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‘Happy Easter from Radio Times!’



EASTER HAS ALWAYS been a real treat for me. Four days when work stops and you can indulge in doing not very much apart from spending time with family and friends – and of course enjoying great television and radio.

I know from the deluge of emails that we received after last year's Easter issue that it's an important time of the year for many of you, too. So, because it's a special time we feel it's only right we create this special issue. We hope you enjoy it.

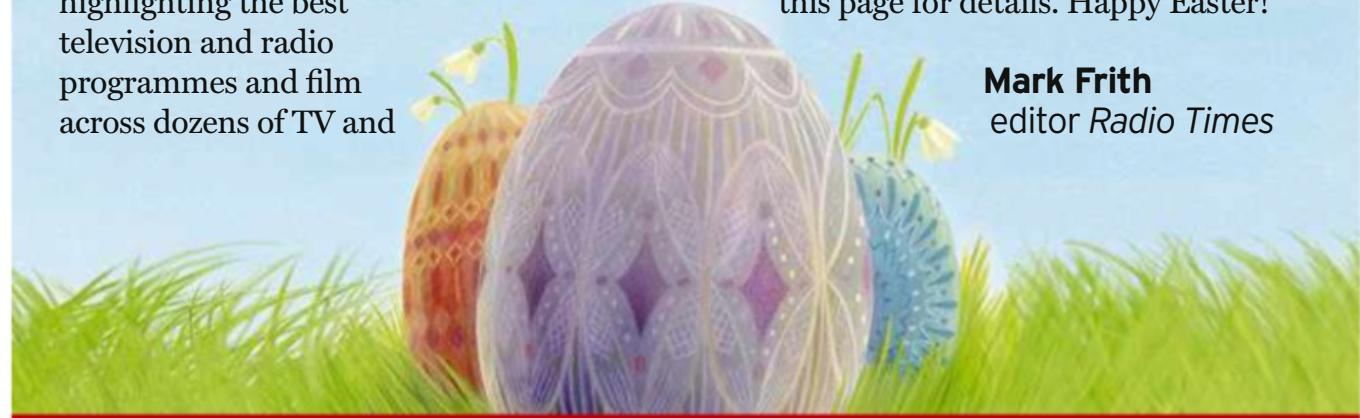
This year we've called on the services of celebrated illustrator Robin Shaw to create our cover. Robin has created several of our Christmas covers in recent years and has now turned his attention to Easter.

Inside this issue we have 164 pages highlighting the best television and radio programmes and film across dozens of TV and

radio stations. Whether it's Miriam Margolyes's thought-provoking programme on life and death (*Miriam's Dead Good Adventure* is on Easter Day BBC2, see page 16), religious programming or a great movie (our film guide begins on page 34), we have everything you need. Our round-up of the best catch-up and streaming shows on page 50 will give you lots of ideas, too.

THIS EDITION ALSO officially kickstarts the spring TV season. Coming up in *Radio Times* in the next few weeks you can read all about the finale of the current run of *Line of Duty*, series two of *Killing Eve*, plus exciting new dramas from Sally Wainwright (*Gentleman Jack*) and Russell T Davies (*Years & Years*). Has there ever been a better time to take out a subscription? See the card attached to this page for details. Happy Easter!

Mark Frith
editor *Radio Times*



Share photos of your RT Easter traditions with us on social media using the hashtag **#RadioTimesEaster** – we'll share our favourites!

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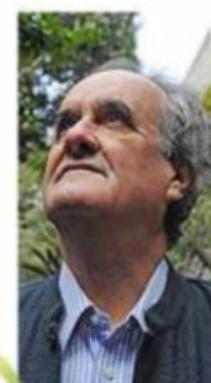
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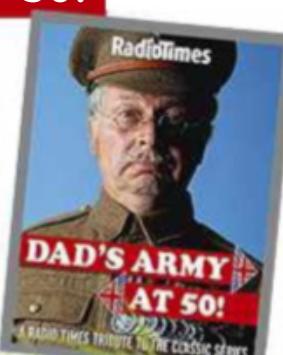
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Easter Day sees the final new edition of the Radio 4 show. We talk to its long-time presenter, Mark Tully



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WHAT I'M WATCHING...



TOM HEAP

‘I’ve been watching *Fleabag* (hasn’t everyone?) and *Queer Eye*, which is surprisingly sensitive reality TV,’ says the *Countryfile* presenter and this week’s columnist. ‘*Midsomer Murders* is a hilarious distraction for a rural current affairs presenter. As for radio, I still love the serendipity of Radio 4 and football commentary on Radio 5 Live.’

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WILL SELF

‘I never got the hang of television, because we didn’t have one when I was a child, but I live in a sort of amniotic fluid of Radios 3 and 4,’ says the journalist and author. ‘My recent highlights were the edition of *In Our Time* on the Irish famine and, as ever, the incomparable Ritula Shah on *The World Tonight*.’

Why I love the Moomins – page 30



Ritula Shah

WHAT WE’VE LEARNT THIS WEEK

Pre-CGI, disaster movies weren’t just difficult to make look realistic, they were truly dangerous. Stuntman Ernie Orsatti was paid a mere \$150 to crash through a glass skylight in 1972’s *The Poseidon Adventure* (right) and three extras drowned during the filming of the flood scenes in the 1928 epic *Noah’s Ark*.

Mark Kermode’s
Secrets of Cinema
Easter Monday BBC4



SATURDAY 20

Television

Snooker: World Championship

From 10.00am BBC2

The first frames from the Crucible in Sheffield as Mark Williams begins the defence of his title.

Easter from King’s

5.35pm BBC2

Proving that King’s isn’t just for Christmas, this glorious service includes the famous choir’s performance of the *Hallelujah Chorus*.

Britain’s Got Talent

8.00pm ITV

Four yesses from us for the show that manipulates our emotions, but is also heart-warming and entertaining.



New The Importance of Being Oscar

9.00pm BBC2

The witty one-liners, the poised plays and the life that went off the rails: a well-upholstered drama-doc offers an insight into Wilde.

Film

Kubo and the Two Strings

12.30pm C4

Andrew Collins (p35) marvels at the ingenuity of this adventure from Missing Link studio Laika.



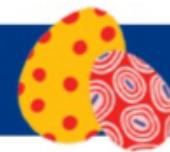
Radio

Opera on 3 from the Met

6.30pm Radio 3

Mozart’s opera *La clemenza di Tito* is broadcast from the Metropolitan Opera in New York, with a starring role for mezzo Joyce DiDonato.

EASTER DAY



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New Undiscovered Worlds with Steve Backshall

8.00pm BBC2

An extraordinary trip by kayak up a remote fjord in Greenland is the first of a series of never-before-attempted expeditions.



Drama of the Week

Line of Duty

9.00pm BBC1

Ted (Adrian Dunbar, above) is in a dark place after the shocking events of last week, while rogue cop John grows increasingly desperate.

New/Comedy of the Week League of Gentlemen – Live Again!

10.00pm BBC2

(N Ireland: 11.30pm) A chance to see the League’s 20th anniversary stage show that toured the country last year – Pauline, Herr Lipp, Edward, Tubbs and many more...



Saving Mr Banks

3.40pm BBC1

The writers of children’s stories (see p34) are not always as cuddly as the characters they create, as Walt Disney (Tom Hanks) discovers when he meets *Mary Poppins* author PL Travers (Emma Thompson).



Good Morning Sunday

6.00am Radio 2

The Rev Kate Bottley (left) and co-presenter Jason Mohammad welcome the Archbishop of Canterbury. Read our interview with Rev Bottley on page 10.





UNMISSABLE TV, FILM & RADIO FOR YOU TO WATCH AND RECORD



EASTER
MONDAY

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University Challenge

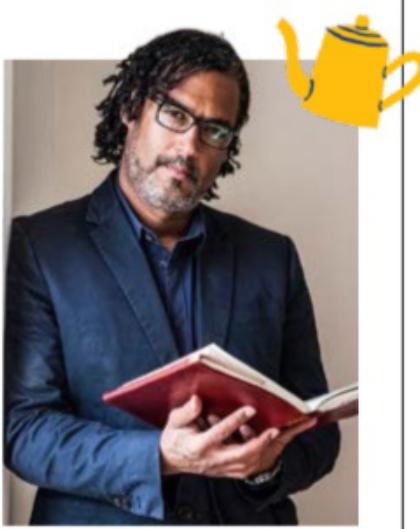
8.30pm BBC2

The 2018–19 tournament comes down to this as Jeremy Paxman poses the toughest of quiz questions to two brilliant teams. Your starter for ten...

A House through Time

9.00pm BBC2

David Olusoga (below) keeps unearthing dramatic life stories at one terraced house in Newcastle. This week: the Edwardian era.



Mark Kermode's Secrets of Cinema

9.00pm BBC4

Another masterful dissection of a cinematic genre. This time round Kermode gets to grips with the tropes of disaster movies.

TUESDAY

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Trust Me

9.00pm BBC1

Episode two of the thriller sees Jamie (Alfed Enoch, above) gather evidence. It'll keep you on the edge of your seat – mainly because everything's so dark you need to be close to the screen.

Don't Forget the Driver

10.00pm BBC2

Toby Jones has a face that's made for angst. And it's all getting quite fraught for our put-upon coach driver now that Rita has moved in.

First Dates

10.00pm C4

No matter how well-matched the couples are – and this show is terrific at doing that – the beauty is that you can never be totally sure if they're going to hit it off.

WEDNESDAY

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Earth from Space

9.00pm BBC1

(Scotland: 11.05pm) Witness an incredible landscape of sand dunes on the Brazilian coast and oxbow lakes on the Amazon as the satellite series unwraps our planet.

Urban Myths

9.00pm Sky Arts

What happened when Hans Christian Andersen turned up unannounced at Charles Dickens's house? Stephen Mangan and Ian Hart play the two authors.

The Bay

9.00pm ITV

Morven Christie (below) is terrific in this underpowered but absorbing crime drama, which finally reveals the truth behind the death of a Morecambe teenager.



THURSDAY

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Celebrity Painting Challenge

8.00pm BBC1 (Wales:
Friday 8.30pm BBC2)

Three painters remain, and have to prove their mettle via a night-time showdown at the Natural History Museum hosted by Mariella Frostrup.



Documentary of the Week Ambulance

9.00pm BBC1

A new run of the Bafta-winning series with more moving and shocking stories from the North West Ambulance Service.

New Happy Birthday OU: 50 years of the Open University

9.00pm BBC4

A half-century of distance learning is celebrated, as OU graduate Lenny Henry recalls the kipper ties and hairy faces of the 1970s TV lecturers.

New John Bishop's Ireland

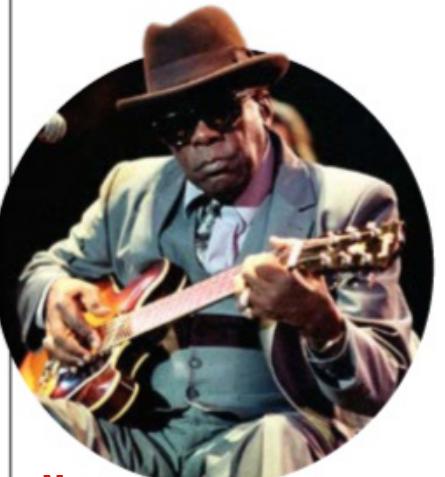
8.00pm ITV (not N Ireland;
not STV or Border Scotland)

The comic tours the country, having a laugh with local characters and performing the odd gig along the way.

New John Lee Hooker: the Boogie Man

9.00pm BBC4

A loving profile of the legendary bluesman (below) includes tributes from Van Morrison and Keith Richards – plus generous helpings of Hooker himself.



New The Looming Tower

9.30pm BBC2

An intriguing drama about how power games between the CIA and FBI actually helped al-Qaeda's plans in the run-up to 9/11.

Spider-Man: Into the Spider-Verse ★★★ PG

Sky Store/Virgin Movies

A tangled web of arachnid folk, all with tongues firmly in cheeks, star in this animated romp.



Unbreakable ★★★★ 12

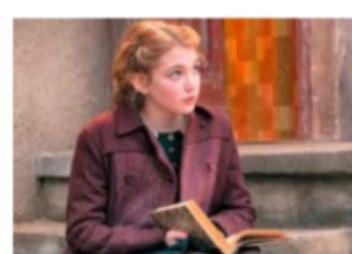
9.00pm Sony Movie Channel

No less than Quentin Tarantino rates M Night Shyamalan's "brilliant retelling of the Superman mythology" as one of the top 20 films of the last 20 years.

The Book Thief ★★★ 12

6.25pm Film4

The plight of Germans (below) who didn't fall for Nazi propaganda is the subject of this thoughtful drama, as seen through the eyes of a young girl (Sophie Nélisse).

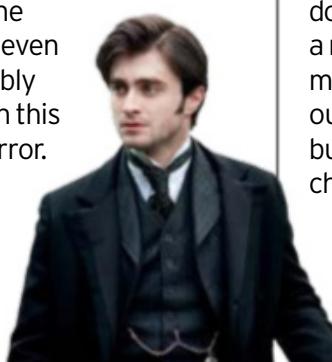


The Woman in Black

★★★ 12 11.00pm

Horror Channel

You would think Daniel Radcliffe is used to the odd bump in the night, but even he is suitably spooked in this Gothic horror.



The Equalizer 2 ★★★

15 8.00pm Sky Premiere

If it's payback time, you'd better hope it's not Denzel Washington doing the collecting... a man who manages to mete out retribution, but does it with charisma.



Mastertapes on Tour: Richard Hawley at the Crucible

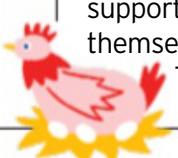
11.00am Radio 4

John Wilson joins the great Sheffield singer/songwriter in his home city to look back over a 33-year career.

The Bubble

4.00pm Radio 4

A fascinating experiment in which a Conservative supporter and a Labour supporter immerse themselves in each other's Twitter timelines.



Shimmer and Dazzle: Seeing What Bridget Riley Sees

6.30am/8.30pm/1.30am

Radio 4 Extra

A profile of artist Bridget Riley ahead of a big retrospective in London later this year.

Drama: My Friend Marie Antoinette

2.15pm Radio 4

In Carine Adler's poignant drama, Marie Antoinette's final days are brought to life – as seen from the point of view of a prison maid.

Crowd Science

8.30pm BBC World Service

With antibiotic-resistant bacteria an increasing threat to human health, could the answer lie in viruses themselves – and the former Soviet republic of Georgia?

News

WHAT GETS US TALKING...

JUST WHAT THE DOCTOR ORDERED

Martin Clunes has just started filming the ninth series of *Doc Martin* and it looks as if it will be just the tonic for the show's fans. Clunes tells me that the drama, which has begun filming in Port Isaac (which doubles as Portwenn) and the surrounding areas of the north Cornwall coast where they've based the series since 2004, attracts a warm response from viewers. "People write to me, which I find quite touching, telling me they go through their chemotherapy by binge-watching *Doc Martin*," he says. "I think you get a triple hit of nice countryside, gentle humour and a bossy man in a posh suit fixing everyone. And I guess that might be quite comforting."



INTIMIDATION OF THE PRESS

The term press freedom is often bandied about, the BBC's World Affairs editor John Simpson tells me, but nowhere is it more important than in the case of the 100 or so staff of the BBC's Persian service, who are being subjected to harassment and intimidation on a horrific scale. The staff, many of whom are based in London, are having their assets in Iran targeted, the passports of families confiscated and some relatives have been thrown into jail. Simpson outlined the abuses at a recent seminar event at Broadcasting House and called on the world to act against what he called these "despicable" and "disgusting" events. Still more frighteningly, some of Simpson's BBC colleagues even fear that one day there might be an assassination of a London-based journalist.

NAILING THE NAMES

Line of Duty (Sunday BBC1) has made household names of its heroes and villains. In anti-corruption unit AC-12 there's Ted Hastings (Adrian Dunbar), Steve Arnott (Martin Compston) and Kate Fleming (Vicky McClure), and the suspects and villains have been just as memorable, from Keeley Hawes's unstable Lindsay Denton to Craig Parkinson's venal Matthew "Dot" Cottan. But one thing links them all – none of them has a real-life equivalent in the modern British police, at least not in terms of their name. Great care is taken to ensure that no real coppers could sue for defamation, and as a result the names chosen for the characters in early drafts of Jed Mercurio's scripts have had to be changed – with one exception. Roz Huntley, the dodgy copper played in series four by **Thandie Newton**, started out as Roz Huntley and stayed that way through to the final script... **BEN DOWELL**

SOPHIE MUTEVELIAN/BBC



ON SET
Summer of Rockets writer/director Stephen Poliakoff (right), and with Timothy Spall (above), who plays Lord Wallington

PERIOD PIECE

Kathleen Shaw (Keeley Hawes) and hearing-aid manufacturer Samuel Petrukhin (Toby Stephens) become friends in the febrile 50s

Listening brief

Stephen Poliakoff will take us back to 1958 in his new BBC2 drama, *Summer of Rockets*, centred on Russian Jewish émigré, inventor and hearing-aid manufacturer Samuel Petrukhin (Toby Stephens). He and his wife Miriam (Lucy Cohu) are drawn into the world of spying when they meet MP Richard Shaw (Linus Roache) and his wife Kathleen (Keeley Hawes).

The character of Petrukhin is partly based on Poliakoff's own father, who produced hearing aids during that period – even supplying Winston Churchill and coming under suspicion that, as a Russian, he might be bugging the PM via his earpieces.

"1958 was a very interesting summer," says Poliakoff. "It was the last season when debutantes were presented to the Queen and bookending it were the Notting Hill riots and the first whiff of the 60s. Plus there were all these rockets and satellites being launched and the modern world of communications coming into being." BEN DOWELL

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TOM HEAP

'If it hurts, it won't work'

Individual sacrifice isn't going to save us from climate change

IHAVE NO DOUBT that climate change threatens the survival of human civilisation, yet I own a gas guzzler that hastens our demise. Why? Because it's fun. I enjoy the power, the acceleration, the anticipation of speed. Given my decades of environmental reporting and current presenting on Radio 4's *Costing the Earth* or TV's *Countryfile*, does this make me an especially infantile hypocrite? Judge for yourself. But I'm sure of one thing: it makes me similar to the vast bulk of the population who struggle to give up what they like for what the planet needs.

Half a century of the environmental movement spouting denial has been a failure. We now drive more, fly more, eat more, heat more, waste more, cool more. Yet some campaigners still believe the present harm and future threat from climate change will achieve some mass conversion. It won't. Consider this: we don't even willingly give up things that we know shorten our own lives, like excess sugar, fat or salt. We don't take up things that would make us healthier, like walking or swapping the lift for the stairs. Would that we were good, but we are not.

And worse, constantly modelling the hair-shirt in the environmental shop window is a gift to opponents, delivering a grain of truth to the slur that Greenies want to kill our joy and return us to the Stone Age. Preaching sacrifice merely sacrifices your own support.

Many people most concerned with the challenge of actually cutting global carbon emissions know this to be true. Urging individual behavioural change is virtually absent from

reports by the UN's Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change. Christiana Figueres, who negotiated international consensus on climate change by delivering the historic UN-backed 2015 Paris Agreement, told me why: "I don't think we are going to get very far if people think the only way to decarbonise is through sacrifice," she says. "I really don't think that's helpful. Sacrifice is not an enabling thought or force of change."

'We struggle to give up what we like for what the planet needs'

So what is? Proven success comes from technology, politics and financial pressure, preferably combined. In this country we have achieved a remarkable and under-celebrated success. Half of our electricity now comes from low-carbon sources, and that percentage is rising. It's all thanks to science and politics. Engineers have

delivered better, cheaper solar panels and wind turbines, while regulations devised in Brussels and London set renewable energy and carbon targets that forced the closure of coal power stations. Our behaviour hasn't changed a fraction and in our homes we suffer nought, we still flick switches and forget.

I've mimicked this move in my own home, having recently fitted more solar panels (now affordable without subsidy), a battery and some electric radiators. I hope to burn virtually no gas this year, without discomfort.

IN TRANSPORT, STEADILY ratcheting European emission regulations drive manufacturers to produce greener vehicles. Another techno/political success. But in recent years this has been undermined by the public desire for bigger cars – the SUV craze. Proof once again that we can't curb our appetites.

Environmental NGOs and campaigners are still vital, as they help change the political climate to enable lawmakers to impose regulations or green taxes and create markets for less polluting products. But wagging their finger at the public is pointless, and being prickly about innovation is worse. Many in the Green movement refer snifflily to the "technological fix", suggesting that "if it isn't hurting, it isn't worthy".

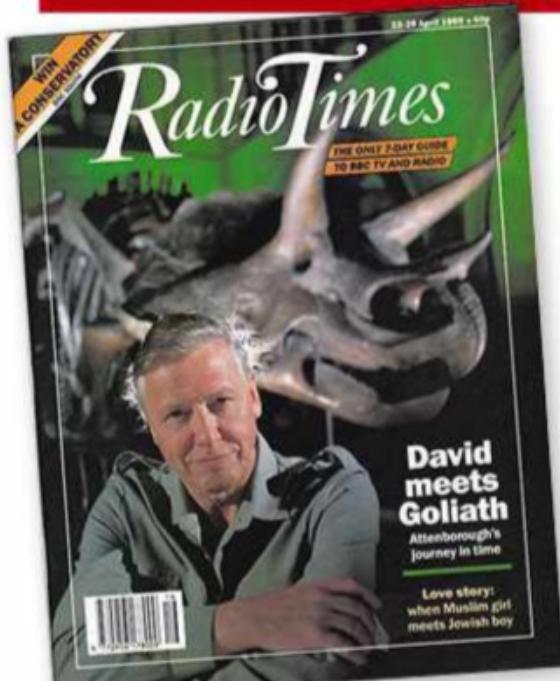
I would argue the opposite: if it hurts, it probably won't work.

Tom Heap is a presenter of Radio 4's Costing the Earth (Tue 3.30pm) and BBC1's Countryfile (Easter Day 7pm). The Fast and the Curious is on Easter Monday 11am R4



SUNNY OUTLOOK
Solar panels are helping us lower our reliance on high-carbon energy sources

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WHAT WE WATCHED

David Attenborough was going fossil hunting for BBC2 with his new series *Lost Worlds, Vanished Lives*. In the new Sunday-night treat, he examined what life on Earth was like 80 (or so) million years ago. But the programme had strict rules, including a refusal to provide animated reconstructions of our animal forebears.

"Each of us cherishes our own mental picture of what dinosaurs were like when they were alive," Attenborough wrote in *RT*. "Animations would damage that. We will, instead, provide as much as possible of the factual evidence on which such imaginings can be based."

WHAT YOU SAID

RT columnist Miles Kington had just suggested that dogs should be banned from UK cities because of the blight of dog mess. "Maybe we should also consider banning the humans who secrete waste for others to endure," complained Thea Forster from Ilford, Essex. However, Dawn Foster from Biggleswade in Bedfordshire was supportive of Kington's argument. "When I collected my granddaughter from school last week I can honestly say as I walked along the pavement, every few feet there sat a pile of dog excrement." **BEN DOWELL**

SATURDAY tv

BBC1

7.05 Bob Says...
Opportunity Knocks
With Bob Monkhouse.

7.55 Columbo
Peter Falk drama.

9.10 News and Sport
Read by Michael Buerk.

9.25 Midnight Caller
US drama starring Gary Cole as a cop turned radio talk show host.

10.15 The Odd Couple
Starring Jack Klugman.

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**‘I love Easter.
I’m like the
Easter bunny
in a dog collar’**

THE REV KATE
BOTTLEY



You'd better believe it!

The Rev Kate Bottley drinks, dances and has a refreshingly bouncy normality – but at her heart is a strong Christian faith

INTERVIEW BY CATHERINE PEPINSTER

KATE BOTTLEY HAS been counting the days until the end of Lent. As she totters into the room where we're meeting in very high heels and a bright yellow cardigan, then wolfs down a box of sushi, the Rev Kate lists all the things she's given up this year for the 40-day traditional Christian season of fasting, penance and almsgiving. "Cheese, chocolate, alcohol – and plastic because my husband's given up plastic so we all have."

And yes, she says, it feels like a long time. Now the end is in sight with Easter imminent and she'll celebrate by hosting her regular Radio 2 show, *Good Morning Sunday*.

"I can't wait for Easter. I absolutely love it," she says. "I'll be taking in Easter eggs for everyone. Me, I'm like the Easter bunny in a dog collar."

It's this humour and enthusiasm that have made her a TV and radio star. First came *Gogglebox*, the Channel 4 show where viewers watch others viewing telly, and after that, appear-

ances in *Celebrity MasterChef*, documentaries, contributing to Radio 2's *Pause for Thought* on first Chris Evans's and now Zoe Ball's breakfast show, and, since last year, co-hosting *Good Morning Sunday* with Jason Mohammad.

In all of them the Rev Kate, 45, is cheerful, down-to-earth, and unapologetically a Christian priest. Her success is down to what her *Pause for Thought* producer Jonathan Mayo calls her ▷





“ability to be relatable to”. Only one programme has showed a different side to her: when she appeared on *Pilgrimage* last year she came across as decidedly grumpy as she walked to Santiago de Compostela with six others, including Debbie McGee and Heather Small.

“It’s because I don’t like walking,” she says. “Give me wild swimming or a horse any day, but sorry, middle-class Anglicans who go hiking,

‘I don’t like walking. You don’t grow spiritually through hardship’

I don’t like walking. I’m not one of those Christians who think you grow spiritually through hardship. I don’t.”

The Rev Kate has been finding ways to grow spiritually and communicate God to other people for years – first as a schoolteacher, then as an Anglican priest and, since 2012, through TV and radio. She first started going to church as a teenager because she liked the church-goers she’d met and fancied the son of a vicar. It was a decision that set the course of her life: she married the fanciable vicar’s son, Graham Bottley, and studied religious education at university. After teaching RE, she was ordained in 2008 at the age of 34.

GROWING UP IN Sheffield and becoming a church-goer also brought her into contact in the 1990s with the now notorious Nine o’Clock Service, whose organisers devised groundbreaking alternative church services involving dramatic light effects and rock concert-style music mixed with prayer. In 1995 the Service was closed down after the founder priest, Chris Brain, was accused of sexually abusing 20 women church members.

She seems embarrassed now about her connection with the Nine o’Clock Service, but also defends it: “I was part of the Nine o’Clock Service, but on the fringes of it. It did important things. It showed me that not every person who goes to church does flower arranging. It was innovative and that was a good thing. But you can’t separate that from what else happened, which wasn’t good.”

Being called to the priesthood wasn’t a sudden thing, she recalls. “By that time I’d had my son, I was at home and I got more and more involved in the church. People were saying I should be a priest.”

Her ordination took place 14 years



TV NATURAL

The Rev Kate was a hit with C4's *Gogglebox* viewers, along with husband Graham, their dog and the tea-cosy collection

after the Church of England first ordained women priests. Had attitudes changed by the time she took holy orders?

“You get misogyny with every profession but with the priesthood it was often because people hadn’t met a woman priest before. I have had people say they don’t want me officiating at their dad’s funeral. I say, ‘Can I come and see you for a cup of tea?’ Often

after we’ve met they change their minds. Then there are times when people want a woman. I get funeral directors who say, ‘We’ve got a bereaved mum and they want a woman priest.’”

The service that led to a media career was a wedding. One couple wanted something to make their day memorable and the Rev Kate suggested a dance. She joined the couple rockin’ in front of the altar and down the aisle to Kool and the Gang’s *Celebration*. A video of the boogieing vicar, cassock swaying to the beat, went viral on YouTube, was spotted by *Gogglebox* and a TV career was launched.

Viewers loved the woman in a dog collar stretched out on the sofa alongside her dog and husband Graham, a teapot adorned with a different, and often wacky, cosy each week. The Rev Kate was the kind of approachable, opinionated person you might meet at a bus stop. It was not how vicars were supposed to be, although Dawn French had already changed some minds with her portrayal of the Rev Geraldine Granger in *The Vicar of Dibley*.

The Rev Kate appreciates *Dibley*’s impact, but her favourite TV vicar is Adam Smallbone (played by Tom Hollander) in the BBC2 comedy *Rev*. “It’s how it is,” she says of Smallbone’s tough but poignant life. For the same reason, she admires Sean Bean’s Catholic Father Kerrigan in Jimmy McGovern’s drama *Broken*. And *Fleabag*’s priest is “hot, hot, hot”.



WEDDING BOOGIE
The 2013 video of the Rev Kate dancing in the aisle went viral – and led to her media career





STAR PERFORMER
The Rev Kate made it to the semi-finals of 2017's *Celebrity MasterChef*



RELUCTANT PILGRIM
In BBC2's *Pilgrimage* last year, with Neil Morrissey, JJ Chalmers, Debbie McGee and Raphael Rowe

‘We haven’t lost faith. People have just stopped wanting to sit in rows’

But TV exposure can be tough for a real-life vicar and in the early days of *Gogglebox*, her fellow media vicar Richard Coles – the former member of the Communards who swapped pop for the priesthood and co-hosts Radio 4’s *Saturday Live* – got in touch to offer support. The pair, along with a third media vicar – newspaper columnist Giles Fraser, a regular panellist on Radio 4’s *The Moral Maze* – now form a mutual-support network.

“It is hard being in the public eye,” the Rev Kate says, “but I wanted people to see that vicars are normal.”

She only joined *Gogglebox* after consulting her bishop – seeing it as an opportunity because “the gap between church and culture is now so wide that we have to find ways to plug it”.

Deciding to leave her parish in order to become a freelance media performer was a risk. She left behind a regular income, a tied house and a pension. But she still helps out, at St Saviour’s at Retford in Nottinghamshire.

Being in the media confirmed for her that

many people are prejudiced about religion often through ignorance. “They know very little, they stop learning about religion at primary school and they think we believe in a God who sits on a cloud,” she says.

The audience for *Good Morning Sunday* is as mixed as its content of middle-of-the-road music, hymns and spiritual chit-chat: people getting ready to go to church, but also people coming off night shifts, working early shifts in hotels and hospitals, parents making breakfast. Kate describes it as “a mix, as life is. There’s religion in there, but it’s not a God slot.”

SHE’D LIKE TO see more programmes that include faith as part of the conversation: “I don’t think we have lost faith as a nation. People have just stopped wanting to sit in a building in rows.”

She understands why people are alienated by the Church, particularly over its attitude to issues such as gay marriage. The revelation last month that same-sex partners of bishops would not be welcome at the Anglican Communion’s 2020 Lambeth Conference was, she says, damaging to the Church’s integrity. “It’s unjust and ridiculous. It’s wrong.”

When it comes to traditional Christian teaching, though, she has no doubts. On Easter Day, when she welcomes listeners to *Good Morning Sunday*, she will be deliriously happy that it is Easter, when Christ rose from the dead. “I believe in the Resurrection, that death is defeated, that everybody I have buried can know that. I’m so happy about it, it makes me cry.”

Catherine Pepinster is a former Editor of *The Tablet* and a regular contributor to Radio 4’s *Thought for the Day*

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THE THINKER
St Edmund Hall's
Freddy Leo has
emerged as a
divisive figure



This series of *University Challenge* has thrown up a fresh controversy

NEXT TO SOME of the more explosive programmes airing this April, from the return of bloody and barbaric *Game of Thrones* to the nail-biting tension of *Line of Duty*, *University Challenge* hardly seems like stimulating and provocative stuff. It's a dry, mild, traditional affair, the ultimate preserve of middle-class, middle-aged Middle England.

And yet there I am, at the end of every Monday throughout the autumn, winter and spring, digging my nails into the arm of the sofa, moved to inexplicable extremes of excitement and frustration. In my house we watch it with the volume turned up obscenely high and the subtitles on, so we don't miss a moment of dialogue beneath our pathetic guesses and indignant running commentary. An episode is never missed.

I simply love it: the drama of a fluffed answer, the tension of a close race, the quirks of the contestants, who begin to feel like celebrities (or at least weird cousins you know and love). And then there's the outrage: of a flagrant rule-break, or a boorish, overenthusiastic celebration after a win.

This is a world in which sweet little nerds find genuine joy in testing and sharing their knowledge about art, science, literature, geography and music, in contests that can sometimes feel like a *Game of Thrones* battle scene. Despite its dry exterior, controversies abound, and heroes and villains appear.

The heroes of this year's series have been

Fingers on buzzers

smiley, high-fiving New Yorker Jason Galfinos, the captain of Darwin College, Cambridge, who answered so many questions in a row that Jeremy Paxman wondered aloud, "What do you spend your time doing?". There's also Galfinos's team-mate, the handsomely moustached Christopher Davis. I was a huge fan of this year's Durham team, particularly their shy, sweet-

• You shouldn't be allowed to buzz like a bandit

faced captain Matthew Toynbee, and I loved Dani Cugini, of Emmanuel College, Cambridge, who was sometimes so enthusiastic she struggled to actually get her answers out.

I also had a soft spot for Bristol's Anne Le Maistre, who for some reason told us every week that she "now lives in Bristol" (we know, Anne, it's written right there in front of your seat), and who, after she gave an incorrect answer and was consoled by a team-mate who told her not to worry, said matter-of-factly, "I'm not worried."

But avid viewers will know that controversy surrounding the etiquette of buzzing has shaken this year's tournament. Its central villain is the

unstoppable intellectual force that is Freddy Leo, captain of St Edmund's Hall, Oxford.

Leo impressed audiences from his very first appearance on the show thanks to his ferociously fast buzzing. He was quickly dubbed the Cristiano Ronaldo of *University Challenge* and "the quickest on the buzzer ever", with some audiences speculating that he was plugged into Wikipedia. A fiercely intelligent and presumably perfectly pleasant chap, in one episode, the history undergraduate answered all of his side's 11 "starter for ten" questions correctly and scored his highest personal tally – 143 points.

I know no one likes a frontrunner, but Leo makes my blood boil with the vengeful rage of a Greek god of war.

BEING QUICK ON the buzzer has always been a high-risk strategy: you want to get in there early enough to beat your opponents to the point, but you lose five points if you interrupt Paxman with a wrong answer. As a result, "Answer as soon as your name is called" is one of the golden rules of the show: you shouldn't be allowed to buzz like a bandit without answering immediately. "That... is... Sidney Poitier", Leo said in one match against Emmanuel, later being more brazen, interrupting Paxman only to pause: "Hmm. Let's go for... Saxony and Bavaria."



This was enough to make my cold heart harden to Leo, the quick-wristed, fist-pumping, encyclopaedia-swallowing, leather jacket-wearing PUNK. But his most frustrating bout of buzzing came in the quarter-final match against Bristol.

Having trailed for most of the game, they took a sudden lead after Leo buzzed early and answered late not once but twice. Despite being warned by Paxman after the first offence (a two-second pause), Leo went on to leave a borderline unprecedented gap of five full seconds after his next buzz. (Which is plenty of time, it turns out, for a sofa-full of people to scream "UGH, PAXMAN!" and "OH, COME ON".) Inexplicably, Leo was awarded the full points both times: Paxman, who referred chum-

mily to the team as "Teddy Hall", was accused of favouritism (especially as he penalised Bristol for mispronouncing an otherwise correct answer). Those two delayed answers won St Edmund Hall the game, and a place in the semi-final.

Leo knows his stuff, but his technique is infuriating. His fastest finger formula might win the trophy, but woe betide the contestant who disrespects *University Challenge* etiquette. Victory may never taste less sweet.

ANNA LESZKIEWICZ

QUIZ QUARRELS

This isn't the first time *University Challenge* has come in for criticism

RULE BREAKERS

In 2009, Corpus Christi College, Oxford – captained by the incredible "intellectual blitzkrieg" Gail Trimble – were stripped of their title after one of the team turned out not to actually be a student. In an investigation conducted by the BBC and programme producer Granada, it was found that Trimble's Corpus Christi team-mate Sam Kay had graduated in June 2008 and was working at accountancy firm PricewaterhouseCoopers while he took part in the latter stages of the competition. To retain the integrity of the programme, the 2009 trophy was handed to the runners-up, Manchester University.

Kay apologised, but said he believed he was still eligible for the contest as he had been a student when filming had begun. It was the first time this had happened in the quiz show's history, and a surprising end for Trimble, who had scored more points than her three team-mates combined in the run-up to the final.

GENDER ROW

In 2016 the University of Reading student union voted to boycott *University Challenge* following complaints over "misogynistic and sexist remarks" they say were made by host Jeremy Paxman to members of their team. It wasn't the first time the programme had courted controversy over alleged sexism: all-male teams and finals have faced criticism, with producers appealing to universities for more diverse teams, while female contestants have spoken of online abuse and objectification after being on the show.

Former contestants have also suggested that young women think twice about applying because of concerns that stories about them might eclipse their professional accomplishments. Hannah Rose Woods (right), captain of the Peterhouse College, Cambridge, team that won the 2016 series, told *Radio Times*: "I worried about how taking part in the programme might impact my career when Google searches started returning hundreds of articles about my appearance, and random marriage proposals I'd received from strangers, instead of my academic research."

KASIA DELGADO



WOODS

I've carved a Miriam-shaped niche in showbusiness

THE RT INTERVIEW BY MICHAEL HODGES

Miriam Margolyes on life, death and her bitter fallout with Maureen Lipman

MIRIAM MARGOLYES LIVES in a big house in south London. Her terraced back garden looks like a theatre and I suggest, on arriving, that she could put on an al fresco *Midsummer's Night Dream* if she were minded. "Well, I'm not minded," she snaps, establishing early in proceedings just who is in charge. "Now," she softens, "would you like some cake?"

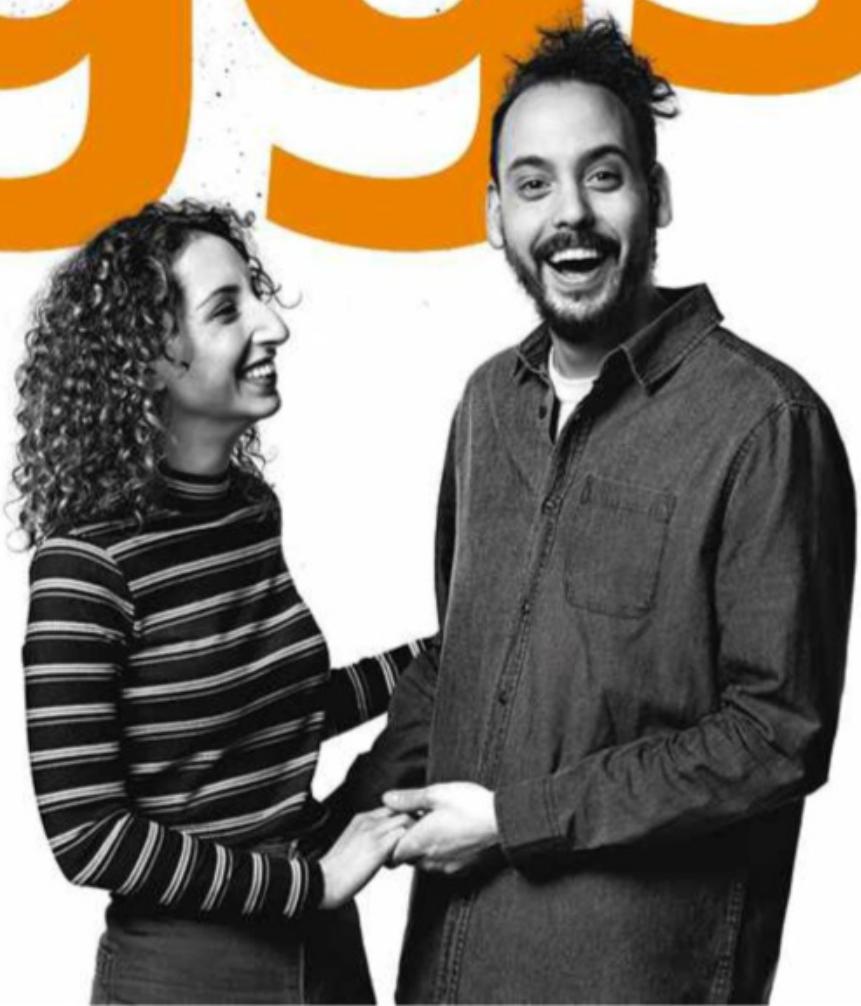
Margolyes is still not unpacked from her annual winter visit to Australia (she's held dual citizenship since 2013) and then a trip to the Hebrides where she has been filming *Call the Midwife*, "hidden under a wimple playing Mother Superior". She is having one those busy periods that come at the end of long careers, when people realise that you have been wonderful all along. As well as Mother Mildred in *Call the Midwife* there has been *The Real Marigold Hotel*, and she's an increasingly popular talking head. "Yesterday, somebody phoned me and said, 'You're on television talking about sex.' I said, 'What? How dare you?' I'd completely forgotten that I had, in fact, done a programme called *Let's Talk about Sex* on Channel 4. It goes out at ten o'clock, when people should either be doing ▷



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◁ it or reading. I didn't watch, of course."

I've come here to talk about *Miriam's Dead Good Adventure*, a daft name for a great two-part documentary that confronts the most important question any of us must face in our life, the end of it. "I'll be 78 in May," she says. "So it's something I've been thinking about."

Initially Margolyes travels to America, where she interviews a man who stands neck-high in a freezer unit to arrest the ageing process. She also joins a group who use orgasmic energy to stave off mortality, but finds she's not able to go all the way. "I haven't had an orgasm since the Second World War," she says. "If I do I'd prefer to be on my own or with someone I know, rather than a class full of people I've never met before. Though I don't believe they had orgasms. I think they just wiggled their bottoms and hoped for the best."

SHE ENCOUNTERS OTHER "bonkers people", including attendees at the Revolution against Ageing and Death festival in California. "They think they're not going to die," Margolyes laughs. "Hello! Show me somebody who never died and I might believe you. They're crackers." How did she keep a straight face? "I have a very strong tendency to scepticism but on television it isn't helpful to say, 'What a load of b*****s!'"

If the occasionally knockabout first episode is about avoiding death, the second is about facing it. She joins Tyreese, an 18-year-old who lives in the Midlands, raps and has bowel and liver cancer. Margolyes goes to the barber's with him and talks to his pals. "Going into a room of young, cynical men is a very difficult thing to do," she says. "In comes this un-sexually attractive old lady who suddenly starts talking to them. They probably thought, 'What does she want?' But I managed to get them to talk and they were reflective and serious. People write off working-class youth but they were not yobs. They had depth, and I thought I brought that out. I'm proud of that."

Margolyes also meets Tracy, a 60-year-old with advanced ovarian cancer who has moved to the Isle of Bute to live out her remaining time. "An exceptional woman," says Margolyes. "Tracy had thought about her death, and the aftermath of it, with focus, which people don't often have the strength to bring. Seeing somebody like her face death with such incredible grace and power is very moving. And I wanted to be able to communicate that to people who would be watch-



• Seeing somebody face death with grace is very moving

MAKING FRIENDS
With Tracy, who has ovarian cancer, in *Miriam's Dead Good Adventure*

ing. Because so much of what we do these days is crap. And I don't want to do any more crap."

It's rare for a popular documentary to achieve genuine insight. Louis Theroux pulls it off by being quiet; Margolyes does it the way she seems to do everything else, by speaking out and asking questions. "Many people would regard me as a trivial loudmouth, pushing a rather disgusting personality," she says. "I've had letters to that effect." Really? "Yes, and I'm told that certain remarks have been made about me on Twitter which show that people think that I'm a bad thing. I'm sad, because I don't want to be a bad thing. I think that my love of life and my love of connection should allow people to see that it's not done out of nastiness. It's done out of exuberance. But some people don't see that and just say, 'For God's sake, shut her up.'"

In the programme, as Tracy nears the end of her life, Margolyes asks her if she were to offer her a pill that would end it all now, very gently, would she take it? I ask Margolyes the same thing now. "I'm not sure if I would ever have the courage," she says. "I hope I would, because one doesn't want to be a burden. Maybe all my friends will be saying, 'Take the pill, take the pill!' But I love life. I want to know what's going to happen. And when you take the pill, you know you'll never know."

TRACY SAYS SHE can't take the pill because it would be unfair to her two daughters. Margolyes doesn't have children. "But I don't feel excluded," she says. "My circumstances are just different." She does have a remarkably long-lasting relationship with the Australian academic Heather Sutherland. "We've been together since 1968," she says. "That's the central pillar of my life, and it is an enormous blessing. One of the things that is worrying about dying is it means that

I lose her. I understand why people make suicide pacts, though she's not up for that. I've asked her. Without her,

I cannot imagine my life. I just don't know how I would cope.

I would completely cut in half." Would she rather go first, then? "I would, except that it would be very selfish because I am much more outgoing than she is. She is not like that. She is a scholar, and her world is her books. And I think she would not find it easy to make friends. She's a solitary person, and I'm a social person."

Margolyes was born in Oxford, ▷

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▷ into a middle-class Jewish family. She read English at Cambridge, where she appeared in the 1962 revue with John Cleese and Bill Oddie, directed by Trevor Nunn, and was part of the 1963 Newnham College *University Challenge* team. Famously, on *The Graham Norton Show* in November 2011, she recalled pulling up at traffic lights up on her bicycle in Cambridge during her student days and suggesting, on a whim, to an American man in the car alongside, that they engage in a sex act. "Do you think

'I've developed into a most remarkable person'

I shouldn't have told that story?" she asks now. "Do you think it's made people think of me in a different way?"

Possibly. Her long CV includes *Blackadder*, *Harry Potter* and a Bafta for best supporting actress in Martin Scorsese's 1993 film *The Age of Innocence*, but there remains the sense that she has never quite been credited her full due. "The professional estimate of me is not as high as it might be," she admits. "But they're wrong. I am a rather rude conversationalist but they should allow me to have the potential to be a great actress. It is possible for the two to coexist."

I ASK HER IF she regrets anything. "That I'm still fat," she says immediately. "It's making life more difficult for me now. It's not good for me and it's not nice to look at. It's appalling and it's a waste. I've been given so much energy and intelligence and good humour. And it could be ruined by just being overweight."

And professionally? "Michael, I've been in *Harry Potter*, *Wicked*, *Romeo and Juliet* with Leonardo DiCaprio, and I won a Bafta. Somehow, from very unpromising material, I've managed to carve myself a Miriam-shaped niche in showbusiness. I think that's pretty darn good."

In case she forgets how good, there is a poster-sized reproduction of a *Daily Mail* review in the hallway that reads: "The innate wit, the perfect timing, the shining clarity with which she delivers a comic line... One of the most respected comedy actresses in the land."

Otherwise the walls of her home are covered with shelves of books and hung with naive art and an Edwardian-era advertisement for the South East



LUST FOR LIFE
At home in south London, her Bafta on the corner of the mantelpiece

London Synagogue.

In the documentary Margolyes refers to her Jewishness several times but she says God will not be helping her cross over to the other side when the time comes. "I'm a little Jew, and once a Jew, always a Jew. I don't believe in God, but the cultural heritage, the food, the jokes, the sense of belonging to a club, yes."

A Labour Party member, she has firm opinions about anti-Semitism accusations directed at the party. "Jeremy Corbyn, who is an excellent constituency representative, a serious person, is not an anti-Semite. I don't think there is the extent of anti-Semitism in the Labour Party that people seem to imply," she says. "I think it's to do with trying to stop Corbyn from being prime minister." She is also critical of Israel's treatment of the Palestinians. "It's just a fact that the Israelis have behaved appallingly, they continue to do so, and people are dying. I am ashamed, as a Jew, of what's been done in my name. I can't bear it. And for that I'm vilified and people won't come to see the plays I'm in. I've become, as it were, a kind of minuscule

Vanessa Redgrave when she was vilified for her political position. But I am *right*. I have no doubt about that whatever."

I wonder how it feels to be separated from your own community. "It hurts me," she says. "I'm so Jewish, and so happy to be Jewish. And the schism between me and

Maureen Lipman, which is the manifestation of this chasm, causes me pain."

Lipman is a very public supporter of Israel. In 2015 she demonstrated with pro-Israeli groups outside a production of a pro-Palestinian play in London. "She feels that I am a wicked traitor to my people," says Margolyes. "And I feel that she's a fool." The two appeared together in a 1989 British Telecom commercial spoofing Jewish domestic life, now Margolyes admits it would be difficult if they met in the street. "I hope I would be civil. I'm sad because I admire Maureen, and I have known her for a long time. She's been a friend, and now it's not possible any more. I expect she might be sad, too. But she said don't communicate with me again and I haven't."

SHE SAYS SHE feels compelled to stand against injustice in the world. "For me, it's the same sort of cause as apartheid. I was marching on South Africa House when I was young and, unfortunately, it's now my own people I've got to march against. That's painful, but I won't pretend. If you can't tell the truth when you're 77, when are you going to tell it?"

Margolyes may be overweight and prone, perhaps, to oversharing, but she is the most combative and alive 77-year-old you could wish to meet. "If I had full bodily control and mobility, then this would be the best time of my life," she says. "Because I really like myself now. I think I've developed into a most remarkable person. I'm very honest, very kind, very open, and I think I'm nice. It doesn't mean I haven't got room for improvement; there's vast room for improvement. But I think I've arrived at who I am. This is Miriam Margolyes."



The nation's Top 10 theme tunes

We recognise these punchy TV scores instantly – but what makes them great, asks *RT*'s Andrew Collins

THE BFI & Radio Times Television Festival may have been the talk of the broadcasting world last weekend, but only one event was music to the ears of keen students of the medium: the result of our search for the Nation's Favourite TV Theme Tune. Thousands of you voted from an advisory shortlist and when the results were announced before a live audience at the BFI Southbank in London, one thing became clear: if there was a theme, it's that the best intros take on a life of their own.

The music of *Doctor Who* is so intertwined with its universe, it's rearranged for new eras but not rewritten or replaced, and *Match of the Day* was named the most recognisable on TV after a PRS survey. Title sequences we learn to love at an impressionable age (*Thunderbirds*, *Black Beauty*; for more seasoned viewers, *Dr Finlay's Casebook* or *Dixon of Dock Green*) resonate with us for life. As *Poldark* maestro Anne Dudley says, "So much to convey in 40 seconds!"

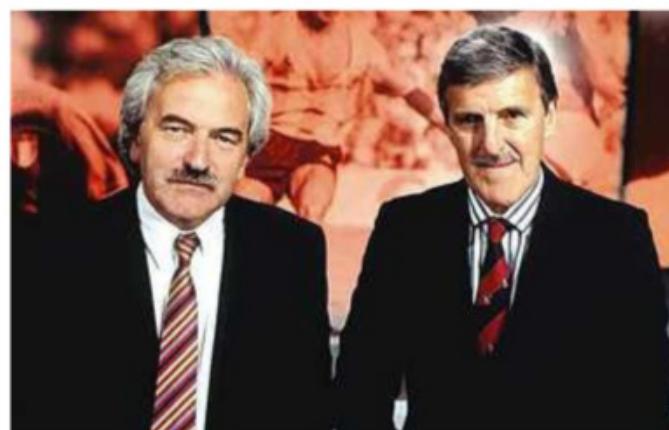
Here's the Top 10 in reverse order.

10 MATCH OF THE DAY

1970 BARRY STOLLER



Musician Barry Stoller was 29 when a scorched-earth revamp of the BBC's football show required a new theme to replace the old-fashioned military band tune, *Drum Majorette*. He took to his basement studio to face this "formidable task", playing the guitar parts himself and a clavioline keyboard, drafting in a drummer and trumpeter for the fanfare bits



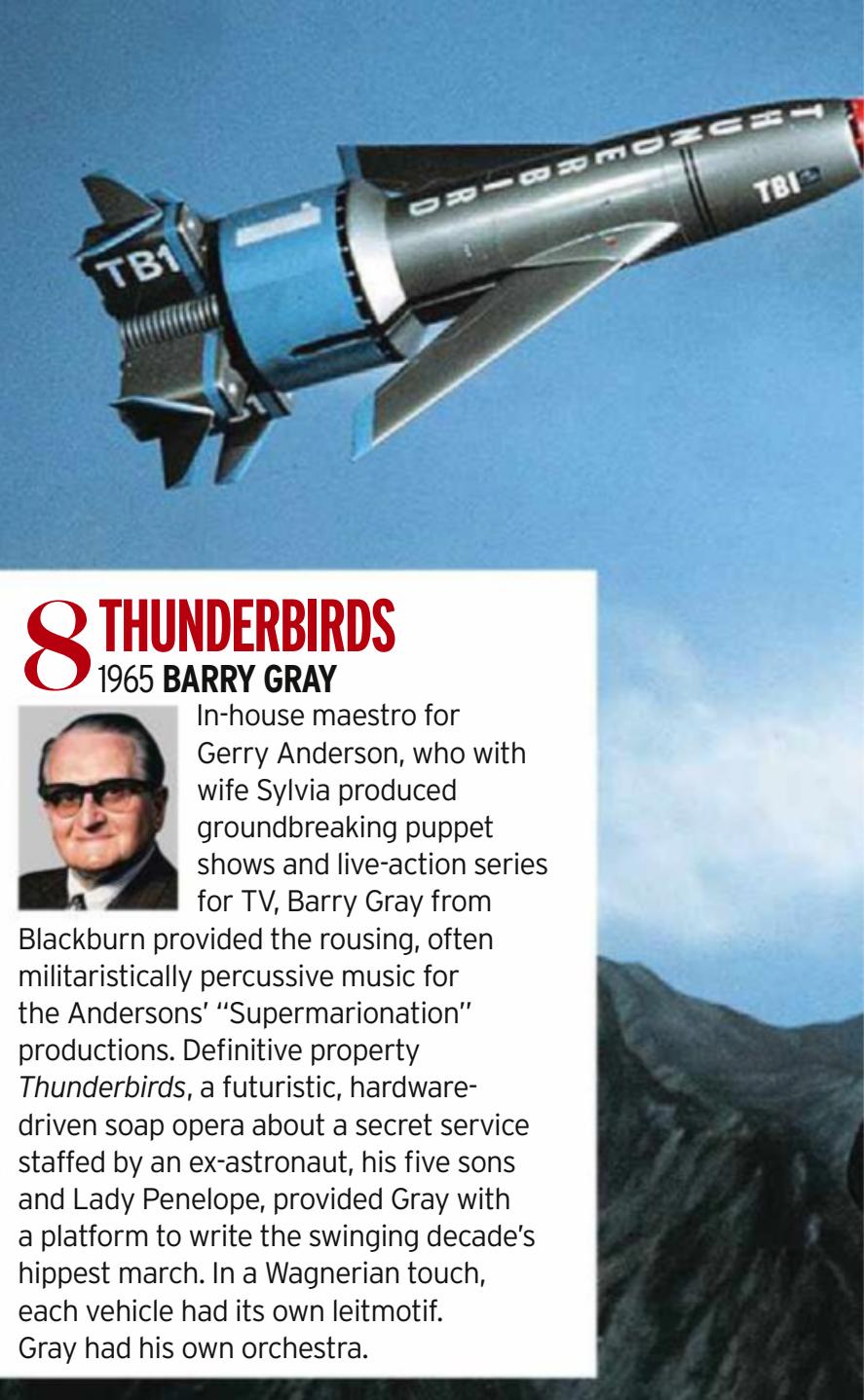
(Stoller's aimed-for "gladiator feel"). The 2014 documentary *Match of the Day at 50* reminded us that when, in the mid-70s, Stoller's tune was rearranged as if by a bored robot, the reaction was overwhelming. Des Lynam (above left with Jimmy Hill) remembered that disgruntled viewers "nearly burned Television Centre down".

9 THE ADVENTURES OF BLACK BEAUTY

1972 DENIS KING



Galloping Home, the gorgeously evocative theme to the ITV children's drama series, still provides a Proustian rush to anyone from the approximate generation who thrilled to the country air, doffed caps and equine snorts of this continuation



8 THUNDERBIRDS

1965 BARRY GRAY

In-house maestro for Gerry Anderson, who with wife Sylvia produced groundbreaking puppet shows and live-action series for TV, Barry Gray from Blackburn provided the rousing, often militaristically percussive music for the Andersons' "Supermarionation" productions. Definitive property *Thunderbirds*, a futuristic, hardware-driven soap opera about a secret service staffed by an ex-astronaut, his five sons and Lady Penelope, provided Gray with a platform to write the swinging decade's hippest march. In a Wagnerian touch, each vehicle had its own leitmotif. Gray had his own orchestra.



7 THE AVENGERS

1965 LAURIE JOHNSON



This camp, proto-feminist take on the funky world of British espionage enjoyed a number of distinct epochs on ITV. Many agree that the 1965–67 run was its



5 INSPECTOR MORSE

1987 BARRINGTON PHELOUNG



Australian composer and classical guitarist Pheloung spoke to *Soundtrack* magazine about the thinking behind the music for one of British TV's best-loved detectives: "Morse is a melancholic character, so the music had to be melancholic." It also had to be orchestral, as Endeavour's a lover of classical music. Famously, to reference Morse's crossword-solving, the theme folds in a Morse code signal that spells out his name "in triple compound time". Pheloung, who also scored for ITV's *Lewis* and *Endeavour*, calls it "an obvious idea". Maybe, but also one of the best.



4 THE PERSUADERS!

1971 JOHN BARRY



"The first man to make soundtracks sexy," according to *GQ*, demobbed Army trumpeter

John Barry was king of cool in the 1960s, scoring several Bond films, co-habiting with Michael Caine and arranging Adam Faith hits. Augmenting a big band with struck stringed instrument the cimbalom (as heard in *The Ipcress File*) and a Moog synth, he created the chiming, grinding theme to *The Persuaders!* – Roger Moore and Tony Curtis as an Anglo-American playboy crime-solving duo, whose biographies play out over the alluring tune. It, and they, earned the permanent exclamation mark. ▷

baroque peak, with Patrick Macnee playing up to the umbrella-wielding English gent and cat-suited Diana Rigg kick-ass as Emma Peel. John Dankworth had written the original jazzy theme, but bandleader and swing king Laurie Johnson adapted *The Shake*, a dance craze, as *The Avengers*' new theme in 1965. It'll have you twisting to this day. He also composed *This Is Your Life*, *The Professionals* and *Animal Magic* (later revived for *W1A*).

6 POLDARK

2015 ANNE DUDLEY

 It's not in any way to demote composer Kenyon Emrys-Roberts, whose music helped propel the BBC's original *Poldark* to the nation's bosom in the 1970s, but something in Anne Dudley's sweeping, swirling theme for the remake swooningly melds clifftop vertigo and tin-pricing economics with just-saucy-enough intrigue into one irresistible, string-driven suite. Awards-laden Dudley, co-founder of the Art of Noise and Oscar winner in 1997 for *The Full Monty*, hoped her music would combine "Englishness, romanticism and history", the folky violin representing Ross "fighting against his upbringing and class". Job done.



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3 ROBIN OF SHERWOOD

1984 CLANNAD



The Brennans and Duggans from County Donegal, aka Celtic folk family Clannad, had a 1982 hit with their theme for Troubles-set ITV drama *Harry's Game*. This led to scoring all 26 episodes of *Robin of Sherwood*, a pin-up-friendly take on the legend (Michael Praed, below, and successor Jason Connery broke a few hearts at teatime among *Look-In* readers). Released on the LP *Legend*, its theme showcased the clan's ethereal vocals, led by Máire Brennan, adding mystical, new-age promise to the squelchy 80s-synth bed. The sole lyric goes, "Ro-bin, the hooded man." The album won a Bafta for best original TV music.



2 DOCTOR WHO

1963 RON GRAINGER, DELIA DERBYSHIRE



The only instance of an iconic TV theme being "realised" – that is, put through the electronic rinse cycle of the groundbreaking BBC Radiophonic Workshop under Delia Derbyshire – Australian composer Ron Grainer's enduring, oscillating whoosh of temporal travel has, happily, stood the test of time. Proven by experts to send viewers of all ages instantaneously behind the sofa, its "woo-ooo-oooh" refrain and fractal visuals never date. Even current composer Segun Akinola obeys the original key, E minor, paying homage to *Who* heritage. Likewise, Murray Gold, stalwart of the 2005 revival, who sampled bits of the original.

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1 SHERLOCK

2010 DAVID ARNOLD, MICHAEL PRICE



The theme's afoot! It comes as no surprise that the Cumberbatch bloc ensured a loyal turnout for the hugely popular Steven Moffat/Mark Gatiss BBC1 upgrade of *Sherlock Holmes*, propelling its dashing music to the top of our pops. David Arnold and Michael Price have scored four albums of what is inaccurately called incidental music isolated from the funky visuals and labyrinthine plots. They agree that *Sherlock*'s theme is in fact two run together: the epic, drum-thumping *Opening Titles* and the more playfully Victorian-tinged *Pursuit*. "I'd play both or join one to the other to represent

the theme," Arnold explains. "It's like Brexit... no one knows which one is which."

Price, also responsible for *Unforgotten*, adds, "Being a part of a TV show like *Sherlock* which has reached so many people is a genuinely humbling experience. Thanks hugely to all the *Radio Times* readers who voted for it – I can only apologise to everyone else who wanted their favourite to win. I voted for *Some Mothers Do 'Ave 'Em*."

Arnold, whose personal faves include *Black Beauty*, *The Sweeney* and *Steptoe and Son*, also composed *Little Britain* and five Bond films. As for their *Sherlock* music: "I think the success of the show has a lot to do with it." Of their fruitful collaboration, Price says, "I'm never sure, on any given day, which one of us is Holmes and which is Watson... I do know who has the hat, though."

Their next job together is the Moffat/Gatiss *Dracula*, "So we feel we're home again."





‘Old people are overlooked’

Still working, smoking – and making friends with Lady Gaga. **June Brown** is proof that age is not a barrier to a good life

FORGET YOGA, MINDFULNESS and endless lengths of the pool. It turns out the secret to a long life, brilliant memory and a lively and inquiring mind is Guinness, chocolate, red wine and smoking like the proverbial chimney.

At the grand age of 92, June Brown is vibrant testimony to the benefits of the “doing exactly as you damn well please” diet. “I’m going to die of something fairly soon so why not enjoy myself,” laughs Brown, best known as *EastEnders*’ Dot Branning. “I love red wine and also dark chocolate, even though I’m allergic to it and it makes me sneeze. And the Guinness helps me keep a bit of weight on. So I don’t need to be careful about what I eat or drink.”

Or, for that matter, smoke. “Exactly. What’s the point of counting how many cigarettes I smoke a day? I’ve been on them for over 70 years. I did try one of those new electronic cigarettes but it was so heavy it kept falling out of my mouth, so that went in the bin.”

Suffice to say, Brown and technology are not comfortable bedfellows, which makes her perfect for ITV’s *Hard to Please OAPs*, in which she and six other celebrity pensioners test state-of-the-art gadgets. “All the machines were pretty useless,” she says, testily. “You can have the best gadget in the world, but if you can’t read the instructions, what’s the point?”

“I’ve got an iPhone but it’s too much like a computer. All this technology is supposed to bring people together, but because so many elderly people can’t get to grips with it, they feel even more isolated. They’ve no one to talk to and nothing to bring them to life. I’m lucky I’ve still got my work. That’s what keeps me alive.”

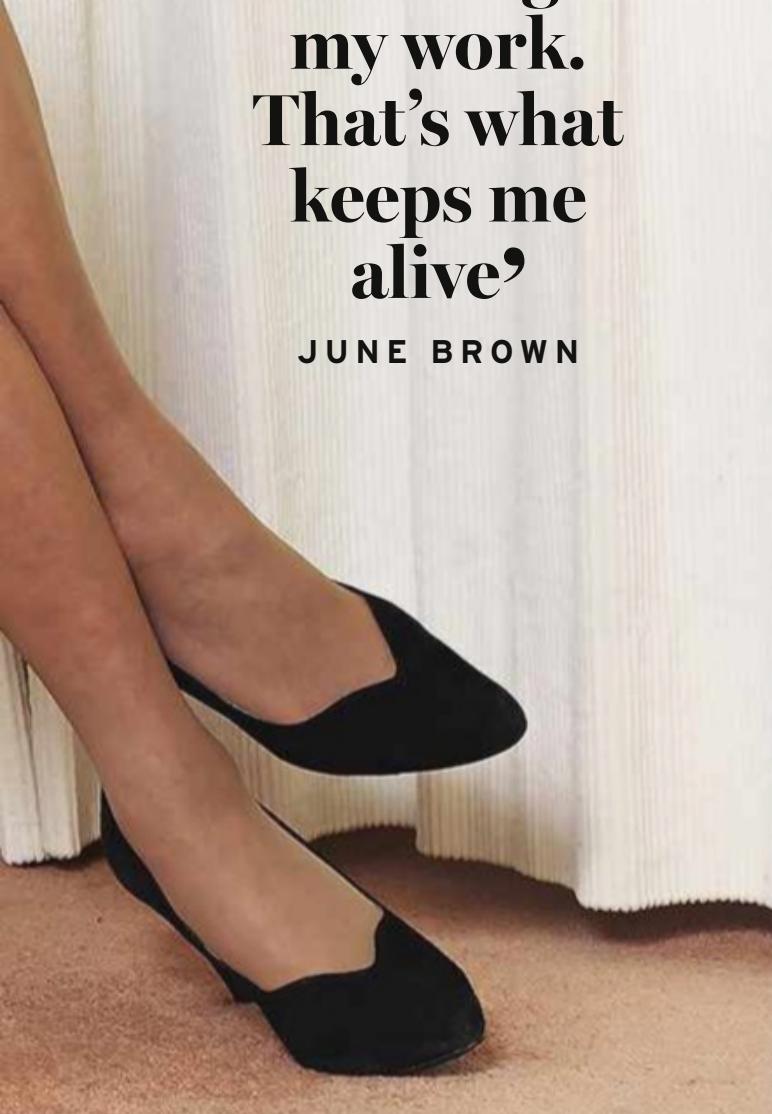
Brown joined *EastEnders* 34 years ago as chain-smoking curtain-twitcher Dot. Remarkably, despite failing eyesight and hearing, she continues to work relentlessly. A pioneering operation a couple of years ago helped treat her age-related macular degeneration. “It’s improved my peripheral sight; luckily I’ve always had good visual memory so I can learn my scripts as they’re printed in chunks on large slides. I’ve got no central vision, so I recognise the people on set by their shape, otherwise I’d have to get two inches from their face. You can’t go around peering into men’s faces like that, can you? They’d think I was chatting them up!”

SHE STILL LIVES in her Surrey home aided by her two daughters, but lost the hearing in her right ear after lightning struck her house at Christmas. “It caused a plug point to explode in the lounge with an almighty bang,” she recalls with a grim laugh. “I was lucky the flying shards didn’t blind me, but my right ear was facing it and so the bang did for my hearing. I’ve been very lucky with my health, but things always seem to happen to me.”

Indeed, overly punctuated by accident and tragedy, Brown’s life reads like a soap opera. Her wealthy father went bust after investing money in German banks before the Second World War, and her childhood was scarred by the death of two siblings. She began acting while serving with the Wrens and studied at the Old Vic, where she met her first husband, actor John Garley. After seven years of marriage she came home to find he’d taken his own life. She later married actor Robert Arnold, and they had ▷

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JUNE BROWN





A REAL TASTE
OF THE COUNTRYSIDE
(AND THE VIEW'S NICE TOO*)



*VIEW FROM YEO VALLEY

◇ six children, one of whom died in infancy. The couple were together for 45 years, until Arnold died in 2003 of pneumonia.

“I’ve had tragedy in my life, but I think that gives me a depth that I can bring to my work,” she says softly. “I’d like to see more older women on TV because they can bring that life experience and emotion to a performance. You simply don’t have that as a young woman. Sadly, women are written off far too early in this industry.

“It’s also true of society in general. The elderly in Britain aren’t really given enough respect. Grandparents are ignored or packed off to care homes. Old people are considered worthless fuddy-duddies and often overlooked, which

‘I’ve had tragedy in my life, but that gives me depth’

makes them sink into loneliness. I noticed it as soon as I started to age.” Brown takes a breath: “I’m not bragging but I used to be rather beautiful, with lovely legs, and people would always ask me to dance. But suddenly people didn’t take any notice of me any more. I was at a party in my 50s and was forced to dance with a chair because nobody wanted to dance with me. I’m serious. I just really wanted to dance so I took the chair and danced with it. I didn’t care a jot what people thought of me. Didn’t even look at them. I was just happy dancing.”

THE CURRENT STATE of politics and world affairs also depresses her. “I don’t like what’s happening to society,” she sighs. “So I try and avoid the details. I watch *News at Ten* and *Loose Women* and that gives me all I need to know.”

So what does she watch for pleasure? “I like documentaries, but they often have an agenda so I tend to stick with nature programmes – anything with David Attenborough is always very good.”

She also admits to an admiration for the Queen – and Lady Gaga. “The Queen has dedicated her life to serving the country so you have to admire that,” she says, brightening. “I met her at her 60th birthday party at the Palace and she didn’t have a clue who I was. Her aides weren’t there to introduce me, so she gave me a look and just walked off, which made me fall about laughing. I met her again when she presented me with an MBE [in 2008], but when I was called I tripped on the step in front of her and almost fell over. She said something about



DOT'S GOT A VISITOR

The Queen – and Barbara Windsor – joking with Brown on a visit to *EastEnders* in 2001



AN ACTOR'S LIFE
In the 1950s with
her first husband,
John Garley

enjoying *EastEnders* and for some reason I replied, ‘I didn’t think you’d see it because it clashes with your dinner.’ I didn’t even call her Ma’am or Your Majesty, so later I thought about writing to her to apologise. But I suppose at least I made her laugh.”

Brown sparked an even unlikelier friendship with actress and singer Lady Gaga when they appeared on *The Graham Norton Show* together. “Now there’s a girl who knows

how to play the celebrity game without losing any of her humanity and kindness,” she gushes. “She was so funny, intelligent and down to earth, but afterwards, when she went in front of the press, you could see her put the Gaga persona on. She saw me sitting on my own and came back, dropped the whole Gaga thing and invited me out to a nightclub before saying goodbye. Sadly I couldn’t make it, but I thought what a charming and talented girl.

“A few days later I was in a restaurant and a huge hen party came over. I thought they’d mistaken me for Gaga but they just wanted to talk about her and have their picture taken with me. It used to be autographs but now it’s always these selfies.”

Does that annoy you? “Oh goodness no!” she exclaims. “These people are fans and viewers, they put us up where we are and allow us to make a living so I’m always grateful and never refuse. As someone once wisely said to me, ‘No matter how long you’ve been in this business, don’t ever get up yourself, dear.’” **GRAHAM WRAY**

MAKING FRIENDS

With Lady Gaga,
Jude Law and
Greg Davies
on Graham
Norton's sofa
in 2013



The magic of Moomins

Will Self was first enchanted by Tove Jansson's Moomin stories as a child. Now he's lending his voice to the Muskrat...



MY MOTHER READ to me every day as a child and I recall many of the books she read with great affection, but the Moomin books are different. It isn't so much that they were my absolute favourites as a child; it's more that the world author Tove Jansson conjures up has always stayed with me. When I was old enough to read by myself, I started in on the Moomin books, and when I grew to be a man, they were not among the childish things I put away.

I reread them myself – and then read them to each of my four children in turn. There are 11 years between my oldest and my youngest, a gap possibly explained by my desire to always have one under six or seven who'd let me read the Moomin stories to them. Not, I hasten to add, that I feared being considered some sort of awful kidult if I didn't have a child auditor – I'm not like those people who created a demand for alternative "adult" jackets for the Harry Potter books. No, I'm proud to be a grown-up reader of Jansson's books, which I consider of such a high quality that they raise younger readers up into emotional and even intellectual maturity, rather than infantilising grown-up fans.

For those unfamiliar with the series, the Moomins are a species of Finnish troll, resembling a sort of small white hippo. They live in an isolated and bucolic valley, surrounded by hills, have a tall tower-style house, and consist in the nuclear family of Moominpappa, Moominmamma and Moomintroll, together with a variety of hangers-on and distal family members. Written and illustrated by Jansson, nine Moomin stories and five picture books appeared between 1945 and 1993. There was also a long-running cartoon strip.

The Moomin world quite obviously melds the



CREATIVE GENIUS
Finnish illustrator and author Tove Jansson

fantastical and the real: while these trolls scoff a big meal of pine needles before hibernating, they also eat jam and pancakes off crockery and wear at least some clothes.

THERE ARE ALSO interactions with the wider world – such as the perennial battle with all officialdom waged by Moomintroll's best friend, Snufkin, a free-spirited tramp – that imply the Moomins' valley is a sort of magical enclave, away from a more recognisably ordinary world. But there are others of the tales that pivot on strange occurrences, such as the arrival of a Hobgoblin, or the Moomins' encounters with the Hattifatteners, frond-like creatures that swarm together and generate static electricity when they get angry.

This melding of the mythic and the real seems to me utterly convincing, because as with all great writing it grows out of a profound understanding of human nature. The Moomins and their associates may have snouts and paws, but they love and hate, dream and fear.

The stories dramatise universal dilemmas:



am I liked for myself, or purely because of who I am socially? Do I desire things for their intrinsic value, or because they give me status? And once again, it's Jansson's skill as a writer that makes the morals of these stories emerge convincingly from her characters' experiences, rather than being imposed upon them by some author-cum-moralist.

Moreover, a heterodox person herself – being a gay woman in the middle years of the 20th century – Jansson understood all about the conflicts that can arise between one's inner being and an external social ethic. Perhaps this is also why she writes so brilliantly about what we might think of as the more negative emotions

MEET THE FAMILY
Jansson in a self-portrait with her Moomin characters



– specifically melancholy and depression. In *Moominland Midwinter* and *Moominvalley in November* she creates characters who cope with isolation and depression in creative ways, thereby demonstrating that it's possible to endure such feelings without recourse to self-harm – a crucial lesson we would do well to remember in our own stressful era.

The Muskrat, the character I voice in *Moominvalley*, Sky 1's new adaptation of the Moomin books, is a sort of grumpy philosopher – a Diogenes *manqué*, if you will – who finds it hard to rise either from the bath or his hammock, so mired is he in rather vapid speculations. But for me the Muskrat was always a fount of at least this wisdom: don't just do something, sit there. Even as a child I understood that this hairy beast was in possession of a valuable

insight, which is that to doubt things can itself be a kind of luxury.

I realise I've been speaking rather more about the books than I have about either this adaptation, or previous ones – but how could it be otherwise? I'm an irredeemably literary person, and although I did watch the stop-motion television series that aired on ITV in the early 1980s and the Japanese-Dutch *anime* version that was on CBBC in the early 1990s, for me these were to be judged only in so far as they either cleaved to, or deviated from, Jansson's original conception.

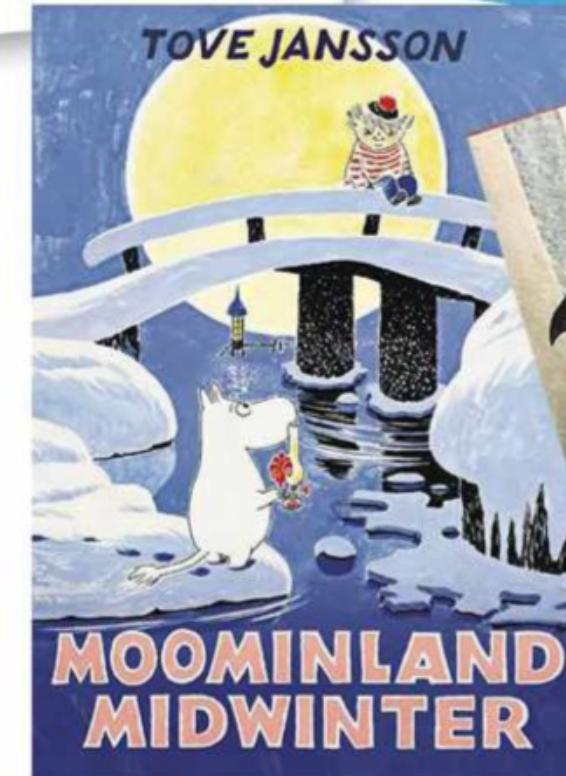
By "conception", I mean the unique vision of a writer who illustrates her own stories. Because

• Tove Jansson's stories dramatise universal dilemmas

that's what any Moomin adaptor has to get past: the fact that Jansson herself created such beautiful visualisations of her own imagined world. I liked both previous series, although neither of them as much as the books.

With the new series, obviously things are different. Don't get me wrong: if I'd been asked to voice the Muskrat character for a duff television adaptation I'd still have leapt at the opportunity with all four paws, such is my love both for him and the fantastical ecosystem he finds his niche in. But it just so happens that the team behind *Moominvalley* are some of the best at work in animation today, and when I saw what they'd done with the characters and their *mise*

MOOMIN MARVELS
Sky's new adaptation of the Moomin stories features a stellar voice cast



en scène, I realised that Jansson's works would have their truest televisual expression yet.

It's been an honour to voice the Muskrat – and hardly onerous. True, recording in a booth with just the engineer, script assistant and the director, Steve Box, was a little bit of a disappointment – I'd have liked to do some scenes with Rosamund Pike (Moominmamma) and Kate Winslet (Mrs Fillyjonk). But then who wouldn't – and besides, not being a professional actor, they might have been compelled to upstage me.

THIS BEING NOTED, I don't think Steve had to give me too much direction, because I knew exactly the right voice to assume for the Muskrat. A little deeper even than my own, and yet more lugubrious (if that's possible), it's a voice I heard from the very moment I gained consciousness as a small child – namely that of my late father, who shared many of the Muskrat's characteristics, from philosophising, to being hirsute, to almost compulsive bathing. I think his mournful tones repurpose brilliantly as the Muskrat's – but ultimately, it's up to you and your little captive co-viewers to decide on that.

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Rocket man

Ronnie O'Sullivan is an ambidextrous snooker genius

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CARL JUNG SAID that it was his duty as a psychologist to allow people of genius to keep their neuroses. He was fascinated by the phenomenon of the driven artist: van Gogh creating a masterpiece every day he woke up in Arles; Proust writing furiously in his cork-lined room; Beethoven creating his greatest works from the torment of deafness.

What would he have made of Ronnie O'Sullivan, a sometimes troubled genius who expresses his creativity in the kinetic art of snooker? As the World Championship swings round once again at the Crucible Theatre in Sheffield, O'Sullivan as ever compels the attention. He has often reached something very close to perfection on a snooker table and last month he became the only player to have achieved 1,000 century breaks. Think of that: 100,000 points without missing a single ball.

Sometimes a falling-off from perfection has caused him dismay: he has retired from the game almost as many times as he has scored century breaks. Sometimes this frustration seems to be his greatest enemy, but, talking or playing, O'Sullivan is always ready to surprise.

"It's not always a bad thing to feel frustrated," he says. "Frustration used in the right way can be a very powerful emotion. For me, I see it as a positive. I see it as a driving force to push yourself further, push yourself to the next level."

He has famously found equanimity by working with the sports psychiatrist Steve Peters. This has made him somewhat introspective and – perhaps crucially – more inclined to self-forgiveness. These days, neither failure nor success seems to cause him too much dismay.

There was a truly odd moment when he completed that 1,000th century. He got down on the ball – and then stood back up and switched the cue to his left hand, before potting the red for 100 points. He's always been ambi-

•I owe a lot to my left hand and I didn't want it to feel forgotten'

dextrous, but his reason for swapping hands, at this moment of all moments, was even more bizarre than the spectacle.

"Playing left-handed was a way of freeing myself up in many ways. I owe a lot to my left hand because it helped me stay in the sport, helped me have optimism, helped me feel like I can compete.

Most of my snooker has been played with my right hand... I just didn't want my left hand to feel like it had been forgotten.

Potting the 1,000th century break with my left

hand was a sort of thank you to my left hand, to say, 'I haven't forgotten you, I know I haven't used you that much, but you are still an important part of my life and this is your moment to pot the final ball.'

Pot it he – or it – did, and O'Sullivan goes into the World Championship as the favourite to win a sixth world title, with the bookmakers and the crowd. He can change a match with a few minutes of brilliance – something he has always been able to do. These days he can also play long tactical frames, keeping his concentration through the safety exchanges that are so often the difference between victory and defeat.

O'SULLIVAN SCORED HIS first century at the age of 16, became a pro in 1992 aged 17 and first played at the World Championship in 1993. At times he looked a prime candidate to burn out, but he's now been at the top of the game for 27 years. Such endurance is remarkable even in snooker: that he should find this robustness among his more delicate qualities is his great achievement.

"It's not about the winning or the losing," he says. "It's about how you performed and how you mentally felt during the games. I have had some great games which I have lost, but you feel happy to be involved in such a great game, and you think, 'This time the result didn't go your way, but the experience and the memory of that match is still here.'

