian Carlisle
10.00 Jericho Keys
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

Sunday
NEWS: hourly 7.00am to 2.00pm, plus 7.30am, 8.30; WEATHER: as Saturday
6.00am Sarah Major **7.00** Kat Cowan **9.00** In the Garden: with Neil Grant and Kat Cowan
10.00 The Rob Rouse Roadshow **12.00** Paul Hudson's Weather Show
1.00pm Yorkshire Brass
3.00 Gerry Kersey
6.00 Eastern Air
9.00 MW Aap Ki Baat
9.00 FM Kat Harbourne
10.00 FM only until 11.00 Steve White **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Weekdays

NEWS: hourly 6.00am to 10.00pm, plus half-hourly 6.30am to 12.30pm, 3.30 to 5.30
WEATHER: hourly 6.00am to 7.00pm
5.00am Steve Bailey
7.00 Toby Foster
9.00 The Phone-in
10.00 Paulette Edwards
1.00pm Rony Robinson
3.00 The Golden Year
4.00 MW as Asian Network
4.00 FM Howard Pressman
6.00 FM Football Heaven
7.00 FM Georgy Spanswick
10.00 FM Russell Walker
1.00am as Radio 5 Live
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Stoke

Saturday
NEWS: hourly 7.00am to 1.00pm, plus 20 minute updates; WEATHER: every 20 minutes from 7.00am to 1.00pm
6.00am Stuart Ellis and Jodie Looker **10.00** Den Siegertsz
2.00pm Sport: football: Coventry City v Stoke City, the FA Cup third-round fixture at the Ricoh Arena (kick-off **3.00**)
5.00 Praise and Grumble
6.00 Richard Searling's Northern Soul
8.00 BBC Introducing from Stoke: with Rob Adcock
10.00 Alex Lester
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

Sunday
NEWS AND WEATHER: as Saturday
6.00am Tim Wedgwood
6.30 In Praise of God
7.00 Tim Wedgwood
9.00 Stuart Ellis and Jodie Looker **12.00** Terry Walsh
2.30pm In Praise of God (R)
3.00 Paula White
6.00 Ajmal Hussain
8.00 Jazz: with John Hellings
10.00 Gagan Grewal
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

Weekdays
NEWS: hourly 5.00am to 7.00pm, plus 20 minute updates; WEATHER: every 20 minutes from 5.00am to 7.00pm
5.00am Den Siegertsz **7.00** Liz and John at Breakfast
10.00 Perry Spiller
1.00pm Louise Stones
4.00 Stuart George
6.00 Sport at Six
7.00 Georgy Spanswick
10.00 Graham Torrington; **Fri:** Colin Young's Trunk of Funk
1.00am as Radio 5 Live
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Tees

Saturday
NEWS: half-hourly 7.00am to 1.00pm
WEATHER: 7.45am, 8.45, 9.45, 11.57pm
6.00am Scott Makin
9.00 Gary Philipson
12.00 Goffy
2.00pm Sport: football: Middlesbrough v Sunderland and Dagenham & Redbridge v Hartlepool United
6.00 Beat Surrender: presented by Nick Roberts
8.00 BBC Tees Introducing: hosted by Bob Fischer
10.00 Chris Donald's Soul Club
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

Sunday

NEWS AND WEATHER: as Saturday
6.00am Mike Hill
9.00 Bridg and Dave
11.00 The Gardening Hour
12.00 Goffy
2.00pm Vintage Vinyl: hosted by Colin Bunyan
5.00 Songs from the Shows: presented by Alex Hall
7.00 Braithwaite's Country: hosted by Paul Braithwaite
9.00 Michael Poulter
10.00 The Late Show: with Steffen Peddie
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

Weekdays
NEWS: half-hourly 6.00am to 6.00pm
WEATHER: 6.45am, 7.45, 8.45, 1.45pm, 4.45, 5.45
6.00am Neil Green and Amy Oakden: music and chat
9.00 Mike Parr
12.00 Bob Fischer
4.00pm Gary Philipson
6.00 Sport
7.00 Georgy Spanswick: conversation and music
10.00 Paddy MacDee: with The Late Show; **Mon:** Steffen Peddie
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Saturday
NEWS: half-hourly 7.00am to 1.00pm
WEATHER: 7.30am, 8.30, 9.30, plus each hour after news
6.00am Owain Wyn Evans
9.00 Finders Keepers
12.00 Ross Dickinson
2.00pm Sport: football commentary and updates, featuring Darlington v York City and Chorley v Harrogate Town
6.00 John Kane's Northern Soul
8.00 BBC Introducing in York and North Yorkshire
10.00 Jericho Keys
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

Sunday
NEWS AND WEATHER: as Saturday
6.00am Jonathan Cowap
9.00 Julia Lewis
12.00 Paul Hudson's Weather Show
1.00pm Yorkshire Brass
3.00 Neil Foster **6.00** Dr Rock
7.00 Gary Copley
8.00 Henry's Jukebox
10.00 Steve White
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

Weekdays
NEWS: half-hourly from 6.00am to 7.00pm, then hourly until 10.00
WEATHER: 7.30am, 8.30, 12.30pm, 5.30, 6.30, plus each hour after news
5.00am Steve Bailey
6.00 Joanita Musisi
9.00 Jonathan Cowap
12.00 Adam Tomlinson and Anna Wallace
4.00pm Jules Bellerby
6.30 Fri: Weekend Sports Preview: a look ahead
7.00 Georgy Spanswick: conversation and music
10.00 Russell Walker
1.00am as Radio 5 Live
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Saturday
NEWS: SPORT: TRAVEL: WEATHER hourly 8.00am to 12 noon
NEWS HEADLINES 2.00pm
NEWS: SPORT: WEATHER 6.00am, 7.00, 5.30pm, 7.00, hourly 9.00 to 12 midnight
OUTDOOR CONDITIONS 7.03am, 7.03pm
6.00am Personal Best: Gillian Russell takes a reflective look back over the past year of *Personal Best* (R)
6.30 Out of Doors: join Mark Stephen and Euan McIlwraith for the latest outdoor activities from Shetland to the Borders
8.00 Good Morning Scotland: the nation's morning news programme, presented by Isabel Fraser and Bill Whiteford
10.00 Shereen: current affairs discussion presented by Shereen Nanjiani
11.30 Stop the Press Special: special episode looking forward to the sporting, cultural and more unusual events that are taking place in 2018 (R)
12.05pm MW Sportsound: magazine offering a Scottish slant on the football world
12.05 FM Off the Ball: football forum, with light-hearted features and competitions. Presented by Tam Cowan and Stuart Cosgrove
2.00 Sportsound: coverage of the day's sport, including live commentary, breaking news, interviews and analysis
5.35 Off the Ball: football forum, with light-hearted features and competitions
7.05 Take the Floor: Gary Innes introduces music for dancing
9.05 Pipeline: Gary West with the latest music and news from the piping world
10.05 Billy Sloan: the host introduces music and features
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

Sunday
NEWS: SPORT: WEATHER hourly 6.00am to 12 noon, 3.00pm, 4.00, 5.00, 7.00 to 11.00
OUTDOOR CONDITIONS 7.03am, 7.03pm
6.00am Brainwaves: Pennie Latin talks to Sarah Gray about donating her child's tissue to scientific research (R)
6.30 New Every Sunday: an act of worship with the Reverend Ian Galloway
7.30 The Kitchen Café: food magazine (R)
8.00 Good Morning Scotland
10.05 Sunday Morning with Cathy Macdonald: Richard Holloway explores how Artificial Intelligence will define our future
12.05pm Sportsound: magazine offering a Scottish slant on the football world
3.00 The Quay Sessions with Roddy Hart: the best moments from the second series (R)
5.05 Take the Floor: music for dancing (R)
7.05 The Jazz House: Seonaid Aitken presents a special programme celebrating women in jazz (R)
9.05 St Andrews Night Special 2017: a special celebration from St Andrew's Day 2017
11.05 Iain Anderson: featuring blues, country, folk, soul and rock 'n' roll
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

Weekdays

NEWS: SPORT: TRAVEL: WEATHER hourly 6.00am to 6.00pm
NEWS: SPORT: WEATHER 7.30pm, hourly 9.00 to 12 midnight
OUTDOOR CONDITIONS 6.07pm
6.00am Good Morning Scotland: presented by Gary Robertson and Hayley Millar
9.00 The Kaye Adams Programme: phone-in show
12.00 John Beattie: news, comment and discussion
1.30pm Personal Best: fitness news and advice
2.05 The Janice Forsyth Show: arts, music and culture news from around the country
4.00 Newsdrive: news and sport, with Mhairi Stuart
6.30 MW Sportsound: magazine offering a Scottish slant on the football world
6.30 FM only until 7.30
Get It On: music request show
9.05 Vic Galloway: featuring live sessions and new material from alternative artists
11.05 Iain Anderson: blues, folk, soul and rock 'n' roll
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

Tuesday
1.30pm-2.05 Our Story: Mark Stephen hears stories of north-east Scotland's past
9.05 Another Country with Ricky Ross: Americana and alternative country (R)
11.05-1.00am Roddy Hart: two hours of the best music, spanning the decades
Wednesday
1.30pm-2.05 Brainwaves: efforts to save the endangered Scottish wildcat
9.05 Travelling Folk: hosted by Bruce MacGregor
11.05-1.00am Vic Galloway: live sessions and new material from alternative artists (R)

Thursday
12.00 John Beattie: with First Minister's Questions
1.30pm-2.05 The Kitchen Café: the team encourages listeners to try something new
9.05 The Quay Sessions with Roddy Hart: a selection of live musical performances (R)
11.05-1.00am Natasha Raskin Sharp: eclectic music mix

Friday
NEWS: SPORT: TRAVEL: WEATHER as Monday
NEWS: SPORT: WEATHER 7.30pm, hourly 10.00 to 12 midnight
OUTDOOR CONDITIONS as Monday
9.00am-12.00 The Stephen Jardine Programme: the broadcaster gives listeners a chance to voice their opinions on today's news
1.30pm The Funny Life of... **New series.** Julia Sutherland meets comedian Scott Agnew
2.05 Winter Weekend: presented by Edi Stark
3.30-4.00 Round Two: comedy drama by Tessa Gibbs
6.30 Sportsound: round up
8.05 Another Country with Ricky Ross: Americana and alternative country
10.05-1.00am Michelle McManus: music from Broadway to the charts
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Rock 2 MW 99.9 (Preston/Blackpool)
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Face behind the voice

Nick Barnes BBC Radio Newcastle



Age 54

Current job Football commentator for BBC Newcastle, covering Sunderland matches since 2003. He writes a weekly preview on the club's website and occasionally reports on football for BBC's *Look North*.

CV Brought up in Devon, he studied English at the University of Kent, joining BBC Radio Devon as a travel reporter in 1986. Moved to BBC Radio Cumbria (1988-98) and worked for BBC Radio Sport in London across the national networks, before joining BBC Newcastle in 1998. Won a Sony award for his coverage of Carlisle United while at Radio Cumbria.

Best moment "Travelling on the team bus to Wembley with Carlisle United for the Autoglass Trophy Final in 1995. Great occasion, even though they lost."

Worst moment "My first day for BBC Radio Sport at Broadcasting House. I was told I was to have a week's training but was suddenly thrown in for a Radio 1 bulletin shift. And with no script because the printer had broken down."

Off-air "I live in a flat in Gateshead, down by the Tyne. Spare time is often spent walking with my partner, Joanne, and her two border terriers. I have two children from a previous relationship – Will, 19, and Daisy, 17."

First radio memory "The Radio 2 midweek football commentaries with Peter Jones and Bryon Butler."

Favourite broadcasters "5 Live's John Murray – a consummate commentator and the ultimate professional, with a wonderful voice. And, of course, Wogan was the boss."

Ambition "To have facsimiles of my match notebooks published. They're a bit of a work of art, because I decorate them with coloured drawings of club and international crests."

Dream job "What I'm doing now has always been my dream."

Secret skills "I do a lot of drawing and painting. I enjoy cooking. And I've walked all the Wainwrights – the 214 fells listed by Alfred Wainwright in the Lake District." **DAVID GILLARD**

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Saturday

NEWS: SPORT: TRAVEL: WEATHER hourly 8.00am to 12 noon
NEWS HEADLINES 2.00pm
NEWS: SPORT: TRAVEL: WEATHER 6.00am, 7.00, 5.30pm, 7.00, hourly 9.00 to 12 midnight
OUTDOOR CONDITIONS 7.03am, 7.03pm

6.00am Personal Best
Gillian Russell takes a reflective look back over the past year of *Personal Best*, and shares some of her favourite health, wellbeing and fitness tips for the New Year. Repeated from last Monday

6.30 Out of Doors
Join Mark Stephen and Euan McLlraith for the latest outdoor activities from Shetland to the Borders. Email: outofdoors@bbc.co.uk

8.00 Good Morning Scotland
The nation's morning news programme, with Isabel Fraser and Bill Whiteford.

10.00 Shereen
Current affairs discussion presented by Shereen Nanjiani, in which she is joined by special guests to discuss the week's biggest stories.

11.30 Stop the Press Special
Grant Stott pits professionals against journalists, looking forward to the sporting, cultural and more unusual events that are taking place in 2018. Repeated from last Tuesday

MW only until 2.00
12.05pm Sportsound
Comprehensive coverage of the day's sport, including live commentary, breaking news, interviews, analysis and discussion. Text 80295. @BBCSportsound on social media

FM only
12.05–2.00pm Off the Ball
Irreverent football forum, with light-hearted features and competitions. Presented by Tam Cowan and Stuart Cosgrove. Call 08085 929500 or text 80295. Email: offtheball@bbc.co.uk

5.35 Off the Ball
A post-match edition of the light-hearted football forum, featuring analysis of the day's results. Tam Cowan and Stuart Cosgrove present. Call 08085 929500 or text 80295. Email: offtheball@bbc.co.uk

7.05 Take the Floor
Gary Innes introduces music for dancing. Plus tracks from new CDs and listeners' favourites. Repeated tomorrow 5.05pm Email: takethefloor@bbc.co.uk

9.05 Pipeline
Gary West introduces music and a round-up of news from the piping world. Email: pipeline@bbc.co.uk

10.05 Billy Sloan
The host introduces a range of music and features, and Scottish celebrities look back at their favourite gigs.

1.00am–6.00 as Radio 5 Live

Sunday

NEWS: SPORT: WEATHER hourly 6.00am to 12 noon, 3.00pm, 4.00, 5.00, 7.00 to 11.00
OUTDOOR CONDITIONS 7.03am, 7.03pm

6.00am Brainwaves
Pennie Latin discusses child tissue donation with parent Sarah Gray and Joanne Mullarkey of the University of Bradford. Repeated from last Wednesday

6.30 New Every Sunday
An act of worship with the Reverend Ian Galloway of Gorbals Parish Church, Glasgow.

7.30 The Kitchen Café
Magazine celebrating the role food plays in Scottish life, with contributions from leading chefs, recipe ideas and a look at the latest nutritional trends. Repeated from last Thursday

8.00 Good Morning Scotland
The nation's morning news programme, including analysis and debate of recent stories, and a look forward to the big events of the coming week.

10.05 Sunday Morning with Richard Holloway
The presenter is joined by artist Peter Howson to explore how Artificial Intelligence will define our future.

12.05pm Sportsound
The magazine which offers a Scottish slant on football. Get the latest stories, hear from the key figures, and put them on the spot. Text 80295. @BBCSportsound on social media

3.00 The Quay Sessions with Roddy Hart
Roddy looks back at some of the best moments from the second series, featuring music from Jack Savoretti, Edwyn Collins, the Divine Comedy and the Charlatans. Repeated from last Thursday

5.05 Take the Floor
Gary Innes introduces music for dancing. Plus tracks from new CDs as well as some listeners' favourites. Repeated from yesterday 7.05pm

7.05 The Jazz House
Seonaid Aitken presents a special edition celebrating women in jazz, with music from Nina Simone, Terri Lyne Carrington and Lil Hardin Armstrong. Repeat

9.05 St Andrews Night Special
Another chance to hear music and poetry in a celebration from St Andrew's Day 2017, featuring singer Siobhan Miller and fiddler Aly Bain.

11.05 Iain Anderson
A chance to end the day in the company of the songwriting masters of blues, country, folk, soul and rock 'n' roll.

1.00am–6.00 as Radio 5 Live

Monday

NEWS: SPORT: TRAVEL: WEATHER hourly 6.00am to 6.00pm
NEWS: SPORT: TRAVEL: WEATHER 7.30pm, hourly 9.00 to 12 midnight
OUTDOOR CONDITIONS 6.07pm
LOCAL NEWS Dumfries, Aberdeen, Inverness, Selkirk: 6.30am, 7.30, 8.30, 12.30pm, 4.30, 5.30; Orkney: 7.30am, 12.30pm, 6.10; Shetland: 12.30pm, 5.30, 6.07

6.00am Good Morning Scotland
The nation's morning news programme, presented by Gary Robertson and Hayley Millar. With travel reports every 15 minutes. Weather at **6.29, 6.59, 7.29 and 7.59**. Business updates at **6.15, 6.50, 7.40 and 8.35**. Sports reports at **6.08, 6.25, 7.08, 7.25, 8.08 and 8.25**.

9.00 The Kaye Adams Programme
Listeners get a chance to have their say on the day's biggest stories and most pressing issues on the phone-in show. To share an opinion on the day's talking points, call 08085 929500 or text 80295. Email: kaye@bbc.co.uk

12.00 John Beattie
The host introduces news, comment and discussion on the day's hot topics.

1.30pm Personal Best
Gillian Russell aims to inspire listeners to get the most out of life with a mix of inspiring personal stories, expert advice and the latest news about fitness, both mental and physical. She also provides reviews of life-enhancing apps and technology, and tips on maintaining a healthy diet.

2.05 The Janice Forsyth Show
The presenter explores the latest arts, music and culture news from around the country.

4.00 Newsdrive
Breaking news and sport from Scotland and around the world, presented by Mhairi Stuart. Including travel updates every 15 minutes.

MW only
6.30–7.30 Sportsound
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FM only until 7.30
6.30 Get It On... with Bryan Burnett
Music show in which listeners can text or email in their requests. Text 80295. Email: getiton@bbc.co.uk

9.05 Another Country with Ricky Ross
The presenter enters the landscape of Americana and alternative country. Repeat

FM only until 7.30
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9.05 Vic Galloway
Featuring live sessions, new material from alternative artists, forthcoming releases and first plays for Scotland's best new bands. Text 80295. Repeated Wednesday 11.05pm Email: vicgalloway@bbc.co.uk

11.05 Iain Anderson
An opportunity for listeners to end the day in the company of the songwriting masters of blues, country, folk, soul and rock 'n' roll.