He seeks perfection as fiercely as ever – but he now accepts that it is ultimately elusive.

SIMON'S 3 TO WATCH

PREMIER LEAGUE FOOTBALL Manchester City v Tottenham Hotspur Sat 11.30am (k/o 12.30pm) **Sky Premier League/Main Event**, 12.30pm **5 Live** Once more unto the breach... City play Spurs for the third time in a fortnight.

FED CUP TENNIS Great Britain v Kazakhstan Sat 1pm, Sun 11.30am **BT Sport 3** The play-offs, at London's Copper Box. Will GB's women make the World Group for the first time since 1993?

EUROPEAN RUGBY CHAMPIONS CUP Saracens v Munster Sat 2.15pm (k/o 3pm) **BT Sport 2**; Leinster v Toulouse Sun 2.45pm (k/o 3.15pm) **C4**, 2.30pm **BT2** They've reached the sharp end – the semi-finals.





Film

SAVING MR BANKS

Tom Hanks and Emma Thompson as Walt Disney and PL Travers

WILLY WONKA
Gene Wilder led us into a world of pure imagination

Film adaptations add a new dimension to classic children's books, says **Andrew Collins**

Just imagine...

Saving Mr Banks

Easter Day 3.40pm BBC1 (not Wales)

I FEEL INCREDIBLY LUCKY that many of my formative books were read to me. My first experience of Roald Dahl's *Charlie and the Chocolate Factory*, for instance, was read – with the voices! – by Bernard Cribbins on BBC1's story-book slot *Jackanory* over five consecutive teatimes in 1968 before I went to school full-time. I didn't see the film version until 1977, when it premiered on BBC1. That gave me nine glorious years in which the uproarious, cautionary wish-fulfilment yarn and all its wacky contraptions existed only in my head.

In this sense, motion pictures ruin books, especially children's books, by obviating the need for what Gene Wilder's Willy Wonka rhapsodised in song as "a world of pure imagination".

As both a keen reader and a junior cineaste, I grew up with an appreciation of both media. With films like *Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory* (Saturday C5) taking years to arrive on television, movies were treats, while books could

be borrowed from the local library and re-read decades before their technological offspring could be rewound or paused. Though I'm of an age where I'm convinced it was better in my day, I'm not making a Luddite value judgement, but access to everything can overwhelm. Who doesn't like the idea of shutting down and curling up with a good book?

Harry Potter is a fabulous example of a series of books that seemed almost to awaken a screen-programmed population from slumber, uniting

chise kicked in. This allowed a four-year oasis, during which readers visualised their own Voldemort and Hagrid and Snape.

Illustrator Thomas Taylor's pencil rendition of Harry on the cover of the first book may have been the template for the casting of the boy wizard. But however spectacular and faithful the films were, they still succeeded in driving fans back to the books. Costumed midnight bookshop openings resembled movie premieres, and an article on the Pottermore website asked, "Remember when you first got *Order of the Phoenix* home with you, how quickly you needed to inhale that story?"

Some beloved literary properties have been slow to reach the screen because their authors felt so attached to their original works. BBC1's big afternoon film on Easter Day, *Saving Mr Banks*, recounts the reluctance of *Mary Poppins* author

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some 500 million parents, non-parents, children and adults in any of the 70-plus languages JK Rowling's series of fantasy novels can be read in. The first, *Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone*, was published in 1997, followed by three more before the multimillion-dollar film fran-

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COLLINS**



PL Travers to give up her governess and risk a rather uncouth account of her book series – four of which would be gobbled up to create one motion picture.

After succumbing to Walt Disney and the bottom line, she regretted it and put a clause in her will banning any further American adaptations of her library. She died in 1996, and the recent hit sequel *Mary Poppins Returns* (Sky Store/Virgin Movies) is a beneficiary of the Travers estate relaxing the late author's rules.

Similarly, CS Lewis, unconvinced that the fantasy elements of his Narnia stories could be faithfully adapted, sat on the film rights until his death in 1963. *The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe* came to TV in 1967 (and in the late 80s) and was animated in 1979. Literary executor Douglas Gresham approved the first film in 2001, convinced by improving CGI. Having had the first three books read to me, I'd had my imagination co-opted numerous times already, so was able to relax into the new ones.

JUST AS NEWBORN ducklings naturally "imprint" on the first potential parent they clap eyes on, so the young *Homo sapiens* sticks to the first imagery it sees. With some books for younger readers already illustrated, this imagery is imposed at a malleable age. You get the feeling

Rudyard Kipling would have had a similar reaction to PL Travers if

Disney's *The Jungle Book* had been made in his lifetime. But I discovered Kipling's stories after seeing the film and so found the occasional line illustrations alarmingly realistic compared with the bright, anthropomorphised characters I'd met on screen.

After we'd had *The Hobbit* read to us by Mrs Carter at Abington

Vale Primary, we were encouraged to paint a picture of what we thought Gollum looked like. Such a fanciful notion

has now been extinguished for ever by the motion-capture acumen of a team of programmers, not to mention Andy Serkis's physical performance. When I painted my Gollum, he existed only on the fertile blank canvas of my six-year-old brain; he didn't look like the emaciated, snivelling wretch whose Imax visualisation was then four decades into the future. It's not without a hint of irony that I admit the image I reproduced from memory was the Tasmanian Devil, inspired by the Bugs Bunny cartoons.

If children's books have effectively become paper souvenirs of the films they're turned into, you have to hope that the analogue nature of the printed page will continue to carry a meaningful novelty value. And that some children will stick with Willy Wonka this Easter, who advised in song: "If you want to see magic lands/Close your eyes and you will see one."

HARRY POTTER
Daniel Radcliffe
cast a spell as
the boy wizard

MARY POPPINS
Emily Blunt stepped into
Julie Andrews's shoes in
last year's hit sequel

ANDREW COLLINS
MY MOVIES

P Kubo and the Two Strings 
Saturday 12.30pm C4

Stop-motion emotion

If I were to tell you that this resplendent, colourful, intelligently family-friendly animated adventure is set in feudal Japan between the 12th and 14th centuries, and revolves around

a 12-year-old boy with one eye whose stringed instrument brings origami figures to life and whose Samurai father has disappeared, immobilising his mother with grief, you'd assume it was the product of Studio Ghibli, Gainax, Toei or another Japanese anime house. Especially when we get to the cursed warrior who has been turned into a stag beetle. But in fact it's all-American.

Laika Entertainment, headquartered in Portland, Oregon, and admirably devoted to stop-frame animation in a digital world, made its name in 2009 with *Coraline* (director Henry Selick was on the staff at the time).

Chalking up the studio's fourth and fifth Oscar nominations, 2016's *Kubo and the Two Strings* was its fourth feature, a mythic tale of curses, quests, giant skeletons, family secrets and an undersea Garden of Eyes. Travis Knight (son of co-founder Phil, chairman of Nike) worked as an animator on *ParaNorman* and *The Boxtrolls*, and makes his directorial debut here.

The film looks both spectacular and intimate. Like me, you may assume it's ingeniously made to look like stop-motion using CGI. But no, it's the most complex puppet show on earth, shot against green screen with huge mechanical models and, for instance, a storm-lashed ocean created using paper, copper wire and shower curtains. This lends the saga a tactility that is achieved in, say, *Kung Fu Panda* by computer sorcery. I'm not against technology, but there can be nobility in the real thing, proven once again by Laika's fifth picture *Missing Link*, in cinemas now.

The lively voice cast boasts Art Parkinson (Rickon Stark in *Game of Thrones*), Matthew McConaughey, Charlize Theron (as a snow monkey whose fur looks like string because it is), Ralph Fiennes, Rooney Mara and George Takei, and the score by Dario Marianelli – vital to the narrative as Kubo summons the spirits of the dead with his ancient banjo – provides a momentum all of its own.



BOY WONDER
Kubo features
spectacular
stop-motion
puppetry

3 ways with Yorkshire puddings

Aunt Bessie's Yorkshire puddings are perfect for all your Easter entertaining, from your family roast to a lazy brunch – here are some tasty ideas for you to try

Aunt Bessie's much-loved Yorkshire puddings come in all shapes, sizes and styles. From perfectly fluffy Bake at Home Yorkshires to Golden Yorkshires, a timeless take on the classic, there's a quick and simple oven-cook variety that your family will adore.

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MINTY LAMB YORKSHIRES



MAKES 8 • PREP 10 mins • COOK 26–29 mins • Easy

Heat oven to 200°C/180°C fan/gas 6. Mix together fresh **finely chopped rosemary and mint leaves**, then set side. Season a 400g lamb loin fillet with salt. Heat 1 tbsp olive oil in a large frying pan, and when hot, seal the lamb all over for about 10 mins. Put the lamb on a baking tray and pat the chopped herbs all over it, then cook for 12–15 mins. Meanwhile, in a frying pan, heat a **knob of butter**. When melted, add 4 sliced spring onions and a few **savoy cabbage leaves**. Fry until softened then add 200g frozen petit pois and 50ml water. Bubble away until the peas are cooked through, then season. Remove the lamb from the oven and leave to rest while you cook 8 Aunt Bessie's Bake at Home Yorkshires for 4 mins. Thinly slice the lamb, then when the Yorkshires are ready, fill with the pea mixture, top with a slice of lamb, and sprinkle over a **little chopped mint**.

BREAKFAST YORKSHIRES



MAKES 8 • PREP 15 mins • COOK 4 mins • Easy
Heat oven to 200°C/180°C fan/gas 6. Put 1 tsp chilli or tomato chutney in each of 8 Aunt Bessie's Golden Yorkshires then drape 1 slice of Parma ham over each one and cook for 4 mins. When done, add half a boiled egg and sprinkle over chopped fresh chives and a few chilli flakes, if you like.

MAKES 8 • PREP 5 mins COOK 20–25 mins • Easy
Heat oven to 220°C/200°C fan/gas 7. Put **half a sausage** on each of 8 Aunt Bessie's Bake at Home Yorkshires and cook for 20–25 mins. Heat 1 tbsp olive oil in a large frying pan, then add **1 finely sliced large red onion** and cook over a medium heat. Stir regularly, until they caramelise – this will take about 20 mins. When cooked, season and set aside. Mix 150ml **boiling water** with 1 tbsp **gravy granules** in a jug until smooth, then pour into the onions. When the mini toads are cooked, dollop on a generous spoonful of gravy and serve.

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DIGITAL HIGHLIGHTS

Saturday 20

ANDREW COLLINS FILM OF THE DAY

■ The Shallows ★★★

9.00-10.40pm C4

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THRILLER This California-set (but Australia-shot) aquatic survival thriller is less shallow than at first it appeared in the *Jaws*-referencing permutations of its poster, which perhaps understandably revolved around toned star Blake Lively either in a bikini or a wetsuit. But hey, it's a film with a principal cast of one, with a few supporting human snacks and a charming seagull. Lively is medical student Nancy, who seeks out the Baja beach her recently deceased mother visited when she was pregnant with her. An independent type, Nancy goes for one last surf before dusk. Cue a great white shark, which strands her on a rock, with a board and her ingenuity – a vital asset. Directed by Jaume Collet-Serra, the Spaniard usually forcing Liam Neeson into tight corners in high-concept fare like *Non-Stop* and *The Commuter*, *The Shallows* is pretty original for a genre picture and Lively lives up to her name. (US 2016, violence, HD)



■ Kubo and the Two Strings ★★★

12.30-2.30pm C4 PG
Andrew Collins My Movies, page 35.
(US 2016, HD)

■ Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory ★★★★

2.30-4.35pm C5 U

FANTASY In this fabulous 1971 musical adaptation of Roald Dahl's evergreen story, Gene Wilder parks his buffoonish comic persona to bring a pinch of the

macabre to the title role. Dahl wrote the script and though he had misgivings about the finished article, this vibrant fantasy still reveals a layer of grimness beneath the confection. Peter Ostrum is a convincing Charlie Bucket, desperate to find a golden ticket to gain entrance to Wonka's phantasmagoric factory, and when you add singalong ditties like *Pure Imagination*, it all adds up to wonderful, timeless entertainment. JA (US 1971, HD)

Andrew Collins, p34

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DID YOU KNOW?

After spending an epic 13 hours a day filming in the water, Blake Lively said she'd be happy to give the beach a miss for a while

■ Alice in Wonderland ★★

6.50-8.30pm BBC2 PG

FANTASY Tim Burton tackling the nonsense prose of Lewis Carroll should be something the visionary director could do in his sleep – which is what this oddly conventional and ponderous "re-imagined" offering often induces. As the now teenage Alice (Mia Wasikowska) returns to "Underworld", Burton's trademark quirkiness is in full evidence, but the tone is as wobbly as Alice's decision-making. AJ (US 2010, HD)

■ The Boys from Brazil ★★★

9.00-11.35pm Talking Pictures TV 18

THRILLER Ira Levin's ingenious novel about the cloning of Hitler's body tissue is given the epic treatment by director Franklin J Schaffner. Behind the plot are Dr Mengele (a convincing Gregory Peck) and his accomplice (James Mason), with Laurence Olivier the Nazi-hunter on their trail. This accomplished thriller is more plausible now than on its 1970s release, with the added appeal of Peck, Mason and Olivier scoring points off each other. AT (US 1978, violence, some swearing)

■ A Royal Night Out ★★★

10.30pm-12.20am C5 12

COMEDY DRAMA The future queen has her first and last hedonistic hurrah in this fanciful concoction from director Julian Jarrold, as princesses Elizabeth (Sarah Gadon) and Margaret (Bel Powley) celebrate VE Day with the masses in London. The script is full of hollow sentiments and the concept feels stretched, yet there's great fun to be had. Grounded by its cast and performances, it's a sugary shot of pure fantasy. EAS (UK 2015, swearing, sexual references, HD)

■ The Fast and the Furious ★★★★

10.35pm-12.30am ITV 15

ACTION THRILLER This pedal-to-the-metal thriller from director Rob Cohen has fabulous cars, scantily clad babes, moody hunks and turbo-charged stunts

to spare. As cop Paul Walker goes under cover to find out if Vin Diesel and his street-racing gang are behind a spate of truck hijackings, Cohen's fast-paced, stylish direction pushes the hot and heavy excitement to the maximum – and it's utterly electrifying to watch. AJ (US/Ger 2001, violence, swearing, HD)

PICK OF THE REST...

■ Harry and the Hendersons ★★★

10.30am-12.30pm C5 PG

A family adopts a yeti. (1987, HD)

■ The Spy Who Loved Me ★★★★★

1.25-4.00pm ITV PG

Roger Moore is James Bond. (1977, HD)

■ Murder on the Orient Express ★★★★★

2.25-4.30pm BBC2 PG

Classic Agatha Christie mystery, showing on the BBC for the first time in more than 20 years. Follows *Albert Finney Talking Pictures*. (1974, HD)

■ The Lord of the Rings: The Return of the King ★★★★★

5.25-9.15pm ITV2 12

Frodo continues his quest. (2003, HD)

■ Edge of Darkness ★★★

9.00-11.15pm AMC (Sky 192, BT 332) 15

Cop Mel Gibson wants revenge. (2009)

■ The Shawshank Redemption ★★★★★

9.50pm-12.45am ITV4 15

Enthralling prison drama. (1994, HD)

■ Ted 2 ★★★ 10.40pm-12.45am C4 15

Return of the trash-talking teddy. (2015, HD)

■ Papadopoulos & Sons ★★★

12.05-1.50am BBC1 15

Witty picture of ethnic London life. (2012, HD)

■ Dumb and Dumber To ★

12.45-2.30am C4 15

Dumb comedy sequel. (2014, HD)

■ DISCOVER FILM

The best of Sky, iPlayer, Netflix and beyond... see p60

A WORLD GONE WILDE... Andrew Collins on the best of Oscar on film

The Importance of Being Earnest ★★★

10.25-11.55pm BBC2

Were Oscar Wilde around today, his withering adage might be: "There is only one thing worse than being on TV, and that is not being on TV." Happily, Oscar has just resurfaced on Netflix in *The Happy Prince* (a passion project written and directed by Rupert Everett, in which he also stars as the ailing wit).

Wilde's most famous works have been richly filmed by Oliver Parker: *An Ideal Husband* in 1999 and *The Importance of Being Earnest* (preceded today by documentary *The Importance of Being Oscar*, see p52) in 2002, both of

which made their modest budgets back with big-name casts. Everett, Julianne Moore and Jeremy Northam starred in the former, and Everett and Colin Firth in the latter. (A lifelong Wilde-ophile, Everett also played the doomed scribe in the play *The Judas Kiss*.)

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EARNEST THEN AND NOW

Rupert Everett as 2002's Algernon and in 1952 Dame Edith Evans as the indomitable Lady Bracknell

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ANDREW COLLINS FILM OF THE DAY

Jurassic Park ★★★★

7.20-10.00pm **ITV2**

SCI-FI With Alan Partridge back on our TVs, I find it impossible not to exclaim, "Jurassic Park!" at apposite moments of deluded success. I saw Steven Spielberg's crowd-pleasing dinosaur tale on the big screen with a friend who, on emerging into the evening, concluded: "Well, the puppets were good." The irony of this remark is that Spielberg had intended to animate the velociraptors and others running amok in author Michael Crichton's theme park via traditional animatronics. But after some arm-twisting, Hollywood's most persuasive argument for CGI resulted. It's still packed with spectacle, and what makes it so durable after all the sequels (the first of which is on tomorrow) is the offbeat cast: a pre-*Pulp Fiction* Samuel L Jackson, the idiosyncratic Jeff Goldblum, *Seinfeld*'s Wayne Knight as the sneaky Nedry and the late Bob Peck as a game warden. The puppets are still pretty good, too. *Jurassic Park!* (US 1993, includes scenes that may be disturbing for children, may be edited for language, HD)



DAYTIME

Puss in Boots ★★★★

1.00-2.45pm **C4**

COMEDY ADVENTURE The scene-stealing cat (impeccably voiced by Antonio Banderas) from *Shrek 2* finally gets his own swashbuckling romp, finding love with slinky Kitty Softpaws (Salma Hayek) as they join Humpty Dumpty (Zach Galifianakis) to track down a golden goose. *Shrek the Third* director Chris Miller's lively caper veers delightfully between *Mother Goose*, *Zorro* and a Sergio Leone western – and while that cute big eyes gag is used a fair few times, it never gets old. **AJ** (US 2011, HD)

Dances with Wolves ★★★★

2.45-6.15pm **Paramount Network** **15**

WESTERN Kevin Costner's directorial debut, the first western to win the best picture Oscar for 60 years, is a heartfelt attempt to create a frontier epic and to atone for Hollywood's shameful depiction of native American life. Costner is battle weary Union officer John Dunbar, a Civil War hero who takes a remote posting in South Dakota to see the frontier before it vanishes. Costner directs his pet project with clear passion, presenting a poignant look at a way of life and a people that have all but disappeared. A marvel from beginning to end. **DP** (US 1990, violence, swearing, sex scenes, HD)

DID YOU KNOW?

Recordings of an angry goose, mating tortoises and a Jack Russell playing with a toy were all used to help create the dinosaur noises

PG

Currie. Alongside Alfred Junge's clever sets and Erwin Hillier's atmospheric photography are a compelling mix of romance and comedy, an arresting use of landscape and a respectful fascination with local culture. **DP** (UK 1945, BW)

EVENING

The Bridge on the River Kwai ★★★★

5.30-9.00pm **5Spike**

captures a man in limbo amid the scandal of his brother Edward's abdication and the run-up to the Second World War, while Firth expresses George's crippling fear with dignity. This is the type of thing the British film industry does so well – a bit of history, a bit of social comedy, a few factual liberties and a flag-waving finale. **SP** (UK/Aus/US 2010, swearing) **You wait ages for a Bafta...**, p70

Gone Girl ★★★★

10.00pm-1.00am **W**

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THRILLER Whether or not you've read Gillian Flynn's bestseller, you're in for a treat here. David Fincher directs this unsettling adaptation, which revolves around the hunt for missing Amy (Rosamund Pike, exceptional), the perfect wife of perfect hunk Nick (Ben Affleck, oozing prom king charm). Although it doesn't have many good things to say about modern relationships, it is an absorbing mystery in which anyone could be – and probably is – a monster. **LB** (US 2014, violence, swearing, sex scenes, nudity, HD)

PICK OF THE REST...

My Girl ★★

2.00-4.00pm **Universal**

Mushy romantic drama with Anna Chlumsky. Followed by the sequel. (1991)

Pixels ★★

2.50-4.50pm **C5**

Can arcade geeks save the world? (2015, HD)

Far from the Madding Crowd ★★★★

3.00-6.00pm **True Movies** (Freeview 62, Freesat 302, Sky 321, Virgin 424)

Julie Christie on captivating form. (1967)

Moonraker ★★

3.15-5.45pm **ITV**

007 heads for outer space. (1979, HD)

Marley & Me ★★★

4.50-7.00pm **C5**

A dog changes a couple's lives. (2008, HD)

The Secret Life of Pets ★★★

5.40-7.20pm **ITV2**

Madcap animated canine caper. (2016, HD)

Evan Almighty ★★★

6.00-8.00pm **Comedy Central**

Steve Carell must build a new ark. (2007, HD)

Men in Black 2 ★★

7.20-9.00pm **E4**

An alien queen threatens Earth. (2002, HD)

Pearl Harbor ★★

9.00pm-12.30am **ITV4**

Wartime blockbuster. (2001, HD)

The Thing ★★★★

9.00-11.05pm **Horror Channel**

Scientists uncover a frozen alien. (1982)

Risen ★★

11.00pm-1.10am **C4**

Post-Crucifixion Biblical drama. (2016, HD)

The Two Faces of January ★★★★

1.10-2.45am **C4**

Slow-burning suspense thriller. (2013, HD)

DISCOVER FILM

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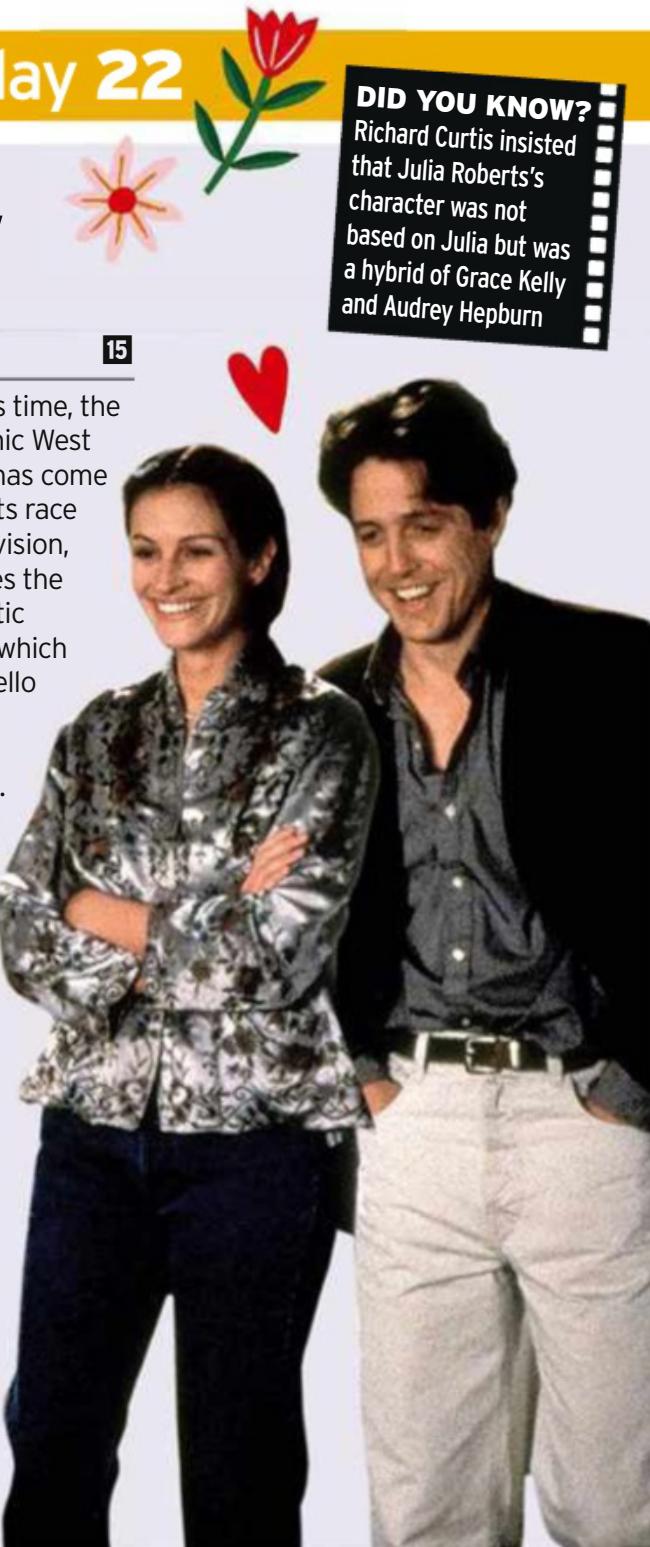


Easter Monday 22

ANDREW COLLINS FILM OF THE DAY

Notting Hill ★★★

10.20pm-12.35am **ITV**



DID YOU KNOW?
Richard Curtis insisted that Julia Roberts's character was not based on Julia but was a hybrid of Grace Kelly and Audrey Hepburn

ROMANTIC COMEDY In its time, the demographically schizophrenic West London enclave Notting Hill has come to be known for its carnival, its race riots and the symbol of its division, Grenfell Tower. It also provides the setting for a civic and romantic fantasy from Richard Curtis, which cleaves to the chi-chi Portobello Road market, where Hugh Grant's bookshop owner meets film star Julia Roberts. It whisked in a soufflé of comfortably off, supportive family and friends, played by the likes of Gina McKee, Hugh Bonneville and the late Emma Chambers. Even Grant's unhygienic Welsh lodger (Rhys Ifans) and a tabloid scandal cannot meaningfully block the path of true love. Directed with a light touch by Roger Michell, *Notting Hill* now feels rather as if it were cast in a pre-diversity age and seems, albeit not unpleasantly, very much like one of those antiques in the still-charming Portobello Road. (US/UK 1999, some swearing, sexual situations, HD)

DAYTIME

Thunderbirds ★★

10.00-11.50am **Sky1**

ADVENTURE Fans of the original 1960s TV series may well feel short-changed by this pedestrian live-action version. The focus is on sulky adolescent Alan Tracy (Brady Corbet) who resents studying at boarding school while his dad (Bill Paxton) and brothers are saving the world. Cue a wannabe *SPYkids* plot in which Alan and his two cutesy pals are left to defeat the Hood (Ben Kingsley). With the exception of the frothy kitsch of Sophia Myles's Lady Penelope and her multi-talented chauffeur, Parker (Ron Cook), there's just no substance or vitality to this obviously expensive production. The retro-futuristic designs and scenery look great, but style alone can't save a weak script or make flat dialogue sparkle. **SF** (UK/US/Fr 2004, edited for violence, language, HD)

Dante's Peak ★★★

12.10-2.10pm **C4**

ACTION Pierce Brosnan's vulcanologist sees the warning signs for major lava problems in a small mountain town, but no one will believe him in this typically FX-orientated 1990s disaster flick. Like the same year's larger-scale *Volcano*, it has some corking digital magma and a lot of cardboard in its

path. Director Roger Donaldson handles things in the same way he did in *Species*, papering over dialogue and character deficiencies with some exciting set pieces, as buildings crumble and roads receive a molten overcoat. Brosnan and romantic interest Linda Hamilton offer serviceable performances, but they're battling against more than just the elements. **JC** (US 1997, edited for violence, language, HD)

Clash of the Titans ★★★

1.15-3.35pm **C5**

FANTASY This star-studded fantasy adventure is almost a rerun of *Jason and the Argonauts* (which follows in today's double bill), only this time it's Perseus, Andromeda and assorted giant livestock who go through their mythological paces. Harry Hamlin certainly has the physique to play the heroic Perseus, but when it comes to the touchy-feely stuff, he and Judi Bowker make anaemic lovers. Thankfully, Ray Harryhausen's stop-motion special effects are as wonderfully wobblesome as ever and he comes up with some memorable monsters, notably the petrifying Gorgon Medusa. Dressed in a white bathrobe and a Santa Claus beard, Laurence Olivier overacts dreadfully as Zeus, but fans of the genre will still find plenty here to enjoy. **AT** (US/UK 1981, edited for violence, nudity, HD)

Khartoum ★★★

1.45-4.25pm **ITV4**

DRAMA Charlton Heston stars in this big-budget epic about General Gordon's last stand, when Sudanese warriors, led by the Mahdi, gave the British Empire a serious jolt. Heston's portrayal of Gordon is finely studied, suggesting a complexity that the script never quite comes to terms with. His performance contrasts with that of Laurence Olivier, whose Mahdi is all eye-rolling, lip-quivering fanaticism, like a refugee from a *Carry On* film. Intended as a rival to *Lawrence of Arabia*, this boasts a fine supporting cast, including Michael Hordern and Ralph Richardson, and is often spectacular to watch, but Basil Dearden's direction is on the stodgy side. **AT** (UK 1966, edited for some of its violence, HD)

Jason and the Argonauts

3.35-5.45pm **C5**

ADVENTURE Stolid Todd Armstrong stars as the intrepid leader of Greece's greatest heroes whose quest for the Golden Fleece provides special-effects maestro Ray Harryhausen with the opportunity to conjure a bonanza of monster mayhem. The Avengers of their day must defeat ghoulish harpies, a giant man of bronze and a sword-wielding skeleton army to make off with their booty. Any sword-and-sandal cheesiness is mercifully kept at bay thanks to a menacing but marvellous score from Bernard Herrmann, while a cast of British cinema's best (including Nigel Green as Hercules and Niall MacGinnis and Honor Blackman as king and queen of the gods) adds gravitas and ensures there's wit and humanity among the derring-do. **JA** (UK 1963, HD)

EVENING

North West Frontier ★★★

6.20-9.00pm **Talking Pictures TV**

ADVENTURE This cracking yarn is directed with great pace and precision by J Lee Thompson, and proves that an old-fashioned, all-action drama can still keep you on the edge of your seat without the benefit of flashy special effects. It could almost be called an "eastern", transplanting the old western plot of a railroad journey through hostile territory to early-20th-century India. Kenneth More gives an assured performance as the soldier entrusted with the safety of a Hindu prince, and he is given able support by Lauren Bacall (as the boy's no-nonsense nurse), the ever-reliable Wilfrid Hyde White and Herbert Lom. **DP** (UK 1959)

The Social Network

9.00-11.25pm **Paramount Network**

DRAMA The foundation of online phenomenon Facebook comes in for scrutiny in this fact-based drama. Mark Zuckerberg (Jesse Eisenberg) is an unloved outsider at Harvard in 2003, but finds a way of circumventing the university's traditional elite by creating the networking technology that

eventually makes him one of the world's youngest billionaires. Along the way, there's camaraderie, betrayal, class tension and much litigation. The dazzling wordplay from Aaron Sorkin and David Fincher's intensely focused direction work in concert to create one of the truly defining films of the era. **TJ** (US 2010, swearing, drug abuse, HD)

The Finest Hours

10.00-11.50pm **BBC4**

ACTION A daring real-life sea rescue off Cape Cod in 1952 inspired this gripping disaster movie, with Chris Pine as the square-jawed Coast Guard sailor who leads his men into the mountainous surf. In its early stages, director Craig Gillespie makes slow headway trying to get us to share would-be fiancée Holliday Grainger's anxiety for her man's well-being; because Pine is so stoically determined, it seems unlikely any harm will come to him. That changes once the wind and waves get up and he's piloting a tiny boat out to rescue Casey Affleck and his fellow crew members trapped on board the stricken tanker. **TJ** (US 2015, HD)

PICK OF THE REST...

Liar Liar

10.25am-12.10pm **ITV2**

Jim Carrey must tell the truth. (1997, HD)

The Muppets Take Manhattan

12 noon-2.00pm **Universal**

Cameo-filled comedy with the gang. (1984)

The Hours

1.00-3.10pm **AMC** (Sky 192, BT 332)

Nicole Kidman plays Virginia Woolf. (2002)

Wyatt Earp

1.20-5.00pm **5Spike**

Epic western with Kevin Costner. (1994)

Matilda

2.55-5.00pm **Sony Movie Channel**

Pleasingly dark Roald Dahl story. (1996)

Cheaper by the Dozen

4.00-6.00pm **Universal**

Steve Martin has his hands full. (2003)

Paddington

4.35-6.35pm **Film4**

The bear from darkest Peru. (2014, HD)

Mean Girls

9.00-11.00pm **Comedy Central**

Acerbic high-school comedy. (2004, HD)

Die Hard with a Vengeance

9.00-11.40pm **5STAR**

Bruce Willis teams up with Samuel L Jackson to foil a terrorist. (1995, HD)

The Internship

9.00-11.35pm **W**

Clunky culture-clash comedy. (2013, HD)

Heal the Living

2.00-3.45am **C4**

Sensitive French melodrama. (2016, HD)

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Tuesday 23

FILM OF THE DAY

Unbreakable ★★★★

9.00-11.15pm **Sony Movie Channel** 12

FANTASY In this enthralling offering from M Night Shyamalan (*The Sixth Sense*), Bruce Willis survives a train crash only to be told by comic-art gallery owner Samuel L Jackson that he has special powers. Thought-provoking and unfolding at a measured pace, this builds to a surprise ending.

Alan Jones

(US 2000, may be edited for language, violence)



The Smallest Show on Earth

★★★★

3.50-5.30pm **Talking Pictures TV** U

COMEDY Deftly directed by Basil Dearden, this charming comedy stars Bill Travers and Virginia McKenna as a couple who inherit a crumbling cinema. The cast alone makes it a must-see, and a sequence in which projectionist Peter Sellers, pianist Margaret Rutherford and doorman Bernard Miles relive the silent era's glories is adorable. **DP** (UK 1957, BW)

Jack Ryan: Shadow Recruit ★★★

9.00-11.10pm **Film4** 12

ACTION This reboot for novelist Tom Clancy's CIA agent sees Chris Pine step into the shoes previously worn by Alec Baldwin, Harrison Ford and Ben Affleck, and presents Ryan as a fresh-faced rookie facing post-9/11 global terror threats. Director Kenneth Branagh (who co-stars as a scenery-chewing Russian oligarch) eschews the books' cerebral elements in favour of high-octane thrills and spills, while Pine is good value as the government penpusher thrust into the front lines of espionage. **TeS** (US 2013, violence, swearing, HD)

PICK OF THE REST...

Snatched at Birth ★★

2.15-4.00pm **C5**

Driven to a desperate act. (2017, HD)

Blended ★★ 8.00-10.20pm **5STAR** 12

Sandler and Barrymore comedy. (2014, HD)

Rules of Engagement ★★ 10.00pm-12.35am **Paramount Network** 15

All-star courtroom drama. (2000, HD)

Scre4m ★★ 12.25-2.30am **ITV2** 15

Neve Campbell is targeted again. (2011, HD)

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Wednesday 24

FILM OF THE DAY

The Book Thief ★★★

6.25-9.00pm **Film4** 12

WAR DRAMA Director Brian Percival's thoughtful drama set on the eve of the Second World War carefully builds a convincing picture of prejudice's rising tide in Germany. Starring Sophie Nélisse as the orphan of the title, it could have been more dramatically powerful, but it evokes this troubled period in a way that will intrigue and inform younger viewers. **Trevor Johnston** (US 2014, HD) **Sophie's passion project**, p100

Gambit ★★★ 1.55-3.45am **C4** U

COMEDY In this entertaining caper, Michael Caine and Shirley MacLaine bring their natural frivolity and nimble comic timing to the roles of a cockney cat burglar and a Eurasian showgirl who becomes his accomplice. The object of their scam is a tycoon's priceless statue uncannily resembling MacLaine. The lead actors certainly have chemistry, while director Ronald Neame skilfully keeps the twists and turns coming, accompanied by a typically lush score from Maurice Jarre. Herbert Lom is also good fun as the hapless target of the couple's machinations. **JM** (US 1966, HD)

PICK OF THE REST...

Star Trek into Darkness ★★★★

9.00-11.35pm **Film4**

Kirk pursues a rogue Starfleet officer. See choice, page 60. (2013, HD)

American Pie 2 ★★★

9.00-11.10pm **ITV2**

More rude, crude and lewd laughs. (2001, HD)

You Only Live Twice ★★★★

9.00-11.25pm **ITV4**

James Bond travels to Japan. (1967, HD)

Meadowland ★★★ 11.30pm-1.20am **Sony Movie Channel**

Parents come to terms with loss. (2015)

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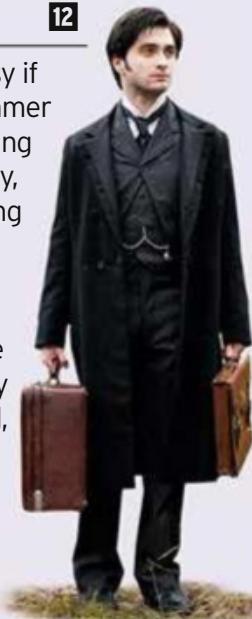
The Woman in Black ★★★

11.00pm-12.55am

Horror Channel 12

HORROR A classy if cliché-ridden Hammer ghost story, recalling the studio's heyday, this follows grieving solicitor Daniel Radcliffe as he uncovers the dark secret of a remote community. Creaky melodrama indeed, but the grim resolution adds an unexpectedly uplifting twist.

Alan Jones (UK 2011)



Harvey ★★★★
1.05-3.15pm **Film4**

FANTASY James Stewart gives a knockout performance in this classic comic fantasy about tipsy Elwood P Dowd and his friendship with invisible six-foot white rabbit Harvey, deftly directed by Henry Koster. Alongside the satiric misunderstandings, character mix-ups and revitalised clichés come poignant comments about humanity's lack of communication, which touch both the funny bone and the heart. Guaranteed to leave a smile on your face for a long time. AJ (US 1950, BW, HD)

PICK OF THE REST...

Deadly Vows ★★ 2.15-4.00pm **C5**

A tale of murder and marzipan. (2017, HD)

The Fighter ★★★★

9.00-11.20pm **Sony Movie Channel** 15

Mark Wahlberg stars as real-life boxer Micky Ward. See choice, page 110. (2010)

Major League ★★★ 9.00-11.05pm

AMC (Sky 192, BT 332) 15

First in a triple bill of the sports films. (1989)

Carlito's Way ★★★★

10.35pm-1.30am **ITV4** 18

Al Pacino attempts to go straight. (1993, HD)

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Friday 26

ANDREW COLLINS FILM OF THE DAY

Carve Her Name with Pride ★★★★

6.40-9.00pm **Talking Pictures TV** PG

WAR DRAMA The inspiring, if moderately sanitised, true story of Violette Szabo (played in a Bafta-winning performance by Virginia McKenna) is briskly told in Lewis Gilbert's 1958 film about the French/British Special Operations Executive agent. She was recruited as much for her bilingualism as her bravery, and undertook two missions in occupied France, where she proved a dab hand with a machine gun. McKenna portrays her as afraid of very little, and, in one memorable scene, spits out the cigarette put in her mouth by a German officer. William Alwyn's score gives it all a patriotic spin, even when Szabo's pluck and cunning lead to her being interned in a concentration camp. The latter scenes, which I won't spoil, are hard to watch if you don't already know the outcome, but McKenna is stunning throughout. In a particularly restrained and effective shot, Gilbert's camera pans up past the barbed wire fence. Stirring stuff. (UK 1958, BW)



Talladega Nights: the Ballad of Ricky Bobby ★★ 9.00-11.15pm **Dave** 15

COMEDY There's the odd laugh as Nascar champion Will Ferrell faces his nemesis, a gay French driver (Sacha Baron Cohen). But the writing is sloppy, and the film, from *Anchorman: the Legend of Ron Burgundy* director Adam McKay, is undermined by a homophobic undertone. AS (US 2006, violence, swearing, HD)

A Good Day to Die Hard ★★

9.00-10.55pm **E4** 12

ACTION The rule of diminishing returns bites hard in Bruce Willis's fifth outing as resourceful New York cop John McClane,

DID YOU KNOW?
In 2000, Violette Szabo's aunt opened a museum in her niece's honour, and Virginia McKenna attended its first fundraising event

(played by Richard Dreyfuss as an adult) leads a gang of friends on an odyssey to find the fabled body of a missing boy. AC (US 1986, edited for violence, language)

P Everybody Wants Some!!

★★★★ 11.20pm-1.40am **Film4** 15

COMEDY The spiritual sequel to Richard Linklater's 1970s-set classic *Dazed and Confused*, this seems at first merely to be a wholesome examination of sexual freedom at college – but behind the 1980s details you'll see Linklater using a team of baseball players to examine the meaning of life. As main man Jake (Blake Jenner) grows up before our eyes, echoing Linklater's Oscar-winning *Boyhood*, he reveals his true personality through practice, pranking and partying. Nostalgic for the beauty and confusion of youth, the film is a delicious, feel-good romp. Pacey and entertaining. KK (US 2016, swearing, sexual references, drug abuse, nudity, HD)

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Family Secrets ★★ 2.15-4.00pm **C5**

A woman inherits a ranch. (2016, HD)

P The Equalizer 2 ★★★

8.00-10.10pm **Sky Premiere** 15
See review, page 120. (2018, HD)

Hansel & Gretel: Witch Hunters

★★★ 9.00-10.50pm **5STAR** 15
Fun and gory spin on the fairy tale. (2013, HD)

Far and Away ★

9.00-11.45pm **Paramount Network** 15
Tom Cruise and Nicole Kidman seek a new life in 19th-century America. (1992)

Bad Teacher ★★ 9.00-10.55pm **W** 15

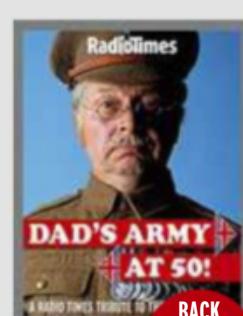
Cameron Diaz is no role model. (2011, HD)

The Raid ★★★★

12.35-2.20am **C4** 18
Breathtaking, brutal action yarn. (2011, HD)

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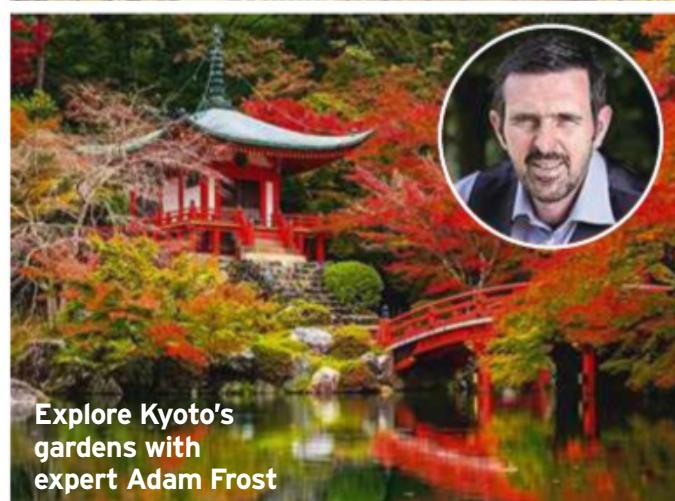
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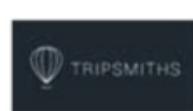
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Spider-Man: Into the Spider-Verse ★★★

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ANIMATED ADVENTURE A twist on Spider-Man movies that focuses on Miles Morales (voiced by Shameik Moore), a mixed-race teenager who is bitten by an unusual-looking spider. As he develops his arachnid abilities, Miles meets spider people from different dimensions, including a jaded Peter Parker (Jake Johnson).

There are some joyous moments, although characters like Spider-Gwen (Hailee Steinfeld) and anime-inspired Peni Parker (Kimiko Glen) are a little underused as they unite to stop the nefarious plans of the Kingpin (Liev Schrieber). But Nicolas Cage gets laughs as Spider-Man Noir, a 1930s gumshoe take on the character.

The animation is gorgeous – as you would expect from an Oscar and Bafta best animated feature winner – and there are plenty of in-jokes for fans. It might not appeal to those who prefer serious-minded superhero movies. Crucially, though, kids and Marvel fans will love it. **Stephen Carty** (US 2018, HD)

PICK OF THE REST

Once upon a Time in London ★★★

18

Sky Store/Virgin Movies

CRIME DRAMA Writer/director Simon Rumley attempts to invoke the spirit of mob films like *Brighton Rock* here, as he charts the real-life rivalry between London kingpins Jack "Spot" Comer and Billy Hill. As several outfits muscle in on their manors, it's tricky to follow who's who, but with solid performances, slick visuals and a pastiche score that's catchily effective, he almost succeeds. **DP** (UK 2018, violence, swearing, HD)



... OR A NIGHT AT THE CINEMA

Dragged across Concrete ★★★★

18

Two cops (Mel Gibson, Vince Vaughn), suspended because of their methods, will go to any lengths to make some cash.

Greta ★★★

15

When a woman (Chloë Grace Moretz) returns a lost handbag, she makes a new friend in the owner (Isabelle Huppert). But all is not as it seems.

Head Full of Honey

12A

A man suffering with Alzheimer's (Nick Nolte) goes on a final road trip with his granddaughter.

Red Joan ★★

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Mortal Engines ★★★

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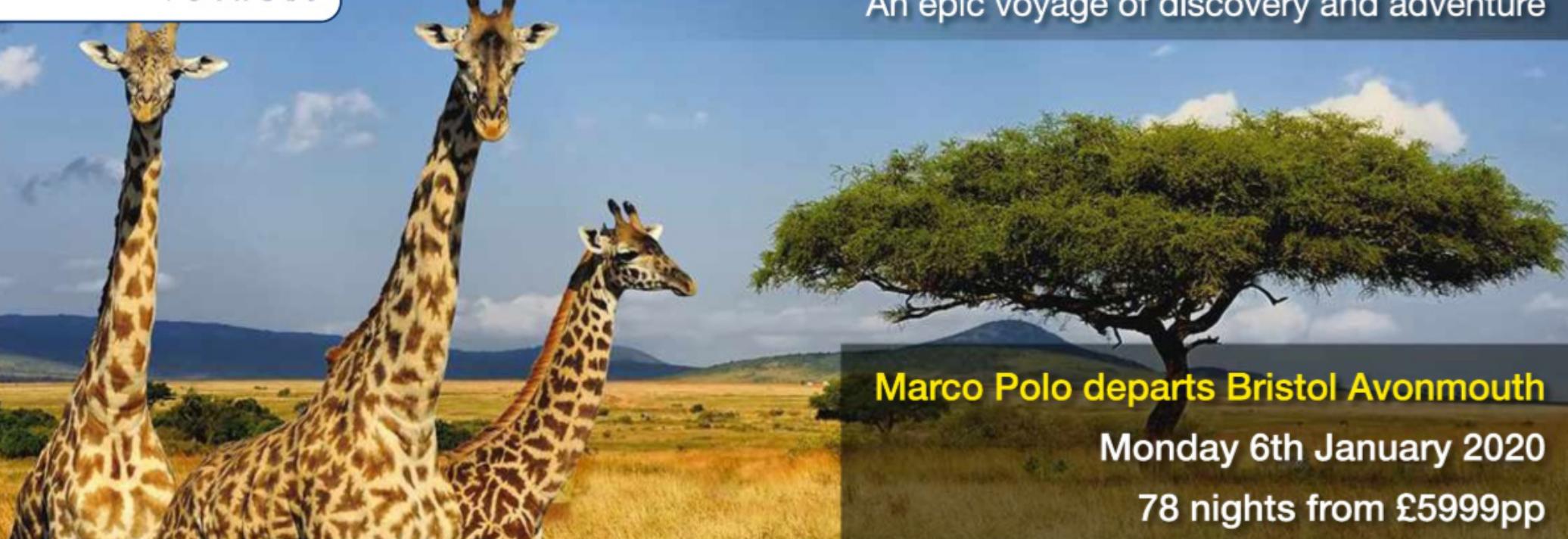


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Stop the (bad) press!

Why are TV journalists such a hopeless lot, asks David Butcher

I'M ALWAYS AMAZED at the shabby way TV dramas portray journalists. As in, they portray journalists as a shabby bunch, but also, they're usually way off the mark. If I were as inaccurate writing about TV dramas as they are about journalists I'd be out of a job faster than you can say "The press will have a field day!" (as fictional coppers still do, regularly).

It's a steady drumbeat of misrepresentation wherever you look, though I realise this is a niche concern. Nobody cares about how journalists are portrayed because nobody cares greatly about journalists – fair enough. I'm sure police officers, doctors and lawyers feel caricatured by TV dramas as well, but at least they're usually the good guys. Not us. Remember those pigs wearing hats on *Spitting Image*?

A lot of the inaccuracy is at the doesn't-ring-true sort of level. In *MotherFatherSon* (Wednesday BBC2) for instance, we were expected to

'Maybe it's time to stop taking an easy pop at journalists'

believe that Caden (Billy Howle) edited a national newspaper despite being an angsty introvert with a pained conscience. That's like creating a TV detective who thinks the best of people and doesn't like asking questions because it's rude. At least the editor played by Ben Chaplin in *Press* last year was a plausible personality, even if a dozen other things were way off.

Recently, there's been Ricky Gervais as Tony in *After Life* (Netflix), working at an English local newspaper so lavishly staffed it must have been purchased recently by Jeff Bezos. At one point, Tony's editor says to him mildly: "Are you going to do that story, by the way?" and that's about as stressful as it gets.

You might remember the newspaper reporter played by Amy Adams in the HBO drama *Sharp Objects*, who spent the whole series drunk and/or sleeping in her car (she looked good, considering). At the other extreme, there's F Murray Abraham as a New York editor in *Chimerica* (Wednesday Channel 4), who seems stranded in the braces-wearing 1980s and delivers an angry speech out of nowhere about how much he hates



HARD PRESSED
DS Lisa Armstrong (Morven Christie) at the centre of a media scrum during filming of ITV's *The Bay*

comment threads: "You think I enjoy using the word multiplatform!" he rants.

Most laughably this week, also in *MotherFatherSon*, there's a scene where Max, the newspaper proprietor played by Richard Gere, lays out the front page of his eve-of-election edition by himself on a draughtsman's desk, literally cutting and pasting the old-school way because it's a tradition he has – and not at all because the scriptwriter decided that having Gere crouched over a computer keyboard wouldn't look as cool.

But these are mostly niggles, large and small. My main gripe is an aspect of the portrayal of journalists that never goes away, one that writers of crime dramas include religiously, as if it were an ancient folk custom of theirs.

You'll have watched the scene a dozen times: the detective and either another cop or a relative of the victim will be leaving the crime scene or the police station when they'll spot a group of reporters gathered in an unruly scrum.

"Looks like that lot are here already," one of the cops will say bitterly, or "Who let that lot through?" Then, as they run the gauntlet of the press pack, reporters will crowd around, barking questions and jostling, while flashguns fire with

a loud pop, as they last did in about 1947.

In a version of this scene I saw recently, the reporters were described by our hero as "jackals". The contempt isn't always that spelt out, but it is always there in the tone: the press covering a murder case are the lowest of the low, intrusive parasites who pander to a ghoulish fascination with – ah, hold on a tick...

ISN'T A GOULISH fascination with murder exactly why we're all watching this crime drama right now? We wouldn't be nearly as keen to watch *Shoplifting*, *She Wrote* or *Affray in Paradise* or *Midsomer Thefts of Agricultural Machinery*. Any writer of crime dramas is drawn to them partly by the grisliness of murder. He or she knows we, the public, are fascinated too, and exploits that fascination for profit, whether the case is imaginary or a true story – as it was in the recent Martin Clunes drama *Manhunt*, for example.

Fair enough, but for some reason, they portray the crime reporters who serve the same public fascination as scum. And that's a bit rich. Maybe it's time to stop writing scenes along these lines just to take an easy pop at journalists. But then, why break the habit of a lifetime?



1 SUPER-SMART DRAMA **The Good Fight**

Amazon Prime

Christine Baranski (centre) continues to make her character Diane Lockhart one of TV's most engaging heroines, in a spin-off from *The Good Wife* that takes the razor-sharp intelligence of its parent show and refines it. More4 is currently showing series three, but Amazon now has the first two series.

SEE THE SERIES

2 **Traitors**

All 4 (C4)

Sturdy, classy and pleasingly somewhat old-fashioned, this espionage saga stars Keeley Hawes and the less familiar but also excellent Emma Appleton (right) in a tale of double-crossing double agents plying their trade in febrile 1940s London. Torn loyalties and shocking violence create memorable drama. Ep1 available until 24 April

VINTAGE MERCURIO

3 **Bodies**

iPlayer

Jed Line of Duty Mercurio made his name in 2004 with this drama based on his experiences as an NHS doctor. Brutal, blackly funny and powered by monstrous characters, in contrast to his plot-driven later work, its graphic surgery scenes and even more disturbing portrayal of corruption and incompetence are no less shocking now than they were 15 years ago. Horribly gripping.



COMEDY BOX SET **4 Back to Life**

iPlayer (BBC3)

Daisy Haggard's mystery-drama has big laughs, caused by a woman called Miri moving back in with her eccentric parents in a grey Kent coastal town after 18 years away, melded with intrigue and sadness over the reason for her absence – she was in prison. As we learn Miri's story, the show balances character comedy, wistful yearning and a good shot of inky darkness.



AN EASTER TREAT

5 **Moominvalley**

NowTV/Sky Box Sets

Tove Jansson's lovable creations, a favourite on ITV in the 1980s, are back to life in a brand-new animated series, looking utterly fantastic and backed by a ludicrously starry voice cast that includes Matt Berry, Bel Powley, Rosamund Pike, Jennifer Saunders, Kate Winslet and many more. It's likely to captivate viewers of all ages and, if that's you, the full series will be available on demand once Sky1 has premiered the opening episode on Good Friday.

FURRY FRIENDS

6 **Fraggle Rock**

Amazon Prime

"Dance your cares away, worries for another day..." Remember this? The mid-80s *Muppets* offshoot is among a load of old Jim Henson creations recently added to Amazon Prime, along with the likes of *Pajanimals* and the humans-plus-puppets anthology series *The Storyteller*, introduced by John Hurt and featuring a slightly hilarious number of future British stars in the cast and behind the camera.

ANOTHER CHANCE

7 **Churchill's Secret Agents**

Netflix

A clever variation on the reality genre in which members of the public apply to join an elite military unit: the selection process mirrors that of the one used to recruit agents who would be capable of surviving behind enemy lines during the Second World War. So as well as the participants exploring their mental and physical limitations, there's a history lesson with every task. First shown on BBC2 last year.

WHAT'S NEW ON iPLAYER, NETFLIX AND BEYOND



POLITICAL THRILLER

8 Chimerica

All 4 (C4)

A sprawling, murky thriller about an American photojournalist, famous for having snapped "Tank Man" during the 1989 uprising in Tiananmen Square. His career's on the slide, buffeted by the rise of Trump and the death of old-school reporting – but a tip-off about the mysterious figure who made world news 30 years ago might be a shot at redemption. It's a curious concoction with nuanced political points to make. *All eps available from 17 April*



WILL YOU SURVIVE?

9 You Vs Wild

Netflix

Following on from the groundbreaking *Black Mirror* one-off *Bandersnatch*, here's another less sophisticated but still diverting attempt at interactive TV. You're on a survival mission with Bear Grylls, making his decisions for him, with what happens next determined by the option you take. Gather the family and argue over the best way forward, then try again when it goes wrong: it's a bit silly but you can lose yourself in it for a good hour or two.



10 Home

FINE COMEDY
All 4 (C4)

It's been a golden year for TV comedy already – but don't overlook this quietly excellent sitcom about a Surrey family who take in a Syrian refugee by mistake. Sometimes overtly political but often subtly so, its pleas for tolerance come couched in finely drawn human complexities. Rebekah Staton and Youssef Kerkour star.

YOUR NEXT BINGE

In sport, the losers have the best stories

When it comes down to it, isn't failure so much more compelling as a subject than victory? Tales of sporting heroes who fought their way to the top are boring and overdone; it's far more interesting to turn the spotlight on the many people who have suffered the agony of defeat, which – let's face it – is all of us at some point in our lives. Failure sure is relatable.

And so Netflix's superb documentary series *Losers* tells eight half-hour stories of sport's so-called "losers", turning the camera on the people involved so they can tell their stories with the aid of interviews and archive footage and some brilliant animation.

You absolutely do not have to be a sports fan to appreciate the human drama of French golfer Jean van de Velde's catastrophic loss at the 1999 Open Championship, as he snatched defeat from the jaws of victory – the defining moment of his career



descending into farce as the whole world watched. Another episode introduces us to unhappy boxing world champion Michael Bentt, who came back from a knockout loss and a worrying brain injury by completely changing the direction of his life.

Even Torquay United gets its time in the limelight: we see the lower-league football team's tragicomic 1986/87 relegation battle play out, with the help of an overenthusiastic police dog.

Thankfully, *Losers* gives us no cheesy lessons about how "defeat makes you stronger" or any of that. It does not tell the viewer what "moral" they should take from each story. Instead, this gem of a documentary series is a quiet exploration of how we – as individuals and as a society – handle failure. Defiance, frustration, acceptance, determination, humour... they're all there.

ELEANOR BLEY GRIFFITHS

Netflix

DOCTOR DIGITAL

Escape from online subs



Sony, Microsoft and Nintendo are being investigated by the Competition and Markets Authority over "roll-over" contracts, which renew automatically. This raises the issue of how you escape from online subscriptions.

For any email newsletter or advert, you should find an "unsubscribe" button at the end (or next to the sender's address in Gmail), but things get more complex when money is involved. **Xbox Live** can be cancelled online (account.microsoft.com/services), **Playstation Network** is found under Account Management in the console's

settings, while **Nintendo Online** can be cancelled in the Switch eShop. All subscriptions bought through **iTunes** can be found by clicking your Apple ID at the top of your iOS settings; in the **Google Play Store**, click on Subscriptions. Check the usage log on an iPhone (Settings > Screen Time) to see which apps you rarely use and could economise on.

A standard trick is to offer a free trial in the hope you'll forget to cancel. Whenever Doc Dig receives a confirmation email at the start of a trial, he uses **Boomerang** (boomerang@gmail.com) to schedule it to float back to the top of his Gmail inbox just before the trial ends. Or do it the old-fashioned way: set a reminder on your smartphone. **JONATHAN HOLMES**



SATURDAY Choices

The pick of today's TV



PICK OF THE DAY **The Importance of Being Oscar** 9.00pm BBC2

DRAMA DOCUMENTARY One of many interesting sidelights in this account of Oscar Wilde's career is the tale of a fateful dinner in August 1889. An American magazine bigwig took Wilde and Arthur Conan Doyle for a meal at Langham's Hotel and commissioned Conan Doyle to write a second Sherlock Holmes story and Wilde to write his only novel, *The Picture of Dorian Gray*. Not a bad night's work for any publisher.

The feature-length drama-doc is generous with such details and anecdotes

— probably not new to serious Wilde buffs but with a gloss of insights from top contributors including Stephen Fry, Dominic Dromgoole and biographer Jerusha McCormack, the latter arguing that Wilde mounted "an extravagant Celtic campaign against Anglo-Saxon stupidity".

The meat of the programme is dramatised extracts from the plays. Some feel underpowered but some, like a scene from *A Woman of No Importance* with Claire Skinner and Ed Stoppard, are excellent. **DAVID BUTCHER**

Snooker: World Championship

1.15pm BBC1, 10.00am, 4.30pm BBC2, from 10.00am **Eurosport 1**

SPORT TV, red button, iPlayer, Eurosport: canny snooker followers can line the next two weeks with green baize action. BBC2 will be the main destination, with coverage led by Hazel Irvine from 10am until 6pm for most of the opening week. Fans can also watch uninterrupted live streams of both tables at Sheffield's Crucible on the BBC Sport website.

Last year's surprise winner Mark Williams will be one of the first to play this Saturday, with second seed and tournament favourite Ronnie O'Sullivan placed at the other end of the draw. **JAMES GILL**
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European Rugby Champions Cup

2.15pm **BT Sport 2**

Saracens v Munster Two two-time champions collide in the first of this weekend's Champions Cup rugby semi-finals (kick-off 3pm). Saracens reached their sixth European semi-final in seven years with a crushing 56–27 win over Glasgow.

Munster smothered Scottish rivals Edinburgh in the quarter-finals, but injury to their fly-half Joey Carbery in that game makes him unlikely to be fit this afternoon. The two sides last met at this stage in 2017, with Saracens emerging the victors on the way to their second European crown. Tomorrow, both BT Sport and Channel 4 will have live coverage of the other semi-final, Leinster v Toulouse (k/o 3.15pm). **JG**

Easter from King's

5.35pm BBC2

RELIGION Over the years the name of King's College, Cambridge, has become inextricably entwined with the celebration of Christmas. However, the 21st century has seen the inception and growth of a festival of services, concerts and talks for Holy Week.

The college's world-famous choir, under Stephen Cleobury, sing choral music including Lotti's *Crucifixus* and Handel's *Hallelujah* chorus. Mezzo Jennifer Johnston joins the choir for a glorious performance of the Easter Hymn from *Cavalleria Rusticana*.

The story of Jesus's death and resurrection is taken from the Gospel of Matthew and is reflected upon in poems by Ruth Etchells and ee cummings. **JANE RACKHAM**

Casualty

8.20pm BBC1

DRAMA What's the best way to tame a jack-the-lad TV doctor? Answer: have him become emotionally invested in the welfare of a sick youngster. The best example will always be George Clooney with the kid in the storm drain on *ER*, but Will's efforts to aid a dying teen tonight do have an emotional pull of their own. And by "emotional pull", I mean that I was sobbing into my journalist's notepad by the end.

OK, so Will doesn't attempt any alpha-male heroics, but it's all rather moving and actor Jack Nolan is shaping up to be a welcome addition to the cast. The only troubling aspect is that I've now reached the stage where I'm crying at *Casualty*. How has this happened? **DAVID BROWN**

WILDE ON SCREEN

■ As Nicholas Rowe takes on the role of Oscar Wilde (see left), he follows in the footsteps of Stephen Fry (right, with Jennifer Ehle) who starred in the eponymous 1997 film, and Michael Gambon, who portrayed the playwright in a 1985 BBC mini-series.
■ Wilde's work has been transferred from page to screen multiple times. *The Importance of Being Earnest* with Edith Evans was released in 1952, while Colin



Firth and Judi Dench appeared in a version directed by Oliver Parker in 2002. *An Ideal Husband* (1999) and *A Good Woman* (based on *Lady Windermere's Fan*, 2004) starred Cate Blanchett and Scarlett Johansson respectively, while 2009 saw Ben Barnes appear in the film *Dorian Gray*. ■ Last year it was reported that US TV network The CW was developing a version of *Dorian Gray*, described as "a comedic spin on the classic story". FRANCES TAYLOR

Follow the Money

9.00pm, 10.00pm BBC4

DRAMA The first episode of the Danish thriller series tonight is particularly strong, as the Copenhagen police squad closes in on Nicky and his henchmen. Alf treats his well-meaning colleague Stine appallingly, and his ploy to shake up the hash-smuggling gang goes hideously awry.

There's the rare sight of Anna being appreciated by her husband, but that doesn't last long, and once she's revealed her nefarious activities to the ghastly chump, she asks Nicky to get tough with him.

She also moves fast when there's an internal audit at her bank, which might just catch her out. But Anna's too calculating for that, surely?

PATRICK MULKERN

BACK ON TOP
Ant and Dec are your hosts



All Round to Mrs Brown's

9.10pm BBC1

CHAT SHOW Only one minute into this episode, host Brendan O'Carroll fluffs his lines, drops the f-word and has to start over. It proves to be something of an omen.

This week's guests are *EastEnders* actor Jake Wood and Olympic boxer Nicola Adams, neither of whom have much to say, and any hopes of Jake's mum injecting some laughter are quickly dashed. Quizzed on her son by Mrs Brown, she has little to contribute about him. So much so that Agnes flashes her a "Do you remember Jake? He's your son?" Credit to O'Carroll for his persistence.

There's a game cameo from Lorraine Kelly in a filmed skit, while Westlife provide the music, but it's an undeniably flabby episode. FT

The Jonathan Ross Show

9.20pm ITV

CHAT SHOW She was recently announced as the leader of an all-female presenting team on *Newsnight*, but tonight Emily Maitlis will be facing Ross's questions – let's hope none of the answers she supplies earn the same kind of weary eye-roll she recently gave Labour's Barry Gardiner.

Joining her will be Canadian model Winnie Harlow and Kiefer Sutherland, the latter currently taking a break from his duties as Commander in Chief on political thriller *Designated Survivor* (a third season is now on its way after the show was revived by Netflix) with a tour of the UK playing his acoustic country music. Maybe there will be some tips from fellow guest and *Voice UK* coach Olly Murs? DAVID BROWN

Britain's Got Talent

8.00pm ITV

ENTERTAINMENT As an example of how to kick off a variety series like this, *Britain's Got Talent's* series opener was a masterclass. As well as marking the on-screen reunion of Ant McPartlin and Declan Donnelly, it ticked all the boxes: a toe-curlingly dangerous act, a genuinely spine-chilling one, a cute one involving children that made David Walliams (and the rest of the country) tear up, a teenage knock-your-socks-off opera singer... the list went on.

Yes, it's cleverly edited, the juxtaposition of acts is very shrewd and it takes audience manipulation to extremes, but it took us through the range of emotions and then back again. No wonder more than eight million of us watched on the night.

There are never advance previews available but hopefully we'll get another golden buzzer act that's as deserving and heart-warming as that first one. JR

DISCOVER TV

The best of streaming and catch-up



Avicii: True Stories from 10am BBC3

An intimate profile of Tim Bergling, aka Avicii. Interviews and copious behind-the-scenes footage follow the Swede as he moves rapidly from bedroom musician to global chart-topper, DJing to vast audiences and collaborating with the likes of Nile Rodgers. It was made a year before Bergling's death, aged 28; that knowledge lends it a foreboding vibe, but the bittersweetness of intense fame is already there.

DISCOVER TV KIDS

Kubo and the Two Strings

12.30pm C4

A thoroughly mesmerising animated movie, mixing CGI and stop-motion puppetry to create a magical fantasy world based on ancient Japan.

BEST LIVE SPORT



■ **World Snooker, day one** 10am, 4.30pm BBC2/BBC red button; 1.15pm BBC1; 10am, 2.30pm, 6.30pm Euro1 Champion Mark Williams. Sport: p33; Choice, p52.

■ **Premier League: Man City v Tottenham** 11.30am (k/o 12.30pm) Sky Premier League/Main Event

■ **European Rugby Champions Cup semi-final: Saracens v Munster** 2.15pm (k/o 3pm) BT Sport 2 Choice, p52.

P FILM OF THE DAY

The Shallows

9.00pm C4

Blake Lively is literally out of her depth in this Mexico-set woman vs shark thriller.

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SATURDAY Main Channels

DAYTIME

BBC1

6.00am Breakfast Naga Munchetty, Charlie Stayt. (S) (HD)
10.00 Saturday Kitchen Live Matt Tebbutt is joined by chefs Tim Anderson and Olia Hercules, plus special guest Gareth Malone. (S) (HD)

11.30 Mary Berry's Quick Cooking 6/6. Mary looks at Heathrow's catering. Shown last Monday BBC2 (S) (AD) (HD)

12 noon Football Focus With Dan Walker. (S) (HD)

1.00pm BBC News Weather (S) (HD)

1.15-4.30 LIVE World Snooker The afternoon session on day one of the World Championship in Sheffield. Continues on BBC2. **See p52.** (S) (HD)

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1BBC RED BUTTON 2.30-5.30 Final Score

Jason Mohammad presents the latest football scores

BBC2

6.30am CBeebies Puss in Boots Featuring the Northern Ballet. First shown on CBeebies (S) (AD) (HD)

7.15 Wild and Weird First shown on CBBC (S) (HD)

7.30 Absolute Genius with Dick and Dom

The work of Alan Turing. First shown on CBBC (S) (HD)

8.00 Top Class First shown on CBBC (S) (HD)

8.30 The Dog Ate My Homework With Suzi Ruffell and Ben Shires. First shown on CBBC (S) (HD)

9.00 Deadly on a Mission: Pole to Pole A spider that's as big as a dinner plate. First shown on CBBC (S) (AD) (HD)

9.30 Nature's Microworlds Australia's outback. (R) (S)

10.00 LIVE World Snooker Day one of the World Championship. Coverage from a choice of tables on the red button and at bbc.co.uk/sport. Coverage also continues on BBC1 from 1.15pm. **See p52.** (S) (HD)

12 noon Homes under the Hammer Properties include a house in Burton-upon-Trent. (R) (S) (HD)

12.55pm Pilgrimage: the Road to Rome 3/3. The pilgrims meet Pope Francis. Shown yesterday (S) (AD) (HD)

1.55 Albert Finney: Talking Pictures A retrospective look at TV appearances by the actor. (R) (S) (HD)

2.25-4.30 Murder on the Orient Express ★★★★

Murder mystery based on the novel by Agatha Christie, starring Albert Finney and Lauren Bacall. Director Sidney Lumet (1974, PG) (S) (W) (HD)

ITV

6.00am CITV See page 59 **8.25 ITV News** (S) (HD)

8.30 New series. The Sara Cox Show Weekend chat show. First guests include Callum Woodhouse, Milo Parker, Chris Ramsey and John Newman. (S) (HD)

Sara Cox's view from the sofa: page 162

9.25 James Martin's Saturday Morning With guests Bananarama and chef Tony Tobin. (S) (HD)

11.35 John and Lisa's Weekend Kitchen One-pan spicy roast lamb and pear tarte tatin. Shown last Sun (S) (HD)

12.40pm ITV News Weather; Regional Weather (S) (HD)

12.55 Save Money: Lose Weight Lisa Riley's "honesty diet" is road-tested. Shown last Tuesday (S) (AD) (HD)

1.25-4.00 The Spy Who Loved Me ★★★★

James Bond adventure starring Roger Moore and Barbara Bach. Bond sets out to thwart an evil shipping magnate who is capturing nuclear submarines. Director Lewis Gilbert (1977, PG) (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

Moonraker is tomorrow 3.15pm

Channel 4

6.00am Everybody Loves Raymond (R) (S)

6.55 Frasier Three episodes of the sitcom. (R) (S)

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

9.30 New series. Women's Football World Goals from Europe's top leagues, presented by Clare Balding. (S)

10.00 Four in a Bed Visiting establishments in north Wales, Lincolnshire, Devon and Gloucestershire. (R) (S) (HD)

12.30pm Kubo and the Two Strings ★★★★

Animated fantasy with the voices of Charlize Theron, Matthew McConaughey and Art Parkinson. In ancient Japan, orphan Kubo joins forces with a monkey and a beetle to locate a magical suit of Samurai armour that will help him thwart an evil spirit. **Andrew Collins**

My Movies: page 35. Director Travis Knight (2016, PG) (S) (W) (HD)

2.30 A Place in the Sun: Winter Sun Louie Spence and his husband look for a property in Almería. (R) (S) (HD)

3.30-4.30 Sun, Sea and Brides to Be A missing

veil provides a challenge for planner Jo. (S) (HD)

BBC1

Casualty 8.20pm

Will jeopardises his own career prospects to help fulfill a dying patient's wish



4.30pm Final Score

Jason Mohammad presents the football results. (S) (HD)

5.30 Kung Fu Panda: Secrets of the Masters

Spin-off animation with the voices of Jack Black and Angelina Jolie. Po and the Furious Five uncover the legend of three kung fu heroes. First shown on CBBC (S) (HD)

5.50 Impossible Celebrities

5/6 Series 2. Former Pussycat Doll Kimberly Wyatt and Happy Mondays frontman Shaun Ryder are among the 18 famous faces hoping to avoid the impossible answers. Hosted by Rick Edwards. Executive producers Lynn Sutcliffe and Hugh Rycroft (S) (HD)

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

7.00 Catchpoint

4/6. Paddy McGuinness hosts the game show in which two teams of two compete to win a £10,000 jackpot by answering questions and catching balls. Director Richard Valentine; Executive producers Zoë Tait and Glenn Hugill (S) (HD)

7.30 Pointless Celebrities

In a 1980s edition, Bob Champion, Jo Durie, Samantha Fox, Duncan Norville, John Kettley, Lizzie Webb, Carol Decker of T'Pau and Dennis Seaton of Musical Youth aim for zero. With Alexander Armstrong. (S) (HD)

8.20 Casualty

RT Gem helps Rash stand up to his mother and follow his dream of travelling the world, while a seemingly cocky Will ends up missing his job interview with Connie to help a patient. **See p52.**

Will Noble	Jack Nolan	Robyn Miller	Amanda Henderson
Rashid Masum	Neet Mohan	Jan Jenning	Di Botcher
Archie Hudson	Genesis Lynea	Toby Williams	Harry Gilby
Connie Beauchamp	Amanda Mealing	Jackie Williams	Kirsty Bushell
Charlie Fairhead	Derek Thompson	Mina Bartram	Zora Bishop
Gem Dean	Rebecca Ryan	Madia Masum	Buckso Dhillon-Woolley
Lisa "Duffy" Duffin	Cathy Shipton	Shona Collins	Gabrielle Creevy
David Hide	Jason Durr	Judge Marcus Kingscote	Dewi Rhys Williams
Elle Gardner	Jaye Griffiths	Cassie Weare	Ellie Bindman
Dylan Keogh	William Beck	Gabriella Leon	
Jade Lovall			

Writers Avril E Russell and Mark Catley; Producer Ciara McIlvenny
Director Dafydd Palfrey (S) (AD) (HD)

9.10 All Round to Mrs Brown's

RT 5/6 Series 3. Joining Agnes for light-hearted chat are *EastEnders* Jake Wood – and his mum – and Olympic boxing champion Nicola Adams. Daytime TV queen Lorraine Kelly checks into Dermot and Buster's new hotel venture and Westlife take to the stage in Foley's. **See page 53.**

Director John L Spencer; Series producers Toby Brack and Fiona Gibney (S) (HD)

10.05 BBC News Weather (S) (HD)

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

10.25 Match of the Day

Highlights including Manchester City v Tottenham Hotspur and Wolverhampton Wanderers v Brighton & Hove Albion. With Gary Lineker. Rptd tomorrow 7.45am (S) (HD)

11.45 Britain's Youngest Football Boss

4/10. Jack tries to drum up support for the team ahead of a daunting clash with champions Chelsea. Director Alana McVerry; Executive producers Charlie Russell and Dov Freedman (S) (AD) (HD)

Available online at bbc.co.uk/bbcthree and iPlayer since January

12.05am Papadopoulos & Sons ★★★ Comedy drama

RT starring Stephen Dillane. After Greek entrepreneur Harry Papadopoulos is ruined in the banking crisis, he is forced to approach estranged brother Spiros, who has been running the family-owned chip shop in London. Director Marcus Markou (2012, 15) (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

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

1.55-6.00am BBC News (S) (HD)

BBC1 Freeview 1 Freesat 101 Sky 101 Virgin 101

HD Freeview 101 Freesat 106 Sky 115 Virgin 108

BBC2

The Importance of Being Oscar

9.00pm The story of the rise and fall of the Victorian iconoclast



4.30pm World Snooker

RT Further live coverage of the World Championship, as 2010 champion Neil Robertson continues his bid to reach the second round. **See page 52.**

Coverage from a choice of tables on the red button and at bbc.co.uk/sport continues until 11pm.

Director Steve Docherty; Exec producers Carl Hicks, Alison Witkover (S) (HD)

Sport: page 33

5.35 Easter from King's

RT Music and Gospel readings for Holy Week and Easter at the Chapel of King's College, Cambridge, with performances by the King's College Choir, directed by Stephen Cleobury. The story of Jesus's death and resurrection is taken from the Gospel of Matthew and is reflected upon in poems by Ruth Etchells and ee cummings. **See page 52.**

Director Pamela Hossick; Producer James Whitbourn (S) (HD)

6.50 Alice in Wonderland ★★

RT Fantasy adventure based on the books by Lewis Carroll. At a garden party to celebrate her engagement, the now teenage Alice spots a white rabbit and follows the creature down a hole that leads to a strangely familiar world. **Review page 37.**

Alice Kingsleigh	Mia Wasikowska	Red Queen	Helena Bonham Carter
Mad Hatter	Johnny Depp	Absolom, the Blue Caterpillar	
White Rabbit	Michael Sheen	(voice only)	Alan Rickman
White Queen	Anne Hathaway	Cheshire Cat	Stephen Fry

Director Tim Burton (2010, PG) (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

8.30 Dad's Army

Don't Forget the Diver. Corporal Jones disguises himself as a log and floats downstream to attack the Eastgate platoon's headquarters during manoeuvres. Director Harold Snod; Producer David Croft (R) (S)

Dad's Army at 50! book offer: see page 45

9.00 The Importance of Being Oscar

RT A portrait of the celebrated 19th-century Irish playwright and poet, from his glittering and sometimes controversial career, to his criminal conviction for homosexuality and death at the age of 46. A star-studded cast performs scenes from his work, including the play *The Importance of Being Earnest* and the novel *The Picture of Dorian Gray*, while enthusiast Stephen Fry and Oscar Wilde's grandson Merlin Holland discuss how the writer's life informed his work. **See page 52.**

Lady Bracknell	Anna Chancellor	Young Oscar/Vivian/Bunthorne/Jack Worthing/
Virginia/Hester Worsley/Cecily/Lady		Lord Windermere
Windermere	Anna Devlin	Ben Lloyd Hughes
Canterville Ghost/Basil Hallward		Salome/Mrs Allonby/Gwendolyn/Lady
Chiltern	James Fleet	Alice Orr-Ewing
Jokanna/Dorian Gray/Lord Goring	Freddie Fox	Herod/Cyril/Lord Illingworth/Algernon/Robert
Oscar Wilde	Nicholas Rowe	Chiltern/Darlington/Wotton
		Ed Stoppard

Director Richard Curson Smith; Exec producer Franny Moyle (S) (AD) (HD)

10.25 The Importance of Being Earnest

RT ★★★ Period comedy drama based on Oscar Wilde's play. Landowner Jack Worthing has invented a younger brother called "Ernest" so he can visit his friend Algernon and live the high life in London. Algernon, meanwhile, his curiosity roused by Jack's stories about his ward, Cecily, sets off for Shropshire as "Ernest" to meet the young lady. **Review page 37.**

Algernon "Algy" Moncrieff	Rupert Everett	Lady Bracknell
Jack Worthing/"Ernest"	Colin Firth	Dr Chasuble
Gwendolen Fairfax	Frances O'Connor	Miss Prism
Cecily Cardew	Reese Witherspoon	Lane

Director Oliver Parker (2002, U) (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

ITV

The Jonathan Ross Show
9.20pm Kiefer Sutherland talks about his career and new album

**4.00pm Tipping Point**

Game show presented by Ben Shephard, in which contestants answer questions to win turns on an arcade-style machine.
Director Richard van't Riet; Series producer Sara Doyle (R) (S) (HD)

5.00 The Chase

Bradley Walsh presents as four contestants work as a team to take on ruthless quiz genius the Chaser in pursuit of a cash prize. (R) (S) (HD)

6.00 ITV News Weather (S) (HD)**6.15 Regional News Weather** (S) (HD)**6.30 Ninja Warrior UK**

2/8. Competitors from across the UK test their strength, speed and courage in the obstacle course challenge. They're joined by weatherman Alex Beresford and former England rugby union international Maggie Alphonsi. Hosted by Ben Shephard, Rochelle Humes and Chris Kamara. Series director Paul Kirrage; Executive producers Michael Kelpie, Martin Scott and Simon Marsh (S) (AD) (HD)

7.30 In for a Penny

2/7. Stephen Mulhern arrives in Norwich, where he gives passers-by the opportunity to play for £1,000 in an offbeat game show that takes place in the street with the aid of portable props.