1.00am–6.00 as Radio 5 Live

Tuesday

NEWS: SPORT: TRAVEL: WEATHER: OUTDOOR CONDITIONS: LOCAL NEWS as Monday

6.00am Good Morning Scotland
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12.00 John Beattie
The host introduces news, comment and discussion on the day's hot topics.

1.30pm Our Story
Mark Stephen hears stories of north-east Scotland's past, told by the people who are part of the region's history.

2.05 The Janice Forsyth Show
The presenter explores the latest arts, music and culture news from around the country.

4.00 Newsdrive
With Mhairi Stuart. Including travel updates every 15 minutes.

MW only
6.30–7.30 Sportsound
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FM only until 7.30
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Music show in which listeners can text or email in their requests. Text 80295. Email: getiton@bbc.co.uk

9.05 Travelling Folk
Bruce MacGregor introduces the best in folk music, with previews of the latest releases, plus a listener's favourite three tracks of all time.

11.05 Vic Galloway
Featuring live sessions, new material from alternative artists, forthcoming releases and first plays for Scotland's best new bands. Repeated from Monday 9.05pm
1.00am–6.00 as Radio 5 Live

11.05 Roddy Hart
Join Roddy Hart for two hours of the best music, spanning the decades. Playing anything from old favourites and the classics to great new material from current artists and the odd lesser-known gem.

1.00am–6.00 as Radio 5 Live

Wednesday

NEWS: SPORT: TRAVEL: WEATHER: OUTDOOR CONDITIONS: LOCAL NEWS as Monday

6.00am Good Morning Scotland
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1.30pm Brainwaves
Pennie Latin explores efforts to save the Scottish Wildcat, meeting researchers, conservationists and scientists who are trying save them.

2.05 The Janice Forsyth Show
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4.00 Newsdrive
Breaking news and sport from Scotland and around the world, presented by Mhairi Stuart. Including travel updates every 15 minutes.

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11.05 Vic Galloway
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1.00am–6.00 as Radio 5 Live

Frequencies

Thursday

NEWS: SPORT: TRAVEL: WEATHER:
OUTDOOR CONDITIONS: LOCAL NEWS
as Monday

6.00am Good Morning Scotland

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9.00 The Kaye Adams Programme

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12.00 John Beattie

The host introduces news, comment and discussion on the day's hot topics, with contributions by the sports, travel and weather teams. Including at 12.00 live coverage of First Minister's Question Time, as Nicola Sturgeon fields queries in the Scottish Parliament.

1.30pm The Kitchen Café

Neil Forbes, Sumayya Usmani and chef Andy Cumming encourage listeners to try something new in the kitchen, including recipes with ingredients such as polenta and a range of spices.

2.05 The Janice Forsyth Show

The presenter explores the latest arts, music and culture news from around the country.

4.00 Newsdrive

Breaking news and sport, with Mhairi Stuart. Including travel updates every 15 minutes.

MW only

6.30-7.30 Sportsound

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FM only until 7.30

6.30 Get It On...

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9.05 The Quay Sessions with Roddy Hart

A selection of live musical performances staged in front of an audience gathered at the Foyer at BBC Radio Scotland's Pacific Quay studio. Repeat

11.05 Natasha Raskin Sharp

The TV antiques presenter shares an eclectic mix of music from classic rock to alternative releases. Plus features *Natasha's Job Lot Vinyl Auction* and *Jazz Corner*.

1.00am-6.00 as Radio 5 Live

Friday

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as Monday

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9.00 The Stephen Jardine Programme

The broadcast journalist gives listeners an assessment of the day's news, and provides them with an opportunity to voice their opinions on the latest stories. Call 08085 929500 or text 80295.

12.00 John Beattie

The host introduces news, comment and discussion on the day's hot topics, with contributions by the sports, travel and weather teams.

1.30pm The Funny Life of... New series.

Julia Sutherland has an in-depth chat with comedian Scott Agnew about his life and how it has influenced his art.

2.05 Winter Weekend

Edi Stark and guests suggest ways to fill the short days and dark nights of winter.

3.30 Round Two

Comedy drama by Tessa Gibbs. When Maggie finds out her husband is having an affair with a younger woman, she finds an unconventional way of attempting to save her marriage. However, she realises that swapping places with her husband's mistress might not be the best idea, since it is hard to enjoy dates with someone who has broken your heart. But with Christmas around the corner, she needs to figure out exactly what to do. Starring Vicki Masson.

4.00 Newsdrive

Breaking news and sport, with Mhairi Stuart. Including travel updates every 15 minutes.

6.30 Sportsound

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8.05 Another Country with Ricky Ross

The host enters the landscape of Americana and alternative country, playing existing classics and future ones too.

10.05-1.00am Michelle McManus

Michelle introduces music from Broadway to the charts.

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10.05 Fàilt' air an Dùthaich
Ceòl Ceilteach agus fiosrachadh air de a tha dol agaibhse gach feasgar.

11.05 Tìompan

Ceòl Ceilteach, CDs ùra, cò a tha cluich càite? Le prògram beò agus beòthail cumaidh Mairead NicIllinnein a' dol sibh.

12.05pm-1.00 Aileag

A' comharrachadh 20 bliadhna bho thòisich foghlam tro mheadhan na Gàidhlig ann am Bun-sgoil Onthank.
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Didòmhnaich

9.00am Dèanamaid Adhradh
Seirbhis à tasglann a' BhBC.
ath-chraoladh aig 3pm

9.30 Còmhradh le Iain Iain Crichton Mac a' Ghobhainn a' còmhradh ri Aonghas MacNeacail nuair a bha e 60.

10.30 An Litir Bheag
Litir Bheag na seachdain 'sa le Ruaraidh MacIleathain.

10.35 Dà Sgeulachd bho Iain An sgrìobhaiche Iain Crichton Mac a' Ghobhainn a' leughadh dà sgeulachd ghoirid.

11.05 Sruth na Maoile
Ceol a' Eirinn is Alba còmhla ri Mairi Anna NicUalraig agus Sean O'Heanaigh.

12.00 Tiugainn a Dhannsa
Ailean Caimbeul le ceòl a' bhogs bho leithid Donnchadh MacFhionghuin, Ailean Gardiner, agus Skipinnish.

1.00pm Còmhradh Ciùil
Eòghann MacEanraig a' còmhradh ri luchd-ciùil mu na h-innealan-ciùil aca.

1.30 Crùnlath Ceòl na pioba còmhla ri Cailean MacIleathain.

2.30 Leugh an Leabhar
Prògram leabharraichean còmhla ri Mark Wringe.

3.00 Dèanamaid Adhradh
3.30-4.00 Aillelulia Iain MacFhionghain le measgachadh de laoidhean, sailm agus sgeulachdan mu chreideamh.

9.00 Dèanamaid Adhradh
Tasglann Seirbheis còmhla ris an Urr Niall Seathach, Eaglais Shaor Chalanais bho 1995.

9.30 Beag air Bheag
Prògram airson luchd-ionnsachaidh na Gàidhlig còmhla ri Iain Urchardan.
ath-chraoladh Diciadain aig 10pm

10.30-10.35 Litir do Luchd-ionnsachaidh
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ath-chraoladh Diciadain aig 11pm

9.05 Coinneach Maclomhair
Còmhradh, conaltradh agus cnuasachadh gach là.
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10.05 A' Mire ri Mòir

12.05pm Seachdainean sa Chogadh
Na bha tachair sa Chiad Chogadh ceud bliadhna an ama seo. Le Gilleasbuig MacDhòmhnaill.
ath-chraoladh aig 10pm/Didòmhnaich

12.35 Feasgar
Naidheachdan, deasbad, ceòl, is cur-seachad aig àm bidh.

2.05 Caithream Ciùil

Ceòl Gàidhealach 's Ceilteach agus fiosrachadh air de a tha dol agaibhse gach feasgar.
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4.05 Fàilt' air an Dùthaich
Ceòl Ceilteach agus fiosrachadh air de a tha dol agaibhse gach feasgar.
ath-chraoladh aig 10.30pm/Disathairne

5.00 Aithris an Fheasgair
Naidheachdan nàiseanta is ionadail o Dhluain gu Dihaoine.

5.30 Siubhal gu Seachd le Pluto
Ceòl agus fealla-dhà! Orain "Charts" na seachdain-sa bho bhliadhna shònraichte. Sùil air spòrs ionadail, nàiseanta agus eadar-nàiseanta.
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7.00 Breab do Rapal
Measgachadh de na criomagan as fheàrr bho Breab do Rapal ann an 2017.
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9.05 Coinneach Maclomhair
10.00 Seachdainean sa Chogadh

10.30-11.30 Fàilt' air an Dùthaich
Ceòl Ceilteach agus fiosrachadh air de a tha dol agaibhse gach feasgar.

Dimàirt
Mar Diluain ach:

12.05pm-12.35 Sgeulachd Beatha
Seonaidh Ailig Mac a' Phearsain a' còmhradh ri Annella Nicleòid mu bheatha thràth.
ath-chraoladh aig 10pm

4.05-5.00 Sruth na Maoile
Ceol a' Eirinn is Alba còmhla ri Mairi Anna NicUalraig agus Sean O'Heanaigh.
ath-chraoladh aig 10.30pm/Didòmhnaich

7.00-9.00 Rapal
Tha Emma a' toirt sùil air ais air na seiseanan-ciùil a bh' air Rapal ann an 2017.
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FON AN ASGAIDH: 08000 967050

10.00 Sgeulachd Beatha
10.30-11.30 Sruth na Maoile

Diciadain
Mar Diluain ach:

12.05pm-12.35 Beag air Bheag
Prògram airson luchd-ionnsachaidh na Gàidhlig còmhla ri Iain Urchardan.
ath-chraoladh Diciadain aig 10pm

7.00-9.00 Rapal
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Diciadain
Mar Diluain ach:

7.00-9.00 Rapal

10.00 Beag air Bheag
Prògram airson luchd-ionnsachaidh na Gàidhlig còmhla ri Iain Urchardan.

11.00 Litir do Luchd-ionnsachaidh
Litir do luchd-ionnsachaidh le Ruaraidh MacIleathain.

11.05-12.05am Tiugainn a Dhannsa

Diardaoin
Mar Diluain ach:

12.05pm-12.35 Air Mo Chuir le Ealasaid
Chaimbeul 4/10. An leabhar aig Ealasaid, tidsear à Barraigh air a' leughadh le Màiri Liz NicFhionghuin.
ath-chraoladh aig 10.10pm/Didòmhnaich

4.05 Crùnlath Ceòl na pioba còmhla ri Cailean MacIleathain.
ath-chraoladh aig 10.40pm/Didòmhnaich

7.00 Rapal

9.05 Seachdain sa Chogadh
Dàibhidh Lloyd-George agus Woodrow Wilson a' dèanamh òraidean chudromach.
ath-chraoladh aig 11.50am

9.15 Coinneach Maclomhair

10.10 Air Mo Chuir le Ealasaid Chaimbeul

10.40-11.40 Crùnlath

Dihaoine
Mar Diluain ach:

10.05am A' Mire ri Mòir

11.50 Seachdain sa Chogadh
Dàibhidh Lloyd-George agus Woodrow Wilson a' dèanamh òraidean chudromach.

12.05pm-12.35 Rogha is Tagha
Taghadh a' prògraman na seachdain.
ath-chraoladh aig 5.30pm/Didòmhnaich

2.05 Aileag
Prògram don chloinn le ceòl, còmhradh, fiosrachadh agus fealla-dhà.
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3.05-4.00 Caithream Ciùil

5.30 Rogha is Tagha

6.05 Na Dùrachdan
Mairead NicIllinnein is Ailig Bhaltois le ceòl, òrain is fealla-dhà. Fònaibh gu 08000 967050 le ur dùrachdan.

8.00 Tìompan

9.00 Mac Ille Mhicheil

11.00-12.00 Coinneach Maclomhair

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ORKNEY
Weekdays

7.30am-8.00 Around Orkney
6.10pm-7.00 Mon: Moved by Music; Tue: On the Border; Wed: Whassigo; Thu: In Conversation; Fri: Friday Requests
PHONE: 01856 873939
Fax: 01856 872908
Email: radio.orkney@bbc.co.uk

SHETLAND
Weekdays

5.30pm-6.00 Good Evening Shetland
6.10-7.00 Fri: Give Us a Tune
PHONE: 01595 694747
Fax: 01595 694307
Email: radio.shetland@bbc.co.uk

National

BBC Radio 1* FM 97.7-99.7
BBC Radio 2* FM 88.1-90.1
BBC Radio 3* FM 90.3-92.3
BBC Radio 4 FM 94.6-96.1, 103.5-104.9, LW 198, MW 1449 (Aberdeen, LW prog)
BBC Radio 5 Live MW 693, 909
BBC Radio Scotland FM 92.5-94.7, MW 810, 585 (Dumfries)
BBC Radio nan Gaidheal FM 103.5-104.9 (carries R4 in some parts), MW 990 (Aberdeen)
Classic FM 99.9-101.9
Talksport MW 1053, 1089
Absolute MW 1215, 1242
Above stations also on Freeview (*not Sat 4pm-lam, Sun 4pm-12 midnight, weekdays 5pm-12 midnight), plus satellite, cable, internet and DAB (Radio Scotland MW service only).

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Argyll FM 106.5, 107.1, 107.7 (Campbeltown)
BBC Cumbria FM 95.6 (Carlisle), 96.1 (Morecambe Bay), 95.2 (Kendal), 104.1 (Whitehaven/Keswick), 104.2 (Windermere), MW 756 (Carlisle), 837 (Barrow-in-Furness), 1458 (Whitehaven)
Capital 106.1 (Glasgow), 105.7 (Edinburgh)
Central FM 103.1 (Stirling/ Falkirk/Clackmannanshire)
CFM 102.2 (Workington), 102.5 (Penrith), 103.4 (Whitehaven), 96.4 (Carlisle)
Clyde 1 FM 102.3 (Rothesay), 102.5 (Glasgow), 103.3 (Firth of Clyde), 97 (Vale of Leven)
Clyde 2 MW 1152 (Glasgow)
Cuillin FM 106.2, 102.7 (Skye/Lochalsh)
Forth 1 FM 97.3, 97.6 (Edinburgh), 102.2 (Penicuik)
Forth 2 MW 1548 (Edinburgh)
Heart FM 101.1 (Edinburgh/Rosneath), 100.3 (Glasgow), 103.3 (Penicuik)
Heartland FM 97.5 (Pitlochry/Aberfeldy), 106.6 (Perth)
Isles FM 103 (Western Isles)
Kingdom FM 105.4 (St Andrews), 106.3 (The East Neuk), 95.2 (West Fife), 96.1 (Central & East Fife), 96.6 (Kirkcaldy)
Lochroom FM 102.2 (Ullapool), 96.8 (North West Scotland)
Mearns FM 105.7 (Stonehaven), 106.2 (Inverberie), 107.3 (Laurencekirk)
MFR FM 96.6 (Speysound), 96.7 (Fraserburgh), 97.4 (Highlands/Moray/Aberdeenshire), 102.5 (Caitness), 102.8 (Keith)
MFR Two MW 1107 (Inverness)
NECR FM 97.1 (Braemar/Turriff), 101.9 (Ballater), 102.1 (Inverurie), 102.6 (Kildrumny), 103.2 (Colpy), 106.4 (Strathdon)
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Original FM 106 (Aberdeen)
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Smooth Radio FM 105.2 (Glasgow)
Tay FM MW 102.8 (Dundee), 96.4 (Perth)
Tay 2 MW 1161 (Dundee), 1584 (Perth)
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West Sound AM MW 1035 (Ayrshire)
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BBC Radio Ulster

Face behind the voice

Nick Barnes BBC Radio Newcastle



Age 54

Current job Football commentator for BBC Newcastle, covering Sunderland matches since 2003. He writes a weekly preview on the club's website and occasionally reports on football for BBC's *Look North*.

CV Brought up in Devon, he studied English at the University of Kent, joining BBC Radio Devon as a travel reporter in 1986. Moved to BBC Radio Cumbria (1988-98) and worked for BBC Radio Sport in London across the national networks, before joining BBC Newcastle in 1998. Won a Sony award for his coverage of Carlisle United while at Radio Cumbria.

Best moment "Travelling on the team bus to Wembley with Carlisle United for the Autoglass Trophy Final in 1995. Great occasion, even though they lost."

Worst moment "My first day for BBC Radio Sport at Broadcasting House. I was told I was to have a week's training but was suddenly thrown in for a Radio 1 bulletin shift. And with no script because the printer had broken down."

Off-air "I live in a flat in Gateshead, down by the Tyne. Spare time is often spent walking with my partner, Joanne, and her two border terriers. I have two children from a previous relationship – Will, 19, and Daisy, 17."

First radio memory "The Radio 2 midweek football commentaries with Peter Jones and Bryon Butler."

Favourite broadcasters "5 Live's John Murray – a consummate commentator and the ultimate professional, with a wonderful voice. And, of course, Wogan was the boss."

Ambition "To have facsimiles of my match notebooks published. They're a bit of a work of art, because I decorate them with coloured drawings of club and international crests."

Dream job "What I'm doing now has always been my dream."

Secret skills "I do a lot of drawing and painting. I enjoy cooking. And I've walked all the Wainwrights – the 214 fells listed by Alfred Wainwright in the Lake District." **DAVID GILLARD**

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Saturday

RADIO ULSTER NEWS: hourly 7.00am to 2.00pm, then 2.58, 3.58, and hourly 5.00 to 11.00

6.45am Farm Gate
Food, countryside and agricultural issues, focusing on business news, industry reports and technology.