Series producer Oliver Herington; Executive producers Pete Ogden and Tim Dean Repeated tomorrow 2.45pm (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Britain's Got Talent

RT 3/14. Ant and Dec present and Simon Cowell, Amanda Holden, Alesha Dixon and David Walliams pass judgement as an assortment of acts display their talents, hoping to win the grand prize of £250,000 and the opportunity to appear at the Royal Variety Performance. All the judges, as well as Ant and Dec, have the option to send one contestant straight through to the live semi-finals as their Golden Buzzer act. *Britain's Got More Talent* follows on ITV2. **See page 53.**
Series producer Charlie Irwin; Executive producers Amelia Brown and Lee McNicholas Repeated tomorrow 12.30pm ITV and 3.20pm ITV2 (S) (HD)

9.20 The Jonathan Ross Show

RT 8/10. Joining Jonathan in the studio are *Designated Survivor* star Kiefer Sutherland, supermodel Winnie Harlow and *Newsnight* presenter Emily Maitlis. Chart-topper Olly Murs brings music to the mix. **See page 53.**
Series producer Tom Barrett; Executive producer Bea Ballard Repeated Thursday 11.10pm (S) (HD)

10.20 ITV News

Weather; **Regional Weather** (S) (HD)

10.35 The Fast and the Furious ★★★

■ Action thriller. When illegal street racer Dominic Toretto is suspected of being the mastermind behind a series of truck hijacks, undercover police officer Brian O'Conner is sent to infiltrate his gang. But O'Conner's judgement becomes clouded when he falls in love with Toretto's sister, Mia. **Review page 37.**

Brian Earl Spilner/ Officer Brian O'Conner Paul Walker Jesse Dominic Toretto Vin Diesel Leon Letty Michelle Rodriguez Sergeant Tanner Mia Toretto Jordana Brewster Vince Director Rob Cohen (2001, 15) (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

12.30am Jackpot247 Interactive gaming. (HD)
3.00 Keep It in the Family X Factor stars Alexandra Burke, Joe McElderry, Stacey Solomon, Rylan Clark-Neal, Ruth Lorenzo and Jedward take part. (R) (S) (HD)

3.50–6.00am Nightscreen Text information. (HD)

ITV Freeview 3 Freesat 103 Sky 103 Virgin 103 +1 F'view 33 F'sat 112 Sky 203 Virgin 114 **HD** F'view 103 F'sat 111 Sky 103 Virgin 113

Channel 4

The Shallows

9.00pm Can Nancy (Blake Lively) swim her way out of trouble when a shark attacks?

**4.30pm George Clarke's Old House, New Home**

3/4 Series 2. The architect meets a rather particular couple who've found their dream home – but don't like kitchens. Can he come up with a design for a kitchen that doesn't look like one? Series producer Tom Whitter; Executive producers Rebecca Mulraine and Tania Fallon (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

5.35 Kirstie and Phil's Love It or List It

3/8 Series 4. Catherine and Nigel are at odds over their 1970s bungalow in Larne, Antrim. Nigel is content with its rural location, while Catherine struggles with its remoteness. Luckily, Kirstie and Phil are on hand to solve the dilemma. Series producer Jonny Wharton Executive producers Andrew Jackson and Jo Scott (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

6.30 Channel 4 News Sport; Weather (S) (HD)**7.00 Mission Ignition**

4/4. A group of mates from an auto-parts store and a bunch of friends from the maritime industry rebuild two luxury legends, a Rolls Royce and a Daimler. Who will get to take their finished project home? Plus tips from Sam Collins on how to bag your own luxury vehicle. Producer Ed Hall; Executive producer Nathan Eastwood Rptd tomorrow 6pm 4seven and Monday 1.05am C4 (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Great Canal Journeys

6/6 Series 9. Timothy West and Prunella Scales explore one of the greatest achievements of British canal engineering, the 125-mile Rideau canal in Canada. As they travel along its winding course from Lake Ontario through the backwoods of Ontario to the capital Ottawa, they take in Fort Henry and a lakeside resort before navigating the famous Ottawa locks. Series director Mike Taylor; Executive producers Daniela Neumann and Mike Taylor (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 The Shallows ★★★

P Thriller. An emotional journey to her late mother's favourite beach turns into a nightmare for a young woman when she becomes stranded on a rocky outcrop after being attacked by a great white shark that isn't going to give up on its prey. **Film of the Day: page 37.**

Nancy Blake Lively Mom Janelle Bailey Father Brett Cullen Young Nancy Ava Dean Carlos Oscar Jaenada Young Mom Chelsea Moody Chloe Sedona Legge Seagull Sully "Steven" Seagull Director Jaume Collet-Serra (2016, 15) (S) (AD) (W) (HD) Also showing Thursday 9pm 4seven

10.40 Ted 2 ★★★

■ Comedy sequel. Ted challenges a court ruling that declares he is not allowed to father a baby with his partner Tami-Lynn. Offering a mixture of hindrance and help are Ted's buddy John and lawyer Samantha.

John Bennett Mark Wahlberg Patrick Meighan Morgan Freeman Sam J Jones Samantha Amanda Seyfried Guy Patrick Warburton Tami-Lynn Jessica Barth Rick Michael Dorn Donny Giovanni Ribisi Tom Jessup John Carroll Lynch Director Seth MacFarlane (2015, 15) (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

12.45am Dumb and Dumber To ★ Comedy sequel **■** starring Jim Carrey and Jeff Daniels. The dastardly duo hit the road to track down Harry's estranged daughter – and a kidney.

Directors Bobby Farrelly and Peter Farrelly (2014, 15) (S) (W) (HD)

2.30 Hollyoaks Omnibus. Juliet prepares to confess.

Cast Tue/Fri Repeated tomorrow 3.15am E4 (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)

4.40 All Star Driving School With Kimberly Wyatt, Francis Boulle and Claudia Fragapane. First shown on E4 (R) (S) (HD)

5.05–6.00am The £100k Drop Brothers from Rochdale and a couple from Caerphilly play. (R) (S) (HD)

Channel 4 Freeview 4 Freesat 104 Sky 104 Virgin 104

+1 F'view 13 F'sat 121 Sky 204 Virgin 142 **HD** F'view 103 Sky 138 Virgin 141

BBC4

Follow the Money

9.00pm Alf makes some snap decisions that have fatal consequences

**7.00pm All about The Good Life**

In 1975 a new sitcom burst onto our TV screens, introducing viewers to the self-sufficient world of Tom and Barbara Good, and their more materialistic but good-hearted neighbours Jerry and Margo Leadbetter. This documentary reveals all about the making of the show. Producer Alex Briscoe Executive producer Karen Steyn (R) (S)

8.00 Hotel Armadillo

The giant armadillo is so elusive that few have ever seen it wild in the Brazilian wetlands region known as the Pantanal. In this *Natural World* documentary, David Attenborough reveals how the burrows the armadillos dig create homes for hundreds of other animals. Until recently virtually nothing was known of this species, but Dr Arnaud Desbiez, the founder of the Giant Armadillo Project, has changed all that. Producer Justin Purfey; Executive producer Nigel Pope Repeated 2.30am (R) (S) (HD)

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9.00 Follow the Money

RT 5/10 Series 3. After a violent confrontation at home, Anna asks Nicky for help. Meanwhile, Alf starts monitoring Nicky's apartment.

10.00 6/10. Alf confronts Nicky and starts a series of raids in an attempt to find evidence against him and Marco. Danish +subtitles. **See p53.** (S) (HD)

Nicky Rasmussen Esben Smed
Alf Ryberg Thomas Hwan
Anna Berg Hansen Maria Rich
Stine Marijana Jankovic
Moller Esben Dalggaard Andersen
Bjorn Carsten Kressner
Jaewer Hadi Ka-Koush
Kim Storm Olaf Johannessen
Nete Mia Jexen
Lala Delfi Al-Jabouri

11.00 Top of the Pops 1987

Janice Long and Steve Wright present the hits from 20 August, featuring Wax, Five Star, Sherrick, Bon Jovi, Prince and Sheena Easton, the Smiths, the Pet Shop Boys and Dusty Springfield, Sinitta and Spagna. Shown yesterday (S)

11.30 Blackadder II

1/6 Series 2. Edmund takes in a young lad as his manservant.

12 midnight 2/6. Edmund is appointed lord high executioner.

12.30am 3/6. Blackadder decides to navigate the Cape of Good Hope.

1.00 4/6. Edmund receives a visit from the Bishop of Bath and Wells.

1.30 5/6. Lord Melchett challenges Edmund to a drinking contest.

2.00 6/6. Edmund and Melchett are embarrassingly kidnapped by a German master of disguise. (R) (S)

2.30–3.30am Hotel Armadillo

Shown 8pm (S) (HD)

BBC4 Freeview 9 Freesat 173 Sky 116 Virgin 107

HD Freeview 106 Freesat 107 Virgin 163

Regional variations

BBC1 SCOTLAND

4.30–5.30pm Sportscene Results: with David Currie

BBC SCOTLAND

As *BBC2* until:
6.50pm Grand Tours of Scotland
7.00 The Seven
7.15 Seven Days
8.00 Born to Be Wild: the team takes care of two white-tailed eagles
9.00 Scotland's Big Night Out: Iain Stirling explores the history of the Saturday night out
10.00 The Cry: the police investigation ramps up
11.00 Rip It Up Unwrapped
11.30–12 midnight Rewind 1990s

STV

12.30am *Tenable*
1.15–6.00 *Nightscreen*

BBC1 WALES

11.30am–12 noon Sam and Shauna's Big Cook Out: the duo celebrate Cardiff's Gujarati community

BBC2 WALES

6.50pm Coast: the history of Harlech Castle in Gwynedd
7.00 Mastermind: with subjects Henry VIII, novelist Christopher Isherwood, Britpop and the Royal Navy in the First World War
7.30 Great British Menu: the Scottish chefs cook their menus again
8.00–9.00 Gardeners' World: tips on getting lawns and plants into tip-top condition

BBC1 NORTHERN IRELAND

4.30–5.30pm Final Score: including at 5.00 Final Score from Northern Ireland

BBC2 NORTHERN IRELAND

2.25pm James May's Cars of the People
3.25–4.30 BBC Northern Ireland School Choir of the Year

UTV

12.30–3.00am *Nightscreen*

Channel 5 listings are overleaf

SATURDAY Freeview

Channel 5



Inside Windsor Castle: the Queen's Favourite Home 7.00pm

Freeview 5 Freesat 105 Sky 105 Virgin 105
HD Freeview 105 Freesat 105 Virgin 150
6.00am Milkshake! See page 59
10.05 Rise of the Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles A newsreader is transformed into a giant earthworm. (S) (HD)
10.15 Fame goes to Leo's head. (S) (HD)
10.30 Harry and the Hendersons ★★
 Comedy starring John Lithgow. While camping, the Henderson family collide with Bigfoot – and take him home. Director William Dear (1987, PG) (S) (W) (HD)
12.30pm Friends Series 4. Ross and Rachel decide to get back together.
1.00 Phoebe finds a stray cat.
1.30 Chandler has a fling with Rachel's boss.
2.00 Rachel and Monica face eviction. (S) (HD)
2.30 Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory ★★★ Fantasy based on the classic children's book by Roald Dahl, starring Gene Wilder. Charlie Bucket finds a golden ticket in a candy bar and wins a tour of Willy Wonka's factory. **Review p37.** Director Mel Stuart (1971, U) (S) (W) (HD)

4.35pm Inside Hotel Chocolat at Easter
 In the run up to Easter, a giant chocolate iguana is made to go on display in the company's flagship restaurant. (S) (HD)

6.05 The Yorkshire Vet at Easter
 The staff of Skeldale Veterinary Centre deal with a lamb born with five legs. Peter goes on a wild peacock chase. Directors/Producers David Terry, Laura Blair and Michael Massey (S) (AD) (HD)

6.55 5 News (S) (HD)

7.00 Inside Windsor Castle: the Queen's Favourite Home

2/2. Marking the centenary of the House of Windsor in 2017, this episode examines the history of the royal residence from 1952 to 2016. Directors/Producers Will Aspinall and Paul Nelson (Revised rpt) (S) (HD)

9.00 New. The Royal Family: Shame at the Palace

2/2. Documentary chronicling more of the monarchy's darkest moments, examining the scandals that damaged the royal family's reputation. (S) (HD)

10.30 A Royal Night Out ★★★
 Comedy drama. As the country celebrates VE Day, princesses Elizabeth and Margaret are allowed out of the palace to join the fun. **Review p37.**

Princess Elizabeth
 Princess Margaret
 Jack
 King George
 Queen Elizabeth
 Lieutenant Pryce
 Lieutenant Burridge
 Stan
 Director Julian Jarrold (2015, 12) (S) (W) (HD)

12.20am Cruising with Jane McDonald **2/4**
 Shown yesterday (S) (HD) **1.10** Home Shopping (S) (HD) **3.10** Wentworth Prison (S) (AD) (HD) **4.45** House Doctor (S) (SL) **5.10** Great Scientists (S) (SL) **5.35–6.00am** Wildlife SOS (S) (SL)

+1 Freeview 44 Freesat 128 Sky 205 Virgin 155

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BBC4 listings are overleaf

ITV2



The Lord of the Rings: The Return of the King 5.25pm Aragorn and Arwen

F'view 6 F'sat 113 Sky 118 Virgin 115 **HD** Virgin 176
6.00am Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records (S) (HD) **6.10** Emmerdale (S) (SL) (AD) (HD) **9.00** Coronation Street (S) (AD) (HD)
12 noon Britain's Got More Talent (S) (HD)
1.05pm In for a Penny (S) (AD) (HD) **1.35** Ninja Warrior UK (S) (AD) (HD) **2.40** You've Been Framed! Gold (S) **3.15 FILM** What a Girl Wants ★★ Comedy (S) (W) (HD)

5.25pm The Lord of the Rings: The Return of the King

The Oscar-winning final part of Peter Jackson's adaptation of JRR Tolkien's fantasy adventure. The hobbit Frodo continues his journey to destroy the ring before the evil Lord Sauron can seize it. He is accompanied deep into Mordor by Gollum, who has a darker motive for keeping the "precious" ring close.

Frodo Baggins
 Gandalf the White
 Arwen Undómiel
 Aragorn/Strider
 Sméagol/Gollum

Elijah Wood
 Ian McKellen
 Liv Tyler
 Viggo Mortensen
 Andy Serkis

(2003, 12) (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

DS Joe Ashworth
 DC Holly
 Billy Cartwright
 Aidan Carmichael

ITV3

Carry On Up the Khyber 3.40pm
 The comedy crew get in hot water

F'view 10 F'sat 115 Sky 119 Virgin 117 **HD** Virgin 177
6.00am On the Buses (S) (SL) **6.30 FILM** Carry On Cowboy ★★★ Comedy (S) (AD) (W) (HD) **8.25 FILM** Carry On Screaming ★★★★ Comedy (S) (AD) (W) (HD) **10.20 FILM** Carry On Follow That Camel ★★ Comedy (S) (AD)
12.10pm FILM Carry On – Don't Lose Your Head ★★★★ Comedy starring Sidney James (S) (AD) (W) **1.55 FILM** Carry On Up the Jungle ★★★ Comedy with Frankie Howerd (S) (AD)
3.40 FILM Carry On Up the Khyber ★★★★ Comedy with Sidney James (S) (AD) (W)

5.25pm Vera

4/4 Series 1. Little Lazarus. A woman is brutally attacked and murdered. Her son escapes and DI Vera Stanhope finds a kindred spirit in the boy. (S) (AD) (HD)

DCI Vera Stanhope
 Elijah Wood
 Ian McKellen
 Liv Tyler
 Viggo Mortensen
 Andy Serkis

Brenda Blethyn
 David Leon
 Liv Tyler
 Wunmi Mosaku
 Paul Ritter

7.30 Midsomer Murders

Schooled in Murder. A dairy worker is crushed to death by a giant round of cheese at the home of the world-famous Midsomer Blue. (S) (AD) (HD)

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9.15 New. Britain's Got More Talent

Stephen Mulhern hosts the companion show, going behind the scenes to uncover all the latest news and gossip.

Rpt tomorrow 1.45pm ITV and 4.35pm ITV2 (S) (HD)

Detective William Murdoch
 Dr Julia Ogden
 Constable George Crabtree
 Constable Henry Higgins
 Rebecca James

Neill Rea
 Fern Sutherland
 Pana Hema Taylor
 Nic Sampson
 Cristina Serban Ionda

10.20 Celebrity Juice

Actor Will Mellor, presenter Saira Khan, comedian Johnny Vegas and singer Bebe Rexha join in the fun on the Easter special, in which the team celebrates Will's birthday. Shown last Thursday (S) (HD)

Yannick Bisson
 Helene Joy
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11.05 Family Guy

Series 5. Quagmire loses his job as a pilot and has trouble finding employment. With the guest voice of Hugh Hefner. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.35 Lois helps Peter at work when he injures his hand in an accident. (S) (AD) (HD)

12.05am American Dad! (S) (AD) (HD)

1.05 CelebAbility (S) (HD) **1.50** Release the Hounds (S) (HD) **2.50** Home Shopping

5.50–6.00am Nightscreen (HD)

ITV2+1 Freeview 27 Freesat 114 Sky 218 Virgin 116

+1 F'view 34 (9pm–midnight) F'sat 116 Sky 219 Virgin 174

11.20 Vera

3/4 Series 4. The Deer Hunters

A poacher returns to the moors after a 15-year absence, and is then found dead from a gunshot wound. (S) (AD) (HD)

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More4

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24 Hours in A&E 9.00pm Epileptic David suffers uncontrollable seizures

F'view 14 F'sat 124 Sky 136 Virgin 147 **HD** Virgin 195

8.55am Food Unwrapped (S) (HD) **9.15** A Place in the Sun: Home or Away (S) (HD) **12.30pm** Location, Location, Location: a catch-up (S) (HD) **1.35** Devon and Cornwall (S) (AD) (HD) **2.40** Four in a Bed (S) (HD)

5.15pm Come Dine with Me

Hosts from the Nottingham and Derby area battle it out. (S) (HD)

8.00 Emergency Helicopter Medics

An elderly driver's car flips over, and a patient suffering a cardiac arrest is put under emergency anaesthetic. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 24 Hours in A&E

Registrar Dr Ling considers putting epileptic 23-year-old David into an induced coma when he makes his second visit in a fortnight. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 Kevin, who is 78, arrives at King's after suffering a cardiac arrest while exercising at the gym. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 999: What's Your Emergency?

This edition explores how the emergency services have to learn to cope when dealing with death on a daily basis. (S) (HD)

12 midnight New. Live PD: following police officers across America in real time (S)

3.00-3.40am Eight out of Ten Cats (S) (HD)

More4 +1 F'view 86 Freesat 125 Sky 236 Virgin 196

E4

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F'view 28 F'sat 122 Sky 135 Virgin 106 **HD** Virgin 145

6.00am Rude(ish) Tube Shorts **6.20** Rules of Engagement **8.00** **FILM** A Monster in Paris **9.45** Ice Age: the Great Egg-Scapade **10.05** Come Dine with Me: Made in Chelsea Special **11.10** Made in Chelsea

12.10pm Don't Tell the Bride **2.10** The Goldbergs (AD) **2.40** Schooled (AD) **3.10** Brooklyn Nine-Nine (AD) **3.40** Young Sheldon (AD) **5.10** The Big Bang Theory (AD)

6.05pm The Big Bang Theory **3/23** Series 3 Sheldon tries to modify Penny's behaviour.

6.35 4/23. Raj faces being sent back to India.

7.05 5/23. Wil Wheaton guest-stars.

7.35 10/24 Series 7 Sheldon is bothered by all the attention following his discovery.

8.00 24/24 Series 10. Sheldon's former admirer Dr Ramona Nowitzki resurfaces.

8.30 18/24 Series 12. Amy and Sheldon try to charm three Nobel laureates. (AD)

9.00 **FILM** A Good Day to Die Hard **★★**

Thriller with Bruce Willis. Review p45. (AD) (W)

10.55 Eight out of Ten Cats With guests Katherine Ryan, Johnny Vegas, Alex Brooker, Anna Richardson and Sophie Duker.

11.55 Gogglebox Double bill. (AD)

2.05am First Dates (AD) **3.55** Don't Tell the Bride **4.45-6.00am** Rules of Engagement

E4 +1 F'view 29 Freesat 123 Sky 235 Virgin 146

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F'view 47 F'sat 127 Sky 137 Virgin 143 **HD** F'view 110

9.05am Extreme Cake Makers **10.05** Escape to the Château: DIY (AD) **2.05pm** The Simpsons (AD) **3.05** **FILM** Teen Wolf **★★★** Comedy starring Michael J Fox **5.00**

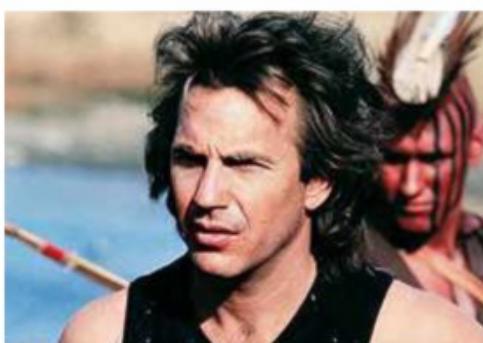
Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA: four editions **9.00** Gogglebox **Ep 8** Series 13 (AD) **10.00** First Dates **Ep 1** Series 12 (AD)

11.05 Let's Talk about Sex **3/3** Shown yesterday Channel 4 (AD) **12.10am** The Sex Robots Are Coming (AD) **1.15** Naked Beach (AD)

2.20 Mission Ignition (AD) **3.30** Four Rooms **4.25-4.55am** Joe Lycett's Got Your Back (AD)

Paramount Network

54



Dances with Wolves 5.25pm Lt John Dunbar experiences a culture shock

F'view 54 Sky 153 Virgin 188 **HD** Virgin 187

9.00am Lip Sync Battle: Walking Dead Special (S) (HD) **9.30** Home and Away: omnibus (HD) **11.50** Gilmore Girls (S)

1.40pm **FILM** Just like Heaven **★★★** Romantic comedy with Reese Witherspoon and Mark Ruffalo (S) **3.30** **FILM** Strictly Ballroom **★★★★** Romantic comedy drama starring Paul Mercurio and Tara Morice (HD)

5.25pm **Dances with Wolves** **★★★★**

7.00pm Oscar-winning epic western starring Kevin Costner. A Civil War hero befriends a Lakota Sioux Indian tribe and becomes drawn into their culture. Director Kevin Costner (1990, 15) (S) (HD)

9.00 Mean Girls **★★★**

7.00pm Comedy starring Lindsay Lohan. A teenager who has been educated at home is sent to an American high school for the first time, where she soon learns about the "survival of the fittest". Director Mark S Waters (2004, 12) (HD)

11.00 Marvel's Agent Carter

9/10 Series 2. Peggy comes up with a dangerous plan to save Dr Wilkes. (HD)

11.55 The X-Files

3/24 Series 4. Four black men are found with their skin drained of pigment. (S) (HD)

12.55am The X-Files: four more episodes (S) (HD) **4.30-6.00am** Gilmore Girls (S)

Pick

11

F'view 11 Freesat 144 Sky 152 Virgin 123

6.00am Nothing to Declare UK **9.00** 60-Minute Makeover **3.00pm** Big Cats: an Amazing Animal Family (HD) **5.00** The Chase Celebrity Special: four editions. With Christopher Bisson, Gareth Thomas, Naga Munchetty and Harry Judd **6.00** With Eric Bristow, Sammy Winward, Nadine Dorries and Ed Byrne **7.00** With Karen Barber, Dick Strawbridge, Catherine Tyldesley and Russell Kane **8.00** With Arlene Phillips, Diarmuid Gavin, Helen Skelton and Micky Flanagan **9.00** Queen – Live at Wembley: a 1986 concert featuring the band's classic hits **10.15** Freddie Mercury: the Great Pretender (HD)

12 midnight The Force: Essex (HD)

4.00-6.00am Highway Patrol (AD)

Pick +1 F'view 92 Freesat 145 Sky 252

True Entertainment

61

F'view 61 (not Wales) Freesat 142 Sky 179 Virgin 189

6.00am The Waltons **7.00** Little House on the Prairie **8.00** Murder, She Wrote **11.00** Born and Bred: back-to-back episodes **9.00pm** Line of Duty: double bill. Kate meets a woman who claims to have been assaulted by Michael, then new evidence casts further suspicion on Roz **11.30** Taggart: Burke investigates a copycat killing

1.00am Barbara Taylor Bradford's Remember

5.00-6.00am Touched by an Angel

True Entertainment +1 Freesat 152 Sky 279

Horror Channel

70

F'view 70 Freesat 138 Sky 317 Virgin 149

8.00am **FILM** Empire of the Sharks **★★** Sci-fi horror **9.50** Highlights **10.00** Sliders **3.00pm**

FILM Tremors II: Aftershocks **★★★** Comedy horror **4.55** **FILM** Tremors 3: Back to Perfection **★★** Horror comedy starring Michael Gross

7.00pm **FILM** Terrordactyl **★★** Sci-fi action comedy starring Bianca Haae and Jason Tobias

9.00 **FILM** The Woman in Black **★★★** Horror thriller starring Daniel Radcliffe **11.00** **FILM** Dog Soldiers **★★★** Horror starring Sean Pertwee

1.00am **FILM** The Sand **★★** Horror starring Brooke Butler **2.45-4.30am** **FILM** The Drowners **★★★** Horror starring Michelle Mylett

5 USA

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F'view 21 Freesat 129 Sky 141 Virgin 153

9.00am Access **9.10** CSI: NY

10.45 Murder, She Wrote: ten episodes

9.00pm Law & Order: Criminal Intent Series 8 A German radical becomes the chief suspect when Nichols and Eames look into the murder of a Wall Street executive (S)

10.00 Law & Order: Special Victims Unit: Series 12. Triple bill. A businessman is found tied up, stripped and branded

11.00 A woman's body is found at an industrial laundry **11.55** An FBI agent claims she has been raped while working under cover (S) (AD) **12.55am** Gone (S)

1.50 CSI: NY (S) **3.50-4.00am** Access

5 USA +1 F'view 57 (not 2-4am) F'sat 130 Sky 241 Virgin 185

5 Star

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F'view 30 Freesat 131 Sky 128 Virgin 151

8.00am Access **8.05** Two and a Half Men (S)

11.45 **FILM** Practical Magic **★★** Romantic black comedy with Sandra Bullock (S) (HD)

1.50pm **FILM** Alvin and the Chipmunks **★★**

Part-animated comedy adventure (S) (HD) **3.45** **FILM** Alvin and the Chipmunks: the Squeakquel **★★★** Part-animated comedy adventure (HD) **5.25** **FILM** Big Mommas: like Father, like Son **★★** Comedy (S) (HD)

7.35pm **FILM** Stargate **★★★** Sci-fi adventure starring Kurt Russell and James Spader (S) (HD) **10.00** Clink **1/10**. Drama starring Katherine Rose Morley. Women establish a sisterhood as they spend time together behind bars (S) **11.00** **FILM** Hall Pass **★★** Comedy starring Owen Wilson (HD)

1.10am Fresh Off the Boat: double bill

2.05-4.00am Wentworth Prison (S) (AD)

5 Star +1 F'view 56 Sky 228 Virgin 186

Sony Crime, PBS America, Smithsonian see over. Film4 and other Freeview movie channels: p60

Yesterday

19

F'view 19 Freesat 159 Sky 155 Virgin 129

6.00am Buried by the Blitz: a Time Team Special **7.10** Journey to Stonehenge: a Time Team Special **8.00** Planet Earth (S) (AD) (HD)

6.00pm Planet Earth: double bill. Woodlands around the world, then the varied species in the world's tropical rainforests (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** Guitar Heroes at the BBC: double bill. Performances by Alice Cooper and Black Sabbath, then the Who and ZZ

Top (S) **10.00** Impossible Engineering (S) (AD) (HD) **11.00** Private Lives (S) (HD)

12 midnight Trains That Changed the World: freight trains (S) (HD) **1.00am** Buried by the Blitz: a Time Team Special **2.00-3.00am** Journey to Stonehenge: a Time Team Special **Yesterday +1** Sky 255 Virgin 200

Really

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F'view 17 Freesat 160 Sky 142 Virgin 128

6.00am Helicopter Heroes (HD) **7.00** Home Shopping **8.00** Antiques Road Trip (HD)

6.00pm Celebrity Antiques Road Trip (HD) **7.00** DIY SOS (AD) **8.00** Helicopter ER: a biker is badly injured in a collision with a car (HD) **9.00** Louis Theroux: Dark States – Trafficking Sex: Louis explores the sex trade in Houston (AD) (HD) **10.00** Louis Theroux: Drinking to Oblivion (AD) (HD)

11.00 Inside the Mind of a Serial Killer

SATURDAY Satellite & cable



Freddie Mercury: the Tribute Concert 8.00pm 1992 show



Riviera 9.00pm Georgina makes a shocking discovery



Border Security: Australia's Front Line 5.00pm



Bad Teacher 9.00pm Elizabeth (Cameron Diaz) cleans up



Only Fools and Horses 6.20pm Diamond geezers

Sky 1

Sky 106 Virgin 110 **HD** Virgin 109

6.00am The Flash (HD) **7.00** Supergirl (HD) **8.00** Moominvalley (HD) **9.00** New. Night Zookeeper (HD) **9.15** New. SO Beano! (HD) **9.30** New. The Athena (HD) **10.00** New. Soccer AM (HD) **11.30** New. Premier League Football (HD) **12.30pm** The Simpsons (S) (HD) **1.30** **FILM** Thunderbirds ★★ Sci-fi adventure starring Bill Paxton (W) (HD) **3.15** New. Soccer Saturday (HD) **5.15** Big Cats: Wild Files (HD) **5.30** Moominvalley **3&4/13** (HD) See feature: page 30

6.30pm The Simpsons Principal Skinner is exposed as an imposter. **7.00** A carnival worker moves in with the Simpsons. **7.30** Bart fears that new neighbour Walt is really Sideshow Bob. (S) (HD)

8.00 Freddie Mercury: the Tribute Concert The 1992 concert at Wembley Stadium. (S)

10.00 Micky Flanagan: an' Another Fing Live The Cockney comic covers topics from the French and marriage to Saga holidays and his love of Mary Berry (S) (HD)

12 midnight Comedians Watching Football with Friends (HD) **12.30am** Hawaii Five-O (S) (HD) **1.30** NCIS: Los Angeles (S) (HD) **2.30** MacGyver (HD) **3.30** Road Wars (S) (HD) **4.30-6.00am** Motorway Patrol (S)

Sky 1 +1 Sky 206

Sky Arts

Sky 122 Virgin 122 **HD** Virgin 206

6.00am La Fille Mal Gardee (HD) **8.10** Off Camera with Sam Jones (S) (HD) **9.30** Tales of the Unexpected (S) **12 noon** Portrait Artist of the Year (S) (HD) **1.00pm** The Seventies (S) (AD) (HD)

6.00pm Classic Albums Elton John discusses the making of his album *Goodbye Yellow Brick Road*, and lyricist Bernie Taupin adds an insight into the writing of the songs. **7.00** The story behind the conception and recording of Queen's fourth album *A Night at the Opera*, which contained *Bohemian Rhapsody*.

8.00 The Who's 1971 album *Who's Next*, featuring archive footage of the group and interviews with Roger Daltrey and Pete Townshend.

9.00 Pink Floyd's 1973 album *The Dark Side of the Moon*, featuring interviews with band members.

10.00 The story behind the Sex Pistols' album *Never Mind the B*****s*, *Here's the Sex Pistols*.

11.00 Iron Maiden's Bruce Dickinson, Adrian Smith, Steve Harris, Dave Murray and Clive Burr reflect on their 1982 album *The Number of the Beast*. (HD)

12 midnight Johnny Cash at Folsom Prison (S) (HD) **1.00am** Johnny Cash: behind Prison Walls **2.00** Music Legends We Lost in 2018 (S) (HD) **3.00** The Agony and the Ecstasy (HD) **4.00** The Agony and the Ecstasy: the Afterparty Playlist (S) (AD) (HD) **5.30-6.00am** Video Killed the Radio Star (S) (AD) (HD)

Sky Atlantic

Sky 108

6.00am The Guest Wing (S) (AD) (HD) **7.00** Fish Town (S) (HD) **8.00** The British (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** CSI: Crime Scene Investigation (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Without a Trace (S) (HD) **6.00pm** David Attenborough's Galapagos **1/3**. The broadcaster explores the Pacific archipelago. **7.00 2/3**. The unique species that live in the isolated habitat. **8.00 3/3**. The veteran naturalist reveals the differences between the 19 islands. (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00 Riviera 1/10** Series 1 Crime drama set on the French Riviera, as the wife of a billionaire banker learns the shocking truth behind their opulent lifestyle when her husband is killed. (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00 2/10**. Georgina is informed that Constantine's dealings are under investigation by Interpol, while Irina makes a deal with a prominent figure in the Riviera underworld. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 Elvis Presley: the Searcher 1/2. A look at the singer's early life in Tupelo and his unprecedented rise to fame over a single year. (S) (HD) **1.10am** Last Week Tonight with John Oliver (HD) **1.45** The Wire (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00 CSI: Crime Scene Investigation** (S) (HD) **4.00-6.00am** Urban Secrets (S) (HD)

Sky Atlantic +1 Sky 208

Sky 2

Sky 151 Virgin 121

6.00am Animal 999 (S) (AD) **8.00** It's Me or the Dog **11.00** A Town Called Eureka: four episodes (S) **3.00pm** Stargate SG-1: triple bill (S) **6.00pm** Stargate SG-1 **21/22** Series 5. Jackson is exposed to a lethal dose of radiation after an accident involving weapons of mass destruction threatens thousands on an alien world. (S) **7.00 22/22**. The team is sent to rescue a scientist stranded on a moon, and Commander Thor – who was previously presumed dead – is taken prisoner. (S)

8.00 Road Wars Police officers use unmarked cars fitted with on-board video cameras, offering an insight into vehicle crime and how it can be prevented.

9.00 A criminal races through the grounds of a Milton Keynes hospital and a US patrol officer is stunned when a speeding driver claims he is blind.

10.00 The Force: North East A trail of blood puzzles officers, a man high on drink and drugs launches a tirade of abuse and a domestic fight leads to an arrest.

11.00 Police answer a flood of 999 calls, while officers raid a property they suspect is being used by men to exploit young girls. **12 midnight** There is a stand-off as officers try to talk down a man brandishing a samurai sword. (S)

1.00am Brit Cops: War on Crime (S) **4.00-6.00am** Animal House (S) (AD)

Sky Witness

Sky 107 Virgin 112 **HD** Virgin 111

6.00am The Real A&E (S) (HD) **7.00** Paramedics (HD) **8.00** Air Ambulance ER (S) (HD) **9.00** Highway Cops (S) (HD) **10.00** Highway Patrol (S) (AD) **11.00** Motorway Patrol (S) (AD) **12 noon** Brit Cops: Law & Disorder (S) (AD) **2.00pm** Brit Cops: Frontline Crime UK (S) **4.00** Brit Cops: Rapid Response (S) (AD) **5.00** Border Security: Australia's Front Line (S) (HD) **6.00pm** Border Security: Canada's Front Line Following the work of Canadian border-protection agencies. (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00 How I Caught the Killer** How CCTV was used to find a woman's killer in Nottingham. (S) (HD) **10.00 Britain's Most Evil Killers** A detective whose career was just starting out in the 1980s discusses Peter Sutcliffe, the notorious Yorkshire Ripper. (S) (HD) **11.00** The case of Joanna Dennehy, who murdered three men and attacked two others. (S) (HD) **12 midnight** Jeffrey Dahmer: the Milwaukee Cannibal (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00am** Tracie Andrews: Britain's Most Evil (S) (HD) **2.00** Mary Bell: Murders That Shocked (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Criminal Minds (S) (HD) **4.00** Brit Cops: Law & Disorder (S) (AD) **5.00-6.00am** Border Security: Canada's Front Line (S) (HD)

Sky Witness +1 Sky 207 Virgin 140

Syfy

Sky 114 Virgin 135 BT 319 **HD** Virgin 165 BT 375

6.00am Star Trek: Voyager **8.00** Home Shopping **11.00** Pinocchio **3.00pm** **FILM** DARYL ★★★ Sci-fi drama starring Mary Beth Hurt **5.00 FILM** Meet Dave ★★ Sci-fi comedy starring Eddie Murphy

6.50pm My Stepmother Is an Alien ★★ Sci-fi comedy starring Dan Aykroyd and Kim Basinger. When widowed scientist Steven Mills inadvertently makes contact with a far-off planet, the beautiful Celeste is sent to Earth to locate the man who could be the key to saving her alien civilisation.

9.00 Kung Pow: Enter the Fist ★★ Martial arts parody starring Steve Oedekerk. Kung fu prodigy "Chosen One" must avenge the murder of his parents by challenging the evil Master Pain to combat. But many obstacles stand in his way.

10.50 Pandorum ★ Sci-fi horror with Ben Foster and Dennis Quaid. Two astronauts wake up on a spaceship with no memories of how they got there. However, something else seems to be on the craft with them.

1.00am FILM The Hard Corps ★ Action thriller starring Jean-Claude Van Damme **3.10** Fact or Faked: Paranormal Files **4.10-6.00am** **FILM** Mega Storm: Days of Destruction ★★ Sci-fi thriller starring Jason London

Syfy +1 Sky 214 Virgin 136

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Sky 109 Virgin 125 BT 311 **HD** Virgin 211 BT 383

6.10am The Bill (S) **11.00** Inside the Ambulance (S) (HD) **6.00pm** Inside the Ambulance A teenager needs attention after suffering an asthma attack on the day of an exam. **7.00** A pensioner is involved in a domestic assault, and a driver is trapped in his car after an accident. **8.00** Paramedics help a woman who has had a violent seizure, and an elderly lady who had an encounter with some bees. (S) (HD) **9.00 Bad Teacher** ★★ Comedy starring Cameron Diaz, Justin Timberlake and Jason Segel. Elizabeth Halsey doesn't set the best example to her high-school students. But when Elizabeth realises that the prize on offer for the highest achieving teacher would pay for her to get breast implants, she decides to change her ways. (W) (HD) **10.55 Celebrity Advice Bureau** A group of celebrities work as agony aunts and uncles. (HD) **11.55 John Bishop in Conversation with...** With Alex Brooker. (S) (HD) **12.55am** Ordinary Lies (S) (AD) (HD) **1.50** Rent a Cop (HD) **2.20-3.00am** My Family (S) (AD)

W +1 Sky 209 Virgin 190

TLC

Sky 140 Virgin 167 BT 323 **HD** Virgin 168 BT 377

6.00am Say Yes to the Dress: Bridesmaids (HD) **8.00** Say Yes to the Address (HD) **8.30** Say Yes to the Dress (HD) **3.00pm** My Lottery Dream Home (HD) **5.00** Curvy Brides Boutique (HD) **7.00pm** Say Yes to the Dress: Lancashire (HD) **8.00** Little People, Big World (HD) **9.00** My 600lb Life (AD) (HD) **10.00** My 150lbs Tumour: Body Bizarre (HD) **11.00** Conjoined Twins Special: Body Bizarre (HD) **12 midnight** Little People, Big World (HD) **1.00am** My 600lb Life (AD) (HD) **2.00** My 150lbs Tumour: Body Bizarre (HD) **3.00** Say Yes to the Dress: Bridesmaids (HD) **4.00-6.00am** Say Yes to the Dress (HD)

TLC +1 Sky 240 Virgin 169

Lifetime

Sky 164 Virgin 208 BT 329 **HD** Virgin 209 BT 384

7.00am Judge Judy (HD) **12 noon** Dance Mums with Jennifer Ellison (HD) **6.00pm** The Real Housewives of New Jersey: the women lick their wounds after the tumultuous Vermont trip (HD) **7.00** Flipping San Diego: chief Denney and Chris Bedgood try to turn a profit from a hillside ranch (HD) **8.00** Zombie House Flipping (HD) **9.00** My Haunted House: double bill. A birthday-party clown who took up residence in a family's home, then a supposedly possessed house in Hanover, Pennsylvania (HD) **11.00** My Ghost Story: Caught on Camera (HD) **12 midnight-4.00am** Hardcore Pawn: eight back-to-back editions (HD)

Gold

Sky 110 BT 310 **HD** Virgin 124

7.30am Lucky Feller **8.00** Hi-de-Hi! (S) **9.20** Open All Hours **10.00** Last of the Summer Wine (S) **11.40** Blackadder II (S) (AD) **1.40pm** Only Fools and Horses (AD) **4.20** Blackadder II (S) (AD) **6.20pm** Only Fools and Horses The Trotters journey to Holland to dabble in the diamond import business – with old foe Inspector Slater hot on their trail. **8.20** The first episode of the comedy, in which Rodney tires of being dogsbody to his wheeler-dealing brother Derek and decides to move out. **9.00** Del takes up cards in his latest bid to make a fortune – much to the annoyance of Rodney and Grandad, who fear he will gamble away everything they have. **9.40** Rodney starts going out with a policewoman, much to the consternation of Derek, who is terrified that one wrong word could see him banged up. **10.20** Del tries to sell two antique urns – but one of them contains the ashes of Trigger's late grandfather. **11.00** As 6.20pm (S) (AD) **1.00am** The Young Ones' 20 Greatest Moments (S) (HD) **2.00-4.00am** 30 Years of Comic Strip: celebration of the team (S) (HD) **Gold +1 Sky 210 Virgin 194**

Comedy Central

Sky 112 Virgin 132 BT 307 **HD** Virgin 181 BT 370

8.00am Blockbusters (S) (HD) **9.00** Friends (S) (AD) (HD) **12 noon** **FILM** Chalet Girl ★★★ Romantic comedy with Felicity Jones (HD) **2.00pm** Two Guys, a Girl and a Pizza Place (HD) **3.00** Blockbusters (HD) **3.30** Friends (S) (AD) (HD) **7.00pm** **FILM** Evan Almighty ★★★ Comedy fantasy sequel starring Steve Carell (HD) **9.00** **FILM** The Expendables 3 ★★★ Action adventure starring Sylvester Stallone and Mel Gibson (HD) **11.30** The Roast of Bruce Willis (S) (HD) **1.25am** Ridiculousness (S) (HD) **2.25** Jackass (S) **3.20** Impractical Jokers (S) (HD) **4.05-5.00am** Blockbusters (S) (HD)

Comedy Central +1 Sky 212 Virgin 133

Sony Crime

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7.00am CSI: Crime Scene Investigation **6.00pm** CSI: Crime Scene Investigation: triple bill. Finn goes missing after stabbing a man who attempted to rape her **7.00** The body of a woman is found on the road just outside the airport **8.00** The team investigates an attempt on the life of a journalist who was working on a piece about a domestic intelligence-gathering operation **9.00** The Secret Tapes of the OJ Case: the Untold Story: the events surrounding the criminal trial in 1995 **11.00-4.00am** Fear Thy Neighbour: five editions **Sony Crime +1** F'view 60 (9pm-6am) **Sky 257**





Coroner 9.00pm Jenny hosts a chaotic Thanksgiving dinner

Universal TV

Sky 113 Virgin 137 BT 320 **HD** Virgin 164 BT 385

8.00am CSI: Miami **1.00pm** NCIS

6.00pm NCIS 12/24 Series 9

The death of a navy commander brings the team back into contact with NCIS agent and Tony's ex-lover EJ Barrett, who is on the run from a member of Phantom Eight.

7.00 13/24. A navy lieutenant commander is found murdered in an apartment, and Abby links her to a man suspected of selling government secrets to a Middle Eastern terrorist group.

8.00 14/24. Gibbs finds himself staring down the barrel of a gun while he is at his favourite diner, forcing him to question choices he has made in the past and present.

9.00 Coroners 5/8. Jenny's work and personal lives collide when she hosts a Thanksgiving dinner and the plumbing breaks down.

10.00 6/8. As Jenny conducts her first inquest into a police shooting, McAvoy is forced to ask some tough questions.

11.00 Law & Order: Special Victims Unit 23/24 Series 11

A rookie cop apprehends and attacks a suspected rapist.

12 midnight Law & Order: Special Victims Unit: triple bill

3.00–5.00am Numb3rs

Universal TV +1 Sky 213 Virgin 138

PBS America **91**

F'view (HD only) 91 F'sat 155 Sky 174 Virgin 276

8.00am How Mad Was King George? **9.10** King Alfred and the Anglo-Saxons **1.00pm** The Secrets of the Mary Rose **2.10** Nelson in His Own Words **3.20** Trafalgar's Unsung Heroes

4.30pm King Alfred and the Anglo-Saxons Michael Wood tells the story of King Alfred the Great. **5.50** The role of Alfred the Great's daughter Aethelflaed, the ruler of Mercia, in England's battles.

7.10 Aethelstan's importance in creating a kingdom of all England.

8.30 How Mad Was King George? Exploring the life of George III, declared mad by contemporaries and historians, although his erratic behaviour may have been caused by a painful metabolic condition.

9.35 The Secrets of the Mary Rose Timewatch reveals the story behind Henry VIII's favourite warship, which sank during an engagement with the French in 1545 and lay on the seabed for 437 years.

10.40 Nelson in His Own Words Drama documentary based on Horatio Nelson's personal correspondence, revealing a complex man whose passionate affair with Emma Hamilton changed his life for ever.

11.50 Trafalgar's Unsung Heroes The stories of the men who fought in the Battle of Trafalgar in 1805.

12.55–2.00am How Mad Was King George? As 8.30pm



Death in Paradise 12 noon Florence helps Humphrey

Alibi

Sky 132 Virgin 126 BT 312 **HD** Virgin 226 BT 382

7.10am Father Brown (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 Shakespeare and Hathaway: Private Investigators (HD) **12 noon** Death in Paradise (S) (AD) (HD)

5.20pm Death in Paradise 5/8 Series 6. A man is murdered out at sea – and as the investigation deepens, Humphrey and his team are required to take their inquiry all the way to London.

6.40 6/8. The discovery of a second body in London leaves the detectives with two murders to solve. Humphrey receives personal advice from an unexpected source.

8.00 7/8. The team, headed up by new detective inspector Jack Mooney (Ardal O'Hanlon), reopens a seven-year-old murder when a tourist provides an alibi for the woman convicted of the crime.

9.20 8/8. Jack Mooney and the team are puzzled when one of the candidates in the local mayoral elections is stabbed to death in the polling booth.

10.40 1/8. A scientist is found dead, seemingly from a heart attack, halfway up a live volcano he was studying, but Humphrey suspects he was murdered. (S) (AD) (HD)

12 midnight–4.00am Death in Paradise (S) (AD) (HD)

Alibi +1 Sky 232 Virgin 191



NCIS: New Orleans 7.00pm A clinical trial is jeopardised

Fox

Sky 124 Virgin 157 **HD** Virgin 199

8.00am Monk (HD) **9.00** Bones (HD) **10.00** NCIS (S) (AD) (HD) **11.00** NCIS: New Orleans (S) (AD) (HD)

12 noon The Mentalist (HD) **1.00pm** Bones (HD) **2.00** NCIS (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** The Mentalist (HD) **4.00** Bones (HD) **5.00** NCIS (S) (AD) (HD)

6.00pm The Mentalist **17/24**

Series 3. Hospital staff are accused of malpractice after a doctor is killed. (HD)

7.00 NCIS: New Orleans 7/24

Series 4. The officers are called in to investigate after a clinical trial of brain implants is hacked. (HD)

8.00 8/24. Wade's son asks

Pride for help after being attacked and discovering his girlfriend is missing. (HD)

9.00 Lucifer 2/26 Series 3 Chloe grows frustrated with Lucifer's Sinnerman search. (HD)

10.00 The Orville Series 2. Mercer discovers that Moclans aboard the ship are harbouring a secret. (HD)

11.00 American Dad! Series 15

Steve gets competitive during events at Possum Lake. (HD)

11.30 Series 13. Roger and Klaus have a secret affair. (HD)

12 midnight Family Guy (HD) **1.00am**

American Dad! (HD) **2.00** Family Guy **4.00–5.00am** Monk (HD)

Fox +1 Sky 224 Virgin 158



Expedition Unknown 8.00pm Josh Gates travels the world

Discovery

Sky 125 Virgin 250 BT 322 **HD** Virgin 251 BT 376

6.00am Supertruckers (HD)

7.00 Mighty Ships (HD) **8.00**

Supertruckers (HD) **4.00pm**

Outback Truckers (HD)

6.00pm Robson Green: Extreme Fisherman

The actor goes after a speedy underwater creature in the South Pacific. (HD)

7.00 Naked and Afraid XL

Lack of food remains a problem, despite the success of Lacey's night-fishing plan. (HD)

8.00 Expedition Unknown Josh

Gates investigates unsolved stories across the globe. (HD)

9.00 Gold Rush: Parker's Trail

Parker and his crew help a local family mine in the highlands. (HD)

10.00 HMS Ark Royal The crew of HMS Ark Royal calls in a massive naval tanker to help refuel the vessel. (AD) (HD)

11.00 World War II: Witness to War The German U-Boat push into British waters. (HD)

12 midnight Chasing Classic Cars (AD) (HD) **1.00am**

Supertruckers (HD) **2.00** Combat Dealers (AD)

(HD) **3.00** World War II: Witness to War (HD) **3.50** HMS Ark Royal (AD) (HD) **4.40** Gold Rush (HD)

5.30–6.00am How It's Made (HD)

Discovery +1 Sky 225 Virgin 252

CHILDREN'S

Milkshake! on C5

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6.00am Peppa Pig **6.20** Ben and Holly **6.35** The Day Henry Met **6.40**

Bob the Builder **6.50** Olly the Little White Van **6.55** Fireman Sam **7.10**

Thomas & Friends **7.20** Noddy: Toyland Detective **7.40** Digby Dragon: Grizel falls into a trap **7.55** Peppa Pig

8.10 Ben and Holly **8.25** Paw Patrol

8.45 Nella the Princess Knight

8.55 Wissper **9.00** Pirata & Capitano

9.20 Floogals **9.35** Paw Patrol

9.50–10.05am Shane the Chef

CBeebies **202**

Freeview 202 Freesat 608 Sky 614 Virgin 702

6.00am Show Me Show Me **6.20**

Twirlywoos **6.35** Teletubbies **6.50** Raa Raa the Noisy Lion **7.00** Postman Pat: SDS **7.15** Bing **7.30** Hey Duggee **7.45**

Peter Rabbit **8.00** Go Jetters **8.10**

Octonauts **8.25** Bitz & Bob **8.35** The

Furchester Hotel **8.45** Biggleton

9.00 Something Special: We're All

Friends **9.20** Peter Rabbit Special

9.45 Octonauts Special **10.05** Go Jetters **10.20** YolanDa's Band Jam

10.35 Justin's House **11.00** Andy's

Safari Adventures **11.15** Catie's

Amazing Machines **11.30** Waffle the

Wonder Dog **11.40** Topsy and Tim

12 noon My World Kitchen **12.15pm**

Old Jack's Boat **12.30** Melody **12.40**

Down on the Farm **1.00** Where in the

World? **1.15** My Story **1.30** My Pet and

Me **1.45** Footy Pups **2.00** Something

Special: We're All Friends **2.20** Andy's

Safari Adventures **2.35** Junk Rescue

2.50 Catie's Amazing Machines **3.05**

Bitz & Bob **3.15** Tree Fu Tom **3.40** Go

Jetters **3.55** Peter Rabbit **4.05** Waffle

the Wonder Dog **4.20** My First **4.30**

Magic Hands **4.40** Treasure Champs

4.55 Our Family Fun **5.00** Gigglebiz

5.15 Molly and Mack **5.30** Katie Morag

5.45 Sarah & Duck **5.50** Charlie and

Lola **6.00** Tee and Mo **6.10** Clangers

6.20 In the Night Garden...; Tee and

Mo Song Time **6.50–7.00pm**

CBeebies Bedtime Stories

CBBC **201**

Freeview 201 Freesat 607 Sky 613 Virgin 701

7.00am Arthur **7.15** Dennis & Gnasher

Unleashed! **7.25** Danger Mouse **7.35**

Kung Fu Panda: Secrets of

SATURDAY Films & Sport

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The ship takes shape

Star Trek into Darkness ★★★★

9.00pm Film4 FREEVIEW

For the second *Trek* in the rebooted series, director JJ Abrams wanted to make the *Enterprise* more of a character in its own right. So instead of having the Med Bay, the Bridge and other locations shot on different stages, they were created on one large set. Previously, no one had been able to walk from one end of the ship to the other, but production designer Scott Chambliss made that a reality. "On this film, we really had the full playground," said Captain Kirk himself, Chris Pine. "The detail was just mind-boggling." **JAMIE HEALY**



Amazon goes ape!

Kong: Skull Island ★★★★ Amazon Prime

Hollywood's iconic primate arrives on Prime this weekend in this recent monster hit. Samuel L Jackson plays the army colonel whose last mission before leaving Vietnam is to ferry a party of civilians (including scientist John Goodman, photojournalist Brie Larson and tracker Tom Hiddleston) to the mystical island that is home to not only Kong but also sundry other beasties. Naturally, events don't follow the visitors' plans, and they soon find themselves on a white-knuckle ride filled with peril. **TERRY STAUNTON**

Young upstarts take over

Teen Titans Go! To the Movies ★★★

6.20pm Sky Premiere

DC Comics' adolescent crime-fighters make the leap from TV to film in this gag-packed parody that pokes fun at other, more established cinematic superheroes. While not as sharp a satire as *Lego Batman Movie*, the jokes, slapstick and spoofing come thick and fast. **TES**



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FREEVIEW

Film4 15

F'view 15 F'sat 300 Sky 313 Virgin 428 **HD** Virgin 429
11.00am Ice Age ★★★ Witty prehistoric adventure. Ray Romano, John Leguizamo (2002, U) (S)
12.40pm Back to the Future Part III ★★★★ Spectacular conclusion to the time-hopping sci-fi caper. Michael J Fox (1990, PG) (S)

3.00 Kung Fu Panda 2 ★★★ Gorgeous-looking comedy sequel. Jack Black (2011, PG) (S)

4.50pm Home Alone 2: Lost in New York ★★★ Enjoyably slapstick comedy sequel. Macaulay Culkin, Joe Pesci (1992, PG)

7.10 Men in Black ★★★★ Tommy Lee Jones recruits New York cop Will Smith into a top-secret outfit responsible for regulating alien activity on Earth in this spectacular sci-fi comedy. (1997, PG) (S) (AD)

9.00 Star Trek into Darkness ★★★★ A rogue Starfleet officer is pursued in this epic sci-fi sequel. **Choice, left.** Chris Pine, Zachary Quinto, Benedict Cumberbatch (2013, 12) (S) (AD)

11.35 Bone Tomahawk ★★★★ A grim but gripping prairie tale. Kurt Russell (2015, 18) (S)

2.10-4.00am The Greasy Strangler ★★★ Enjoyable bad-taste slasherama. Michael St Michaels, Elizabeth De Razzo (2016, 18) (S) (AD)

Film4 +1 F'view 45 (HD only) F'sat 301 Sky 314 Virgin 430

Sony Movie Channel 32

Freeview 32 Freesat 302 Sky 321 Virgin 425

9.00am City Slickers ★★★ Comedy western. Billy Crystal (1991, 15) **11.15 Legends of the Fall** ★★★★ Epic drama. Brad Pitt (1994, 15)

1.45pm Silverado ★★★★ Western. Kevin Kline, Scott Glenn (1985, PG) **4.25 First Knight** ★★★ Enjoyable adventure. Sean Connery, Richard Gere (1995, PG)

7.05pm Reign of Fire ★★ Fantasy. Christian Bale, Matthew McConaughey, Izabella Scorupco (2001, 12)

9.00 The Fighter ★★★★ Uplifting boxing underdog story. Mark Wahlberg, Christian Bale (2010, 15)

11.20 Alpha Dog ★★★ Compelling crime drama. Emile Hirsch, Justin Timberlake, Ben Foster (2006, 15)

1.40am Legion ★★★ Entertaining fantasy horror. Paul Bettany (2010, 15) **3.35-5.50am Jackie Chan's Who Am I?** ★★★★ Martial arts action comedy. Jackie Chan (1998, 12)

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Freeview 48 Freesat 305 Sky 323 Virgin 426

6.00am Subzero ★ Adventure. Costas Mandylor (2005) **7.50 The Elite** ★★ Action thriller. Jürgen Prochnow (2000) **9.45 A Place in Hell** ★★ Drama. Guy Madison (1969) **11.40 Eight Iron Men** ★★ Drama. Bonar Colleano (1952) **1.25pm Counterfeit Commandos** ★★★ Action adventure. Bo Svenson (1978, 15) **3.10 Atlantic Convoy** ★ Drama. Bruce Bennett (1942, U) **4.40 Mosquito Squadron** ★★ Adventure. David McCallum (1968, PG)

6.30pm Triple Cross ★★ Unexceptional biographical drama. Christopher Plummer (1966, PG)

9.00 Battle of the Bulge ★★ Low-budget drama. Stephen Luke, Tom Berenger, Mikeal Burgin (2017, 15)

10.35 To End All Wars ★★ Authentic drama. Robert Carlyle, Kiefer Sutherland (2001, 15)

12.55am Phantom ★★ Thriller. Ed Harris (2013, 15)

2.55-4.00am Future Combat Aircraft

Movies4Men +1 Sky 324 F'view 50 (10pm-5am)

Talking Pictures TV 81

Freeview 81 Freesat 306 Sky 328 Virgin 445

6.00am Ambush in Leopard Street ★★ Crime drama. James Kenney (1962, PG) (S) **7.15 The Final Test** ★★★ Comedy. Jack Warner (1953, U)

9.05 Jazz Boat ★★★ Musical. Anthony Newley (1960) **11.05 Smokescreen** ★★★ Thriller. Peter Vaughan (1964, PG) (S) **12.40pm Terminus** **1.15 Kipp's**

★★★ Comedy. Michael Redgrave (1941, U) (S) **3.00 Tomorrow at Ten** ★★★ Crime drama. John Gregson (1962, PG) **4.40 The Smallest Show on Earth** ★★★★ Comedy. Virginia McKenna (1957, U)

6.20pm North West Frontier ★★★ Cracking adventure. Kenneth More (1959, U)

9.00 The Boys from Brazil ★★★ Smart thriller. Review, p37. Gregory Peck (1978, 18) (S)

11.35 Pandora and the Flying Dutchman ★★★★ Romantic fantasy. James Mason (1950, PG) (S)

2.05am Blonde Fist ★ Comedy drama. Margi Clarke (1991, 15) **4.10 Death Drums along the River** ★★ Mystery. Richard Todd (1963, PG)

5.50-6.00am Our Turning Earth

Premiere

Sky 301 Virgin 431 BT 501 **HD** Virgin 401

6.00am Samson As 2.20pm **8.00 Shazam!** Special **8.30** As 4.20pm

10.30 As 6.20pm **12.10pm** As 8pm

2.20 Samson ★★ Action drama. Taylor James (2018, 15) **4.15 Christopher Robin** ★★ Part-animated adventure. Ewan McGregor, Hayley Atwell (2018, PG) **6.05 Mary Poppins Returns** Special

6.20pm Teen Titans Go! To the Movies ★★★ Gag-packed superhero parody. **Choice, left.** Scott Menville, Hynden Walch, Khary Payton (2018, PG)

8.00 Ant-Man and the Wasp ★★★★ Rip-roaring Marvel adventure. Paul Rudd, Evangeline Lilly (2018, 12)

10.00 Super Troopers 2 ★★ Cop comedy. Jay Chandrasekhar (2018, 15)

11.45 Incident in a Ghostland ★★★ Stylishly made horror. Crystal Reed, Mylène Farmer, Anastasia Phillips (2018, 18)

1.35am Serpent ★★★ Thriller. Sarah Dumont, Tom Ainsley, Skye Russel (2017, 12)

3.20 Blame ★★★ Drama. Quinn Shephard (2017, 15) **5.15 The Top Ten Show** **5.30 Final Score** Special

Premiere +1 Sky 312 Virgin 402

Superhero

Sky 303 Virgin 434 BT 508 **HD** Virgin 404

6.30am Turbo: a Power Rangers Adventure ★ Sci-fi adventure. Nakia Burrise, Jason David Frank (1997, PG) **8.20 The Top Ten Show** **8.40** As 5.50pm

10.50 As 8pm **1.20pm** As 10.25pm

3.35 Constantine ★★★ Visually arresting supernatural action fantasy. Keanu Reeves, Rachel Weisz (2005, 15)

5.50pm Ant-Man and the Wasp ★★★★ Rip-roaring, fast-paced and funny Marvel adventure. Paul Rudd, Evangeline Lilly, Michael Douglas (2018, 12)

8.00 Man of Steel ★★★ Henry Cavill impresses as Superman in this action-packed fantasy. Amy Adams, Russell Crowe, Michael Shannon (2013, 12)

10.25 Thor Ragnarok ★★★★ This third solo adventure for the thunder god is an entertaining romp. Chris Hemsworth, Tom Hiddleston (2017, 12)

12.40am 300 ★★★★ Historical action adventure. Gerard Butler, Lena Headey, David Wenham (2006, 15) **2.45 Son of Batman** **4.10 Turbo: a Power Rangers Adventure** As 6.30am

6.25am The Apartment ★★★★ Comedy drama. Jack Lemmon (1960, PG)

8.35 Top Ten Show **8.55 My Best Friend's Wedding** ★★★★ Comedy. Julia Roberts (1997, 12) **10.45 Airplane!**

★★★★ Disaster movie spoof. Robert Hays (1980, PG) **12.25pm** As 8pm

2.10 As 9.45pm **4.00** As 11.35pm

Comedy

Sky 307 Virgin 438 BT 506 **HD** Virgin 408

6.25am The Apartment ★★★★ Comedy drama. Jack Lemmon (1960, PG)

8.35 Top Ten Show **8.55 My Best Friend's Wedding** ★★★★ Comedy. Julia Roberts (1997, 12) **10.45 Airplane!**

★★★★ Disaster movie spoof. Robert Hays (1980, PG) **12.25pm** As 8pm

2.10 As 9.45pm **4.00** As 11.35pm

6.00pm Tootsie ★★★★ Very funny Oscar-winning tale. Dustin Hoffman, Jessica Lange, Teri Garr (1982, 15)

8.00 Daddy's Home Two ★★★ Slapstick comedy sequel. Will Ferrell, Mark Wahlberg, Mel Gibson, John Lithgow (2017, 12)

9.45 Book Club ★★★ Nimble ensemble piece. Diane Keaton, Jane Fonda, Candice Bergen, Mary Steenburgen (2018, 12)

11.35 Baywatch ★★★ Crude and charmingly tongue-in-cheek comedy. Dwayne Johnson, Zac Efron (2017, 15)

1.35am Kingpin ★★ Sports comedy. Woody Harrelson, Randy Quaid (1996, 12)

3.35 Ali G indahouse ★★★ Comedy. Sacha Baron Cohen (2002, 15)

5.10 Roxanne ★★★★ Romantic comedy. Steve Martin, Daryl Hannah (1987, PG)

Musicals

Sky 308 Virgin 442 BT 510 **HD** Virgin 412

6.00am The Fighting Temptations ★★ Musical. (2003, PG) **8.10 Basmati Blues** ★★ Comedy musical. (2017, PG)

10.00 The Hunchback of Notre Dame ★★★★ Animation. (1996, U)

11.40 Hello, Dolly! ★★★★ Musical. (1969, U) **2.10pm Singin' in the Rain**

★★★★ Musical. Gene Kelly (1952, U)

Comedy

4.00pm Pitch Perfect ★★★ Fun comedy. Anna Kendrick (2012, 12)

6.00 The School of Rock ★★★★ Jack Black inspires his pupils. (2003, PG)

8.00 Mamma Mia! ★★★★ Abba's music comes to life. Meryl Streep, Colin Firth, Pierce Brosnan (2008, PG)

10.00 Pitch Perfect 3 ★ Anna Kendrick is back. (2017, 12)

11.35 The Blues Brothers ★★★★ Riotous musical comedy. John Belushi, Dan Aykroyd (1980, 15)

1.50am The Fighting Temptations As 6am

3.55 Hello, Dolly! As 11.40am

Hits

Sky 302 Virgin 433 BT 504 **HD** Virgin 403

6.15am Hostiles ★★★★ Western adventure. Christian Bale (2017, 15) **8.30**</p

Disney

Sky 304 Virgin 435 BT 503 **HD** Virgin 405
6.35am As 6.25pm **8.10** As 4.50pm **9.45 Pocahontas** ★★★ Adventure. (1995, U) **11.15 Cool Runnings** ★★★ Comedy. (1993, PG) **12.55pm** As 8pm **2.55** Bao **3.05** **WALL-E** ***** Animated sci-fi comedy. (2008, U) **4.50 The Lion King** ★★★★ Musical. (1994, U)

6.25pm Frankenweenie ★★★ Delightful spine-tingling fantasy full of subtle deadpan humour and joyful spirit. Catherine O'Hara, Martin Short, Charlie Tahan (2012, PG) **8.00 Christopher Robin** ★★ Winnie the Pooh-inspired adventure. Ewan McGregor, Hayley Atwell (2018, PG) **10.00 National Treasure: Book of Secrets** ★★★ Daft but fun adventure sequel. Nicolas Cage, Diane Kruger, Jon Voight, Helen Mirren (2007, PG)

12.10am Tron ★★★ Sci-fi. (1982, PG) **1.55 The Black Hole** ★★★ Sci-fi. (1979, PG) **3.40 Basil the Great Mouse Detective** ★★★ Adventure. (1986, U) **5.05 The Princess Diaries** ★★★ Comedy. Julie Andrews (2001, U)

Drama

Sky 309 Virgin 440 BT 511 **HD** Virgin 410
6.10am Josie ★★ Thriller. Sophie Turner (2018, 15) **7.50 Doctor Zhivago** ***** Romantic epic. Omar Sharif, Julie Christie (1965, PG) **11.05** As 8pm **1.15pm Everything, Everything** ★★★ Romantic drama. Amanda Stenberg, Nick Robinson (2017, 12) **3.05 Zulu** ***** Historical drama. Stanley Baker (1963, PG)

5.30pm Cast Away ★★★ Robert Zemeckis's thoughtful adventure. Tom Hanks, Helen Hunt (2000, 12) **8.00 Darkest Hour** ★★★★ Gary Oldman is sensational as Winston Churchill in this Oscar-winning drama set during the lead-up to the evacuation of Dunkirk. Gary Oldman, Lily James (2017, PG) **10.10 Fifty Shades Freed** ★★ Slick episode of the softcore kinkfest. Dakota Johnson, Jamie Dornan (2018, 18)

12 midnight Saturday Night Fever ***** Dance drama. John Travolta (1977, 18) **2.00am Tristan + Isolde** ★★ Period romantic drama. James Franco (2005, 12) **4.10 To Sir, with Love** ★★★ Drama. Sidney Poitier (1967, PG)

Thriller

Sky 311 Virgin 439 BT 509 **HD** Virgin 409
7.00am Dirty Harry ***** Thriller. Clint Eastwood (1971, 18) **8.55 The Da Vinci Code** ★★★ Mystery thriller. Tom Hanks (2006, 12) **11.25** As 9pm **1.40pm The Firm** ★★★★ Thriller. Tom Cruise (1993, 15) **4.15 A Few Good Men** ★★★★ Courtroom drama. Tom Cruise, Jack Nicholson (1992, 15)

6.35pm Minority Report ★★★ Tom Cruise stars as a cop identified as a possible killer in this sleek futuristic thriller. Colin Farrell, Samantha Morton (2002, 12)

9.00 Jack Reacher ★★ Brash action yarn. Tom Cruise (2012, 15)

11.15 The Girl with the Dragon Tattoo ★★★ Stylish and atmospheric adaptation of Stieg Larsson's bestselling crime thriller. Daniel Craig, Rooney Mara (2011, 18)

1.55am Chinatown ***** Brilliant period thriller. Jack Nicholson, Faye Dunaway (1974, 15) **4.15 Angel Flight Down** ★★ Drama. Patricia Kalember (1996)

Animation

Sky 305 Virgin 436 BT 505 **HD** Virgin 406
6.10am As 8pm **7.30** Justice League vs Bizarro League **8.30** As 4.50pm **10.05 The Nut Job: Nutty by Nature** ★★ Comedy. (2017, U) **11.40 The Smurfs** ★★ Comedy. (2011, U) **1.25pm** As 9.20pm **3.15** As 6.25pm **4.50 Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs** ★★★★ Comedy. (2009, U)

6.25pm ParaNorman ★★★★ Delightfully quirky comedy. Kodi Smit-McPhee, Tucker Albrizzi, Anna Kendrick (2012, PG) **8.00 Sleeping Beauty** ★★★★ Terrific fairy-tale fantasy. Mary Costa, Bill Shirley, Verna Felton, Vera Vague (1959, U) **9.20 The Smurfs 2** ★★★ Daft adventure. Neil Patrick Harris (2013, U) **11.10 Tim Burton's Corpse Bride** ★★★★ Exquisitely crafted fantasy. Helena Bonham Carter, Johnny Depp, Albert Finney, Richard E Grant (2005, PG)

12.40am Lego Scooby-Doo: Haunted Hollywood **2.05 The Little Vampire** ★★ Horror fantasy. Rasmus Hardiker, Amy Saville (2017, U) **3.35 Zombillenium** ★★ Comedy. David Gasman (2017) **5.00** As 10.05am

Sci-Fi/Horror

Sky 310 Virgin 441 BT 507 **HD** Virgin 411
6.00am Close Encounters of the Third Kind ***** Sci-fi drama. (1977, PG) **8.20** As 5.30pm **10.00 2.22** ★★ (2017) **11.45** As 7.15pm **1.30pm** As 9pm **3.30** The Top Ten Show **3.45 Happy Death Day** ★★★ Horror mystery. (2017, 15) **5.30 Beetle Juice** ★★★★ Comedy. (1988, 15)

7.15pm Time Trap ★★★ Intriguing low-budget sci-fi adventure. Andrew Wilson, Cassidy Gifford, Reiley McClelland, Brianne Howey (2017, 12) **9.00 I, Robot** ★★★★ Will Smith investigates a murder in which the prime suspect is a robot in this inventive and exciting futuristic action thriller. (2004, 12) **11.00 Victor Crowley** ★★ Fourth instalment of the *Hatchet* slasher franchise. Parry Shen (2017, 18)

12.30am Happy Death Day As 3.45pm **2.10 End of Days** ★★★ Entertaining supernatural action thriller. Arnold Schwarzenegger, Gabriel Byrne (1999, 18) **4.15 Close Encounters of the Third Kind** As 6am

TCM

Sky 315 Virgin 415 BT 512 **HD** Virgin 416
6.00am Hollywood's Best Film Directors **7.25 Around the World in 80 Days** ★★★★ Adventure. (1956, U) **10.55 Henry VIII and His Six Wives** ★★★ (1972, PG) **1.30pm Gun Fight** ★★ (1961, U) **3.00 Rio Grande** ***** Western. (1950, U) **5.10 Top Gun** ★★ Western. (1955, U)

6.40pm The Goonies ★★★ A gang of children tackles a family of crooks while searching for missing treasure in this good-natured adventure. Sean Astin, Corey Feldman, Martha Plimpton (1985, 12)

9.00 Mechanic: Resurrection ★★ Jason Statham is leaner and meaner in this action sequel. Jessica Alba, Tommy Lee Jones (2016, 15)

11.10 Revolver ★★ Eye-catching crime drama. Jason Statham (2005, 15)

1.35am Enter the Dragon ★★★★ Martial arts adventure. Bruce Lee (1973, 18) **3.30** Hollywood's Best Film Directors

TCM +1 Sky 316 Virgin 417

SPORT Choices



Rugby Union **2.15pm** **BT Sport 2** Owen Farrell's Saracens bid for a European final place

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 Rugby Union** Highlanders v Blues (kick-off **8.35**). **10.35** Rugby Union **10.45** My Icon **11.00** Soccer Saturday Pre-Match **11.30 LIVE Premier League** Football Manchester City v Tottenham (kick-off **12.30pm**). **3.15pm** Soccer Saturday **5.15 LIVE Football League** Accrington Stanley v Luton Town. **8.00 LIVE US Tour Golf** The Heritage, day three in South Carolina. **11.00–4.00am** Sky Sports News

Sky Football

Sky 403 Virgin 513 **HD** Virgin 503

6.00am Greatest Games **6.15 Football League** **9.30 SPFL Matters** **10.00 Soccer AM** **11.30 LIVE Scottish Football** Hearts v Rangers in the Premiership (kick-off **12.00**), from Tynecastle. **2.30pm** Greatest Games **3.00 My Icon** **3.15 Soccer Saturday** **5.15pm LIVE Football League** Accrington Stanley v Luton Town in League One (kick-off **5.30**). **8.00** Football League **9.00 LIVE Major League Soccer** Atlanta United v FC Dallas. **11.05** Football League **11.35** Greatest Games **12 midnight** Football League **1.00am** Countdowns **2.00** Greatest Games **2.30 One2Eleven** **3.00 Football League** **4.00 Greatest Games** **4.30 Countdowns** **5.00 Greatest Players** (AD) **5.30–6.00am** Football Years

Sky Golf

Sky 405 Virgin 515 **HD** Virgin 505

6.00am Masterclass **6.30 PGA Tour Profiles** **7.00** Feherty Talks to Bryson DeChambeau **8.00 PGA Tour Profiles** **9.00 US Tour Golf** **12 noon** Feherty Talks to Bryson DeChambeau **1.00pm** PGA Tour Profiles **2.00** Feherty Talks to García and Cabrera-Bello **3.00** Tour Golf

6.00 LIVE US Tour Golf The Heritage, day three in South Carolina.

11.00 Feherty Talks to García and Cabrera-Bello **12 midnight** Masterclass **12.30am** PGA Tour Profiles **1.00** Feherty Talks to García and Cabrera-Bello **2.00** How the Masters Was Won **4.00** Masterclass **4.30** PGA Tour Profiles **5.00–6.00am** Feherty Talks to García and Cabrera-Bello

Sky Mix

Sky 321 Virgin 520 **HD** Virgin 510

1.45–5.45pm LIVE Netball Superleague double-header. **9.00–11.05 LIVE Major League Soccer** Atlanta United v FC Dallas.

Sky Premier League

Sky 402 Virgin 512 **HD** Virgin 502

6.00am Greatest Games **7.00** Legends **8.00** Previews **9.00** Premier League Today **9.30** Preview **10.00** Soccer AM **11.30 LIVE Premier League** Football Manchester City v Tottenham (kick-off **12.30pm**). **3.15pm** Soccer Saturday **6.00** Sky Sports Tonight **8.00** Best Goals **8.30** Game of the Day **10.30** Match Choice **11.00** Premier League **1.30am** Best Goals **2.00** Premier League **4.30** Best Goals **5.30–6.00am** 100 Club

Sky Cricket

Sky 404 Virgin 514 **HD** Virgin 504

6.00am Greatest Games **7.00** Coaching Clinic (AD) **7.30** Masterclass **7.45** Pace in the Zone **7.55** History of Old Trafford **8.00** Ashes Greats **9.00** Greatest Games **10.00** Coaching Clinic (AD) **10.30** Masterclass **10.45** Pace in the Zone **10.55** History of Old Trafford **11.00** Ashes Greats **12 noon** International One-Day Cricket **3.00am** Coaching Clinic (AD) **3.30** Masterclass **3.45** Pace in the Zone **3.55** History of Old Trafford **4.00** Greatest Games **5.00–6.00am** Ashes Greats

BT Sport 1

Sky 413 Virgin 527 BT 408 **HD** BT 430

6.00am Premier League **7.30** Champions League **8.00** Premier League **8.30** Non-League Football **10.00** Boxing **10.30** Premier League **11.30** Saturday Morning Savage **12.15pm** Boxing **2.45** BT Sport Score **5.00 LIVE Premier League** Football Newcastle United v Southampton (kick-off **5.30**). **8.00** Premier League Tonight **9.00** Boxing **12 midnight** German Football **3.00am** Outdoor Sports Show (AD) **4.30–6.00am** Australian Football

BT Sport 2

Sky 414 Virgin 528 BT 409 **HD** BT 431

6.00am Motor Racing **7.00** Boxing **8.30 LIVE Australian Football** **1.00pm** BT Reload **1.15** Outdoor Sports (AD) **1.45** Rugby Union (AD) **2.15 LIVE Rugby Union** **RT** European Rugby Champions Cup semi-final, Saracens v Munster (kick-off **3.00**) **See p52**. **5.15** La Rochelle v Sale Sharks, European Rugby Challenge Cup semi-final (kick-off **5.30**); **7.45** Clermont Auvergne v Harlequins, Challenge Cup semi-final (k/o **8.00**). **10.15** MotoGP **11.15** Italian Football **11.45** BT Sport Reload **12 midnight** **LIVE Gymnastics** **2.30am** Australian Football **4.00–7.00am** **LIVE Australian Rules Football** Bulldogs v Blues.

BT Sport 3

Sky 417 Virgin 529 BT 410 **HD** BT 432

6.00am Fishing (AD) **7.00** French Football **8.30** German Football **9.30** Champions League **10.00** **LIVE Australian Rules** **1.00pm** **LIVE Tennis** Fed Cup, Great Britain v Kazakhstan, day one. **6.00** **LIVE German Football** Borussia Mönchengladbach v RB Leipzig, joining 30 minutes in; **7.30** Schalke v Hoffenheim (k/o **7.30**). **9.30** German Football **10.30** French Football **11.30** Rugby Union **4.00–6.00am** Motor Racing

BT Sport/ESPN

Sky 423 Virgin 530 BT 411 **HD** BT 434

6.00am Around the Horn **6.30** ESPN FC **7.00** Pardon the Interruption **7.30** Major League Baseball **10.45** ESPN FC **11.15** **LIVE Indian Premier League** Rajasthan Royals v Mumbai Indians. **3.30pm** Pardon the Interruption **4.00** **LIVE UFC** In St Petersburg. **9.30** **LIVE Major League Baseball** Pittsburgh Pirates v SF Giants; **12 midnight** Brewers v Dodgers. **3.00am** Motor Racing **3.30–6.00am** Ice Hockey: the NCAA Championship

BT Box Office

Sky 490 BT 494

11.30pm–7.00am **LIVE Boxing** Terence Crawford v Amir Khan, WBO World welterweight title. **Eurosport 1** **Sky 410 Virgin 523 BT 412** **HD** **Sky 521 BT 435** **7.30am** Triathlon **8.00** Cycling **9.00** British Superbikes **10.00** **LIVE World Snooker** **RT** This year's opening session at the Crucible. **See page 52**. **Sport: page 33** **1.00pm** World Snooker **2.30** **LIVE World Snooker** More from the Crucible in Sheffield. **5.30** World Snooker **6.30** **LIVE World Snooker** **11.00** **LIVE Showjumping** **12.15–1.15am** British Superbikes **Amazon Prime** **10.30am** **LIVE Tennis** The ATP Monte Carlo Masters semi-finals



PICK OF THE DAY **Line of Duty** 9.00pm BBC1

DRAMA OF THE WEEK So how about capping off Easter Day with a brutal crime drama? It'll be just the thing. Who knows, maybe the gang at AC-12 will end with a song-and-dance number and send us to bed smiling? Or maybe not.

Maybe instead the tale of police corruption and an undercover officer gone rogue will tense up further as the tentacles of the plot reach ever darker places. We should start with Ted and his poor wife, last seen

at the door of her flat as John (Stephen Graham) tried to gain entry. The aftermath of what follows leaves Ted as rattled and tormented as we've seen him – Adrian Dunbar on top form.

But it also leaves Steve facing a dilemma: with the taint of suspicion still on Ted, where should Steve's loyalty lie? "What kind of copper are you?" John demands of him. "One who cares about orders or one who cares about justice?" **DAVID BUTCHER**

Antiques Roadshow

8.00pm BBC1

ENTERTAINMENT In a return visit to Buckfast Abbey, the Benedictine monastery on the edge of Dartmoor in Devon, the experts see some wonderful items. There's a charming selection of children's illustrations, an 18th-century apple corer, an incense burner that Lars Tharp openly covets, some exquisitely made miniature furniture that impresses expert Christopher Payne and a soft toy that makes Bunny Campione squeal with excitement and its owner nearly cry.

Plus, there's a Chinese vase that nearly ended up in a charity shop because it didn't go with the owner's colour scheme. When she hears what it's worth, she's rather pleased she didn't give it away. **JANE RACKHAM**

Undiscovered Worlds with Steve Backshall

8.00pm BBC2

NATURE *New series* Steve Backshall begins a run of world-first expeditions in the magnificently named Greenland settlement of Ittoqqortoormiit. He and his fellow explorers are planning to kayak up a fjord, which shouldn't be possible as it should be entirely frozen over. Instead it's littered with drifting pack ice, which at any moment could trap them or sweep them out to sea.

There is a genuine sense of peril watching their difficult progress, and seeing a dicey encounter with a polar bear. There are other beautiful creatures too (musk oxen and eider ducks) in a vivid profile of a place where the pace of climate change feels tangible. **DAVID BUTCHER**

Miriam's Dead Good Adventure

9.00pm BBC2

DOCUMENTARY Miriam Margolyes confronts mortality in this two-parter, and, of course, is searingly candid about dying, especially what she perceives as the crackpot ideas espoused by "death activists", who tell her they intend to live for ever.

In the USA she talks to radical life-extension enthusiasts (some religious, some not). Her response to their beliefs is not printable in a family magazine but her expression at an orgasmic energy workshop will make you laugh out loud (and laughter is "better than Jesus" for longevity, she reckons). In a UK care home she's moved to tears, though, by a couple's love. **JR**
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Victoria

9.00pm ITV

DRAMA To begin with, I was sceptical about Laurence Fox and his dry turn as Lord Palmerston, but I've come round. He's now in danger of stealing the show. The role is made for Fox's ability to mix haughty and louche, drawing out his lines like a sort of Victorian Fonz, and in control of every scene and conversation.

This week, he's on home ground for a change as Victoria and Albert visit Ireland and stay at Lord P's estate, scandalised by his open marriage arrangements. Meanwhile, the other actor in danger of stealing the show, Laurie Shepherd (nine) shines too, as Prince Bertie gets a new tutor. And things are hotting up between the duchess and the footman. **DAVID BUTCHER**

STEVE BACKSHALL'S TV CV

The host of **Undiscovered Worlds** (8pm BBC2) had an unusual route into naturalism, first gaining a degree in English and theatre at Exeter University before going on to study biology with the Open University. Steve Backshall produced and presented for National Geographic but gained prominence in 2003 after landing a job on the BBC children's series *The Really Wild Show*.

He went on to host *Deadly 60* and



joined the BBC's Natural History Unit, making *Lost Land of the Jaguar* and *Nature's Microworlds* and reporting on *The One Show* and *Springwatch*.

The father-of-one, married to Olympic champion rower Helen Glover, took on an altogether different challenge in 2014 on *Strictly Come Dancing*, where he finished eighth. Something of an adrenaline junkie, he also has a black belt in martial arts and is an accomplished rock climber. Backshall turns 46 today. Happy birthday, Steve! **FRANCES TAYLOR**

Jesus: His Life

9.00pm **History**

DRAMA *New series* Claims don't come much bolder than this: "Now, for the first time, Jesus's story is told through the eyes of those who knew him best." Following this movie-trailer-style opening narration, we get a cast montage, each player appearing moodily on screen one at a time (Mary! Judas! Pilate!) like they're in the intro to a biblical *Beverly Hills 90210*.

So if, for some reason, you crave a soapy retelling of Christ's impact, then this is for you. We "learn" that Mary told Joseph: "I'm pregnant, you're not the father." And that he lost it big time, trashing his workplace. Coincidentally, Ramin Karimloo, who plays Joseph, also joins *Holby City* this week. *Jesus: His Life* will have been an invaluable training ground. **DAVID BROWN**

The League of Gentlemen: Live Again!

10.00pm **BBC2** (N Ireland: 11.30pm)

COMEDY OF THE WEEK It was a happy day for "local people" when the League went on tour last year with a 20th-anniversary reunion. This BBC version has, oddly, lopped the first half of the stage show entirely (it took the trio back to their roots, sparring in bowties and tuxes). No matter. There's plenty to sink your fangs into in the fully costumed second half, as Steve Pemberton, Reece Shearsmith and Mark Gatiss quick-change into an impressive roster of Royston Vasey's weirdest. As a devotee from day one, it's hit and miss for me, but I adore seeing monstrous Pauline brought back from the dead and outrageously mucky Herr Lipp teasing audience members. **PATRICK MULKERN**

Bublé!

10.00pm **ITV**

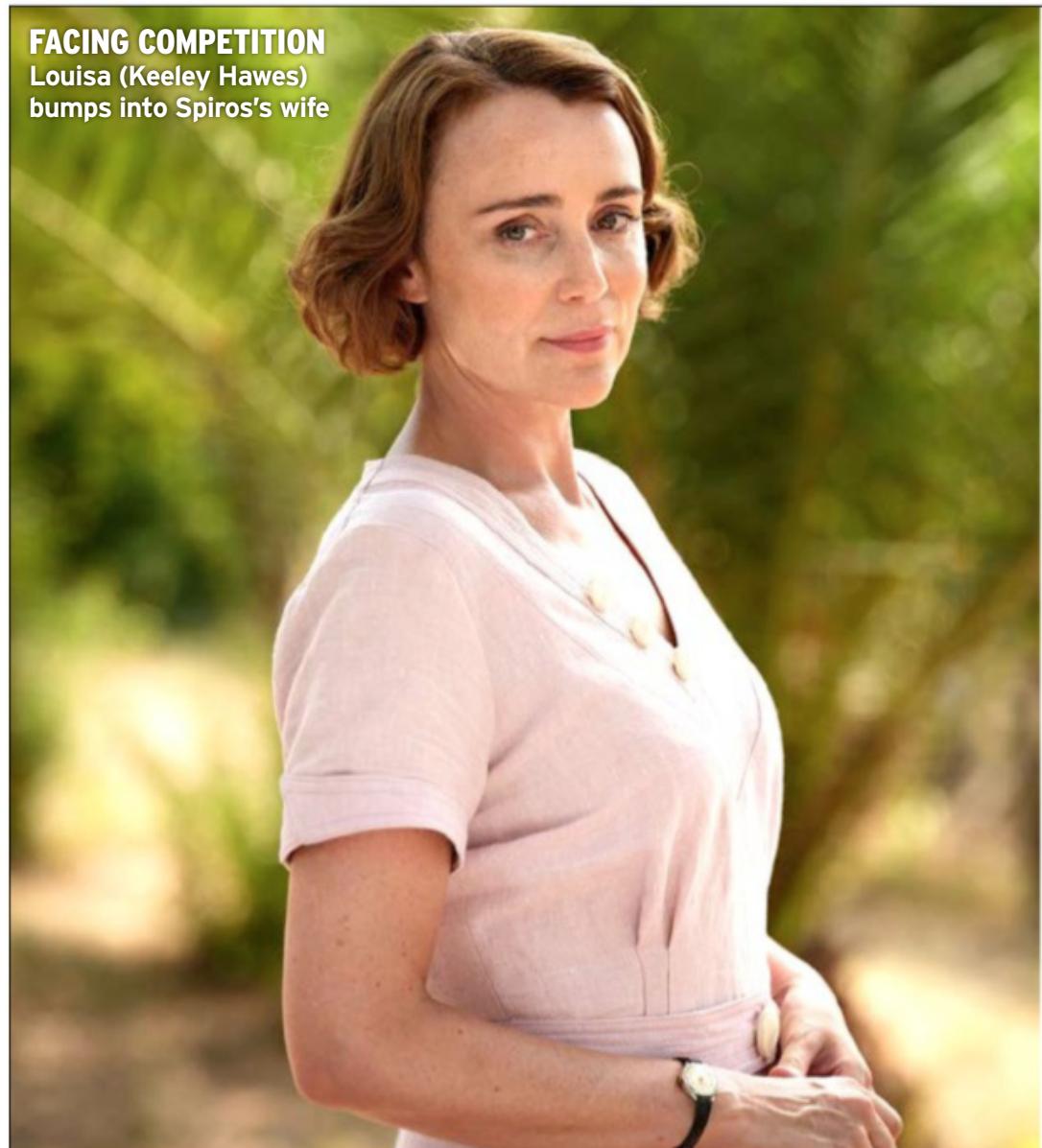
MUSIC As an alternative to diving headfirst into your collection of chocolate eggs, but just as silky smooth and satisfying, indulge yourself in this concert from our favourite Canadian crooner.

Following his son's cancer diagnosis, Bublé took time out from recording and touring, but has recently returned to "joyful" and "triumphant" reviews for his show performed with a 36-piece orchestra. All the Bublé favourites are here – *I Just Haven't Met You Yet*, *Cry Me a River* etc – as well as a few evergreens and some songs from his latest album.

As always there are cheesy moments and dreadful jokes, but the charismatic Bublé always leaves his audience *Feelin' Good*. **JR**

FACING COMPETITION

Louisa (Keeley Hawes) bumps into Spiros's wife



The Durrells

8.00pm **ITV**

DRAMA Out shopping for picnic food, Louisa comes face-to-face with Spiros and his wife Dimitra. Awkward doesn't begin to describe that meeting. But do we detect some tension between the married couple? You bet we do.

This is a strangely disjointed episode that chuck in all sorts of characters (new ones such as eccentric house guest Countess De Torro and familiar ones such as Captain Creech), while whisking us around the island of Corfu as well as to Paris and Dorset.

There are aggressive fishermen, frisky lemurs, hungry goats and explosions to boot. Plus, there's a wonderful line from xenophobic Uncle Geoffrey (Jeff Rawle). "Why have you left Greece?" he asks Margo when she turns up unexpectedly on his doorstep. "Is it because it's abroad?" he adds sympathetically.

JANE RACKHAM

DISCOVER TV

The best of streaming and catch-up



Duran Duran: There's Something You Should Know

iPlayer (expires today)

Persistently underrated in terms of their musicianship and their capacity to be funny and self-aware, Duran Duran get their dues in a 2018 doc driven by the band's own reminiscences. From their shabby beginnings, to the peak of *Rio* and the comedown that followed, they're engaging and entertaining about it all.

DISCOVER TV KIDS

Puss in Boots

1.00pm **C4**

The smart cat from *Shrek 2* flourishes in his own movie, full of puns, chases and swashbuckling scraps. If it's a hit in your house, Netflix has the spin-off TV series. **JACK SEALE**

BEST LIVE SPORT



■ European Rugby Champions Cup semi-final: Leinster v Toulouse (k/o 3.15pm): 2.30pm **BT Sport 2**; 2.45pm **C4** Leinster tighthead prop Tadhg Furlong.

■ World Snooker, day two 10am, 2pm **BBC2**; 7pm **BBC red button**; 10am, 6.30pm **Euro1**

■ Tennis: GB v Kazakhstan, Fed Cup 11.30am **BT Sport 3**

■ British Superbikes 1pm **Euro2**

FILM OF THE DAY

Jurassic Park

7.20pm **ITV2**

Steven Spielberg's spectacular dinosaur movie starring Sam Neill and Richard Attenborough. **See page 38**

EASTER DAY

DAYTIME

BBC1

6.00am Breakfast Roger Johnson, Naga Munchetty. (S) (HD)

7.45 Match of the Day Shown yesterday 10.25pm (S) (HD)

9.10 Britain's Easter Story 2/2. Gareth Malone and Karen Gibson reveal why Easter was once banned and the story of an hymn by Charles Wesley. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 LIVE Easter Day Eucharist Traditional worship from St Mary's Church, Warwick, led by the Bishop of Warwick, the Rt Rev John Stroyan, with a mass setting of Grayston Ives's *Missa Brevis*. (S) (HD)

11.00 LIVE Urbi et Orbi The Pope's Easter message and blessing – to the city and the world – from St Peter's Basilica, Rome. Introduced by Martin Bashir. (S) (HD)

11.25 Walks of Life 6/8. Visiting Edinburgh. (S) (AD) (HD)

1 BBC RED BUTTON 12.20–2.35 Women's Football Live coverage of Arsenal v Everton. Also live at bbc.co.uk/sport

12.25pm Flog It! Making a profit at auction. (R) (S) (HD)

1.00 BBC News Weather for the Week Ahead (S) (HD)

1.15 Songs of Praise Aled Jones visits the supposed site of Jesus's resurrection in Jerusalem. (S) (HD)

1.50 Lifeline Len Goodman presents an appeal on behalf of Age UK. Donation details Wednesday 1pm BBC2 (S) (HD)

2.00 The Repair Shop A battered ventriloquist's dummy is brought back to life. Shown last Thursday (S) (HD)

2.45 The Gruffalo Enchanting animation. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

3.15–3.40 The Gruffalo's Child A little Gruffalo goes in search of the Big Bad Mouse. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

BBC2

5.50am A to Z of TV Gardening The letter G. (R) (S)

6.35 Great British Garden Revival Diarmuid Gavin sets out to revive interest in lavender. (R) (S) (HD)

7.35 Countryfile A new method of raising crops in Shropshire. Shown last Sun BBC1 Signed rpt tomorrow 3.10am (S) (HD)

8.30 Saturday Kitchen Best Bites Highlights. (S) (HD)

10.00 LIVE World Snooker First-round action from the World Championship. Coverage from a choice of tables on the red button and at bbc.co.uk/sport. (S) (HD)

12.15pm Coast From Saltburn-by-the-Sea. (R) (S) (HD)

12.30 New series. Beechgrove 1/7. Gardening advice, featuring a spot of pruning. Shown last Thu BBC Scotland (S)

1.00 Your Home Made Perfect 1/5. Using virtual reality to make over homes. Shown last Tuesday (S) (HD)

2.00–6.15 LIVE World Snooker The afternoon session. Coverage from a choice of tables on the red button and at bbc.co.uk/sport continues until 11pm. (S) (HD)

ITV

6.00am CITV See page 69 **8.25 ITV News** (S) (HD)

8.30 The Sara Cox Show With Sarah Hadland and Greg James, plus music from James Morrison. (S) (HD)

Sara Cox's view from the sofa: page 162

9.25 James Martin's Sunday Selection Recipes for baby back ribs and crispy mozzarella sandwiches. (S) (HD)

10.25 This Morning – On Sunday (S) (HD)

11.25 John and Lisa's Weekend Kitchen With Gino D'Acampo, Levi Roots and Jane Beedle. (S) (HD)

12.25pm ITV News Weather; Regional Weather (S) (HD)

12.30 Britain's Got Talent The search for a star continues. **See choice, p53.** Shown yesterday 8pm (S) (HD)

1.45 Britain's Got More Talent Stephen Mulhern hosts the companion show. Shown yesterday 9.15pm ITV2 (S) (HD)

2.45 In for a Penny The roving game show hits the streets of Norwich. Shown yesterday 7.30pm (S) (AD) (HD)

3.15–5.45 Moonraker ★★ James Bond investigates after a space shuttle vanishes. Roger Moore stars. (S) (HD)

Channel 4

6.00am Everybody Loves Raymond (R) (S)

6.50 Frasier Two episodes of the comedy. (R) (S)

7.40 The Big Bang Theory Double bill. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

8.30 The Simpsons Two episodes. (R) (S) (AD)

9.30 Sunday Brunch Jack McBrayer, Sarah Hadland, Nick Knowles, Charlotte Ritchie and Lolly Adefope guest. Music is from Bear's Den and Rodrigo y Gabriela. (S) (HD)

12.30pm Ice Age: the Great Egg-Scapade Animated comedy with characters from the film series. (R) (S) (HD)

1.00–2.45 Puss in Boots ★★★ Animated comedy. (S) (HD)

Puss in Boots goes on a quest for magic beans. (S) (HD)

Review page 38. Director Chris Miller (2011, U) (S) (W) (HD)

BBC1

Line of Duty

9.00pm While the atmosphere around AC-12 darkens, Gill offers Ted some comfort



3.40pm Saving Mr Banks

Drama based on a true story. Walt Disney is set on making a movie about magical nanny Mary Poppins but her creator, author PL Travers, refuses to sell the rights. It's only when the formidable Travers flies out to Los Angeles that Disney realises there's more to the story than meets the eye – a story involving her beloved father and her childhood. **Review p38.**

PL Travers, Pamela **Emma Thompson** Richard M Sherman **Jason Schwartzman**

Walt Disney **Tom Hanks** Robert B Sherman **BJ Novak**

Travers Goff **Colin Farrell** Margaret Goff **Ruth Wilson**

Ralph **Paul Giamatti** "Ginny" (Young Pamela) **Annie Rose Buckley**

Don DaGradi **Bradley Whitford** Tommie **Kathy Baker**

Director John Lee Hancock (2013, PG) (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

See feature: page 34

5.45 Pointless Celebrities

A Noughties special with Lisa Maffia and Romeo, Gail Emms and Audley Harrison, David Spinx and Susie Amy, and Katy Brand and Brian Belo. (R) (S) (HD)

6.35 BBC News Regional News; Weather

7.00 Countryfile

Matt Baker visits Panshanger Park in Hertfordshire to see how a quarry has become a haven for wildlife, while Sean Fletcher helps to move a herd of English longhorn cattle to complete a 300-year-old vision for the park. As it's Easter, Anita Rani is at a watermill, grinding flour for her hot cross buns. And on Adam Henson's farm, spring brings plenty of new arrivals. Includes *Weather for the Week Ahead*.

Series producer Joanna Brame; Executive producer Bill Lyons (S) (HD)

Tom Heap's viewpoint: page 9

8.00 Antiques Roadshow

RT Fiona Bruce presents from Buckfast Abbey in Devon, which is celebrating 1,000 years of worship on the site. She discovers the long tradition of beekeeping and tries some of the famous honey. Items under appraisal include a diamond tiara and a collection of First World War medals. **See page 62.**

Producer Debbie Martin; Series producer Robert Murphy (S) (HD)

DRAMA OF THE WEEK

9.00 Line of Duty

RT 4/6 Series 5. Tensions rise within the organised crime gang following the events at Eastfield. With troubling questions hanging over the identity of "H", suspicions mount at AC-12. **See page 62.**

John Corbett	Stephen Graham	Tatleen	Taj Atwal
Steve Arnott	Martin Compston	Moffatt	Patrick FitzSymons
Kate Fleming	Vicky McClure	Miroslav	Tomi May
Ted Hastings	Adrian Dunbar	Ryan	Gregory Piper
Gill	Polly Walker	Terry	Tommy Jessop
Lisa McQueen	Rochenda Sandall	Steph	Amy De Bhrun
Sam	Aiysa Hart	Khan	Ryan McKen
Wise	Elizabeth Rider	Ferringham	Richard Pepple
Roisin	Andrea Irvine	Lee	Alastair Natkiel
Amanda	Rosa Escoda		

Writer Jed Mercurio; Producer Ken Horn

Director John Strickland (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 BBC News Regional News; Weather

10.30 Match of the Day 2

Liverpool v Cardiff City, Everton v Manchester United and Arsenal v Crystal Palace. (S) (HD)

11.30 The Women's Football Show

The weekend's key moments from the Super League. Director Kate McKeag; Editor Stuart Hutchison (S) (HD)

12.05am ALL EXCEPT NORTH EAST/NORTH WEST

Live at the Apollo Comedy sets by Jason Manford, Chris Ramsey and Doc Brown. (R) (S) (HD)

NORTH EAST/NORTH WEST The Super League Show

Including highlights of Wigan Warriors v St Helens and the Hull derby. Repeated tomorrow 12.15pm BBC2 (S)

12.50 Weather

(S) (HD) **12.55–6.00am BBC News** (S) (HD)

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HD Freeview 101 Freesat 106 Sky 115 Virgin 108

BBC2

Miriam's Dead Good Adventure

9.00pm Exploring mortality with devout believers Tom and Marijke



6.15pm Prince of Persia: the Sands of Time

RT ★★★ Fantasy action adventure. Prince Dastan is framed for murder and is forced to go on the run in the company of a mysterious princess. The key to his salvation is a magic dagger that can shift time and give its owner supreme power, but there are others who also covet the artefact. **Review p38.**

Prince Dastan	Jake Gyllenhaal	Garsiv	Toby Kebbell
Nizam	Ben Kingsley	Tus	Richard Coyle
Princess Tamina	Gemma Arterton	Bis	Reece Ritchie
Sheikh Amar	Alfred Molina	King Sharaman	Ronald Pickup

Director Mike Newell (2010, 12) (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

1 RED BUTTON 7.00–11.00 World Snooker

Live coverage of the World Championship from the Crucible Theatre in Sheffield. Also available at bbc.co.uk/sport

8.00 Undiscovered Worlds with Steve Backshall

RT **New series. Ep 1.** Adventurer and naturalist Steve Backshall embarks on a mission to visit parts of the world that have yet to be explored. He begins in the Arctic, where he and his team attempt to kayak through the world's largest fjord. It will be a tough journey, only made possible since the sea ice broke up early following the warmest winter on record. Steve and the team must be on alert for sea ice that could crush their boats – and the threat from ravenous polar bears. **See page 62.**

Series producer Susanna Handslip; Executive producer Wendy Darke (S) (AD) (HD)

Steve Backshall's TV CV: page 63

9.00 Miriam's Dead Good Adventure

RT 1/2. Miriam Margolyes is terrified of death, but in this documentary, the 77-year-old actress confronts her fears and explores the subject of mortality. In the US, she meets people who believe technology could soon allow us to cheat death and live for ever. In San Diego, she explores a longevity hot spot where people live longer than anyone else on Earth, and joins the Seventh Day Adventists who preach the gospel of fitness and Jesus. And Miriam discovers that laughter could help people to live longer and stay healthier. **See page 62.**

Series producer Simon Draper; Executive producers Alicia Kerr and Paul Hamann (S) (AD) (HD)

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COMEDY OF THE WEEK

10.00 The League of Gentlemen: Live Again!

RT Twenty years on from the original TV series, Mark Gatiss, Steve Pemberton and Reece Shearsmith take to the stage of the Hammersmith Apollo to revive some of their most grotesque creations from the village of Royston Vasey. There are appearances from Edward and Tubbs, Papa Lazarou, Les McQueen and Pauline and Mickey from the job centre, plus a special performance from educational theatre troupe Legz Akimbo. **See p63.**

Writers Jeremy Dyson, Steve Pemberton, Reece Shearsmith and Mark Gatiss; Director Barbara Wiltshire; Producer Lisa Clark (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 Frankie Boyle's New World Order

4/7 Series 3. Frankie dissects the week's news with the help of Miles Jupp and Sara Pascoe. Shown last Thursday (S) (HD)

11.35 World Snooker

Highlights of the first-round matches. (S) (HD)

12.25am World Snooker Extra

Extended highlights. (S) (HD)

2.25–4.45am Sign Zone 2.25 Unstoppable: Sean Scully and the Art of Everything

Following the artist as he opens 15 exhibitions around the world. (R) (S) (HD)

3.45 Holby City

Cameron feels the pressure when he treats one of Xavier's close relatives. Shown last Tue BBC1 (S) (AD) (HD)

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EASTER DAY

ITV

The Durrells

8.00pm Gerry and the family could be in the doghouse when plans for a picnic go awry



5.45pm **ITV News Weather** (S) (HD)

6.00 Regional News Weather (S) (HD)

6.05 The Family Chase

5/6 Series 2. Bradley Walsh hosts as the Colborne family from Basingstoke take on a Chaser. Executive producers Michael Kelpie, Martin Scott and Helen Tumbridge (S) (HD)

7.00 What Would Your Kid Do?

5/6 Series 2. Parents try to guess what their children will get up to in a variety of situations. Those with the most correct predictions go through to the final. Jason Manford hosts. Director Julian Smith; Series producer Russell Balkind (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 The Durrells

RT **3/6** Series 4. Louisa's plans for a family picnic in Kalami hit a problem when she inadvertently invites Spiros's wife. The Durrells are surprised to learn about Captain

Creech's new business venture. **See page 63.**

Louisa Durrell Keeley Hawes Basil Miles Jupp
Larry Durrell Josh O'Connor Theo Stephanides Yorgos Karamihos Felicity Montagu
Gerald Durrell Milo Parker Prue Jeff Rawle
Margo Durrell Daisy Waterstone Geoffrey Anna Savva
Leslie Durrell Callum Woodhouse Lugaretzia Marina Aslanoglou
Captain Creech James Cosmo Dimitra Maddie Holliday
Melanie, Countess De Torro Sarah Crowden Maud Gemma Page
Spiros Halliopoulos Alexis Georgoulis Argos Alexandros Zouridakis
Writer Simon Nye
Producer Christopher Hall; Director Roger Goldby (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Victoria

RT **5/8** Series 3. **A Show of Unity.** The Queen is determined to visit Ireland and confront divisions within her people. Scandalous secrets emerge at the Palmerston estate. **See page 62.**

Victoria Jenna Coleman Mr Caine Edwin Thomas
Prince Albert Tom Hughes Lord Alfred Paget Jordan Waller
Lord John Russell John Sessions Lady Emma Portman
Lord Palmerston Laurence Fox Anna Wilson-Jones
Duke Charles of Monmouth Prince Bertie Laurie Shepherd
Nicholas Audsley Princess Vicki Louisa Bay
Abigail Turner Sabrina Bartlett Emily Palmerston Pandora Clifford
Joseph David Burnett Rev Hannam Richard Earl
Princess Feodora Kate Fleetwood Magee Fergal McElherron
Brodie Tommy Knight Cardinal Ronan Christopher Dunne
Duchess Sophie of Monmouth Irish mayor Trevor Murphy
Lily Travers
Writer Guy Andrews
Producer David Boulter; Director Chloë Thomas (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 Bublé!

RT Backed by a 36-piece orchestra, crooner Michael Bublé performs some of the classic numbers that inspired him, including *Fly Me to the Moon* and *My Funny Valentine*, and teams up with jazz vocalist Cécile McLorin Salvant for a rendition of *La Vie en Rose*. **See page 63.** Repeated Friday 10.45pm (S) (HD)

11.00 ITV News

Weather; Regional Weather (S) (HD)

11.20 Heathrow: Britain's Busiest Airport

Border Force worker Bob must decide whether he should allow a Brazilian student into the UK. Series director Dave Waterman

Series producer Juliette Murray-Topham (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

11.45 Goodwood Members Meeting

Highlights from the 77th staging, featuring high-speed track demonstrations and racing. Shown last Tuesday ITV4 (S) (HD)

12.35am **Jackpot247** Interactive gaming. (HD)

3.00 Secrets from the Clink 2/2. Michelle Collins finds out about her ancestor's time in a debtors' prison. (R) (S) (HD)

3.50 Nightscreen Text information. (HD)

5.05–6.00am **The Jeremy Kyle Show** (R) (S) (SL) (HD)

ITV Freeview 3 Freesat 103 Sky 103 Virgin 103

+1 F'view 33 F'sat 112 Sky 203 Virgin 114 **HD** F'view 103 F'sat 111 Sky 103 Virgin 113

Channel 4

Britain's Viking

Graveyard 8.00pm

One of the skulls found beneath a vicarage garden in Derbyshire



2.45pm Rugby Union Live

Leinster v Toulouse

The second European Champions Cup semi-final from Aviva Stadium in Dublin (kick-off **3.15**). Presented by Lee McKenzie, with analysis from former Cup winner Gareth Thomas. (S) (HD)

5.30 Channel 4 News Sport; Weather

6.00 Extreme Chocolate Makers at Easter

Following chocolatiers as they attempt to deliver over 100 kilos of chocolate heaven for Easter. In Yorkshire, Ashley makes a giant chocolate shop for children to demolish, while Paul risks controversy with a blue cheese and chocolate egg. And Emma and Mark must shift a giant egg from north Wales to London in one piece. Series producer Maddi Knibbs West; Exec producer Sam Grace (S) (HD)

7.00 Escape to the Château

6/7 Series 5. It's autumn, and Angel creates an interior inspired by a shooting lodge. Directors/Producers Sean Lewis and Miles Carter

Repeated Friday 8pm 4seven (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Britain's Viking Graveyard

During the ninth century, thousands of Vikings stormed our shores, but they left little trace of their conquest. Now, a team of archaeologists aims to prove that a mass grave found beneath a vicarage garden in Derbyshire is their final resting place. Using the latest forensic techniques, they piece together stories of women warriors and a king reunited with his son in death. Plus evidence of a potentially significant encampment. Director Peter Gauvain; Producers Terry Black and Peter Gauvain

Repeated tomorrow 11.05pm 4seven (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Celebrity SAS: Who Dares Wins for Stand Up to Cancer

3/5. The pressure and the cold start to bite at an ex-military base in the Andes as the famous intrepid recruits are paired up for a series of challenging tasks. One recruit lets his partner down, while others fail to perform, earning themselves a night in a freezing snow hole. Series director Chris Amess; Series producer Warren Smith

Rptd 12.05am 4seven and Tuesday 12.05am C4 (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 Eight out of Ten Cats Does Countdown

Sean Lock and Richard Ayoade take on Jon Richardson and Jessica Knappett, while Alex Horne and the Horne Section join Susie Dent. Series producer Jordan Read; Executive producers Richard Cohen, Ruth Phillips and Richard Osman (R) (S) (HD)

11.00 Risen ★★

Biblical drama. In the days following the Crucifixion, a Roman soldier is ordered to find the body of Christ and disprove the Resurrection.

Clavius Joseph Fiennes Mary Magdalene María Botto
Lucius Tom Felton Joseph of Arimathea Antonio Gil
Pontius Pilate Peter Firth Yeshua/Jesus Cliff Curtis

Director Kevin Reynolds (2016, 12) (S) (W) (HD)

1.10am The Two Faces of January ★★★★

Thriller with Viggo Mortensen, Kirsten Dunst and Oscar Isaac. Athens, 1962: charismatic Chester and his wife befriend a tour guide. English, Greek, Turkish +subtitles. Director Hossein Amini (2013, 12) (S) (W) (HD)

2.45 Jesus' Female Disciples: the New Evidence

Women in Christianity. Rptd tomorrow 3.30am 4seven (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

3.45 Coast vs Country

Moving to Dorset. (R) (S) (HD)

4.40 All Star Driving School

Tackling roundabouts, junctions and crossroads. First shown on E4 (S) (HD)

5.05–6.00am The £100k Drop

A couple from Gloucester and two London friends play. (R) (S) (HD)

Channel 4 Freeview 4 Freesat 104 Sky 104 Virgin 104

+1 F'view 13 F'sat 121 Sky 204 Virgin 142 **HD** F'view 104 Sky 138 Virgin 141

BBC4

Mary

Magdalene: Art's Scarlet

Woman 10.00pm

With Waldemar Januszczak



7.00pm Retreat: Meditations from a Monastery

1/3.

Going in search of inner peace at three British monasteries, beginning with Downside Abbey in Somerset. It is home to 14 Benedictine monks, and over the course of a typical monastic day we follow two of their number. Director/Producer Luke Korzun Martin (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 The World's Most Beautiful Eggs: the Genius of Carl Fabergé

Stephen Smith chronicles the life and work of the virtuoso jeweller Carl Fabergé, who transformed his father's modest business into the world's most famous supplier of luxury items. Smith talks to HRH Prince Michael of Kent about the Fabergé items in the royal collection and to Russian billionaire Viktor Vekselberg, who spent \$100 million acquiring nine of the eggs. Director/Producer Spike Geilinger

Signed repeat 2.35am (R) (S) (HD)

9.00 Attenborough and the Giant Egg

David Attenborough returns to the island of Madagascar where, while making one of his first wildlife series, he acquired a giant egg belonging to the largest bird that ever lived – the extinct elephant bird. Revisiting the island five decades on, the veteran naturalist sets out to find out more about this amazing ancient creature, hoping that lessons learnt about its fate may help protect Madagascar's remaining wildlife. Director/Producer Sally Thomson (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 Mary Magdalene: Art's Scarlet Woman

Waldemar Januszczak explores how the identity of Mary Magdalene has evolved in the work of artists such as Caravaggio, Cézanne, Rembrandt, Rubens, Titian and Van Gogh.

Producer Lidia Ciszecka; Executive producer Peter Grimsdale (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 Cold War, Hot Jets

2/2. James Holland examines how the escalating tensions between the superpowers of the USA and USSR in the 1950s and 60s led to the jet bomber coming to define how the Cold War was fought. Britain's V-Force aircraft were able to fly faster, higher and farther than ever before, and were armed with nuclear weapons. Director/Producer Jeremy Hall (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

12 midnight The Most Dangerous Man in Tudor England

Melvyn Bragg explores the story of 16th-century scholar and theologian William Tyndale. (R) (S) (HD)

1.00am Faithfull: the Marianne Faithfull Story

A profile of the singer, from her rise to fame in the 1960s. (R) (S) (HD)

2.05 The Kimbolton Cabinet: Secret Knowledge

Exploring an exquisite piece of 18th-century furniture. (R) (S)

2.35–3.35am The World's Most Beautiful

Eggs: the Genius of Carl Fabergé

Shown 8pm (S) (SL)

BBC4 Freeview 9 Freesat 173 Sky 116 Virgin 107

HD Freeview 106 Freesat 107 Virgin 163

Regional variations

BBC1 SCOTLAND

11.30pm Sportscene: Premiership football from the weekend

12.45am The Women's Football Show

1.20 Live at the Apollo

2.05 Weather for the Week Ahead

2.10–6.00 BBC News

BBC SCOTLAND

As BBC2 until:

6.00pm Grand Tours of the Scottish Islands

7.00 The Seven

7.15 Sportscene

8.30 The Great Food

Guys 9.00 The Storm

That Saved a City

10.00 The Cry

The People's News

11.30–12 midnight

Breaking the News

STV

12.40am All Star Family Fortunes

1.25 Nightscreen

5.05–6.00 The Jeremy Kyle Show

BBC1 WALES

3.40pm Celebrity Mastermind

4.15 Weatherman Walking: the Welsh Coast

4.45–5.45 Wales: Land of the Wild: terns

lay their eggs on the beach

12.05–12.50am Live at the Apollo

BBC2 WALES

6.15pm Scrum V

Sunday: a review of the week's rugby union

EASTER DAY

Channel 5



Blind Date 8.00pm Will singletons Tom and Laura be able to find love?

Freeview 5 Freesat 105 Sky 105 Virgin 105

HD Freeview 105 Freesat 105 Virgin 150

6.00am Milkshake! See page 69

10.05 Access (S) (HD)

10.10 Police Interceptors Spenser and rookie Phoebe pursue a speeding driver. **11.00** Glen must act quickly when a woman is trapped inside a burning car. (S) (HD)

11.55 Friends Series 4. Rachel discovers her new boyfriend is a thief.

12.20pm Chandler gets to know Joey's girlfriend more intimately.

12.55 Chandler is wracked with guilt.

1.20 Chandler makes up for kissing Kathy.

1.55 Rachel is offered a promotion.

2.20 Chandler decides to set Rachel up with one of his workmates. (S) (HD)

2.50 Pixels ★★ Sci-fi action comedy with Adam Sandler and Kevin James. When aliens read signals from 1980s arcade games as a hostile message, it falls to Sam Brenner and his friends to save the world. Director Chris Columbus (2015, 12) (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

4.50pm Marley & Me ★★

Comedy drama based on a true story, starring Jennifer Aniston and Owen Wilson. John Grogan buys his wife Jenny a cute but irrepressible labrador puppy called Marley, little realising that their lives will never be the same again. Director David Frankel (2008, PG) (S) (W) (HD)

7.00 New. TV Talent Shows at War

3/3. A look at some of the casualties in the ratings war. Arlene Phillips recalls her departure from *Strictly Come Dancing*, while Louis Walsh reveals what it felt like to be let go – twice – from *The X Factor*. Series producer Miranda Glasser Executive producers Matt Crook and Emma Clarke Repeated Friday 12.05am (S) (HD)

8.00 New. Blind Date

5/8 Series 4. Laura from Barnsley wants to date a tradesman, while Tom from Derby chooses whether to date a woman from Leicester, Ireland or Newcastle. Directors/Producers Steve Smith, Jamie Foster and Nicholas Frend (S) (HD)

8.55 5 News (S) (HD)

9.00 WW2 Wrecks: Draining the Ocean

Examining shipwrecks from the Second World War on the seabed, including the *Arizona* and the *Bismarck*. (S) (HD)

10.00 The Curse of the Kennedys

Sequel to the series *The Kennedys*, following the political dynasty over four decades, from 1968 onwards. (S) (HD)

Jacqueline Kennedy Onassis Katie Holmes Matthew Perry Diana Hardcastle Kristen Hager Kristin Booth

12.25am New. JFK and Sinatra: Friends, Rivals, Enemies (S) (HD) **1.15** Home Shopping (S) (HD) **3.15** Wentworth Prison (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** Cruising with Jane McDonald (S) (SL) (HD) **4.45** House Doctor (S) (SL) (HD) **5.10** Great Scientists: Galileo Galilei (S) (SL) **5.35-6.00am** Wildlife SOS (S) (SL)

+1 Freeview 44 Freesat 128 Sky 205 Virgin 155

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BBC4 listings are overleaf

ITV2



The Secret Life of Pets 5.40pm Duke and Max get a taste for adventure

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

6.00am *Totally Bonkers* Guinness World Records (S) (HD) **6.25** *Emmerdale* (S) (SL) (AD) (HD) **9.20** *Coronation Street* (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)

12.20pm *You've Been Framed! Gold* Yearbook (S) **1.15 FILM** *Hop* ★★★ Part-animated comedy starring James Marsden (S) (AD) (W) (HD) **3.20** *Britain's Got Talent* See choice, page 53 Shown yesterday 8pm ITV (S) (HD) **4.35** *Britain's Got More Talent* Shown yesterday 9.15pm (S) (HD)

5.40 FILM *The Secret Life of Pets* ★★★ Animated comedy adventure featuring the voice of Kevin Hart (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

7.20pm Jurassic Park ★★★★★

Blockbuster adventure. A billionaire tycoon builds a theme park – an island populated by genetically engineered dinosaurs. A group of guests are invited to preview the attraction. But, as a tropical storm gathers, an unscrupulous employee shuts down the security system, leaving the tour stranded. **Film of the Day: p38.**

Dr Alan Grant Sam Neill
Dr Ellie Sattler Laura Dern
Ian Malcolm Jeff Goldblum
John Hammond Richard Attenborough
Robert Muldoon Bob Peck
Director Steven Spielberg (1993, PG) (S) (AD) (W) (HD)
The Lost World: Jurassic Park is tomorrow 6.25pm

10.00 Family Guy

Series 17. After a mishap, Peter takes his health more seriously. Shown last Monday

10.30 Series 5. Peter learns Lois has slept with his new friend Bill Clinton.

11.00 Lois becomes the sex education teacher at Chris's school. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.30 American Dad!

Series 13. Stan becomes addicted to "dying" after Roger tricks him into thinking he has had a heart attack. Shown last Mon (S) (AD) (HD)

11.55 Series 11. Steve does his best to stop Snot becoming a bully. (S) (AD) (HD)

12.25am *The Cleveland Show* (S) (AD) (HD) **1.20** *Totally Bonkers* Guinness World Records: Bonkingly Big Hits (S) (HD) **2.20** *Shopping* (HD) **5.50-6.00am** *Nightscreen* (HD)

ITV2+1 Freeview 27 Freesat 114 Sky 218 Virgin 116

ITV4

ITV3



The Comedy Years 9.00pm The cast of *Drop the Dead Donkey* reminisce

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

6.00am FILM *Carry On Cruising* ★★★ Comedy (S) (AD) (W) **7.45 FILM** *Carry On – Don't Lose Your Head* ★★★★ Comedy (S) (AD) (W) **9.35 FILM** *Carry On Up the Jungle* ★★★ Comedy starring Frankie Howerd (S) (AD) **11.20 FILM** *Carry On Doctor* ★★★ Comedy starring Frankie Howerd (S) (AD) (W)

1.10pm FILM *Carry On Again Doctor* ★★★★ Comedy starring Kenneth Williams (S) (AD) (W) **2.55 FILM** *Carry On Loving* ★★ Comedy starring Sidney James (S) (AD) (W)

4.40pm Agatha Christie's Poirot

How Does Your Garden Grow?

A murder gives rise to rumours of a communist conspiracy. (S) (HD)
5.55 The Million Dollar Bond Robbery The Belgian sleuth accompanies a precious cargo to New York. (S) (HD)

7.00 Maigret Sets a Trap

1/2 Series 1. Four women have been murdered in Montmartre in seemingly unconnected attacks. Chief Inspector Jules Maigret is under pressure to find the killer before he strikes again. (S) (AD) (HD)

Chief Inspector Jules Maigret Rowan Atkinson
Mme Moncini Fiona Shaw
Moers Mark Heap
Inspector Janvier Shaun Dingwall
Inspector LaPointe Leo Staal
Dennis Lecoin Alexander Campbell
Georgette Lecoin Beth Cooke
Nicole Lecoin Zsofia Rea

9.00 New. The Comedy Years

3/4. Memorable comedy landmarks from 1998, including the final episodes of *Drop the Dead Donkey* and *Father Ted*. (S) (HD)
10.00 Carry On For Ever

3/3. June Whitfield and Sally Geeson recall how *Carry On Abroad* was filmed much closer to home than hoped. (S) (HD)

11.00 It'll Be Alright on the Night

Out-takes from film and TV. (S) (HD)

12.05am *Wire in the Blood* (S) **1.55 DCI Banks** (S) (SL) (AD) (HD) **2.45** *Classic Emmerdale* (S) **5.30-6.00am** *Nightscreen* (HD)

+1 F'view 34 (9pm–midnight) F'sat 116 Sky 219 Virgin 174

ITVBe

F'view 26 F'sat 118 Sky 131 Virgin 119 **HD** Virgin 179

6.00am Bring It! (HD) **6.55 Bachelor in Paradise** (HD) **8.35 Income Property** (S) (HD)

9.00 LittleBe 12 noon *Income Property* (S) (HD) **12.25pm** *The Millionaire Matchmaker*

1.20 *The Real Housewives of Orange County* (S) (HD) **5.10** *The Only Way Is Essex* (HD)

6.10pm New. Bachelor in Paradise Sarah and Raven are after the same man. (HD)

8.00 Sam and Billie Faiers: the Mummy Diaries Greg and Billie rehearse their first wedding dance with former *Pussycat Doll* Kimberly Wyatt. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 New. The Only Way Is Essex Dan spends a weekend in Manchester – but stops off to visit Chloe S on his way. (S) (HD)

10.00 New. The Real Housewives of Atlanta Porsha turns to her family for help after losing yet another friend, but finds herself facing difficult accusations from her sister. (S)

11.00 The Real Housewives of Cheshire As the disastrous dinner party continues, Dawn opens her heart to Tanya. (S) (HD)

12 midnight *The Real Housewives of New York City* (S) (HD) **12.55am** *Home Shopping*

4.00-4.25am *Nightscreen*

ITVBe +1 Freesat 119 Sky 231 Virgin 120

Drama



Silent Witness 9.00pm Nikki and the team investigate a cosmetic clinic

Freeview 20 Freesat 158 Sky 143 Virgin 130

7.10am *Father Brown* (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 *Call the Midwife* (S) (AD) (HD)

1.00pm *Sense and Sensibility* (S) (AD)

4.00 *Call the Midwife* (S) (AD) (HD)

6.40pm Call the Midwife

4/8 Series 2. Jenny returns and has to call on all her skills when she and Sister Evangelina assist at the birth of a disabled baby. Chummy's eccentric acquaintance arrives at Nonnatus House. (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 New. The Heart Guy

8/10 Series 3. Wet Weekends. Ajax adopts desperate measures to stop Hugh selling the farm, Penny discovers her perfect match thanks to Meryl's dating service, and Matt gets drunk with April. (HD)

Hugh Knight Rodger Corser
Matt Knight Ryan Johnson
Charlie Nicole da Silva
Ajax Matt Castley
Penny Hayley McElhinney

9.00 Silent Witness

2/5 Series 21. Duty Of Candour. A woman is murdered and the forensic evidence leads the team to a cosmetic clinic where the victim had been receiving various treatments, seemingly for free. (S) (AD) (HD)

Dr Nikki Alexander Emilia Fox
Jack Hodgson David Caves
Dr Thomas Chamberlain Richard Lintern
Clarissa Mullery Liz Carr
DCI Naomi Silva Kiza Deen

11.05 Rosemary and Thyme

1/9 Series 2. The Memory of Water **1/2** The gardening Detectives are hired by barrister Martin Frazer to restore a walled garden in Lyveden Manor. Martin's cousin is then found drowned, but soon after Rosemary is amazed to see him at the local market. What exactly is going on?

12.05am 2/9. The Memory of Water **2/2** The amateur sleuths continue their investigation after Martin Frazer's cousin, who apparently drowned, is spotted alive.

1.05 as 8pm **2.20** *New Tricks* (S) (AD)

3.15-4.00am Steptoe and Son (BW) (S)

Dave

F'view 12 F'sat 157 Sky 111 Virgin 127 **HD** Virgin 227 BT 387

7.15am *Beat the Internet* with John Robins (S) (HD) **8.05 Storage Hunters: triple bill** (S) (HD)

9.35 American Pickers: double bill (S) (HD)

11.35 Soapbox Race (HD)

12.40pm *Top Gear: Africa Special* (S) (AD) (HD)

3.20 *Top Gear Patagonia Special* (S) (AD) (HD)

6.00pm Soapbox Race The crowds gather in Switzerland for more downhill drama. (HD)

EASTER DAY

More4



Paramount Network



Emergency Helicopter Medics

The crew help an injured hill-walker
F'view 14 F'sat 124 Sky 136 Virgin 147 **HD** Virgin 195

8.55am Find It, Fix It, Drive It (S) (AD) (HD)
10.00 Car SOS: a 1934 Singer Le Mans (S) (HD)
11.00 Rugby Union: the Big Tackle (S) (HD)
12 noon Come Dine with Me (S) (HD)
2.40pm Four in a Bed (S) (HD)

5.15pm Come Dine with Me
A series of parties in Bournemouth. (S) (HD)

8.00 999: on the Frontline

Paramedics treat a 71-year-old for a broken ankle. (S) (HD)

9.00 New. Emergency Helicopter Medics

Ep 8 Series 2. The helicopter medics battle bad weather in Cumbria to reach an injured 70-year-old hill-walker. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 999: What's Your Emergency?

Ep 14 Series 3. DC Ben Hilton interviews a woman who has been arrested after stabbing her partner in the leg. (S) (HD)

11.00 24 Hours in A&E

There's concern when four-year-old Alfie is rushed in with a broken thighbone after falling off his bike. (S) (AD) (HD)

12 midnight New. Live PD: following officers across America in real time (S) **3.00-4.00am** Emergency Helicopter Medics (S) (AD) (HD)

More4 +1 Freeview 86 Freesat 125 Sky 236 Virgin 196

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F'view 28 F'sat 122 Sky 135 Virgin 106 **HD** Virgin 145

6.00am Hollyoaks: omnibus (AD) **8.25** Rude(ish) Tube Shorts **8.45** Charmed
9.40 Speechless: five episodes (AD)

12.10pm The Goldbergs (AD) **12.40** Schooled (AD) **1.10** Brooklyn Nine-Nine (AD) **1.40** Young Sheldon (AD) **2.10** The Big Bang Theory (AD)

6.25pm The Big Bang Theory **12/24**
Series 7. Penny makes a decision. (AD)

6.50 18/24 Series 12. Sheldon and Amy try to charm the Nobel laureates. (AD)

7.20 FILM Men in Black 2 **★★** Sci-fi comedy sequel starring Will Smith and Tommy Lee Jones. When evil alien queen Serleena threatens Earth's safety, former intergalactic secret agent Kay holds the secret to her destruction. (AD) (W)

9.00 New. Eight out of Ten Cats With Katherine Ryan, Angela Barnes, Paisley Billings, Lloyd Griffith and Tom Read Wilson. (AD)

10.00 Naked Attraction Singletons from Bristol and London choose dates. (AD)

11.05 The Big Bang Theory
12&13/23 Series 3. (AD)

12 midnight Tattoo Fixers: Extreme (SL) (AD)
1.00am Gogglebox (SL) (AD) **2.05** Eight out of Ten Cats **2.55** Rules of Engagement

3.15-6.00am Hollyoaks: omnibus (SL) (AD)

E4 +1 Freeview 29 Freesat 123 Sky 235 Virgin 146

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F'view 47 F'sat 127 Sky 137 Virgin 143 **HD** F'view 110

9.00am A Place in the Sun: Home or Away
10.00 A Place in the Sun **2.00pm** Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA **6.00** Mission Ignition **4/4** Shown yesterday 7pm C4 (AD) **7.00** Location, Location, Location **Ep 1** Shown last Wednesday C4

8.00 Grand Designs: The Street **3/6** (AD) **9.00** Gogglebox **Ep 9** (AD) **10.00** Ramsay's 24 Hours to Hell and Back **Ep 1** Series 2. Shown last Tuesday C4 (AD) **11.00** Micky Flanagan's Out Out Tour

12.05am Celebrity SAS: Who Dares Wins for Stand Up to Cancer (AD) **1.15** The Supervet: Noel Fitzpatrick (AD) **2.20** Great Canal Journeys (AD) **3.25** Undercover Boss Australia **4.15-4.45am** Jamie's Quick and Easy Food

Pick

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Freeview 11 Freesat 144 Sky 152 Virgin 123

6.00am Nothing to Declare (HD) **7.30** Nothing to Declare UK (HD) **9.00** Motorway Patrol (HD)

12 noon Brit Cops: Law & Disorder: the work of the City of London Police **1.00pm** Brit Cops: Rapid Response: police officers on patrol (AD) **2.00** Brit Cops: Law & Disorder: motorbike thefts **3.00** Brit Cops: Rapid Response (AD) **6.00** Caught on Dashcam (AD) **9.00** Britain's Most Evil Killers: the case of Joanna Dennehy, who became the first woman in British history to be given a whole life sentence **10.00 New.** How I Caught the Killer: a drive-by shooting in San Francisco **11.00** How I Caught the Killer **3.00am** The Force: Essex (HD) **4.00-6.00am** Motorway Patrol (AD)

Pick +1 Freeview 92 Freesat 145 Sky 252

True Entertainment

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Freeview 61 (not Wales) Freesat 142 Sky 179 Virgin 189

6.00am Waltons **7.00** Little House on the Prairie

8.00 William and Kate **9.00** as 11pm **10.00** as 10pm

11.00 FILM A Wedding on Walton's Mountain **★★★**

1.00pm FILM A Walton Easter **★★★** **3.00 FILM**

A Walton Thanksgiving Reunion **★★** **5.00** Waltons' Crisis **7.00 FILM** Mother's Day on Waltons Mountain

★★ 9.00 The Queen: Continuity and Change **10.00**

Harry & Meghan **11.00** William & Harry **12 midnight**

The Coronation **1.00am** William, Kate & George

2.00 Prince Harry: the Mysterious Prince

3.00 FILM William & Catherine: a Royal **★★**

5.00-6.00am The Queen: a Remarkable Life

True Entertainment +1 Freesat 152 Sky 279

Horror Channel

Freeview 70 Freesat 138 Sky 317 Virgin 149

8.00am FILM Stormageddon **★★** Sci-fi thriller

9.50 Highlights **10.00** Star Trek: Deep Space Nine

3.00pm FILM The Arrival **★★★** Charlie Sheen stars

5.15 FILM Star Runners **★★** Action thriller

6.50pm FILM Sinbad and the Eye of the Tiger

★★★ Fantasy adventure starring Patrick Wayne

9.00 FILM The Thing **★★★★** Sci-fi horror

11.05 FILM Hostel: Part III **★★** Horror thriller

12.50am FILM The Facility **★★** Horror starring Alex Reid **2.35 FILM** Deathgasm **★★★** Comedy

horror **4.20-4.30am** Highlights

5 USA

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Freeview 21 Freesat 129 Sky 141 Virgin 153

9.00am Columbo: Troubled Waters (S) **11.05**

Columbo: Last Salute to the Commodore (S)

1.10pm Columbo: Uneasy Lies the Crown (S)

3.15 Columbo: It's All in the Game (S)

5.15 Columbo: Try and Catch Me (S)

6.55pm Columbo: Prescription Murder: the first screen outing for the LA detective (S)

9.00 NCIS Series 13. The team partners with the FBI on a case involving a kidnapped girl, a money-hungry gang and an old friend of McGee's (S) (AD) **10.00** Law & Order: Special Victims Unit Series 12. Four episodes (S) (AD)

1.50am CSI: NY: double bill (S) (AD)

3.35-4.00am Catch a Contractor

5 USA +1 F'view 57 (not 2-4am) F'sat 130 Sky 241 Virgin 185

5 Star

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Freeview 30 Freesat 131 Sky 128 Virgin 151

8.00am Will & Grace (S) **10.05** My Wife and Kids: ten episodes (S) **3.05pm FILM** Daddy Day Care **★★** Comedy starring Eddie Murphy and Jeff Garlin. After being fired from their well-paid advertising jobs, fathers Charlie and Phil decide to set up a children's day-care centre – much to the annoyance of the headmistress of a rival institution (HD)

5.00 Can't Pay? We'll Take It Away: five episodes of the series following bailiffs (S)

10.00pm FILM Limitless **★★★★** Sci-fi thriller starring Bradley Cooper and Robert De Niro. One of life's losers is transformed into a high-achieving dynamo thanks to a new drug, but his overnight success attracts the wrong kind of attention (HD)

12.10am Dirty Tricks: Magic Man (S) (AD)

1.10-4.00am Wentworth Prison (S) (AD)

5 Star +1 Freeview 56 Sky 228 Virgin 186

5 Spike

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Freeview 31 Freesat 141 Sky 150 Virgin 154

9.00am Muggings and Mayhem: Caught on Camera (HD) **9.25** Traffic Cops (HD) **10.30**

Can't Pay? We'll Take It Away (HD) **1.35pm**

FILM Submarine Seahawk **★** Second World War drama (HD) **3.25 FILM** Duel at Diablo

★★★ Western (HD) **5.30 FILM** The Bridge on the River Kwai **★★★★** Classic Second

World War epic **Review page 38** (HD)

9.00pm FILM Bloodsport **★★** Martial arts action drama (HD) **10.55 FILM** Outlander

★★ Sci-fi action adventure (HD)

1.20am Outrageous Stunts (AD) (HD)

2.25-3.00am Criminals: Caught on Camera (HD)

5 Spike +1 Sky 250

5 Select

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Freeview 55 Freesat 133 Sky 159 Virgin 152

9.00am Access (S) **9.10** The Secret Life of Owls (S) **10.00** Chris Tarrant: Extreme Railway Journeys (S) **11.00** Ancient

Mysteries: Eden Revealed (S) **12 noon** Tony Robinson: Coast to Coast (S) (AD) **1.00pm**

Bargain-Loving Brits in the Sun (S) **3.00** Ben Fogle: New Lives in the UK (S) **4.00** Ben Fogle: New Lives in the Wild (S) **5.00** Paddington Station 24/7 (S) **6.00** Chris Tarrant: Extreme Railway Journeys (S) **8.00** Tony Robinson: Coast to Coast (S) (AD) **9.00** The Bible (S) (AD)

11.00 Mary Magdalene: Ancient Conspiracy (S)

12 midnight Ben Fogle: Return to the Wild (S)

2.00-4.00am The Bible (S) (AD)

True Entertainment +1 Freesat 152 Sky 252

CBS Justice

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MacGyver 8.00pm Angus tackles a locked-door mystery

Sky 1

Sky 106 Virgin 110 **HD** Virgin 109

6.00am Hour of Power (HD) **7.00** Portrait Artist of the Year (S) (HD) **8.00** Moominvalley (HD) **9.00** FYI: For Your Info (HD) **9.15** New. SO Beanol (HD) **9.30** New. The Athena (HD) **10.00** The Simpsons (S) (HD) **11.00** Wrestling (HD) **12 noon** Football's Funniest Moments (S) (HD) **12.30pm** The Simpsons (S) (HD) **5.30** Moominvalley (HD)

6.30pm Modern Family 12/22 Series 10. Dylan introduces Phil and Claire to his mother. (HD)

7.00 The Simpsons Homer angers Marge by binge-watching their favourite show on his own. (HD) **7.30** Moe opens a gay bar. (S) (HD)

8.00 New. MacGyver 17/22 Series 3. A man working inside an ultra-secure vault disappears. (HD)

9.00 New. Hawaii Five-O 17/22 Series 9. Junior is torn between his duties and his feelings. (S) (HD)

10.00 New. NCIS: Los Angeles 17/22 Series 10. Anatoli Kirkin pays Deeks a surprise visit. (HD)

11.00 Magnum P.I. 14/22 Kumu reunites with a friend. (S) (HD)

12 midnight S.W.A.T. (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00am** SEAL Team (HD) **2.00** Strike Back: Silent War (S) (HD) **3.00** The Force: Essex (S) (HD) **4.00** The Flash (HD) **5.00-6.00am** Supergirl (HD)

Sky 1 +1 Sky 206

Sky Arts

Sky 122 Virgin 122 **HD** Virgin 206

6.00am Die Grosse Fuge (HD) **6.20** Tales of the Unexpected (S) **8.50** New. Royal Opera: Mozart – Cosi Fan Tutte (HD) **12 noon** Jesus of Nazareth: three episodes (S) (HD)

6.00pm Jesus of Nazareth Franco Zeffirelli's award-winning drama, chronicling the final days in the life of the Messiah. After sharing the Last Supper with the disciples, Jesus is sentenced to death by crucifixion. Three days later, he appears to Mary Magdalene outside His tomb, having risen from the dead. (S) (HD)

8.00 Portrait Artist of the Year The three remaining artists compete in the final, painting actress Laura Linney before the winner of the career-changing £10,000 commission is announced. (S) (HD)

9.00 André Rieu: and the Waltz Goes On Andre Rieu and his Johann Strauss Orchestra capture the sights and sounds of Vienna as they play at the city's Town Hall, performing an enchanting collection of songs against the backdrop of the classical music capital. (S) (HD)

12 midnight Donovan and the Beatles in India (S) (HD) **1.00am** The Beatles: from Liverpool to San Francisco (S) (AD) **2.00** FILM Sign o' the Times ★★ Prince filmed during a European tour and in his Paisley Park studios (S) (W) (HD)

3.30 The Cure: Trilogy Live in Berlin (HD) **4.45-6.00am** Chaplin: the Birth of the Tramp (S) (AD) (HD)



The Bachelor King 7.30pm A look at penguin family ties

Sky Atlantic

Sky 108

6.00am The Guest Wing (S) (AD) (HD) **7.00** Without a Trace (S) (HD) **12 noon** Blue Bloods (S) (AD) (HD)

6.00pm Flying Monsters with David Attenborough The veteran naturalist explores the world of the pterosaur, a flying creature that occupied the skies 200 million years ago. (S) (AD) (HD)

7.30 The Bachelor King Documentary exploring the lives of king penguins, filmed on the sub-Antarctic island of South Georgia over five months. (S) (HD)

9.00 Game of Thrones 1/6 Series 8. The Wall, which has protected the Seven Kingdoms for 8,000 years, has fallen, and the Night King's army of the dead marches towards Westeros. (HD)

10.05 Elvis Presley: the Searcher 2/2. The singer's return home after his discharge from the army, and how he dealt with a rapidly changing pop scene. (S) (HD)

12.05am Pharmacy Road (S) (AD) (HD) **12.55am** Game of Thrones (HD) **2.00** New. Game of Thrones 2/8 Series 8. The Great War between the armies of the dead and the realms of the living goes on (HD) **3.10** The Wire (S) (AD) (HD) **4.20-6.00am** The British: double bill (S) (AD) (HD)

Sky Atlantic +1 Sky 208

Sky 2

Sky 151 Virgin 121

6.00am Animal 999 (S) (AD) **8.00** It's Me or the Dog **10.00** Supergirl (S) **3.00pm** Stargate SG-1 (S)

6.00pm Stargate SG-1 4/22 Series 6. O'Neill contracts a deadly virus from a woman who has been frozen in ice – and only a symbiote from the Tok'ra can save his life. (S) **7.00** 5/22. Carter, Teal'c and Jonas search for a scientist in a seemingly sleepy seaside town, but discover the community is hiding a sinister secret. (S)

8.00 The Flash 17/23 Series 5 The team helps a meta who is hiding her powers from her family, which makes Nora realise she needs to come clean with her parents about Thawne.

9.00 Supergirl 16/23 Series 4 In the wake of Lex Luthor's return, the show flashes back to what he has been doing for two years.

10.00 Arrow 16/23 Series 7 Mia and William venture into the Glades on a dangerous mission and run into Dinah, Roy and Zoe, who have devastating news.

11.00 DC's Legends of Tomorrow 10/16 Series 4. Hank commandeers the Waverider in 1973 and the crew find themselves on the run in an RV after kidnapping the president.

12 midnight MacGyver 1.00am Hawaii Five-O (S) **2.00** NCIS: Los Angeles **3.00** Duck Quacks Don't Echo (S) (AD) **5.00-6.00am** Animal House (S) (AD)



The Rookie 9.00pm Bishop and Nolan get competitive

Sky Witness

Sky 107 Virgin 112 **HD** Virgin 111

6.00am Border Security: America's Front Line (S) (AD) (HD) **7.00** UK Border Force (S) (HD) **8.00** 60-Minute Makeover (S) **12 noon** Paramedics (HD) **1.00pm** Road Wars (S) **4.00** UK Border Force (S) (HD)

6.00pm Nothing to Declare Six editions following the work of customs officers in Australia. (S)

8.00 9-1-1 12/18 Series 2 Special flashback episode in which Chimney looks back at his evolution into the man he is today, remembering how he joined the force and his work as a firefighter and a paramedic. (HD)

9.00 The Rookie 5/20. The training officers and rookies are pitted against each other in a competition – and Officer Bradford is obsessed with winning. (HD)

10.00 Killer in My Village A look at the death of 82-year-old Bill Williamson, whose body was found in his partner's garden in Godalming, Surrey in 2010. (S) (HD)

11.00 Britain's Most Evil Killers An insight into the crimes of Soham murderer Ian Huntley. (S) (HD)

12 midnight Blue Bloods (S) (HD) **1.00am** Criminal Minds (S) (HD) **4.00** Madam Secretary (HD) **5.00-6.00am** Nothing to Declare (S)

Sky Witness +1 Sky 207 Virgin 140



Gone Girl 10.00pm Amy (Rosamund Pike) goes missing

W

Sky 109 Virgin 125 BT 311 **HD** Virgin 211 BT 383

6.10am Tipping Point (S) (HD) **11.00** Inside the Ambulance (S) (HD)

6.00pm Inside the Ambulance

A baby has breathing problems and paramedics treat an elderly woman who fell and hit her head. **7.00** A patient fears he's having a third heart attack, and an elderly lady has had a bad fall at home.

8.00 Paramedics need to get a sick baby to hospital. They also treat a man with epilepsy. (S) (HD)

9.00 The Shift: Women on the Force 3/6. Acting Inspector Vicky investigates a late-night city centre assault and trainee PC Jade helps a couple who have returned home to find their house ransacked. (AD) (HD)

10.00 Gone Girl ★★★ Mystery thriller starring Ben Affleck and Rosamund Pike. When Amy Dunne goes missing on the fifth anniversary of her marriage to Nick, all the evidence points towards her husband having killed her. Despite protesting his innocence some incriminating clues combine to make him look even guiltier. But is he telling the truth? **Review page 38.** (W) (HD)

1.00am 999 Rescue Squad (S) (HD) **1.50-3.00am** John Bishop in Conversation with... (S) (HD)

W +1 Sky 209 Virgin 190



dinnerladies 7.00pm The daily bread fails to arrive

Gold

Sky 110 BT 310 **HD** Virgin 124

7.20am Goodnight Sweetheart (S) **8.25** As Time Goes By (S) **9.40** 2 Point 4 Children **11.40** The Vicar of Dibley (S) (AD)

2.00pm dinnerladies (S) **4.40** The Vicar of Dibley (S) (AD)

7.00pm dinnerladies Norman the breadman fails to deliver and Jean has knickers on her mind. **7.40** The staff await a royal visit, and Bren is determined to get the tables cleared.

8.20 Bren's mother wreaks havoc, and Anita organises a debate. **9.00** Philippa has a bright idea for raising the staff's spirits. (S)

9.40 The Royle Family Denise has a hangover, but claims it is migraine, brought on by stress. **10.20** The morning of the wedding arrives and it is not just Denise's nerves that are on edge.

11.00 Jim and Barbara are left holding the baby as Denise and Dave enjoy a booze-fuelled night of karaoke. (S) (AD)

11.40 The Office Passions run high at the annual quiz. (S) (AD)

12.20am Knowing Me, Knowing You...with Alan Partridge: spoof chat show (S) **1.00** The League of Gentlemen (S) **1.40** The Royle Family (S) (AD) **3.15-4.00am** The League of Gentlemen (S)

Gold +1 Sky 210 Virgin 194

Comedy Central

Sky 112 Virgin 132 BT 307 **HD** Virgin 181 BT 370

8.00am Blockbusters: Britain's Got Talent (S) (HD) **8.35** Blockbusters (HD) **9.00** Friends (S) (AD) (HD) **12 noon**

FILM Beethoven's 2nd ★★★ (HD) **2.20pm** Two Guys, a Girl and a Pizza Place (S) **2.45** Friends (S) (AD) (HD)

6.00 FILM Evan Almighty ★★★ (HD) **8.00** FILM Austin Powers in Goldmember ★★★ (HD) **9.55** Michael McIntyre's Showtime (S) (HD)

11.00 The Roast of Donald Trump (S) (HD) **12.30am** The Comedy Bus (HD)

1.00 Russell Howard's Stand Up Central (S) (HD) **1.30** Impractical Jokers: Hits Errors, and Balls (HD) **2.00** Impractical Jokers: inside Jokes (HD) **2.30** South Park (HD) **3.50** Bob's Burgers (HD)

4.10 as 8am **4.35-5.00am** as 8.35am

Comedy Central +1 Sky 212 Virgin 133

Sony Crime

Freeview 40 Freesat 143 Sky 157 Virgin 193

7.00am CSI: Crime Scene Investigation: nine episodes **4.00pm** CSI: Crime Scene

Investigation: five episodes. A human brain is found at the scene of a car accident **5.00** A "super gun" is used in a murder **6.00** A man is found dead in Dr Robbins' bed **7.00** Catherine suspects Ceressus has hired a team of assassins **8.00**

Russell and Catherine go on the run **9.00** Interview with a Serial Killer: documentary about the Genesee River Killer, Arthur Shawcross

10.00 Deadly Women: four episodes

2.00-4.00am Body of Evidence

Sony Crime +1 F'view 60 (9pm-6am) Sky 257

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Chicago Med 9.00pm
Halstead tackles a cold case

Universal TV

Sky 113 Virgin 137 BT 320 **HD** Virgin 164 BT 385

8.00am Private Eyes 11.00 NCIS
2.00pm **FILM** My Girl ★★
Romantic drama starring Dan Aykroyd **4.00** **FILM** My Girl 2 ★★
Drama starring Dan Aykroyd

6.00pm **NCIS** 15/24 Series 9
A navy captain leading a double life as a masked vigilante is killed.
7.00 16/24. A navy reservist is found dead in his home.

8.00 Law & Order: Special Victims Unit 15/22 Series 7. The murder of a lawyer who moonlighted as a stripper leads Benson and Stabler to her secret lover.

9.00 New, Chicago Med 16/20 Series 4. Halstead treats a woman on the verge of freezing to death, and Dr Charles's ex-wife receives concerning news.

10.00 Law & Order: Special Victims Unit 19/23 Series 20 The SVU investigates a "he-said, she-said" case when a woman crashes a wedding to accuse her therapist of sexual assault.

11.00 New, In Ice Cold Blood 8/8. A high-speed car chase ends with a 40-year-old newlywed shot being dead in front of her husband and stepdaughter.

12 midnight Law & Order: Special Victims Unit **3.00–5.00am** Numb3rs

Universal TV +1 Sky 213 Virgin 138

PBS America **91**

F'view (HD only) 91 F'sat 155 Sky 174 Virgin 276

8.00am Shooting the War 11.55 Hiroshima **2.05pm** Jewish GIs of WWII **3.15** Prosecuting Evil: the Extraordinary World of Ben Ferencz

5.05pm **Shooting the War** Amateur footage of the Second World War shot by two British and two German soldiers, providing an insight into the daily lives of soldiers.

6.20 The experiences of both British and German children during the Second World War, and how the novelty of war at home turned to harsh reality.

7.40 Amateur footage of the Second World War filmed by British and German women, including the aftermath of the bombing of Dortmund.

9.00 Hiroshima 1/2. Dramatised documentary investigating the dropping of the atomic bomb on Hiroshima, including personal testimonies from survivors and the man who led the mission.
10.00 2/2. Conclusion of the fact-based dramatised documentary charting the political and social impact of the events leading up to and following the nuclear attack on Hiroshima. Including newsreel footage.

11.10 Jewish GIs of WWII The story of the 550,000 Jewish Americans who served in the Second World War, with veterans including Henry Kissinger and Mel Brooks sharing their experiences.
12.15–2.00am Prosecuting Evil: the Extraordinary World of Ben Ferencz



Jonathan Creek 9.00pm Is Mrs Gantry hiding a secret?

Alibi

Sky 132 Virgin 126 BT 312 **HD** Virgin 226 BT 382

7.45am Death in Paradise (S) (AD)
1.00pm Miss Marple (S) (AD)

5.00pm **Miss Marple** Miss Marple is presented with a fresh challenge to her deductive powers while holidaying at the plush Bertram's Hotel in London – a case involving a cleric whose disappearance is seemingly linked to an Irish train robbery. (S) (AD)
7.00 The sleuth (Joan Hickson) receives a cryptic letter from a recently deceased acquaintance asking her to conduct a mysterious investigation. Instructed to go on a coach tour of historic homes around England, she uncovers murder and intrigue. (S) (AD)

9.00 Jonathan Creek Jonathan and his intrepid sidekick Joey investigate a series of mysterious and spooky events at a house called Green Lanterns where a crime writer resides. Guest-starring Paul McGann. (S) (AD) (HD)
11.00 A dead body inexplicably vanishes from a locked study – but the mysteries do not end there for Jonathan and Joey. Rik Mayall, Joanna Lumley and Nigel Planer guest star. (S) (AD) (HD)
1.00am Miss Marple (S) (AD)
3.15–4.00am Murdoch Mysteries: Murdoch makes a discovery (HD)

Alibi +1 Sky 232 Virgin 191



Bones 5.00pm Brennan and Booth are targeted by a killer

Fox

Sky 124 Virgin 157 **HD** Virgin 199

8.00am Monk (HD) **9.00** Bones (HD) **10.00** NCIS (S) (AD) (HD) **11.00** The Mentalist (HD) **12 noon** Bones (HD) **1.00pm** NCIS (S) (AD) (HD)
3.00 Bones (HD) **4.00** The Mentalist (HD) **5.00** Bones (HD)

7.00pm **NCIS** 18/24 Series 13 The team asks a traumatised serviceman to relive the events of a brutal ambush in Iraq. (S) (AD) (HD)
8.00 19/24. A navy officer's tangled love-life is exposed after he is murdered. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Bull Ep 15. Series 3. The jury consultant gets to work alongside Walter Franklin, a legendary lawyer. However, Bull's admiration for his idol is tested. (HD)

10.00 American Dad! Series 13 Stan is hunted across the Old West by bounty hunter Roger. (HD)
10.30 Series 14. Francine becomes obsessed with conspiracy theories. (HD)

11.00 Family Guy Series 11. Peter and Lois send Chris to space camp to boost his self-esteem. (HD)
11.30 Brian writes a play that becomes a hit. (HD)
12 midnight The Orville (HD)
1.00am Family Guy **2.00** American Dad! (HD) **3.00** Family Guy **4.00–5.00am** Monk (HD)

Fox +1 Sky 224 Virgin 158



Homestead Rescue 9.00pm A predator approaches

Discovery

Sky 125 Virgin 250 BT 322 **HD** Virgin 251 BT 376

6.00am Supertrucks (HD)
7.00 Fast 'n' Loud (HD)
8.00 Alaska: the Last Frontier (HD)

6.00pm **Supertrucks** The truckers move millions of pounds worth of army vehicles. (HD)

7.00 Tony Robinson's Wild West The presenter examines the story of the last days of the Sioux. (HD)

8.00 New, How the Universe Works New discoveries lead scientists to question if the Big Bang happened, and whether it was the start of many multiverses. (HD)

9.00 New, Homestead Rescue Misty creates a subterranean garden, and Matt finds a humane approach to deal with the threat of a mysterious predator. (HD)

10.00 Alaskan Bush People The Browns make a risky attempt to move their shelters closer to the barn as the first snow falls. (HD)

11.00 UFOs: the Lost Evidence Mysterious submerged objects. (HD)

12 midnight Gold Rush: Dave Turin's Lost Mine (HD) **1.00am** Supertrucks (HD) **2.00** Combat Dealers (AD) (HD) **3.00** Alaskan Bush People (HD) **3.50** Homestead Rescue (HD) **4.40** Gold Rush (HD)
5.30–6.00am How It's Made (HD)

Discovery +1 Sky 225 Virgin 252

CHILDREN'S

Milkshake! on C5

Full listings for Channel 5 are on p66

6.00am Peppa Pig **6.20** Ben and Holly **6.35** The Day Henry Met **6.40** Bob the Builder **6.50** Olly the Little White Van: Stan forgets he is taking part in a flower show **6.55** Fireman Sam **7.10** Thomas & Friends **7.20** Noddy: Toyland Detective **7.40** Digby Dragon **7.55** Peppa Pig: double bill **8.10** Ben and Holly **8.30** Paw Patrol **8.55** Wissper **9.05** Pirata & Capitano **9.20** Floogals **9.35** Paw Patrol **9.50–10.05am** Shane the Chef

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6.00am Show Me Show Me **6.20** Twirlywoos **6.35** Teletubbies **6.50** Raa Raa the Noisy Lion **7.00** Postman Pat: SDS **7.15** Bing: double bill **7.30** Hey Duggee: double bill **7.45** Peter Rabbit **8.00** Go Jetters **8.10** Octonauts **8.25** Bitz & Bob **8.35** The Furchester Hotel **8.45** Biggleton **9.00** Something Special **9.20** CBeebies Ballet: Puss In Boots **10.10** Melody **10.15** YolanDa's Band Jam **10.30** Justin's House **10.55** Andy's Safari Adventures **11.10** Catie's Amazing Machines **11.25** Waffle the Wonder Dog **11.40** Topsy and Tim **12 noon** My World Kitchen **12.15pm** Old Jack's Boat **12.30** Melody: stories and animation **12.40** Down on the Farm: a look at what happens on farms **1.00** Where in the World? **1.15** My Story **1.25** My Pet and Me **1.40** Footy Pups **2.00** Something Special **2.20** Andy's Safari Adventures **2.35** CBeebies Ballet: Puss In Boots **3.20** Tree Fu Tom **3.40** Go Jetters **3.55** Peter Rabbit **4.05** Waffle the Wonder Dog **4.20** My First **4.30** Magic Hands **4.40** Treasure Champs **4.55** Our Family Fun **5.00** Gigglebiz **5.15** Molly and Mack **5.30** Katie Morag **5.45** Sarah & Duck **5.50** Charlie and Lola **6.00pm** Tee and Mo: animated adventures **6.10** Clangers **6.20** In the Night Garden... **6.50–7.00pm** New. CBeebies Bedtime Stories

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7.00am Arthur **7.15** Dennis & Gnasher Unleashed! **7.25** Danger Mouse **7.35** Now You See It **7.45** Diddy TV **8.00** Danny & Mick **8.15** OOglies **8.30** New. The Dog Ate My Homework **9.00** Blue Peter **9.30** Gym Stars **9.55** Newsround **10.00** FILM The Next Step Live: The Movie ★★ **11.15** Class Dismissed **11.30** Now You See It **11.40** Scream Street **11.55** Newsround **12. noon** Naomi's Nightmares of Nature **12.30pm** The Pets Factor **12.50** Operation Ouch! **1.20** My Life: Knocked Back **1.45** Newsround **1.55** The Dumping Ground **3.20** Dumping Ground Island: Tyler must face his fears or risk losing his friends for ever **4.20** The Dumping Ground Survival Files: double bill **5.20** The Playlist **5.40** My Life: Our Desert Island Home: two brothers who live on the Island of Fofoa in Tonga **6.10pm** Art Ninja **6.35** Ice Stars **7.05** Top Class **7.30** Absolute Genius with Dick & Dom **8.00** Horrible Histories: Sensational Shakespeare Special **8.35–9.00pm** The Next Step

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6.00am Dino Dana **6.10** Super 4 **6.35** Make It Pop **7.00** Mission Employable **7.05** Robozuna **7.30** Marvel's Avengers: Ultron Revolution **7.55** Project Z **8.25** Mr Bean: the Animated Series **9.25** The Tom and Jerry Show **9.55** ToonMarty **10.25** Wishfarm **10.55** Ben 10 **11.25** NinjaGo **11.55** Be Cool, Scooby-Doo! **1.25pm** Mr Magoo **1.55** Wishfarm **2.25** ToonMarty **3.25** Spy School **3.55** Drop Dead Weird **4.25** Mr Bean: the Animated Series **5.30** The Bagel and Becky Show **5.55** Robozuna **6.25pm** Thunderbirds Are Go **6.55** Mysticons **7.20** Fangbone **7.45** Nerds & Monsters: a group of children exiled on an uncharted island **8.05** Spy School **8.30** The Avatars **8.55–9.00pm** Signed Stories: Share a Story

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Dancing queens return

Mamma Mia! Here We Go Again ★★★

8.00pm **Sky Premiere**

Cher raises the diva roof and Meryl Streep again causes floods of tears in this sequel that showcases some of Abba's less-familiar songs. As Sophie (Amanda Seyfried) organises a re-opening of her mother Donna's taverna, she leans on Donna's best friends (Christine Baranski and Julie Walters) for support, enjoying their stories of her adventurous past. Lily James is adorable as Streep's younger incarnation in a commercially driven follow-up, delivering more quality pop in sun-kissed surroundings. **ALAN JONES**



You wait ages for a Bafta...

The King's Speech/A Single Man ★★★★

from 9.00pm **Sony Movie Channel** **FREEVIEW**

After three nominations, Bafta finally rewarded Colin Firth for his patience in 2010 with a best actor award for *A Single Man*. But Firth nearly missed his chance to be up on the podium – he was about to email director Tom Ford to decline the part when he was distracted by the arrival of a fridge repairman. Happily, the email was never sent. And to top it all, Firth was back on stage the next year to accept another Bafta, for *The King's Speech* (review, p38). **ELLIE PORTER**

Epics for Easter

Those looking for more traditional entertainment for Easter will need to rise early to see Charlton Heston parting the Red Sea in *The Ten Commandments*. The 1956 epic begins a run of biblically themed films on Sky Drama, followed by *The Bible*, *The Young Messiah*, *Mary Magdalene* and *Samson*. Heston can also be seen in *Ben-Hur* on TCM, while *The Robe* is available to stream on iPlayer. **JAMIE HEALY**



FREEVIEW

Film4

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F'view 15 F'sat 300 Sky 313 Virgin 428 **HD** Virgin 429

11.00am Megamind ★★★ Clever animated comedy. Will Ferrell, Brad Pitt (2010, PG) (S) (AD)

1.00pm Cheaper by the Dozen 2 ★★

Comedy sequel about two competitive dads. Steve Martin, Bonnie Hunt (2005, PG) (S)

2.50pm Ice Age: the Meltdown ★★★

Colourful and inventive animated sequel. Ray Romano, John Leguizamo, Denis Leary (2006, U) (S)

4.45pm Home Alone 3 ★★★

There are some genuine laughs in this knockabout second sequel. Alex D Linz (1997, PG)

6.50pm Eddie the Eagle *****

Taron Egerton stars as ski-jumping underdog Eddie "The Eagle" Edwards in a crowd-pleasing true story. Hugh Jackman (2016, PG) (S) (AD)

9.00pm The Wolverine ★★★

The mutant mauler becomes embroiled in a gang war in Japan in this gripping adventure. Review p38. Hugh Jackman (2013, 12) (S) (AD)

11.25pm True Grit ★★★★

This remake of the John Wayne western from the Coen brothers is a riveting ride. Jeff Bridges (2010, 15) (S) (AD)

1.35-3.25am Commando ★★★

Action adventure. Arnold Schwarzenegger (1985, 18) (S)

Film4 +1 F'view 45 (HD only) F'sat 301 Sky 314 Virgin 430

Sony Movie Channel 32

Freeview 32 Freesat 302 Sky 321 Virgin 425

9.00am The Producers ★★ Comedy. Nathan Lane (2005, 12) **11.35am See No Evil, Hear No Evil**

★ Comedy. Gene Wilder (1989, 15) **1.40pm Mr**

Jones ★★ Drama. Richard Gere (1993, 15) **3.55pm Eat Pray Love** ★★ Drama. Julia Roberts (2010, 15)

6.35pm Raising Helen ★★★ Slick

romantic comedy drama. Kate Hudson (2004, PG)

9.00pm The King's Speech ★★★★ Drama.