7.05 Kim Lenaghan
A selection of fine tunes to ease listeners into the morning.
Telephone: 03030 80 55 55
Text: 81771
Email: kim.lenaghan@bbc.co.uk

8.05 Your Place & Mine
Anne Marie McAleese and the team report on stories from around Northern Ireland.
Telephone: 0289 033 8307
Email: ypam@bbc.co.uk

9.05 Gardeners' Corner
Experts talk to gardeners and give topical advice for horticulturalists everywhere. Presented by David Maxwell.
Telephone: 03030 80 55 55

9.45 On Your Behalf
Linda McAuley presents the consumer affairs programme, offering advice and raising important issues. Including news at **10.00**.
Telephone: 0289 033 8314
Write to: On Your Behalf, BBC Broadcasting House, Ormeau Avenue, Belfast BT2 8HQ
Email via the website: bbc.co.uk/oyb

10.30 With Bennett
New series. Ep 1. John Bennett returns with a new series chatting to well-known names from the worlds of the arts, sport and entertainment, beginning with broadcaster and satirist Ian Hislop.
Repeated Monday 7.30pm

11.05 The John Toal Show
Vinnie Hurrell sits in with tales of family and community life, plus great recipes, craic and music.
Telephone: 03030 80 55 55
Text: 81771
Email: john.toal@bbc.co.uk

12.05pm Gerry Kelly
The host keeps listeners company on a Saturday lunchtime with celebrity friends, great music and good conversation. Including news at **1.00**.
Telephone: 03030 80 55 55
Text: 81771
Email: gerry.kelly@bbc.co.uk

1.30 Pick of the Week Ulster Foyle
Highlights from the past week on the radio station.
Repeated tomorrow 12.05pm

2.05 Sportsound
Michael McNamee presents commentary and reports on this afternoon's main sporting events, including the fifth round of the Irish Cup. With news at **2.58, 3.58** and **5.00**.

6.05 The Lynette Fay Show
The host presents a lively mix of music, features and interviews. With news at **7.00**.
Text: 81771
Email: lynette.fay@bbc.co.uk

8.05 Caschlár
An réimse ceoil ó phop go fréamh á chur le chéile agus á chur i láthair ag Brian Mullen.
Brian Mullen presents a wide-ranging mix of music, including pop, blues and soul. Including news at **9.00**.
Requests to: Brian Mullen, Irish Language Unit, BBC Radio Ulster, Ormeau Avenue, Belfast BT2 8HQ
Telephone: 0289 033 8043

10.05 Saturday Club with John Bennett
Late-night music club featuring classic tracks from the 1960s, '70s and '80s. Including news at **11.00**.
Text: 81771

12.00 as Radio 5 Live

Sunday

RADIO ULSTER NEWS: hourly 7.00am to 11.00pm (not 1.00pm)

7.05am Kim Lenaghan
A selection of fine tunes to ease listeners into the morning. Including *Thought for the Day* at **7.55** and news at **8.00**.
Telephone: 03030 80 55 55
Text: 81771
Email: kim.lenaghan@bbc.co.uk

8.30 Sunday Sequence
Roisin McAuley and guests debate the week's religious and ethical news and explore the world of culture and ideas. Including the latest news headlines at **9.00** and **10.00**.
Telephone: 0289 033 8355
Email: sunday.sequence@bbc.co.uk

10.15 Morning Service
Religious service from First Armagh Presbyterian Church, conducted by Rev Tony Davidson.

11.05 Sunday with Brian D'Arcy
A combination of conversation, meditation, fun and good music.
Write to: Sunday with Brian D'Arcy, BBC Radio Ulster, Ormeau Avenue, Belfast BT2 8HQ

12.05pm Pick of the Week Ulster Foyle
Highlights from the past week on the radio station.
Repeated from yesterday 1.30pm

12.30 The Long and the Short of It

5/5. Tim McGarry and David Hume explore Eire's neutrality in the Second World War, and Tim visits Derry to find out more about the Donegal corridor.
Repeated Thursday 7.30pm

1.00 The Sunday News
With Jayne McCormack.

1.30 Inside Business
Presented by Wendy Austin.
Repeated tomorrow 6.30pm

2.05 Time of Our Lives
Colum Arbuckle shares the life stories of older people in Northern Ireland.

3.05 Classical Connections with John Toal
John Toal introduces a tribute to Vienna and Strauss with the Ulster Orchestra, tenor Noah Stewart and violin duo Vladimir and Anton in concert. Conducted by Roderick Dunk. Including news at **4.00**.

5.05 Sounds Sacred
Noel Battye introduces listeners' requests for their favourite sacred music.

6.05 A Kist o Wurds
Gie yer lug tae *A Kist o Wurds* fir Ulster-Scots history, leid, heirkship and crack.
A mix of stories, music, news and craic on the programme that is the home of the Ulster-Scots tongue.
Repeated Wednesday 7.30pm
bbc.co.uk/ulsterscots

6.30 Songs of Inspiration
Singer Brian Houston presents a selection of his favourite inspirational music.
Repeated Tuesday 7.30pm

7.05 Folk Club with Lynette Fay
Folk music and song. Including news at **8.00**.
To have your event included write to: Folk Club, BBC Radio Ulster, Ormeau Avenue, Belfast BT2 8HQ
Telephone: 0289 033 8330
Email: folk.club@bbc.co.uk

9.05 Jazz Club with Walter Love
A new compilation of significant jazz recordings from 1899 to 1959.

10.05 Sunday Club with John Bennett
A late-night selection of music. Including news at **11.00**.
Dedications to: The Sunday Club, BBC Radio Ulster, Broadcast House, Belfast BT2 8HQ
Email: jib@bbc.co.uk

12.00 as Radio 5 Live

Monday

RADIO ULSTER NEWS: half-hourly 6.30am to 8.30, hourly 9.00 to 5.00pm, 5.30, hourly 6.00 to 11.00

6.30am Good Morning Ulster
Joel Taggart and Noel Thompson present, including travel and sport updates and analysis of finance and business news, plus agri-business in *Farm Gate* and *a Thought for the Day* at **6.55** and **7.55**.
Email: good.morning.ulster@bbc.co.uk

9.05 The Nolan Show
News and topical debate. With news and travel at **10.00**.
Telephone: 03030 80 55 55
Text: 81771
Email: nolan@bbc.co.uk

10.30 Sean Coyle

The host brightens up the day with great music and chat. Including news at **11.00**.
Telephone: 03030 80 55 55
Text: 81771
Email: sean.coyle@bbc.co.uk

12.00 Talkback
William Crawley and the *Talkback* team present the news and invite listeners' on-air reaction to the breaking stories of the day. Including news at **12.00** and **1.00pm**.
Telephone: 03030 80 55 55
Email: talk.back@bbc.co.uk
bbc.co.uk/talkback

1.30pm Hugo Duncan
The best in country music old and new, plus the opportunity for listeners to submit requests. With news and travel at **2.00**.
Telephone: 03030 80 55 55
Text: 81771

3.05 Kerry McLean
The host presents a selection of music, plus the opportunity for listeners to submit their requests. With news at **4.00**.
Text: 81771
Email: kerry.mclean@bbc.co.uk

4.55 The Listening Project NI
As part of Listening Month, Conor McKay introduces compelling real life conversations from around Northern Ireland.
Repeated 11.50pm

5.00 Evening Extra
Conor Bradford presents news on the half-hour, regular sport, traffic and weather reports, and the latest in agri-business news.

6.30 Inside Business
Presented by Wendy Austin.
Repeated from yesterday 1.30pm

7.05 Viva Voce – Béal Feirste
Déanann triúr aoinna achoimre 3 bhomaite ar PhD s'acu do láithreoir an chlár, an Dr Art Hughes.

Guests Ian Malcolm, Feargal MacIonnraichtaigh and Méadbha NíBhaoil summarise their PhDs within three minutes for presenter Dr Art Hughes.

7.30 With Bennett
Ep 1. John Bennett returns with a new series chatting to well-known names from the arts, sport and entertainment, beginning with broadcaster and satirist Ian Hislop.
Repeated from Saturday 10.30am

8.05 Across the Line
Rigby and Stuart Bailie present the best new music from Northern Ireland and the Republic. With news at **9.00**.
Text: ATL to 81771
Email: atl@bbc.co.uk
Download the podcast visit bbc.co.uk/atl

10.05 The Vinnie Hurrell Show
Music and topical features.
Text: 81771
Email: vinnie.hurrell@bbc.co.uk

11.05 The Late Show with Eve Blair
A selection of old and new tunes.
Email: eve.blair@bbc.co.uk

11.50 The Listening Project NI
As part of Listening Month, Conor McKay introduces compelling real life conversations from around Northern Ireland.
Repeated from 4.55pm

12.00 as Radio 5 Live

Tuesday

RADIO ULSTER NEWS: see Monday

6.30am Good Morning Ulster
The day's news, with presenters Karen Patterson and Noel Thompson, including regular travel and sport updates and analysis of finance and business news, plus agri-business in *Farm Gate* and *a Thought for the Day* at **6.55** and **7.55**.
Email: good.morning.ulster@bbc.co.uk

9.05 The Nolan Show
Breaking news and topical debate with Stephen Nolan. With news and travel at **10.00**.
Telephone: 03030 80 55 55
Text: 81771
Email: nolan@bbc.co.uk

10.30 Sean Coyle
The host brightens up the day with great music and chat. Including news at **11.00**.
Telephone: 03030 80 55 55
Text: 81771
Email: sean.coyle@bbc.co.uk

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Text: 81771

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Text: 81771
Email: kerry.mclean@bbc.co.uk

4.55 The Listening Project NI
Compelling real-life conversations recorded during the recent *Listening Project* tour of Northern Ireland. Presented by Conor McKay.
Repeated 11.50pm

5.00 Evening Extra
Conor Bradford presents news on the half-hour, regular sport, traffic and weather reports, and the latest in agri-business news.

6.30 The Arts Show
Marie-Louise Muir presents international arts, culture and entertainment news.
bbc.co.uk/artsextra

7.05 Viva Voce – Baile Atha Cliath
Déanann triúr aoinna achoimre 3 bhomaite ar PhD s'acu do láithreoir an chlár, an Dr Art Hughes.

Dr Art Hughes discusses academic matters with panelists who reveal their own doctorate expertise. Themes include poetry of the bards, Irish and sport, and Irish in print.

7.30 Songs of Inspiration
Singer Brian Houston presents a selection of his favourite inspirational music to lift the heart and soothe the soul.
Repeated from Sunday 6.30pm

Foyle

Frequencies

8.05 The Mickey Bradley Record Show

A selection of vintage rock and pop tracks. With news at **9.00**.
Text: 81771
Email: michael.bradley@bbc.co.uk

10.05 New Voices with Mairead Campbell

Mairead hears about the items that help tell a guest's life story.
11.05 The Late Show with Eve Blair
Wind down the day with a selection of old and new tunes.
Email: eve.blair@bbc.co.uk

11.50 The Listening Project NI
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RADIO ULSTER NEWS: see Monday

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With Karen Patterson and Noel Thompson, including regular travel and sport updates and analysis of finance and business news, plus agri-business in *Farm Gate* and a *Thought for the Day* at **6.55** and **7.55**.
Email: good.morning.ulster@bbc.co.uk

9.05 The Nolan Show

Breaking news and topical debate with Stephen Nolan. With news and travel at **10.00**.
Telephone: 03030 80 55 55
Text: 81771
Email: nolan@bbc.co.uk

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1.30pm Hugo Duncan

Country music old and new. With news and travel at **2.00**.
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3.05 Kerry McLean

A selection of music, plus the opportunity for listeners to submit their requests and dedications. With news at **4.00**.
Text: 81771
Email: kerry.mclean@bbc.co.uk

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5.00 Evening Extra

Seamus McKee presents news on the half-hour, plus regular sport, traffic and weather reports, and agri-business.

6.30 The Arts Show

Marie-Louise Muir journeys through the world of arts and culture, including cinema news from critic-at-large Mike Catto.
bbc.co.uk/artsextra

7.05 Viva Voce – Gaillimh

Le 3 bhomaite acu uilig le cur síos a dheánamh ar an taighde a rinne siad do PhD s'acu, cluineann An Dr Art Hughes ó Eilís Ní Dhúill agus í ag caint faoi chleachtas scéalaíochta phobal traidisiúnta Gaeilge Chorca Dhuibhne mar a nochtar i scannáin fhaisnéise Ghaeilge chomhaimseartha é. Cíorann Patrick O'Leary staidéar s'aige ar chatalaíoch úr agus a úsáid in imoibriú ceimiceach chun smacht a fháil ar thoradh an imoibríthe agus tugann Niall Mac Uidhílin léargas ar oideachas i measc mhuintir óg na Gaeltachta.
Dr Art Hughes hears from Eilís Ní Dhúill about the practice of storytelling by the traditional Irish language speakers of Corca Dhuibhne, as portrayed in contemporary Irish language documentary films.

7.30 A Kist o Wurds

Gieyer lug tae A Kist o Wurds fir Ulster-Scots history, leid, heiskip and crack.
A mix of stories, music, news and craic on the programme that is the home of the Ulster-Scots tongue.
Repeated from Sunday 6.05pm
bbc.co.uk/ulsterscots

8.05 Ralph McLean – Local Voices

Local music, sessions and chat. With news at **9.00**.

9.55 Wah Yan Jee Sing

Local information on health and social issues in Cantonese.

10.05 Soundscapes with Stephen McCauley

Contemporary classical, electronica, ambient and acoustic music.
Email: stephen.mccauley@bbc.co.uk

11.05 The Late Show with Eve Blair

A selection of old and new tunes.
Email: eve.blair@bbc.co.uk

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With Marie-Louise Muir.
bbc.co.uk/artsextra

7.05 Viva Voce – Corcaigh

Déanann triúr aionna achoimre 3 bhomaite ar PhD s'acu do láithreoir an chláir, an Dr Art Hughes.

Dr Art Hughes hears from Cáit Verling about young people taking part in cognitive behavioural therapy. Cáit's sister Emma Verling studied the niche plasticity and specificity in echinoderms and Cáit Ní Shúilleabháin reveals the mathematical life of Eamon De Valera.

7.30 The Long and the Short of It

5/5. Tim McGarry and David Hume explore Eire's neutrality in the Second World War.
Repeated from Sunday 12.30pm

8.05 Ralph McLean – Rock and Soul

The best of classic rock, soul, blues, pop, gospel, reggae and funk music. With news at **9.00**.

10.05 Songbook with Eamon Friel

A selection of songs from both past and present.
Email: eamon.friel@bbc.co.uk

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Email: gerry.kelly@bbc.co.uk

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5.00 Evening Extra

Seamus McKee presents news, plus regular sport, traffic and weather reports.

6.05 Inside Politics

Mark Devenport casts an eye over the week's political events.
Repeated tomorrow 1.35pm

6.30 The Arts Show

With Michael Bradley.
bbc.co.uk/artsextra

7.05 Blas Ceoil

Cuir tús spleodrach leis an deireadh seachtaine le rogha shiamsúil Lynette Fay de cheol traidisiúnta, fréamh agus dúchasach. Eisiúintí úra, sonraí gigeanna agus seisiúin bheo.
Lynette Fay presents the best in traditional, roots and acoustic music, plus new releases, gig guide details and live studio sessions.

8.05 Ralph McLean – Country

Ralph McLean takes a two-hour journey into the world of American roots music. Including news at **9.00**.

10.05 Jazz World with Linley Hamilton

Contemporary jazz music.
Email: linley.hamilton@bbc.co.uk

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RADIO FOYLE

Sunday
RADIO FOYLE NEWS:
hourly 9.00am to 5.00pm (not 2.00pm)

5.05–6.00pm Rejoice

James McClelland presents gospel favourites and sacred music, plus listeners' requests and dedications.

To get in touch with the show, write to 8 Northland Road, Londonderry BT48 7GD.

Weekdays

RADIO FOYLE NEWS:
hourly 7.00am to 4.00pm, plus 7.30am

6.30am Good Morning Ulster

The day's news, presented by **Mon:** Joel Taggart and Noel Thompson; **Tue–Thu:** Noel Thompson and Karen Patterson; **Fri:** Karen Patterson and Joel Taggart. Including regular travel and sport updates and analysis of finance and business news, plus agri-business in *Farm Gate* and *Thought for the Day* at **6.55**.

7.00 The Breakfast Show

Local, national and international news, plus the latest weather and travel updates for the north west of Northern Ireland.

9.05 The Nolan Show

News and topical debate. With news and travel at **10.00**.

10.30 Sean Coyle

The host brightens up the day with great music and chat. Including news at **11.00**.

12.00 Talkback

William Crawley and the *Talkback* team present the news and invite listeners' on-air reaction to all the breaking stories of the day. Including news at **12.00**.

1.00pm The News at One

Lunchtime round-up of the day's local, national and international news stories.

1.30 The Mark Patterson Show

Issues affecting the daily lives of people in the North West. Including news at **2.00**.

Mon–Thu: 3.05 Stephen McCauley

Requests, dedications and music for people in the North West. Including news at **4.00**; **Fri: The Friday Show**
A mix of music and chat ahead of the weekend. Including news at **4.00**.

4.55–5.00 The Listening Project NI

As part of Listening Month, Conor McKay introduces compelling real life conversations from around Northern Ireland.

Thu: 7.05–8.00 Electric Mainline

Stephen McCauley presents the alternative music show, unearthing tracks that receive little radio play and showcasing local bands.

To get in touch with the show, text FOYLE followed by your message to 81771.

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Tel: 02871 266 522

National

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FM 97.9–99.7
BBC Radio 2
FM 88.3–90.1
BBC Radio 3
FM 90.5–92.3
BBC Radio 4
93.2 (Ballycastle), 93.2 (Carnmoney Hill), 94 (Limavady), 94.9 (Londonderry), 95.6 (Brougher Mountain), 96 (Belfast), 103.5 (Larne), 103.9 (Rostrevor Forest/Kilkeel), 104.6 (Camlough), (R4 FM cannot be heard in some parts of NI Ireland) LW 198 MW 720, 774 (Enniskillen carry LW programmes)
BBC Radio 5 Live
MW 693, 909
BBC Radio Foyle
FM 93.1, MW 792 (Londonderry)
BBC Radio Ulster
FM 92.7–95.4, MW 1341, 873 (Enniskillen)

RTE Radio 1
FM 87.8–90.0, LW 252
RTE 2FM 90.4–92.2, 97
RTE Raidió na Gaeltachta
92.6–94.4, 102.7
RTE Lyric FM 97.8–99.6, 92.2, 95.2, 96.7, 102.2

Classic FM 99.9–101.9 (not Freeview)
Talksport MW 1053, 1089
Absolute MW 1215
Today FM FM 105.5

All the above stations are also broadcast via Freeview, satellite, cable, digital radio and the internet.

Local

Cool FM 97.4
Music, news and sport
Downtown FM 102.3 (Ballymena), 96.6 (Omagh/Enniskillen), 97.1 (Larne), 96.4 (Limavady), 102.4 (Londonderry), 103.4 (Newcastle), 103.1 (south Newry), MW 1026 (Belfast) Music, news
Five FM 100.5, 101.1
Q FM 96.7 (Belfast), 102.9 (Londonderry), 97.2 (Coleraine), 101.2 (Omagh/Enniskillen)
Seven FM 107
Six FM 106, 107.2

BBC Radio Wales

Face behind the voice

Nick Barnes BBC Radio Newcastle



Age 54

Current job Football commentator for BBC Newcastle, covering Sunderland matches since 2003. He writes a weekly preview on the club's website and occasionally reports on football for BBC's *Look North*.

CV Brought up in Devon, he studied English at the University of Kent, joining BBC Radio Devon as a travel reporter in 1986. Moved to BBC Radio Cumbria (1988-98) and worked for BBC Radio Sport in London across the national networks, before joining BBC Newcastle in 1998. Won a Sony award for his coverage of Carlisle United while at Radio Cumbria.

Best moment "Travelling on the team bus to Wembley with Carlisle United for the Autoglass Trophy Final in 1995. Great occasion, even though they lost."

Worst moment "My first day for BBC Radio Sport at Broadcasting House. I was told I was to have a week's training but was suddenly thrown in for a Radio 1 bulletin shift. And with no script because the printer had broken down."

Off-air "I live in a flat in Gateshead, down by the Tyne. Spare time is often spent walking with my partner, Joanne, and her two border terriers. I have two children from a previous relationship – Will, 19, and Daisy, 17."

First radio memory "The Radio 2 midweek football commentaries with Peter Jones and Bryon Butler."

Favourite broadcasters "5 Live's John Murray – a consummate commentator and the ultimate professional, with a wonderful voice. And, of course, Wogan was the boss."

Ambition "To have facsimiles of my match notebooks published. They're a bit of a work of art, because I decorate them with coloured drawings of club and international crests."

Dream job "What I'm doing now has always been my dream."

Secret skills "I do a lot of drawing and painting. I enjoy cooking. And I've walked all the Wainwrights – the 214 fells listed by Alfred Wainwright in the Lake District." **DAVID GILLARD**

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Saturday

NEWS: hourly 6.00am to 2.00pm, plus 7.30am, 5.00pm and 6.00

WEATHER: after most news bulletins

5.00am Vicki Blight

Music and chat.

7.30 Good Morning Wales

The breakfast programme for the nation, featuring news, interviews, sport, weather and travel information.

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9.05 Money for Nothing

Owen Money presents a lively mix of music and humour.

11.00 News and Sport

A round-up of the latest headlines and developments.

11.30 Rhod Gilbert

One of Wales's leading comedians presents a mix of music and chat.

1.30pm Please Hold

Council helpline worker Ceri fields calls from disgruntled members of the public and her mother – who cannot stop interfering in her love life. Comedy starring Kimberley Nixon. Repeat

2.00 Radio Wales Sport

A look ahead to the day's sporting action with interviews and analysis.

3.00 Radio Wales Sport

Round-up of events, including news as it happens and live commentaries.

5.00 Radio Wales Sport

A round-up of the day's sporting action.

5.30 Call Rob Phillips

The broadcaster encourages listeners to phone in to share their thoughts on the day's sporting action, and take part in lively debates. Call 03700100110.

7.00 Bethan Elfyn

A mix of classic rock, new tunes and indie anthems, as well as music from up-and-coming Welsh acts.

10.00 Adam Walton

The best in new Welsh music, featuring exclusive sessions, interviews and demos.

1.00am–5.00 as *World Service*

Sunday

NEWS: hourly 7.00am to 6.00pm

WEATHER: after most news bulletins

5.00am Vicki Blight

Music and chat.

6.30 Science Café

Adam Walton and guests discuss the technology that will be having an impact on everyone's lives in 2018. Repeat

7.05 Country Focus

Rachael Garside goes camping in the Welsh countryside and meets a family running a campsite in mid-Wales. Repeated 6.30pm

7.30 Celebration

Led by George Craig, a Methodist preacher in Cardiff.

8.00 Sunday Supplement

Weekly magazine show looking at the world of Welsh politics, news and the Sunday papers.

9.05 All Things Considered

Religious affairs programme, tackling the issues of the day in a thought-provoking manner, with the Rev Roy Jenkins. Email: religion.wales@bbc.co.uk

9.30 Sunday Morning with Connie Fisher

Music and chat.

11.05 Owen Money's Solid Gold Sunday

The entertainer plays a selection of classic hits from the 1960s and 70s.

1.05pm The Secret Life of Welsh Food

3/4. Simon Wright explores the social history of honey, hearing why beekkeeping is thriving in Wales and learning about groundbreaking research into honey at Cardiff University. Repeat

1.30 Jacko's Sporting Almanac

Peter Jackson talks to former Wales and Liverpool star Joey Jones, who became the first Welshman to win a European Cup winner's medal in 1977. Repeat

2.05 Lynn Bowles

The broadcaster invites guests from all walks of life to chat, and offers listeners the opportunity to interact with the show's experts.

4.05 Roy Noble

The host presents the usual mix of music and conversation. Email: roy.noble@bbc.co.uk

6.05 Cover Me. A Twelve Inch History of Wales

Elis James looks at how some of rock music's most seminal album covers and artwork were inspired by the Welsh landscape, including LPs by Manic Street Preachers, Roxy Music, Mansun and Echo and the Bunnymen. Elis reveals why Bryan Ferry decided to dress supermodel Jerry Hall as a mermaid and take her to the exotic shores of Anglesey, and highlights how Portmeirion, Porthcawl and Newport have all provided a backdrop for some of rock's most memorable artwork. Repeated from last Thursday

6.30 Country Focus

Repeated from 7.05am

7.00 Celtic Heartbeat

Frank Hennessy introduces folk roots and acoustic music from the Celtic nations and the rest of the world. Featuring a regular mix of guests, sessions, reviews and the gig guide.

9.00 Beverley's World of Music

Broadcaster Beverley Humphreys introduces a selection of popular songs from stage and screen.

11.00 Lisa Gwilym

Music and chat.

1.00am–5.00 as *World Service*

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5.30 Call Rob Phillips

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6.30 What's Gonna Kill Us?

1/2. Comedian and apocalypse-obsessive Dan Thomas interviews Wales's leading scientific minds as he embarks on a mission to find out exactly how the world will end.

7.05 Janice Long

A range of songs from the 1960s right through to today, as well as new music and artists from Wales.

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6.30 The Radio Wales Arts Show

Round-up of reviews and reports on the latest developments in Wales's arts scene, as well as analysis from around the country. Presented by Nicola Heywood Thomas.

7.05 The Friday Night Social

Magazine about sport, including discussions and features on a wide range of issues.

10.05 Chris Needs

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Sadwrn

5.30am Cnaniadaeth y Cysegr

Detholiad o emynau.
Ail-ddarlledir Sul am 4.30pm

6.00 Byd Amaeth

Newyddion a sgwrsiau am fyf
amaeth gyda Dei Tomos.

6.30 Galwad Cynnar

Gerallt Pennant a'i westeion yn
trafod natur a bywyd gwyllt.
EBOST: galwadcynnar@bbc.co.uk

8.00 Post Cyntaf

Newyddion a chwaraeon
bore Sadwrn.

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8.30 Ary Marc

Dylan Jones a'r criw yn trafod
pob math o bethau'n

ymwneud â phêl-droed.
EBOST: arymarc@bbc.co.uk

9.00 Tudur Owen

Lot o fwydro, 'chydig o
sylwedd, dim swmp.

11.00 Ifan Evans

Cerddoriaeth, chwaraeon
ac adloniant.

2.00pm Camp Lawn

Chwaraeon yn cynnwys
sylw i gemau pêl-droed y
prynhawn a gêm rygbi y
Gweilch y Gleision.

5.30 Marc Griffiths

Cymysgedd o'r hen a'r newydd
iddididid o'r nos Sadwrn, gan
gynnwys llwyth o geisiadau.
EBOST: marcgriffiths@bbc.co.uk

9.00 Wil Morgan

Ceisiadau a chyfarchion
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ambell jôc!
Ffôn: 0370 3500 500
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5.30am Yr Oedfa

Gwasanaeth ar y Sul dan ofal y
Parchedig D. Ben Rees, Lerpwl.
Ail-ddarlledir am 11.30am

6.00 Gwawr Owen

Detholiad o gerddoriaeth
amrywiol.

8.00 Bwrw Golwg

John Roberts a'i westeion
yn trafod materion moesol
a chrefyddol.
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8.30 Dewi Llwyd ar Fore Sul

Adolygiad o'r papurau
newydd, cerddoriaeth a
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10.00 Richard Rees

Detholiad o'r gerddoriaeth
Gymraeg orau o bob cyfnod.

11.30 Yr Oedfa

Gwasanaeth ar y Sul dan
ofal y Parchedig D Ben Rees,
Lerpwl.
Darlledwyd am 5.30am

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bêl-droed Casnewydd y Leeds

12.00

(2.00) yn nhrydedd
rownd Cwpan FA.

12.00 Beti a'i Phobol

Barry Morgan, cyn Archesgob
yr Eglwys yng Nghymru, yw
gwestai Beti George.
Ail-ddarlledir iau am 6pm

1.00pm Cofio

Ionawr yw'r pwnc sy'n cael
sylw John Hardy yn ei
ymweliad wythnosol ag archif
Radio Cymru.

Ail-ddarlledir Mercher am 6pm

2.00 Hywel Gwynfryn

Amrywiaeth o gerddoriaeth
yn cynnwys dewisiadau
clasurol yr wythnos, dewis

Hywel o'r jwcobcs, a chôr
arbennig yng nghornel y
corau. Mae Hywel hefyd
yn dewis pytiâu o raglenni
Radio Cymru o'r wythnos a fu.

4.00 Dewch Am Dro

Fersiwn newydd o hen ffefyr
yn gyda Rhys Meirion yn cwrrd â
chymeriadau wrth gwyrddo
Cymru. Yn y rhaglen hon, mae'n
ymweld â Llanbryn-mair i fod
yng nghwmni Hywel Anwyl,
Hedd Bleddyn, Ann Fychan, a
llawer mwy. Ail-ddarlledir

4.30 Cnaniadaeth y Cysegr

Detholiad o emynau.
Darlledwyd Sadwrn 5.30am

5.00 Stiwdio Gyda Nia Roberts

I gyd-fynd â'i phen-blwydd yn
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a gyrfa'r Fonesig Shirley
Bassey o Gaerdydd. Mae Nia'n
crwydro ardal Tiger Bay gyda
Dr Dylan Foster Evans, ac yn
sgwrsio â George Parry a
chwaraeodd y gitâr i'r Shirley
Bassey ifanc yn y 1950au. Dyl
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hanes cerddoriaeth boblogaidd,
o'i llwyddiant aruthrol gydag
arwyddgan un o filmiau
James Bond i Kanye West yn
sawlo un arall. Mae Lily Beau,
y gantores ifanc o Gaerdydd,
yn trafod ei dylanwad arni hi,
cyn i Stifyn Parri sôn am Shirley
Bassey y di. Dydi o'r oed
wedi siarad â hi, er ei bod hi'n
rhan o sawl cynhyrchiad
ganddo ar hyd y blwyddoedd.
Mae hynny, o bosib, yn dweud
y cyfan. Ail-ddarlledir

5.30 Dei Tomos

Dei Tomos yn sgwrsio gyda
hwn a'r lall ac yn cyflwyno
ychydig o gerddoriaeth.
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7.00 Stori Tic Toc

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pan fydd pawb yn cysgu mae
Tedyll yn troi'n gefilly sy'n
gallu hedfan.

7.05 Y Talwrn

Ffostrasol a Crannog
yn cystadlu i fod yn
bencampwr Y Talwrn
yn 2018.

8.00 Ar Eich Cais

Dai Jones yn darllen cyfarchion
ac yn chwarae ceisiadau.
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9.00 John ac Alun

Cerddoriaeth a sgwrs
hwyliog i gloi'r penwythnos.

12.00 gweler Radio 5 Live

Llun

5.30am John Hardy
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hamddenol ben bore gyda
bwletin newyddion,
chwaraeon, tywydd a thraffig.

7.00 Post Cyntaf

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Dylan Jones a Kate Crockett.
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8.30 Aled Hughes

Straeon cyfredol, a'r
gerddoriaeth orau.

10.00 Bore Cothi

Croeso cynnes dros baned
gyda Heledd Cynwal yn lle
Shân Cothi.

12.00 Y Talwrn

Ffostrasol a Crannog yn
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Y Talwrn yn 2018.

1.00pm Taro'r Post

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2.00 Tommo

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a'r criw.

5.00 Post Prynhawn

Newyddion y dydd yng
Nghymru a thu hwnt gyda
Dylan Jones a Kate Crockett.

8.30 Aled Hughes

Straeon cyfredol, a'r
gerddoriaeth orau.

10.00 Bore Cothi

Croeso cynnes dros baned
gyda Heledd Cynwal yn lle
Shân Cothi.

12.00 Gari Wyn

Golwg ar fyf busnes,
mentergarwch a Chymreictod.

12.30pm Beti: ar ôl colli David

Colloedd Beti George ei
phartner, David Parry Jones,
wedi blwyddoedd o ofalu
amdanu tra bod dementia
yn gwaethgu. Yn y rhaglen
hon mae Beti'n siarad
gyda phobl sydd yn gofalu
am berthnasau sydd â
dementia gan ystyried a
yw'r gefnogaeth a'r gofal a
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a'r criw.

5.00 Post Prynhawn

Newyddion y dydd yng
Nghymru a thu hwnt gyda
Dewi Llwyd.

6.00 Dan yr Wyneb Gyda Dylan Iorwerth

Dylan Iorwerth yn gofyn y
cwestiynau mawr ac yn mynd
dan wyneb pynciau cyfoes.

7.00 Recordiau Rhys Mwyn

Clasuron coll o gasgliad Rhys
Mwyn, a gwesteion yn hel
atgofion am yr 80au a'r 90au.

10.00 Geraint Lloyd

Cerddoriaeth a sgwrs
hwyliog ar y shifft hwyr.
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12.00 gweler Radio 5 Live

Mawrth

5.30am John Hardy
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12.00 Y Talwrn

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5.00 Post Prynhawn

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Nghymru a thu hwnt gyda
Dewi Llwyd.

6.00 Dei Tomos

Fersiwn ffyrach o raglen
nos Sul Dei.
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7.00 Hywros Georgia Ruth

Caneuon o gasgliad Georgia
Ruth. Gwerin, cerddoriaeth
byd, sesiynau a gwestai yn dewis
awr o draciau "Llechen Lân".

10.00 Geraint Lloyd

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ar y shifft hwyr.
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12.00 gweler Radio 5 Live

Mercher

5.30am John Hardy

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7.00 Post Cyntaf

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gerddoriaeth orau.

10.00 Bore Cothi

Croeso cynnes dros baned gyda
Heledd Cynwal yn lle Shân Cothi.

12.00 John Walter

Cwestiynau mawr am Gymru,
y Cymry a Chymreictod.

12.30pm Stiwdio Gyda Nia Roberts

Golwg ar y celfyddydau yng
Nghymru a thu hwnt.

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5.00 Post Prynhawn

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Nghymru a thu hwnt gyda
Dewi Llwyd.

6.00 Cofio

Ionawr yw'r pwnc sy'n cael sylw
John Hardy yn ei ymweliad
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Darlledwyd Sul am 1pm

7.00 Lisa Gwilym yn Cyflwyno...

Cerddoriaeth newydd orau
Cymru mewn un lle. Sesiynau,
sgwrsiau a pherfformiadau byw.

10.00 Geraint Lloyd

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5.30am John Hardy

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chwaraeon, tywydd a thraffig.

7.00 Post Cyntaf

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Dylan Jones a Kate Crockett.
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8.30 Aled Hughes

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gerddoriaeth orau.

10.00 Bore Cothi

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gyda Heledd Cynwal yn lle
Shân Cothi.

12.00 Caryl Parry Jones

Caryl a'i gwesteion yn trafod
pob math o bynciau.

12.30pm Y Sesiwn Glasur

Bryn Terfel a chyfres yn rhoi
llwyfan i rai o'n perfformwyr
clasurol ifanc mwyaf disgrair.

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2.00 Tommo

Cerddoriaeth, chwerrthin a
chystadlu gyda Tommo a'r criw.

5.00 Post Prynhawn

Newyddion y dydd yng Nghymru
a thu hwnt gyda Dewi Llwyd.

6.00 Beti a'i Phobol

Barry Morgan, cyn Archesgob
yr Eglwys yng Nghymru, yw
gwestai Beti George.
Darlledwyd Sul am 12.00

7.00 Byd Huw Stephens

Huw Stephens yn ein cyflwyno
i'w fyf cerddorol rhyfeddol.

10.00 Geraint Lloyd

Cerddoriaeth a sgwrs hwyliog
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12.00 gweler Radio 5 Live

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7.00 Post Cyntaf

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8.30 Aled Hughes

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I'll drink to that

Dr Michael Mosley kicks off our new health column with good news for coffee lovers...

AS WE STAGGER, groaning, into 2018, many of us are resolved to get into better shape. To help, I'm kicking off a new *Radio Times* health column that, over the coming weeks will, dear readers, keep you up to date with the latest health research.

As we all know, one of the most depressing things about new year's resolutions is that they involve giving things up. So let's start on a positive note by celebrating some really good news about one of our favourite vices.

A white, crystalline powder, it's produced by plants to protect themselves against insect attack. It's also the world's most widely consumed psychoactive drug. I use it several times a day to keep myself awake and alert. It is, of course, caffeine.

You can get your caffeine in energy drinks, but I prefer to get mine in the form of tea or coffee.

Not only does coffee perk me up in the morning, but there is strong evidence that coffee drinkers enjoy a range of other health benefits. A recent study, published in the *British Medical Journal*, which looked at more than 220 studies, found that drinking coffee was associated with a significantly lower risk of heart disease and cancer, possibly because it's rich in antioxidants and other anti-inflammatory compounds. Coffee drinking was also associated with a lower rate of Alzheimer's and Parkinson's disease.

Based on this and other studies, the most effective "dose" is between two and five cups a day. (In terms of health benefits, the studies don't distinguish between instant coffee and brewed, but when it comes to caffeine content, a cup of instant coffee contains 60–80mg of caffeine, while freshly brewed contains slightly more caffeine, from 60 to 120mg.) But don't overdo it. If you drink more than two to five cups a day any benefits drop off. It's also unwise for pregnant women to drink lots, as it's linked to a slightly higher risk of prematurity and



miscarriage.

Another downside to coffee, at least when it's drunk at night, is that it keeps some people awake. The amount you can drink without inducing insomnia is partly dependent on a liver enzyme called CYP1A2, which controls the speed at which caffeine is cleared from your body. I have quite high levels and can drink coffee in the evening with no problems, while one cup in the afternoon has my wife twitching.