Review, p38; **Choice, left.** Colin Firth (2010, 12)

11.30pm A Single Man ★★★★ Cool, great-looking drama. Colin Firth, Julianne Moore (2009, 12)

1.35am The Marine II ★★ Thriller. Ted DiBiase (2009, 15) **3.40-5.50am Autumn in New York** ★ Romantic drama. Richard Gere (2000, 15)

Sony Movie Channel +1 Sky 322 F'view 50 (10pm-5am)

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Freeview 48 Freesat 305 Sky 323 Virgin 426

6.00am Hellhounds of Alaska ★ Western. (1973, PG) **7.50am Relentless** ★★ Western. Robert Young (1948) **9.45am I Am Sartana, Your Angel of Death** ★★ Western. John Garko (1969, 15) **11.50am Ambush at Tomahawk Gap** ★★ Western. John Hodiak (1953) **1.30pm Ten Wanted Men** ★★ Western. Randolph Scott (1955, U) **3.15pm The Last Days of Frank and Jesse James** ★★★ Western. Johnny Cash (1986, 15) **5.20pm Tall in the Saddle** ★★★ Western. John Wayne (1944, U) **7.10pm Django's Cut Price Corpses** ★★ Spaghetti western. Jeff Cameron, John Desmond (1971) **9.00pm Predestination** ★★★ Imaginative sci-fi thriller. Ethan Hawke, Sarah Snook, Noah Taylor (2014, 15) **11.05pm The Hard Corps** ★★ Thriller. Jean-Claude Van Damme (2006, 15) **1.15pm Officer Down** ★★ Crime thriller. Sherilyn Fenn, Casper Van Dien (2005, 15) **3.00-4.00am Against All Odds**

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Talking Pictures TV 31

Freeview 81 Freesat 306 Sky 328 Virgin 445

6.00am Scales of Justice **6.40am Man in the Moon** ★★ Comedy. Kenneth More (1960, PG) **8.40am Liberace Easter Special** **9.10am For Those in Peril** ★★★ Drama. David Farrar (1943, U) **10.30am Androcles and the Lion** ★★★ Comedy. Jean Simmons (1952, U) **12.25pm It's Great to Be Young** ★★★★ Musical comedy. John Mills (1956, U) **2.30pm Nurse Edith Cavell** ★★ Drama. (1939) **4.30pm I Know Where I'm Going!** ***** Romantic comedy. Review, p38. (1945, U) **6.30pm For the Love of Ada** Comedy. **7.00pm Cone of Silence** ★★★★ Taut British aeronautical drama. Michael Craig, Peter Cushing (1960) **9.00pm Armchair Theatre** TV drama. **10.00pm The Anderson Tapes** ★★★ Enjoyable crime drama. Sean Connery (1971, 15) (S)

12.00am Walk on the Wild Side ★★★ Melodrama. Laurence Harvey (1962, 15) (S) **2.15am Shoot to Kill** ★★★ Film noir. Russell Wade (1947) (S)

3.30-6.00am Pandora and the Flying Dutchman ★★★★ Fantasy. (1950, PG) (S)

1.45am Team America: World Police ★★★ Comedy. Trey Parker, Matt Stone (2004, 15) **3.30pm Role Models** ★★★ Comedy. Paul Rudd, Sean William Scott (2008, 15) **5.20pm Indiscreet** ★★★ Romantic comedy. Cary Grant (1958, PG)

Premiere

Sky 301 Virgin 431 BT 501 **HD** Virgin 401

6.00am Samson ★★ Drama. Taylor

James (2018, 15) **8.00pm Shazam! Special**

8.30pm As 2.15pm **10.30pm As 6.20pm**

12.10pm As 8pm **2.15pm Christopher Robin** ★★ Part-animated

adventure. Ewan McGregor (2018, PG) **4.15pm Ant-Man and the Wasp** As 10pm

6.15pm Mary Poppins Returns Special

6.30pm Teen Titans Go! To the Movies ★★★ Gag-packed

superhero parody. **Choice, p60.**

Scott Menville, Hynden Walch, Khary Payton (2018, PG)

8.00pm Mamma Mia! Here We Go Again ★★★ More Abba songs

accompany the energetic performances in this musical

sequel. **Choice, left.** Lily James (2018, PG)

10.00pm Ant-Man and the Wasp

★★★★ Rip-roaring Marvel

adventure. Paul Rudd, Evangeline Lilly (2018, 12)

12.00am Blame ★★★ Drama. Quinn Shephard (2017, 15) **3.50pm Lu over the Wall**

★★★★ Animated fantasy. (2017, PG)

Premiere +1 Sky 312 Virgin 402

Superhero

Sky 303 Virgin 434 BT 508 **HD** Virgin 404

6.00am As 3.15pm **8.30pm Black Panther** As 5.40pm **10.50pm X-Men: First Class** As 8pm

1.05pm Deadpool 2 As 10.15pm **3.15pm Captain America: the Winter Soldier** ★★★★ Action

adventure. Chris Evans, Samuel L Jackson, Scarlett Johansson, Robert Redford (2014, 12)

5.40pm Black Panther ★★★★

Exciting and ground-breaking Marvel adventure. Chadwick Boseman, Andy Serkis, Michael B Jordan, Lupita Nyong'o (2018, 12)

8.00pm X-Men: First Class

★★★★ Terrific reboot of the superhero franchise. James McAvoy, Michael Fassbender, Kevin Bacon, Rose Byrne (2011, 12)

10.15pm Deadpool 2 ★★★★ Fantasy

sequel with plenty of action adding flavour to the comedic edge. Ryan Reynolds, Josh Brolin (2018, 15)

12.20pm Watchmen ★★★★

Action fantasy thriller. Billy Crudup, Jackie Earle Haley, Patrick Wilson (2009, 18) **3.05pm The Top Ten Show** **3.25pm Batman vs Robin** **4.55pm Lego DC Super Hero Girls: Super-Villain High**

Comedy

Sky 307 Virgin 438 BT 506 **HD** Virgin 408

7.00am Happy Gilmore ★★ Comedy. (1996, 12) **8.40pm My Blind Brother** ★★★ Comedy drama.

(2016) **10.15pm Pretty Woman** ★★★★

Romantic comedy. Richard Gere (1990, 15)

12.20pm As 8pm **2.15pm As 10pm**

4.05pm Meet the Parents ★★★★

Comedy. Robert De Niro, Ben Stiller (2000, 12)

6.00pm Meet the Fockers

★★★ Entertaining sequel to

Meet the Parents. Robert De Niro, Ben Stiller, Dustin Hoffman, Barbra Streisand (2004, 12)

8.00pm Tropic Thunder ★★★★

Ben Stiller co-writes, directs and stars in this hilarious comedy. Jack

Black, Robert Downey Jr, Steve Coogan (2008, 15)

10.00pm Tag ★★ Hit-and-miss

comedy. Ed Helms, Jon Hamm (2018, 15)

11.50pm Step Brothers ★★★ Zany

comedy. Will Ferrell, John C Reilly (2008, 15)

1.45pm Team America: World Police ★★★ Comedy. Trey Parker, Matt

Stone (2004, 15) **3.30pm Role Models**

★★★★ Comedy. Paul Rudd, Sean William Scott (2008, 15) **5.20pm Indiscreet** ★★★

Romantic comedy. Cary Grant (1958, PG)

Hits

Sky 302 Virgin 433 BT 504 **HD** Virgin 403

7.20am Goodbye Christopher Robin

★★★★ Drama. Domhnall Gleeson, Margot Robbie (2017, PG) **9.20pm As 6.30pm**

11.45pm Star Wars Episode VIII: the Last Jedi As 9pm **2.30pm**

Game Night As 11.30pm **4.15pm The Shape of Water</b**

EASTER DAY

Disney

Sky 304 Virgin 435 BT 503 **HD** Virgin 405
7.10am Pocahontas ★★★ Adventure. (1995, U) **8.40** As 4.40pm
10.20 WALL-E ★★★ Sci-fi comedy. (2008, U) **12.05pm** As 8pm **1.45** As 9.45pm **3.10 Planes: Fire and Rescue** ★★★ Adventure. (2014, U) **4.40 Monsters, Inc** ★★★ Comedy adventure. John Goodman (2001, U)

6.20pm Bolt ★★★ Heart-warming adventure about a TV-superhero dog. John Travolta (2008, PG)

8.00 Maleficent ★★★ Entertaining reworking of *Sleeping Beauty*. Angelina Jolie (2014, PG)

9.45 One Hundred and One Dalmatians ★★★ Wonderful animated caper. Rod Taylor (1960, U)

11.10 Night Crossing ★★ Worthy but well-meaning escape tale. John Hurt, Jane Alexander (1981, PG)

1.00am The Million Dollar Duck ★★★ Comedy. Dean Jones (1971, U) **2.45**
Tex ★★★★ Drama. Matt Dillon, Jim Metzler (1982, PG) **4.40 TinkerBell and the Pirate Fairy** ★★★ Fantasy. Mae Whitman, Christina Hendricks, Tom Hiddleston (2014, U)

Drama

Sky 309 Virgin 440 BT 511 **HD** Virgin 410
6.00am The Ten Commandments ★★★★ Biblical epic. Charlton Heston, Yul Brynner (1956, U) **9.40 The Bible** ★★ Religious epic. Richard Harris (1966, U)
12.40pm The Young Messiah ★★ Religious drama. Adam Greaves-Neal (2016) **2.35** As 8.15pm **4.40 Samson** ★★ Action drama. Taylor James (2018, 15)

6.35pm The 15:17 to Paris ★★ Clint Eastwood's retelling of a true-life story. Anthony Sadler (2018, 15)

8.15 Mary Magdalene ★★★ Well-played religious drama that takes a revisionist look at the familiar Gospel tale. Rooney Mara (2017, 12)

10.20 Lady Bird ★★★ Comedy that deftly balances wit and angst in its portrayal of a turbulent mother-daughter relationship. Saoirse Ronan (2017, 15)

12 midnight Unforgettable ★ Thriller. Katherine Heigl, Rosario Dawson (2017, 15)
1.45am The Doors ★★★ Musical biography. Val Kilmer, Meg Ryan (1991, 18)
4.10 Kramer vs Kramer ★★★★ Drama. Dustin Hoffman, Meryl Streep (1979, PG)

Thriller

Sky 311 Virgin 439 BT 509 **HD** Virgin 409
6.00am Ocean's Eleven ★★★★ Crime caper. (2001, 12) **8.05 Ocean's Twelve** ★★ (2004, 12) **10.15** As 9pm **12.40pm Don't Hang Up** ★★★ (2016, 15) **2.05 Three Billboards outside Ebbing, Missouri** ★★★★ Drama. (2017, 15) **4.05 All the Money in the World** ★★★ Thriller. (2017, 15)

6.30pm Catch Me If You Can ★★★ Steven Spielberg's stylish, funny and suspenseful true-life tale. Leonardo DiCaprio, Tom Hanks (2002, 12)

9.00 Fast & Furious 8 ★★★★ Vin Diesel and the team return for more turbo-driven spectacle and tongue-in-cheek smarts. Dwayne Johnson, Charlize Theron, Jason Statham (2017, 12)

11.20 Breaking In ★★★ Efficiently handled home-invasion thriller. Gabrielle Union (2018, 15)

12.55am Proud Mary ★★★ Action thriller. Taraji P Henson (2018, 15)
2.30 The Sugarland Express ★★★ Action adventure. Goldie Hawn, Ben Johnson (1974, PG) **4.25 Point Last Seen** ★★★ Thriller. Linda Hamilton (1998)

Animation

Sky 305 Virgin 436 BT 505 **HD** Virgin 406
6.35am Monster Family ★ Horror comedy. Emily Watson (2017, PG)
8.15 As 4.45pm **9.50** As 9.50pm **11.30** As 6.20pm **1.10pm** As 8pm **2.55 The Lego Ninjago Movie** ★★ Adventure. Jackie Chan (2017, U) **4.45 Despicable Me 3** ★★★ Comedy adventure. Steve Carell, Kristen Wiig (2017, U)

6.20pm Hop ★★★ Cute comedy. James Marsden, Russell Brand, Kaley Cuoco (2011, U)

8.00 The Lego Movie ★★★ The gags come thick and fast in this awesomely imaginative comedy. Chris Pratt, Will Ferrell (2014, U)

9.50 Ice Age 3: Dawn of the Dinosaurs ★★★ Entertaining episode in the prehistoric comedy series. Ray Romano (2009, U)

11.30 Woody Woodpecker ★★ Wacky adventure. Eric Bauza (2017, PG)

1.10am Monster Family As 6.35am

2.55 Thumbelina ★★ Adventure.

Jodi Benson, Barbara Cook, Gary Imhoff (1994, U)

4.35 Tad the Lost Explorer and the Secret of King Midas ★★★ Adventure. Trevor White (2017, U)

Sci-Fi/Horror

Sky 310 Virgin 441 BT 507 **HD** Virgin 411

6.45am Star Trek: the Motion Picture ★★★ (1979, U) **9.00 Star Trek II: the Wrath of Khan** ★★★★ (1982, 12)
11.00 Star Trek III: the Search for Spock ★★★ (1984, PG) **1.00pm Star Trek IV: the Voyage Home** ★★★★ (1986, PG) **3.00 Star Trek V: the Final Frontier** ★★★ (1989, PG)

5.00pm Star Trek VI: the Undiscovered Country ★★★★ Sci-fi adventure. William Shatner (1991, PG)

7.00 Star Trek: Generations ★★★★ Captain Picard needs help from Captain Kirk. (1994, PG)

9.00 Star Trek: First Contact ★★★★ First-rate sci-fi. Patrick Stewart, Jonathan Frakes, Brent Spiner, LeVar Burton (1996, 12)

11.00 Star Trek: Insurrection ★★★ The crew protects an alien race. Patrick Stewart, Jonathan Frakes (1998, PG)

1.00am Star Trek: Nemesis

★★★ Sci-fi adventure. Patrick Stewart, Jonathan Frakes, Brent Spiner (2002, 12) **3.00 Star Trek: the Motion Picture** As 6.45am **5.15** Sky Cinema Preview

TCM

Sky 315 Virgin 415 BT 512 **HD** Virgin 416

6.00am North by Northwest ★★★ Spy thriller. Cary Grant, Eva Marie Saint (1959, PG) **9.00 Walk the Proud Land** ★★ Western. Audie Murphy (1956, U) **11.05 Ben-Hur** ★★★★ Period epic. **Choice, left.** Charlton Heston, Stephen Boyd (1959, PG) **3.10pm Arizona** ★★★ Western. Jean Arthur, William Holden (1940, U)

5.50pm Where Eagles Dare

★★★★ Allied soldiers mount a daring rescue mission in this thrilling wartime adventure. Richard Burton, Clint Eastwood, Mary Ure (1969, PG)

9.00 The Bank Job ★★★ Entertaining British heist film set in the early 1970s. Jason Statham, Saffron Burrows, Stephen Campbell Moore (2008, 15)

11.20 Striking Distance ★★★ Action-packed crime thriller. Bruce Willis, Sarah Jessica Parker, Dennis Farina (1993, 18)

1.35am Get Carter ★★★★ Crime thriller. Michael Caine (1971, 18) **3.30** Hollywood's Best Film Directors

TCM +1 Sky 316 Virgin 417

SPORT Choices



British Superbikes 1.00pm

Eurosport 2 Northern Ireland's Glenn Irwin could be a contender

Sky Main Event

Sky 401 Virgin 511 BT 402 **HD** Virgin 501 BT 437

5.00am LIVE Netball Pulse v Magic.

6.45 My Icon 7.00 Total Goals

9.30 The Sunday Supplement

11.00 Goals on Sunday

12.30pm LIVE Premier League Football Everton v Manchester United (kick-off 1.30);

3.30 Live Premier League Cardiff City v Liverpool (kick-off 4.00).

7.00 Soccerbox 8.30 Goals on Sunday

10.00 Premier League Football 2.30am Best Goals 3.00 Premier League

Football 3.00-6.00am 100 Club

Sky Premier League

Sky 402 Virgin 512 **HD** Virgin 502

6.00am Greatest Games 7.00 Premier League Football 9.30 The Sunday Supplement 11.00 Goals on Sunday

12.30pm LIVE Premier League Football Everton v Manchester United (kick-off 1.30);

3.30 Live Premier League Cardiff City v Liverpool (kick-off 4.00).

7.00 Soccerbox 8.30 Goals on Sunday

10.00 Premier League Football 2.30am Best Goals 3.00 Premier League

Football 3.00-6.00am 100 Club

Sky Cricket

Sky 404 Virgin 514 **HD** Virgin 504

6.00am Greatest Games 7.00 Masterclass 8.00 Great Moments

8.45 My Icon 9.00 Greatest Games 10.00 World Cup Classics 4.00pm

2015 World Cup 6.00 World Cup Preview

7.00 Cricket 360 7.30 World Cup Preview

8.30 Cricket 360 9.00 2003

World Cup 12 midnight Masterclass

1.00 Greatest Games 2.00 Great Moments 2.45 My Icon 3.00 Masterclass

4.00 Greatest Games 5.00 Great Moments 5.45-6.00am My Icon

BT Sport 1

Sky 413 Virgin 527 BT 408 **HD** BT 430

6.00am Motor Racing: European Le Mans Series 7.00 Europa League

8.00 LIVE Australian Football Wellington v Melbourne City.

10.00 German Football

11.00 Inspiring Disabled People through Sport (AD)

11.15 LIVE Indian Premier League Cricket Sunrisers Hyderabad v Kolkata Knight Riders;

3.30pm Live IPL, Royal Challengers Bangalore v Chennai Super Kings.

7.30 Sport in Focus: Cesc Fàbregas

7.45 LIVE French Football PSG v AS Monaco (kick-off 8.00).

10.00 Ghosts of Ole Miss (AD)

11.00 Baseball Tonight

12 midnight LIVE Major League Baseball Indians v Braves.

3.00am Trojan War (AD) 4.30 This is What They Want (AD) **5.30-6.00am** World Rally

BT Sport 2

Sky 414 Virgin 528 BT 409 **HD** BT 431

7.00am Premier League 9.30 Italian Football 10.00 Rugby Union

2.30pm LIVE Rugby Union

Leinster v Toulouse (kick-off 3.15), European Rugby Champions Cup semi-final, from Dublin.

5.30 World Rally

6.00 LIVE Major League Baseball Yankees v Royals (start time 6.05).

9.00 UFC

12 midnight LIVE eSports NFL.

2.00am UFC Unleashed 3.00 Australian Football 4.30 The Big Match Revisited

5.30-6.00am Italian Football

BT Sport 3

Sky 417 Virgin 529 BT 410 **HD** BT 432

6.00am German Football

8.30 Indian Premier League Cricket

10.30 Europa League

11.30 LIVE Tennis Great Britain v Kazakhstan, final day of the Fed Cup World Group II play-off at the Copper Box Arena, east London.

8.00pm World Rally 8.30 Champions League 9.00 Rugby Union 10.30 German Football 1.30-6.00am French Football

BT Sport/ESPN

Sky 423 Virgin 530 BT 411 **HD** BT 434

6.00am Major League Baseball

RAVENSWORTH TCE



TIME TRAVELLER

David Olusoga uncovers more fascinating chapters in the history of Number 5

PICK OF THE DAY **A House through Time** 9.00pm BBC2

DOCUMENTARY You couldn't make it up. Watching David Olusoga's extraordinary history of 5 Ravensworth Terrace, Newcastle, it strikes you that if a scriptwriter devised the storylines that unfold here, you'd seriously doubt that one house could witness so much drama. But it did, and we get fascinating glimpses of complex lives that Olusoga draws out from documents and photographs.

In 1910 the Eagle family are using the property as a theatrical boarding

house. There is a nice interlude on Edwardian music hall acts who stayed there, but the mood turns dark as the First World War breaks out and a xenophobic "spymania" grips Newcastle, with grim consequences for the family.

One resident was widowed twice by the age of 31, both in cruel circumstances. Then the 1920s bring further turmoil as the house is caught up in the struggle for Irish independence. It's a heck of a story. **DAVID BUTCHER**

University Challenge

8.30pm BBC2

QUIZ This tournament began in mid-July last year. Now two teams remain, levelling their cerebral firepower at each other for a duel to the general-knowledge death.

Although the knowledge in this series is anything but general, that's the beauty of it. *University Challenge* is surely the only TV quiz – perhaps anywhere in the world – where a question is liable to start, "Answer in English or Latin..." as happened in the first of the semi-finals.

Edinburgh won that one, beating Durham, but I won't reveal their opponents tonight in case you have yet to see the second semi-final. Let's hope Jeremy Paxman chairs a fair fight. **DAVID BUTCHER**
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Travel Man: 48 Hours in Porto

8.30pm C4

DOCUMENTARY Nish Kumar joins Richard Ayoade for a pootle round Porto that involves few of the traditional sights, but does include a wobbly scooter ride that they reckon looks like a deleted sequence from *Quadrophenia*, and a visit to a 5D cinema that's punctuated by screams. "Labour can't be worse than that!" concludes Ayoade.

They bounce one-liners off each other and have a laugh, although that may be the result of drinking the local port. It may also explain why Kumar devours the oozing Portuguese version of a *croque monsieur* "created by someone who's ideologically opposed to portion control". **JANE RACKHAM**

Not Going Out

9.00pm BBC1 (N Ireland: 10.55pm)

SITCOM After last week's masterclass, the comedy comes down to earth this week, and promptly dips below the belt. Lee is outraged that his twins have started sex education at primary school. "I should be the one telling them the facts of life," he huffs, though in practice he's so embarrassed, he only succeeds in confusing them.

To make matters worse, the children's teacher calls Lee and Lucy in for stern chats on account of ideas the twins have been sharing in class. When Lucy delivers the final blow to Lee's pride, it's time for a musical montage involving a sex shop and a Kama Sutra pop-up book that feels a little too rooted in cartoon sitcom-world. **DAVID BUTCHER**

The Widow

9.00pm ITV

DRAMA If you thought this drama was cruising a bit, you're in luck. Tonight the story of Georgia (Kate Beckinsale) and her search for her husband in the jungles of the Congo takes a nicely unexpected left turn.

Alex Kingston plays Georgia's aid worker friend Judith, and until now I was thinking the role seemed on the small side for her: but not any more. We dive into Judith's past for a whole new angle on her life involving a typically sharp and believable cameo from Siobhan Finneran.

Look out, because there are full-on, very nasty shocks along the way, too, as the plot creases and folds in unlikely places, setting us up for the next episode tomorrow night. **DAVID BUTCHER**

EASTER MONDAY



Bravo to **EastEnders** (8.00pm BBC1) for remembering that Phil Mitchell is a human being. For the past couple of years, he's seemed to have special powers. Let's consider those abilities for a minute: a bottomless back pocket that always contains a wad of banknotes, a magic liver that can regenerate whenever he falls off the wagon and a steel outer shell that allows him to survive any car crash or shooting. But, all of a sudden, Phil is vulnerable – and it makes him a much more believable

TODAY IN SOAPLAND



character. He's being massively hoodwinked by his son Ben, his abducted daughter Louise is being held in a shipping container (the plotlines may not be as believable as Phil's new character) and he's now forced to rely on the younger Keanu for help. Obviously, he's still Top Dog of Walford – no one will take that crown until actor Steve McFadden decides to call it a day. But a frayed Phil is a far more credible figure than the superhero/villain he'd been morphing into. **DAVID BROWN**

Ghosts

9.30pm **BBC1** (N Ireland: 11.25pm)

SITCOM Mike tries to convince Alison that the ghosts she sees in the country house they've inherited are merely a side-effect of her fall from the window. As Alison, Charlotte Ritchie is at the heart of this likeable sitcom and she shines in an all-star ensemble – though tonight her role mainly involves becoming increasingly desperate.

There's a nice scene where she tells the infatuated (dead) poet played by Mathew Baynton, "You're in my head!" (because she's trying to convince herself of that), to which he replies, "And you in mine, my sweet!"

Meanwhile, the (dead) Second World War captain played by Ben Willbond is also smitten, in his case by a tank doc on the History channel: "Hello to you!" **DAVID BUTCHER**

Sara Pascoe Live: LadsLadsLads

10.00pm **BBC2** (N Ireland: 10.30pm)

COMEDY While most of us divulge our heartbreaks only to our closest friends (or perhaps a pet), comedian Sara Pascoe stood up on stage in 2017 in a sparkly outfit and spilled her break-up pain at the Edinburgh Festival – and then toured Britain with it. The 37-year-old had just split up with fellow comic John Robins and out of her new single life she created a very funny show – of which this was the London Palladium finale.

Prepare to hear her overshare about her sex life, her attempts to conceive, and the experience of spending Valentine's Day alone in Paris and realising that, "if you are not kissing someone, the Eiffel Tower is just a high-up cage". **KASIA DELGADO**

Back to Life

10.30pm **BBC1**

COMEDY DRAMA When somebody says, "This has to go well" in a comedy, it's a given that it won't. So, it's no surprise that former prisoner Miri Matteson's first shift at Nathan's fish and chip shop fails to go to plan after her boss tells her how much is riding on it.

But the way the day unravels is, at times, startling. In fact, at one point, I jumped so suddenly that I spilled tea into my lap. That's nothing compared with Miri, though, who is left both bloodied and traumatised.

But she isn't the only one with secrets – as writer and star Daisy Haggard starts cracking the carapace of the community, we learn more about what others are hiding, too.

DAVID BROWN

DISCOVER TV

The best of streaming and catch-up



Limmy's Homemade Show

iPlayer (expires today)

He's as well known now for his books as he is for his sketch comedy, but bedroom genius Brian Limond is still a master of off-kilter skits. Last year he returned with this one-off half-hour, self-filmed and with nobody else in the cast. Those restrictions free his already expansive imagination still further: there are more good ideas here than in most people's six-part series.

DISCOVER TV KIDS

Pinky Malinky

Netflix

The smart-mouthed 12-year-old, an ordinary high-school kid apart from the fact that he's a talking hot-dog sausage, returns for more witty animated capers. **JACK SEALE**

BEST LIVE SPORT



■ Indian Premier League

Cricket: Rajasthan Royals v Delhi Capitals 3.15pm **BT Sport 3**
Jos Buttler is one of four English players in the Rajasthan squad.

■ World Snooker 10am, 1pm **BBC2/BBC red button**; 7pm **BBC red button**; 10am, 2.30pm, 6.30pm **Eurosport 1**

■ Championship Football: Brentford v Leeds Utd 5pm (k/o 5.15pm) **Sky Football/Main Event**

FILM OF THE DAY

Notting Hill

10.20pm **ITV**

An unlikely romance begins in a bookshop in the romantic comedy starring Julia Roberts and Hugh Grant. **See page 41**

LOVE OF JEOPARDY

Mark Kermode shares the secrets of some of his favourite disaster films



Mark Kermode's Secrets of Cinema

9.00pm **BBC4**

ARTS Big-name casts, big budgets and CGI: yes, disaster movies often involve such things, but cinematic maestro Mark Kermode skilfully takes us through the not-so-obvious examples, too.

That said, as a young lad in the 70s he saw *The Towering Inferno* three times in one week. That, and *The Poseidon Adventure*, gets a good outing here.

Clever editing, Kermode shows us, can be as effective as special effects, while recurring story devices maintain the viewers' sense of jeopardy.

And, as always, he has a neat turn of phrase. 1998's *Armageddon* is "brash, noisy and bombastic... the Donald Trump of disaster flicks".

He concludes by pondering what disaster movies can teach us. Don't live in New York is the answer – it's been destroyed at least 69 times on screen. **JR**

Monday Television

EASTER MONDAY

DAYTIME

BBC1

6.00am Breakfast Roger Johnson, Naga Munchetty. (S) (HD)

9.00 New series. Health: Truth or Scare Angela Rippon and Kevin Dual look at the science behind health claims. Today they examine cannabis oil. (S) (HD)

9.45 Homes under the Hammer Properties sold at auction in Kent, Birmingham and Cornwall. (R) (S) (HD)

10.45 New series. The Customer Is Always Right Entrepreneurs' products are put to the test by a team of potential customers. With Lucy Alexander. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.30 Close Calls: on Camera A young couple out walking are hit by an out-of-control car. (R) (S) (HD)

12 noon Bargain Hunt From Wetherby racecourse in West Yorkshire. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

1.00pm BBC News Regional News; Weather (S) (HD)

1.30 New series. Impossible Rick Edwards hosts. (S) (HD)

2.15 Escape to the Country Jules Hudson helps a couple looking for a home in Leicestershire. (S) (AD) (HD)

1 BBC SPORT ONLINE 2.30–5.30 5 Live Final Score The latest football scores from BBC Radio 5 Live, at bbc.co.uk/sport

3.00 Garden Rescue The team designs a wildlife-friendly garden in Devizes, Wiltshire. (R) (S) (HD)

3.30 Money for Nothing Dining chairs, a well-used table and some DJ equipment are upcycled. (R) (S) (HD)

4.15 Home Is Where the Art Is Artists bid to create a piece celebrating a move to the Lake District. (S) (AD) (HD)

5.00–5.45 The Repair Shop A 1930s transistor radio is restored. Repeated tomorrow 6.25am BBC2 (S) (HD)

BBC2

6.30am The Repair Shop Shown Good Friday BBC1 (S) (HD)

7.15 Home Is Where the Art Is Shown Good Friday BBC1 (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00–9.00 Sign Zone Great British Menu The chefs prepare for a banquet at St Bartholomew's Hospital. (R) (S) (HD)

9.00 BBC News (S) (HD)

10.00 LIVE World Snooker Shaun Murphy's match against a qualifier concludes, and Mark Selby's gets under way. Coverage from a choice of tables on the red button and at bbc.co.uk/sport until 2pm. (S) (HD)

12.15pm The Super League Show Action from the Hull derby, Wigan Warriors v St Helens and Leeds Rhinos v Huddersfield Giants. Shown yesterday 12.05am BBC1 North (S) (HD)

1.00–6.00 LIVE World Snooker John Higgins's first-round match concludes and Ronnie O'Sullivan's gets under way. Presented by Hazel Irvine. Coverage from a choice of tables on the red button and at bbc.co.uk/sport continues until 11pm. (S) (HD)

ITV

6.00am Good Morning Britain TOWIE's Lydia, Debbie, Dave, Freddie and Romana – and their dog Stanley – are in the studio. (S) (HD)

8.30 Lorraine With actress Anne Hathaway. (S) (HD)

9.25 The Jeremy Kyle Show Family feuds. (S) (HD)

10.30 This Morning Guests and topical features. (S) (HD)

12.30pm Loose Women Topical discussion. (S) (HD)

1.45 ITV Lunchtime News Regional News; Weather (S) (HD)

2.00 Judge Rinder Real-life legal disputes. (S) (HD)

3.00 Tenable Five friends who work in the building trade answer quiz questions about top ten lists. (R) (S) (HD)

4.00–5.00 Tipping Point Game show. (S) (HD)

Channel 4

6.00am Countdown Paul Zenon guests. (R) (S) (HD)

6.35 Cheers Triple bill of the US sitcom. (R) (S) (HD)

7.55 Frasier Triple bill of the comedy. (R) (S)

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

10.20 Ramsay's Hotel Hell The chef heads to the Angler's Lodge in Island Park, Idaho. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

11.15 Car SOS Actor James Nesbitt helps Tim and Fuzz fix up a 1959 MG MGA sports car that has been kept in a damp barn for more than 40 years. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

12.10pm Dante's Peak ★★★ Disaster action adventure starring Pierce Brosnan. A volcano threatens a small mountainside town. **Review page 41.** Director Roger Donaldson (1997, 12) (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

2.10 Countdown With guest Paul Zenon. (S) (HD)

3.00 A Place in the Sun A couple search for a retirement home on the island of Lanzarote. (R) (S) (HD)

4.00–5.00 A New Life in the Sun Two former horticulture lecturers move to France. (S) (HD)

BBC1

Not Going Out

9.00pm Lucy is not impressed by Lee's attempts to teach the kids about sex



5.45pm Pointless

Quiz presented by Alexander Armstrong. (S) (HD)

6.30 BBC News Regional News; Weather

7.00 The One Show

With Matt Baker and Alex Jones. (S) (HD)

7.30 Wallace & Gromit: A Close Shave

In the third adventure for Nick Park's animated characters, Wallace falls in love and Gromit is framed for sheep rustling. Featuring the voices of Peter Sallis and Anne Reid. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 EastEnders

Keanu puts in a desperate call to Phil.

Writer Jonny O'Neill Cast Thursday/Friday (S) (AD) (HD)

Today in Soapland: page 73

8.30 Room 101

Alex Brooker, Jeremy Paxman and Sally Phillips air their gripes, including positive thinking, tourist attractions and David Cameron. Frank Skinner hosts. Director Ian Lorimer; Producer Emily Pickthall (R) (S) (HD)

9.00 Not Going Out

RT 2/7 Series 10. **Facts of Life.** Lee decides it's his duty to teach the twins about sex, but discovers – too late – that his knowledge of the subject is somewhat limited. **See page 72.**

Lee Mack Molly Francesca Newman
Lucy Sally Bretton Benji Max Pattison
Toby Hugh Dennis Miss Anstis Selina Griffiths

Writers Lee Mack and Danny Peak; Director Nick Wood

Producer Jamie Rix (S) (HD)

9.30 Ghosts

RT 2/6. Gorilla War. The ghosts are hounding Alison – and her attempts to ignore them only exacerbate the problem. Mike tries to assure her there's a rational explanation. **See page 73.**

Alison	Charlotte Ritchie	Head/Plague victim	Laurence Rickard
Mike	Kiell Smith-Bynoe	Pat/Plague victim	Jim Howick
Lady Button/Plague victim		The Captain/Plague victim	Ben Willbond
Martha Howe-Douglas		Kitty/Plague victim	Lolly Adefope
Thomas Thorne/Plague victim		Mary/Plague victim	Katy Wix
Julian/Plague victim	Matthew Baynton	Headless Humphrey's body	Yani Aleksandrov
Robin the Caveman/Headless Humphrey's	Simon Farnaby	Doctor (dead)	Paul Cawley
Writer Laurence Rickard; Director Tom Kingsley			
Producer Matthew Mulot (S) (AD) (HD)			

10.00 BBC News Regional News; Weather

10.30 Back to Life

RT 2/6. Miri is delighted to start her job at Nathan's fish-and-chip shop. **See page 73.**

The whole series is available on iPlayer.

Miri Matteson	Daisy Haggard	Mandy	Christine Bottomley
Caroline Matteson	Geraldine James	Nathan	Liam Williams
Oscar Matteson	Richard Durden	Lara	Imogen Gurney
Billy	Adeel Akhtar	Janice	Jo Martin
Dom	Jamie Michie	Doctor	Angus Kennedy
Writers Daisy Haggard and Laura Solon			
Director Christopher Sweeney (S) (HD)			

10.55 Have I Got a Bit More News for You

3/9. Steph McGovern hosts an extended edition of last Friday's show, with guest panellists Ash Sarkar and Josh Widdicombe. (Revised rpt) (S) (HD)

11.40 ALL EXCEPT NORTH EAST/NORTH WEST

The Graham Norton Show With guests Anne Hathaway, Rebel Wilson, Jodie Comer and Daniel Radcliffe. Shown last Friday (S) (HD)

NORTH EAST/NORTH WEST The Super League Show

Highlights include St Helens v Hull FC and Catalans Dragons v Castleford Tigers.

Producer John Harrison; Executive producers Nicola Addyman and Craig South. Repeated tomorrow 7.10am BBC2 (S)

12.30am Weather (S) (HD) 12.35–6.00am BBC News (S) (HD)

BBC1 Freeview 1 Freesat 101 Sky 101 Virgin 101

HD Freeview 101 Freesat 106 Sky 115 Virgin 108

BBC2

Sara Pascoe Live: LadsLadsLads

10.00pm The comedian shares the funny side of a painful breakup



6.00pm Island Medics

Ep 6 Series 2. Behind the scenes at the Gilbert Bain Hospital in Lerwick, following the work of those providing emergency and medical care to the Shetland Islands' 23,000 residents. (Revised rpt) (S) (HD)

6.30 Eggheads

Jeremy Vine hosts the weekday quiz show. Series producer Rob Dean; Executive producer Andy Culpin (S) (HD)

7.00 Antiques Road Trip

Antiques experts search for treasures and compete to make the most money at auction. (Revised rpt) (S) (HD)

7.00–11.00 World Snooker

Live coverage of the World Championship from the Crucible Theatre in Sheffield. Also available at bbc.co.uk/sport

8.00 Only Connect

Two teams who lost their semi-finals battle for third place in the tournament, as they try to find what connects strawberry, East Riding of Yorkshire, ship and emu. Victoria Coren Mitchell hosts. Series director Siân G Lloyd; Series producer Jenny Hawker (S) (HD)

8.30 University Challenge

RT Jeremy Paxman asks the questions as the competition reaches its climax, with two teams battling it out for the right to lift the trophy designed by Manchester sculptor Adrian Moakes, won last year by St John's College, Cambridge. **See page 72.** Director Tracey Rooney; Producers Irene Daniels and Peter Gwyn (S) (HD)

RT BOOKS To order the *Classic University Challenge Quiz Book* for £9.99 plus £1.50 p&p, call 03302 232639 or visit radiotimes.com/shop17

See feature: page 14

9.00 A House through Time

RT 3/4 Series 2. In the early years of the 20th century, the house becomes a theatrical digs, run by single mum Grace Eagle. David Olusoga heads to Tyne Theatre and Opera House to learn about the trick cyclists, jugglers and other colourful characters who lodged with her. When war breaks out in 1914, xenophobia becomes rife in Tyneside and Grace, whose estranged husband is Romanian, finds herself classed as "foreign". To add to this, Grace's daughter is married to a German and tragedy strikes when he is incarcerated on an internment ship and dies of a lung disease. After the war, Irish boarding-house keeper Rose MacSweeney takes over the house. In 1921, her husband Edward Kerrigan is implicated in the theft of some explosives, and David uncovers evidence of his secret life as an active member of the local branch of the IRA. **See page 72.** Director/Producer Nicola Seare (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 Sara Pascoe Live: LadsLadsLads

RT This show, which premiered on the Edinburgh Fringe in 2017 and was filmed at the London Palladium, marked more introspective territory for Pascoe. The comedian charts her efforts to be happily single after the breakup of a four-year relationship, and her attempts to paper over the emotional cracks on a yoga retreat in Costa Rica and a solo trip to Paris on Valentine's Day. She also overshares about her imaginary brother, Stephen. **See page 73.** Director Julia Knowles; Producer Adele Fowler (S) (HD)

11.20 World Snooker

Highlights of the first-round matches on day three of World Championship at the Crucible Theatre in Sheffield. Presented by Seema Jaswal. (S) (HD)

12.10am World Snooker Extra

Extended highlights. (S) (HD)

2.10–4.05am Sign Zone 2.10 Supermarket Secrets 1/3

Gregg Wallace discovers how technology and science are being used to bring consumers their food. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

3.10 Countryfile

EASTER MONDAY

ITV

The Widow

9.00pm Georgia begins to take risks as she searches for the truth about Will's fate



5.00pm The Chase

Melanie, Gerard, Vicky and Mark go up against quiz whizz the Chaser. Bradley Walsh hosts. (S) (HD)

6.00 Regional News Weather

6.30 ITV Evening News Weather

7.00 Emmerdale

Billy begins to have second thoughts.

Writer Matthew Westwood This week's episodes produced by Kate Brooks and Laura Shaw, directed by Dave Beauchamp, Paul Copeland and Tim O'Mara. Cast Tuesday/Thursday Repeated tomorrow 8am and 12.10pm ITV2 (S) (AD) (HD)

7.30 Coronation Street

Sarah discovers the identity of Gary's loan shark. Writer David Isaac. This week's episodes produced by Iain MacLeod, directed by Steven Finn and Tim Royle. Cast Wed/Fri Rptd tomorrow 8.25am ITV2 and 12.40pm ITV2 (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Love Your Garden

1/12. In Salford, twins Rita and Betty Mills, aged 87, have devoted their lives to helping others. They've just moved into a new bungalow for health reasons. Can Alan Titchmarsh and the team turn a dismal concrete patch into a classic cottage garden – and give the sisters an outdoor space to match their sunny personalities? Director/Producer Jon Hanney (Revised rpt) (S) (AD) (HD)

8.30 Coronation Street

Eileen learns of Gary's latest stroke of bad luck. Writer David Isaac Repeated tomorrow 8.55am and 1.15pm ITV2 (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 The Widow

RT 5/8. Georgia finally comes face to face with Pieter, and must resort to extreme measures to learn more about Will's disappearance. The next episode is tomorrow at 9pm. **See page 72.**

Georgia Wells
Martin Benson
Judith Gray
Ariel Helgason
General Azikiwe
Pieter Bello
Stefania
Gaelle
Joshua Peake
Sally Newell
Sidney
Adija
Djamba
Sadiki
Ray Kasongo
Writers Harry Williams and Jack Williams; Producer Eliza Mellor
Director Olly Blackburn (S) (AD) (HD)

RT DVDs To order *The Widow* on two DVDs for £21.99 incl p&p (RRP £24.99), call 0844 848 7300 or visit radiotimes.com/dvds17 quoting ref RT1719

10.00 ITV News at Ten

Weather; Regional Weather

10.20 Notting Hill

RT Romantic comedy. An American film star bumps into a humble, recently divorced bookshop owner and they begin an unlikely affair. But their relationship is put under strain when the press finds out. **Film of the Day: p41.**

Anna Scott
William Thacker
Spike
Bernie
Honey
Director Roger Michell (1999, 15) (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

Julia Roberts Max
Hugh Grant Martin
Rhys Ifans Bella
Hugh Bonneville Tony
Emma Chambers Rufus the thief
Tim McInnerny James Dreyfus
Gina McKee Richard McCabe
Dylan Moran

12.35am LaLiga Highlights A round-up of Spanish top-flight football highlights. Shown 11.10pm ITV4 (S) (HD)

1.25 Jackpot247 Interactive gaming. (HD)

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)

ITV Freeview 3 Freesat 103 Sky 103 Virgin 103

+1 F'view 33 F'sat 112 Sky 203 Virgin 114 **HD** F'view 103 F'sat 111 Sky 103 Virgin 113

Channel 4

Travel Man: 48 Hours in Porto

8.30pm Richard Ayoade and Nish Kumar take on a climbing challenge



5.00pm Four in a Bed

The competition starts at Brockley Hall Hotel in Saltburn-by-the-Sea, North Yorkshire. Series producer Mark James (S) (HD)

5.30 Extreme Chocolate Makers

New series. Ashley McCarthy aims to bring edible glamour to a charity event. (S) (HD)

6.00 The Simpsons

Little Big Girl. Lisa lands herself in trouble by falsely claiming native American heritage. (R) (S) (AD)

6.30 Hollyoaks

Breda and Mercedes fight for Sylver's attention. Writer Richard Burke This week's episodes directed by Toby Frow Cast Tuesday/Friday Shown last Friday E4 Repeated tomorrow 6.30am E4 The next episode follows on E4 (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 Channel 4 News Sport; Weather

7.30 The Secret Life of Five-Year-Olds on Holiday

How a group of four, five and six-year-olds interact and play together at a resort in Cyprus. Series producer Jaine Harmston-Green Executive producer Jim Allan (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Supershoppers

2/6 Series 2. An undercover investigation into a leading health retailer finds staff giving out misleading information to customers.

Series producer Fred Fenouillet; Executive producers Mark Harrison and Nicole Kleeman Signed repeat tomorrow 2.45am (S) (AD) (HD)

8.30 Travel Man: 48 Hours in Porto

RT 2/4 Series 8. Nish Kumar joins Richard Ayoade for a potter around Porto, Portugal's second city, where they enjoy a tipple of the city's famous fortified wine. **See page 72.** Director/Producer Nicola Silk (S) (AD) (HD) Repeated tomorrow 4.15am 4seven

9.00 999: What's Your Emergency?

A 999 call reports the stabbing of two people – seemingly by a stranger. The subsequent murder investigation reveals that all was not as it seems, and raises difficult questions.

Series producer Martin Hicks; Executive producers David Hodgkinson and Edmund Coulthard Repeated tomorrow 9pm 4seven and Thursday 10.30pm C4 (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 Life after Lock-Up

3/3. Gemma is still homeless and moves to the park for the summer. Jason seeks professional help for his deteriorating mental health, and newly released prisoners Andrew and Kimberley battle with their longstanding alcohol addiction. Series director/Series producer Lee Phillips Repeated tomorrow 11.05pm 4seven and Wednesday 12.10am C4 (S) (AD) (HD)

11.05 A Very British Brothel

2/2. Business is booming and there are plans to expand but finding new premises is proving tricky. Director/Producer Kerry Ann Allison Repeated Wednesday 1.10am 4seven (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

12.05am The Supervet: Noel Fitzpatrick

Noel treats a spaniel with a collapsed disc. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

1.05 Mission Ignition 4/4

Two teams must reassemble a Rolls-Royce and a Daimler. Shown Sat 7pm (S) (AD) (HD)

2.00 Heal the Living

RT Drama with Tahar Rahim and Emmanuelle Seigner. When a young man is declared brain-dead after an accident, his parents face an agonising decision. French +subtitles.

Director Katell Quillévéré (2016, 12) (W) (HD)

3.45 French Collection

Three contestants buy items to upcycle from a market in Toulouse. (R) (S) (HD)

4.40 Kirstie's Handmade Treasures

Flower arranging at the Royal Cornwall Show. (R) (S) (HD)

4.55 The £100k Drop

Friends from Sunderland and a couple from Cardiff take part. (R) (S) (HD)

5.50–6.25am Countdown

Paul Zenon guests. (R) (S) (HD)

Channel 4 Freeview 4 Freesat 104 Sky 104 Virgin 104

+1 F'view 13 F'sat 121 Sky 204 Virgin 142 **HD** F'view 103 F'sat 111 Sky 103 Virgin 113

HD F'view 104 Sky 138 Virgin 141

BBC4

Mark Kermode's Secrets of Cinema

9.00pm

The critic shares his insights into disaster movies



7.00pm Beyond 100 Days

(S) (HD) Followed by **Weather** (S) (HD)

7.30 Secrets of Bones

6/6. Sex. Ben Garrod explores the role skeletons play in aiding reproduction, looking at the ways courtship, competition and copulation have been improved by having bones. Director Aaron Paul; Producer Gillian Taylor Repeated 3.20am (R) (S) (HD)

8.00 Empire of the Seas: How the Navy Forged the Modern World

4/4. Sea Change. Dan Snow explores the highs and lows of a climactic century in naval history. As Britain and France engaged in an arms race over battleships, the British Navy was slowly being eroded by an entrenched hierarchy. Germany emerged as a new threat and, when war came, British and German fleets clashed off Jutland in 1916. Director Rosie Schellenberg Producer Lisa MacHale (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Mark Kermode's Secrets of Cinema

RT Mark Kermode grew up in the 1970s, the heyday of the all-star Hollywood disaster movie, and has been fascinated by the genre's spectacles of earthquakes, explosions and eruptions ever since. He shows how those jaw-dropping visions of destruction are achieved on screen, but also reveals how film-makers rely on recurring story devices, themes and character types to build drama and maintain our sense of jeopardy. **See page 73.** Producer Kath Pick Series producer Nick Freand Jones (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 The Finest Hours

RT Action thriller based on a true story. When an oil tanker is ripped in two by a ferocious storm, a fearless Coast Guard sailor leads his men into the mountainous surf off Cape Cod for a daring sea rescue. **Review page 41.** Bernie Webber Chris Pine Ray Sybert Casey Affleck Richard Livesey Ben Foster Daniel Cluff Eric Bana Miriam Holliday Grainger Wallace Quirey John Ortiz Andy Fitzgerald Kyle Gallner Director Craig Gillespie (2015, 12) (S) (W) (HD)

11.50 World's Greatest Food Markets

3/3. Following his dream of visiting and trading in the world's most famous food markets, Billingsgate fishmonger Roger Barton heads to Asia's largest fruit and vegetable market – Delhi's Azadpur Mandi. Series producer Jamie Balment; Executive producer Lucy Carter (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

12.50am Cosmonauts: How Russia Won the Space Race

Examining the Soviet Union's pioneering role in space exploration. (R) (S) (HD)

2.20 How to Build a Jumbo Jet Engine

Visiting Rolls-Royce's Derby factory. (R) (S) (AD)

3.20–3.50am Secrets of Bones

Shown 7.30pm (S) (HD)

BBC4 Freeview 9 Freesat 173 Sky 116 Virgin 107

HD Freeview 106 Freesat 107 Virgin 163

Regional variations

BBC1 SCOTLAND

11.40pm–12.30am The Graham Norton Show: with guests Anne Hathaway, Rebel Wilson, Jodie Comer and Daniel Radcliffe

BBC SCOTLAND

As BBC2 until:
7.00pm The Beechgrove Garden Story **8.00** Born to Be Wild **9.00** The Nine **9.30** The Moments That Made Ford and Greg **10.00** The Cry **11.00–12 midnight** River City

STV

1.25am Nightscreen **5.05–6.00** The Jeremy Kyle Show

BBC1 WALES

7.30–8.00pm Sam and Shauna's Big Cook Out: Samantha Evans and Shauna Quinn celebrate Ferryside lifeboat volunteers **11.40–12.30am** The Graham Norton Show

BBC2 WALES

7.00pm Give a Dog a Home: Benji Webbe and Fran Donovan try to help the Stonehill family find a perfect pooch **7.30–8.00** Nightshifters

ITV WALES

8.00–8.30pm The Village: fans of *The Prisoner* descend for the annual convention

BBC1 NORTHERN IRELAND

9.00–10.00pm Ups and Downs **10.55** Not Going Out **11.25** Ghosts **11.55** Have I Got a Bit More News for You **12.40am** The Graham Norton Show **1.30–6.00** BBC News

BBC2 NORTHERN IRELAND

10.00pm Mná Spórt: Croí is Anam **10.30** Sara Pascoe Live: LadsLadsLads **11.50** World Snooker **12.40–2.10am** World Snooker Extra

UTV

1.25am The Chase **2.15–3.00** Nightscreen

Monday Television

EASTER MONDAY

Channel 5



The World's Busiest Train Stations

9.00pm Flinders Street station

Freeview 5 Freesat 105 Sky 105 Virgin 105
HD Freeview 105 Freesat 105 Virgin 150
6.00am Milkshake! See page 79
9.15 New. Jeremy Vine (S) (HD)
11.15 Friends Series 4. Phoebe's half-brother makes an announcement. (S) (HD)
11.45 Phoebe is on tenterhooks. (S) (HD)
12.15pm Home and Away Shown last Friday 5 Star Repeated 6.30pm C5 (S) (AD) (HD)
12.45 New. Neighbours Repeated 6pm (S) (AD) (HD)
1.10 5 News (S) (HD)

1.15 Clash of the Titans ★★★ Fantasy
 Sci-fi adventure starring Laurence Olivier and Harry Hamlin. Perseus, son of Zeus, sets out to win the love of Andromeda. **Review p41.** Director Desmond Davis (1981, 12) (S) (HD)

3.35pm Jason and the Argonauts
 ★★★ Fantasy adventure. Jason embarks on a voyage to find the Golden Fleece. **Review page 41.** Director Don Chaffey (1963, U) (S) (W) (HD)

5.45 5 News Tonight (S) (HD)

6.00 Neighbours
 Sheila confronts Kyle. Shown 12.45pm Rptd 6.30pm 5 Star (S) (AD) (HD)

6.30 Home and Away
 Jasmine rushes to Tori's aid. Shown 12.15pm (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 Border Force: World's Busiest Border Crossing
 San Ysidro, the main border crossing between the USA and Mexico. Director/Producer Eoin O'Shea (S) (HD)
 Followed by **5 News Update** (S) (HD)

8.00 New. Police Interceptors
 A teenage driver in a stolen Golf tries to evade capture at over 100 miles per hour. Series director/producer John Everett Repeated Wednesday 12.05am (S) (HD)
 Followed by **5 News Update** (S) (HD)

9.00 New. The World's Busiest Train Stations

3/4. Melbourne's Flinders Street station is the oldest in Australia. It was opened in 1854 and today, 30 million passengers a year make use of its 15 platforms, one of which is one of the longest in the world. Director/Producer Jeremy Rodway (S) (HD)

10.00 Wannabe Porn Stars: the Sex Business

1/3. Following new recruits to Britain's flourishing adult movie industry. Directors/Producers Josh Beattie, Lucy Johnstone and Dave Matthews Rptd tomorrow 12.05am (S) (HD)

11.05 Undercover: Catching the Scammers

The world of the online romance fraudster. Director/Producer Andy Robinson (S) (HD)

12 midnight Dangerous Dog Owners and Proud (S) (HD) **12.50am** Criminals: Caught on Camera (S) (HD) **1.15** Home Shopping (S) (HD) **3.10** GPs: behind Closed Doors (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** Cruising with Jane McDonald (S) (SL) (HD) **4.45** House Doctor (S) (SL) **5.10** Great Scientists: Isaac Newton (S) (SL) **5.35-6.00am** Wildlife SOS (S) (SL)

+1 Freeview 44 Freesat 128 Sky 205 Virgin 155

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BBC4 listings are overleaf

ITV2



The Lost World: Jurassic Park

6.25pm Big trouble is brewing on Isla Sorna
 F'view 6 F'sat 113 Sky 118 Virgin 115 **HD** Virgin 176
6.00am Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records (S) (HD) **6.10** The Cube: Celebrity Special (S) (HD) **7.00** You've Been Framed! Gold (S) **8.00** Emmerdale (S) (AD) (HD) **8.25** Coronation Street (S) (AD) (HD) **9.25** The Ellen DeGeneres Show (S) (HD) **10.25 FILM** Liar Liar ★★★ Comedy (S) (AD) (W) (HD)
12.10pm Emmerdale Shown last Fri ITV (S) (AD) (HD) **12.40** Coronation Street Shown last Fri ITV (S) (AD) (HD) **1.40 New.** The Ellen DeGeneres Show: a woman who donated 204 pairs of shoes to flood victims (S) (HD) **2.35** The Jeremy Kyle Show (S) (HD) **5.50** You've Been Framed! Gold (S)

6.25pm The Lost World: Jurassic Park

★★★ Sci-fi adventure with Jeff Goldblum and Julianne Moore. Past experience tells Dr Ian Malcolm not to get involved with businessman John Hammond's new scheme. However, he agrees when he realises that his girlfriend is already on site. Director Steven Spielberg (1997, PG) (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

9.00 New. Family Guy
 Series 17. The guys volunteer to chaperone the high school prom. (S) (HD)

9.30 New. American Dad!
 Series 13. Stan and Hayley find themselves in a Tunisian labour prison. First shown on Fox (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 Family Guy
 Series 5. Lois and Peter buy a restaurant. **10.30** The Griffins move to Texas. **10.55** Stewie falls in love. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.25 American Dad!
 Series 11. While on vacation, Stan joins the world of old Hollywood. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.55 Celebrity Juice
 With Will Mellor, Saira Khan, Johnny Vegas and Bebe Rexha. (S) (HD)
12.40am FILM Unfriended ★★★ Horror starring Shelley Hennig and Moses Storm (S) (AD) (W) (HD) **2.15** Home Shopping **5.45-6.00am** Nightscreen (HD)

ITV2+1 Freeview 27 Freesat 114 Sky 218 Virgin 116

ITV4

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

6.00am The Protectors (S) **6.25** The Avengers (S) (SL) (HD) **7.20** Kojak (S) **8.20** Quincy (S) (HD) **9.25** Minder (S) (AD) **10.30** The Sweeney (S) **11.35** Sherlock Holmes: The Last Vampyre (S) (HD) **1.45pm FILM** Khartoum ★★★ Historical drama starring Charlton Heston and Laurence Olivier. **Review p41** (S) (AD) (W) (HD) **4.25 FILM** Casino Royale ★★★ James Bond spoof with David Niven (S) (AD) (W) (HD) **7.05pm FILM** Kelly's Heroes ★★★

Second World War action adventure starring Clint Eastwood and Telly Savalas. A gang of GIs "liberate" bullion from a bank behind enemy lines. (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

10.00 New. The Contender The final eight contenders prepare to battle for a spot in the semi-finals. Repeated Friday 12.35am (S) (HD)

11.10 New. LaLiga Highlights The latest matches in the Spanish top-flight. (S) (HD) **12.10am** Billy Connolly's Tracks across America: the comedian travels from Texas to New York City (S) (AD) (HD) **1.15** Motorsport UK (S) (HD) **2.15** Tommy Cooper (S) (SL) **2.45-3.00am** Nightscreen (HD)

ITV4 +1 Freesat 154 Sky 220 Virgin 175

ITV3



Endeavour

7.00pm Thursday and Morse investigate a hospital death

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

6.00am On the Buses (S) (SL) **8.15 FILM** Carry On Again Doctor ★★★★ Comedy (S) (AD) (W) **10.05 FILM** Carry On Loving ★★ Comedy (S) (AD) (W) **11.50 FILM** Carry On Henry ★★★ Comedy (S) (W) (AD) **1.40pm FILM** Carry On at Your Convenience ★★ Comedy (S) (AD) **3.25 FILM** Carry On Matron ★★★ Comedy (S) (AD) (W)

5.15pm Carry On Abroad

★★ Comedy starring Sidney James, Kenneth Williams and Charles Hawtrey. Director Gerald Thomas (1972, PG) (S) (AD) (W)

7.00 Endeavour

3/4 Series 4. **Lazaretto.** Whispers of a cursed ward at Cowley General, and a seemingly innocuous death begin a chain of events that lead Endeavour to confront his own ghosts as he digs deeper and discovers a chilling secret. (S) (AD) (HD)

DC Endeavour Morse
 DI Fred Thursday
 Chief Supt Reginald Bright
 Dr Max DeBry
 DS Jim Strange
 WPC Shirley Trewlove
 Student nurse Daisy Bennett
 Dr Dean Powell
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9.00 New. The Comedy Years

4/4. A look at comedy in 2003, when Tim, Lee and Dawn's love triangle reached a memorable conclusion in *The Office*. (S) (HD)

10.00 It'll Be Alright on the Night
 Griff Rhys Jones introduces a collection of bloopers and out-takes. (S) (HD)

11.00 Scott & Bailey

2/3 Series 5. The killer's new rules place Rachel in grave danger. (S) (AD) (HD)

12 midnight 3/3. Janet's attempts to help Taisie destroy her faith in justice. (S) (AD) (HD)

1.00am DCI Banks (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)

2.00 On the Buses (S) (SL)

2.25-2.30am Nightscreen (HD)

+1 F'view 34 (9pm-midnight) F'sat 116 Sky 219 Virgin 174

ITVBe

F'view 26 F'sat 118 Sky 131 Virgin 119 **HD** Virgin 179

9.00am LittleBe **12 noon** Cake Wars (S) (HD) **12.55pm** **Celebrity Dinner Date** David Potts of *Ibiza Weekender* fame.

1.55 Reality TV star Amber Davies.

2.55 Bobby Norris of *The Only Way Is Essex*.

3.55 *Real Housewife of Cheshire* Ester Dee.

5.00 Reality star Jordan Davies.

6.00 *TOWIE* star Jess Wright.

7.00 *Love Island's* Marcel Somerville.

8.00 *TOWIE* star Chloe Sims. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 New. The Real Housewives of Orange County

The women climb a waterfall together, but Shannon continues to isolate herself from the group. (S) (HD)

10.00 New. The Real Housewives of Cheshire Dawn returns with devastating news and the stress of a business launch. Perla has a shocking revelation about Hanna. (S) (HD)

11.00 Botched Paul Nassif treats a nose that is stuck at a seven o'clock angle. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.55 The Only Way Is Essex The Marbella drama continues after they return home. (S) (HD)

12.45am Be Beautiful (S) (HD) **12.55** Home Shopping **4.00-4.25am** Nightscreen

ITVBe +1 Freesat 119 Sky 231 Virgin 120

Drama



New Tricks

8.00pm Emily helps Gerry when political activists go missing

Freeview 20 Freesat 158 Sky 143 Virgin 130

7.20am Call the Midwife (S) (AD) (HD) **11.30** Birds of a Feather: the sisters go car-hunting **1.00pm** Father Brown (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Murder on the Blackpool Express (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00 New.** Death on the Tyne: comedy mystery First shown on Gold (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00pm Father Brown

10/10 Series 1. The Blue Cross. The priest's priceless Blue Cross is targeted by infamous criminal Flambeau. Taking matters into his own hands, Father Brown sets out to try to save the thief's soul – but risks falling into a trap. (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 New Tricks

6/8 Series 6. The Last Laugh. When the disappearance of two political activists who had infiltrated an extreme right wing group is reinvestigated, a link is found to the killer of Halford's wife Mary. Guest-starring Phil Daniels, Joe Absolom and John Henshaw. (S) (AD) Brian Lane Jack Halford Det Supt Sandra Pullman Gerry Standing DAC Robert Strickland **Alun Armstrong** **James Bolam** **Amanda Redman** **Dennis Waterman** **Anthony Calf**

9.20 Dalziel & Pascoe

1&2/6 Series 12. Demons on Our Shoulders When a spectacular TV mind-control experiment results in cold-blooded murder, the detective duo find themselves being drawn into the dark and dangerous world of the paranormal. (S) (AD) **Warren Clarke** **Colin Buchanan** **Richard E Grant** **Jennifer James** **Emily Bruni**

11.20 Taggart

1/3 Series 8. The Hit Man. The long suffering Scottish detective tries to defend a childhood friend recently released from prison when a series of shootings puts him in the frame for murder. (S) **2.20am** Boon: Rocky and Alex carry out a burglary **3.10-4.00am** Dickensian (S) (AD) (HD)

Dave

F'view 12 F'sat 157 Sky 111 Virgin 127 **HD** Virgin 227 BT 387

7.15am Beat the Internet with John Robins (S) (HD) **8.05 Storage Hunters** (S) (HD) **9.35 American Pickers** (S) (HD) **11.35 Soapbox Race:** the crowds gather in Switzerland (HD)

12.35pm Top Gear: Polar Challenge (S) (AD) (HD) **1.35** Top Gear Patagonia Special (S) (AD) (HD) **4.15**

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More4



Devon and Cornwall 9.00pm The Delbridges family tell their story

F'view 14 F'sat 124 Sky 136 Virgin 147 **HD** Virgin 195

8.55am A Place in the Sun: Summer Sun (S) (HD) **10.55** The Great British Bake Off (S) (AD) (HD) **12.15pm** Location, Location, Location (S) (HD) **2.20** Four in a Bed (S) (HD) **4.55** The Secret Life of the Zoo (S) (AD) (HD) **5.55** The Supervet (S) (AD) (HD)

6.55pm Emergency Helicopter Medics Two motorcyclists need specialist care, and a horse rider is kicked in the face. (S) (AD) (HD)

7.55 Grand Designs

A man building a handmade, cruck-framed wooden house. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 New, Devon and Cornwall Ep 4. Trawlerman Dave Driver sets out in search of cuttlefish. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 The Royal House of Windsor Ep 5. Correspondence from the Queen's personal family archive features a look at the impact of Diana, Princess of Wales on the House of Windsor. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.05 Micky Flanagan: Back in the Game

At London's Hackney Empire. (S) (HD)

12.05am 24 Hours in A&E (S) (AD) (HD) **1.10** as 6.55pm **2.15** as 9pm **3.20-4.00am** Eight out of Ten Cats Christmas Special (S) (HD)

More4 +1 Freeview 86 Freesat 125 Sky 236 Virgin 196

E4

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F'view 28 F'sat 122 Sky 135 Virgin 106 **HD** Virgin 145

6.00am Hollyoaks Shown last Thu/Fri C4 (AD) **7.00** Rules of Engagement **8.00** Sabrina the Teenage Witch **9.00** Baby Daddy **10.00** The Big Bang Theory (AD) **11.00** The Goldbergs (AD) **12. noon** Brooklyn Nine-Nine (AD)

1.05pm Ice Age: the Great Egg-Scapade **1.30** The Big Bang Theory (AD)

7.00pm New, Hollyoaks Scott goes on a date. Cast pp85/115 Rptd tomorrow 6.30pm C4 (AD) **7.30 New, Speechless 8/18** Series 2. JJ and Ray have film premiere tickets. (AD)

8.00 The Big Bang Theory 18/24 Series 12 Amy tries to charm the Nobel laureates. (AD)

8.30 Young Sheldon 17/22 Series 2. The youngster tries to learn the violin. (AD)

9.00 New, Made in Chelsea 5/13. James pursues Verity, but things do not go to plan.

10.00 New, Baewatch: Parental Guidance Ep 7. Bobby and Carla head off on a romantic getaway to put their relationship to the test.

11.05 Celebrity Coach Trip The group spend a second day in Valencia.

11.40 The tourists reach Denia.

12.15am The Big Bang Theory (AD) **1.10** First Dates (AD) **2.10** Made in Chelsea **3.05** Gogglebox (SL) (AD) **4.00** The Big Bang Theory (AD) **4.45** 2 Broke Girls (AD) **5.25-6.00am** Rules of Engagement

E4 +1 Freeview 29 Freesat 123 Sky 235 Virgin 146

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F'view 47 F'sat 127 Sky 137 Virgin 143 **HD** F'view 110

9.00am Car SOS (AD) **10.00** Come Dine with Me **11.00** Four in a Bed **11.30** Extreme Cake Makers **12. noon** A Place in the Sun: Home or Away **1.00pm** A Place in the Sun **2.00** Everybody Loves Raymond **3.00** Frasier **5.00** Escape to the Château: DIY (AD) **6.00** Ramsay's Hotel Hell (AD) **7.00** Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA **8.00** George Clarke's Old House, New Home (AD) **9.00** Eight out of Ten Cats Does Countdown **10.00** Celebrity SAS: Who Dares Wins for Stand Up to Cancer **3/5**. Shown Sun 9pm C4 (AD) **11.05** Britain's Viking Graveyard Shown Sun 8pm C4 (AD) **12.10am** The Great British School Swap (AD) **1.15** Grand Designs: the Street (AD) **2.20** Four Rooms **3.30** Jesus' Female Disciples (AD) **4.20-4.50am** Joe Lycett's Got Your Back (AD)

Paramount Network

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The Social Network 9.00pm Mark (Jesse Eisenberg) makes new friends

Freeview 54 Sky 153 Virgin 188 **HD** Virgin 187

9.00am Gilmore Girls (S) **10.55 FILM** Dream House, Nightmare Neighbour ★★ Thriller (S) (HD)

12.40pm FILM Love, Again ★★ Romantic drama starring Teri Polo (S) (HD) **2.30 FILM** Crimes of the Mind ★★ Crime drama (S)

4.25 FILM Stalked by My Patient ★★ Thriller starring Bree Williamson (S) (HD)

6.15pm I Didn't Kill My Sister ★★ Thriller starring Nicholle Tom. When a popular TV news anchor is murdered, suspicion falls on her jealous sister.

Director Jason Bourque (2015) (S) (HD) **8.00 Grimm** 19/22 Series 1. A creature is found drowned in wet cement. (HD)

9.00 The Social Network ★★★★ Oscar-winning drama based on a true story, starring Jesse Eisenberg.

Harvard student Mark Zuckerberg creates the online network Facebook. **Review p41.** Director David Fincher (2010, 12) (HD)

11.25 Whitney: a Tragic Love ★★★ Yaya DaCosta stars as Whitney Houston in this fact-based drama.

Director Angela Bassett (2015, 15) (S) (HD)

1.15am The X-Files (S) (HD) **2.15 Grimm** (S) (HD)

3.05 Arrow (HD) **4.35 Lip Sync Battle** (HD)

4.55 Access (S) (HD) **5.00 Neighbours** (S) (AD) (HD) **5.30-6.00am** Home and Away (S) (AD) (HD)

Pick

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Freeview 11 Freesat 144 Sky 152 Virgin 123

6.00am Nothing to Declare (HD) **7.30 999** Frontline (HD) **12. noon** To Catch a Smuggler: JFK Airport (AD) **5.00pm** Premier League: Greatest Moments: Jamie Carragher best moments (HD)

7.00pm New. Take That Live: Wonderland: a 2017 concert, with performances of *Relight My Fire*, *Patience and Pray* **9.15 New**. Micky Flanagan's Detour de France: Micky visits a psychiatric hospital that once treated Vincent van Gogh (AD)

10.15 Micky Flanagan: an' Another Fing Live: a stand-up show recorded at London's O2 Arena (HD) **12.15am The Force: Essex** (HD) **3.00 New**. Shades of Blue (AD) **4.00 Motorway Patrol** (AD) **5.00-6.00am** Nothing to Declare UK (HD)

True Entertainment **61**

Freeview 61 (not Wales) Freesat 142 Sky 179 Virgin 189

6.00am The Waltons **7.00** Little House on the Prairie **8.00** Murder, She Wrote: 11 episodes

7.00pm M*A*S*H: six episodes **10.00** Memories of M*A*S*H: the cast and crew reflect on the comedy **11.30 M*A*S*H: Reunion Special**: the cast and producers reveal their favourite moments

1.25am M*A*S*H 2.00 Randall and Hopkirk (Deceased) **3.00 M*A*S*H**: double bill **4.00-6.00am FILM** Kaleidoscope ★★

True Entertainment +1 Freesat 152 Sky 279

Horror Channel

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Freeview 70 Freesat 138 Sky 317 Virgin 149

8.00am Land of the Giants **9.00** Star Trek: Deep Space Nine **10.00** Star Trek **11.00** The Andromeda Strain **2.35pm** Tales from the Darkside **3.00** Andromeda **4.00 FILM** The Lost Future ★★ Sci-fi adventure **5.50 Highlights**

6.00pm Star Trek **7.00** Star Trek: Deep Space Nine **8.00 Sliders**: Maggie is taken prisoner **9.00 FILM** Radius ★★★ Sci-fi horror starring Diego Klattenhoff **10.50 FILM** Lake Placid 3 ★ Horror thriller starring Colin Ferguson and Yancy Butler

12.40am FILM Knucklebones ★★ Horror starring Julian Jean **2.20 FILM** Exam ★★★ Psychological thriller **4.20-4.30am** Highlights

5 USA

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Freeview 21 Freesat 129 Sky 141 Virgin 153

9.00am CSI: NY **10.40 Law & Order** (S)

12.45pm Jesse Stone: No Remorse (S)

2.30 Murder, She Wrote **5.00 NCIS**

6.00pm Law & Order: double bill. Series 11

A body is found in the Hudson River, then a couple are killed in their apartment (S) **8.00 NCIS** (AD) **10.00 Law & Order: Special Victims Unit**: triple bill. Series 12. Benson and Stabler investigate a rape **10.55** The detectives apprehend a sexual predator **11.55 Series 17**

The team learns a deputy commissioner has links to a child pornography ring (S)

12.55am CSI: NY: double bill (S) (AD) **2.50 Chicago Fire** (S) **3.50-4.00am** Access

5 USA +1 F'view 57 (not 2-4am) F'sat 130 Sky 241 Virgin 185

5 Star

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Freeview 30 Freesat 131 Sky 128 Virgin 151

8.00am Will & Grace (S) **8.20 Dance Moms** (S) **11.05 My Wife and Kids** (S) **12 noon** Two and a Half Men **1.00pm** 3rd Rock from the Sun (S) **2.00 Will & Grace** **3.00 Neighbours** (S) (AD) **3.30 Home and Away** (S) (AD)

4.00 My Wife and Kids (S) **5.00 Smallville**

6.00pm New. Home and Away Rptd

tomorrow 6pm C5 (S) (AD) **6.30 Neighbours**

Shown 6pm C5 (S) (AD) **7.00 Two and a Half Men** **8.00 Rich Kids Go Homeless**: six young privileged Brits live on the streets for three nights (S) **9.00 FILM** Die Hard with a Vengeance ★★★★ Action thriller starring Bruce Willis (S) (HD) **11.40 New**. Empire

11/18 Series 5. Giselle assigns the Lyon men new roles across the company (S)

12.35am New. Riverdale: double bill (S)

2.25 Empire (S) **3.15-4.00am** Star (S)

5 Star +1 Freeview 56 Sky 228 Virgin 186

5 Spike

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Freeview 31 Freesat 141 Sky 150 Virgin 154

9.00am The Virginian: Men from Shiloh (HD)

10.30 Can't Pay? We'll Take It Away (HD)

11.35 FILM Man with the Gun ★★

Western (BW) (HD) **1.20pm FILM** Wyatt Earp ★★★★ Epic western drama starring Kevin Costner **5.00 The A-Team** (HD) **7.00 Police**

9.00 FILM Resident Evil ★★★ Sci-fi action

horror starring Milla Jovovich and Michelle Rodriguez (HD) **11.05 FILM** Erased ★★

Action thriller starring Aaron Eckhart (HD)

1.05am Six: the team deals with the fallout over Rip's confession (HD) **2.00-3.00am** Vikings (AD) (HD)

5 Spike +1 Sky 250

5 Select

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Freeview 55 Freesat 133 Sky 159 Virgin 152

9.00am Access **9.10 In Sickness and in Wealth: on Benefits** **10.00 The Nightmare Neighbour** Next Door **11.00 The Dog Rescuers** with Alan Davies

12. noon Paddington Station 24/7 at Christmas

1.00pm Cru

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Live Premier League Football
7.30pm Chelsea's Eden Hazard



Game of Thrones 9.00pm Will Sansa suffer another setback?



Blue Bloods 9.00pm Eddie hears Jamie's side of the story



The Internship 9.00pm Billy and Nick begin new jobs



Mrs Brown's Boys 9.00pm Money is tight for Agnes

Sky 1

Sky 106 Virgin 110 **HD** Virgin 109

6.00am RSPCA Animal Rescue (S) (AD) **7.00** Animal House (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** Moominvalley (HD) **9.00 New** Play Your Pets Right (HD) **9.15 New** SO Beano! (HD) **9.30 New** The Athena (HD) **10.00 FILM** Thunderbirds ★★ Sci-fi. Review page 41 (W) (HD) **11.50** The Bachelor King (S) (HD) **1.30pm** Ratburger (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** The Simpsons (S) (HD) **5.30** Moominvalley (HD)

6.30pm New. Supergirl 17/23 Series 4. Kara faces her biggest challenge yet as she deals with the destructive aftermath of Lex Luthor's nefarious plans. Guest-starring Jon Cryer. (HD)

7.30 LIVE Premier League Football Chelsea v Burnley (kick-off **8.00**), all the action from the Premier League clash at Stamford Bridge, as Chelsea continue their bid to finish in the top four. (HD)

11.00 Football's Funniest Moments A line up of famous football fans single out their favourite funny moments. (S) (AD) (HD)

12 midnight A League of Their Own (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00am** Brit Cops: Rapid Response (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00** SEAL Team (HD) **3.00** Arrow (HD) **4.00** Road Wars (S) (HD) **5.00-6.00am** Stargate SG-1 (S) (HD)

Sky 1 +1 Sky 206

Sky Arts

Sky 122 Virgin 122 **HD** Virgin 206

6.00am Sir Simon Rattle: Beethoven Symphonies (HD) **7.25** Andy Williams: My Favourite Duets (HD) **8.45** Mario Lanza: the Best of Everything: a biographical look at his life (S) (AD) (HD) **10.30** Elvis: the Final Hours (S) (AD) (HD) **11.30** The Seven Ages of Elvis: key moments in Elvis Presley's life (S) (AD) (HD) **1.15pm** Queen: the Phenomenon (HD) **2.30** Queen – the Magic Years: the rock group's rise to fame (S)

3.45pm Funny Girl: the Musical A production of the musical recorded at the Manchester Palace Theatre in 2017, starring Sheridan Smith in the role of comedian Fanny Brice. (HD)

6.15 The Phantom of the Opera at the Royal Albert Hall Twenty-fifth anniversary performance of Andrew Lloyd Webber's musical about a disfigured composer's doomed love for a beautiful singer. (HD)

9.00 Miss Saigon: 25th Anniversary Performance Eva Noblezada and Alistair Brammer star in a 25th anniversary gala performance of the musical at London's Prince Edward Theatre, recorded in 2016. (HD)

12 midnight André Rieu: How It All Began (S) (HD) **1.00am** Portrait Artist of the Year (S) (HD) **2.00** Hollywood Couples (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Elvis: the Final Hours (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** Johnny Cash at Folsom Prison (S) (HD) **5.00-6.00am** Johnny Cash: behind Prison Walls

Sky Atlantic

Sky 108

6.00am Fish Town (S) (HD) **7.00** Richard E Grant's Hotel Secrets (S) (AD) **8.00** Storm City (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** The West Wing (S) (HD) **11.00** CSI: Crime Scene Investigation (S) (HD) **12 noon** Without a Trace (S) (HD) **2.00pm** Blue Bloods (HD) **3.00** The West Wing (S) (HD) **5.00** CSI: Crime Scene Investigation (S) (HD)

6.00pm War Dog: a Soldier's Best Friend Exploring the bond between multi-purpose canines and their handlers. (S) (HD)

7.20 Andre the Giant Documentary examining the life and career of the wrestler. (S) (HD)

9.00 Game of Thrones 2/6 Series 8. The Great War between the armies of the dead and the realms of the living goes on. (HD)

10.10 New. Thronecast Companion show to fantasy drama Game of Thrones, hosted by Sue Perkins. (HD)

11.10 New. Last Week Tonight with John Oliver A satirical look at news and pop culture. (HD)

11.45 Game of Thrones As 9pm. **12.55am** The Wire (S) (AD) (HD) **2.05** Our Cartoon President (S) (HD) **3.15** The Case against Adnan Syed (S) (HD) **4.20-6.00am** The West Wing (S) (HD)

Sky Atlantic +1 Sky 208

Sky 2

Sky 151 Virgin 121

6.00am Send in the Dogs **10.00** Monkey Life **3.00pm** Stargate SG-1 (S) **5.00** Haven (S) **6.00pm** Supergirl 16/22 Series 2 Kara is on high alert following the arrival of a spaceship. (S)

7.00 Stargate Atlantis 16/20 Series 4. Carter, McKay and Keller are sent to help a village that is being rocked by tremors, but find themselves trapped underground as the area becomes unstable. (S) **8.00 MacGyver 17/22** Series 3 Angus and the team are asked to solve a locked-door mystery when a man working inside a remote, ultra-secure international seed vault disappears.

9.00 Hawaii Five-0 17/22 Series 9. Junior is torn between his duties as a member of Five-0 and his feelings for an ex-girlfriend when her new partner is involved in a bank-heist-turned-homicide. (S) **10.00 NCIS: Los Angeles 17/22** Series 10. Old acquaintance Anatoli Kirkin pays the groom a surprise visit on his big day – and he is not alone.

11.00 8/24 Series 1. Callen and Sam find themselves on the trail of a dangerous group with access to stolen anti-tank missiles. (S) **12 midnight** Supergirl **1.00am** Blue Bloods **2.00** Blindspot **3.00** The Force: Manchester (S) **4.00** Duck Quacks Don't Echo **5.00-6.00am** The Dog Whisperer

Sky Witness

Sky 107 Virgin 112 **HD** Virgin 111

6.00am Motorway Patrol (S) (HD) **7.00** Air Ambulance ER (S) (HD) **9.00** Caught on Dashcam (S) (AD) (HD) **11.00** Nothing to Declare (HD)

4.00pm Nothing to Declare UK The work of customs officers in the south of England. (S) (HD)

7.00 New. Nothing to Declare Double bill. (HD)

8.00 Criminal Minds 10/15 Series 14. A series of murders in which businessmen have been killed and had their hearts cut out. (HD)

9.00 New. Blue Bloods 5/22 Series 9. Danny and Baez investigate a murder attempt against a celebrated doctor with a seemingly pristine reputation. (HD)

10.00 New. Blindspot 17/22 Series 4. The agents race to save Jane from the clutches of a killer with a terrifying plan. (HD)

11.00 Criminal Minds 7/20 Series 3. The Behavioural Analysis Unit tracks a serial killer in Montana who tortures his victims. (S) (HD)

12 midnight Britain's Most Evil Killers (S) (HD) **1.00am** **9-11 (HD)** **2.00** Criminal Minds (S) (HD) **3.00** Brit Cops: Frontline Crime UK (S) **4.00** Road Wars (S) **5.00-6.00am** The Real A&E (S) (AD) (HD)

11.35 The Shift: Women on the Force 3/6 Acting Inspector Vicky investigates a late-night city centre assault and trainee PC Jade helps a couple who have returned home to find their house has been ransacked. (AD) (HD)

12.40am Rent a Cop (HD) **1.40** Judge Faith (HD) **2.00-3.00am** Life and Death Row (S) (AD) (HD)

W +1 Sky 209 Virgin 190

Syfy

Sky 114 Virgin 135 BT 319 **HD** Virgin 165 BT 375

6.00am Star Trek: Voyager **8.00** Home Shopping **11.00 FILM** The Librarian: the Curse of the Judas Chalice ★★ Fantasy action **1.00pm FILM** DARYL ★★★ Sci-fi drama

3.00 FILM Meet Dave ★★ Sci-fi comedy **5.00 FILM** Bedazzled ★★★ Comedy with Brendan Fraser

7.00pm My Super Ex-Girlfriend ★★★ Comedy fantasy starring Luke Wilson and Uma Thurman. When architect Matt Saunders fell in love with gallery curator Jenny Johnson, he was unaware of her alter ego G-Girl. Now, as the neurotic Jenny becomes increasingly possessive, Matt discovers that it's almost impossible to dump a woman with special powers.