A final bit of good news I recently came across is that drinking coffee may help you do more exercise. Studies show that coffee drinking makes exercise feel easier and reduces symptoms of

‘Coffee is associated with a lower risk of heart disease and cancer’

DR MICHAEL MOSLEY

fatigue, and it seems to be just as beneficial for regular coffee drinkers as for novices. The optimum amount is around 3mg of caffeine per kilogram of bodyweight, so for someone who weighs 70kgs that would mean two cups of coffee taken an hour before exercise. But do skip the muffin. Cheers.

Dr Michael Mosley presents Trust Me I'm a Doctor on Wednesday 8.30pm BBC2. Read more of his health tips in next week's issue

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The Prime of Muriel Spark

On the centenary of her birth, biographer Alan Taylor reminds us why there's more to Muriel Spark than Miss Jean Brodie

Book at Bedtime: The Vital Spark: A Far Cry from Kensington Mon–Fri 10.45pm Radio 4



THE PRIME OF Miss Jean Brodie is undoubtedly Muriel Spark's best-known novel. First published in 1961, it was an instant bestseller and was subsequently made into a hit Broadway play and a memorable movie starring Maggie Smith in the title role, for which she won a deserved Oscar.

It was Spark's sixth novel in as many years. She came late to writing fiction but when she did, she struck a purple patch the like of which has rarely been equalled. She was 43 years old when it was published, divorced with a son, and in her own sublime prime.

The story of Miss Jean Brodie drew directly on her upbringing in Edinburgh and in particular on her years at James Gillespie's School for Girls. There, she fell under the sway of a dedicated and charismatic teacher called Christina Kay – that “character in search of an author” – who was patently the model for the fictional Miss Brodie. It was Miss Kay, for example, who talked candidly of being in her prime, of her passion for art and Italy and Mussolini, and who never tired of telling Spark and her chums that they were “the crème de la crème” and destined for great things.

So enduringly popular was *The Prime of Miss Jean Brodie* that Spark often referred to it as her “milch cow”. It allowed her to live well in New York and Rome and, ultimately, in the depths of the Tuscan countryside, where she spent the last three decades of her life and where she died in 2006 at the age of 88.

But however proud she was of what is often described as one of the great novels of the 20th century, she did sometimes feel that its success had overshadowed the rest of her oeuvre. What

better time, then, than this year, the 100th anniversary of her birth, to celebrate it?

In all, Spark wrote 22 novels, beginning with *The Comforters* in 1957, which was hymned by Evelyn Waugh, and ending with *The Finishing School* in 2004, which, typical of Spark, is as funny as it is profound.

In the intervening half century, she was always eager to challenge herself and, by extension, her loyal readers. Composing prose that is as cadenced as poetry, she never sought to repeat herself.

In 1959, for instance, she produced *Memento Mori*, perhaps the first novel to deal with the subject of dementia. Fifteen years later, when the Watergate scandal was still unravelling, her offering was *The Abbess of Crewe*, a biting satire in which she transferred the venality of the Nixon White House to a convent. Then, as a new millennium beckoned, she wrote *Aiding and Abetting*, which took as its inspiration the fasci-

‘She is elusive, mysterious, as slippery as an eel’

nating case of Lord Lucan, who fled without trace after murdering his children's nanny.

The variety of Spark's work has made her impossible to pigeonhole. She is elusive, mysterious, as slippery as an eel. Moreover, she was, as John Updike remarked, one of the few writers on either side of the Atlantic “with the resources, daring, and stamina to be altering, as well as feeding, the fiction machine”.

But there was one particular place and period to which she was drawn. This was London during the Second World War and its aftermath.



She set three novels – *The Girls of Slender Means*, *Loitering with Intent* and *A Far Cry from Kensington* – in that dreary and depressed era, when evidence of the Blitz was everywhere apparent and rationing still pertained and “all the nice people were poor”.

SPARK HAD RETURNED to Britain after her marriage in Rhodesia had broken down. First, she worked for the Foreign Office in Black Propaganda then, at the war's end, for the Poetry Society and a small publisher in what she wryly termed “the world of books”. For her, all experience was invaluable and she channelled hers – good and bad, tragic and hilarious – into novels that are as evocative as they are exquisitely eloquent.

A Far Cry from Kensington, published in 1988 and now Radio 4's *Book at Bedtime*, is perhaps the most obviously autobiographical of Spark's fictions. Its narrator is chubby Mrs Hawkins, who is given, as Spark was herself, to offering practical solutions to everyday problems. “It's



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McMAFIA MISHA GLENNY
McMafia Sunday 9pm **BBC1**

If you caught the opening episodes of *McMafia*, and plan to pick up the paperback that inspired it in the hopes of reading more adventures of Alex Godman, the drama's protagonist played by James Norton, you'll be disappointed. Godman is a fictional character, but those found in Misha Glenny's *McMafia* (£8.99, plus £1.50 p&p) are very real – and even more fascinating for it. Journalist Glenny's wide-ranging investigation into organised crime was originally published in 2008, but an updated new edition includes Glenny's reflections on how that world has changed in the past ten years – and on the process that saw his work adapted for the screen.



AUNTIE'S WAR
EDWARD STOURTON
Book of the Week Mon–Fri
9.45am **Radio 4 FM**

During the intense fear and uncertainty of the Second World War, there remained, for the British public, one constant: the BBC. Even a 500lb bomb dropped on Broadcasting House during a live news broadcast in October 1940 didn't silence the Beeb. Edward Stourton celebrates this steadfastness in *Auntie's War* (£18.50, incl p&p), which explores the role the BBC played in the conflict, from broadcasting coded messages to providing live commentary on Battle of Britain dogfights and beaming the voice of Winston Churchill into sitting rooms nationwide.



THE HAIRY BIKERS' MEDITERRANEAN ADVENTURE
SI KING AND DAVE MYERS
The Hairy Bikers' Mediterranean Adventure Thursday 8.00pm **BBC2**

Si King and Dave Myers return this week, travelling through France, Spain and Italy, sampling the tastiest dishes the Med has to offer (see our travel supplement, centre pages). As they say in the foreword to the accompanying recipe book (£22, incl p&p): "Call this work? What lucky lads we are". In it, the pair offer easy, healthy recipes for any occasion, whether it's a table full of tapas for a family feast or the simple but delicious *cacio e pepe* for a quick midweek dinner. To order any of the books featured on these pages, call **0344 245 8092**, quoting **RTBOOKS02**



CRÈME OF THE CROP
Muriel Spark in 1960; and (inset) Maggie Smith as her most famous creation, Jean Brodie

easy to get thin," Mrs Hawkins says. "You eat and drink the same as always, only half... I offer this advice without fee; it is included in the price of this book."

With Mrs Hawkins as our guide, literary London in the 1950s is brought into focus. It is the haunt of determined drinkers, predatory poets, penniless publishers and talentless poseurs. One of the last-mentioned is Hector Bartlett, for whom Mrs Hawkins harbours unconcealed contempt. He is a pushy, third-rate hack – a "pisseur de copie" or "urinator of journalistic copy" who "vomited literary matter" – with upper-class pretensions.

The model for the unfortunate Bartlett was Spark's former lover and collaborator, Derek Stanford, who, after they had gone their separate ways, betrayed her by writing a fanciful book about her and stealing some of her papers. For Spark, disloyalty was a cardinal sin

for which there could be no forgiveness. When Graham Greene said, "There is a splinter in the heart of a writer", he may well have had in mind the woman to whom, before she became famous and was living on the breadline, he used to send cheques and a case of wine, "to take the chill off cold charity".

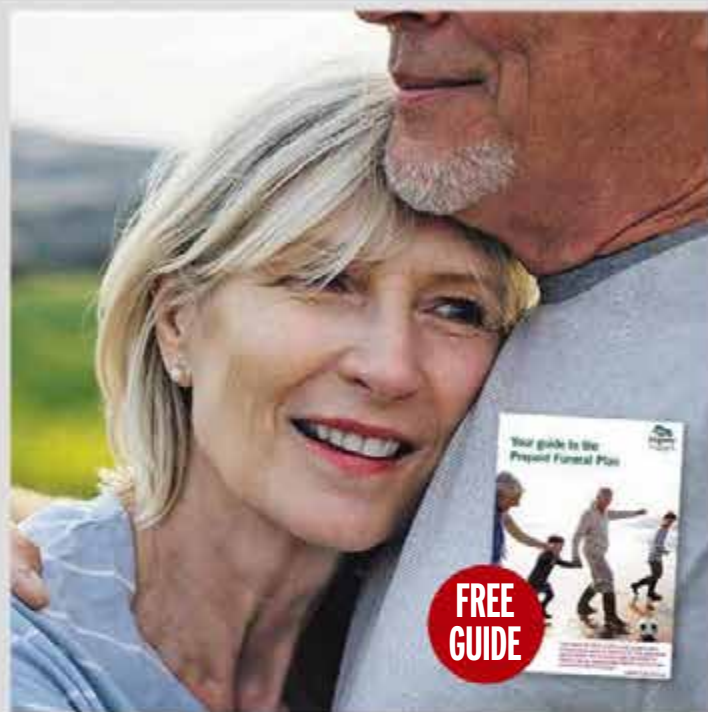
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APPOINTMENT IN AREZZO: A FRIENDSHIP WITH MURIEL SPARK

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Will you say yes to 'open banking'?

If you haven't heard of it yet, you soon will, says Paul Lewis

FROM NEXT WEEK we can give permission for firms to extract and analyse information from our bank accounts and use that data to offer us products or financial deals and to make payments on our behalf.

This "open banking" begins on 13 January, and banks have changed their terms and conditions to allow it. At the moment it only applies to current accounts, but it will be extended later to other financial products such as credit cards.

The industry says open banking is for the benefit of customers. It will improve competition. For example, a firm that analyses bank charges might take a look at the way you run your account and recommend a bank that would cost you less than your current bank. Price-comparison websites may make clear recommendations about the cheapest deals without consumers entering any data.

It will facilitate the development of new products that could monitor spending and give tips on saving money or cutting out waste. And it may speed up mortgage or loan decisions if the lender can access bank accounts directly.

These changes are possible because every bank now has to provide data in a common format so that other firms can develop

software to download the information and analyse it. All the firms that have permission to do that must be approved by the Financial Conduct Authority and have clear plans to keep data secure. Recent data breaches at TalkTalk, Uber and Equifax might make people cautious about those promises.

THE MAIN SAFEGUARD is that each time a firm asks if it can access our data, we can say no. If we give permission, it will only be to certain specified data and what it can be used for. However, if money is stolen as a result, there is the fear that the banks will make us bear the cost because we gave the firm permission to access our account.

There will be many other questions about open banking and probably a few mistakes.

In the long run it could be for our benefit. Meanwhile, we can always just say no.

For more information visit openbanking.org.uk or which.co.uk and search "open banking".

ANY QUESTIONS?

Email me at Paul.Lewis@radiotimes.com I will reflect your questions in this column.

Paul Lewis presents *Money Box* and *Money Box Live* on Radio 4



STAMP OF DISAPPROVAL

Thousands of people who invested in postage stamps may find they are worth a lot less than they paid for them. Stanley Gibbons (Guernsey) Ltd sold stamps to investors promising growth in their value. It collapsed into administration on 21 November 2017.

Investors' stamps are kept in a safe in Guernsey and administrators PwC hope to return them to their owners.

Research by the BBC in December 2016 found that one group of four stamps, bought by an investor from the firm in 2011 for £8,875, had a Stanley Gibbons catalogue value in 2014 of £11,250 but was independently valued at £4,200 in December 2016.

The collapse shows the danger

‘In the long run this could be for our benefit’

of investing in objects – they are unregulated, produce no income, can be costly to keep safe, and depend on an uncertain market to produce returns.

The rest of the Stanley Gibbons Group – including the philatelic shop on London's Strand – is still trading normally.



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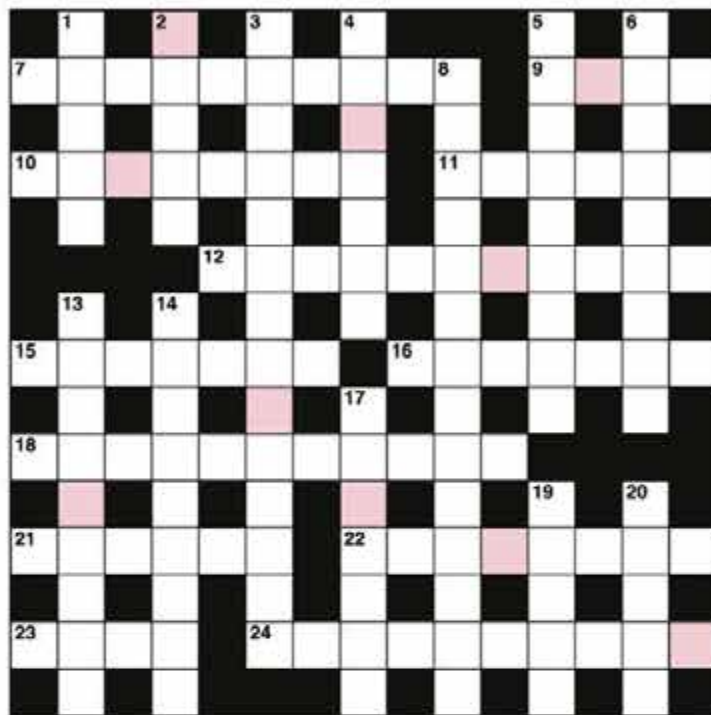
PRIZE CROSSWORD

ACROSS

- 7 A container coated in glue, so becomes gloopy (10)
- 9 Car almost causes takeover (4)
- 10 Outline of small island animal's return (8)
- 11 Is the same as English birds lacking iodine (6)
- 12 Series about a chef who's a cop is an impractical idea! (3,2,3,3)
- 15 Gymnast, a European, held note (7)
- 16 Parking and turning, in case of the twelfth sign? (7)
- 18 Soldiers could be sloshed, taking name for composer (11)
- 21 Graduate has branded chocolate with wine (6)
- 22 Headed my old career by chance (8)
- 23 One surrounded by low French prejudice (4)
- 24 Baking ingredient to possibly fall in and run over (5,5)

DOWN

- 1 Busker starts to lift instrument with gemstone (5)
- 2 It's forbidden for army to show disapproval (5)
- 3 Property presenter kept sailor's lip from splitting (7,7)
- 4 Makes family hide (7)
- 5 Reluctantly agree with account, still without books (9)
- 6 Poem unsettled Kabul leader (5,4)
- 8 Bad weather gentlest in high places (5,9)
- 13 Simplistic catechism spelled out (9)
- 14 Between trees with purpose, see tiny creature (9)
- 17 Gas unhappy artist when getting up to dance (7)
- 19 Game blackbirds? (5)
- 20 Old piece of clothing - cuff (5)



Prize Crossword 2

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EASY CROSSWORD

ACROSS (answers page 146)

- 7 Airborne sport (10)
- 9 Brainwave (4)
- 10 Pining romantically (8)
- 11 Common unisex top (1-5)
- 12 Zurich's country (11)
- 15 Financial shortfall (7)
- 16 Outlay of money (7)
- 18 Stephen Tompkinson TV series set in Africa (4,2,5)
- 21 Become smaller (6)
- 22 Brochure (8)
- 23 Fishing-net material (4)
- 24 Head of a gang (10)

DOWN

- 1 Relay race stick (5)
- 2 Country's set of ships (5)
- 3 13th Doctor Who (5,9)
- 4 Liable to collapse (7)
- 5 Top achiever (4-5)
- 6 Feeling of fatigue (9)
- 8 Make a special effort (2,3,5,4)
- 13 Over the moon (9)
- 14 Wisdom after an event (9)
- 17 Portion of food (7)
- 19 Low-priced (5)
- 20 Fruit-machine arm (5)

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PUZZLE ANSWERS

THIS WEEK'S ONLY CONNECT SOLUTION
 Kinfolk **Down** Stupid, Smart, Rut, Zinnia, Unpack, Sly, Comb, Yawn, Joist, Video, Urge, Aunt, Ask, Nation, Auteur, Own, Liken, Throw

THIS WEEK'S POINTLESS ANSWERS
 (Fanny) Craddock, (Keith) Floyd, (Robert) Carrier, (Jamie) Oliver
TV chefs
 Wood, Clay, Stool, Homing

Golf clubs
 Wedge, Iron, Driver, Putter
Types of heel
 Stiletto, Kitten, Cuban, Spool

THIS WEEK'S ENIGMA SOLUTION
 How Rachel did it: 9-2=7, 7x75=525, 525+10+6=541

THIS WEEK'S COUNTDOWN QUESTION
 number of people gave.
 So *Sister Act* is the answer that the fewest *Footloose* (14), *Hairspray* (31), *Sister Act* (3), *Mary Poppins* (11 answered), *Billy Elliot* (72).

THIS WEEK'S EGGSHEADS SOLUTION
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Wood	Floyd	Kitten	Stool
Cradock	Stiletto	Driver	Spool
Clay	Iron	Oliver	Homing
Wedge	Carrier	Cuban	Putter

TRY THESE CLUES: GROUP ONE: WOOD. GROUP TWO: CARRIER. GROUP THREE: WEDGE. GROUP FOUR: STILETTO. © PARASOL MEDIA

Countdown with Rachel Riley



Using addition, subtraction, multiplication and division, try to get as close to the target as possible in 30 seconds. You can use each of the six numbers only once, but you don't have to use them all. Rachel's solution is on previous page.

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Super Sudoku 633

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How to play Complete the grid so that every row, column and 3 x 3 box contains the digits 1 to 9. **Difficulty: 16/20**

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4	7	8	5	2	6	3	1	9
9	3	6	7	1	8	5	4	2
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How many words of three letters or more can you find by tracking from one square to the next, going up, down, sideways or diagonally in order? You may not use the same letter square twice in any word. Proper nouns or foreign words not allowed. What is the nine-letter word?

BRAINBOX 28 words AVERAGE 18

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TRACKWORD FOR WEEK 51 Nine-letter word HORSEBACK

Abhor, abhors, ahorse, bac, back, bah, boa, boak, bock, boh, bok, cab, cob, cohab, cor, corse, cos, cose, croak, hack, hoa, hob, hoc, hock, hoe, horse, horseback, hose, koa, kob, oak, oba, oca, orc, orca, rob, robe, robes, robs, roc, rock, roe, rok, rose, scab, scrobe, soak, sob, soc, soca, sock, soh, sokah
(Ref: Chambers English Dictionary)

THIS WEEK'S EASY CROSSWORD SOLUTION

Across 7 Ballooning 9 Idea 10 Lovesick 11 T-shirt 12 Switzerland 15 Deficit 16 Expense 18 Will at Heart 21 Shrink 22 Pamphlet 23 Mesh 24 Ringleader
Down 1 Baton 2 Fleet 3 Jodie Whittaker 4 Ricketty 5 High-flyer 6 Weariness 8 Go the extra mile 13 Delighted 14 Hindsight 17 Helping 19 Cheap 20 Lever

The Enigma code

Can you crack the Enigma code? Each grid number represents a letter. Every letter of the alphabet is used. Use the given letter or letters – below the main grid – to start. The solution is on the previous page.