9.00 Elektra ★★ Comic-book action spin-off from Daredevil, with Jennifer Garner as the warrior Elektra, who is brought back from the dead by blind martial arts master Stick.

11.00 Timecop ★★★

Sci-fi adventure starring Jean-Claude Van Damme and Mia Sara. Max Walker is sent back in time to the year his wife was murdered when he becomes a member of an elite group assigned to police the use of time-travel technology.

1.00am FILM Ice Sharks ★ Sci-fi thriller **3.00** Star Trek: the Next Generation **4.00-6.00am FILM** Oceans Rising ★★ Sci-fi drama

Syfy +1 Sky 214 Virgin 136

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Sky 109 Virgin 125 BT 311 **HD** Virgin 211 BT 383

6.20am Extreme Makeover: Home Edition (S) **8.00** Tipping Point: game show (HD) **10.00** The Bill (S) **11.00** Inside the Ambulance (S) (HD)

6.00pm Inside the Ambulance

Gaz and Lee race to assist a woman who has been involved in an incident with a bin lorry.

7.00 Ann and Steve are called to help a woman and it becomes clear she's having a heart attack and needs surgery.

8.00 Sam and Joel help a man who has just found out he's been exposed to HIV. (S) (HD)

9.00 The Internship ★★

Comedy starring Owen Wilson and Vince Vaughn. After losing their jobs, two middle-aged salesmen try to make it as interns at Google HQ where they must compete against more technically skilled and younger applicants for a job. (W) (HD)

11.35 The Shift: Women on the Force 3/6

Acting Inspector Vicky investigates a late-night city centre assault and trainee PC Jade helps a couple who have returned home to find their house has been ransacked. (AD) (HD)

12.40am Rent a Cop (HD) **1.40** Judge Faith (HD) **2.00-3.00am** Life and Death Row (S) (AD) (HD)

W +1 Sky 210 Virgin 194

Gold

Sky 110 BT 310 **HD** Virgin 124

7.15am Lucky Feller **7.45** Still Open All Hours: triple bill (S) (HD) **9.40** Last of the Summer Wine (S) **11.40** Citizen Khan (AD) (HD)

1.40pm Gavin & Stacey (S) (AD) (HD) **4.15** Citizen Khan (AD) (HD)

6.25pm Gavin & Stacey Smithy worries about seeing Nessa again.

7.00 Gavin feels uncomfortable about Gwen and Bryn knowing the details of his sex life.

7.40 Gavin has a heart-to-heart with his dad, while Dave finds Nessa and Smithy enjoying the fair.

8.20 With preparations for the wedding in full swing, Stacey has news for Gavin. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Mrs Brown's Boys The family awaits the fruits of its fraud.

9.40 Cathy's family counselling session descends into chaos.

10.20 Agnes's children suspect one of them is adopted. (S) (HD)

11.00 Little Britain When Lou's van is blocked in at the car park Andy is upset that he is going to miss My Hero. (S) (AD)

11.40 Mrs Brown's Boys As 9pm.

12.20am House of Fools: double bill (S) (AD) (HD) **1.35** Two Doors Down (S) (AD) (HD) **2.45** Little Britain (S) (AD) **3.15-4.00am** House of Fools (S) (AD) (HD)

Gold +1 Sky 210 Virgin 194

Comedy Central

Sky 112 Virgin 132 BT 307 **HD** Virgin 181 BT 370

8.00am Friends (S) (AD) (HD) **11.25 FILM** Astro Boy ★★★ (HD) **1.10pm** Two Guys, a Girl and a Pizza Place

2.10 Friends (S) (AD) (HD) **3.10 FILM** Wild Child ★★★ Comedy starring Emma Roberts (HD) **5.00 Friends** (S) (AD) (HD) **7.05pm FILM** John Tucker Must Die ★★ Romantic comedy starring Jesse Metcalfe, Brittany Snow and Ashanti (HD)

9.00 FILM Mean Girls ★★★ Comedy with Lindsay Lohan and Rachel McAdams (HD) **11.00 FILM** Easy A ★★★ Comedy starring Emma Stone (HD) **1.00am Blockbusters** (HD) **1.30 South Park** (S) (HD) **4.10-5.00am** The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air (S)

Comedy Central +1 Sky 212 Virgin 133

Sony Crime

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EASTER MONDAY



The Muppets Take Manhattan
12 noon Broadway beckons

Universal TV

Sky 113 Virgin 137 BT 320 **HD** Virgin 164 BT 385

8.00am Murder in Paradise
12 noon FILM The Muppets Take Manhattan **★★★** Comedy **2.00pm**
FILM Looney Tunes: Back in Action **★★** Part-animated fantasy
4.00 FILM Cheaper by the Dozen **★★** Comedy starring Steve Martin

6.00pm My Girl 2 **★★**

Drama starring Dan Aykroyd, Jamie Lee Curtis and Anna Chlumsky. A young girl decides to write about her mother, who died in childbirth, for a school project. When she goes to stay in her mother's old house with her uncle, she finds help in her detective work coming from an unexpected quarter.

8.00 NCIS 18/24 Series 9. The team again joins forces with PsyOps, this time to tackle a blackmailer.

9.00 New. Proven Innocent 6/13
The Injustice Defense Group takes on the case of a girl convicted for the murder of her mother.

10.00 Chicago Med 16/20
Series 4. Halstead treats a woman on the verge of freezing to death.

11.00 Law & Order: Special Victims Unit 11/22 Series 7
A schoolboy is stabbed.

12 midnight Law & Order: Special Victims Unit: four more episodes
4.00–5.00am Proven Innocent

Universal TV +1 Sky 213 Virgin 138

PBS America **91**

F'view (HD only) 91 F'sat 155 Sky 174 Virgin 276

8.00am Walks around Britain: Andrew White walks across Tresco
8.30 Henry VIII: Mind of a Tyrant
12.55pm The Last Days of Anne Boleyn **2.15** Henry VIII: Mind of a Tyrant: four editions. Examining the private life of the Tudor king **3.20**
The battles fought by the Tudor king **4.20** The Tudor king's relationship with Anne Boleyn
5.25 How the Tudor king made England more independent

6.30pm The Last Days of Anne Boleyn On Friday, 19 May, 1536, Henry VIII's second wife Anne Boleyn became the first British queen to be executed, but the circumstances of her death remain shrouded in mystery and contradiction. Authors and historians, including Hilary Mantel, Philippa Gregory and David Starkey, examine the evidence surrounding this controversial woman's journey to the executioner.

7.50 This Is Bob Hope A look at the entertainer's life, featuring material from his personal archives and clips from his classic films, radio and TV shows.

10.15 Elvis and the Memphis Mafia Exploring the highs and lows of Elvis Presley's life and career, through the eyes of his close circle of trusted friends.

11.35–2.00am This Is Bob Hope The entertainer's life, featuring material from his personal archives. As 7.50pm



Murdoch Mysteries 9.00pm
Ogden and Murdoch step out

Alibi

Sky 132 Virgin 126 BT 312 **HD** Virgin 226 BT 382

7.20am Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD)
8.05 Rizzoli & Isles (S) (AD) (HD)
9.00 Sue Thomas: F.B.I.Eye (S)
10.00 The Mrs Bradley Mysteries (S)

5.00pm Jonathan Creek
A crime writer's house holds a dark secret. (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 A body vanishes from a locked study. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 New. Murdoch Mysteries 15/18 Series 12. When a man is electrocuted during a typing contest with Crabtree and Louise Cherry, Murdoch suspects the reporter was the intended target. (HD)

10.00 The Coroner 7/10 Series 1 Lighthaven is stunned when a teenage girl appears to return from the dead, leaving the town to wonder where she has been for a year and who is buried in her place. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 New Tricks 9/10 Series 9 The establishment of a new Ucos section takes Gerry Standing and Steve McAndrew to Glasgow, where they agree to assist the investigation into the 1993 unsolved murder of a bookie. (S) (AD) (HD)

12.20am Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD) **1.15** Quantico (S) (AD) (HD)
2.15–4.00am Murdoch Mysteries: double bill (S) (HD)

Alibi +1 Sky 232 Virgin 191



Lucifer 9.00pm Is Linda's advice falling on deaf ears?

Fox

Sky 124 Virgin 157 **HD** Virgin 199

8.00am Monk (HD) **9.00** Bones (HD) **10.00** Monk (HD) **11.00** NCIS (S) (AD) (HD) **12 noon** Bones: double bill (HD) **2.00pm** The Mentalist (HD) **3.00** NCIS (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** Monk (HD) **5.00** Bones (HD)

6.00pm The Mentalist

20/24 Series 3. Jane deals with two failed robberies. (HD)

7.00 NCIS 21/24 Series 13 Gibbs and TC Fornell hunt two British fugitives. (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 22/24. Vance and Fornell travel to London as part of the ongoing British spy case. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 New. Lucifer 3/26 Series 3 As Maze heads to Canada to track a wanted murder suspect, Chloe begins to worry that she may be in grave danger. (HD)

10.00 Constantine 2/13. A small mining community fights an ancient Welsh spirit. (HD)

11.00 American Dad! 15 Steve gets competitive and turns on his best friend during the father-son events at Possum Lake. (HD)

11.30 Series 14. Klaus starts a website to embarrass the Smith family about their failures. (HD)

12 midnight Family Guy **1.00am** American Dad! (HD) **2.00** Family Guy **4.00–5.00am** Monk (HD)

Fox +1 Sky 224 Virgin 158



Garage Rehab 9.00pm Marine Corps veteran Sean Adams

Discovery

Sky 125 Virgin 250 BT 322 **HD** Virgin 251 BT 376

6.00am Mighty Ships (HD) **7.00** Wheeler Dealers: a BMW 2002tii (HD) **8.00** Gold Rush: nine back-to-back editions (HD)

6.00pm Fast 'n' Loud Revved Up Richard lands his biggest deal in Gas Monkey history, but his crew struggles to hit the deadline. (AD) (HD)

7.00 Outback Truckers The Mackay Brothers hit the bush and try to dodge destruction. (HD)

8.00 Alaska: the Last Frontier The first fishing trip of the year leaves Eve and Jane lost at sea. (HD)

9.00 New. Garage Rehab Richard has just a week to finish the renovation of a non-profit garage that trains veterans. (HD)

10.00 Diesel Brothers While the shop finishes the semi build, Heavy D moves ahead with his plan to attempt a death-defying stunt in the Brodozer. (HD)

11.00 Wheeler Dealers Mike restores a rare 1991 Alfa Romeo 164L with a leaking engine. (HD)

12 midnight Garage Rehab (HD)
1.00am Outback Truckers (HD)

2.00 Diesel Brothers (HD) **3.00** Garage Rehab (HD) **3.50** Gold Rush: double bill (HD) **5.30–6.00am** How It's Made (HD)

Discovery +1 Sky 225 Virgin 252

CHILDREN'S

Milkshake! on C5

Full listings for Channel 5 are on p76

6.00am Peppa Pig: double bill **6.10** Milkshake! Monkey **6.15** Wissper **6.25** **New.** Noddy: Toyland Detective: Noddy investigates new paper butterflies **6.40** Fireman Sam **6.55** Thomas & Friends **7.05** Shane the Chef **7.15** Peppa Pig **7.35** Top Wing: Shirley Squirrely's giant flying machine nearly crashes into the ocean **7.55** Paw Patrol **8.05** Digby Dragon **8.20** Little Princess **8.35** Shimmer and Shine **8.55** Floogals **9.05–9.15am** Sunny Bunnies

CBeebies **202**

Freeview 202 Freesat 608 Sky 614 Virgin 702

6.00am Something Special **6.20** Twirlywoos **6.30** Teletubbies **6.50** TipTo **6.55** Numberblocks **7.00** Bing **7.20** Hey Duggee **7.35** Bitz & Bob **7.45** Peter Rabbit **8.00** Go Jetters **8.10** Octonauts **8.20** Biggleton **8.35** Justin's House **9.00** Tee and Mo **9.05** Yakkal Deel **9.15** Alphablocks **9.20** Kit & Pup **9.25** Bing **9.35** Twirlywoos **9.45** Something Special **10.05** Teletubbies **10.20** Baby Club **10.35** Patchwork Pals **10.40** New. Olobob Top **10.45** Pablo **11.00** Let's Play **11.20** Ferne and Rory's Vet Tales: My Petsaurus **11.35** Show Me Show Me **12 noon** My World Kitchen **12.00pm** Old Jack's Boat **12.25** Katie Morag **12.45** The Adventures of Abney & Teal **1.00** Sarah & Duck **1.05** The Furchester Hotel **1.20** Alphablocks **1.25** Yakkal Deel **1.30** Numberblocks **1.35** Bing **1.45** Something Special **2.05** Teletubbies **2.20** Baby Club **2.35** Pablo **2.45** Our Family **3.00** Catie's Amazing Machines **3.15** Swashbuckle **3.40** Hey Duggee **3.45** TipTo **3.55** Peter Rabbit **4.10** Andy's Dinosaur Adventures **4.25** Do You Know? **4.40** Bitz & Bob **4.50** Go Jetters **5.00** Gigglebiz **5.15** Waffle the Wonder Dog **5.30** Apple Tree House; Our Family Fun **5.45** New. Moon and Me **6.10** Clangers **6.20** In the Night Garden... **6.50–7.00pm** CBeebies Bedtime Stories: a bedtime tale

CBBC **201**

Freeview 201 Freesat 607 Sky 613 Virgin 701

7.00am Arthur **7.15** Dennis & Gnasher Unleashed! **7.25** Danger Mouse **7.40** Newsround **7.45** Dragons: Race to the Edge; Zig and Zag's Zogcasts **8.10** Newsround **8.20** Operation Ouch! **8.50** Horrible Histories: Awesome Alfred the Great Special **9.20** Jamie Johnson **2.10pm** Epic Quick Blast **2.20** Gym Stars **2.40** Mustangs FC **3.05** Shaun the Sheep **3.10** Zog and Zag **3.20** Ooglies **3.35** Dennis & Gnasher Unleashed! **3.50** Odd Squad **4.00** The Pets Factor **4.20** Newsround **4.30** Junior Bake Off: cooks battle it out to be named Britain's best junior baker **5.00** Dumping Ground Island Part 1: Tyler must face his fears or risk losing his friends for ever **5.25** Horrible Histories: gruesome events and characters from the past **6.00pm** Raven **6.30** Last Commanders: sci-fi adventure game show **7.00** Operation Ouch! **7.30** Horrible Histories **8.05** Dumping Ground Island Part 1 **8.30–9.00pm** The Dumping Ground

CITV **203**

Freeview 203 Freesat 602 Sky 621 Virgin 734

6.00am Super 4 **6.35** Signed Stories: Share a Story **6.40** Mr Bean: the Animated Series **7.20** The Tom and Jerry Show **7.55** NinjaGo: Sons of Garmadon **8.25** Robozuna **8.50** New. Mr Magoo **9.25** Mr Bean: the Animated Series **10.25** Milo Murphy's Law **10.55** Wishart **11.40** Be Cool, Scooby-Doo! **12.30pm** Mr Magoo **12.55** Spy School **1.25** Massive Monster Mayhem **1.55** ToonMarty **2.35** Teen Titans Go! **3.00** Mr Bean: the Animated Series **4.00** Mr Magoo **4.30** Teen Titans Go! **5.00** Spy School **5.30** New. PokéMon: Sun and Moon – Ultra Legendaries **6.00** NinjaGo: Sons of Garmadon **6.55** Mr Bean: the Animated Series **7.40** Mr Magoo **8.05** Massive Monster Mayhem **8.30** K.C. Undercover **8.55–9.00pm** Signed Stories: Share a Story

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A couple all at sea

Adrift ★★★ Netflix

Shailene Woodley delivers a passionate performance in this gripping tale about a woman and her fiancé (Sam Claflin) who become stranded at sea. The flashback sequences are a little jarring, preventing the tension from building as much as it could. However, the stars display a wonderful chemistry that adds an emotional charge to their predicament. Skilfully directed by Baltasar Kormakur (*The Deep, Everest*), *Adrift* takes you on a powerful journey that manages to overcome the deficiencies of its script. JAMES LUXFORD



A tale as old as time

Alpha ★★★ 6.15pm Sky Premiere

Young warrior Keda (Kodi Smit-McPhee) forms an unlikely friendship with a wolf in this prehistoric survival story. What starts out as a standard rites-of-passage tale from director Albert Hughes (*The Book of Eli*) develops into something more refined as it explores the themes of friendship and resilience. Smit-McPhee is terrific in a role that relies more on movement than dialogue, while his four-legged co-star is simply adorable. The cinematography is also stunning, with the environment a supporting character in itself. JL

Water carry-on!

Flushed Away ★★★

BBC iPlayer FREE TO VIEW

This computer-animated feature from Aardman is available on catch-up until Friday. Hugh Jackman voices a pet mouse who is flushed down the toilet into a rodent metropolis, where he helps a smart rat (Kate Winslet) foil the plans of an evil toad (Ian McKellen). Kids will revel in the fun, while grown-ups will enjoy the humour. ALAN JONES



FREEVIEW

Film4 15

F'view 15 F'sat 300 Sky 313 Virgin 428 **HD** Virgin 429

11.00am The Book of Life ★★★★

Uplifting animated comedy set in the afterlife. Diego Luna, Zoë Saldana, Channing Tatum (2014, U) (S) **1.00pm Over the Hedge** ★★★ Animated adventure loaded with fast-paced action. Bruce Willis, Garry Shandling, Steve Carell (2006, U) (S)

2.40 How to Train Your Dragon

Constantly amusing animated adventure. Jay Baruchel, Gerard Butler (2010, PG) (S) (AD)

4.35pm Paddington

Charming comedy with the accident-prone bear. Ben Whishaw, Hugh Bonneville, Sally Hawkins (2014, PG) (AD)

6.35 Captain America: the First

Avenger ★★★ The star-spangled hero is born in this pleasingly retro-style Marvel Comics caper. Chris Evans (2011, 12) (S) (AD)

9.00 The Green Mile

Overlong but engrossing Stephen King fantasy drama about the relationship between a prison guard and an inmate on death row. Tom Hanks, Michael Clarke Duncan (1999, 18) (S) (AD)

12.40-3.15am Fast & Furious 6

★ ★ ★ Globe-trotting instalment of the street-racing series. Vin Diesel, Paul Walker, Dwayne Johnson (2013, 12) (S) (AD)

Film4 +1 F'view 45 (HD only) F'sat 301 Sky 314 Virgin 430

Sony Movie Channel 32

Freeweb 32 Freesat 302 Sky 321 Virgin 425

9.00am Zoom

★ Comedy adventure. (2006, PG)

10.45 Magic in the Water

★★★ Fantasy adventure. (1995, PG) **12.50pm Rat Race**

★★★ Comedy. Whoopi Goldberg (2001, 12) **2.55 Matilda**

★★★★ Comedy fantasy. Mara Wilson, Danny DeVito (1996, PG) **5.00 Charlie's Angels**

★★ Action comedy adventure. Cameron Diaz (2000, 15)

7.05pm Charlie's Angels: Full Throttle

★ Action comedy adventure sequel. Cameron Diaz, Drew Barrymore, Lucy Liu, Bernie Mac (2003, 12)

9.00 Face/Off

★★★★ High-octane action thriller. John Travolta, Nicolas Cage, Joan Allen (1997, 18)

11.50 8mm

★★ Grubby mystery thriller. Nicolas Cage, Joaquin Phoenix, James Gandolfini (1999, 18)

2.20am The White King

★★ Sci-fi drama. Lorenzo Allchurch, Agyness Deyn (2016, 12) **4.10-5.05am Wrong Swipe**

★★ Thriller. Anna Hutchison (2016)

Sony Movie Channel +1 Sky 322 F'view 50 (10pm-5am)

Movies4Men 48

Freeweb 48 Freesat 305 Sky 323 Virgin 426

6.00am Tank Commandos

★★ Drama. (1959) **7.35 When Heroes Die**

★★ Drama. (1970, 15) **9.00 Dragonfly Squadron**

★★ War drama. (1954, U) **10.45 Bomb at 10:10**

★★ Adventure. (1967) **12.30pm Battle Stations**

★★ War drama. John Lund (1956, U) **2.10 Rangers Attack at Hour X**

★★ Adventure. Dale Cummings (1970) **4.00 Mosquito Squadron**

★★ Second World War adventure. David McCallum (1968, PG)

5.50pm The Guns of Navarone

★★★★ Stirring wartime adventure. Gregory Peck (1961, PG)

9.00 Operation Dunkirk

★ Second World War action adventure. Ifan Meredith (2017, 15)

11.05 Deserter

★★ Biopic. Paul Fox (2002, 15)

12.55am Phantom

★★ Thriller. Ed Harris (2013, 15)

2.55-4.00am Future Combat Aircraft

Movies4Men +1 Sky 324

Talking Pictures TV 81

Freeweb 81 Freesat 306 Sky 328 Virgin 445

6.00am Time Is My Enemy

★★ Crime drama. (1954) **7.15 Johnny Ringo**

7.45 Death Goes to School

★★ Mystery. (1953, PG) (S) **9.00 Much Too Shy**

★★ Comedy. George Formby (1942, U)

10.50 The Black Rose

★★ Adventure. Tyrone Power (1950, U) (S) **1.10pm Berth 24**

2.00 The Edgar Wallace Mystery Theatre

3.25 The Wicked Lady

★★★★ Classic period drama. Margaret Lockwood (1945, PG) **5.30 Robin's Nest**

6.20pm North West Frontier

★★ Adventure. Review, p41. Kenneth More (1959, U)

9.00 Van der Valk

TV crime drama.

10.00 Mackenna's Gold

★★★ Predictable but enjoyable western. Gregory Peck (1969, 15) (S)

12.30am The Innocents

★★★★ Horror based on Henry James's short story *The Turn of the Screw*. Deborah Kerr, Michael Redgrave (1961, 12)

2.30 Jet Storm

★★ Drama. Richard Attenborough (1959, PG) (S) **4.15-6.00am Three Men in a**

Boat

★★★★ Comedy. Laurence Harvey (1956, U)

Premiere

Sky 301 Virgin 431 BT 501 **HD** Virgin 401

6.00am Shazam! Special

6.30 Samson

★★ Drama. Taylor James (2018, 15)

8.30 As 4.35pm **10.10** As 6.15pm

12 noon As 8pm **2.10pm** The Top

Ten Show

2.25 As 10pm **4.35**

Teen Titans Go! To the Movies

★★ Animated action adventure.

Choice, p60. Scott Menville (2018, PG)

6.15pm **2 Alpha**

★★ Familiar but heartfelt and elegantly told

prehistoric survival tale.

Choice, left. Kodi Smit-McPhee (2017, 12)

8.00 Mamma Mia! Here We Go Again

★★★ More Abba songs are energetically performed in

this musical sequel. Choice, p70.

Lily James, Jeremy Irvine, Amanda Seyfried (2018, PG)

10.00 Ant-Man and the Wasp

★★★★ Rip-roaring Marvel

adventure. Paul Rudd, Evangeline Lilly (2018, 12)

12 midnight **Super Troopers 2**

★★ Comedy. Jay Chandrasekhar (2018, 15)

2.00am Incident in a Ghostland

★★★ Horror. (2018, 18) **3.50 Lu over the Wall**

★★★★ Fantasy. (2017, PG)

Premiere +1 Sky 312 Virgin 402

Superhero

Sky 303 Virgin 434 BT 508 **HD** Virgin 404

6.30am GI Joe: the Rise of Cobra

★★★★ Adventure. (2009, 12) **8.35** As

5.40pm **10.55 Spider-Man**

★★★★ Adventure. Tobey Maguire (2002, 12) **1.00pm Spider-Man 2**

★★★★ Fantasy action adventure. Tobey Maguire (2004, PG)

3.15 Spider-Man 3

★★★★ Fantasy action adventure. Tobey Maguire (2007, 12)

5.40pm Spider-Man: Homecoming

★★★★ Tom Holland is superb in this fresh

twist on the fantasy franchise.

Michael Keaton, Robert Downey Jr (2017, 12)

8.00 The Amazing Spider-Man

★★★★ Teen-friendly re-spin for Marvel's superhero. Andrew Garfield, Emma Stone, Rhys Ifans (2012, 12)

10.20 The Amazing Spider-Man 2

★★★★ Enjoyable action

fantasy sequel. Andrew Garfield (2014, 12)

12.45am GI Joe: the Rise of Cobra

As 6.30am **2.55 Superman: Unbound**

★★★★ Animated action

adventure. (2013, 15) **4.25** Lego DC

Comics Super Heroes: Justice

League –

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Disney

Sky 304 Virgin 435 BT 503 **HD** Virgin 405
6.10am The Fox and the Hound ★★★ Animated adventure. Mickey Rooney (1981, U) **7.40** As 4.10pm **9.30**
As 6pm 11.30 As 11.20pm **12.50pm**
Bolt ★★★★ Animated adventure. John Travolta (2008, PG) **2.35** As 8pm
4.10 Coco ★★★★ Animated adventure. Anthony Gonzalez (2017, PG)

6.00pm Incredibles 2 ★★★★ Entertaining irresistible adventure. Holly Hunter, Craig T Nelson (2018, PG)

8.00 The Lion King ★★★★ Uplifting animated adventure. Matthew Broderick, Jeremy Irons (1994, U)

9.35 Honey, I Shrunk the Kids ★★★★ Enjoyable family adventure. Rick Moranis (1989, U)

11.20 Cinderella ★★★★ Animated adaptation of the classic fairy tale. Ilene Woods (1950, U)

12.45am Invincible ★★ American football drama based on a true story. Mark Wahlberg (2006, PG) **2.40** As 9.35pm **4.25 Homeward Bound: the Incredible Journey** ★★★ Adventure. Michael J Fox, Sally Field (1993, U)

Drama

Sky 309 Virgin 440 BT 511 **HD** Virgin 410
6.00am The Guns of Navarone ★★★ Adventure. (1961, PG) **8.40**
As 8pm 10.25 The Top Ten Show
10.40 As 9.45pm **12.40pm Jerry Maguire** ★★★★ Romantic comedy. Tom Cruise (1996, 15) **3.00 The Great Escape** ★★★★ Second World War adventure. Steve McQueen (1963, PG)

6.00pm Victoria & Abdul ★★★★ Delightful odd-couple comedy drama. Judi Dench, Ali Fazal (2017, PG)

8.00 Tully ★★★★ Witty portrait of motherhood. Charlize Theron, Mackenzie Davis, Mark Duplass (2018, 15)

9.45 The Leisure Seeker ★★★★ Bittersweet tale of a couple's final road trip. Helen Mirren (2017, 15)

11.45 Meet Joe Black ★★ Nicely played but overlong romantic fantasy drama. Brad Pitt (1998, 12)

2.45am Unlovable ★★★ Comedy drama. Charlene deGuzman, John Hawkes (2018)

4.15 Chariots of Fire ★★★★ Sports drama based on a true story. Ben Cross, Ian Charleson, Nigel Havers (1981, PG)

Thriller

Sky 311 Virgin 439 BT 509 **HD** Virgin 409
6.00am The Sting ★★★★ Crime caper. (1973, PG) **8.10** As 10.45pm
10.25 Catch Me If You Can ★★★ Biopic. Leonardo DiCaprio (2002, 12)
12.50pm As 9pm 2.45 The Bone Collector ★★★ Crime thriller. (1999, 15) **4.50 Déjà Vu** ★★★ Sci-fi action thriller. Denzel Washington (2006, 12)

7.00pm The Snowman ★★ Michael Fassbender stars in this adaptation of Jo Nesbo's crime novel. Rebecca Ferguson (2017, 15)

9.00 Salt ★★ Angelina Jolie is on fighting form as a discredited CIA agent in this pacey thriller. Liev Schreiber, Chiwetel Ejiofor (2010, 12)

10.45 The Bourne Legacy ★★★ A trained killer is forced to go on the run in this tense parallel story in the Bourne saga. Jeremy Renner (2012, 12)

1.05am Trafficked ★★ Thriller. Ashley Judd, Sean Patrick Flanery (2017) **3.00**
Hoffa ★★★ Biopic. Jack Nicholson, Danny DeVito (1992, 15) **5.30 Sam Churchill: Search for a Homeless Man** ★★ Mystery drama. John Schneider (1998)

Animation

Sky 305 Virgin 436 BT 505 **HD** Virgin 406
6.15am As 11.15pm 8.10 As 4.35pm **10.05** As 6.25pm **11.35**
The Lego Ninjago Movie ★★ Adventure. Jackie Chan, Dave Franco, Justin Theroux (2017, U) **1.20pm** As 8pm
3.00 As 9.40pm **4.35 Ferdinand** ★★★★ Charming comedy adventure. John Cena, Kate McKinnon (2017, U)

6.25pm Teen Titans Go! To the Movies ★★★ Superhero parody. **Choice, p60**. Scott Menville (2018, PG)

8.00 Despicable Me ★★★★ Wonderfully inventive comedy. Steve Carell, Jason Segel, Russell Brand (2010, U)

9.40 Frankenweenie ★★★★ Delightful spine-tingling fantasy. Catherine O'Hara, Martin Short (2012, PG)

11.15 Mary and the Witch's Flower ★★★★ Vivid adventure. Ruby Barnhill, Kate Winslet, Jim Broadbent (2017, U)

1.10am The Little Vampire ★★ Horror fantasy. Rasmus Hardiker (2017, U)
2.45 The Oddsockeaters ★★ Adventure. Christian Vandepass, Clay Cartland (2016, PG) **4.25 Quackerz** ★★ Adventure. Robbie Daymond (2016, PG)

Sci-Fi/Horror

Sky 310 Virgin 441 BT 507 **HD** Virgin 411
6.00am Annabelle ★★ Horror. Annabelle Wallis (2014, 15) **7.45 Annabelle: Creation** ★★★ Horror. Anthony LaPaglia (2017, 15) **9.45** As 11.15pm **12.10pm** As 8pm **3.00 It** ★★★★ Horror. Jaeden Lieberher (2017, 15) **5.20 Transformers: the Last Knight** ★★★ Sci-fi action adventure. Mark Wahlberg (2017, 12)

8.00pm Avatar ★★★ A US marine tasked with infiltrating an alien culture becomes seduced by their way of life in this visually stunning sci-fi fantasy epic. Sam Worthington, Zoë Saldana, Sigourney Weaver (2009, 12)

10.45 Us Special Movie preview.

11.15 Battleship ★★★ Wanton destruction and dumb fun abound in this alien-invasion tale loosely based on the Hasbro game. Taylor Kitsch, Alexander Skarsgård (2012, 12)

1.30am It As 3pm **3.50 It Comes at Night** ★★★ Horror thriller. Joel Edgerton, Carmen Ejogo, Christopher Abbott (2017, 15) **5.30 Shazam!** Special

TCM

Sky 315 Virgin 415 BT 512 **HD** Virgin 416
6.00am Hollywood's Best Film Directors **7.00 The Wings of Eagles** ★★★ (1957, U) **9.15 The Train Robbers** ★★★ (1973, U) **11.15 The Searchers** ★★★★ Western. (1956, U)

1.40pm Rio Lobo ★★★ Western. (1970, PG) **4.00 Rio Bravo** ★★★★ Western. John Wayne, Dean Martin (1958, PG)

6.50pm Rio Grande ★★★★ Wonderful western about a cavalry fort commander's relationship with his estranged wife and son. John Wayne, Maureen O'Hara (1950, U)

9.00 Revolver ★★ Eye-catching but pretentious crime drama. Jason Statham, Ray Liotta (2005, 15)

11.25 Enter the Dragon ★★★★ A master of kung fu enters a brutal tournament in this seminal Bruce Lee adventure. (1973, 18)

1.35am The Enforcer ★★ Crime thriller. Clint Eastwood (1976, 18) **3.30** Hollywood's Best Film Directors

TCM +1 Sky 316 Virgin 417

SPORT Choices



Premier League 7.30pm
Sky Premier League/Main Event James Tarkowski, Burnley

Sky Main Event

Sky 401 Virgin 511 BT 402 **HD** Virgin 501 BT 437
6.00am Good Morning Sports Fans
10.00 Football Centre

12 noon LIVE Football League Portsmouth v Coventry City in League One (kick-off **12.30**); **2.30pm** Live League Two, Oldham Athletic v Mansfield Town (kick-off **3.00**), from Boundary Park;

5.00 Brentford v Leeds United in the Championship (kick-off **5.15**). **7.30 LIVE Premier League** Chelsea v Burnley (kick-off **8.00**), from Stamford Bridge.

11.00 Sky Sports News
1.00am LIVE Wrestling WWE Raw. **4.15–6.00am** Sky Sports News

Sky Football

Sky 403 Virgin 513 **HD** Virgin 503
6.00am Greatest Games **7.00** Greatest Players (AD) **8.00** Countdowns

9.00 Football Years **10.00** Football League **11.00** One2Eleven **11.30** Greatest Players (AD)

12 noon LIVE Football League Portsmouth v Coventry City in League One (kick-off **12.30pm**), action from Fratton Park;

2.30pm Live League Two, Oldham Athletic v Mansfield Town (kick-off **3.00**), from Boundary Park;

5.00 Brentford v Leeds United in the Championship (kick-off **5.15**), coverage from Griffin Park.

7.30 Greatest Players (AD) **8.00** Greatest Games **10.00** Scottish Football **10.15** Greatest Games **10.30** Soccer AM (AD) **11.00** Major League Soccer **11.30** Greatest Players (AD)

12 midnight Football Years **1.00am** Countdowns **2.00** Greatest Games **2.30** One2Eleven **3.00** Football League **4.00** Greatest Games **4.30** Countdowns **5.00** Greatest Players (AD) **5.30–6.00am** Football Years

Sky Golf

Sky 405 Virgin 515 **HD** Virgin 505
6.00am US Tour Golf **11.00** David Feherty Talks to Bryson DeChambeau

12 noon PGA Tour Profiles **1.00pm** US Tour Golf **6.00** PGA Tour Profiles **7.00** US Tour Golf **8.00** Masterclass **8.30** Chronicles of a Champion Golfer (AD)

9.00 PGA Tour Profiles **10.00** US Tour Golf **11.00** Masterclass **11.30** Chronicles of a Champion Golfer (AD)

12 midnight PGA Tour Profile **1.00am** US Tour Golf **2.00** Masterclass **2.30** Chronicles of a Champion Golfer (AD)

3.00 PGA Tour Profile **4.00–6.00am** Chronicles of a Champion Golfer (AD)

FreeSports

F'view 64 F'sat 252 Sky 422 **HD** Virgin 553

8.10–10.15pm LIVE Portuguese Football Benfica v Marítimo in the Primeira Liga, from the Estadio da Luz (kick-off **8.15**).

Sky Premier League

Sky 402 Virgin 512 **HD** Virgin 502

6.00am Greatest Games **7.00** Premier League Football **8.30** Goals on Sunday

10.00 Premier League Years

12 noon Premier League Football

4.00pm Greatest Games **5.00** 100 Club

6.00 Soccer AM (AD) **6.30** Greatest Games **7.00** Best Goals

7.30 LIVE Premier League

Football Chelsea v Burnley (kick-off **8.00**), from Stamford Bridge.

11.00 100 Club **12 midnight** Premier League Football **1.00am** Premier League Years (AD) **3.00** Premier League

Football **3.30** Greatest Games **4.00** Best Goals **5.30–6.00am** 100 Club

BT Sport 1

Sky 413 Virgin 527 BT 408 **HD** BT 430

6.00am LIVE Australian Rules Football Hawthorn Hawks v Geelong Cats (bounce-up **6.20**).

9.00 Motor Racing

11.00 Premier League Review

12 noon LIVE Tennis Day one of the WTA Stuttgart Grand Prix.

2.00pm World Rally

2.30 LIVE Non-League Football A National League match.

5.15 The Supporters Club (AD)

5.30 Premier League Review

6.30 Scottish Football

7.00 French Football

8.00 LIVE Tennis Further play from the WTA Stuttgart Grand Prix.

10.00 Australian Rules Football

12 midnight Non-League Football

1.30am BT Sport Goals Reload

1.45 There's No Place like Home (AD)

3.00–6.00am LIVE Major League Baseball Oakland Athletics v Texas Rangers (start time **3.07**).

BT Sport 2

Sky 414 Virgin 528 BT 409 **HD** BT 431

6.00am Non-League Football **7.30**

Premier League Review **8.30** Premier League Football **10.00** Tennis

12 noon LIVE Tennis Day one of the WTA Istanbul Cup.

2.00pm The Outdoor Sports Show (AD)



PICK OF THE DAY **Trust Me** 9.00pm BBC1

DRAMA It's starting to feel significant that Corporal Jamie McCain is a patient on the James Stewart Spinal Unit. Like Stewart's Jeff, the hero in *Rear Window*, Jamie has become a kind-of incapacitated detective. He seems to have found his Grace Kelly in the form of Dr Zoe Wade, who's sneaking around gathering evidence, while Jamie lies in bed at the mercy of the medics. But are the pair in danger of adding themselves to the growing tally of unexplained deaths?

Episode two of *Trust Me* keeps the tension simmering nicely, though I do

wish someone would turn the lights on. I'm all for a bit of film-noir shadow, but surely no hospital can possibly be as gloomy as this? It's now reached the stage where I'm thinking that the murkiness may be a plot point. Are patients dying because no one can read the correct dosages on the medications? Perhaps doctors are tripping over in the dark and pulling out vital life-support cables? Is this the first crime drama in history where low-watt bulbs are actually to blame? **DAVID BROWN**

Your Home Made Perfect

8.00pm BBC2

PROPERTY Vicky and James want to update their gloomy Kent home, but, as host Angela Scanlon puts it, they struggle to agree what to have for dinner, let alone what they want in a house. James is obsessed by food (the hall is filled with shelves of cookery books and a giant fridge-freezer), while Vicky and her record collection are relegated upstairs. He wants chunky industrial, she prefers light and airy. Competing architects Robert Jamison and Laura Jane Clark face a real challenge as they try to fulfil the couple's diametrically opposed wishes. It's illuminating to see the architect/client process, and there are some neat ideas for home renovators, too. **GILL CRAWFORD**

Hard to Please OAPs

8.30pm ITV

DOCUMENTARY You have to give June Brown credit as she's certainly earning her appearance fee. At 92, she's managing to step onto one of those vibrating exercise plates and hold down a conversation while oscillating. What a marvel.

If only Michael Whitehall had the same levels of enthusiasm: he doesn't seem to like anything, be it camping, the gym or selfie sticks. So it's no wonder he's on the receiving end of the snarkiest barbs from narrator Jennifer Saunders. Her commentary seems to channel a sarcastic grandchild in the back seat of a car on a day trip. If I was one of the OAPs, I'd be withholding her pocket money. **DAVID BROWN**

See feature: page 26

Surgeons: at the Edge of Life

9.00pm BBC2

DOCUMENTARY Some people's quality of life is so poor that they're prepared to risk lengthy, invasive surgery in the hope of a slight improvement. For Chris, 63, who endures constant back pain, there's a 70 per cent chance something will go wrong during or after the operation on his spine.

Elsewhere in Birmingham's Queen Elizabeth Hospital, Judy is having an enormous "apron" of fat and tissue, the result of extreme lymphoedema, removed. The team have a sweepstake on its weight (they're not being disrespectful, explains surgeon Sunil Thomas, it helps to diffuse the stress). It's a mind-blowing amount. **JANE RACKHAM**

Looking for Rembrandt

9.00pm BBC4

ART We rejoin Rembrandt van Rijn in the mid-1650s with his life and career on the slide. The contributors explore how his debts forced him into bankruptcy, and the various financial schemes he devised to help his son.

But the most interesting parts of the programme are when a curator or critic stands in front of one of the paintings and simply talks us through it – how the broad brushstrokes prefigure impressionism, or how, in a self-portrait from 1658, Rembrandt portrays himself, for all his troubles, as "the prince of painters", with his artist's stick as a kind of sceptre. And they're all agreed that for capturing what age does to a face, there is nobody better. **DAVID BUTCHER**

SECRET SLEUTHS
Are Jamie (Alfred Enoch) and Zoe (Katie Clarkson-Hill) starting to piece together the evidence?

West End and Broadway star Ramin Karimloo (right) joins **Holby City** (8.00pm BBC1; Scotland: 10.35pm), though I feel he must have got lost. Surely he was trying to find his way onto the set of *Grey's Anatomy*? The jawline, the stubble, the knack for getting separated from his shirt within minutes of appearing – it's all pointing to a career at super-glam Seattle Grace, not Holby. Though, it has to be said, everyone (well, almost) appears very charmed by newcomer Kian, with Essie and Nicky

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especially smitten. I obviously hate his guts. Well, maybe just his abs. But come on! Nobody on a UK soap has the right to be this handsome! These are programmes that are supposed to be about regular-looking people. I want to see pasty middle-aged guys like Sacha Levy saving lives. Not Wolverine in scrubs swaggering around thinking he's god's gift. I admit, some viewers will enjoy seeing Ramin in action. But fellas, if you come away feeling inferior, don't say I didn't warn you. **DAVID BROWN**

Ben Fogle: New Lives in the Wild

9.00pm **Channel 5**

DOCUMENTARY "All I've been told is I have to meet Karen in a village somewhere out here," says Ben. Sounds like a tall order, seeing as he's driving through the middle of the Sahara desert. Like many of Ben's new-lifers, Karen has a serene air about her. She runs an artists' retreat in Morocco, where the amber sunlight must have been manna from heaven for the cameraperson – cascading through slits in the windows, and illuminating the dunes outside.

It's not all about sipping tea and admiring the view for Karen, though: the work's hard, but the rewards are huge. "It's so beautiful to watch the transformation people go through," she says of her guests. **GARY ROSE**

Don't Forget the Driver

10.00pm **BBC2**

SITCOM There's a real punctured beauty to Toby Jones's face, which we see in close-up during one memorable scene tonight as anguish and happiness vie for supremacy. The tensions are mounting for Peter, who's allowed stowaway Rita to spend the night under his roof. Daughter Kayla is initially annoyed by her dad's actions, but it's she who ends up being the one to make a communication breakthrough with their new houseguest.

The trouble is, though, that there are people who want to track Rita down and they look like the kind of men who wouldn't think twice about giving Peter some cuts and bruises to wear alongside his frown lines. **DAVID BROWN**

Run for Your Life

10.45pm **ITV** (not STV; Border Scotland: 11.15pm)

DOCUMENTARY As knife crime stats surge, talk continues about the cause. Is the spike due to cuts in police numbers? Austerity? Toxic home environments? Former triple jumper Connie Henry puts forward her argument here. She wants to see a qualified PE teacher in every primary school, so that children are involved in sport from an early age. Can harnessing athletic potential combat the rise in youth violence? The work of Henry's charity Track Academy suggests it can play a part. "Kids do like to be in gangs," says Henry's supporter Daley Thompson, before looking around at the young athletes training on the track. "This is another kind of gang." **DAVID BROWN**

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Deep Ocean: Lights in the Abyss

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Get your fix of Attenborough-voiced natural wonder with this stunning 2018 doc. Sir David narrates footage of what might be aliens, but are actually creatures that thrive in the deep darkness of a Pacific ocean trench. Many of them are their own, beautiful light source.

DISCOVER TV KIDS



The Lion Guard

6.30pm **Disney Jr (Sky 607, Virgin 727), DisneyLife**

The *Lion King* sequel brings its second series to an end with daily episodes all this week. Simba and Nala's cub Kion continues, with the Lion Guard, to combat the high-flying Vultures. **JACK SEALE**

BEST LIVE SPORT

■ **World Snooker** 10am, 1pm **BBC2/BBC red button**; 7pm **BBC red button** 10am, 2.30pm, 6.30pm **Eurosport 1**

■ **Cycling** 1pm **Eurosport 2**

■ **IPL Cricket: Chennai Super Kings v Sunrisers Hyderabad** 3.15pm **BT Sport 3**

■ **Premier League: Tottenham v Brighton** 7.30pm (k/o 8pm) **Sky Premier League/Main Event**

FILM OF THE DAY

Unbreakable

9.00pm **Sony Movie Channel**

Bruce Willis and Samuel L Jackson star in this fantasy drama from M Night Shyamalan. **See page 43**



WILL LOVE BLOOM?

Graphic designer Chris and tennis coach Natalie

First Dates

10.00pm **C4**

ENTERTAINMENT If you like guessing who's going to hit it off before they've even read the menu, you might struggle tonight. Some couples seem a perfect match but aren't, while one unlikely pairing suddenly blossoms.

Graphic designer and beekeeper Chris admits he's a bit wacky and hasn't got a conversational filter (hence his story about the mating habits of bees) so it's hard to imagine he'll have anything in common with the more reserved Natalie, a tennis coach.

Elsewhere posh Calum clearly likes what he sees across the table – he keeps staring at his date Lucy's boobs – while well-groomed Jacques and entertainer Safina look great together, although his laddish chat won't be to everyone's taste.

Plus there's a tragic back story that comes out of nowhere.

JANE RACKHAM

TUESDAY Main Channels

DAYTIME

BBC1

6.00am Breakfast Louise Minchin, Dan Walker. (S) (HD)
9.15 Health: Truth or Scare Some of the invisible dangers that could be lurking in the air around us. (S) (HD)
10.00 Homes under the Hammer Properties in Rhondda Cynon Taf, Kent and Cheshire. (S) (HD)
11.00 The Customer Is Always Right Assessing three new products, including a flexible hairbrush. (S) (AD) (HD)
11.45 Close Calls: on Camera A film extra is taken ill at the top of a cathedral tower. (R) (S) (HD)
12.15pm Bargain Hunt Paul Laidlaw and Caroline Hawley help two teams in Edinburgh. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)
1.00 BBC News Regional News; Weather (S) (HD)
1.45 Impossible Quiz hosted by Rick Edwards. (S) (HD)
2.30 Escape to the Country A couple who want to move from the Essex coast to Suffolk. (S) (AD) (HD)
3.15 Money for Nothing Experts transform and then sell three things salvaged from a tip. (Revised rpt) (S) (HD)
3.45 Home Is Where the Art Is Nick Knowles challenges three artists in Cheshire to create a piece for a mystery buyer. Rptd tomorrow 7.15am BBC2 (S) (AD) (HD)
4.30-5.15 The Repair Shop The team restore a 19th-century concertina that survived combat in the First World War. Repeated tomorrow 6.30am BBC2 (S) (HD)

BBC2

6.25am The Repair Shop Shown yesterday 5pm BBC1 (S) (HD)
7.10 The Super League Show Action from the Easter Monday fixtures. Shown yesterday 11.40pm BBC1 North (S) (HD)
8.00-9.00 Sign Zone Celebrity Painting Challenge 2/4 The VIP artists tackle a cityscape of London. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)
9.00 BBC News (S) (HD)
10.00 LIVE World Snooker First-round coverage on day four of the World Championship at the Crucible Theatre in Sheffield, where Ronnie O'Sullivan's match against a qualifier concludes, and Stuart Bingham's gets under way. Coverage from a choice of tables on the red button and at bbc.co.uk/sport until 2pm. (S) (HD)
12 noon BBC Newsroom Live (S) (HD)
12.15pm Politics Live With Jo Coburn. (S) (HD)
1.00-6.00 LIVE World Snooker The afternoon session, where David Gilbert's first-round match concludes and Judd Trump's gets under way. Hazel Irvine presents, with commentary and analysis from Steve Davis, Ken Doherty, Peter Ebdon, Stephen Hendry, Alan McManus, John Parrott, Dennis Taylor and John Virgo. Coverage from a choice of tables on the red button and at bbc.co.uk/sport continues until 11pm. (S) (HD)

ITV

6.00am Good Morning Britain (S) (HD)
8.30 Lorraine Entertainment and fashion news. (S) (HD)
9.25 The Jeremy Kyle Show Verbal sparring. (S) (HD)
10.30 This Morning Actor Tom Hughes talks about new spy film *Red Joan*. Including **Regional Weather** (S) (HD)
12.30pm Loose Women Lively lunchtime chat. (S) (HD)
1.30 ITV Lunchtime News Regional News; Weather (S) (HD)
2.00 Judge Rinder Cases in a studio court. (S) (HD)
3.00 Tenable Five Hartlepool United fans take part in the quiz. (R) (S) (HD) Followed by **Regional Weather**
4.00-5.00 Tipping Point Game show. (S) (HD)

Channel 4

6.25am Cheers Triple bill of the comedy. (R) (S) (HD)
7.45 Frasier Double bill of the US sitcom. (R) (S)
9.10 Everybody Loves Raymond Double bill. (R) (S)
10.10 Ramsay's Hotel Hell Gordon Ramsay helps a hotel and restaurant in Massachusetts. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)
11.05 Car SOS Fuzz and Tim restore a 1965 VW Karmann Ghia. (R) (S) (AD) (HD) **12 noon News** (S) (HD)
12.05pm Couples Come Dine with Me First hosts in Essex are complaints investigator Callum and his wife Alison, who've put together a fun-filled menu. (R) (S) (HD)
1.05 Escape to the Château: DIY Billy tries to level a patio so it can comply with health and safety. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)
2.10 Countdown With guest Colin Murray. (S) (HD)
3.00 A Place in the Sun A recently married London couple want a holiday home in Cadiz. (R) (S) (HD)
4.00-5.00 A New Life in the Sun In France, two plant nursery owners have water supply issues. (S) (HD)

BBC1

Trust Me 9.00pm
The good doctor? Zoe Wade seems to be on Jamie's side as she looks into the deaths



5.15pm Pointless

Quiz presented by Alexander Armstrong. (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

Phil and Ben continue to search the docks for Louise, and Kathy is rocked to learn the reason for Ben's return. Writer Jonny O'Neill Cast Thursday/Friday (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Holby City

Pleased to Meet You. Jac's status is challenged when new surgeon Kian Madani quickly wins over most of Darwin with his charm and dynamism. Ange tries to limit family fallout following recent revelations, and Dom is annoyed when Carole starts work on reception. Writer Ed Sellek; Producer Irma Inniss Director Jamie Annett (S) (AD) (HD)

Essie Di Lucca	Kaye Wragg	Nicky Kendrick	Belinda Owusu
Adrian "Fletch" Fletcher	Alex Walkinshaw	Cameron Dunn	Nic Jackman
Kian Madani	Ramin Karimloo	Serena Campbell	Catherine Russell
Jac Naylor	Rosie Marcel	Carole Copeland	Julia Deakin
Henrik Hanssen	Guy Henry	Mark Hancock	Andrew Langtree
Ange Godard	Dawn Steele	"Scary" Sue Buchanan	Angela Lonsdale
Chloe Godard	Amy Lennox	Maz Emanuel	Seraphina Beh
Dominic Copeland	David Ames	Pat Dryden	Llewella Gideon
Xavier "Zav" Duval	Marcus Griffiths	Douglas Dryden	Roger Evans
Donna Jackson	Jaye Jacobs		

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9.00 Trust Me

RT 2/4 Series 2. Jamie's recurring night terrors continue to cause disruption in the unit, and as he obsessively tries to uncover the truth about the patient deaths, his behaviour becomes more unpredictable. The question is, has he imagined the threat or is it real? **See page 82.**

Jamie McCain	Alfred Enoch	Glenda	Hilary Lyon
Dr Archie Watson	John Hannah	Sergeant Ellen Ashurst	Katie Lyons
Debbie Dorrell	Ashley Jensen	Kelly	Elaine MacKenzie Ellis
Dr Alex Kiernan	Richard Rankin	Charlie	Jamie Michie
Dr Zoe Wade	Katie Clarkson-Hill	Grace	Jenni Keenan Green
Orla	Saskia Ashdown	Simon	Jamie MacLachlan
Alastair	Tam Dean Burn	Stella	Sarah Niles
Danny Adams	Elliot Cooper	Dr Parveen Shankar	Manjinder Virk
Dr Laila Karimi	Amiera Darwish	Jamie's dad	Tav MacDougall
Carrie	Chloe Harris	Secretary	Patricia Panther
Asha	Laura Lovemore	Young soldier	Shamail Ali

Writer Dan Sefton; Producer Suzanne Reid

Director John Alexander (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 BBC News Regional News; Weather

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

10.35 Eating with My Ex

9/9. Tom wants to find out whether his former sweetheart Franki was the one that got away, and Alisha tries to put aside her differences with Atalay.

The full series is available on iPlayer.

Executive producers Kalpana Patel-Knight, James Cooper, Phil Harris, and Kat Hebdon (S) (HD)

11.05 I'm Coming Out

2/2. Tired of feeling like he lives a double life and having to hide his bisexuality, 19-year-old Owen decides to come out to his parents on camera. Producer Liza Williams; Executive producers Cat Lewis and Danny Horan (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

11.30 Getting High for God?

2/2. Mawaan Rizwan travels to Rio de Janeiro to join the congregations who use the ancient Amazonian hallucinogen ayahuasca in their church services. Can this ancient medicine bring him closer to God? Director/Producer Anna Mears (R) (S) (HD)

12 midnight Weather for the Week Ahead

12.05-6.00am BBC News

(S) (HD)

BBC1 Freeview 1 Freesat 101 Sky 101 Virgin 101

HD Freeview 101 Freesat 106 Sky 115 Virgin 108

BBC2

Surgeons: at the Edge of Life



9.00pm Sunil Thomas and his surgical team face a huge challenge

6.00pm Eggheads

Quiz show presented by Jeremy Vine. (S) (HD)

6.30 Island Medics

Ep 7 Series 2. Behind the scenes at the Gilbert Bain Hospital in Lerwick, following those providing medical care to the Shetland Islands' 23,000 residents. (Revised rpt) (S) (HD)

7.00 Antiques Road Trip

Antiques experts travel around the UK competing to make the most money at auction. (Revised rpt) (S) (HD)

7.00 Your Home Made Perfect

RT 2/5. Architects Laura Jane Clark and Robert Jamison offer transformative family-friendly designs for James and Vicky's impractical 1970s detached home in Kent within a £100,000 budget. After the couple experience the architects' visions in virtual reality the choice they have made for them and their two children is revealed in all its bricks and mortar glory. Angela Scanlon presents. **See page 82.** Series producers Sarah Knight and Zoe Page Executive producers Joff Wilson and Kitty Walsh (S) (HD)

9.00 Surgeons: at the Edge of Life

RT 3/6 Series 2. **A Risk Worth Taking?** Consultant neurosurgeon and spinal surgeon Navin Furtado of Birmingham's Queen Elizabeth Hospital is attempting radical corrective surgery on former butcher Chris, who can't stand straight and is in constant back pain despite three previous operations. Navin will break Chris's spine to remove a wedge of bone from one of his vertebrae, then realign his back using an array of metalwork millimetres from the spinal cord. If the operation is a success Chris may eventually be free of pain and able to walk again. Meanwhile, consultant plastic and reconstructive surgeon Sunil Thomas is removing a huge growth on patient Judy's abdomen that makes walking impossible. **See page 82.** Directors Stuart Bernard and Jonny Ashton Producers Nabila Hussein and Jonny Ashton (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 Don't Forget the Driver

RT 3/6. Kayla shows little inclination to help Peter with their new guest, but when Brad calls the trio become friends. Meanwhile, Peter receives another warning from the community nurse about his mum's safety, and realises he's put his family in danger when strangers come looking for his property. **See page 83.**

Peter Green/Barry Green	Toby Jones	Lech	Dino Kelly
Fran	Claire Rushbrook	Kieran	Wills Whittington
Joy	Marcia Warren	Roy	Antony Somers
Squeaky Dave	Danny Kirrane	Ade	Luke Sullivan
Kayla	Erin Kellyman	Alison Scott	Cath Whitefield
Rita	Luwam Teklizgi	Pippa	Tilly Winford
Brad	Jo Eaton-Kent		

Writers Tim Crouch and Toby Jones

Director Tim Kirkby; Producer Holly Pullinger (S) (AD) (HD)

10.30 Newsnight

With Emily Maitlis. (S) (HD)

11.10 Weather

(S) (HD)

11.15 World Snooker

Highlights of the first-round matches on day four of the World Championship, held at the Crucible Theatre in Sheffield. Rob Walker presents. (S) (HD)

12.05am World Snooker Extra

Extended highlights. (S) (HD)

2.05-4.50am Sign Zone

2.05 Pilgrimage: the Road to Rome 2/3. The stars are beginning to realise how important the simple life is to the pilgrim experience. (R) (S) (HD)

3.05 Inside the Factory

A cheese factory. (R) (S) (AD)

4.05 Murder, Mystery and My Family

The murder of a pub landlady in an Oxfordshire hamlet. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

BBC2

Freeview 2 Freesat 102 Sky 102 Virgin 102

HD Network Freeview 102 Freesat 102 Sky 102 Virgin 102

ITV

Hard to Please

OAPs 8.30pm
Will Ruth Madoc be a happy camper as she tries out Hi-de-Hi tech gear?

**5.00pm The Chase**

Bradley Walsh hosts as Kate, Dave, Greg and Philippa take on quiz genius the Chaser. (S) (HD)

6.00 Regional News Weather (S) (HD)**6.30 ITV Evening News Weather** (S) (HD)**7.00 Emmerdale**

Aaron is forced into a confession.

Aaron Dingle	Danny Miller	Priya Kotecha
Amelia Spencer	Daisy Campbell	Rodney Blackstock
Chas Dingle	Lucy Pargeter	Tracy Metcalfe
Faith Dingle	Sally Dexter	Vanessa Woodford
Maya Stepney	Louisa Clein	Eric Pollard
Robert Sugden	Ryan Hawley	Christopher Chittell
Sarah Sugden	Katie Hill	Harriet Finch
Liv Flaherty	Isobel Steele	Nicola King
Marlon Dingle	Mark Charnock	Paddy Kirk
Rishi Sharma	Bhasker Patel	Rhona Goskirk
Victoria Barton	Isabel Hodgins	Natalie
Jacob Gallagher	Joe-Warren Plant	Max
Writer Jo Maris	Buyer	Dave Dutton
Repeated tomorrow 8am and 12.10pm ITV2 (S) (AD) (HD)		

7.30 Save Money: Lose Weight

3/8 Series 3. Civil servant Dev, 36, takes on Chloe Madeley's Fat Loss Blitz, which combines intense exercise with a protein-rich, low-carb diet, in the hope of shedding pounds and finding romance. Series producer Colin May Executive producer Rachel Innes-Lumsden (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Emmerdale

Chas and Faith attempt to turn things around.

Writer Sarah Hooper

Repeated tomorrow 8.25am and 12.40pm ITV2 (S) (AD) (HD)

8.30 Hard to Please OAPs

RT 3/6. Another batch of gadgets and gizmos is put to the test by the eight elderly personalities, and the likelihood of technological malfunction and misuse are high as celebrity dad Michael Whitehall joins actress Ruth Madoc in the great outdoors for a futuristic camping trip. Jennifer Saunders narrates. **See page 82.** Series producer Tim Hancock Executive producer Jamie Isaacs (S) (AD) (HD)

June Brown: page 26**9.00 The Widow**

6/8. Georgia and Adidja make a journey into the Congolese wilderness that yields unexpected consequences. Meanwhile, Martin puts himself and Ariel closer to Azikiwe's dangerous path. For cast see yesterday (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 ITV News at Ten**Weather; Regional News and Weather** (S) (HD)**10.45 Run for Your Life**

RT Sports journalist and former triple jumper Connie Henry believes sport can play a role in efforts to combat gang activity and knife crime. Lord Sebastian Coe, Dame Kelly Holmes, and Daley Thompson CBE are supporting her mission to put a qualified PE teacher in every primary school. **See page 83.** Directors/Producers Steve Boulton and Steve Crocket (S) (HD)

11.50 The Bay

5/6. Abbie has a terrifying experience with some junkies, while Med starts his own investigations. Shown last Wednesday (S) (AD) (HD)

12.40am Tenable Five friends from London answer quiz questions about top ten lists. (R) (S) (HD)

1.30 Jackpot247 Interactive gaming. (HD)

3.00 All Star Family Fortunes Jennifer Metcalfe and Joe Pasquale play the game for charity. (R) (S) (SL) (HD)

3.45 Nightscreen Text information. (HD)

5.05–6.00am The Jeremy Kyle Show (R) (S) (SL) (HD)

ITV Freeview 3 Freesat 103 Sky 103 Virgin 103

+1 F'view 33 F'sat 112 Sky 203 Virgin 114 **HD** F'view 103 F'sat 111 Sky 103 Virgin 113

Channel 4

First Dates

10.00pm Can Jack's charms win over glamorous fire-breather Safina?

**5.00pm Four in a Bed**

The competition continues at The Star Inn 1744 in Thrussington, Leicestershire. (S) (HD)

5.30 Extreme Chocolate Makers

2/10. Evelyn Day constructs a metre-high fairy castle for a girl's fourth birthday party. (S) (HD)

6.00 The Simpsons

Springfield Up. A film-maker visits Springfield to see how the residents are progressing. (R) (S) (AD)

6.30 Hollyoaks

Scott goes on a date with an older man.

Scott Drinkwell	Ross Adams	Rishi Nair
Max Owen	Gabriel Lawrence	Anna Passey
Misbah Maalik	Harvey Virdi	Stephanie Davis
Mitchell Deveraux	Imran Adams	David Tag
Nana McQueen	Diane Langton	Nick Pickard
Nancy Osborne	Ruby O'Donnell	Trevor A Toussaint
Peri Lomax	Yasmine Maalik	Haiesha Mistry
Prince McQueen	Amir	Naveed Choudhry
Malique Thompson-Dwyer Dave		
Romeo Quinn	Owen Warner	James Lewis
Sally St Claire	Annie Wallace	Charlie Ryan
Writer Tom Melia More cast Friday 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 Food Unwrapped Goes Vegan**

Meat-loving Jimmy Doherty finds out if he can go vegan for a week in the USA.

Directors Salvatore Assenza, Nicola Oliviere and Robin Leach

Series producer Hannah Assenza

Repeated tomorrow 8pm 4seven (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 The Great British School Swap

2/3. Friendships form among the children but one Tamworth boy discovers a cultural divide when he develops feelings for a Muslim girl. The children have a lesson about race and terrorism, some of the girls speak about the restrictions their parents place on them, and the Saltley students get a culture shock on their first day. Series director Martin Fuller/Series producer Heenan Bhatti Rptd tomorrow 11.05pm C4 and Thu 12.50am 4seven (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 First Dates

RT Ep 2 Series 12. This week's dating diners include flower seller Calum, whose bouquet for construction project manager Lucy gets a prickly response, and graphic designer Chris, who may be heading for the dump after revealing his hobby of bin-dipping. **See page 83.** Series producer Neil Rubenstein; Executive producers Jon Crisp and Michele Kurland Repeated tomorrow 9pm 4seven and Friday 11.05pm C4 (S) (AD) (HD)

11.05 Ramsay's 24 Hours to Hell and Back

Ep 2 Series 2. A restaurant in the West End theatre district of Allentown, Pennsylvania.

Repeated Thursday 1am (S) (AD) (HD)

12.05am Celebrity SAS: Who Dares Wins for Stand Up to Cancer 3/5. The recruits are put into pairs to test their teamwork. Shown Sunday 9pm (S) (AD) (HD)
1.00 Grand Designs: the Street 3/6. A couple build an eco-friendly home. Shown last Thursday (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)
1.55 Undercover Boss Canada 1/10 Series 3. The owner of the Wild Wing chain goes incognito. (R) (S) (HD)
2.45 Supershoppers 2/6 Series 2. An investigation into the boom in "natural" cleaning products. Shown yesterday 8pm (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)
3.15 Coast vs Country In East Sussex. (R) (S) (HD)
4.10 All Star Driving School Claudia Fragapane practises emergency stops. First shown on E4 (S) (HD)
4.35 Kirstie's Vintage Gems Kirstie Allsopp and her team create a 1950s-style playroom. (R) (S) (HD)
4.55 The £100K Drop A man and his daughter-in-law and a couple compete in the quiz. (R) (S) (HD)
5.50–6.25am Countdown With Paul Zenon. (R) (S) (HD)
Channel 4 Freeview 4 Freesat 104 Sky 104 Virgin 104
+1 F'view 13 F'sat 121 Sky 204 Virgin 142 **HD** F'view 103 F'sat 111 Sky 103 Virgin 113

BBC4

Looking for Rembrandt

9.00pm How the Dutch master's mature years enriched his art

**7.00pm Beyond 100 Days** (S) (HD)

Followed by **Weather** (S) (HD)

7.30 Great British Railway Journeys

Michael Portillo embarks on a journey through southern Scotland from west to east. After admiring the granite island of Ailsa Craig he tries his hand at curling. More tomorrow 7.30pm. Series producer Alison Kreps; Executive producer John Comerford (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Blue Planet II

4/10. Big Blue. It's the world's greatest wilderness, far from shore and many kilometres deep. "The Big Blue" is a vast marine desert where there is little to eat and nowhere to hide. Yet life persists. Sperm whales hunt for squid a kilometre down in the abyss while a pair of ageing albatrosses give their all for their very last chick. Producer John Ruthven; Series producer Mark Brownlow Repeated 2am (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Looking for Rembrandt

RT 3/3. Rembrandt is dogged by bankruptcy proceedings in his later years and in his desperation for money he is forced to take on commissions his now successful pupils have rejected and find questionable ways to divert funds to his own coffers. Yet in these straitened circumstances he paints himself in regal pose. Later, his work takes on a new style that embraces age, imperfection and humanity but it is not received with universal admiration and his most important commission in years is rejected. **See page 82.** Director Tim Niel; Executive producer Ross Wilson Signed repeat 3am (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 The Secret History of Our Streets

1/3 Series 2. The Moray Estate, Edinburgh. The history of three streets in Scottish cities, beginning with the Moray Feu in Edinburgh's New Town, designed by architect James Gillespie Graham in 1822 and to this day the grandest street in Scotland. Director Joseph Bullman Producer Jaime Taylor (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 Shakespeare's Mother: the Secret Life of a Tudor Woman

Historian Michael Wood charts the story of Mary Arden, the daughter of a Warwickshire farmer, who married wool and hide dealer John Shakespeare. Together they had eight children, including William. Producer Rebecca Dobbs (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

12 midnight Sex and Sensibility: the Allure of Art Nouveau 1/3. Stephen Smith explores the Parisian belle époque style. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)
1.00am Gaga for Dada: the Original Art Rebels Jim Moir, aka Vic Reeves, praises the avant-garde art movement. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)
2.00 Blue Planet II Shown 8pm (S) (AD) (HD)
3.00–4.00am Looking for Rembrandt

Shown 9pm (S) (SL) (AD)

BBC4 Freeview 9 Freesat 173 Sky 116 Virgin 107
HD Freeview 106 Freesat 107 Virgin 163

Regional variations

BBC1**SCOTLAND**

8.00–9.00pm **River City**: a desperate Alex vows to clear his name. **10.35 Holby City** 11.35 Eating with My Ex **12.05am** I'm Coming Out **12.30 Getting High for God?** 1.00 Weather for the Week **Ahead** 1.05–6.00 News

BBC SCOTLAND

As **BBC2** until:
7.00pm WonderBall
7.30 The Great Food Guys: a twice-baked Mull cheese soufflé
8.00 How Scotland Works: the ways in which Scotland is marketed around the world **9.00** The Nine
10.00 Bodybuilders Unfiltered: Scotland's top bodybuilding couple compete in the world finals
11.00–12 midnight The Storm That Saved a City: the transformation of Glasgow in the wake of the devastating storm that hit Scotland in January 1968

STV

10.00pm News at Ten; STV News and Weather **10.40** Scotland Tonight; ITV Weather; STV Appeal: Get Involved **11.10** Heathrow: Britain's Busiest Airport **12.05am** The Bay **1.00** Nightscreen **5.05–6.00** The Jeremy Kyle Show

BORDER SCOTLAND

10.45pm Representing Border **11.15** Run for Your Life **12**

TUESDAY Freeview

Channel 5



Ben Fogle: New Lives in the Wild 9.00pm Karen Hadfield meets Ben

Freeview 5 Freesat 105 Sky 105 Virgin 105
HD Freeview 105 Freesat 105 Virgin 150
6.00am Milkshake! See page 89
9.15 New. Jeremy Vine (S) (HD)

11.15 Traffic Cops A convicted drug dealer is pursued. (S) (HD) **12.10pm 5 News** (S) (HD)

12.15 Can't Pay? We'll Take It Away Stewart and Elmore try to collect a debt of £80,000. (S) (HD) **1.10 Access** (S) (HD)

1.15 Home and Away Shown yesterday 6pm 5 Star Repeated 6pm Channel 5 (S) (AD) (HD)

1.45 New. Neighbours Rptd 5.30pm (S) (AD) (HD)
2.15 Snatched at Birth ★★ Drama

starring Kaitlyn Black. Does a woman know more than she is letting on after her friend's baby disappears?

Director Michael Feifer (2017) (S) (W) (HD)

4.00 Friends Rachel schemes to get a handsome client to ask her out. (S) (HD)

4.30 Joey is caught out. (S) (HD)

5.00pm 5 News (S) (HD)

5.30 Neighbours
 Shaun agrees to keep Elly's secret. Shown 1.45pm Repeated 6pm 5 Star (S) (AD) (HD)

6.00 Home and Away Jasmine supports Tori after a close call. 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

Alan visits Erddig Hall in Wrexham, finding out about the Yorke family, who called it home for more than 250 years. Director/Producer Megan Macqueen (S) (HD)

Followed by **5 News Update** (S) (HD)

8.00 New. The Yorkshire Vet

Peter notices complications at an emergency lambing that could threaten the ewe and its lambs' lives. Directors/Producers David Terry and Ross Blair (S) (AD) (HD)

Followed by **5 News Update** (S) (HD)

9.00 New. Ben Fogle: New Lives in the Wild

RT 2/4 Series 9. Ben visits Morocco to meet former festival director Karen, who left Melbourne to build an artists' retreat in the Sahara. See page 83.

Producer Gareth Prescott Series producer Sean McDonnell (S) (HD)

10.00 New. The Murderer Next Door

Testimony from those closest to Maire Rankin, 81, who was murdered in Newry on Christmas Day in 2008. (S) (HD)

11.05 Autopsy: the Last Hours of Marilyn Monroe

Forensic pathologist Dr Richard Shepherd examines the film star's death. (S) (HD)

12.05am Wannabe Porn Stars: the Sex Business 1/3. Shown yesterday 10pm (S) (HD)

1.00 Home Shopping (S) (HD)

3.00 Access (S) (HD) **3.10** Shop Smart, Save Money Shown last Thursday (S) (HD) **4.00** My Mum's Hotter than Me! (S) (SL) (HD) **4.45** House Doctor (S) (SL) **5.10** Great Scientists (S) (SL) **5.35-6.00am** Wildlife SOS (S) (SL)

+1 Freeview 44 Freesat 128 Sky 205 Virgin 155

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ITV2



Through the Keyhole 9.00pm Keith rummages around more houses

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

6.00am The Planet's Funniest Animals (S) **6.20** Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records (S) (HD) **7.10** You've Been Framed! Gold (S)

8.00 Emmerdale (S) (AD) (HD) **8.25** Coronation Street (S) (AD) (HD) **9.25** The Ellen DeGeneres Show (S) (HD) **10.20** Superstore (S) (AD) (HD)

11.10 You've Been Framed! Gold (S)

12.10pm Emmerdale Shown yesterday 7pm ITV (S) (AD) (HD) **12.40** Coronation Street Shown yesterday 7.30/8.30pm ITV (S) (AD) (HD) **1.40** 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

Including a skateboarding mum coming a cropper, an amazing crazy-golf shot and a lawnmower with a mind of its own.

7.30 Hilarious footage, including a man getting flung out of a raft.

8.00 Embarrassing home videos and clips of malfunctioning moments. (S)

9.00 Through the Keyhole

5/8 Series 5. Nosy parker Keith Lemon rummages around the abodes of three mystery celebrities. This week he is joined by actor Shane Richie, quiz whizz Rachel Riley and Blur bassist Alex James. (S) (HD)

10.00 Family Guy

Series 5. The principal of the local school tries to improve test scores by expelling the institution's worst pupils.

10.30 Meg threatens to commit suicide unless she finds a date for the prom.

10.55 Brian accidentally sells Stewie's favourite teddy bear at a garage sale, so dog and baby embark on an epic journey to reclaim it. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.25 American Dad!

Series 11. Francine's lonely-housewife novel is up for an award, so the family heads to the Big Apple for the ceremony. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.55 Francine's sister causes trouble when she comes to stay. (S) (AD) (HD)

12.25-2.30am FILM Scre4m ★★ Horror sequel starring Neve Campbell, Courteney Cox and David Arquette (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

ITV4+1 Freeview 27 Freesat 114 Sky 218 Virgin 116

ITV4

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

6.00am The Protectors (S) (SL) **6.25** The Avengers (S) (SL) (HD) **7.20** Kojak (S) (HD)

8.10 Quincy (S) (HD) **9.15** Minder (S) (AD)

10.20 The Sweeney (S) **11.25** The Professionals (S) (AD) **12.30pm** The

Avengers (S) (HD) **1.35** Kojak (S) (HD) **2.40**

Quincy (S) (HD) **3.40** Minder (S) (AD) **4.45** The

Professionals (S) (AD) **5.50** The Sweeney (S)

6.55pm The Chase Four contestants take on the Chaser. Bradley Walsh hosts. (S) (HD)

8.00 River Monsters Jeremy Wade goes in search of the real creature behind the enduring sea serpent legend. (S) (HD)

9.00 FILM Lethal Weapon 4 ★★★ Action

comedy thriller starring Mel Gibson, Danny Glover and Joe Pesci. Los Angeles detectives Riggs and Murtaugh return to do battle with a Chinese crime syndicate smuggling immigrants into the US. (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

11.30 FILM Magnum Force ★★★ Thriller

starring Clint Eastwood as San Francisco cop "Dirty" Harry Callahan. (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

2.05am Lethal Weapon (S) (AD) (HD)

2.50-3.00am Nightscreen (HD)

ITV4+1 Freesat 154 Sky 220 Virgin 175

ITV3



Midsomer Murders 8.00pm Barnaby and Troy are immersed in a case

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

6.00am Classic Coronation Street (S) **6.55** Heartbeat (S) (AD) **8.00** Murder, She Wrote (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** Judge Judy (S) (HD) **10.30** Agatha Christie's Poirot (S) (AD) (HD)

12.40pm Heartbeat (S) (AD) **1.45** Classic Emmerdale: double bill. Nick gets an unexpected Valentine present, and Zoe learns why Archie's mother is in Beckindale (S) **2.50** Classic Coronation Street: double bill. Curly accuses Reg of setting him up, and Mike tells Alma he will contest the divorce (S) **3.50** Agatha Christie's Poirot (S) (AD) (HD)

6.00pm Heartbeat

Bernie becomes the target of a series of mysterious and violent attacks. (S) (AD)

7.00 Murder, She Wrote

Jessica's author friend Nick Cullhane is found dead. (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Midsomer Murders

Tainted Fruit. Arrogant local beauty Melissa Townsend is found dead by the swimming pool at her manor house in affluent Midsomer Malham. (S) (AD)

DCI Tom Barnaby

John Nettles

Sergeant Gavin Troy

Daniel Casey

Joyce Barnaby

Jane Wymark

Hugo Balcombe

Benjamin Whitrow

Adam Keyne

Adrian Rawlins

Sally Rickworth

Claire Price

Raif Canning

John McGlynn

Melissa Townsend

Lucy Punch

10.00 DCI Banks

5/6 Series 5. After the brutal stabbing of a fellow officer, the heat is on to find those responsible. Banks is certain that the culprit is Steve Richards, but his obsession about nailing the crime boss is threatening to send him over the edge. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 6/6. The suspended detective is on the verge of bringing Steve Richards to justice when the case takes an unexpected twist that sends the team right back to square one. (S) (AD) (HD)

12.05am Agatha Christie's Poirot (S) (HD)

2.10-2.30am Nightscreen (HD)

+1 F'view 34 (9pm-midnight) F'sat 116 Sky 219 Virgin 174

ITVBe

F'view 26 F'sat 118 Sky 131 Virgin 119 **HD** Virgin 179

9.00am LittleBe 12 noon Income Property (S) (HD) **12.25pm** The Real Housewives of New Jersey (S) (HD) **1.20** The Bachelor: Love Stories (S) **2.20** Million Dollar Listing: LA (HD) **3.10**

The Real Housewives of Orange County (S) (HD)

4.10 The Real Housewives of Beverly Hills (S) (HD)

6.00pm Buyers Bootcamp A dated

two-story house needs an overhaul. (S) (HD)

7.00 New. Buying and Selling Single

mother Catherine is determined to finally

flip her problematic property. (HD)

8.00 Dinner Date Joe chooses three blind

dates from five menus. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 The Real Housewives of Atlanta

A struggling Porsha turns to her family after

losing yet another friend. (S) (HD)

10.00 The Real Housewives of Orange

County The women climb a waterfall. (S) (HD)

10.55 Vanderpump Rules Kristen uses a

naked picture of Jax in her comedy show. (HD)

TUESDAY Satellite & cable



Arrow 8.00pm Oliver needs Felicity to make a choice



Blue Bloods 8.00pm Mandy takes a shine to Jamie



9-1-1 9.00pm Athena and Bobby embark on a search



Inside the Ambulance 8.00pm Nicole McClintock



Fawlty Towers 10.20pm Basil and Polly come up with a plan

Sky 1

Sky 106 Virgin 110 **HD** Virgin 109

6.00am Monkey Life (S) (AD) **7.00** Animal House (S) (AD) (HD) **7.30** Wild Vets (S) **8.00** The Dog Whisperer (S) (HD) **9.00** Air Ambulance ER (S) (HD) **10.00** Babylon 5 (S) **11.00** NCIS: Los Angeles (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Hawaii Five-O (S) (HD) **3.00** David Attenborough's Galapagos (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** Modern Family (S) (HD) **5.00** The Simpsons (S) (HD)

6.00pm Futurama

6.30 **The Simpsons** Lisa finds a wild flower that cures aggression. **7.00** Marge becomes obsessed with peach-based desserts.

7.30 Fat Tony and Selma marry after a whirlwind romance. (S) (HD)

8.00 New. Arrow **17/23** Series 7 Felicity is forced to choose between the team and Laurel. (HD)

9.00 New. SEAL Team **17/22** Series 2. A bomb attack in Manila puts the unit in peril. (HD)

10.00 A League of Their Own

Highlights from series 11. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 Hawaii Five-O

(S) (HD) **1.00am** DC's Legends of Tomorrow (HD) **2.00** Motorway Patrol (S) (AD) (HD) **2.30** Comedians Watching Football with Friends: topical comedy (HD) **3.00** NCIS: Los Angeles (S) (HD) **4.00** Babylon 5 (S) **5.00-6.00am** Stargate SG-1 (S) (HD)

Sky 1 +1 Sky 206

Sky Atlantic

Sky 108

6.00am Fish Town (S) (HD) **7.00** Richard E Grant's Hotel Secrets (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** Storm City (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** The West Wing (S) (HD) **11.00** CSI: Crime Scene Investigation (S) (HD) **12 noon** Micro Monsters with David Attenborough (S) (HD) **12.30pm** David Attenborough's Natural History Museum Alive (S) (HD) **2.00** Blue Bloods (HD) **3.00** The West Wing (S) (HD) **5.00** Without a Trace: double bill (S) (HD)

7.00pm CSI: Crime Scene Investigation

21/25 Series 5 A patient is murdered at a psychiatric hospital. (S) (HD)

8.00 Blue Bloods

1/22 Series 2 Frank is asked to downplay the significance of a murder. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Game of Thrones

2/6 Series 8. The Great War between the armies of the dead and the realms of the living goes on. (HD)

10.10 Billions

5/12 Series 4 A visitor surprises Axe. (HD)

11.20 Veep

3/7 Series 7 Dan and Amy take a road trip. (HD)

11.55 Barry

3/8 Series 2. Sally reflects on her own history. (HD)

12.30am The Wire

(S) (AD) (HD) **1.45** Our Cartoon President (S) (HD) **2.55** Gomorrah (S) (HD) **4.00-6.00am** The West Wing: double bill (S) (HD)

The West Wing: double bill (S) (HD)

Sky Atlantic +1 Sky 208

Sky Arts

Sky 122 Virgin 122 **HD** Virgin 206

6.00am Darbar Festival 2017 (HD) **7.00** Katherine Jenkins Live at the O2 (S) (HD) **9.00** Tales of the Unexpected (S) **10.00** Discovering: Alec Guinness (S) (AD) (HD) **11.00**

Discovering: Peter Lorre (S) (AD) (HD) **12 noon** The Seventies (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00pm** Tales of the Unexpected (S) **2.00** Comedy Legends (S) (HD) **3.00** The Lot of Fun: Where the Movies Learned to Laugh (S) (HD) **4.00** Discovering: Maximilian Schell (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00** Discovering: Robert Taylor (S) (AD) (HD)

6.00pm The Seventies

The evolution of terrorism. (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 Portrait Artist of the Year

The grand final. (S) (HD)

8.00 Portrait Artist of the Year: the Winner's Story

The winner paints Tom Jones. (HD)

9.00 New. Christian Dior: Designer of Dreams

A profile of the couturier. (HD)

10.00 Donovan and the Beatles in India

Folk singer Donovan retraces the journey he and the Beatles took to India in 1968. (S) (HD)

11.00 Urban Myths: Donald Trump and Andy Warhol

Comedy starring Jack McBrayer and Anthony Atamanuik. (HD)

11.30 Psychobitches

1/5 Series 1 Comedy sketch show. (S) (AD) (HD)

12 midnight as 8pm

1.00am Elvis '56 Special (S) (AD) **2.15** The Seven Ages of Elvis (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** as 4pm **5.00-6.00am** as 5pm

Sky 2

Sky 151 Virgin 121

6.00am Cooks to Market (S) (AD) **7.00** Wild Things (S) (AD) **8.00** 60-Minute Makeover (S) **10.00** Four Weddings (S) **12 noon** Animal House (S) (AD) **2.00pm** The Dog Whisperer **3.00** Stargate SG-1: double bill (S) **5.00** Haven (S)

6.00pm Supergirl **17/22** Series 2 Aliens travel to National City to try to kill Supergirl when a bounty is placed on her head. (S)

7.00 Stargate Atlantis **17/20** Series 4. The Wraith find their way to the Midway Space Station. Christopher Judge guest-stars. (S)

8.00 Supergirl **17/23** Series 4 Kara faces her biggest challenge to date as she deals with the destructive aftermath of Lex Luthor's nefarious plans.