Difficulty: 14/20 Target time: 28 minutes

24		7		24	15	1	15	8	12	13		
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Pointless

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F _ O _ L _ O _ E

H _ I _ S _ R _ Y

_ I _ T _ R / _ C _

Eggheads

with Jeremy Vine

STEVE COOKE

1 The fast bowlers Colin Croft and Patrick Patterson played Test cricket for which international team?

- a New Zealand b South Africa c West Indies

2 Which of the Bennet sisters was played by Susannah Harker in the 1995 BBC adaptation of Jane Austen's *Pride and Prejudice*?

- a Jane b Lydia c Mary

CHRIS HUGHES

3 In the north of England, the term "beck" refers to what type of geographical feature?

- a Mountain b Stream c Valley

4 Which Russian composer was a chemistry professor and always regarded chemistry rather than music as his main career?

- a Borodin b Rimsky-Korsakov c Mussorgsky

JUDITH KEPPEL

5 The phrase "fifth column" has its origins in which conflict?

- a Korean War b Spanish Civil War c Crimean War

6 "Kelvedon Wonder" is a variety of which garden vegetable?

- a Pea b Leek c Carrot

DAVE RAINFORD

7 In which country is the Suez Canal located?

- a Syria b Libya c Egypt

8 The choroid is found in which part of the body?

- a Eye b Kidney c Wrist

LISA THIEL

9 Sutton Coldfield is part of which city?

- a Nottingham b Manchester c Birmingham

10 What type of creature is the title character in the 1957 film *Old Yeller*?

- a Horse b Dog c Cat

Dictionary corner

Susie Dent

Why do we talk about having a "hair of the dog" if we've overdone it? **J Brimley** by email

This curious expression has both strange and very literal beginnings. It's a shortening of a hair of the dog that bit you, and originated in a medieval

belief that a person bitten by a rabid dog could avoid disastrous after-effects by catching the dog, pulling out a few of its hairs, and making a poultice of them to

apply to the wound. The remedy was already in metaphorical use by the 17th century, when a dictionary records that "our ale-knights often use this phrase". The idea behind the transfer to tipplers is that, although alcohol cause a hangover – just as the dog is for its bite – a smaller portion of the same will, paradoxically, act as a cure. (Sadly there is little evidence to support either idea.)



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WHAT WE WATCHED

1998 3-9 JANUARY

The Vicar of Dibley was one of our "What's Great for '98" programmes – and its creator Richard Curtis revealed that he came up with the idea at a register office wedding. "It was the first wedding I'd seen presided over by a woman, and I realised how right that was and how strange it was not to have seen a woman doing this before... After writing *Blackadder*, which was a sitcom motivated by a selfish person getting into scrapes through his own greed, to write about someone who got into trouble by always being nice was a lot of fun."



1981 3-9 JANUARY

As a new series of *That's Life* began, presenter Esther Rantzen talked about the show's appeal. "You get hooked, you know. The formula is irresistible because of the variety of content, because of the satisfaction of being able to entertain people and help them – which is marvellous, great fun – and because we all get on very well. You can't fake that kind of affection."



2003 4-10 JANUARY

Red Cap was a drama about the British Military Police and its star Tamzin Outhwaite boasted, "I can now assemble or disassemble a 9mm pistol or an SA80 rifle, blindfolded, in nine seconds." As for her role, "It's much more interesting playing an independent, powerful woman than a mouse. I'm a confident person, and I'm very happy in my own skin..."

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LETTER OF THE WEEK

Joe deserved his victory



TIN SOLDIERS
Joe McFadden and Katya Jones: worthy champions

Strictly voters got it right again and the last man standing won. But of course it was instantly raining complaints and even suggested that the voters had boycotted one of the contestants. What utter nonsense!

Singers have, in my opinion, an advantage in *Strictly*, for they know how to move with their music. And Alexandra moved just a bit too well right from the start. Debbie, much as I enjoyed her dancing and admired her energy, had a classical ballet training. To use that for her show dance was perhaps not the best idea.

Joe, however, made a steady and gradual progress from dance number one. I loved his enthusiasm and dedication and I was delighted that he was voted the winner. As an overseas viewer, sadly, I am not allowed to vote.

The charleston he and Katya performed was absolutely brilliant – original, clever and beautifully executed. For me it is a *Strictly Come Dancing* classic, just like the Argentine tango performed by Mark Ramprakash and Karen Hardy. Well done, Joe and Katya! Enjoy your victory and trophy, which are rightfully deserved!

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GOLD STANDARD

I have been catching up with the incomparable *Detectorists* (BBC4) on iPlayer. This has given me the chance to pause and confirm that, near the start of episode three, Lance had a copy of DT Howells's *A Catalogue of the Late Antique Gold Glass in the British Museum* on his bedside table, which must be almost as rare as hens' teeth (yes, I too have a copy!). I'd love to know how it came to be Lance's late-night read.

Dr John Bradley Brentford, west London

Mackenzie Crook responds:

"Thank you for noticing. I placed that book deliberately on Lance's bedside table as a tribute to its author, Daniel Howells, who sadly passed away a few months after it was completed. It's a beautiful book, brimful of treasure."

...Thank you, BBC4, for allowing viewers to enjoy the closing scene and credits of *Detectorists* without spoiling the magic by superimposing a trail for

something else. Might this have been because nothing else could ever match the glowing perfection of this gentle comedy?

Frances Soar Sheffield

...Oh, how sad we are in our house that *Detectorists* has finished. With an inspired script, actors and director it has been a treat. Hats off to Mackenzie Crook for the understated comedy of 2017.

Maralyn Plumb Stansted, Essex



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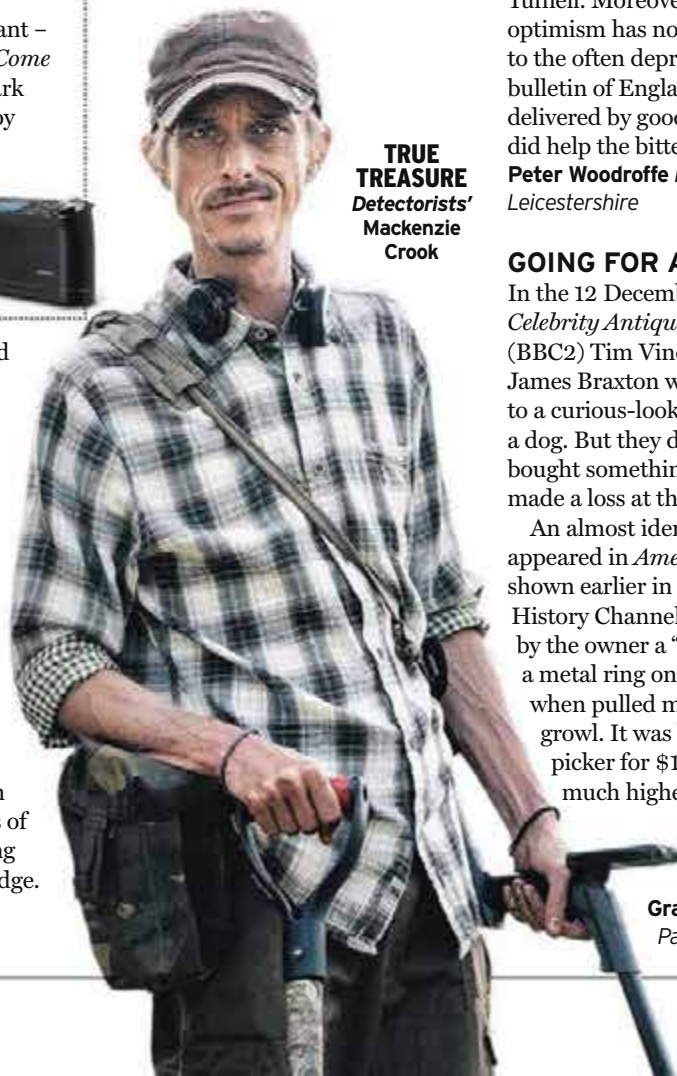
Words of praise for the latest recruit to pass through the hallowed *Test Match Special* (5 Live

Sports Extra, Radio 4 LW) portal. Daniel Norcross (above) brings huge enthusiasm, erudite commentary and critique, and the much-admired ability to "paint the picture" for radio.

He is a suitable foil to the prosaic Michael Vaughan, the common-sensed, if repetitive, Geoffrey Boycott and the entertaining Phil Tufnell. Moreover, while his high optimism has not been an antidote to the often depressing Ashes bulletin of England failure delivered by good old Aggers, it did help the bitter pill go down!

Peter Woodroffe Lutterworth, Leicestershire

TRUE TREASURE
Detectorists'
Mackenzie Crook



GOING FOR A GROWLER

In the 12 December edition of *Celebrity Antiques Road Trip* (BBC2) Tim Vine and expert James Braxton were attracted to a curious-looking figurine of a dog. But they dismissed it and bought something else, which made a loss at the auction.

An almost identical figure appeared in *American Pickers*, shown earlier in the day on the History Channel. It was called by the owner a "growler" and had a metal ring on its collar, which when pulled made the dog growl. It was bought by the picker for \$1,000 and valued much higher. Did Braxton and Vine miss out on a bargain?

Graham Sumner Pantymwyn, Flintshire

BEING BRANDO

My wife and I are recent converts to *Peaky Blinders* (BBC2). However, I do think that actor Adrian Brody and director David Caffrey may have watched *The Godfather* a little too often!

The mumbling, heavily accented delivery of Luca Changretta (Brody) is almost a caricature of Marlon Brando. Even the way he lightly scratches his cheek with curled fingers is done in the same manner as Vito Corleone!

David Allars Foxton, Cambridgeshire

SO WHO HIT MATT?

PC Burns and DI Thorpe in *The Archers* (Radio 4) have got it completely wrong! Surely forensics will prove that the vehicle that

struck down Matt Crawford was a minibus carrying, among other relegated characters, Kathy and Jamie Perks, Carol Tregorran, Amy Franks, Darren the Homeless Decorator, Brenda Tucker, her sister-in-law Hayley... Who was actually driving is unknown; perhaps à la *Murder on the Orient Express*, they all had a hand. An understandable protest, perhaps, but rotten of them to try to deprive us of one of the most entertaining shakers-up of smug Ambridge.

Jennifer Lampert Croydon, south London



A-STARRED DRAMA
The A Word's Joe (Max Vento) and his family struck a chord

THE A WORD GETS AN A
The A Word (BBC1) was both funny and sad, but had none of the deliberate bitterness that so often afflicts "real-life" dramas today.

Choosing the beautiful Lake District as a setting was also welcome. Seeing this wonderful story play out in an area of such natural beauty delivered the delicate message that families anywhere can face such challenges.

The characters were authentic: flawed without villainy and kind without being self-righteous. On top of all this, it had one of the best music soundtracks ever!
Andrew Michael Jones *Wirral, Cheshire*

...If *The A Word* doesn't win a Bafta there is no justice. The second series reached its climax with the best episode yet (12 December). Once again, Max Vento shone as seven-year-old Joe, and Lee Ingleby surely reached a new high in his career portraying all the anguish, despair, confusion but deep love of a father with an autistic child and the repercussions this has for himself and his family. Brilliant.

Rosemary Marshall *New Malden, Surrey*

BAD BUSINESS

In *The Apprentice* (BBC1), why are the CVs of the candidates not thoroughly examined before

they are accepted for the process?

In the semi-final (13 December), Lord Sugar fired Michaela because she was running other companies and he naturally wanted a partner who would devote all their time to one venture. What a waste of time and money, then, taking her through all those weeks of tasks!

Bob Kingsland *Stroud, Gloucestershire*

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View from my sofa

SIR TOM JONES

‘The best dramas are British’

Tom Jones watches *Doc Martin* in LA – from Dean Martin’s house

Do you have much time for television, Sir Tom?

I’m a bloody TV addict! I’ve been watching television since 1952. I was bedridden for two years from the age of 12. There was a radio in the corner of my room and I used to close my eyes and think, “If I keep them shut tight, when I look again it will be a TV.” And one day it was – my parents had got me a set.

What did you watch in bed?

Musical shows in the evening, Frankie Vaughan, who had a hell of a voice, and I liked the singers in the Jack Parnell band. During the day, you only had *Muffin the Mule*, *Andy Pandy* and *The Flower Pot Men*. The test card was on most of the time, but it was still a wondrous thing.

No *Andy Pandy* at home in LA?

I watch a lot of British TV in the States. Most of the shows on the PBS channel seem to be British. I think the best dramas are British, and the best comedies. I like *Doc Martin*.

Is it strange to watch *Doc Martin* then walk out onto your veranda in the California sunshine?

I like *Death in Paradise* as well, and that’s in the Caribbean. But if I see something very British, it makes me homesick. Especially Wales. If something comes on about Wales, then forget it!

How do you unwind after a day of filming *The Voice* in the UK?

I relax with a shower at the hotel and I put the telly on before I go to sleep. At the moment, I’m watching the Horror Channel. I don’t know why, because I get nightmares when I go to sleep, but I like a well-made horror film. There was a Hammer film on last night, which I first saw when I was a kid in Wales. Oliver Reed was the werewolf.

Did you get on with Ollie Reed?

I think we’d have had a lot in common but it’s strange, I didn’t meet him, even though I was sure I would. We lived near Shepperton film studios and used to go to a lot of pubs around there but I never did bump into him. I think I was the only person that never bumped in to Ollie Reed in a pub.

Are you still keen on pubs?

I do like a drink. I’ve never taken any drugs – I’ve never been interested in drugs – but I love British pubs. I like the camaraderie. And showbusiness parties. I’ve always been a drinker, but thank God it’s never got a hold of me. I’ve never had a problem with it; I’ve just enjoyed it. I grew up in that culture, you know, in south Wales.

As you get older, does the link with home get stronger?

When I first went to the States, to tour and do *The Ed Sullivan Show* in the 60s, I couldn’t wait to get back to Britain. I got more used to it when we

moved there, but I never became an American citizen. I got a green card – I’m what they call a resident alien. That’s how much I love coming back to Britain.

Why didn’t you move back?

My late wife, Linda, God bless her, was always homesick when we were in the States. She was always planning to come back but her health got bad and she didn’t make it. But we were British, and it never left us. We bought our house in Bel Air from Dean Martin because it was almost identical to the house that we had in England.

Did Dean leave much behind when he moved out?

He took all the booze but there was a big chair and the bar, which was a large room in the back, his recreation area. We left that exactly the same. Dean had done such a great job with it. **MICHAEL HODGES**

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NOTHING ON TV?

MY BOOK I like true stories; I’m reading one about Cuba at the moment. I prefer fact over fiction.

MY DVD I’m old school and take DVDs abroad. I like nature documentaries.

MY BEER I still enjoy a pint of Brains bitter from Wales.

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Tea time in Tokyo

Chef Donal Skehan discovers a taste for Tokyo's tea ceremonies – and cakes!

Donal's Asian Baking Adventure Starts February on Good Food

THE IRISH CHEF Donal Skehan was first turned on to Asian cooking as a boy when his grandmother gave him an encyclopaedia of Asian cooking. Every Saturday, while his friends were playing football, Skehan would take the bus into Dublin from his home in the suburb of Howth to buy ingredients to try out the dishes. But even so Skehan was taken aback when he was asked to travel to the region for his new series, *Donal's Asian Baking Adventure*.

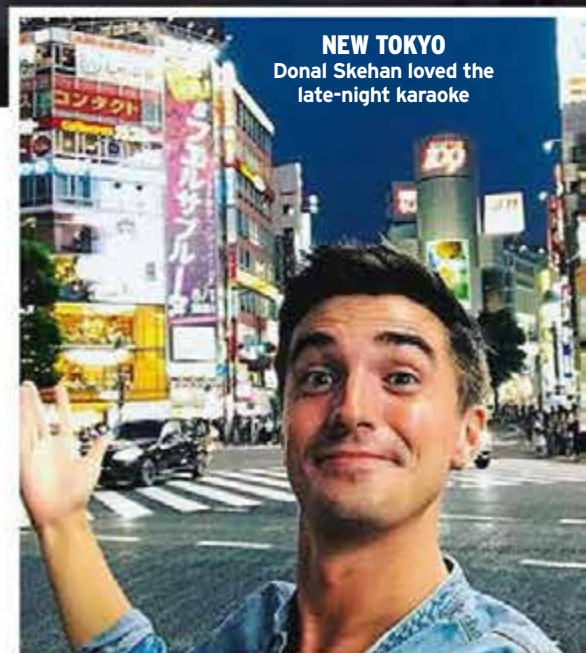
"I was a bit sceptical when the producers first suggested it as I just don't associate that area of the world with baking. I had tried matcha [green tea] ice cream or a cheesecake, but that was the only idea I had of Asian baking. But right now, some of the world's best bakers are coming out of the region and winning interna-

tional prizes. It's an area of cooking that is taking off in Asia and we wanted to show people this whole new exciting side to the region's food."

The 31-year-old now lives in Los Angeles and he has become a worldwide cooking star with his shows and YouTube channel. For the new series, he travelled to Hong Kong, Singapore and Korea, but it was a four-day stay in Tokyo that made the biggest impression on him.

"I love sushi and ramen [noodle soup], but I had no idea about Japan's baking culture. It was my first trip to the country and I was blown away. The baking was full of subtle flavours and was made with delicacy and precision. That's the link between all their food."

Skehan and his crew were based in the Chiyoda area of the Japanese capital, next to the green expanse surrounding the Imperial Palace,



NEW TOKYO
Donal Skehan loved the late-night karaoke



OLD TOKYO
Sensoji Temple is in the romantic Asakusa district



GREEN TOKYO
One of the gates to the Meiji Shrine in Yoyogi Park

a natural sweetness but is much less mouth-numbing than the taste of sugar. I don't love red bean paste, but it made me realise there was a subtlety and a pulling back on flavours."

This focus on taste was even more intense during a traditional Japanese tea ceremony at a teahouse near the world-famous temple of Sensoji, in the district of Asakusa, one of the most nostalgic and romantic areas of old Tokyo.

"That was one of the highlights of the trip for me. You are surrounded by beautiful manicured gardens with this wonderful quietness and peacefulness. There were no small sandwiches in the afternoon tea, but we were given these fantastic little jellies on top of cocktail sticks that you had to cut in half in a particular way. The flavour contrasts with the bitterness of the tea." It made Skehan think about our gluttonous view of baking in the West. "Our approach is to go big, but the Japanese approach is to look at the ingredients and learn how to taste each one through the process of eating it."

THAT WAS a philosophy that he saw in action when he visited Asakusa market, at the centre of what was once the pleasure area of the city, full of geishas and artists.

"Street food is not a big thing in Japan, as people still don't really eat on the go. You see small shops instead of food stalls. There is a respect and honour for eating that we have lost and I think we could do a bit to learn that."

Before he became a cook, Skehan was a singer in Irish pop band Industry, so his last stop was Harajuku for some late-night karaoke. "We went to the Kawaii Monster Café, where you can completely immerse yourself in their cute subculture. We ate cakes made to look like cat food in a cat bowl and then I had to get on stage and sing with some people dressed as anime characters. It was totally over the top, but a brilliant celebration of youth culture."

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SENSOJI TEMPLE Tokyo's oldest Buddhist temple (with its traditional paper lanterns at the entrance, above) was founded in the seventh century. It's popular for its fortune-tellers. If you make a donation, you can pick a stick out of a container and collect the fortune that corresponds with the number on it.

EDIBLE SOUVENIRS Sensoji Temple is reached via an ancient shopping street called Nakamise-dori, which is jam-packed with souvenir stalls selling everything from kimonos to traditional snacks, such as rice crackers. Make like a local and buy *ningyo-yaki* or doll cakes – red bean paste cakes baked in moulds.

MEIJI SHRINE As well as being for decades the epicentre of teen fashion in Tokyo, Harajuku is home to this tranquil Shinto shrine dedicated to the deified first emperor of modern Japan (1852–1912) and his consort. Visitors to the Meiji Shrine make offerings, buy charms and write their wishes on wooden plates in the hope that they'll come true. **CW**

the residence of the Emperor of Japan. With a few hours free before filming, Skehan took off on his own, taking a taxi across the centre to the Meiji Shrine, where he experienced the contrasting styles of the city. "You walk from the shrine through the beautiful Yoyogi Park, which is full of trees and really peaceful. The next thing, you emerge in Harajuku, which is this centre of youth culture. Everyone is dressed really fantastically and you are bombarded with the craziest sights and sounds."

Skehan quickly learnt to adjust his taste buds. "Anyone who has watched *The Great British Bake Off* is used to baking being about pounds of sugar and flour. Whereas Japanese baking is very different – the sweetness levels are way down. It's because they use traditional ingredients, like *anko*, which is a red bean paste. It has



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Riding the rails

Michael Portillo takes a train journey through the history of the US and Canada

Great American Railroad Journeys Late January BBC2

NOWHERE IS THE “special relationship” between Britain and the USA more special than in New England, which Michael Portillo visits on the latest leg of his *Great American Railroad Journeys*. Did he encounter much friendly joshing from Americans who threw off the colonial yoke more than 240 years ago?

“My impression was rather the opposite,” he says. “When you go to New England you’re struck by how many things are similar, from the Jersey cows to the gentlemen’s clubs in Boston to the accent. These are the Americans who stick closest to their British heritage.”

The trains in the series are as splendid as ever – from Boston’s underground tramway to the cog railway chugging up Mount Washington in New Hampshire. “People say, ‘Are you crazy about railways?’” says Portillo. “I’m really crazy about history.”

In the famous watering holes on the island of Martha’s Vineyard, off Cape Cod, he finds a vast open-flanked structure built to accommodate thousands of worshipping Methodists in the 19th century. In Nantucket, he investigates the whaling industry. “Unbelievable numbers of whales were slaughtered by boats that left Nantucket at a time when the world depended on whale oil for industrial lubri-

cants and lighting. The whale was saved by the discovery of oil in Pennsylvania.”

When they went out into Nantucket Sound, “we got very lucky,” he says. “For about an hour and a half we were in contact with whales and it was massively exciting.” He also goes bobsleighbing, dangles from the 553m-high CN Tower in Toronto and is put through his paces by Cirque du Soleil: “I do get pretty thoroughly involved.”

A lot of these adventures are in Canada, which feels hugely different from the US, says Portillo. “If you were making a movie about Paris in the 1780s, you might film it in downtown Montreal. People have an enormous pride in their French culture.”

By contrast, the lavish changing of the guard ceremony outside the Parliament in Ottawa struck him as very British. “The soldiers wear red tunics and bearskins. But on one side they’re receiving their orders in English, and on the other side in French.” JASPER REES

PORTILLO’S PICK



BOSTON Michael Portillo loved every aspect of it – not only historic Boston, where he took part in a re-enactment of the Boston Tea Party (Tea Party museum, above), but also the modern city – which has cleaned up its act by burrowing the main highways underground.

MARTHA’S VINEYARD Portillo was charmed by the quiet beauty of a place that started out as a religious bolthole. In the 19th century, Methodists would pitch tents there and eventually built cottages,

which are now highly sought after. “The cottages are very pretty and have been beautifully painted,” he says.

MONTREAL Portillo was excited by the Frenchness of Quebec culture – in particular, Montreal. From a distance it looks like an American city, but much more European close up. Expect the French language to be spoken and French cuisine to be served. JR

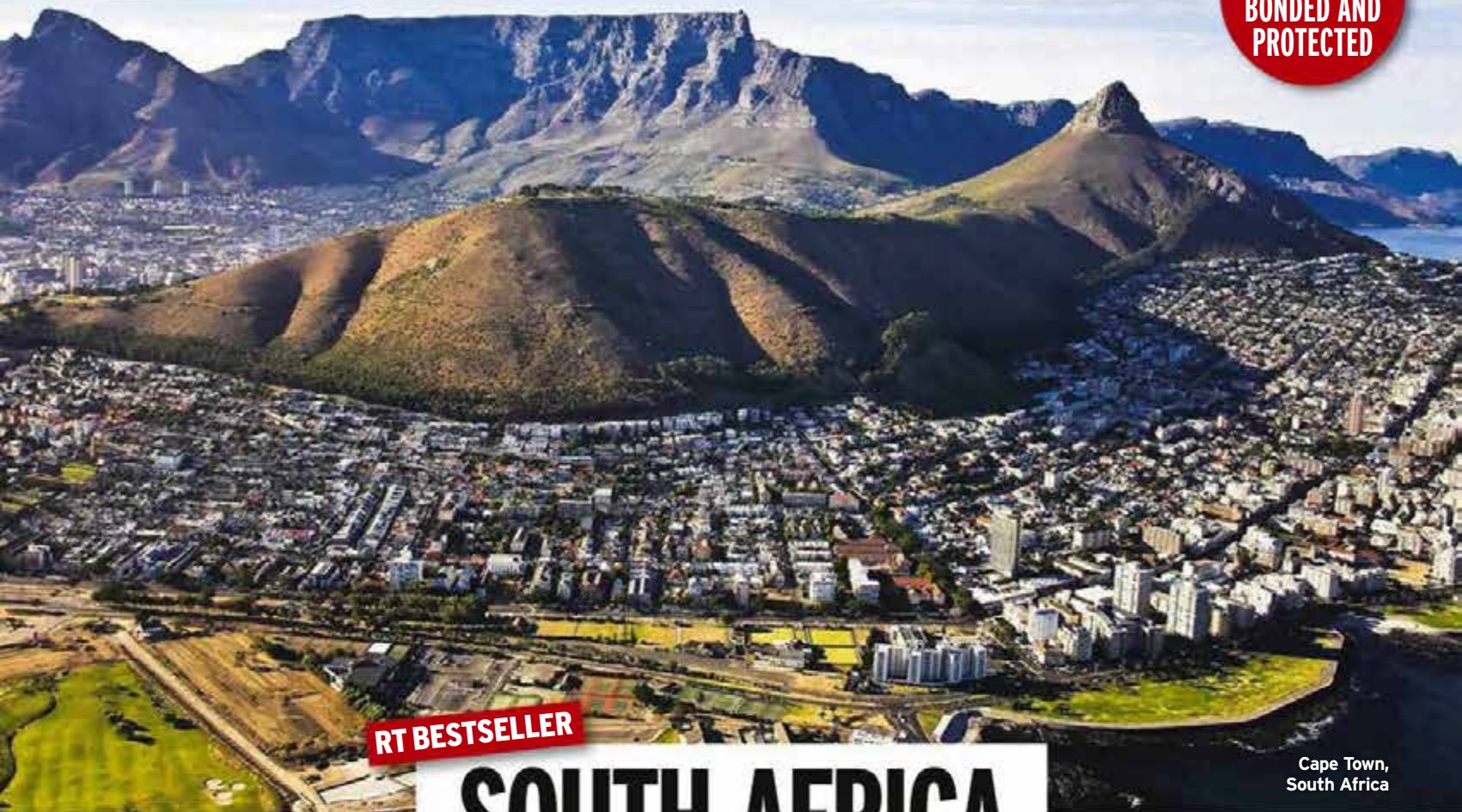


CIRCUS TURN
Michael Portillo auditions for Cirque du Soleil

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GAME FOR ANYTHING
Michael Portillo joins a re-enactment of the Boston Tea Party (left) and takes the cog railway up Mount Washington, above



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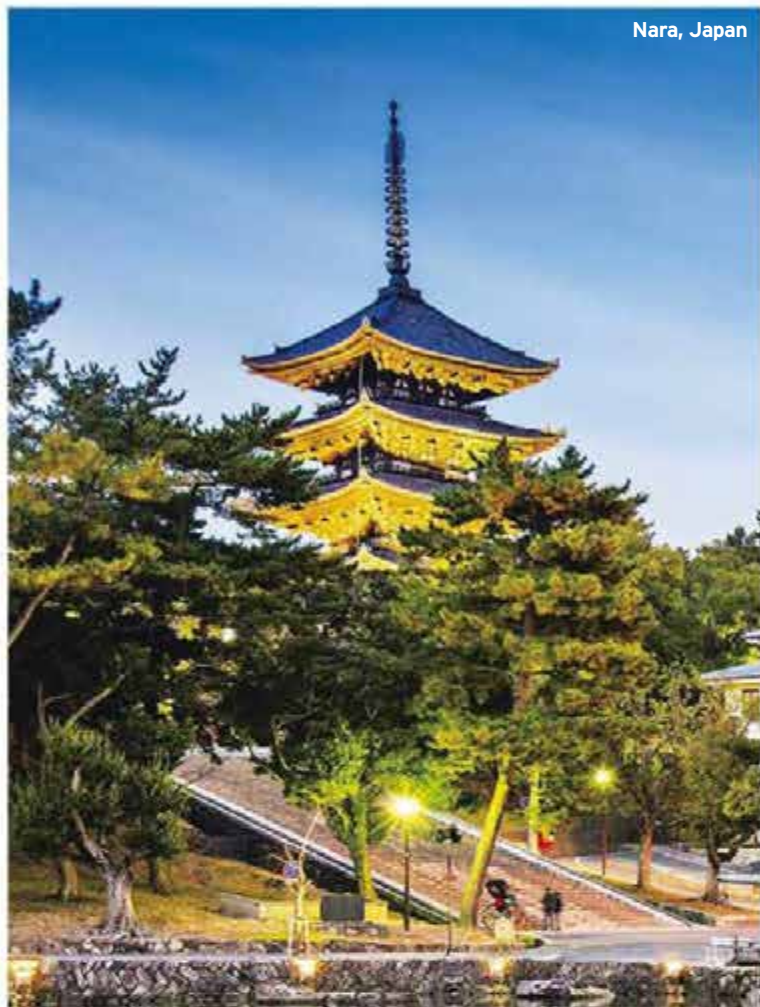


Zulu dancers

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SEASON ONE OF Netflix royal drama *The Crown* was the TV equivalent of comfort food last winter. The elegant palaces, ancient churches and dusty schoolrooms brought 1950s Britain to life for a global audience. But just like Queen Elizabeth, there's only so much time the show can spend in Blighty, so for season two, just released on Netflix, *The Crown* goes out into the world.

Covering the years 1956 to 1963 – essentially the years that Anthony Eden and then Harold Macmillan were Prime Minister – season two's storylines take in the Suez Crisis, Prince Philip on a rollicking six-month global flirtfest and the Queen's state visit to Ghana. It's a globetrotting extravaganza, but it was mainly shot in just one country: South Africa.

"South Africa is a gift of a place because it can be so many different countries in one," says the show's production designer, Martin Childs.

"We filmed a lot of Philip's world tour there, except for Antarctica, which was a quarry near London. There was one moment when we were taken up the Keurbooms River really early in the morning and we were able to see the sun come up. It felt like we were going into the heart of darkness, like *Apocalypse Now*. I've never been anywhere that's felt so alien."

Philip's tour – in effect a brief exile amid rumours of an affair with a ballet dancer – sees him take the royal yacht *Britannia* through Bermuda, Tonga, up the Amazon, across Antarctica and to the Melbourne Olympics, where he's honeytrapped by an attractive Australian journalist for a one-to-one interview.

Cape Town doubled as Melbourne, while further up the coast the wide sands and crystal waters of the Western Cape's Kogel Bay became a Tongan beach, where the crew of the yacht challenged locals to various sports. From there, *Britannia* sails to Bermuda – while the cast merely drove 40 miles to Hermanus, where 1920s fishing port New Harbour

became the King's Wharf dock, and the Arabella Hotel golf course acted as Bermuda's Port Royal course.

Hermanus's tiny Old Harbour looks so much like a rocky Mediterranean fishing village that it stars as Corfu in one of Philip's flashbacks – to 1922, when an 18-month-old Philip and the rest of his family fled their Greek royal residence after his uncle, King Constantine I of Greece, had been forced to abdicate by a military government. Banished from Greece, Philip and his family were evacuated on the HMS *Calypso*.

FOR DECK SCENES ON *Britannia*, the crew travelled to Cape Agulhas – at the southernmost tip of the continent – where they constructed a giant fake deck hanging out over the sea, providing a suitable backdrop for ocean-going scenes. The millpond sea behind doubled for everything from the Caribbean to the Antarctic Ocean.

Philip's journey up the Amazon River took place further east on the Keurbooms River – which snakes for 50 miles through mountains, high gorges and lush tropical forest in



REGAL ROLE
Claire Foy is a young Queen Elizabeth II in *The Crown*

South Africa's starring role

The second series of *The Crown* takes us around the globe – but it's mostly filmed in one country

The Crown Netflix



SHOOTING THE BREEZE

The Crown director Philip Martin with Matt Smith – who plays Prince Philip – on set in South Africa

the Keurbooms Nature Reserve on the Garden Coast. Canoeing up river was Matt Smith's favourite part of the whole shoot.

“Coming up that river in a tiny boat was a real joy,” he says. “I loved filming in South Africa; it gave me an insight into Philip. He’s obviously an alpha. He’s on the horse riding into the battle, sword in hand. We can recognise that in the 40s and 50s no man would have knelt to his wife – so if she says you’ve got to give up your job and name, and the kids are taking my name... You can see how he’d say, ‘Hang on. I didn’t sign up for that.’”

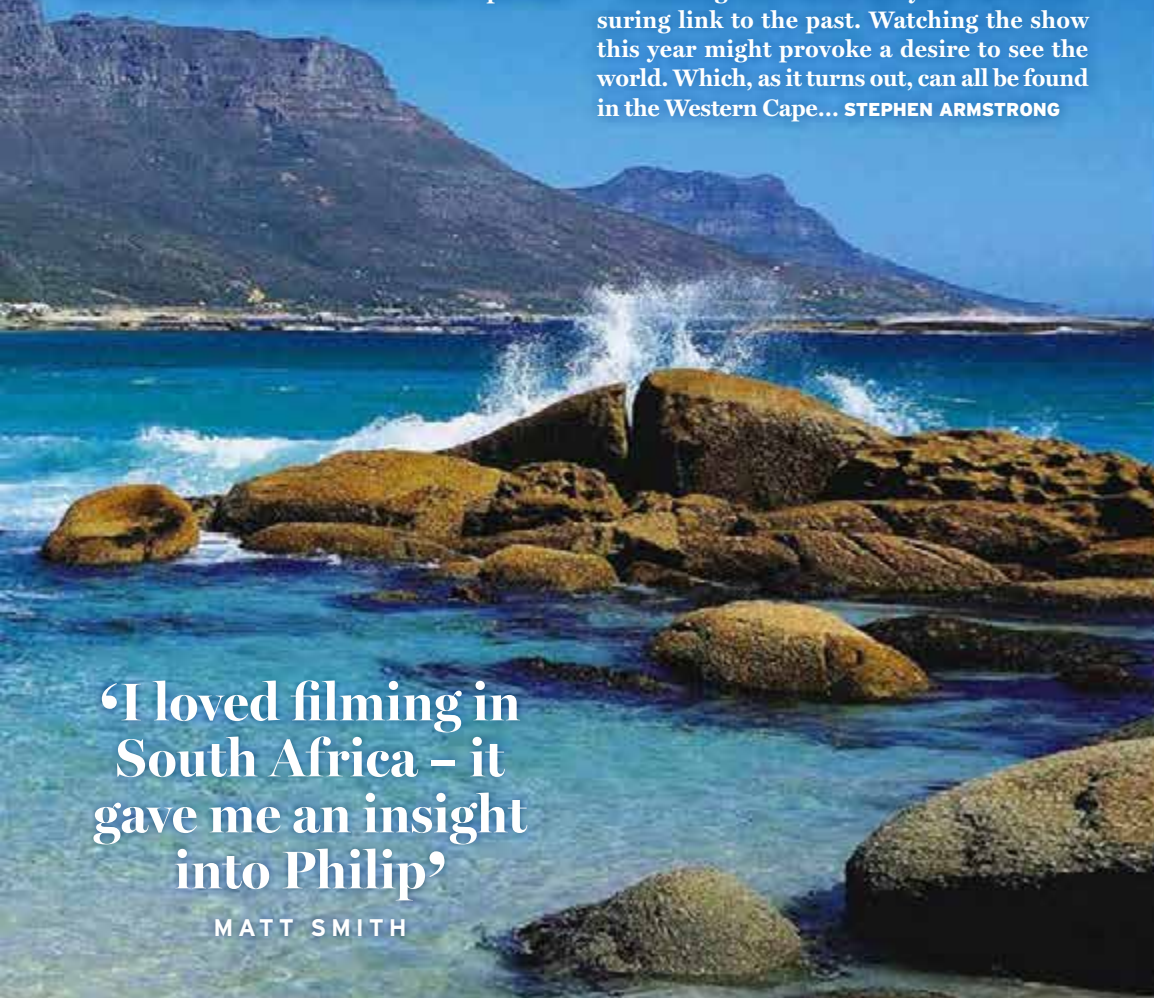
While the Prince is off gadding about, the Queen is struggling to cope with the Suez Crisis. In October 1956, Israel, the UK and France invaded Egypt, then retreated in defeat ten days later. Fisantekraal Airfield – built in 1943 for a bomber squadron in the South African Air Force and now a private

flyng school – became an Egyptian airforce base under attack.