9.00 Blue Bloods **5/22** Series 9 Danny and Baez investigate a murder attempt against a celebrated fertility doctor with a seemingly pristine reputation.

10.00 Blindsight **17/22** Series 4 The agents race to save Jane from the clutches of a killer, but time is not on their side.

11.00 NCIS: Los Angeles **9/24** Series 1. Abby Sciuto from the Washington office helps in the hunt for a serial killer. (S)

12 midnight Arrow **1.00am** **SEAL Team** **2.00** **9-1-3.00** The Force: Manchester (S) **4.00** Duck Quacks Don't Echo (S) (AD) **5.00-6.00am** The Dog Whisperer

Syfy

Sky 114 Virgin 135 BT 319 **HD** Virgin 165 BT 375

6.00am Star Trek: Voyager **8.00** Home Shopping **11.00** Stitchers **12 noon** Primeval **1.00pm** FILM Sinbad and the War of the Furies ★★ Action adventure starring John Hennigan **3.00** Marvel's Runaways **5.00** Star Trek: Voyager

6.00pm Star Trek: the Next Generation **19/26** Series 4. A crew member becomes super-intelligent. **7.00 20/26** Picard is reunited with an old flame.

8.00 Stitchers **5/11** Series 1. A CIA operative dies after supposedly suffering a heart attack.

9.00 Kung Pow: Enter the Fist ★★ Martial arts parody starring Steve Oedekerk. Kung fu prodigy "Chosen One" must avenge the murder of his parents by challenging the evil Master Pain to combat.

10.50 Replicant ★★ Sci-fi action thriller starring Jean-Claude Van Damme. Frustrated by his failure to capture a fire-obsessed serial killer known as "The Torch", veteran police detective Jake Riley is persuaded to go along with an untested new procedure in a last-ditch effort to get his man.

1.00am Stitchers **2.00** Star Trek: the Next Generation **3.00** Fact or Faked: Paranormal Files

4.00-6.00am FILM Mega Storm: Days of Destruction ★★ Sci-fi thriller starring Jason London

Syfy +1 Sky 214 Virgin 136

TLC

Sky 140 Virgin 167 BT 323 **HD** Virgin 168 BT 377

6.00am Say Yes to the Dress (HD) **7.00** Say Yes to the Dress: Atlanta (HD) **8.00** Say Yes to the Dress: UK (HD) **10.00** 90 Day Fiancé (HD) **12 noon** My 600lb Life: Where Are They Now? (HD) **2.00pm** Caribbean Life (HD) **3.00** My Lottery Dream Home (HD) **4.00** Say Yes to the Dress (HD) **5.00** Say Yes to the Dress (HD) **6.00** Say Yes to the Dress (HD) **7.00** Say Yes to the Dress: UK (HD) **8.00** New. Home Town (HD) **9.00** My Lottery Dream Home (HD) **10.00** Say Yes to the Dress: Lancashire (HD) **11.00** Katie Price: My Crazy Life (HD) **12 midnight** Home Town (HD) **1.00am** as 9pm **2.00** as 10pm **3.00** as 11pm **4.00** Caribbean Life (HD) **5.00-6.00am** My Lottery Dream Home (HD)

TLC +1 Sky 240 Virgin 169

Lifetime

Sky 164 Virgin 208 BT 329 **HD** Virgin 209 BT 384

7.00am Judge Judy (HD) **9.00** Pawn Stars (HD) **10.00** Storage Wars (HD) **11.00** Judge Judy (HD) **2.00pm** Britain's Next Top Model (HD) **3.00** Leah Remini: Scientology and the Aftermath (HD)

4.00 Dance Moms (HD) **5.00** Project Runway All Stars (HD) **6.00pm** Pawn Stars (HD) **7.00** Judge Judy: four editions (HD)

9.00 New. Born This Way: Cristina and Angel battle their nerves as they prepare for their big day (HD) **11.00** Ozzy and Jack's American Roadtrip: the pair visit Alabama (HD) **12 midnight** Pawn Stars: double bill (HD) **1.00am** Storage Wars (HD) **2.00-4.00am** Born This Way

Sony Crime +1 F'view 60 (9pm-6am) Sky 257

Comedy Central

Sky 112 Virgin 132 BT 307 **HD** Virgin 181 BT 370

8.00am The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air (S) **9.00** Fresh Off the Boat (S) (HD) **10.00** Friends (S) (AD) (HD) **12 noon** Two Guys, a Girl and a Pizza Place (HD) **1.00pm** Friends (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** Two Guys, a Girl and a Pizza Place (HD) **5.00** Friends (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** Fresh Off the Boat: double bill. Louis competes in a cook-off, and Jessica is infected with lice (HD) **9.00 FILM** The Expendables 3 ★★★ Action adventure starring Sylvester Stallone and Mel Gibson (HD) **11.30** Ridiculousness (S) (HD)

12.30am Your Face or Mine (HD) **1.00 New.** The Daily Show (HD) **1.35** South Park (S) (HD) **4.10-5.00am** The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air (S)

Comedy Central +1 Sky 212 Virgin 133

Sony Crime

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Freeview 40 Freesat 143 Sky 157 Virgin 193

7.00am CSI: Crime Scene Investigation **10.00** Fatal Attraction **11.00** Body of Evidence **1.00pm** Facing Evil **2.00** Women on Death Row **4.00** Person of Interest **5.00** CSI: Crime Scene Investigation: triple bill **8.00** Passport to Murder: the case of socialite Sheila von Wiese-Mack **9.00** Murder Detectives: Solved by CCTV **11.00** Bullied to Death: the Tragedy of Phoebe Prince: a girl who hanged herself after being bullied

12 midnight Cosby: the Women Speak **1.00am** Facing Evil **2.00** Real Detective **3.00-4.00am** Body of Evidence



NCIS 7.00pm A petty officer's murder puzzles the team

Universal TV

Sky 113 Virgin 137 BT 320 **HD** Virgin 164 BT 385

8.00am Sea Patrol **9.00** Murder in Paradise **11.00** Murder She Solved: True Crime **1.00pm** Law & Order **3.00** CSI: Miami

5.00pm Major Crimes **13/23**
Series 4. Sanchez is haunted by memories of his late wife while investigating a murder.

6.00 14/23. The team investigates a road-rage incident that has escalated to murder.

7.00 NCIS **19/24** Series 9
Vance's brother-in-law is linked to the murder of a petty officer.

8.00 20/24. Ziva and Tony try to rescue a US Navy chaplain kidnapped by Colombian rebels.

9.00 Law & Order: Special Victims Unit **3/24** Series 19. Rollins and Carisi investigate when a man is castrated and left for dead.

10.00 4/24. A teen who was a victim of cyberbullying goes missing.

11.00 The Resident **17/22**
Series 2. The team faces a tough choice concerning two patients in need of one crucial machine.

12 midnight Law & Order: Special Victims Unit **1.00am**
Murder in Paradise **2.00** Murder She Solved: True Crime **3.00** Law & Order: Special Victims Unit

4.00–5.00am Sea Patrol

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PBS America **91**

F'view (HD only) 91 F'sat 155 Sky 174 Virgin 276

8.00am Walks around Britain **8.30**
A History of Ancient Britain **9.40**
Jewish Gls of WWII **10.55** Hitler: My Neighbour **12.15pm** Elvis and the Memphis Mafia **1.35** A History of Ancient Britain **2.40** Jewish Gls of WWII **3.55** Hitler: My Neighbour **5.15** Elvis and the Memphis Mafia: Elvis Presley's highs and lows

6.35pm A History of Ancient Britain Neil Oliver explores the origins of Britain and its people, beginning with an examination of the last ice age and what happened when the climate changed.

7.50 New series. The Wild Canadian Year Life for plants and animals throughout the four seasons, beginning with spring as black bear cubs learn to climb trees and Arctic fox pups take their first steps.

9.00 The Vikings Uncovered **1/2.** Dan Snow searches for evidence of Viking settlements in North America, trying to prove that they settled in the New World 500 years before Columbus.

10.15 D-Day: the Last Heroes **1/2.** Dan Snow examines how two years of meticulous planning, espionage and the analysis of millions of 3D aerial photographs helped the Allied forces gain a foothold in northern France during the Second World War.

11.30 The Wild Canadian Year As 7.50pm.

12.45–2.00am as 9pm



Motive 6.00pm A man's body is discovered in a hot tub

Alibi

Sky 132 Virgin 126 BT 312 **HD** Virgin 226 BT 382

7.20am Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD) **9.05** Rizzoli & Isles (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** Sue Thomas: F.B.I. Eye (S) **11.00** Unforgettable (HD) **12 noon** Miss Fisher's Murder Mysteries (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Motive (HD) **2.00** Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD) **4.00** Rizzoli & Isles (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00** **New.** Rush (AD) (HD)

6.00pm Motive **5/13** Series 1 Flynn and Vega investigate the death of a raw food advocate. (HD)

7.00 Miss Fisher's Murder Mysteries **7/8** Series 3. The practice partner of a tennis star is fatally bitten by a spider. (S) (HD)

8.00 Murdoch Mysteries **16/18** Series 11. Crabtree goes under cover at a chess tournament. (S) (HD)

9.00 WPC 56 **4/5** Series 1. Jack makes progress on finding the other missing boy. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 The Coroner **8/10** Series 1. The patriarch of the local aristocratic family is found stabbed to death. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 New Tricks **10/10** Series 9 The team tries to unmask an assassin. (S) (AD) (HD)

12.20am Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD)

1.20 Quantico (S) (AD) (HD) **2.25–4.00am** Murdoch Mysteries: double bill (S) (HD)

Alibi +1 Sky 232 Virgin 191



American Dad! 9.00pm Roger and Steve step up to the plate

Fox

Sky 124 Virgin 157 **HD** Virgin 199

8.00am Monk (HD) **9.00** Bones (HD) **10.00** Monk (HD) **11.00** NCIS (S) (AD) (HD) **12 noon** Bones: double bill (HD) **2.00pm** The Mentalist (HD) **3.00** NCIS (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** Monk (HD) **5.00** Bones (HD)

6.00pm The Mentalist **21/24** Series 3. Jane suspects that a state prison inmate is to blame for the murder of a guard. (HD)

7.00 NCIS **23/24** Series 13. The team continues the manhunt for a vengeful British spy. (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00 24/24.** The manhunt for the fugitive continues. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 New. American Dad! Series 15. Steve and Roger rekindle their career as a twin-brother acting duo. (HD)

10.00 Family Guy Series 3. Brian looks after an elderly woman.

10.30 Series 16. Peter loses his job at the brewery. (HD)

11.00 American Dad! Series 14 A mysterious serial killer crashes Francine's dinner party. (HD)

11.30 Roger converts to Judaism after he feels unappreciated. (HD)

12 midnight Family Guy **1.30am** American Dad! (HD) **2.00** Family Guy **4.00–5.00am** Monk (HD)

Fox +1 Sky 224 Virgin 158



Gold Rush: Parker's Trail 9.00pm Fumes are spreading

Discovery

Sky 125 Virgin 250 BT 322 **HD** Virgin 251 BT 376

6.00am Mighty Ships (HD) **7.00** Wheeler Dealers (HD) **8.00** Gold Rush (HD) **9.00** Outback Truckers (HD) **11.00** Wheeler Dealers (HD) **12 noon** Baggage Battles (HD) **1.00pm** Combat Dealers (AD) (HD)

2.00 Wheeler Dealers (HD) **3.00** Ed Stafford: Left for Dead (HD) **4.00** Mighty Ships (HD) **5.00** Gold Rush: Rick asks Tony for help (HD)

6.00pm Fast 'n' Loud Revved Up Building a promotional 1968 Camaro SS convertible. (AD) (HD)

7.00 Outback Truckers

A trailer-load of trouble. (HD)

8.00 Alaska: the Last Frontier

Otto works to restore the homestead's manure shed. (HD)

9.00 New. Gold Rush: Parker's Trail Parker prevents dangerous fumes from spreading. (HD)

10.00 New. Gold Rush: Dave Turin's Lost Mine Dave has to deal with a nightmare scenario. (HD)

11.00 Wheeler Dealers Mike finds a 1995 Volvo 850 T-5R. (HD)

12 midnight Gold Rush: Parker's Trail (HD) **1.00am** Outback Truckers (HD) **2.00** Gold Rush: Dave Turin's Lost Mine (HD) **3.00** Gold Rush: Parker's Trail (HD) **3.50** Mighty Ships (HD) **4.40** Gold Rush (HD) **5.30–6.00am** How It's Made (HD)

Discovery +1 Sky 225 Virgin 252

CHILDREN'S

Milkshake! on C5

Full listings for Channel 5 are on p86

6.00am Peppa Pig: double bill **6.10** Milkshake! Monkey **6.15** Wissper **6.25** **New.** Noddy: Toyland Detective **6.40** Fireman Sam **6.55** Thomas & Friends: Big World! Big Adventures! **7.05** Shane the Chef: Izzy and Shane volunteer to babysit Bea **7.15** Peppa Pig: double bill **7.35** Top Wing: the island's lemons are taken by pirates **7.55** Paw Patrol **8.05** Digby Dragon **8.20** Little Princess **8.35** Shimmer and Shine **8.55** Floogals **9.10–9.15am** Sunny Bunnies

CBeebies

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Freeview 202 Freesat 608 Sky 614 Virgin 702

6.00am Something Special **6.20** Twirlywoos **6.30** Teletubbies **6.50** Tingo **6.55** Numberblocks **7.00** Bing **7.20** Hey Duggee **7.35** Bitz & Bob **7.45** Peter Rabbit **8.00** Go Jetters **8.10** Octonauts **8.20** Biggleton **8.35** Justin's House **9.00** Tee and Mo **9.05** Yakka Dee! **9.15** Alphablocks **9.20** Kit & Pup **9.25** Bing **9.35** Twirlywoos **9.45** Something Special **10.05** Teletubbies **10.20** Baby Club **10.35** Patchwork Pals **10.40** **New.** Olobob Top **10.45** Pablo **11.00** Let's Play **11.20** Ferne and Rory's Vet Tales; My Petsaurus **11.35** Show Me Show Me **12 noon** My World Kitchen **12.10pm** Old Jack's Boat **12.25** Katie Morag **12.45** The Adventures of Abney & Teal **1.00** Sarah & Duck **1.05** The Furchester Hotel **1.20** Alphablocks **1.25** Yakka Dee! **1.30** Numberblocks **1.35** Bing **1.45** Something Special **2.05** Teletubbies **2.20** Baby Club **2.35** Pablo **2.45** Our Family **3.00** Catie's Amazing Machines **3.15** Swashbuckle **3.40** Hey Duggee **3.45** Tingo **3.55** Peter Rabbit **4.10** Andy's Dinosaur Adventures **4.25** Do You Know? **4.40** Bitz & Bob **4.50** Go Jetters **5.00** Gigglebiz **5.15** Waffle the Wonder Dog **5.30** Apple Tree House; Our Family Fun **5.45** **New.** Moon and Me **6.10pm** Clangers **6.20** In the Night Garden...; Tee and Mo Song Time **6.50–7.00pm** CBeebies Bedtime Stories

CBBC

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Freeview 201 Freesat 607 Sky 613 Virgin 701

7.00am Arthur **7.10** Dennis & Gnasher Unleashed! **7.25** Danger Mouse **7.40** Newsround **7.45** Dragons: Race to the Edge; Zig and Zag's Zogcasts **8.10** Newsround **8.20** Operation Ouch! **8.50** Horrible Histories: Horrid Henry VIII Special **9.15** The Next Step **1.45pm** The Next Step: Anti-Bullying Special **2.10** Blue Peter **2.35** Mustangs FC **3.00** Shaun the Sheep **3.10** Zig and Zag **3.20** Ooglies **3.35** Dennis & Gnasher Unleashed! **3.45** Odd Squad: specialist agents solve strange events using skills in mathematics **4.00** The Pets Factor **4.20** Newsround **4.30** Show Me What You're Made Of: UK: children travel to the other side of the world to see how their favourite things are made **5.00** Creeped Out **5.25** Lifebabbles **5.30** **New.** Gym Stars **5.55** Operation Ouch! Snips **6.00pm** Raven **6.30** Last Commanders **7.00** Horrible Histories: gruesome events and characters from the past **7.30** Gym Stars **7.55** The Real Jamie Johnson **8.05** Creeped Out **8.30** The Next Step **8.50–9.00pm** Blue Peter Bites

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Freeview 203 Freesat 602 Sky 621 Virgin 734

6.00am Super 4 **6.35** Signed Stories: Share a Story **6.40** Mr Bean: the Animated Series **7.25** Teen Titans Go! **7.55** NinjaGo: Sons of Garmadon **8.50** New. Mr Magoo **9.25** Mr Bean: the Animated Series **10.25** Milo Murphy's Law **10.55** Wishfart **11.40** Be Cool, Scooby-Doo! **12.30pm** Mr Magoo **12.55** Spy School **1.25** Massive Monster Mayhem **1.55** ToonMarty **2.35** Teen Titans Go! **3.00** Mr Bean: the Animated Series **4.00** Mr Magoo **4.30** **New.** Mr Bean: the Animated Series **5.00** Spy School **5.30** **New.** Pokémon: Sun and Moon – Ultra Legends **6.00pm** NinjaGo: Sons of Garmadon **6.55** Mr Bean: the Animated Series **7.40** Mr Magoo **8.05** Massive Monster Mayhem **8.30** K.C. Undercover **8.55–9.00pm** Signed Stories: Share a Story

Discovery History

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6.00am Aircraft Stories **7.00** Rory McGrath

TUESDAY Films & Sport

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Diamond's solo act

The Jazz Singer ★★

6.10pm Talking Pictures TV **FREEVIEW**

"Love on the rocks, ain't no surprise ... " We knew Neil Diamond could sing but when the hit-maker took the lead role in a remake of *The Jazz Singer*, he found himself acting opposite Laurence Olivier. The film earned him \$3.5 million (then the highest fee paid for a debut actor), a hit album... and a Razzie award. The experience convinced Diamond to stick to what he was best at, saying, "I decided I'd rather be a really good singer than a mediocre actor." He later told Larry King, "I never did get a real taste for the movies." **ANDREW COLLINS**



All week on catch-up

The Fits ★★★★ BBC iPlayer **FREE TO VIEW**

In this very unusual drama, a young tomboy joins a competitive dance team to make friends, just as an unexplained sickness starts to spread across her school. At barely over an hour, this is a brief but truly unique film from director Anna Rose Holmer, making her feature debut. In a story set almost entirely within the school walls, the young cast members interact with each other in a way that feels totally natural. And anchoring it all is a brilliant performance from 11-year-old lead Royalty Hightower. **JAMES LUXFORD**

Buñuel bows out

That Obscure Object of Desire **MUBI**

MUBI brings its recent Luis Buñuel retrospective to a fitting conclusion today with his final film added to the service. A witty, ironic and barbed morality tale, it follows the increasingly desperate attempts of wealthy businessman Fernando Rey to seduce his maid, unaware that his world is collapsing around his ears. **DAVID PARKINSON**



FREEVIEW

Film4 15

F'view 15 F'sat 300 Sky 313 Virgin 428 **HD Virgin 429**

11.00am The Boxtrolls ★★★ Appealing animated adventure. Elle Fanning, Isaac Hempstead-Wright, Ben Kingsley (2014, PG) (S)

1.00pm Flash Gordon ★★★ Enjoyably camp take on the comic-strip sci-fi. Sam J Jones, Melody Anderson, Topol, Max von Sydow (1980, PG) (S)

3.25 The Longest Ride ★★

Romance adapted from Nicholas Sparks's novel. Britt Robertson, Scott Eastwood (2015, 12)

6.10 Exodus: Gods and Kings ★★★

Ridley Scott gives this biblical epic a modern thriller edge and high-end CGI, and Christian Bale is a commanding presence as Moses. Joel Edgerton (2014, 12) (S) (AD)

9.00 Jack Ryan: Shadow Recruit

★★★ Serviceable reboot for Tom Clancy's hero, with Chris Pine as a CIA penpusher thrust into the front lines of espionage.

Review, p43. Keira Knightley (2013, 12) (S) (AD)

11.10 Riddick ★★★ Pulp sci-fi action. Vin Diesel, Jordi Molla, Matt Nable, Katee Sackhoff (2013, 15) (S) (AD)

1.30-3.20am The Learning to Drive ★★

Romantic comedy that struggles to reach second gear. Patricia Clarkson, Ben Kingsley (2014, 15) (S)

Film4 +1 F'view 45 (HD only) F'sat 301 Sky 314 Virgin 430

Sony Movie Channel 32

Freeview 32 Freesat 302 Sky 321 Virgin 425

9.00am Mother Betrayed ★★ Thriller. Lynn Collins (2015) **11.00 Out of Control** ★★ Thriller. Laura Vandervoort (2009) **1.00pm The Little Vampire**

★★★ Horror. Jonathan Lipnicki (2000, U) **2.55 Rat Race** ★★★ Comedy. Whoopi Goldberg (2001, 12)

5.00 Dan in Real Life ★★★★ Comedy

drama. Steve Carell, Juliette Binoche, Diane Cook (2007, PG)

7.05pm NYC: Tornado Terror ★ Disaster

movie. Nicola de Boer, Sebastian Spence (2008, 12)

9.00 Unbreakable ★★★★ Fantasy drama.

Film of the Day, p43. Bruce Willis (2000, 12)

11.15 Legion ★★★ Entertaining slice of supernatural hokum. Paul Bettany (2010, 15)

1.10am The Killer inside Me ★★ Thriller.

Casey Affleck, Jessica Alba (2010, 18) **3.30-5.50am Mr Jones** ★★ Drama. Richard Gere, Lena Olin (1993, 15)

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Freeview 48 Freesat 305 Sky 323 Virgin 426

6.00am The Body Snatcher ★★★★

Horror. Boris Karloff (1945, PG) **7.35 Super Storm**

★★ Sci-fi. David Sutcliffe (2011, 12) **9.20 Super Eruption** ★★ Sci-fi. Richard Burgh (2011, 12) **11.05 One Silver Dollar** ★★★ Western. Montgomery

Wood (1965) **1.10pm Ten Wanted Men** ★★ Western. (1955, U) **2.55 The U-Boat War** **4.10 The War in the Desert** **5.25 The Warrior and the Slave Girl** ★★ Adventure. (1958)

7.10pm Viking Quest ★★ Action fantasy.

Harry Lister Smith, Jenny Boyd, Oliver Walker (2014, 12)

9.00 Black Death ★★★★ Compelling

horror. Sean Bean, Eddie Redmayne (2010, 15)

11.05 Ticking Clock ★★ Sci-fi crime thriller.

Cuba Gooding Jr, Neal McDonough (2011, 18) **1.10am Suspicion** ★★★ Thriller. Suzanne May, Brad Blaissell (2012) **3.00-4.00am Spies in the Sky**

Movies4Men +1 Sky 324

Talking Pictures TV 81

Freeview 81 Freesat 306 Sky 328 Virgin 445

6.00am The Southern Star ★★★ Adventure.

(1969, PG) **8.10 Johnny Ringo** **8.45 Echo of Diana** ★★ Drama. Vincent Ball (1963, U) **10.00 My Brother's Keeper** ★★ Drama. Jack Warner (1948) **12 noon Blanche Fury** ★★★★ Drama.

Valerie Hobson (1948, PG) **3.20pm The Edgar Wallace Mystery Theatre** **3.10 Wild Wings** **3.50 The Smallest Show on Earth** ★★★★ Comedy.

Review, p43. (1957, U) **5.30 Robin's Nest**

6.10pm The Jazz Singer ★★ Drama.

Choice, left. Neil Diamond, Laurence Olivier (1980, PG)

8.30 Blue Pullman TV documentary.

9.00 Van der Valk TV crime drama.

10.00 The Cat and the Canary ★★

Murder mystery. Honor Blackman, Edward Fox (1979, 15) (S)

12 midnight Too Young to Love ★★

Drama. (1960, 12) **1.40am Waterloo Road** ★★

Drama. John Mills, Stewart Granger (1944, PG) **3.15 Royal Flash** ★★ Adventure. Malcolm McDowell,

Alan Bates (1975, 15) (S) **5.20-6.00am Wild Wings**

Premiere

Sky 301 Virgin 431 BT 501 **HD Virgin 401**

6.00am Shazam! Special **6.30 As 3.35pm** **8.00 As 5.15pm** **9.40 As 7pm** **11.40 As 11pm** **1.30pm As 9pm**

3.35 Teen Titans Go!

To the Movies ★★★ Adventure.

Choice, p60. Scott Menville (2018, PG) **5.15 Alpha** ★★★ Prehistoric thriller.

Choice, p80. Kodi Smit-McPhee (2017, 12)

7.00pm Mamma Mia! Here We Go Again ★★★ Energetically

performed musical sequel, with more Abba songs. **Choice, p70.**

Lily James, Jeremy Irvine, Amanda Seyfried (2018, PG)

9.00 Ant-Man and the Wasp

★★★★ Rip-roaring, fast-paced

and funny Marvel adventure.

Paul Rudd, Evangeline Lilly, Michael Douglas (2018, 12)

11.00 The Neighbour ★★

Slow-burning thriller. William Fichtner, Jessica McNamee, Jean Louisa Kelly (2018, 15)

12.45am Samson ★★ Action

drama. Taylor James (2018, 15) **2.40**

Blame ★★★ Drama. Quinn Shephard (2017, 15)

4.25 Lu over the Wall

★★★★ Animated fantasy. (2017, PG)

Premiere +1 Sky 312 Virgin 402

Superhero

Sky 303 Virgin 434 BT 508 **HD Virgin 404**

6.00am Superman/Batman: Public Enemies ★★★ Thriller. (2008, 15) **7.30 Shazam! Special** **8.00**

Percy Jackson & the Lightning Thief ★★★ Adventure. (2010, PG) **10.00 As 6pm**

12 noon As 8pm **2.20pm As 10.20pm** **4.25 Avengers Confidential: Black Widow & Punisher** ★★ Adventure. (2014, 12)

6.00pm The Incredible Hulk

★★★★ Adrenaline-pumping

sci-fi action adventure. Edward Norton, Liv Tyler, William Hurt, Tim Roth (2008, 12)

8.00 Captain America: the Winter Soldier ★★★★ Superbly

scripted and staged comic-book

action adventure. Chris Evans, Samuel L Jackson, Scarlett Johansson, Robert Redford (2014, 12)

10.20 Guardians of the Galaxy

★★★★ Exciting space adventure.

Chris Pratt, Zoe Saldana, Dave Bautista (2014, 12)

12.20am Punisher: War Zone

★★ Action crime thriller. Ray Stevenson, Dominic West (2008, 18) **2.05 Superman Returns**

★★★★ Fantasy

adventure. Brandon Routh, Kevin Spacey, Kate Bosworth (2006, 12) **4.40 As 8am**

Comedy

Sky 307 Virgin 438 BT 506 **HD Virgin 408**

6.30am The Top Ten Show **6.50**

Weird Science ★★ Fantasy. Anthony Michael Hall, Ilan Mitchell-Smith, Kelly LeBrock (1985, 12)

8.35 Jack and Jill ★ Comedy.

Adam Sandler (2011, PG) **10.20 As 6pm**

12.20pm As 8pm **2.15 As 9.45pm**

4.10 Made of Honor ★★ Comedy.

Patrick Dempsey, Michelle Monaghan (2008, 12)

6.00pm We're the Millers

★★★ Abrasive but nicely played

comedy. Jennifer Aniston, Jason Sudeikis (2013, 15)

8.00 Blockers ★★★★ Raucous

and refreshing comedy. Ike Barinholtz, Leslie Mann, John Cena, Kathryn Newton (2018, 15)

Disney

Sky 304 Virgin 435 BT 503 **HD** Virgin 405
6.00am As 12.50pm **8.00** As 4.35pm **9.50** As 6.25pm **11.25** **The Lion King 3: Hakuna Matata** ★★
 Animated adventure. (2004, U) **12.50pm** **The Princess Diaries 2: Royal Engagement** ★★ Comedy. (2004, U) **2.50** As 8pm **4.35 Cars 3** ★★★ Adventure. Owen Wilson (2017, U)

6.25pm **Mars Needs Moms** ★★ Distinctly average animated sci-fi comedy. Seth Green (2011, PG)

8.00 Cool Runnings ★★★★ Hugely entertaining Disney comedy. Leon, John Candy (1993, PG)

9.45 Tron ★★★ Imaginative sci-fi adventure. Jeff Bridges, David Warner, Bruce Boxleitner, Cindy Morgan (1982, PG)

11.25 Swiss Family Robinson ★★★ Lavish action-packed adventure. John Mills, Dorothy McGuire (1960, U)

1.40am Homeward Bound II: Lost in San Francisco ★★ Adventure. Michael J Fox, Sally Field, Ralph Waite (1996, U) **3.20 The Island at the Top of the World** ★★★ Period adventure. Donald Sinden (1974, U) **5.05** As 9.45pm

Drama

Sky 309 Virgin 440 BT 511 **HD** Virgin 410

6.25am **Breaking Brooklyn** ★★ Drama. Colin Critchley, Nathan Kress, Louis Gossett Jr (2018) **8.10 United 93** ★★★★ Drama, Lewis Alasamari, JJ Johnson (2006, 15)

10.10 Viceroy's House ★★★ Drama. Hugh Bonneville, Gillian Anderson, Manish Dayal (2017, 12) **12.10pm** As 8pm **2.00**

Gifted ★★★★ Drama. Chris Evans (2017, 12)

3.50pm Awakenings ★★★★ Moving biographical drama. Robert De Niro, Robin Williams (1990, 15)

5.55 Same Kind of Different as Me ★★ Mushy drama. Greg Kinnear, Renée Zellweger, Djimon Hounsou (2016, 12)

8.00 Wonder Wheel ★★ Romantic drama set in the 1950s. Kate Winslet, Juno Temple, Jim Belushi (2017, 12)

9.45 Phantom Thread ★★★★★ Sensitive romantic drama. Daniel Day-Lewis, Vicky Krieps, Lesley Manville (2017, 15)

12 midnight Alfie ★★ Drama. Jude Law (2004, 15) **1.50am** **Indecent Proposal** ★★★★ Drama. Robert Redford, Demi Moore (1993, 15) **4.00** **Hope Floats** ★★ Comedy drama. Sandra Bullock, Harry Connick Jr, Gena Rowlands (1998, PG)

Thriller

Sky 311 Virgin 439 BT 509 **HD** Virgin 409

7.20am As 3.10pm **9.20** As 7.10pm **11.20** As 9pm **1.15pm** **Mean Machine** ★★★ Sports comedy. Vinnie Jones, David Hemmings, Danny Dyer (2001, 15)

3.10 City of Tiny Lights ★★★ Crime drama. Riz Ahmed (2016, 15) **5.10**

RocknRolla ★★★ Crime caper. Gerard Butler, Tom Wilkinson, Thandie Newton (2008, 15)

7.10pm Layer Cake ★★★ Decent British crime thriller from *Kick-Ass* and *Kingsman* director Matthew Vaughn. Daniel Craig (2004, 15)

9.00 The Italian Job ★★★ Much-loved comedy caper. Michael Caine, Noël Coward (1969, PG)

10.45 Rise of the Footsoldier 3: the Pat Tate Story ★★ Watchable British gangster punchfest that's packed with lots of aggro. Craig Fairbrass, Terry Stone (2017, 18)

12.40am The Krays ★★★★ Biographical crime drama. Gary Kemp, Martin Kemp, Billie Whitelaw (1990, 18) **2.50** As 5.10pm **4.55 Deep Family Secrets** ★★★ Thriller based on a true story. Richard Crenna, Angie Dickinson (1997)

Family

Sky 305 Virgin 436 BT 505 **HD** Virgin 406
6.00am As 1.10pm **7.45** As 4.20pm **9.45** As 6.20pm **11.25** As 8pm **1.10pm** **Nanny McPhee** ★★★ Fantasy. (2005, U) **3.00** **Lego Scooby-Doo: Haunted Hollywood** ★★
4.20 The Chronicles of Narnia: The Voyage of the Dawn Treader ★★★ Adventure. Ben Barnes (2010, PG)

6.20pm **Patrick** ★★ A mix of romantic comedy and child-friendly canine high jinks. Beattie Edmondson, Gemma Jones (2018, PG)

8.00 Matilda ★★★★ Director Danny DeVito revels in the black comedy of this dark Roald Dahl story. Mara Wilson, Danny DeVito (1996, PG)

9.45 The Count of Monte Cristo ★★★ Engaging swashbuckling tale of revenge. Jim Caviezel, Guy Pearce, Richard Harris (2001, PG)

12 midnight **The Sandlot** ★★★ Comedy. Tom Guiry (1993, PG) **1.50am** **Curious George** ★★★ Comedy. Will Ferrell (2006, U) **3.30** **Batman Unlimited: Monster Mayhem** **5.00** **Thumbelina** ★★ Adventure. Jodi Benson (1994, U)

Sci-Fi/Horror

Sky 310 Virgin 441 BT 507 **HD** Virgin 411
6.00am As 7.15pm **7.45 The Matrix Reloaded** ★★★ Sci-fi action. Keanu Reeves (2002, 15) **10.15 The Matrix Revolutions** ★★★ Sci-fi. (2003, 15)

12.30pm **The Devil's Doorway** ★★★ Horror. Lalor Roddy (2018, 15) **2.00** As 9pm **4.15 Maze Runner: the Death Cure** ★★★ Thriller. (2018, 12)

6.45pm **Us Special** Preview.

7.15 The Dark Tower ★★ A pick-and-mix of ideas from eight volumes of Stephen King's fantasy series. Idris Elba, Matthew McConaughey (2017, 12)

9.00 Oblivion ★★★ Thought-provoking if derivative sci-fi adventure. Tom Cruise (2013, 12)

11.10 Maze Runner: the Death Cure ★★★ Action-packed conclusion to the sci-fi trilogy. Dylan O'Brien, Kaya Scodelario (2018, 12)

1.35am **The Devil's Doorway** As 12.30pm **3.05 Flatliners** ★★ Supernatural thriller. Ellen Page, Diego Luna (2017, 15) **5.00** Sky Cinema Preview

TCM

Sky 315 Virgin 415 BT 512 **HD** Virgin 416
6.00am Hollywood's Best Directors **7.00 A Tornado in the Saddle** ★★ **8.10 The Pearl of Death** ★★★ **9.40 The Long and the Short and the Tall** ★★★ **11.50 Top Gun** ★★ **1.30pm** **The Adventures of Sherlock Holmes** ★★★★ **3.15 The Hound of the Baskervilles** ★★★★

4.50pm **Gun Fight** ★★ Standard western. James Brown (1961, U)

6.20 Arizona ★★★ Influential western. Jean Arthur, William Holden (1940, U)

9.00 The Dead Pool ★★ Nasty outing for "Dirty" Harry Callahan in which a movie fan is bumping off minor celebrities. Clint Eastwood, Patricia Clarkson, Evan C Kim (1988, 18)

10.55 Get Carter ★★★★ Terrific British crime thriller. Michael Caine, John Osborne, Ian Hendry (1971, 18)

1.20am **Striking Distance** ★★★ Action-packed crime thriller. Bruce Willis, Sarah Jessica Parker (1993, 18) **3.30** Hollywood's Best Directors

TCM +1 Sky 316 Virgin 417

SPORT Choices



Indian Premier League Cricket

3.15pm **BT Sport 3**

Chennai skipper MS Dhoni

Sky Premier League

Sky 402 Virgin 512 **HD** Virgin 502

6.00am Greatest Games **7.00** Legends

8.00 Best Goals **9.00** Premier League

Football **10.00** Premier League Years

12 noon Premier League Football

1.00pm Premier League Years (AD)

3.30 Best Goals **4.00** Greatest Games

4.15 100 Club **6.00** Best Goals **6.30**

Premier League Review

7.30 **LIVE** Premier League

Football Coverage of Tottenham

Hotspur v Brighton & Hove Albion

(kick-off **8.00**).

10.30 Premier League Football **11.30**

100 Club **12 midnight** Review **1.00am**

Premier League Years (AD) **3.00**

Greatest Games **3.15** Best Goals

5.30-6.00am 100 Club

Sky Cricket

Sky 404 Virgin 514 **HD** Virgin 504

6.00am Greatest Games **7.00**

Masterclass **8.00** Best of England v

Pakistan **8.45** Best of England v India

9.00 Greatest Games **10.00** Masterclass

11.00 Best of England v Pakistan **11.45**

Best of England v India

12 noon International One-Day Cricket: the Sri Lanka v England series

12 midnight Masterclass **1.00** Greatest

Games **2.00** Best of England v Pakistan

2.45 Best of England v India **3.00**

Masterclass **4.00** Greatest Games **5.00**

Best of England v Pakistan **5.45-**

6.00am Best of England v India

Sky Action

Sky 407 Virgin 517 **HD** Virgin 507

6.00am Boxing **7.00** Great Moments

7.15 Boxing **7.45** Great Moments

8.00 Boxing **8.30** Rugby Union

8.40 **LIVE** Netball Tactix v Stars

in the New Zealand Premiership

(centre-pass **8.40**), in Christchurch.

10.15 My Icon **10.30** Sky Sports

News **11.30** Sportswomen

12 noon Sky Sports News **7.00**

Sky Sports Tonight

7.30 **LIVE** Premier League

Football Tottenham Hotspur v

Brighton & Hove Albion (kick-off

8.00), action from the Tottenham

Hotspur Stadium.

10.30 Sky Sports News

1.00am **LIVE** Wrestling WWE

Smackdown grappling with the

over-the-top stars of the States.

3.00 **LIVE** NBA Coverage of the

latest play-off game.

5.30-6.00am Sky Sports News

Sky Football

Sky 403 Virgin 513 **HD** Virgin 503

6.00am Football League Greatest

Games **7.00** Football League **8.30**

Countdowns **9.00** Football Years **9.30**

Football League **11.00** One2Eleven

11.30 Greatest Players (AD) **12 noon**

Football League Greatest Games



FAMILY MATTERS

Lisa (Morven Christie) is back on track with her kids Abbie (Imogen King) and Rob (Art Parkinson)

PICK OF THE DAY **The Bay** 9.00pm **ITV**

DRAMA That dreamily beautiful title song wafts us in over the opening credits and into Morecambe Bay one last time. Well, I say "last", but *The Bay* has the feel of a world we would gladly return to for future series.

As the plot swirls around a knotty mess of mistakes and misery, there's good chemistry throughout the cast, particularly between Morven Christie as Lisa and Daniel Ryan as her stolid DI. Sometimes the performances feel more nuanced than the plot deserves, but there are worse things, and we care

about the characters, even semi-scumbags like Sean (Jonas Armstrong): exactly how much of a wrong 'un he may be is one of the open questions.

But mainly: who moved dead teenager Dylan's body? Because whoever it was is probably the same person who got Dylan's twin sister Holly pregnant, and she's not saying. Meanwhile that county lines drug dealer is also due a reckoning, and Lisa has him in her sights. **DAVID BUTCHER**

The Customer Is Always Right

11.00am **BBC1**

DAYTIME CHOICE *New series* The stars of this consumer series (which started on Monday) are the product-testers, who are brutally honest. It's a bit like *Gogglebox*, but with inventions. Some don't read the instructions properly and some even modify the product themselves.

Today they check out a GPS pet-tracking device that shows one couple just how lazy their cat is. The other entrepreneurs hoping to get top marks have come up with a reusable bamboo spork and sticky pads to stop your ill-fitting shoes slipping off your feet. The winner gets a trophy but, unlike *Dragons' Den*, not a financial investment.

JANE RACKHAM

Location, Location, Location

8.00pm **C4**

PROPERTY Another advantage of long, warm summers: they make Phil and Kirstie's house-hunting that much easier, with sunlight flooding into even the darkest houses and gardens looking their best. For Phil's clients, Yorkshire retirees Tom and Sue, this is vital. They've sold their home and will shortly be moving into a camper van unless Mr Spencer can find them "a garden, with a house attached" in rural East Anglia. Sue's got a very precise vision of her dream house, but does it exist?

Kirstie is helping first-time buyer Beccy. She's nervous about how far her limited budget can get her, but will she go for an easy flat, or a house to put her mark on? **GILL CRAWFORD**

MotherFatherSon

9.00pm **BBC2**

DRAMA Eight episodes in and every scene and every conversation in this drama still feels a bit wrong. But the surfaces are so beautiful and the performances so intense, they make us want to believe it all.

Horrible anti-hero Max (Richard Gere) has offered his ex-wife Kathryn (Helen McCrory) a job, and although she turned him down she is now having second thoughts.

Meanwhile Angela, the glassy-eyed fascist, is on course to win the general election, though in this world there are no political parties, and press magnates lay out their own front pages, alone. Lord knows how much the series cost but it's a curious, glorious failure. **DAVID BUTCHER**
David Butcher: page 49

Chimerica

9.00pm **C4**

DRAMA Lee is on a mission to find "Tank Man" – the protestor he photographed in 1989 in Tiananmen Square, and whom Lee thinks is now living in secret in New York. As we follow his quest, we flip back and forth to the story of Lee's friend in Beijing, Zhang Lin, and his nascent relationship with a young lawyer who may be at odds with the authorities.

To be honest, the portrait of life in Beijing, all smog and surveillance, feels more fleshed out and interesting than the New York stuff. But it's F Murray Abraham as Lee's ex-editor who gets the maddest speech, bemoaning how user comments mean his paper's website has become a "national circle jerk for imbeciles". **DAVID BUTCHER**

The writers of **Coronation Street** (7.30pm, 8.30pm ITV) need to be careful with the character of Gemma (Dolly-Rose Campbell, right) as she's in danger of becoming a bit of a caricature. I know Chesney isn't running deportment classes at No 5, but the show is overdoing the whole "Gemma is uncouth" shtick. First, she was talking with her mouth full of food, then she inadvertently taught young Joseph to swear and recently she licked her dinner plate clean at the sink instead of

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washing it up. Really, *Corrie*? Do you expect us to believe that Gemma also did that when she was living with Rita?

Speaking of Rita (Barbara Knox, left), it's actually the Queen of the Kabin who questions whether Gemma's current bout of sickness might be due to something other than a virus. And, as you've probably guessed, once the suggestion of a pregnancy test is made, it isn't long before Gemma gets a positive result. One word about what I hear is to follow: quads. **DAVID BROWN**

Old Wife, New Wife

9.00pm **Channel 5**

DOCUMENTARY *New series*

"Professional support is on hand if required," we're told at the start of this relationship doc. But the concept still left me troubled. As Cyren and new partner Meaghan move in with his ex Laura for seven days, I couldn't help but worry about three-year-old Leo. Does he really understand that his dad is just home for a week as part of some dubious TV experiment?

I mean, he seems happy enough, but as the adults reprimand and pour salt in old wounds, just how much is he subliminally processing? There was, for me, a telling moment, when Leo smacks his Nintendo Switch and Cyren says, "Aw, you're just like Daddy." To which Meaghan smiles and replies, "Same temper." **DAVID BROWN**

Urban Myths

9.00pm **Sky Arts**

COMEDY The truth about what caused Charles Dickens and Hans Christian Andersen's friendship to be damaged irrevocably may never be known, but *Urban Myths* imagines a scenario in which Dickens experiences the worst of times when the Danish author thoroughly overstays his welcome on an unexpected visit to his Kent home in 1857.

It's a farcical caper in which Andersen (Ian Hart) reveals himself to Dickens (Stephen Mangan) as an irksome, underpants-averse houseguest who revels in reading vulgar stories to the children and is, in the words of Dickens's wife Catherine (Monica Dolan), a "Nordic cuckoo". Silly and jolly, with a good few laughs.

FRANCES TAYLOR

Ms Fisher's Modern Murder Mysteries

9.00pm **Alibi**

DRAMA We're getting close to *Scooby-Doo* territory tonight and I'm not just talking about the mini dresses. At one point, a security guard says, "There's been a few strange goings-on of late." Which, as far as I'm concerned, should always be followed by the line, "OK gang, let's split up and look for clues." We also get a chase scene, though sadly it doesn't involve Peregrine dressing up as a French waiter to confuse a monster, who then gets caught in an oversized net.

Instead, we're at the studio of a *Ready Steady Go!*-style TV show, where heartthrob Duane Gordon has just been electrocuted. Plenty of people wanted to end both his career and his life... **DAVID BROWN**

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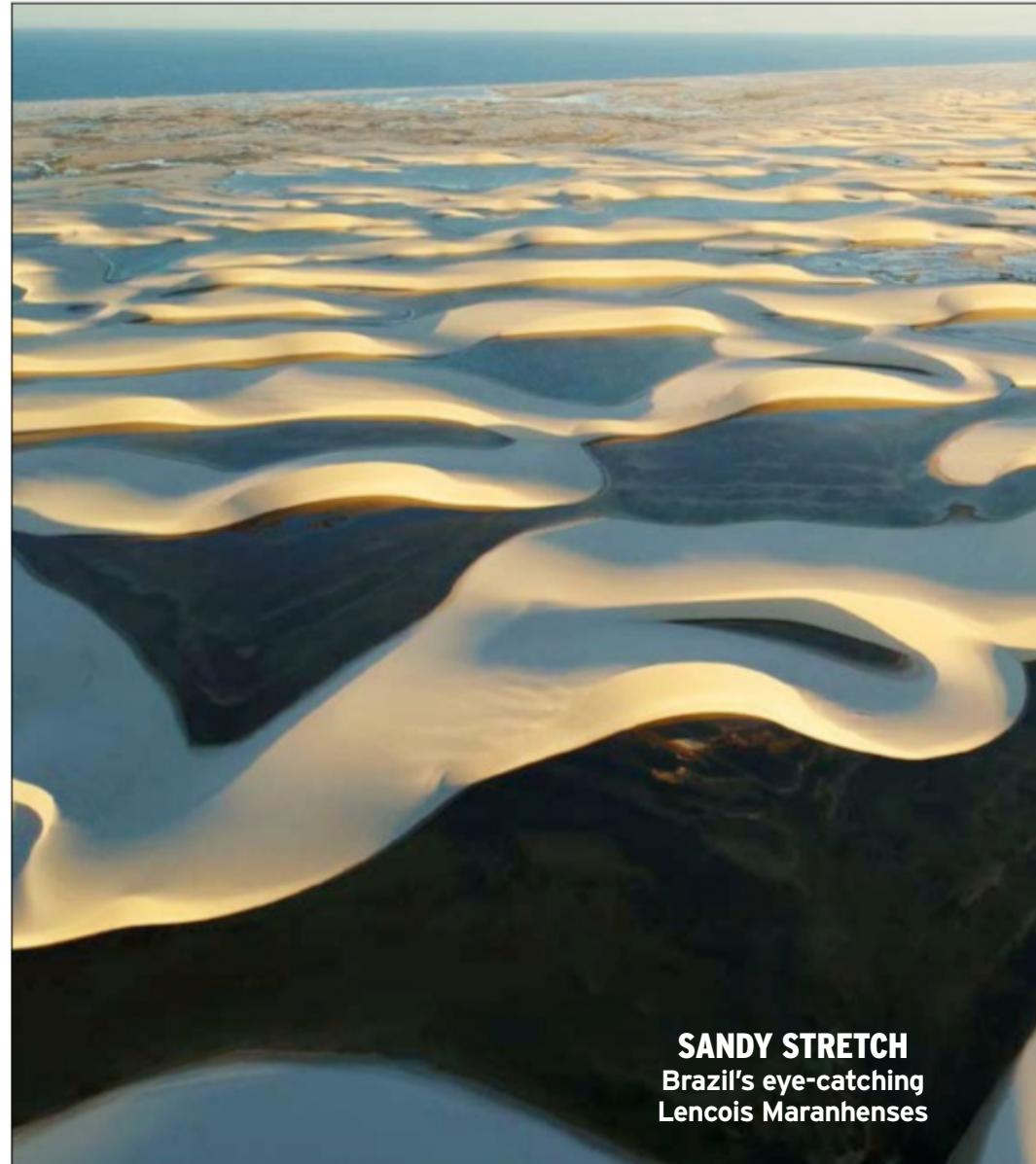
A captivating, French-made 2018 documentary about the rise to global prominence of Chanel No 5 perfume, and the commercial wrangling that flowed from its creator, Coco Chanel, recklessly signing away most of its future profits. If that sounds like a scenario where you'll sympathise with a naive artist, there's a dark tale of ruthless backstabbing on the way that gets an awful lot darker when the Nazis invade.

DISCOVER TV KIDS

Creeped Out

7.00pm **CBBC, iPlayer**

The anthology drama is back with a tale that will make a lot of parents' ears prick up: Jack loves video games, but a new online playmate seems to be affecting his brain. **JACK SEALE**



SANDY STRETCH
Brazil's eye-catching
Lencois Maranhenses

Earth from Space

9.00pm **BBC1** (Scotland: 11.05pm)

DOCUMENTARY This series drifts along pleasantly like a long, lazy stretch of the Amazon. Which is exactly the sort of thing it shows us, looking ribbony and magical when seen from space. Satellite cameras reveal a pattern of oxbow lakes, or the halos around a coral reef. Then we explore them close up and learn how they got there.

You could reasonably complain that there's not much drama here but there are some interesting surprises, such as a man in Bengal who keeps ten otters on leads. He uses them to help him catch fish in the mangrove forests of the Sundarbans – they herd them into his nets, and get a share themselves. And in Brazil a vast area of sand dunes called the Lencois Maranhenses looks extraordinary. When seasonal rains come, the valleys between them turn into a network of beautiful lagoons. **DAVID BUTCHER**

BEST LIVE SPORT



Premier League: Manchester Utd v Manchester City 7pm (k/o 8pm) **Sky Premier League/Main Event** Can City's Kevin De Bruyne achieve midfield mastery?

World Snooker 10am, 1.10pm **BBC2/BBC red button**; 7pm **BBC red button** 10am, 2.30pm, 6.30pm **Eurosport 1**

Women's Pro League Hockey: Germany v Great Britain 6.30pm (push-back 6.30pm) **ESPN**

FILM OF THE DAY

The Book Thief

6.25pm **Film4**

Poignant drama based on the bestseller about a family who hide a Jewish boy in Nazi Germany. **See page 43**

WEDNESDAY Main Channels

DAYTIME

BBC1

6.00am Breakfast Louise Minchin, Dan Walker. (S) (HD)

9.15 Health: Truth or Scare Investigating tooth whiteners and antidepressants. (S) (HD)

10.00 Homes under the Hammer Properties at auction in Derbyshire, west London and Shropshire. (R) (S) (HD)

11.00 The Customer Is Always Right Customers test a GPS tracking device for cats, sticky heel pads and a bamboo spork. **See page 92.** (S) (AD) (HD)

11.45 Close Calls: on Camera On Ben Nevis, a 71-year-old hillwalker is lost in a snow storm. (R) (S) (HD)

12.15pm Bargain Hunt Two teams look for the best bargains at Newark antiques fair. (S) (AD) (HD)

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

1.45 Impossible Quiz hosted by Rick Edwards. (S) (HD)

2.30 Escape to the Country A recently engaged couple seek a home in Worcestershire. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

3.15 Money for Nothing Experts transform three things about to be dumped at a tip. (Revised repeat) (S) (HD)

3.45 Home Is Where the Art Is A piece for a flat in an old cotton mill. Rptd tomorrow 7.15am BBC2 (S) (AD) (HD)

4.30-5.15 The Repair Shop The team restores a 1970s guitar, a Second World War belt and a slot machine. Repeated tomorrow 6.30am BBC2 (S) (HD)

BBC2

6.30am The Repair Shop A vintage jigsaw and a concertina. Shown yesterday 4.30pm BBC1 (R) (S) (HD)

7.15 Home Is Where the Art Is Nick Knowles challenges three artists in Cheshire to create a piece for a mystery buyer. Shown yesterday 3.45pm BBC1 (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00-9.00 Sign Zone 8.00 Mary Berry's Quick Cooking 5/6. Mary heads into London's West End. (R) (S)

8.30 Gardeners' World Monty Don gives advice on pond maintenance which doesn't disturb the wildlife. (R) (S) (HD)

9.00 BBC News (S) (HD)

10.00 LIVE World Snooker First-round coverage on day five of the World Championship at the Crucible Theatre in Sheffield. Coverage from a choice of tables on the red button and at bbc.co.uk/sport until 2pm. (S) (HD)

11.15 Politics Live Jo Coburn presents. (S) (HD)

1.00pm Lifeline Len Goodman presents an appeal on behalf of Age UK. Shown Sunday 1.50pm BBC1 (S) (HD)

DONATIONS: call 0800 011 011, visit bbc.co.uk/lifeline or post to Freepost, BBC Lifeline Appeal, with Age UK on the envelope

1.10-6.00 LIVE World Snooker Coverage includes the afternoon session, where Mark Allen's first-round match concludes and Kyren Wilson's gets under way. Coverage from a choice of tables on the red button and at bbc.co.uk/sport continues until 11pm. (S) (HD)

ITV

6.00am Good Morning Britain (S) (HD)

8.30 Lorraine Guests, gossip and fashion. (S) (HD)

9.25 The Jeremy Kyle Show Fighting talk. (S) (HD)

10.30 This Morning Celebrity chat and lifestyle features. 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 court cases. (S) (HD)

3.00 Tenable Five family members from Kent take part in the quiz. (R) (S) (HD) Followed by **Regional Weather**

4.00-5.00 Tipping Point With Ben Shephard. (S) (HD)

Channel 4

6.25am Cheers Three episodes. (R) (S) (HD)

7.45 Frasier Triple bill of the US sitcom. (R) (S)

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

10.10 Ramsay's Hotel Hell A West Virginia hotelier whose hoarding habit has left little room for guests. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

11.05 Car SOS Tim and Fuzz fix up a 1994 Lancia Delta Integrale Evo II. (R) (S) (AD) (HD) **12 noon News** (S) (HD)

12.05pm Couples Come Dine with Me In Essex. (R) (S) (HD)

1.05 Escape to the Château: DIY A couple are planning to expand their business. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

2.10 Countdown With guest Colin Murray. (S) (HD)

3.00 A Place in the Sun A mother and daughter seek a holiday home in Antequera, Spain. (R) (S) (HD)

4.00-5.00 A New Life in the Sun In Spain, it's the busiest time of the year, and the hotel owners are struggling to handle the pressure. (S) (HD)

BBC1

Earth from Space

9.00pm They may be small, but southern hairy-nosed wombats make a big mark



5.15pm Pointless

Quiz presented by Alexander Armstrong. Director Richard van't Riet; Producers James Evans, James Fox, Tamara Gilder, Richard Hague, John Ryan, Nick Shearing and Bronagh Taggart (S) (HD)

6.00 BBC News Weather

6.30 Regional news magazines

Followed by **Party Election Broadcast** By the UK Independence Party. (S) (HD)

7.00 The One Show

Presented by Matt Baker and Alex Jones. Editor Sandy Smith (S) (HD)

1 BBC SPORT ONLINE 7.00-10.30 5 Live Final Score The latest football news and scores from BBC Radio 5 Live, including the crucial Premier League derby between Manchester City and Manchester United, available online at bbc.co.uk/sport

8.00 Supermarket Secrets

3/3 Series 3. As shoppers become increasingly aware of ethical issues, supermarkets are battling to keep our loyalty by addressing concerns over animal welfare, environmental impact and food miles. Gregg Wallace visits a farm which claims to use technology to produce low-cost healthier chickens. He also meets Asda's head of fruit and veg, who explains why it is a challenge to dispense with plastic packaging. And Nikki Fox discovers how a virtual supermarket can help researchers uncover what appeals most to us when we are buying groceries. Series producer Tim Usborne; Exec producer Paul Overton (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Earth from Space

RT 2/4. Satellite cameras passing over our planet, hundreds of kilometres above the Earth's surface, reveal some remarkable patterns.

1 Mysterious pale spots cover the South Australian outback – the work of hairy-nosed wombats, who have built a network of burrows visible from high altitude. In the endless green canopy of the Congo's rainforest, an incredible elephant gathering has created a clearing. As the Amazon twists and turns on its way to the coast, rehabilitated manatees congregate in the vast river's waters, while in Brazil the wet season heralds the appearance of freshwater lagoons amid the sand dunes. **See page 93.**

Producer Paul Thompson; Series producer Chloë Sarosh (S) (AD) (HD)

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10.00 BBC News Regional News; Weather (S) (HD) Followed by **National Lottery Update** (S)

10.35 Glow Up: Britain's Next Make-Up Star

8/8. The three make-up artists in the final must create looks for supermodel Leonie Anderson, who's being photographed for *Hunger* magazine by Rankin. If the renowned photographer approves, the shots will feature in the magazine. The next challenge is to create futuristic make-up which reflects the artists' hopes and dreams – on their own faces. The best two will go on to a final face-off to decide who will be crowned Britain's Next Make-up Star.

Series producer Michael Fraser; Exec producer Melissa Brown (S) (HD)

Available online at bbc.co.uk/bbcthree and iPlayer from 10am today

11.35 Celebrity Painting Challenge

3/4. It's the semi-final of the contest and judges Daphne Todd and Lachlan Goudie want the contestants to show how well they handle movement. In the warm-up exercise the celebs capture fleeting feathered subjects with varying degrees of success. Shown last Thursday (S) (AD) (HD)

12.35am Weather for the Week Ahead

12.40-6.00am BBC News

(S) (HD)

BBC1 Freeview 1 Freesat 101 Sky 101 Virgin 101

HD Freeview 101 Freesat 106 Sky 115 Virgin 108

BBC2

MotherFatherSon

9.00pm Kathryn will stop at nothing to help Caden – but can she trust Max?



6.00pm Eggheads

Quiz show hosted by Jeremy Vine. (S) (HD)

6.30 Island Medics

Ep 8 Series 2. Following more medical emergencies at Lerwick's Gilbert Bain Hospital. (Revised rpt) (S) (HD)

7.00 Antiques Road Trip

Catherine Southon and Raj Bisram kick off in Derbyshire. In their MGB GT, they will be antiquing all the way to a final auction in Bristol. Catherine comes across some porcelain poodles, while Raj pins his hopes on a globe. Also, Catherine ditches the car for transport by tram as she hears about the women who started Britain's first unionised strike for equal pay. Raj, meanwhile, takes to two wheels, riding a motorbike that helped win the war. (Revised rpt) (S) (HD)

1 RED BUTTON 7.00-11.00 World Snooker Live coverage of the World Championship from the Crucible Theatre in Sheffield. Also available at bbc.co.uk/sport

8.00 Great British Menu

Chefs from the South West compete. Emily Scott creates a salad inspired by David Bowie and her fish dish – "Half Shell Heroes" – uses scallops. Lee Smith's "Beets of the Sixties" starter incorporates a risky pesto he can't taste because of his nut allergy, and his fish course of turbot and turnips is "A Whiter Shade of Pale." Joe Baker's starter "My Octopus's Garden" pairs seafood with cheese, and his cod in squid ink celebrates the golden age of pirate radio. Continues tomorrow 8pm. (S) (HD)

9.00 MotherFatherSon

RT 8/8. As the nation heads towards a general election, Kathryn has to make a decision on the offer that Max has made to her. Meanwhile, Caden leaves the rehabilitation centre, returning to London and an uncertain future. How will he react to his mother's news and can she ever trust Max to keep his word? And where will the nation find itself after the most divisive of election campaigns? **See page 92.**

Max	Richard Gere	Ayesha	Ginny Holder
Kathryn	Helen McCrory	Kali	Karen Bryson
Caden	Billy Howle	Colonel Reese	Clare Holman
Angela Howard	Sarah Lancashire	Sarah	Pippa Nixon
Sofia	Elena Anaya	Ruth	Carolyn Pickles
Lauren	Pippa Bennett-Warner	Veronica	Angelica Aragon
Maggie	Sinéad Cusack	Roland Howard	Rudi Goodman
Scott	Joseph Mawle	Lorna Howard	Harriet Turnbull
Nick	Paul Ready	Rabbi	Richard Katz
Jahan Zakari	Danny Sapani	Ignacio Cortes	Quince Medina
Orla	Niamh Algar		

Writer Tom Rob Smith; Producer Lisa Osborne

Director James Kent (S) (AD) (HD)

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David Butcher: **page 49**

10.00 QI

Sandi Toksvig delves into the public and the private as regular Alan Davies is joined by Victoria Coren Mitchell, Phill Jupitus and Bridget Christie. Director Ian Lorimer; Producer Piers Fletcher (R) (S) (HD)

10.30 Newsnight

With Emily Maitlis. (S) (HD)

11.10 Weather

(S) (HD)

11.15 World Snooker

Highlights of today's first-round matches in the World Championship from Sheffield. (S) (HD)

12.05am World Snooker Extra

Extended highlights. (S) (HD)

2.05-3.50am Sign Zone 2.05 Race across the World

3/6. The four remaining teams leave Baku. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

3.05 Murder, Mystery and My Family

Sasha Wass and Jeremy Dein re-investigate the killing of a German woman at the hands of her Cypriot mother-in-law. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

BBC2 Freeview 2 Freesat 102 Sky 102 Virgin 102

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ITV

The Bay 9.00pm
The personal and professional collide for Lisa Armstrong and her family

**5.00pm The Chase**

Sharon, Aidan, Natalie and Nick take part. (S) (HD)

6.00 Regional News Weather (S) (HD)**6.25 Party Election Broadcast**

By the UK Independence Party. (S) (HD)

6.30 ITV Evening News Weather (S) (HD)**7.00 Emmerdale**

David considers his options.

Writer Bill Lyons Cast Tuesday/Thursday

Repeated tomorrow 8am and 12.10pm ITV2 (S) (AD) (HD)

7.30 Coronation Street

Simon helps Peter in his quest to find Carla.

Peter Barlow	Chris Gascoyne	Faye Windass	Ellie Leach
Simon Barlow	Alex Bain	Gary Windass	Mike North
Claudia Colby	Rula Lenska	Rick Neelan	Greg Wood
Steve McDonald	Simon Gregson	Brian Packham	Peter Gunn
Tracy McDonald	Kate Ford	Cathy Matthews	Melanie Hill
Daniel Osbourne	Rob Mallard	Alex Warner	Liam Bairstow
Kirk Sutherland	Andrew Whymett	Izzy Armstrong	Cherylee Houston
Beth Sutherland	Lisa George	Joseph Brown	William Flanagan
Sinead Tinker	Katie McGlynn	Eileen Grimswood	Sue Cleaver
Arlene Tinker	Alison Burrows	Alina Pop	Ruxandra Poronjicu
Nancy Tinker	Kate Fitzgerald	Seb Franklin	Harry Visinoni
Craig Tinker	Colson Smith	Bethany Platt	Lucy Fallon
David Platt	Jack P Shepherd	Abi Franklin	Sally Carman
Sarah Platt	Tina O'Brien		

Writer Mark Wadlow More cast Friday

Repeated tomorrow 8.25am and 12.40pm ITV2 (S) (AD) (HD)

Today in Soapland: page 93**8.00 Britain's Brightest Family**

12/15 Series 2. Two families compete in the last round of the quarter-finals. Anne Hegerty hosts.

Director Geraldine Dowd; Series producer Kerri Reid (S) (HD)

8.30 Coronation Street

Peter's search leads him to Carla's childhood estate.

Writer Ella Greenhill

Repeated tomorrow 8.55am and 1.15pm ITV2 (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 The Bay

RT 6/6. Despite Holly's confession that she killed her brother, the team believes she may not be telling the truth. Who was the other person present when Dylan died? **See page 92.**

DS Lisa Armstrong	Morven Christie	DI Tony Manning	Daniel Ryan	Alessandro Nivola	Pengsi	David KS Tse
Sean Meredith	Jonas Armstrong	Holly Meredith	Darci Shaw	Cherry Jones	Lily	Poppy Hsin Tzu Forbes
Margaret Foley	Tracie Bennett	Tom Hayes	Richard Huw	Katie Leung	Shen	Vera Chok
Penny Armstrong	Lindsey Coulson	Sgt Karen Hobson	Erin Shanagher	Terry Chen	Phil	Dimitar Ilkov
Jess Meredith	Chanel Cresswell	Councillor Brian Hesketh	Roger Barclay	Jay Yu	Adam	Chris Leaneay
Sam Hesketh	Louis Greatorex	DS James Clarke	Andrew Dowbiggin	Therese Bradley	Mary Chang	Crystal Yu
Abbie Armstrong	Imogen King	Kelly Meredith	Lucy Hilliard	Lobo Chan	Sandy	Janis Ahern
Vincent Chapman	Adam Long	Jake Meredith	Liam McCheyne	Young Zhang Lin	Michelle	Samantha Dakin
DS Alexander Stewart	Simon Manyonda	Dylan Meredith	Noah Valentine	Zhang Wei	Lim Kay Siu	Tina Chiang
Nicholas Mooney	Matthew McNulty	Mrs Emerick	Val Taggar	Benny Zhang	Feng Meihui	Ladi Emeruwa
DC Med Kharim	Taheen Modak	Detainee Loco	Curtis Cole	Joy Fu Hanna	David Barker	Chipo Chung
Rob Armstrong	Art Parkinson			Frank Sams	Ming Xiaoli	Naomi Yang

Writer Daragh Carville; Producer Margaret Conway

Director Robert Quinn (S) (AD) (HD)

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Weather; Regional News and Weather (S) (HD)

10.45 Joanne Dennehy: Serial Killer

Susanna Reid gains access to police evidence from the investigation into a killing spree in 2013.

Director/Producer Nathaniel Lippett

Shown last Thursday (S) (AD) (HD)

11.40 Tenable

Five friends and family members take part.

Director Ollie Bartlett; Series producer Sonal Patel (R) (S) (HD)

12.35am Jackpot247 Interactive gaming. (HD)

3.00 Lethal Weapon 17/18 Series 1. As Riggs's feelings for DEA agent Karen Palmer deepen, his actions become more impulsive. (R) (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)

3.45 Nightscreen Text information. (HD)**5.05–6.00am The Jeremy Kyle Show** (R) (S) (SL) (HD)**ITV** Freeview 3 Freesat 103 Sky 103 Virgin 103+1 F'view 33 F'sat 112 Sky 203 Virgin 114 **HD** F'view 103 F'sat 111 Sky 103 Virgin 113

Channel 4

Chimerica 9.00pm

Lee begins to suspect that the elusive Tank Man has slipped beyond his grasp

**5.00pm Four in a Bed**

Michelle and Jason welcome guests to their lodges at Croft Farm Park in Gloucestershire. (S) (HD)

5.30 Extreme Chocolate Makers

Ashley tackles a complex birthday commission – making a chocolate record player. (S) (HD)

6.00 The Simpsons**Yokel Chords.** Lisa gets a job tutoring Cletus's children. With the voice of Meg Ryan. (R) (S) (AD)**6.30 Hollyoaks**

Sinead makes a decision about her marriage. Writer Sarah Brown 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 Location, Location, Location**

RT Ep 2. Kirstie and Phil have to cast their net wide as they go house-hunting across four counties. Tom and Sue are seeking open-plan living and a huge garden in Suffolk, while Beccy wants to make her first property purchase in either Cambridgeshire, Northants or Norfolk. **See p92.** Series producer Abi Judge; Executive producer Gerard Costello Repeated tomorrow 8pm 4seven (S) (HD)

9.00 Chimerica

RT 2/4. Gray Areas. Against the backdrop of the divisive Trump v Clinton presidential battle, journalists Lee and Mel get an intriguing new lead on the possible whereabouts of the Tank Man of Tiananmen. **See page 92.**

The entire series is available online on All 4 and also continues next week on Channel 4.

Lee Berger	Alessandro Nivola	Pengsi	David KS Tse
Mel Kincaid	Cherry Jones	Lily	Poppy Hsin Tzu Forbes
Liuli	Katie Leung	Shen	Vera Chok
Zhang Lin	Terry Chen	Phil	Dimitar Ilkov
Young Zhang Lin	Jay Yu	Adam	Chris Leaneay
Kate Hui	Therese Bradley	Mary Chang	Crystal Yu
Nuan	Lobo Chan	Sandy	Janis Ahern
Zhang Wei	Pik-Sen Lim	Michelle	Samantha Dakin
Benny Zhang	Lim Kay Siu	Feng Meihui	Tina Chiang
Ming Xiaoli	Chris Lew Kum Hoi	David Barker	Ladi Emeruwa
Joy Fu Hanna	Tan Kheng Hua	Maria Dubecki	Chipo Chung
Hanna	Naomi Yang	Tyler	Oliver Zetterström
Frank Sams	Deborah Pearson	Tessa Kendrick	Sophie Okonedo
	F Murray Abraham	Tang Wen Lei	Orion Lee

Writer Lucy Kirkwood; Producer Adrian Sturges; Director Michael Keillor Signed repeat Friday 2.20am (S) (AD) (HD)

David Butcher: page 49**10.00 Gogglebox****Ep 9.** Reactions to the week's TV programmes. First shown last Friday (S) (AD) (HD)**11.05 The Great British School Swap**

2/3. Friendships begin to form between the pupils but one Tamworth boy discovers a cultural divide when he develops feelings for a Muslim girl. Shown yesterday 9pm (S) (AD) (HD)

12.10am Life after Lock-Up 3/3. Newly released

prisoners Andrew and Kimberley battle with their addiction to alcohol. Shown Monday 10pm (S) (AD) (HD)

1.05 Ramsay's Hotel Hell The chef comes to the

rescue of the Roosevelt Inn in Idaho. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

1.55 Gambit ★★★ Crime comedy starring Michael Caine and Shirley MacLaine. Harry Deane, a cockney master crook, plans the crime of the century. He enlists Nicole, a nightclub entertainer, in a sophisticated plot to steal a priceless work of art. **Review page 43.** Director Ronald Neame (1966, U) (S) (SL) (AD) (W) (HD)

3.45 French Collection Three Brits are given 800 euros to spend at an antiques market in Toulouse. (R) (S) (HD)**4.40 Kirstie's Vintage Gems** Kirstie helps a couple

create a vintage-inspired nursery. (R) (S) (HD)

4.55 The £100K Drop Siblings from Colchester and a

couple from Crewe compete in the game show. (R) (S) (HD)

5.50–6.25am Countdown With Paul Zenon. (R) (S) (HD)**Channel 4** Freeview 4 Freesat 104 Sky 104 Virgin 104+1 F'view 13 F'sat 121 Sky 204 Virgin 142 **HD** F'view 103 F'sat 111 Sky 103 Virgin 113

BBC4

Morocco to Timbuktu: an Arabian Adventure

9.00pm With Alice Morrison

**7.00pm Beyond 100 Days** (S) (HD)Followed by **Weather** (S) (HD)**7.30 Great British Railway Journeys**

Michael Portillo continues his travels through the Scottish lowlands. From Greenock, he sets sail in the world's last seagoing paddle steamer. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Sword, Musket and Machine Gun: Britain's Armed History

1/3. Cut and Thrust. Dr Sam Willis starts his look at the weapons that have shaped Britain with an examination of how King Alfred used a shield-wall to help keep raiders at bay at the Battle of Ethandun in 878. He also reveals how the Bayeux Tapestry depicts the huge arsenal, including stronger and lighter swords, that was used by mounted knights during William the Conqueror's invasion of England in 1066. Director/Producer Matthew Thomas Signed repeat 3am (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Morocco to Timbuktu: an Arabian Adventure

1/2. Alice Morrison follows former trading networks, known as the "salt roads", through north Africa. She begins by heading from Tangier to the Islamic city of Fes, continuing on to Marrakesh where she learns ancient methods of making leather. From there she crosses the mighty Atlas mountains and the Jebel Saghro, where nomads still wander in search of grazing areas for their animals. Then it's on to Sijilmasa, whose ruins sit on the edge of the Sahara desert. Director Alicia Arce; Executive producer Harry Bell First shown on BBC2 (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 The Normans

2/3. Conquest. Professor Robert Bartlett examines the impact of the conquest of Britain and Ireland, and learns how William the Conqueror built scores of castles to impose his control and intimidate the population. Director/Producer Fatima Salaria (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 Churchill: When Britain Said No

Just weeks after VE Day, Winston Churchill went to the polls confident that the nation would reward him for his leadership through the dark days of the Second World War by re-electing him prime minister. In the event, he suffered a humiliating defeat by Labour under Clement Attlee. Historians explore why the nation so vehemently rejected their great war leader. First shown on BBC2 (S) (AD) (HD)

12 midnight The Many Primes of Muriel Spark A celebration of the author. (R) (S) (HD)**1.00am Socrates: Genius of the Ancient World** Profile of the philosopher. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)**2.00 Make! Craft Britain 2/3** The ancient

craft of silver jewellery making. (R) (S) (HD)

3.00–4.00am Sword, Musket and Machine Gun: Britain's Armed History The evolution

of weaponry. Shown 8pm (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)

BBC4 Freeview 9 Freesat 173 Sky 116 Virgin 107**HD** Freeview 106 Freesat 107 Virgin 163

Regional variations

BBC1 SCOTLAND

WEDNESDAY Freeview

Channel 5



Old Wife, New Wife 9.00pm Can Laura Jacobs move on from the past?

Freeview 5 Freesat 105 Sky 105 Virgin 105
HD Freeview 105 Freesat 105 Virgin 150
6.00am Milkshake! See page 99
9.15 New. Jeremy Vine (S) (HD)
11.15 Traffic Cops A high-speed chase in Leeds. (S) (HD) **12.10pm 5 News** (S) (HD)
12.15 Can't Pay? We'll Take It Away Gary and Cona are attacked by a debtor's angry brother. (S) (HD) **1.10 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 Murder, She Baked: a Peach Cobbler Mystery Crime drama starring Alison Sweeney. Hannah discovers the dead body of a rival bakery owner. (S) (HD)
4.00 Friends Ross regrets his decision to play rugby with Emily's friends. (S) (HD)
4.30 Rachel ruins Ross's plans. (S) (HD)
5.00pm 5 News (S) (HD)

5.30 Neighbours Ned is angry with Elly. Shown 1.45pm Repeated 6pm 5 Star (S) (AD) (HD)

6.00 Home and Away Brody finds himself under attack. 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

Alan admires Shugborough Hall, a spectacular mansion set in 900 acres of Staffordshire countryside. (S) (HD)

Followed by **5 News Update** (S) (HD)

8.00 New. GPs: behind Closed Doors Dr Amir Khan is concerned when patient Paul complains of back pain and sends him for tests, which have surprising results. Director Richard Pepe; Series producers Sarah Speirs and Rebecca Parnell (S) (AD) (HD)

Followed by **5 News Update** (S) (HD)

9.00 New series. Old Wife, New Wife **RT** 1/3. Social reality show in which parents who have separated move back in together, but with one of them bringing their new partner, too. **See p93.** Producers Laura Hey Casale, Ellie Leigh and Kimber Baker; Executive producers Lucy McLennan and Tom McLennan (S) (HD)

10.00 Me and My Ten Kids: Mega Families **1/2.** Following the hectic lives of two British families wrestling with the struggles and joys of raising ten children. Director/Producer Lucy Bauckham (S) (HD)

11.05 The Gypsies Next Door **1/4.** Local man Arthur is on a mission to understand what brings the travellers into parks and public areas. Shown last Thursday (S) (HD)

12.05am Police Interceptors Shown Mon 8pm (S) (HD) **1.00 Home Shopping** (S) (HD) **3.00 Access** (S) (HD) **3.10 Secrets of the National Trust with Alan Titchmarsh** (S) (HD) **4.00 My Mum's Hotter than Me!** (S) (SL) (HD) **4.45 House Doctor** (S) (SL) **5.10 Great Scientists** (S) (SL) **5.35-6.00am Wildlife SOS** (S) (SL)

+1 Freeview 44 Freesat 128 Sky 205 Virgin 155

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BBC4 listings are overleaf

ITV2



American Pie 2 9.00pm Jim's dad is shocked by his son's behaviour

F'view 6 F'sat 113 Sky 118 Virgin 115 **HD** Virgin 176
6.00am The Planet's Funniest Animals (S) **6.20** Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records (S) (HD) **7.10** Ultimate You've Been Framed! Gold (S) **8.00** Emmerdale (S) (AD) (HD) **8.55** You've Been Framed! Gold (S) **9.25** The Ellen DeGeneres Show (S) (HD) **10.20** Superstore (S) (AD) (HD) **11.10** You've Been Framed! Gold: Top 100 Animals (S)
12.10pm Emmerdale Shown yesterday 7.8pm ITV (S) (AD) (HD) **1.15** You've Been Framed! Gold (S) **1.40** **New.** The Ellen DeGeneres Show: Rob Delaney and Sharon Horgan talk about their hit comedy *Catastrophe* (S) (HD) **2.35** The Jeremy Kyle Show (S) (HD) **5.50** Take Me Out (S) (HD)
7.00pm You've Been Framed! Gold Clips include two musical horses, costume chaos and one very happy monkey. (S)
7.30 Hobbies that go wrong, a petrol station that falls on top of a car and an inner tube versus a little girl. (S)
8.00 You've Been Framed Gold Rides Again! Harry Hill narrates camcorder calamities. (S)
9.00 American Pie 2 **★★★**
Comedy sequel starring Jason Biggs. The randy students return for another summer of sexual misadventures following their first year at college.