The rise of Egypt’s Colonel Abdel Nasser and key scenes in the deals and negotiations surrounding the slow collapse of British rule in Suez were filmed in Cape Town City Hall, a large Edwardian building on the city’s Grand Parade that has kept its ornate European fixtures and fittings as imported by the builders back in 1905.

And once all the fuss died down, after Charles starts school and John F Kennedy’s state visit, the Queen heads out on her 1961 tour of Ghana – giving her royal blessing to the country’s independence. The Castle of Good Hope, a 17th-century Dutch East India Company bastion, hosted much of Claire Foy’s visit – while South Africa’s verdant landscape provided the rest.

Watching *The Crown* last year was a reassuring link to the past. Watching the show this year might provoke a desire to see the world. Which, as it turns out, can all be found in the Western Cape... **STEPHEN ARMSTRONG**



‘I loved filming in South Africa – it gave me an insight into Philip’

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My Scotland

Shetland star Douglas Henshall on the unique appeal of his homeland

Shetland February BBC1

What do you enjoy most about filming on Shetland?

The peace and quiet. Living in London you forget how much sensory violence is done to you. When you go somewhere like Shetland, you realise what quiet sounds like.

Did Shetlanders have any reservations about letting the BBC film there?

There had been a TV crew before us who were very patronising so people were understandably wary. Once they realised we weren't trying to show them as crazy highlanders, they took to us and now they can't do enough for you.

How do you spend your downtime?

Walking. I've been going there for six years and I keep discovering new nooks and crannies. I'd recommend St Ninian's Isle – it's connected to the mainland by an amazing tombolo beach and the cliffs feel like the edge of the world.

Have you visited many Scottish isles?

Loads. I think my favourite place in the whole of Scotland is Skye. There's nowhere like it. It was part of a volcano that erupted and has been edging its way over from America for millennia. That's why the Black Cuillin mountains look like the dark side of the moon.



GREAT SCOT
Douglas Henshall is *Shetland's* DI Jimmy Perez

Barrhead, on the outskirts – the centre is only 15 minutes away. All my best memories are around Glasgow, that's where I started working in the theatre and became an adult.

How would you spend a Saturday in Glasgow?

I would walk through the Necropolis, go to the Citizens Theatre and eat at Mother India, which is a Glasgow institution.

Glasgow's restaurant scene has exploded in recent years – do you have a favourite?

Ox and Finch is probably my favourite restaurant in Britain. The staff are really enthusiastic about what they're doing. It's not fancy-schmancy – it's just very clever.

Where else is close to your heart?

I have such warm memories of days out to the seaside town of Largs as a kid. We'd go to the amusements, go to Nardini's for knickerbocker glories, go out on a little wooden boat, walk along the front, eat fish and chips and then go home.

Where next?

I really want to cycle the North Coast 500 – the road that loops around the far north of Scotland. It goes through the majestic, intimidating mountains of Wester Ross, which get closer and closer and closer and closer until they're right on top of you.

CLAIRE WEBB

DOUGLAS HENSHALL'S HIGHLAND HIGHLIGHTS



SKYE As well as mountains, lochs and mighty sea cliffs, Scotland's second-largest island offers castles – such as Dunvegan Castle (above) – crofting museums, art galleries and cosy pubs aplenty. "The Cuillin mountains are stunning and there are great places to stay."

MULL The Inner Hebridean island boasts rugged ridges, black basalt crags and miles of white sands, plus the charming waterfront town of Tobermory. "I want to go back there with a bicycle and cycle around it because the scenery is spectacular."

GLEN COE The deep valley and soaring peaks of Glen Coe are beloved of walkers, climbers and film directors, while historic Glencoe village is an ideal base from which to explore the Highlands. **CW**

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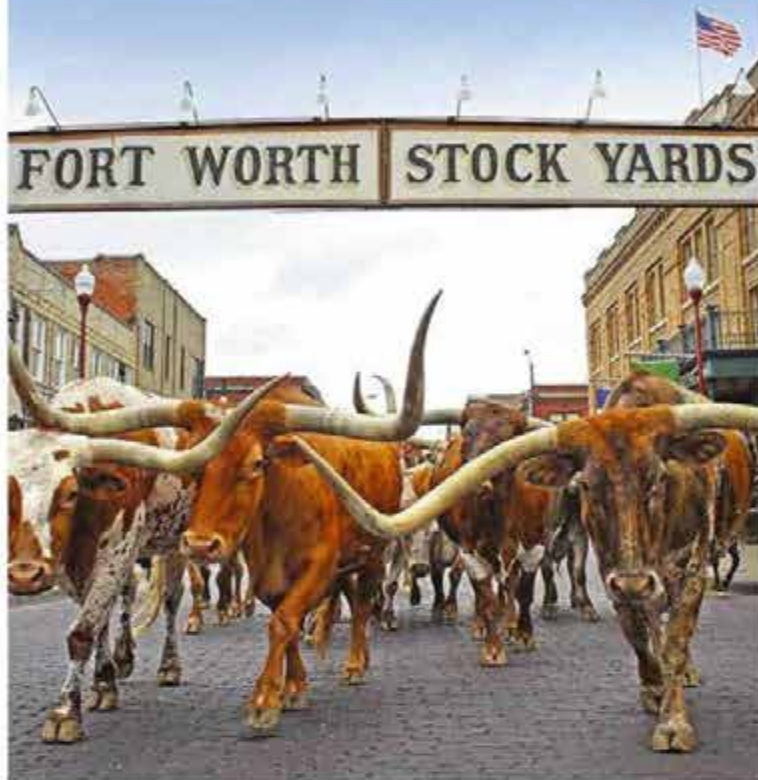
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What are your earliest memories of the Med?

I remember travelling from Newcastle to a campsite in the south of France with my mum, my sister and one of my sister's mates in a Citroën 2CV full of camping gear when I was about 11. It had a top speed of 60mph, so it took us about two days to get there. I had to put the tent up – it was hilarious. I remember the smells and the food, plus lots of eating outside. You don't do that much in the North East; you end up with pneumonia. We absolutely loved it.

You went on a Mediterranean Bakeation in 2011. What's different about this trip?

It was great to be able to scratch beneath the surface of what we all narrowly know as Mediterranean cuisine. It's actually a massive melting pot of different influences, both new and ancient, from the Maghreb – with its Tunisian and Libyan influences – to Ancient Greece and Syria. You could spend the rest of your life studying it, it was so deep and so rich.

You even came across the British influence in Menorca...

We did! It goes back to the 18th century, when we captured the island from the Spanish and installed a lieutenant governor, Richard Kane, who changed the way the island was farmed, including introducing Friesian cows. Even today, Menorcan chefs use way more butter in their cooking than the Spanish. That's the great thing about the Med – its cuisine is born from thousands of years of cultural exchange.

You visit France, Spain and Italy – which is most aware of its food traditions?

Italy! I have a great attachment to it. My sister lives in Tuscany, so we have an extended Italian

family. I've cooked for Italians and they'll eat it to be polite, but they'll say, "It's lovely, but it's not the way we do it." I did a sage leaf, tomato paste and anchovy fritter – you drop it in batter and fry it. But they'll insist you use a particular type of long-leafed sage, "because it's less harsh".

You once described Bilbao as like Newcastle without the stotties. Did any new places remind you of home?

Calabria in Italy, because it was poor and it was about making food to feed a manual workforce. You can draw parallels with the cuisine, too, although we're in a grain belt and that's a vine belt, obviously. It's the same, but very different.

Where were the best roads for motorcycling?

We went in spring. By the time it got to June it was flaming hot with motorcycle leathers on. What was great was we never got wet once on the whole trip. It was epic. Sardinia and Corsica were great, and some Italian mainland roads as well, but the Calobra in Majorca was amazing. It twists and turns up the side of a mountain. It's the most beautiful motorcycle road to ride.

Where's best for a foodie city break?

Valencia – interesting food, lots of different influences. For example, we went to the fantastic covered market, Mercado de Colón, and drank horchata – a drink made from tiger nuts that was brought to Valencia by the Moors, who ruled there from the 8th to 13th centuries.

What's your best travel tip?

Treat the world with an open mind and an open heart and you'll get twice as much back. Be interested in the country you're in – and talk to people! **CHRIS HARVEY**

SI RECOMMENDS...



MAJORCA Si's favourite motorcycle ride was the Calobra in the rugged hills of northern Majorca, with its 26 hairpin bends (above). It rises 700m from the beautiful port village of Sa Calobra to the Coll dels Reis. It's a 90-minute drive from Palma, and beloved of cyclists, too.

VALENCIA His foodie heaven was Spain's third city. Founded by the Romans, it's home to beautiful beaches and striking modern architecture, as well as being the birthplace of paella. Every March the city hosts an extravagant five-day festival called the Falles.

CALABRIA The unspoilt southern region of Calabria – the toe of the boot of Italy – with its medieval castles and *cucina povera*: peasant cooking with whatever's available. "It's so simple, but so good," says Si. **CH**

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Med men

Hairy Biker Si King on the eclectic flavours of the Mediterranean

The Hairy Bikers' Mediterranean Adventure Thursday 8.00pm BBC2



BROTHERS IN ARMS
Si King (left) and Dave Myers with the town of Tropea on the boot of Italy in the background

Spiritual journey

You don't have to walk like a pilgrim to Santiago de Compostela to appreciate the rugged beauty of northern Spain

The Pilgrimage **BBC2** (starts in February)

A FIERCE SUN BEATS down against your back. Your bag is heavy, your feet are sore and you've walked for two weeks through northern Spain, with two more to go before you reach Santiago de Compostela. You tread the same route that Christian pilgrims have taken for more than a millennium. Once, it was only the truly pious who set off on the holy route, but now the Camino de Santiago has become a spiritual journey that transcends religion, attracting more than 250,000 pilgrims each year.

The Camino de Santiago – or the Way of St James – was first taken in the Middle Ages, when King Alfonso II heard that the holy remains of the apostle St James had been discovered, and travelled west from his court in Oviedo to Galicia to confirm it. He ordered a basilica to be built to house the remains in Santiago de Compostela, and that cathedral became a shrine, with Catholics flocking from across Europe to pay their respects – and to cut down on the time they'd spend in purgatory after death.

For believers and non-believers alike, it's a contemplative journey. Some choose to travel traditionally by walking the whole way (you can cycle or go on horseback, too) and find cheap shelter in *refugios* and *albergues* – hostels for pilgrims – run by churches and local councils. At

each point on the trail there's a stamp for your pilgrim passport, and when you reach the end – provided you've walked the last 100km – there's a certificate to prove it. Others take the Camino to discover a Spain of aqueducts, castles, cathedrals and monasteries – many transformed into luxurious hotels. Next month, a group of celebrities – including Neil Morrissey, Debbie McGee, the Reverend Kate Bottley and Ed Byrne – will set out on the Camino to reflect on their own relationship with spirituality and faith in *The Pilgrimage* on BBC2.

THERE ARE HUNDREDS of routes, but the most popular is the Camino Francés – the French Way. It starts in the idyllic town of Saint-Jean-Pied-de-Port in the French Pyrenees and passes through the Spanish cities of Pamplona, Logroño, Burgos and León, before continuing into the region of Galicia.

Discover old Hemingway haunts in Pamplona, the medieval six-arched bridge in Puente la Reina, and Spain's finest wine in La Rioja. Burgos's cathedral is a marvel of intricate Gothic architecture – and while there, be sure to try Ribera del Duero wine and *morcilla* (blood sausage). León's cathedral boasts breathtaking stained-glass windows, while Astorga is home to Gaudí's fairy-tale Palacio Episcopal. When you

reach Galicia you enter Celtic Spain – the town of O Cebreiro is one of the first stops and is full of round, pre-Roman mountain dwellings called *pallozas*.

The Camino del Norte – the Northern Way – is the road less travelled, but more picturesque. It favours the coast over cathedrals, and runs parallel to the sea. Starting in the Basque town of Irún, it passes through Spain's foodie capital

VIP PILGRIMS

The stars of BBC2's *The Pilgrimage*, from left: Rev Kate Bottley, Raphael Rowe, Neil Morrissey, JJ Chalmers, Ed Byrne, Debbie McGee and Heather Small



WALK THIS WAY
Pilgrims taking
part in the Camino
de Santiago

SOUL OF SPAIN



GRANADA In the foothills of the Sierra Nevada mountains, Granada is famous for its breathtaking Moorish palace, the Alhambra (above), and its Generalife gardens – the richest legacy of Andalusia’s Islamic past.

SEVILLE Seville is home to a Moorish palace, a Gothic cathedral, and the ornate yellow and blue tiles in the magical Plaza de España.

CÓRDOBA Once Spain’s Islamic capital, Córdoba was a centre of learning for centuries before its recapture by the Christians during the Reconquista. The arches of its Great Mosque (and now cathedral) are iconic. **SC**

of San Sebastián; the historic town of Guernica, bombed by Hitler during the Spanish Civil War and immortalised in Pablo Picasso’s masterpiece, *Guernica*; and Bilbao, where the Guggenheim Museum houses cultural treasures and is an architectural marvel in its own right. The walk is tougher-going, but it’s worth it for the rich landscapes – this is lush, green Spain, a world away from the *costas* of the south.

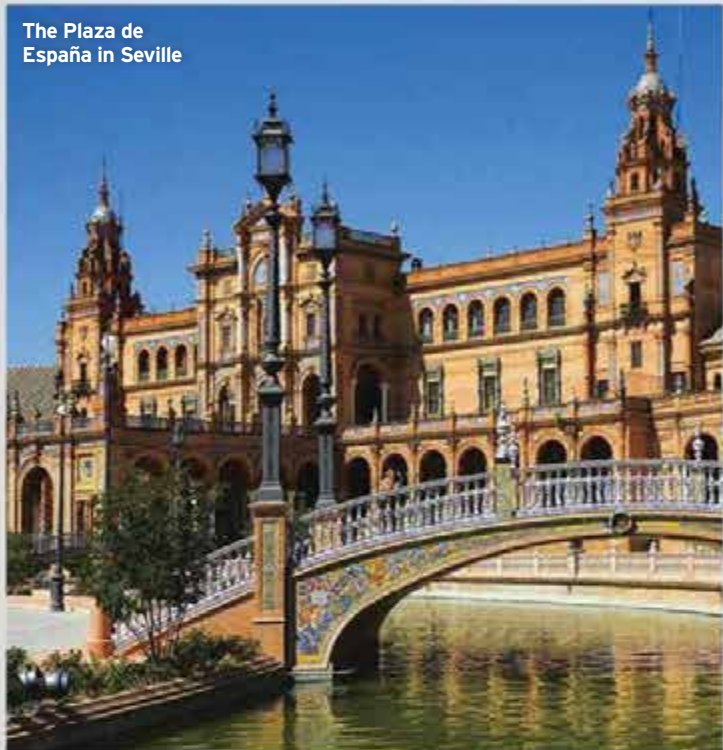
Santiago de Compostela is a vibrant city where Romanesque, Baroque and Renaissance architecture come together. The cathedral is its centre, and a Pilgrim’s Mass is held every day at noon to greet the weary walkers. Visit the Alameda Park, the sprawling Plaza del Obradoiro and the Convent of San Francisco, and buy Galician delicacies at the Mercado de Abastos – Padrón peppers, traditional tetilla cheese and the best seafood in Spain.

The Hostal dos Reis Católicos opposite the cathedral was built as a hospital for pilgrims in 1486; now, it is a five-star Parador hotel – considered the oldest hotel in the world and one of the most beautiful. It’s the perfect place to celebrate completing the Camino – and to contemplate your journey, spiritual and physical, with a glass of Albariño wine. **SARAH CARSON**

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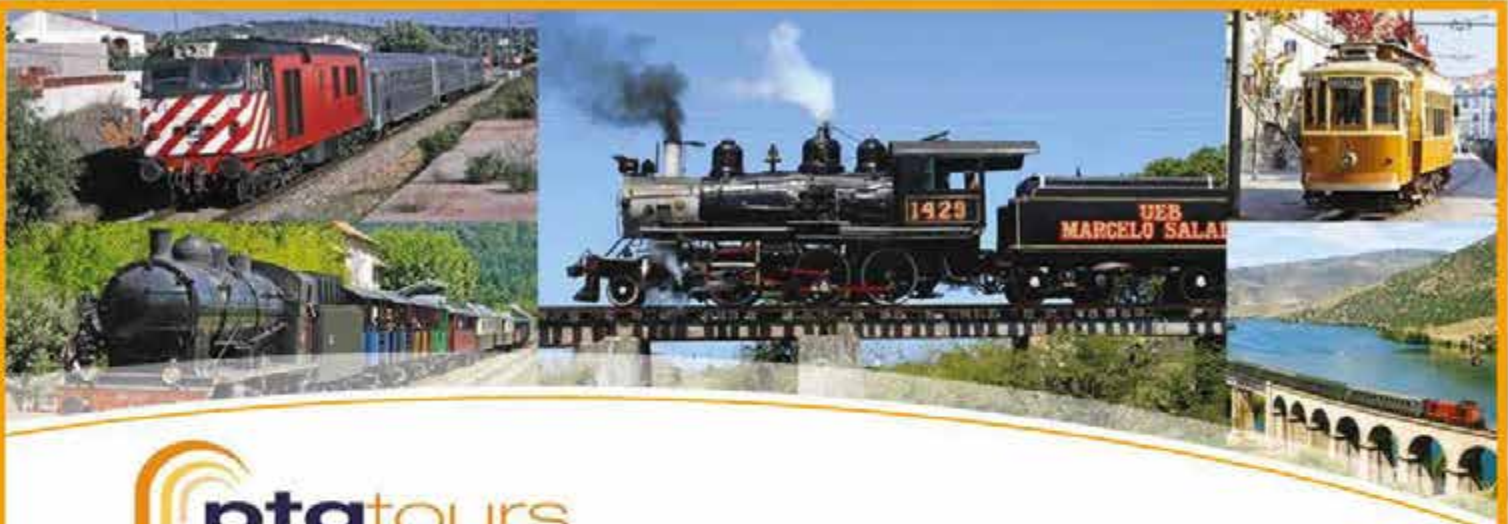
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