Jim Levenstein
Nadia
Michelle Flaherty
Chris "Oz" Ostreicher
Jessica
Jim's dad
Director James B Rogers (2001, 15) (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

Jason Biggs
Shannon Elizabeth
Alyson Hannigan
Chris Klein
Natasha Lyonne
Eugene Levy

11.10 Family Guy Series 5. Lois campaigns for election as mayor, but is only successful after dumbing down her political views. (S) (AD) (HD)
11.40 Peter discovers his mother had an affair in Ireland, and crosses the Atlantic to search for his real father. (S) (AD) (HD)
12.10am American Dad! (S) (AD) (HD)
1.05 The Cleveland Show (S) (AD) (HD)
1.30-2.30am Superstore (S) (AD) (HD)
ITV2+1 Freeview 27 Freesat 114 Sky 218 Virgin 116

ITV4

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

6.00am The Protectors (S) (SL) **6.25** The Avengers (S) (SL) (HD) **7.20** Kojak (S) (HD) **8.15** Quincy (S) (HD) **9.15** Minder (S) (AD) **10.20** The Sweeney (S) **11.25** The Professionals (S) (AD)
12.30pm The Avengers (S) (HD) **1.35** Kojak (S) (HD) **2.35** Quincy (S) (HD) **3.40** Minder (S) (AD) **4.45** The Professionals (S) (AD) **5.55** The Sweeney: the squad foils a hijacking (S)
7.00pm The Chase Quiz show. (S) (HD)
8.00 New. British Superbikes Action from round one at Silverstone. (S) (HD)
9.00 FILM You Only Live Twice ********* James Bond adventure starring Sean Connery and Donald Pleasence. When international crime syndicate Spectre captures an American spaceship in the hope of starting the Third World War, James Bond is dispatched to Japan to face arch villain Blofeld, the man behind the evil scheme. (S) (AD) (W) (HD)
11.25 FILM Jaws the Revenge **★** Action adventure starring Lorraine Gary and featuring Michael Caine. (S) (AD) (W) (HD)
1.20am The Protectors (S) (SL) **1.55** Lethal Weapon (S) (AD) (HD) **2.40-3.00am** Nightscreen (HD)
12 midnight Selling It in the ATL (S) (HD)
12.55am Shopping **4.00-4.25am** Nightscreen

ITV4 +1 Freesat 154 Sky 220 Virgin 175

ITV3



Agatha Christie's Poirot 8.00pm A coastal case for the regular sleuths

F'view 10 F'sat 115 Sky 119 Virgin 117 **HD** Virgin 177
6.00am Classic Coronation Street (S) **6.55** Heartbeat (S) (AD) **8.00** Murder, She Wrote (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** Judge Judy (S) (HD) **10.25** Agatha Christie's Poirot (S) (AD) (HD)
12.40pm Heartbeat (S) (AD) **1.45** Classic Emmerdale: double bill. Sarah is offered a business partnership, then a shock awaits Wilks in the Woolpack backroom (S) **2.50** Classic Coronation Street: double bill. Vicki finds out the size of her inheritance, then the paper boys and girls strike outside the Kabin (S) **3.55** Agatha Christie's Poirot (S) (AD)

5.55pm Heartbeat Debbie Bellamy's late-night drinking spree by the river gets her into trouble. (S) (AD)
7.00 Murder, She Wrote Jessica leaves Cabot Cove to take up a teaching position in New York, and moves into a new apartment – only to find the previous tenant was murdered. (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Agatha Christie's Poirot **Evil under the Sun.** The detective heads for the coast of Devon for a well-earned rest – but his relaxation is ruined by the discovery of a body on the beach. (S) (AD) (HD)
Poirot David Suchet
Hastings Hugh Fraser
Chief Inspector James Japp Philip Jackson
Miss Lemon Pauline Moran
Patrick Redfern Michael Higgs
Christine Redfern Tamzin Malleson
Arlene Stuart Louise Delamere
Stephen Lane Tim Meats

10.05 The Bletchley Circle: San Francisco **3/8** As the quartet try to solve the mysterious death of Iris's friend, a complex cluster of marriages built on lies and deception is uncovered. (S) (AD) (HD)
11.05 4/8. After a seemingly innocent man is charged with murder, the women become involved in a tangled suburban tragedy. Continues Friday ITV 9pm (S) (AD) (HD)
12.10am Law & Order: UK: double bill (S) (SL) (AD) (HD) **2.00-2.30am** Nightscreen (HD)
+1 F'view 34 (9pm-midnight) F'sat 116 Sky 219 Virgin 174

F'view 26 F'sat 118 Sky 131 Virgin 119 **HD** Virgin 179

9.00am LittleBe 12 noon Income Property (S) (HD) **12.25pm** The Real Housewives of New Jersey (S) (HD) **1.20** The Bachelor USA **2.05** Million Dollar Listing: LA (HD) **3.10** The Real Housewives of Orange County (S) (HD) **4.10** The Real Housewives of Beverly Hills (S) (HD)
6.00pm Buyers Bootcamp Scott McGillivray chooses between two properties. (S) (HD)
7.00 New. Buying and Selling Brothers Jonathan and Drew Scott help Nicole and Matt take their next step on the property ladder. (HD)
8.00 New. Dinner Date Mared from London chooses three blind dates. (S) (AD) (HD)
9.00 New. Sam and Billie Faiers: the Mummy Diaries Sam and her mother Sue arrange a surprise trip to a spa for Billie in a bid to de-stress the bride-to-be, and the girls get ready for their trip of a lifetime. (S) (HD)
10.00 The Only Way Is Essex Dan spends a weekend in Manchester. (S) (HD)
11.00 Celebrity Showmance Famous faces are paired with fake love interests. (S) (HD)
12 midnight Selling It in the ATL (S) (HD)
12.55am Shopping **4.00-4.25am** Nightscreen

ITVBe +1 Freesat 119 Sky 231 Virgin 120

Drama



Rosemary & Thyme 8.00pm A recovering alcoholic is found dead

Freeview 20 Freesat 158 Sky 143 Virgin 130
7.10am Bergerac (S) **8.00** Juliet Bravo **9.00** Pie in the Sky (S) **10.00** Classic Holby City: Keri befriends a teenage runaway **11.00** The Bill **1.00pm** Classic EastEnders: double bill **2.20** Bergerac (S) **3.20** Lovejoy (S) **4.20** Pie in the Sky (S) **5.20** Birds of a Feather

6.00pm Brush Strokes Jacko has a brush with the law.

6.40 Bread Mrs Boswell has trouble with a neighbour.

7.20 Last of the Summer Wine Compo takes up waterskiing. (S)

8.00 Rosemary & Thyme **3/9 Series 2. Orpheus in the Undergrowth**

The duo design a garden based on the myth of Orpheus and Eurydice, but their task is complicated when the body of a recovering alcoholic is found at the site.

9.00 4/9. They Understand Me in Paris A friend invites the duo to restore the gardens of her French Riviera villa so the property can be opened to the public. The plan arouses bitter hostility among the neighbours and long-held family secrets start to surface, leading to murder.

Rosemary Boxer
Laura Thyme
May Beauchamp
Julia Moore
Dorothy Huber
James Pretty
Felicity Kendal
Pam Ferris
Phyllida Law
Joanna David
Mel Martin
Michael Percival

10.00 New Tricks **6/8 Series 6. The Last Laugh.** When the disappearance of two political activists who had infiltrated an extreme right-wing group is reinvestigated, a link is found to the killer of Halford's wife Mary. (S) (AD)
11.20 Taggart **3/3 Series 8. Fatal Inheritance.** The Glaswegian cop checks into a health farm, convinced its glamorous owner is guilty of murdering her husband's mistress. Hannah Gordon guest-stars. (S)

1.10am The Bill **2.10** Dickensian (S) (AD) (HD)
3.00-4.00am Birds of a Feather

Dave

F'view 12 F'sat 157 Sky 111 Virgin 127 **HD** Virgin 227 BT 387

7.10am Beat the Internet with John Robins (S) (HD) **8.00** American Pickers (S) (HD)
9.00 Storage Hunters: double bill (S) (HD)
10.00 American Pickers: triple bill (S) (HD)
1.00pm Top Gear (S) (AD) **3.00** Sin City Motors (S) (HD) **4.00** Steve Austin's Broken Skull Challenge (HD) **5.00** Top Gear (S) (AD)
7.00pm American Pickers Dave unveils Mike's biggest-ever investment. (S) (HD)
8.00 New. Last Stop Garage The boys build a tour bus with a fold-out stage. (HD)
8.30 New. The CRB crew builds a barge to help a flooded village. Last in series. (HD)
9.00 QI With Phillip Jupitus. (S) (HD)
10.00 Have I Got a Bit More News for You With Mel Giedroyc, Hal Cruttenden and Sathnam Sanghera. (S) (HD)
11.00 Porters **6/6** Frankie goes for a secret job interview. (S) (HD)
11.40 Have I Got a Bit More Old News for You With Adil Ray. (S) (HD)
12.40am QI (S) (HD) **1.40** Mock the Week (S) (HD)
2.30 Go a Bit: DLC (S) (HD) **2.55-4.00am** Crackanory (S) (AD) (HD)
Dave Ja Vu Freeview 79 Sky 211 Virgin 131

More4

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Find It, Fix It, Drive It 9.00pm Henry and Sam restore a pick-up truck

F'view 14 F'sat 124 Sky 136 Virgin 147 **HD** Virgin 195

8.55am A Place in the Sun: Summer Sun (S) (HD) **9.55** A Place in the Sun: Winter Sun (S) (HD) **10.55** The Great British Bake Off (S) (AD) (HD) **12.15pm** Location, Location, Location: two editions (S) (HD) **2.20** Four in a Bed (S) (HD) **4.55** The Secret Life of the Zoo (S) (AD) (HD) **5.55** The Supervet (S) (AD) (HD)

6.55pm Emergency Helicopter Medics A farmer is pierced through the chest with a metal spike. (S) (AD) (HD)

7.55 Grand Designs Kevin McCloud returns to a co-operative of ten families who built their own council-subsidised houses in Brighton. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 New, Find It, Fix It, Drive It Ep 5. Henry Cole and Sam Lovegrove restore a classic American pick-up truck. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 Car SOS

Ep 6 Series 5. Fuzz and Tim restore a Renault 5 GT Turbo. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 24 Hours in A&E

A 74-year-old man is brought in after falling down the stairs. (S) (AD) (HD)

12 midnight Emergency Helicopter Medics (S) (AD) (HD) **1.05am** Find It, Fix It, Drive It (S) (AD) (HD) **2.05** 24 Hours in A&E (S) (AD) (HD)

3.05–3.50am Eight out of Ten Cats (S) (HD)

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F'view 28 F'sat 122 Sky 135 Virgin 106 **HD** Virgin 145

6.00am Hollyoaks Shown Mon/Tue 6.30pm C4 (AD) **7.00** Rules of Engagement **8.00** Sabrina the Teenage Witch **9.00** Baby Daddy (AD) **10.00** The Big Bang Theory (AD) **11.00** The Goldbergs (AD)

12 noon Brooklyn Nine-Nine (AD) **1.00pm** The Big Bang Theory (AD) **2.00** Baby Daddy **3.00** Brooklyn Nine-Nine (AD) **4.00** The Goldbergs (AD) **5.00** The Crystal Maze (AD)

6.00pm The Big Bang Theory (AD) **7.00 New, Hollyoaks** A family outing takes a dark turn. Cast pp85/115. Rptd Thu 6.30pm C4 (AD)

7.30 New, Speechless 10/18 Series 2. Jimmy convinces Maya to go on a night out. (AD)

8.00 New, The Goldbergs 18/24 Series 6 Dylan tries to win the new dog's affection. (AD)

8.30 New, Schooled 8/13 Lainey and Erica go to their high school reunion. (AD)

9.00 New, Tattoo Fixers: Extreme Series 6 Sketch helps Beckie with a cover up. (AD)

10.00 First Dates Hotel (AD)

11.05 New, The Hangover Games An all-girl group of friends from Canterbury compete. (AD)

11.40 The Big Bang Theory (AD)

12.35am Gogglebox (SL) (AD) **1.40** First Dates Hotel (AD) **2.35** Tattoo Fixers: Extreme (SL) (AD) **3.30** The Goldbergs (AD) **3.50** Schooled (AD) **4.15** The Big Bang Theory (AD) **4.55–6.00am** 2 Broke Girls (AD)

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F'view 47 F'sat 127 Sky 137 Virgin 143 **HD** F'view 110

9.00am Car SOS (AD) **10.00** Come Dine with Me **11.00** Four in a Bed **11.30** Extreme Cake Makers

12 noon A Place in the Sun **2.00pm** Everybody Loves Raymond **3.00** Frasier **5.00** Escape to the Château: DIY (AD) **6.00** Ramsay's Hotel Hell (AD) **7.00** Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA **8.00** Food Unwrapped Goes Vegan (AD) **9.00** First Dates Ep 2 Series 12. See choice, p83 Shown Tue 10pm C4 (AD) **10.00** Micky Flanagan's Out Out Tour **11.05** Ramsay's 24 Hours to Hell and Back (AD) **12.05am** Eight out of Ten Cats Does Countdown **1.10** A Very British Brothel (AD) **2.15** Naked Beach (AD) **3.25** Undercover Boss Canada **4.10–4.40am** Jamie's Quick and Easy Food (AD)

Paramount Network

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Designated Survivor 9.00pm Tom struggles to keep the country calm

F'review 54 Sky 153 Virgin 188 **HD** Virgin 187

9.00am Access (S) (HD) **9.05** Gilmore Girls (S) **11.00** **FILM** Killer Assistant ★★ (S) (HD) **12.50pm** **FILM** Dark Secrets ★★ (S) (HD) **2.40** **FILM** Deadly Paradise ★★ Thriller (S) (HD) **4.25** **FILM** Spirit Riders ★★ Drama (S) (HD)

6.10pm Dear Diary, I Died ★★ Thriller. When a woman discovers that her sister's suicide was staged, she sets out to investigate. Director Ben Demaree (2016) (S) (HD)

8.00 Grimm

21/22 Series 1. Hank and Nick investigate an attack on a farmer's horses. (HD)

9.00 New, Designated Survivor

8/21. An outbreak of a potentially fatal disease hits Kansas City. (HD)

10.00 The X-Files

3/10 Series 11. Mulder and Scully visit a patient at a psychiatric hospital. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.55 10/24 Series 4. A serial killer claims to have murdered Mulder's sister. (S) (HD)

11.55 Vikings

1/9 Series 1. Historical drama following the journey of Ragnar Lothbrok. (AD) (HD)

12.55am Sleepy Hollow (HD) **2.45** LA to Vegas (HD) **3.30** Life in Pieces (HD) **4.15** Grimm (S) (HD) **5.00** Neighbours (S) (AD) (HD)

5.30–6.00am Home and Away (S) (AD) (HD)

Pick

5 USA

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F'review 21 Freesat 129 Sky 141 Virgin 153

9.00am Catch a Contractor **9.20** CSI: NY: double bill (S) **11.00** Law & Order (S) **1.05pm** Jesse Stone: Night Passage (S) **3.00** Murder, She Wrote: double bill **5.00** NCIS (S) (AD)

6.00pm Law & Order Series 11. Double bill. A businessman is suspected of murder, then Briscoe and Green are led on a wild goose chase (S) **8.00** NCIS Series 10. The team identifies the killer as a Swedish mercenary (S) (AD)

9.00 New. Gone: a couple disappears from a mountain campsite First shown on Universal (S) **10.00** Law & Order: Special Victims Unit (S) (AD) **12.55am** CSI: NY: double bill (S) (AD) **2.50** Taken (S) **3.50–4.00am** Access

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F'review 30 Freesat 131 Sky 128 Virgin 151

8.00am Will & Grace (S) **8.20** Dance Moms (S) **11.05** My Wife and Kids (S) **12 noon** Two and a Half Men **1.00pm** 3rd Rock from the Sun (S) **2.00** Will & Grace **3.00** Neighbours (S) (AD) **3.30** Home and Away (S) (AD) **4.00** My Wife and Kids (S) **5.00** Smallville

6.00pm Neighbours Shown 5.30pm C5 (S) (AD) **6.30 New**. Home and Away Repeated tomorrow 6pm C5 (S) (AD) **7.00** Two and a Half Men **8.00** Rich Kids Go Skint (S) (AD) **9.00** New. Rich Kids Go Homeless (S) **10.00**

11.55 Fresh Off the Boat: double bill **12.50am** Two and a Half Men: three episodes **2.20** Empire (S) **3.10–4.00am** Star (S)

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5 Spike

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F'review 31 Freesat 141 Sky 150 Virgin 154

9.00am Access (HD) **9.10** The Virginian: Men from Shiloh (HD) **10.45** Can't Pay? We'll Take It Away (HD) **11.45** Police Interceptors (HD)

12.50pm **FILM** Ramrod ★★ Western (BW) **2.50** **FILM** Wake of the Red Witch ★★★ Adventure starring John Wayne and Gail Russell (BW) (HD) **5.00** The A-Team (HD)

7.00pm Police Interceptors (HD) **9.00** **FILM** Bloodsport ★★ Martial arts action starring Jean-Claude Van Damme (HD) **10.55** Spartacus: War of the Damned (HD)

1.20am Wynonna Earp (HD) **2.15** Criminals: Caught on Camera (HD) **2.50–3.00am** Access (HD)

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F'review 55 Freesat 133 Sky 159 Virgin 152

9.00am Access **9.10** Money's Too Tight to Mention: on Benefits **10.00** The Nightmare Neighbour Next Door **11.00** The Dog Rescuers with Alan Davies (S) **12 noon** Paddington Station 24/7 **1.00pm** Jane McDonald: Bafta Winning Cruise **2.00** GPs: behind Closed Doors **4.00** The Yorkshire Vet **5.00** The Dog Rescuers with Alan Davies (S) **6.00** GPs: behind Closed Doors (S) (AD) **8.00** The Yorkshire Vet **9.00** Rome: Caesar's Death to the Republic

10.00 The Pyramid Code: a Mystery Unwrapped **11.00** The Headless Gladiators of York: Ancient Mysteries **12 midnight** The Nightmare Neighbour Next Door **1.00am** Generation Poverty Gap: on Benefits **2.00** Mary Magdalene: Ancient Conspiracy **3.00–4.00am** Bargain-Loving Brits in the Sun

CBS Justice

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F'review 39 Freesat 137 Sky 148 Virgin 192

9.00am Diagnosis Murder **11.00** Matlock **12 noon** NCIS **1.00pm** JAG **2.00** CSI: Miami **3.00** NCIS **4.00** NCIS: Los Angeles **5.00** Matlock **6.00pm** Medium **8.00** Walker, Texas Ranger **9.00** NCIS **10.00** NCIS: Los Angeles **11.00** NCIS **12 midnight** CSI: Miami **12.55am** NCIS **1.50** JAG **2.50** Bonanza **3.45** Walker, Texas Ranger **4.30–6.00am** Mission: Impossible

CBS Drama

71

F'review 71 (1-11pm) Freesat 134 Sky 147 Virgin 197

9.00am Medium **10.00** ER **11.00** The District **12 noon** Judge Judy **1.00pm** Bonanza **3.00** Diagnosis Murder **4.00** Judge Judy **6.00pm** The Love Boat **7.00** CSI: Miami: an American football star is murdered **8.00** Judge Judy **9.00** Medium **10.00** CSI: Miami **11.00** The Love Boat **12 midnight** Judge Judy **1.00am** ER **2.00** Medium **3.00** CSI: Miami **4.00** The District **5.00–6.00am** Diagnosis Murder

Sony Crime, PBS America, Smithsonian see over. Film4 and other Freeview movie channels: p100

Yesterday

19

F'review 19 Freesat 159 Sky 155 Virgin 129

6.00am A Very British Murder with Lucy Worsley (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** Time Team (S) (HD)

9.00 The World at War (S) (HD) **10.00** Private Lives (S) (HD) **11.00** Forbidden History (S) (AD) (HD) **12 noon** Time Team (S) (HD)

2.00pm The Life of Mammals (S) **3.00** David Attenborough's Natural Curiosities (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** Private Lives (S) (HD)

5.00 Wartime Crime (S) (AD) (HD) **6.00pm** The World at War (S) (HD)

7.00 Impossible Engineering (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** New. Hitler's Most Wanted (HD)

WEDNESDAY Satellite & cable



Magnum P.I. 9.00pm Thomas learns his ex is up to no good



Veep 10.10pm Selina and the team head to South Carolina



Grey's Anatomy 9.00pm Owen and Catherine are tested



The Girl with Seven Mums 9.00pm Ellie Sharp's story



Blackadder the Third 9.00pm Prince George is threatened

Sky 1

Sky 106 Virgin 110 **HD** Virgin 109

6.00am Monkey Life (S) (AD) **7.00** Wild Vets (S) **8.00** The Dog Whisperer (S) (HD) **9.00** Air Ambulance ER (S) (HD) **10.00** Babylon 5 (S) **11.00** NCIS: Los Angeles (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Hawaii Five-O (S) (HD) **3.00** David Attenborough's Galapagos (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** Modern Family (S) (HD) **5.00** The Simpsons (S) (HD)

6.00pm Futurama (S) (AD)

6.30 The Simpsons (S) (HD)

8.00 New. DC's Legends of Tomorrow **11/16** Series 4. Mona gets to meet Jane Austen. (HD)

9.00 New. **Magnum P.I. 15/22**

Thomas learns his ex-girlfriend is planning to steal a fortune. (S) (HD)

10.00 The Force: North East

3/10 Series 5. A high-speed chase ends with a sinister discovery. (S) (HD)

11.00 Strike Back: Silent War

8/10 Series 7. Section 20 needs to protect an Indonesian general from his own men. (S) (HD)

12 midnight Brit Cops: Law and

Disorder (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00am** A League of Their Own (S) (AD) (HD)

2.00 New. Comedians Watching

Football with Friends (HD) **2.30**

A League of Their Own (S) (AD) (HD)

3.00 Road Wars (S) (AD) **4.00**

Babylon 5 (S) **5.00–6.00am**

Stargate SG-1 (S) (HD)

Sky 1 +1 Sky 206

Sky Arts

Sky 122 Virgin 122 **HD** Virgin 206

6.00am Classical Destinations (S) (HD)

6.40 Prokofiev (HD) **7.15** La Dolce

Vita: the Music of Italian Cinema (HD)

9.00 Tales of the Unexpected (S)

10.00 Discovering: Maximilian Schell

(S) (AD) (HD) **11.00** Discovering: Robert

Taylor (S) (AD) (HD) **12 noon** The

Seventies (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00pm** Tales of

the Unexpected (S) **1.30** Queen: the

Magic Years (S) **2.45** Off Camera with

Sam Jones (S) (HD) **4.00** Discovering:

Montgomery Clift (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00**

Discovering: Warren Beatty (S) (AD) (HD)

6.00pm The Seventies (S) (HD)

7.00 Portrait Artist of the

Year: the Winner's Story

A portrait of Tom Jones. (HD)

8.00 Comedy Legends

Paying tribute to Joan Rivers. (S) (HD)

9.00 New. Urban Myths

RT Charles Dickens and his wife

are unimpressed with an

uninvited house guest. See p93. (HD)

9.30 Donald Trump is holding

cheerleading auditions. (HD)

10.00 The History of Comedy

Fighting censorship. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 Discovering: Clint

Eastwood The life and career of

the actor and director. (HD)

12 midnight Urban Myths (HD)

12.30am Video Killed the Radio Star

(S) (AD) (HD) **1.00** There We Were

– Now Here We Are: the Making of

Oasis (S) (AD) **2.15** Eric Clapton:

Planes, Trains and Eric (S) (HD) **4.00**

Discovering: Montgomery Clift (S) (AD)

(HD) **5.00–6.00am** Discovering:

Warren Beatty (S) (AD) (HD)

Sky Atlantic

Sky 108

6.00am The British (S) (AD) (HD) **7.00** Richard E Grant's Hotel Secrets (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** Storm City (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** The West Wing (S) (HD) **11.00** CSI: Crime Scene Investigation (HD) **12 noon** Without a Trace (S) (HD) **2.00pm** Blue Bloods (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** The West Wing Special (S) (HD) **4.00** The West Wing (S) (HD) **5.00** Without a Trace (S) (HD)

7.00pm CSI: Crime Scene Investigation **22/25** Series 5 Catherine unwittingly flirts with a murder suspect. (S) (HD)

8.00 Blue Bloods **2/22** Series 2 Danny shoots a cop. (HD)

9.00 New. Billions **6/12** Series 4 Taylor pursues a new venture. (HD)

10.10 New. Veep **4/7** Series 7 Selina seeks a vital endorsement on the campaign trail. (HD)

10.45 New. Barry **4/8** Series 2 A figure from Sally's past arrives in Los Angeles. (HD)

11.20 The Wire **6/12** Series 2 Omar emerges to testify in the Gant murder trial. (S) (AD) (HD)

12.35am The Wire (S) (AD) (HD) **1.50** Our Cartoon President: double bill (S) (HD) **3.00** The Greatest DC Movie Moments (HD) **4.00** The West Wing Special (S) (HD) **5.00–6.00am** The West Wing (S) (HD)

Sky Atlantic +1 Sky 208

Sky 2

Sky 151 Virgin 121

6.00am Cooks to Market (S) (AD) **7.00** Wild Things (S) (AD) **8.00** 60-Minute Makeover (S) **10.00** Four Weddings (S) **12 noon** Animal House (S) (AD) **2.00pm** The Dog Whisperer **3.00** Stargate SG-1: double bill (S) **5.00** Haven (S)

6.00pm Supergirl **18/22** Series 2 Kara's questions about Jack Spheer's discovery end up putting everyone in danger. (S)

7.00 Stargate Atlantis **18/20** Series 4. Dr Keller discovers that a deadly protein designed to destroy Wraiths is also killing thousands of humans. (S)

8.00 Arrow **17/23** Series 7 Felicity is forced to choose between the team and Laurel.

9.00 SEAL Team **17/22** Series 2 Jason and the unit's hopes of an easy deployment are shattered when a bomb attack in Manila throws them into danger.

10.00 The Rookie **5/20**. The training officers and rookies are pitted against each other in a competition and Officer Chen is obsessed with winning at all costs.

11.00 NCIS: Los Angeles **10/24** Series 1. A former marine is killed by an exploding mobile phone. (S)

12 midnight DC's Legends of Tomorrow **1.00am** Magnum P.I. (S) **2.00** Ross Kemp: Extreme World (S) (AD) **3.00** Station 19 **4.00** Duck Quacks Don't Echo (S) (AD) **5.00–6.00am** The Dog Whisperer

Sky Witness

Sky 107 Virgin 112 **HD** Virgin 111

6.00am Motorway Patrol (S) (AD) (HD) **7.00** UK Border Force (S) (HD) **8.00** Border Security: Canada's Front Line (S) (AD) **9.00** Criminal Minds (S) (HD) **10.00** CSI: Crime Scene Investigation (S) (HD) **11.00** Road Wars (S) **12 noon** Brit Cops (S) (AD) **1.00pm** Nothing to Declare (HD) **2.00pm** Motorway Patrol (S) (AD) **3.00** Road Wars (S) **4.00** Nothing to Declare (S) **5.00** UK Border Force (S) (HD)

6.00pm Border Security: Canada's Front Line. (S) (AD)

7.00 New. Nothing to Declare Double bill of the documentary. (HD)

8.00 Criminal Minds **12/15** Series 14. Investigating the abduction of three children. (HD)

9.00 New. Grey's Anatomy **20/22** Series 15. Owen and Teddy are put in an awkward situation. (HD)

10.00 New. Station 19 **12/17** Series 2. Concerns are raised over Ben's responsibilities. (HD)

11.00 Criminal Minds **9/20** Series 3. The unit searches for Garcia's attacker. (S) (HD)

12 midnight Tracie Andrews: Britain's Most Evil (S) (HD) **1.00am** The Rookie (HD) **2.00** Madam Secretary (HD) **3.00** Brit Cops (S) (AD) **4.00** Road Wars (S) **5.00–6.00am** The Real A&E (S) (AD) (HD)

Sky Witness +1 Sky 207 Virgin 140

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Sky 109 Virgin 125 BT 311 **HD** Virgin 211 BT 383

6.05am Judge Faith (S) (HD) **6.25** Extreme Makeover: Home Edition (S) **8.00** Tipping Point (HD) **10.00** The Bill (S) **11.00** Inside the Ambulance (S) (HD) **12 noon** Tipping Point (HD) **2.00pm** My Dream Home (S) (HD) **3.00** New. Renovate My Home: Leave It to Bryan (HD) **4.00** Extreme Makeover: Home Edition (S) **5.00** Tipping Point (HD)

6.00pm John Torode's Australia The MasterChef judge continues to explore Queensland. (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 Fantasy Homes by the Sea A couple who want to move to the Devon coast. (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Inside the Ambulance The team assists a student with a life-threatening condition. (S) (HD)

9.00 The Girl with Seven Mums A nine-year-old girl being raised in a polygamous household. (S) (HD)

10.00 The World According to Kids **3/6**. Children explore how they distinguish right from wrong. (HD)

11.00 The Shift: Women on the Force **3/6**. Acting Inspector Vicky investigates an assault. (AD) (HD)

12 midnight Who Do You Think You Are? USA (HD) **1.00am** Rent a Cop (HD) **2.00–3.00am** John Bishop in Conversation with: Meera Syal (S) (HD)

W +1 Sky 209 Virgin 190

Gold

Sky 110 BT 310 **HD** Virgin 124

7.25am The Piglet Files **8.20** Lucky Feller **8.55** Goodnight Sweetheart (S) **10.15** Last of the Summer Wine **12.15pm** Keeping Up Appearances (S) (AD) **12.55** Hi-de-Hi! (S) **1.35** The Green Green Grass (S) **2.15** Keeping Up Appearances (S) (AD) **2.55** Blackadder the Third (S) (AD) **3.35** Fawlty Towers (S) (AD) **4.20** Last of the Summer Wine **6.20pm**



Law & Order: Special Victims Unit 9.00pm Benson

Universal TV

Sky 113 Virgin 137 BT 320 **HD** Virgin 164 BT 385

8.00am Sea Patrol **9.00** Murder in Paradise **11.00** Murder She Solved: True Crime **1.00pm** Law & Order **3.00** CSI: Miami: double bill

5.00pm Major Crimes 15/23 Series 4. A man is killed after being pushed off the top of a car park. **6.00 16/23.** The team investigates the murder of a diamond thief.

7.00 NCIS 21/24 Series 9. Gibbs and the team track an arsonist. **8.00 22/24.** It transpires that the arsonist targeting US Navy facilities was not working alone.

9.00 New, Law & Order: Special Victims Unit 20/23 Series 20. When a pregnant teenager refuses to name the father of her baby, Benson and the SVU team investigate.

10.00 The Murders 2/8. Kate and her new partner Nolan Wells investigate their first case, a complex and violent bank robbery.

11.00 Law & Order: Special Victims Unit 15/22 Series 7. A successful lawyer is found dead.

12 midnight 16/22. A Canadian student is raped and murdered.

1.00am Murder in Paradise **2.00** Murder She Solved: True Crime **3.00** Law & Order: Special Victims Unit **4.00–5.00am** Sea Patrol

Universal TV +1 Sky 213 Virgin 138

PBS America **91**

F'view (HD only) 91 F'sat 155 Sky 174 Virgin 276

8.00am D-Day: the Last Heroes

9.10 A History of Ancient Britain

10.20 The Vikings Uncovered

11.35 D-Day: the Last Heroes

12.40pm The Wild Canadian Year

1.55 A History of Ancient Britain

3.00 The Vikings Uncovered

4.15 D-Day: the Last Heroes

5.20 The Wild Canadian Year

6.35pm A History of Ancient Britain Neil Oliver explores the arrival of farming to Britain around 4,000 BC, and the changes this way of life brought for the people, from pottery to new belief systems.

7.50 New, The Wild Canadian Year A look at the country in summer, when killer whales and blue sharks go on the hunt, and fireflies light up the night forest with their dazzling displays.

9.00 The Vikings Uncovered

2/2. Dr Sarah Parcak and Dan Snow conclude their search for evidence of Viking settlements in North America, as they aim to provide a definitive answer to the question of whether the Norse raiders settled in the New World 500 years before Columbus.

10.15 D-Day: the Last Heroes

Dan Snow examines the D-Day Landings, and the years of planning, espionage and analysis that went into the attack.

11.30 The Wild Canadian Year A look at the country in summer. **12.40–2.00am**

The Vikings Uncovered



Ms Fisher's Modern Murder Mysteries 9.00pm Peregrine

Alibi

Sky 132 Virgin 126 BT 312 **HD** Virgin 226 BT 382

7.20am Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD) **9.05** Rizzoli & Isles (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** Sue Thomas: F.B.I. Eye (S) **11.00** Unforgettable (HD)

12 noon Miss Fisher's Murder Mysteries (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Motive (HD) **2.00** Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD) **4.00** Rizzoli & Isles (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00** **New,** Rush (AD) (HD)

6.00pm Motive 6/13 Series 1 A mortgage broker is found strangled in a car park. (HD)

7.00 Miss Fisher's Murder Mysteries 8/8 Series 3. Phryne and Jack race against the clock to save Baron Fisher. (S) (HD)

8.00 Murdoch Mysteries 17/18 Series 11. Nate Desmond is charged with murder. (S) (HD)

9.00 New, Ms Fisher's Modern RT Murder Mysteries 3/8. Two RT singers are electrocuted while performing on TV. See p93. (HD)

10.00 The Coroner 9/10 Series 1 An ice-cream factory owner is found dead in a freezer. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 New Tricks 1/10 Series 10 The team investigates a 1982 murder in Gibraltar. (S) (AD) (HD)

12.10am Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD) **1.10** Quantico (S) (AD) (HD) **2.15–4.00am** Murdoch Mysteries: double bill (S) (HD)

Alibi +1 Sky 232 Virgin 191



NCIS 9.00pm Bishop and Torres look for evidence

Fox

Sky 124 Virgin 157 **HD** Virgin 199

8.00am Monk (HD) **9.00** Bones (HD) **10.00** Monk (HD) **11.00** NCIS (S) (AD) (HD) **12 noon** Bones: double bill (HD) **2.00pm** The Mentalist (HD)

3.00 NCIS (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** Monk (HD) **5.00** Bones (HD)

6.00pm The Mentalist 22/24

Series 3. Members of the Northern California Symphony Orchestra come under suspicion when a violinist is murdered. (HD)

7.00 NCIS 1/24 Series 14. The team investigates a fellow agent's disappearance in Argentina.

8.00 2/24. NCIS detectives uncover a bomb plot following a death at a Quantico reunion.

9.00 16/24. Jimmy's father-in-law asks him to tamper with evidence from a murder investigation. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 Bull Ep 15 Series 3 The jury consultant gets to work alongside Walter Franklin, a legendary lawyer. (HD)

11.00 American Dad! Series 14 Stan tells the trainees at the academy his boring stories. (HD)

11.30 Roger persuades Stan to run for mayor. (HD)

12 midnight Family Guy 1.00am American Dad! (HD) **2.00** Family Guy **4.00–5.00am** Monk (HD)

Fox +1 Sky 224 Virgin 158



Moonshiners 10.00pm Mark Rogers enjoys his down time

Discovery

Sky 125 Virgin 250 BT 322 **HD** Virgin 251 BT 376

6.00am Mighty Ships (HD) **7.00** Wheeler Dealers (HD) **8.00** Gold Rush (HD) **9.00** Outback Truckers (HD)

11.00 Wheeler Dealers (HD) **12 noon** Baggage Battles (HD) **1.00pm** Combat Dealers (AD) (HD) **2.00** Wheeler Dealers (HD) **3.00** Ed Stafford: Left for Dead (HD) **4.00** Mighty Ships (HD) **5.00** Gold Rush (HD)

6.00pm Fast 'n' Loud Revved Up

Aaron takes on the Pikes Peak International Hill Climb. (AD) (HD)

7.00 Outback Truckers

Turbo has problems with weight, weather and wheel bearings. (HD)

8.00 Alaska: the Last Frontier

After years of procrastination, Otto goes under the knife. (HD)

9.00 New, Tanked The team builds a custom shark tank. (HD)

10.00 New, Moonshiners Kelly's huge sorghum haul puts Mark and Digger's stills to the test. (HD)

11.00 Wheeler Dealers A Dodge SRT-10 – a classic worker's truck with a supercar-engine in it – is in need of some serious work. (HD)

12 midnight Tanked (HD) 1.00am Outback Truckers (HD) **2.00** Moonshiners (HD) **3.00** Tanked (HD) **3.50** Mighty Ships (HD) **4.40** Gold Rush (HD) **5.30–6.00am** How It's Made: external hard drives (HD)

Discovery +1 Sky 225 Virgin 252



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6.00am Peppa Pig: double bill **6.10** Milkshake! Monkey **6.15** Wissper **6.25**

New, Noddy: Toyland Detective **6.40**

Fireman Sam **6.55** Thomas & Friends: Big World! Big Adventures! **7.05** Shane the Chef **7.15** Peppa Pig: double bill

7.35 Top Wing Penny finds pirates while earning her Map Reading Badge

7.55 Paw Patrol **8.05** Digby Dragon: Florence runs away **8.20** Little Princess

8.35 Shimmer and Shine **8.55** Floogals **9.10–9.15am** Sunny Bunnies

CBeebies **202**

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6.00am Something Special **6.20**

Twirlywoos **6.30** Teletubbies **6.50**

TipTo **6.55** Numberblocks **7.00** Bing

7.20 Hey Duggee **7.35** Bitz & Bob

7.45 Peter Rabbit **8.00** Go Jetters

8.10 Octonauts **8.20** Biggleton **8.35**

Justin's House **9.00** Tee and Mo **9.05**

Yakka Dee! **9.15** Alphablocks **9.20** Kit & Pup **9.25** Bing **9.35** Twirlywoos

9.45 Something Special **10.05**

Teletubbies **10.20** Baby Club **10.35**

Patchwork Pals **10.40** Pablo **11.00** Let's Play **11.20**

Ferne and Rory's Vet Tales; My

Petsaurus **11.35** Show Me Show Me

12 noon My World Kitchen **12.10pm**

Old Jack's Boat **12.25** Katie Morag

12.45 Abney & Teal **1.00** Sarah & Duck

1.05 The Furchester Hotel **1.20**

Alphablocks **1.25** Yakka Dee! **1.30**

Numberblocks **1.35** Bing **1.45**

Something Special **2.05** Teletubbies

2.20 Baby Club **2.35** Pablo **2.45** Our

Family **3.00** Catie's Amazing Machines

3.15 Swashbuckle **3.40** Hey Duggee

3.45 TipTo **3.55** Peter Rabbit **4.10**

Andy's Dinosaur Adventures **4.25** Do You Know? **4.40** Bitz & Bob **4.50** Go

Jetters **5.00** Gigglebiz **5.15** Waffle the

Wonder Dog **5.30** Apple Tree House; Our

Family Fun **5.45** New, Moon and Me

6.10pm Clangers **6.20** In the Night

Garden... **6.50–7.00pm** CBeebies

Bedtime Stories

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Sophie's passion project

The Book Thief ★★★ 6.25pm Film4 FREEVIEW

Sophie Nélisse impressed critics as young Liesel in this war drama (review, p43), but we almost didn't get to see her in the role. The Canadian actress is also a keen gymnast, and was in training for the 2016 Rio Olympics when she decided to audition for director Brian Percival "just for fun". Sophie won the part just as Liesel won her heart – and it was goodbye Rio, hello wartime Berlin. "I loved the script and my character so much," explained Nélisse. And her efforts did earn her a gold in the form of a Hollywood Film Award. ELLIE PORTER



Another Scottish tale

Lady Macbeth ★★★★ BBC iPlayer FREE TO VIEW

This isn't Shakespeare's Lady Macbeth but debut director William Oldroyd's stark depiction of a young woman taking control in rural Scotland at the turn of the last century. Based on a Russian novella, the film casts Florence Pugh in her first leading role as a woman trapped in an abusive arranged marriage. We will her to escape, and – spoiler alert! – she does, but via some unthinkable acts. This is daring cinema that will chill you to the bone and leave you rooting for its understandably immoral heroine. KAREN KRIZANOVICH

They'll be back!

The Terminator/ Terminator 2 from 3.35pm Sky Action

The first two *Terminator* films are still the best, thanks to not only Arnold Schwarzenegger as the killer cyborg but also Linda Hamilton as gutsy survivor Sarah Connor. Hamilton recently called the other sequels "forgettable" as she and Arnie prepare to reteam for *Terminator: Dark Fate*. JAMIE HEALY



FREEVIEW

Film4 15

F'view 15 F'sat 300 Sky 313 Virgin 428 **HD** Virgin 429

11.00am King Kong ★★★ Colourful, noisy and fun remake of the classic fantasy adventure. Jessica Lange, Jeff Bridges (1976, PG) (S)

1.40pm Voyage to the Bottom of the Sea ★★★ Entertaining sci-fi adventure. Walter Pidgeon, Joan Fontaine, Barbara Eden (1961, U) (S)

3.50pm McLintock! ★★★ John Wayne and Maureen O'Hara star in this rollicking, if dated, comedy western. (1963, U)

6.25 The Book Thief ★★★ Thoughtful drama in which a girl in Nazi Germany is introduced to the joy of reading. **Film of the day, p43; Choice, left.** Geoffrey Rush, Emily Watson, Sophie Nélisse (2014, 12) (S) (AD)

9.00 Star Trek into Darkness ★★★★ A rogue Starfleet officer (Benedict Cumberbatch) is pursued by Kirk (Chris Pine) and the *Enterprise* crew in this sci-fi sequel. **Choice, p60.** (2013, 12) (S) (AD)

11.35 The Mortal Instruments: City of Bones ★★★ Absorbing if sprawling action fantasy. Lily Collins, Jamie Campbell Bower (2013, 12) (S)

2.10-4.00am Brakes ★★ Zero-budget comedy. Julian Barratt, Noel Fielding (2016, 15) (S)

Film4 +1 F'view 45 (HD only) F'sat 301 Sky 314 Virgin 430

Sony Movie Channel 32

Freeview 32 Freesat 302 Sky 321 Virgin 425

9.00am Sins of the Preacher ★★ Drama. Gail O'Grady (2013) **10.55 Christie's Revenge** ★★ Crime drama. Cynthia Gibb (2007) **1.00pm Cinderella**

5.00 Dragon Wars ★★ Adventure. (2007, 12)

6.45pm Battle Los Angeles ★★★ Alien-invasion movie. Aaron Eckhart, Michelle Rodriguez (2011, 12)

9.00 The King's Speech ★★★★ Moving historical drama. Colin Firth, Helena Bonham Carter, Geoffrey Rush, Guy Pearce, Michael Gambon (2010, 12)

11.30 Meadowland ★★★ Emotionally intense drama. Olivia Wilde, Luke Wilson (2015, 15)

1.20am Equals ★★★ Dystopian sci-fi. Nicholas Hoult (2015, 12) **3.40-5.50am The Freshman** ★★★★ Comedy drama. Marlon Brando (1990, PG)

Sony Movie Channel +1 Sky 322 F'view 50 (10pm-5am)

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Freeview 48 Freesat 305 Sky 323 Virgin 426

6.00am Mighty Joe Young ★★★ Fantasy adventure. Terry Moore (1949, U) **7.50 Seattle Superstorm** ★★ Sci-fi thriller. Esai Morales (2012)

9.35 Collision Course ★★ Disaster movie. Tia Carrere, David Chokachi (2012) **11.25 Hellgate** ★★

Western. Sterling Hayden (1952, PG) **1.15pm Ambush at Tomahawk Gap** ★★ Western adventure. John Hodiak (1953) **2.55 The U-Boat War** **4.10**

Bombers of the Second World War

6.05pm German Military Vehicles

7.15 Jet Stream ★★ Hokey disaster movie. David Chokachi, Ruth Kearney, Steven Hartley (2013, 12)

9.00 Takers ★★★ Fast-paced action drama. Matt Dillon, Paul Walker, Idris Elba (2010, 12)

11.15 Pistol Whipped ★★ Action drama. Steven Seagal (2008, 15) **1.15am Criminal Intent**

★★ Crime thriller. Sebastian Spence, Vanessa Angel (2005) **3.00-4.00am** Allied Armour

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6.00am The Gentle Trap ★ Thriller. Spencer Teakle (1960, PG) (S) **7.10 Johnny Ringo** **7.40**

Night Was Our Friend ★★ Psychological drama. Michael Gough, Elizabeth Sellars (1951, PG) **8.55**

Rock You Sinners ★★ Musical. (1957, U) **10.05**

The Boy Who Stole a Million ★ Comedy. Virgilio Texera (1960, PG) **11.45 The Long Duel** ★★

Period adventure. Yul Brynner, Trevor Howard (1967, PG)

2.00pm The Edgar Wallace Mystery Theatre

3.20 Once a Jolly Swagman ★★ Drama. Dirk Bogarde (1948, U) **5.30 Robin's Nest**

6.00pm Folly to Be Wise ★★★ Comedy starring Alastair Sim. Roland Culver (1952, U)

8.00 A Family at War TV drama.

10.00 Spearhead TV military drama.

11.00 Butch and Sundance: the Early Days ★★★ Comedy western. William Katt (1979, PG)

1.10am The Southern Star ★★★ Adventure. George Segal, Ursula Andress, Orson Welles (1969, PG) **3.20**

Treasure Island ★★★ Adventure. Orson Welles (1972, PG) **5.10-5.50am** Scales of Justice

Premiere

Sky 301 Virgin 431 BT 501 **HD** Virgin 401

6.20am Serenity Special **6.50**

Shazam! Special **7.20** As 2.45pm

9.00 As 4.15pm **10.40** As 6pm

12.45pm As 8pm **2.45 Teen Titans Go! To the Movies** ★★★

Animated adventure. **Choice, p60.** (2018, PG) **4.15 Alpha** ★★★ Thriller.

Choice, p80. Kodi Smit-McPhee (2017, 12)

6.00pm Ant-Man and the Wasp ★★★★

Rip-roaring, fast-paced and funny Marvel adventure. Paul Rudd, Evangeline Lilly (2018, 12)

8.00 Mamma Mia! Here We Go Again ★★★

Energetically performed musical sequel, with more Abba songs. **Choice, p70.** Lily James, Jeremy Irvine, Amanda Seyfried (2018, PG)

10.00 **2 Nove Lune e Mezza**

★★★ Lively and bold Italian comedy. Claudia Gerini, Chiara Mastroianni (2017)

11.50pm The Neighbour ★★

Thriller. William Fichtner (2018, 15) **1.40am**

Samson ★★ Drama. Taylor Kitsch (2018, 15)

3.45 Shazam! Special **4.15 Lu over the Wall** ★★★★ Animation. (2017, PG)

Premiere +1 Sky 312 Virgin 402

Superhero

Sky 303 Virgin 434 BT 508 **HD** Virgin 404

6.40am Wonder Woman ★★

Animated action fantasy. (2009) **8.10**

Justice League: the Flashpoint Paradox **9.45 V for Vendetta** As

5.45pm **12 noon Thor Ragnarok**

As 8pm **2.15pm Black Panther**

As 10.15pm **4.30 Lego Batman: the Movie – DC Super Heroes Unite**

5.45pm V for Vendetta ★★★

Action thriller set in a near-future totalitarian Britain.

Natalie Portman, Hugo Weaving (2005, 15)

8.00 Thor Ragnarok ★★★★

This fabulous Marvel fantasy is played largely for laughs. Chris Hemsworth, Tom Hiddleston, Mark Ruffalo (2017, 12)

10.15 Black Panther ★★★★

Exciting and ground-breaking Marvel adventure. Chadwick Boseman, Andy Serkis, Michael B Jordan, Lupita Nyong'o (2018, 12)

12.30am X-Men Origins: Wolverine ★★ Fantasy. (2009, 12)

2.20 Conan the Barbarian ★★★ Adventure. (1982, 15) **4.30 Batman: Return of the Caped Crusaders**

★★★ Animated adventure. (2016, PG)

Comedy

Sky 307 Virgin 438 BT 506 **HD** Virgin 408

6.10am High Anxiety ★★★ (1977, 15)

7.55 Fun with Dick and Jane ★★ (2005, 12)

9.35 Big Daddy ★★★★ Comedy. (1999, 12) **11.15 10 Things I Hate about You** ★★★★ Romantic comedy. (1999, 12) **1.00pm** As 8pm

2.45 As 9.45pm **4.30 The Little Hours** ★★★ Comedy. Alison Brie (2017, 15)

6.10pm Rough Night ★★★

Party-gone-wrong comedy drama. Scarlett Johansson (2017, 15)

8.00 Super Troopers 2 ★★

Cop comedy. Jay Chandrasekhar, Kevin Heffernan, Brian Cox, Paul Soter (2018, 15)

9.45 Bad Teacher ★★

Outrageous comedy. Cameron Diaz, Justin Timberlake, Jason Segel, Lucy Punch (2011, 15)

11.30 American Pie 2 ★★★

There's another summer of lewd fun in this comedy. Jason Biggs (2001, 15)

1.20am Get Him to the Greek ★★★★ Comedy. Russell Brand, Jonah Hill (2010, 15)

3.15 Joyride ★★★ Action comedy. Dean O'Gorman (2017, 15) **5.05**

Whisky Galore! ★★★ Comedy. Gregor Fisher, Eddie Izzard (2016, PG)

Musicals

Sky 308 Virgin 442 BT 510 **HD** Virgin 412

7.35am The Blues Brothers

★★★★ Musical comedy. John Goodman, Dan Aykroyd (1980, 15) **9.50 Muppets**

Most Wanted As 9.45pm **11.50 Singin' in the Rain** As 11.35pm

1.40pm Pitch Perfect 3 As 8pm **3.25 South Pacific** ★★★ Musical.

Disney

Sky 304 Virgin 435 BT 503 **HD** Virgin 405
6.50am As 3.10pm **8.10** As 4.30pm
9.35 As 6pm **11.35** As 10pm
1.10pm As 8pm **3.10** **Tinker Bell**
 ★★★ Animated fantasy adventure. Mae Whitman, Kristin Chenoweth (2008, U)
4.30 One Hundred and One Dalmatians **5.00** Animated comedy adventure. Rod Taylor (1960, U)

6.00pm **The Incredibles**
 ★★★ Witty animated adventure. Craig T Nelson, Holly Hunter, Samuel L Jackson (2004, U)
8.00 **Christopher Robin** ★★
 Fanciful Winnie the Pooh-inspired adventure. Ewan McGregor, Hayley Atwell, Jim Cummings, Brad Garrett, Toby Jones (2018, PG)
10.00 **The Haunted Mansion** ★★
 Comedy horror. Eddie Murphy (2003, PG)
11.35 **Invincible** ★★
 Sentimental drama based on a true story. Mark Wahlberg (2006, PG)

1.30am **The Hunchback of Notre Dame** ★★★★ Animated musical. Tom Hulce (1996, U) **3.10** **The Hunchback of Notre Dame II** ★★ Animated musical drama. (2002, U) **4.30** **The Santa Clause** ★★★ Fantasy. (1994, U)

Drama

Sky 309 Virgin 440 BT 511 **HD** Virgin 410
6.00am **World Trade Center**
 ★★★ Drama. Nicolas Cage (2006, 12) **8.15** The Top Ten Show **8.30** **Katie Says Goodbye** ★★★ Drama. Olivia Cooke (2016, 15) **10.05** **Honey: Rise Up and Dance** ★★ Drama. (2018) **11.50** **First Reformed** As 8pm **1.55pm** **Roman J Israel, Esq** As 10pm

4.05pm **6 Below** ★★
 Adventure thriller based on a true story. Josh Hartnett, Mira Sorvino (2017, 12)
5.50 Million Dollar Arm ★★★
 Feel-good true-life tale. Jon Hamm, Lake Bell, Suraj Sharma, Madhur Mittal (2014, PG)
8.00 First Reformed ★★★★
 A New York pastor suffers a crisis of faith. Ethan Hawke, Amanda Seyfried (2017, 15)

10.00 Roman J Israel, Esq
 ★★★ Intriguing crime drama. Denzel Washington, Colin Farrell (2017, 12)

12.10am Philadelphia ★★★★
 Drama. Tom Hanks, Denzel Washington (1993, 12)
2.20 A Mighty Heart ★★★★
 Biographical drama. Angelina Jolie (2007, 15)
4.15 Kramer vs Kramer ★★★★
 Drama. Dustin Hoffman, Meryl Streep (1979, PG)

Thriller

Sky 311 Virgin 439 BT 509 **HD** Virgin 409
6.40am **Beast of Burden** ★★
 Crime thriller. (2018, 15) **8.25** **Grosse Pointe Blank** ★★★★ Black comedy drama. John Cusack (1997, 15) **10.25 In Darkness** ★★★ Thriller. Natalie Dormer (2018, 15) **12.20pm** **Ocean's 8** As 9pm **2.25 Ocean's Eleven** ★★★ Crime caper. George Clooney (2001, 12)

4.35pm **Ocean's Twelve** ★★
 Glossy but contrived caper sequel. George Clooney, Brad Pitt (2004, 12)
6.45 Ocean's Thirteen ★★
 Breezy caper sequel. George Clooney, Brad Pitt, Matt Damon, Al Pacino (2007, PG)

9.00 Ocean's 8 ★★★ Solidly fun heist movie. Sandra Bullock, Cate Blanchett, Anne Hathaway (2017, 12)

11.00 All the Money in the World ★★★ Thriller. Mark Wahlberg, Michelle Williams, Christopher Plummer (2017, 15)

1.15am **Inconceivable** ★ Thriller. Nicolas Cage, Nicky Whelan, Gina Gershon (2017, 15)
3.05 Sudden Impact ★★★ Crime thriller. Clint Eastwood (1983, 18)
5.05 Angel Flight Down ★★ Drama. Patricia Kalember, David Charvet (1996)

Family

Sky 305 Virgin 436 BT 505 **HD** Virgin 406
6.35am As 1.20pm **8.25** As 4.40pm **10.10** As 6.20pm **11.50** As 8pm **1.20pm** **Nanny McPhee & the Big Bang** ★★★★ Fantasy. Emma Thompson (2010, U) **3.10** **Surf's Up** ★★★ Animated comedy. Shia LaBeouf (2007, PG) **4.40** **Diary of a Wimpy Kid** ★★ Comedy. Zachary Gordon (2010, PG)

6.20pm **Mr Popper's Penguins** ★★★ Enjoyable comedy. Jim Carrey, Carla Gugino, Madeline Carroll (2011, PG)
8.00 Gulliver's Travels ★★★ Rollicking comedy adventure. Jack Black, Jason Segel, Emily Blunt (2010, PG)
9.30 Big ★★★★ A young boy becomes an adult overnight in this charming comedy. Tom Hanks (1988, 12)
11.20 Mousehunt ★★★★ Energetic comedy. Nathan Lane, Lee Evans, Christopher Walken, Maury Chaykin (1997, PG)

1.10am **Space Jam** ★★★ Part-animated fantasy comedy. Michael Jordan (1997, U) **2.50** **Big** As 9.30pm **4.45** **Surf's Up** As 3.10pm

Sci-Fi/Horror

Sky 310 Virgin 441 BT 507 **HD** Virgin 411
6.00am **King Arthur: Legend of the Sword** **5.00** Period action fantasy. Charlie Hunnam, Jude Law (2016, 12)
8.10 As 3.30pm **9.50** As 5.15pm **11.30** As 7pm **1.30pm** **Rise of the Planet of the Apes** As 9pm **3.30** **Mad Max** ★★★★ Futuristic action adventure. Mel Gibson (1979, 18)

5.15pm **Mad Max 2** ★★★★ Exhilarating action thriller. Mel Gibson, Bruce Spence, Vernon Wells (1981, 18)
7.00 **Mad Max beyond Thunderdome** ★★★ Sci-fi adventure. Mel Gibson, Tina Turner (1985, 15)
9.00 Rise of the Planet of the Apes ★★★★ Breathtaking action adventure. James Franco, Freida Pinto (2011, 12)

11.00 Mandy ★★★ Dizzily stylised and bloody revenge thriller. Nicolas Cage, Andrea Riseborough (2018, 18)

1.15am **Victor Crowley** ★★ Horror. Parry Shen, Kane Hodder (2017, 18)
2.55 Poltergeist ★★★★ Horror. JoBeth Williams, Craig T Nelson (1982, 15)
5.00 Sky Cinema Preview

TCM

Sky 315 Virgin 415 BT 512 **HD** Virgin 416
6.00am **Mr Smith Goes to Washington** **5.00** (1939, U) **8.35** **The Searchers** **5.00** (1956, U)
11.05 Rio Lobo ★★★ Western. (1970, PG) **1.30pm** **Sherlock Holmes in Washington** ★★ Mystery. (1943, U)
3.00 **Sherlock Holmes Faces Death** ★★★ Mystery. (1943, U)

4.25pm **Catlow** ★★ Unpretentious western. Yul Brynner, Richard Crenna, Leonard Nimoy (1971, PG)

6.30 Westward the Women ★★ Unusual western. Robert Taylor, Denise Darcel, Hope Emerson, John McIntire (1951)

9.00 Mechanic: Resurrection ★★ Action crime thriller. Jason Statham, Jessica Alba, Tommy Lee Jones (2016, 15)

11.10 Fire Down Below ★★ A corrupt industrialist poisons a rural water supply. Steven Seagal (1997, 18)

1.20am **North by Northwest** ★★★ Spy thriller. Cary Grant (1959, PG)
4.00 Hollywood's Best Film Directors
5.30 Around the World in 80 Days ★★★ Adventure. (1956, U)
TCM +1 Sky 316 Virgin 417

SPORT Choices



Premier League 7.00pm
Sky Premier League/Main Event Man United's Paul Pogba

Sky Premier League

Sky 402 Virgin 512 **HD** Virgin 502
6.00am Greatest Games **7.00** Premier League Football **8.00** Best Goals **9.00** Premier League Football **10.00** Premier League Years **12 noon** Premier League Football **12.30pm** Legends **1.00** Premier League Years (AD) **3.00** Best Goals **4.00** Greatest Games **5.00** Premier League Football **5.30** Review **6.30** Premier League World **7.00** **LIVE Premier League Football** Manchester United v Manchester City (kick-off **8.00**). **11.00** Premier League Football **12 midnight** Premier League World **12.30am** Premier League Football **1.30** Premier League Years (AD) **3.30** Greatest Games **4.00** Best Goals **5.30-6.00am** 100 Club

BT Sport 1

Sky 413 Virgin 527 BT 408 **HD** BT 430
6.00am Premier League **6.15** Classic Football (AD) **8.15** Premier League **9.00** Scottish Football **9.30** French Football **10.30** **LIVE Tennis** Day three of the WTA Stuttgart Grand Prix. **4.30pm** Scottish Football **5.00** BT Sport Reload **5.30** **LIVE Tennis** WTA Stuttgart. **9.30** Formula E **10.00** Too Good to Go Down (AD) **11.45** Premier League **12.15am** Rugby Union (AD) **1.15** Goals Reload **1.30** Premier League **2.00** Once Brothers (AD) **3.30-5.30am** **LIVE Hockey** New Zealand v Australia, women's action.

BT Sport 2

Sky 414 Virgin 528 BT 409 **HD** BT 431
6.00am Fishing (AD) **7.00** Rugby Union **10.00** Tennis **10.30** **LIVE Tennis** Day three of the WTA Istanbul Cup. **2.30pm** Goals Reload **2.45** Premier League Reload **3.00** **LIVE Tennis** WTA Istanbul. **7.00** Italian Football **7.30** **LIVE Italian Football** AC Milan v Lazio (kick-off **7.45**), Coppa Italia semi-final second leg. **9.45** The Supporters Club **10.00** UFC **1.00am** Boxing **1.30** Classic Boxing **3.30** Non-League Football **4.00-5.00am** Australian Football

Sky Action

Sky 407 Virgin 517 **HD** Virgin 507
6.00am Boxing Gold **7.00** Fishing **7.30** Netball **8.30** Rugby Union **8.40** **LIVE Netball** Steel v Mystics in New Zealand (centre-pass **8.40**). **10.15** Great Sporting Moments **10.30** Sky Sports News **6.00pm** Premier League Best Goals **6.30** Premier League Football **7.00** **LIVE Premier League Football** Manchester United v Manchester City (kick-off **8.00**). **11.00** **LIVE Pool** Day one of the US Open nine-ball tournament. **12.30am** Sky Sports News **1.30** NBA: the Starters **2.00-6.00am** **LIVE Pool** Further coverage of the US Open.

Sky Football

Sky 403 Virgin 513 **HD** Virgin 503
6.00am Football League Greatest Games **7.00** Greatest Players (AD) **8.00** Countdowns **9.00** Football Years **10.00** Football League **11.00** One2Eleven **11.30** Greatest Players (AD) **12 noon** Football League Greatest Games **12.30** SPFL Greatest Games **1.00** Countdowns **2.00** Football Years **3.00** Play-Off Finals **4.00** One2Eleven **4.30** Greatest Players (AD) **5.00** Football League Greatest Games **5.30** SPFL Greatest Games **6.00** Football Years **7.00** Soccer AM (AD) **7.30** Football League: goals round-up **9.00** Championship Season Reviews **11.00** Greatest Players (AD) **12 midnight** Football Years **1.00** Countdowns **2.00** SPFL Greatest Games **2.30** One2Eleven **3.00** Football League **4.00** Football League Greatest Games **4.30** Countdowns **5.00** Greatest Players (AD) **5.30-6.00am** Football Years

Sky Golf

Sky 405 Virgin 515 **HD** Virgin 505
6.00am PGA Tour Profiles **7.00** US Tour Golf **8.00pm** Drive Time USA **3.00** PGA Tour Profiles **4.00** US Tour Golf **5.00** PGA Tour Profiles **6.00** Inside the PGA Tour **6.30** Golfing World **7.00** Feherty Talks to Jack Nicklaus, Rickie Fowler and Bob Bryan **8.00** PGA Tour Champions **9.00** Feherty Talks to Jack Nicklaus, Rickie Fowler and Bob Bryan **10.00** Inside the PGA Tour **10.30** Golfing World **11.00** PGA Tour Champions **12 midnight** Inside the PGA Tour **12.30am** Golfing World **1.00** PGA Tour Champions **2.00** Feherty Talks to Jack Nicklaus, Rickie Fowler and Bob Bryan **3.00** Inside the PGA Tour **3.30** Golfing World **4.00** US Tour Golf **5.00** Inside the PGA Tour **5.30-6.00am** Golfing World

FreeSports

F'view 64 F'sat 252 Sky 422 **HD** Virgin 553
12.25-2.30am **LIVE Major League Soccer** Columbus Crew v DC United (kick-off **12.30**).

Sky Arena

Sky 408 Virgin 518 **HD** Virgin 508
6.00am Greats (AD) **7.00** Wrestling **8.00** Great Moments **9.00** Records **10.00** Greats (AD) **11.00** Super League (AD) **12 noon** Wrestling **12.30pm** Eddie Hemmings: the Voice Of Rugby League **1.15** Super League (AD) **1.30** NBA **2.00** Eddie Hemmings: the Voice Of Rugby League **2.45** Super League (AD) **3.00** Watersports **4.00** NRL Try Time **5.00** **LIVE Pool** The US Open. **9.00** Inside the Huddle **10.00** Wrestling **12 midnight** **LIVE NBA** Coverage of the latest play-off game. **2.45am** Great Moments **3.00** Inside the Huddle **4.00** NBA **4.30** Inside the Huddle **5.00-6.00am** Records

Sky Mix

Sky 121 Virgin 520 **HD** Virgin 510
8.40-10.15am **LIVE Netball** Steel v Mystics, New Zealand Premiership. **9.30pm-1.30am** **LIVE Pool** The US Open nine-ball competition.

2.00-6.00am **LIVE Pool**

Eurosport 1
 Sky 410 Virgin 523 BT 412 **HD** Virgin 521 BT 435
7.30am Cycling **8.30** Snooker **10.00** **LIVE World Snooker** Day five, as the first round continues. **1.00pm** World Snooker **2.30** **LIVE World Snooker** From the Crucible. More at 6.30pm. **5.30** World Snooker **6.30** **LIVE World Snooker** Day five, as the first round continues. **1.00pm** World Snooker **2.30** **LIVE World Snooker** From the Crucible. More at 6.30pm. **5.30** World Snooker **6.30** **LIVE World Snooker** Day five, as the first round continues. **1.00pm** World Snooker **2.30** **LIVE World Snooker** From the Crucible. More at 6.30pm. **5.30** World Snooker **6.30** **LIVE World Snooker** Day five, as the first round continues. **1.00pm** World Snooker **2.30** **LIVE World Snooker** From the Crucible. More at 6.30pm. <b

LIFE-SAVER
Paramedic Pragna and her colleagues at the North West Ambulance Service are back on call



PICK OF THE DAY **Ambulance** 9.00pm BBC1

DOCUMENTARY OF THE WEEK "This is the story behind the sirens," Christopher Eccleston says on the voiceover. And what a story it always is. Once again, this series pulls together some tough, moving television with a selection of cases from the North West Ambulance Service that leave us dumbfounded, slack-jawed and very glad not to be involved.

Tonight's opening case, for instance, involves a cocktail of drugs that sounds like it could fell an elephant – methadone, crack and spice are

involved, plus an energy drink for good measure – as paramedics are diverted from another call to treat an overdose in Manchester city centre.

But the main case features 25-year-old Stacey, whose friend calls from a hotel bedroom. If you've ever felt sceptical about fictional storylines where someone doesn't realise they're pregnant and then is taken by surprise when the baby comes, watch this. Over the phone line we hear Stacey's friend tell her, a little dismissively, "You've got a ginger." **DAVID BUTCHER**

Celebrity Painting Challenge

8.00pm BBC1 (Wales: Friday 8.30pm BBC2)

ART I'll be coy about who makes it to tonight's final for the sake of anyone who hasn't seen last week's episode, but three celebrity painters with very different styles set about creating a work on a subject of their choosing in the Natural History Museum.

One produces a spray of joyous butterflies, while another shows a giraffe emerging from its own skeleton. As always, there's a reluctance to show us how a painting evolves or to let us really take in the finished work. We see plenty of the contestants' banter, and the judges and mentors, but the thing whoever edits this seems least interested in is... painting. **DAVID BUTCHER**

Pose

9.00pm BBC2

DRAMA Pose is all for creating opportunities and this sixth episode is the first time a transwoman of colour has been credited as writer, producer and director on a TV series. Janet Mock is a leading light in the trans sphere, but here delivers the most tonally uneven instalment so far. Several key scenes fall flat, while others sing – literally. Venting his vast experience on Broadway, Billy Porter is outstanding as Pray Tell, who puts on a cabaret for the dying, but this only leaves MJ Rodriguez as Blanca looking blander than ever.

Stay alert for a muted cameo from the fabulous Sandra Bernhard as a not-quite-Nurse-Ratched struggling on an underfunded Aids ward.

PATRICK MULKERN

Jill Dando: the 20 Year Mystery

9.00pm ITV

DOCUMENTARY BBC1's recent Jill Dando documentary did not feature an interview with Barry George, the man who had his conviction for her murder overturned after spending eight years in prison. The BBC argued that he wasn't needed in order to tell the story, but ITV's take on the unsolved crime certainly benefits from having him present.

"I knew I hadn't done it," he says here. "My conscience was clear." His sister Michelle also appears, saying that the siblings, like Dando's family, want to see the gunman caught. The programme follows the evidence trail to Serbia and the theory that Dando may have been the victim of a revenge killing. **DAVID BROWN**

Grand Designs: the Street

9.00pm C4

PROPERTY Most of us can just about assemble a bit of flatpack furniture, but Chris and Roxie, the youngest self-builders on the Bicester project, are making a whole house out of 380 plywood boxes screwed together.

It's a bold, experimental plan: the system has never been used like this before, and progress is stressful. Once again, the pressure on a relationship that seemed concrete causes cracks to show.

Meanwhile, Peter and Anita, currently living in a cramped semi, hope to build a home more suited to their family's needs – and become mortgage-free in the process. Both homes look terrific in the end.

JANE RACKHAM

Linear plotlines have fallen out of fashion on TV. These days, it's all "three months earlier" or "six minutes later".

Flashforwards, flashbacks, jumps sideways, the same scene from the viewpoint of another character... Such narrative trickery can add depth to a drama. Sometimes, though, it's as if the director dropped the script on the floor, panicked, gathered up the pages in a random order and then shot it.

So it's with some trepidation that I greet the prospect of **Emmerdale**

David Jason: Planes, Trains and Automobiles

9.00pm **Gold**

DOCUMENTARY Who would ever imagine that Del Boy would make it to Hollywood? Well, at least David Jason does. On the final leg of his American journey he attends stunt-car driving school. And to his evident delight, it turns out that he's pretty good at it, doing 180-degree spins and smoking-wheel getaways with a huge grin on his face throughout.

The smile stays put when he gets a taste of luxury executive jet travel, too. The plane may not take off, but his PR host has the wonderful name of Julie Necessary.

Jason has clearly had a ball on this trip and isn't even fazed when he learns he's only known in the States as the voice of Danger Mouse. **JR**

Happy Birthday OU: 50 Years of the Open University

9.00pm **BBC4**

DOCUMENTARY A whole generation caught the outrageously dressed lecturers of the OU pointing at dizzyingly complex equations and the like on BBC2. When the tutorials were first filmed, the presenters thought they'd be broadcast for a maximum of three years, but the prohibitive cost of re-shooting them meant that we paid repeat visits long after the tutors' wide ties went out of fashion.

Not that this was a problem for the millions of students who benefited from Harold Wilson's idea of a "University of the Air". One of those to graduate was Sir Lenny Henry, who's on hand here to cheerily trace the evolution of the OU from those rudimentary dead-of-night original transmissions through to more recent landmark series such as *Blue Planet II*. **DAVID BROWN**

TODAY IN SOAPLAND



(7.00pm, 8.00pm **ITV**) telling a tale in two parts, a fortnight apart. Part one unfolds tonight as a group heads to Hotten for a big night out that results in one of the revellers catching groover Maya (played by Louisa Clein, pictured) with Jacob. But for the full story, you'll have to wait two weeks, when the soap will spool back to reveal the details about what happened on this fateful trip into town. Here's hoping the pay-off is worth the wait and not merely a gimmicky stunt. **DAVID BROWN**

Lee and Dean

10.00pm **C4**

SITCOM The complex nature of Lee and Dean's relationship comes to the fore this week as the pair attend an awards ceremony and trade show for the Home Counties. Builder Greg takes a shine to Dean at his "Construction Solution's" stall, setting in motion misunderstandings and petty jealousies between him and Lee. As ever in this show, it's as much about what's not said as what is.

When Lee gives Dean an exquisite bark-rubbing kit, there's a tender moment as Dean tells him: "I'm really enjoying this. I'm really having a nice time..." And although you want them to run off into the woods for their happy ever after, it doesn't happen, of course. That would spoil the tension – and the magic. **FRANCES TAYLOR**

Berlin Station

10.05pm **More4**

DRAMA You realise how grey and oppressive Berlin can be when the action in this classy Euro spy drama switches to a glorious and sunny *finca* in Andalusia.

This country house is where "retired" CIA agent Hector DeJean (Rhys Ifans) has disappeared to, and where, like Michael Corleone in *The Godfather Part III*, he thought he was out, but is about to be pulled back in to service by his former colleague Daniel Miller (Richard Armitage).

Daniel's trying to get close to a far-right German bully boy, and needs Hector's help. So over copious bottles of wine – and a very tense fruit salad – can the pair lure in their prey? It all looks gorgeous, and Ifans is on fabulous form. **GILL CRAWFORD**

DISCOVER TV

The best of streaming and catch-up



Don McCullin: Looking for England

iPlayer (expires today)

The veteran warzone photographer visits the East End of London, Bradford, Consett, Eastbourne and Scarborough, among other places, setting out to create a definitive portrait of his home nation in the present day. He takes in his fair share of glorious eccentrics but finds himself drawn to the very many people struggling on the margins, too.

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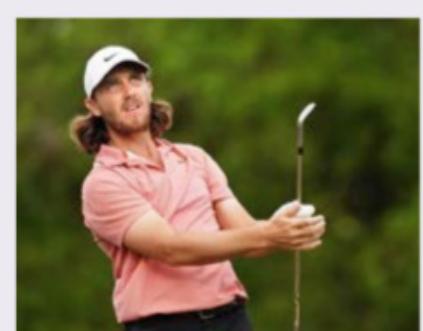
Noddy: Toyland Detective

6.25am **Channel 5, My5**

What sort of idiot would spread glue all over the platform at Toy Green station? Noddy investigates.

JACK SEALE

BEST LIVE SPORT



■ **US Tour Golf: Classic of New Orleans, day one** 1.30pm, 6.30pm **Sky Golf**; 1.30pm, 10pm **Main Event** Tommy Fleetwood of England partners Sergio García in this event for two-man teams.

■ **Tennis: WTA Stuttgart Grand Prix, day four** 10.30am, 5.30pm **BT Sport 1** Indoor clay action.

■ **World Snooker 1pm** **BBC2/BBC red button**; **7pm BBC red button** 1pm, 6.30pm **Eurosport 1**

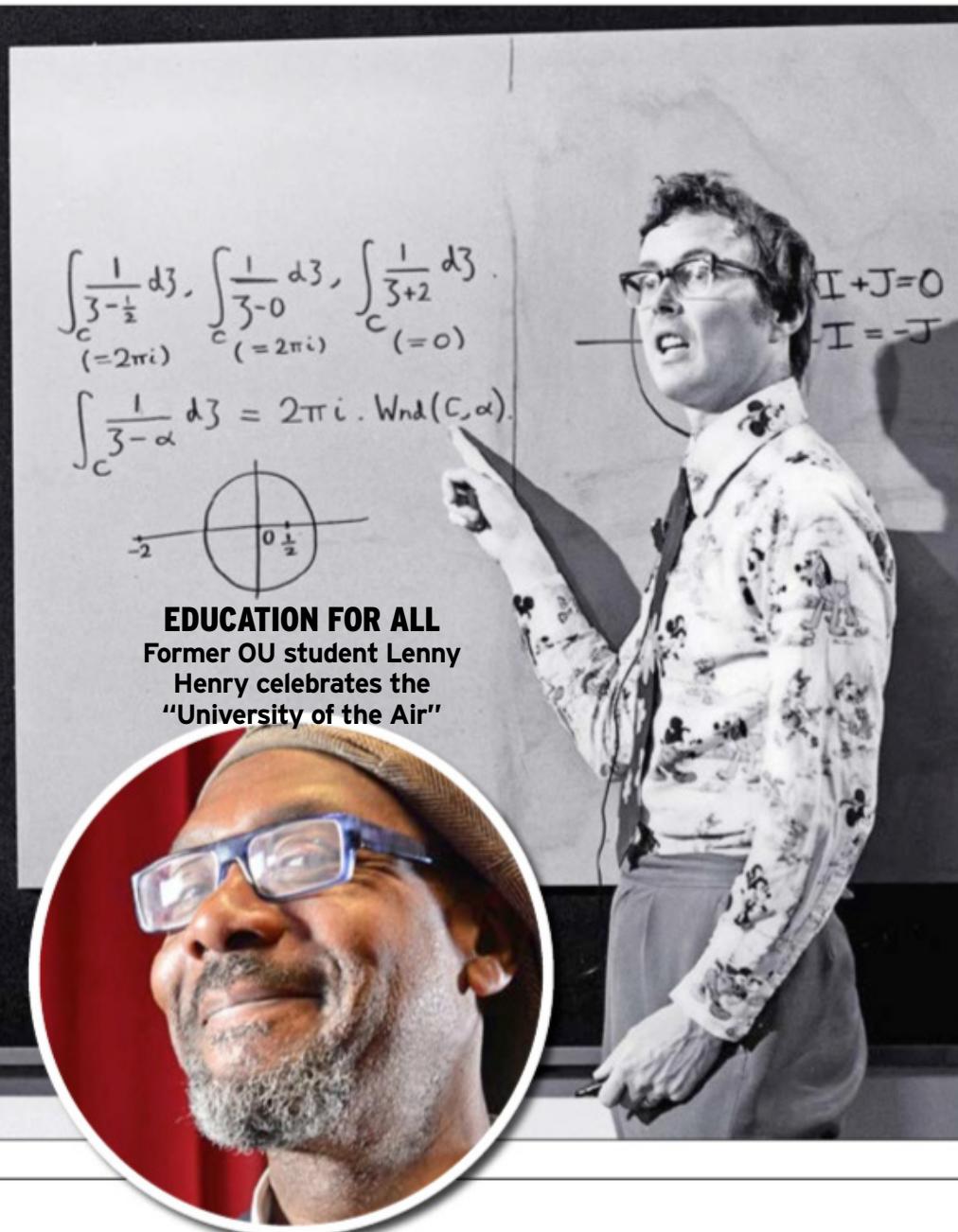
FILM OF THE DAY

The Woman in Black

11.00pm **Horror Channel**

Daniel Radcliffe gets seriously spooked in a creepy if cliché-ridden Gothic horror.

See page 45



THURSDAY Main Channels

DAYTIME

BBC1

6.00am Breakfast Naga Munchetty, Charlie Stayt. (S) (HD)

9.15 Health: Truth or Scare Kevin Duala investigates fears about hormone replacement therapy. (S) (HD)

10.00 Homes under the Hammer A house in Carshalton, south London, a retail unit in Merseyside, and a dated flat in Rhondda Cynon Taf. (S) (HD)

11.00 The Customer Is Always Right Testing a lightweight drinks tray, a DIY kit for making natural beauty products and a pain-relief device. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.45 Close Calls: on Camera A woman is trapped in her loft conversion while a fire rages below. (R) (S) (HD)

12.15pm Bargain Hunt Two teams compete in Oswestry, Shropshire. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

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

1.45 Impossible Eighteen contestants try to avoid the impossible answer and win the £10,000 prize. (S) (HD)

2.30 Escape to the Country Nicki Chapman is in Cornwall on a £750,000 property search. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

3.15 Money for Nothing Sarah Moore transforms and sells things about to be dumped at a tip. (Revised rpt) (S) (HD)

3.45 Home Is Where the Art Is Three artists compete to create a piece to celebrate a couple's ruby anniversary. Repeated tomorrow 7.15am BBC2 (S) (AD) (HD)

4.30-5.15 The Repair Shop The team restores three family heirlooms – a quirky train set, a sailor's trinket box and a doll. Repeated tomorrow 6.30am BBC2 (S) (HD)

BBC2

6.30am The Repair Shop Restoring a bass guitar that topped the charts. Shown yesterday 4.30pm BBC1 (S) (HD)

7.15 Home Is Where the Art Is Artists create pieces for clients in Manchester. Shown Wed 3.45pm BBC1 (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00-9.00 Sign Zone Florida: America's Animal Paradise *Natural World* explores the dangers facing wildlife of the US state, including natural disasters. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 BBC News (S) (HD)

10.00 Victoria Derbyshire Current affairs. (S) (HD)

11.00 BBC Newsroom Live (S) (HD)

12.15pm Politics Live With Andrew Neil. (S) (HD)

1.00-6.00 LIVE World Snooker The afternoon session on day six of the World Championship, featuring the conclusion of Jack Lisowski's first-round match, and the start of a second-round contest. Coverage from a choice of tables on the red button and at bbc.co.uk/sport continues until 11pm. (S) (HD)

ITV

6.00am Good Morning Britain (S) (HD)

8.30 Lorraine Star guests and fashion news. (S) (HD)

9.25 The Jeremy Kyle Show Families at war. (S) (HD)

10.30 This Morning Including **Regional Weather** (S) (HD)

12.30pm Loose Women Lunchtime chat. (S) (HD)

1.30 ITV Lunchtime News Regional News; Weather (S) (HD)

2.00 Judge Rinder Cases in a studio court. (S) (HD)

3.00 Tenable Doctor Who fans from Liverpool compete in the quiz. (R) (S) (HD) Followed by **Regional Weather**

4.00-5.00 Tipping Point Game show. (S) (HD)

Channel 4

6.25am Cheers Triple bill of the comedy. (R) (S) (HD)

7.50 Frasier Three episodes of the US sitcom. (R) (S)

9.10 Everybody Loves Raymond Double bill. (R) (S) (AD)

10.10 Ramsay's Hotel Hell Gordon Ramsay continues to help a West Virginia hotelier. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

11.05 Car SOS Tim Shaw and Fuzz Townshend team up with former Monte Carlo Rally winner Paddy Hopkirk to fix up a 1989 Peugeot 205 GTi, the first rally car they have ever worked on. (R) (S) (AD) (HD) **12 noon News** (S) (HD)

12.05pm Couples Come Dine with Me Three couples compete in the West Midlands. (R) (S) (HD)

1.05 Escape to the Château: DIY Tim and Margreeth prepare for Easter, when their chateau will host 30 guests. But kitchen problems soon arise. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

2.10 Countdown With Colin Murray. (S) (HD)

3.00 A Place in the Sun Friends Julie and Jan look for a property on the island of Lanzarote. (R) (S) (HD)

4.00-5.00 A New Life in the Sun Two bike lovers open a motocross-themed B&B, and a Liverpool mum has dreams of running her own café bar. In France, gîte owners launch catered weekends. (S) (HD)

BBC1

Ambulance

9.00pm Jon is concerned when he attends a woman who's given birth unexpectedly



5.15pm Pointless

Quiz presented by Alexander Armstrong. (S) (HD)

6.00 BBC News Weather

6.30 Regional news magazines

Followed by **Party Election Broadcast**
By the Green Party. (S) (HD)

7.00 The One Show

Presented by Matt Baker and Alex Jones. (S) (HD)

7.30 EastEnders

Sharon makes a shocking discovery that threatens to tear the Mitchell family apart.

Sharon Mitchell	Letitia Dean	Kim Fox-Hubbard	Tameka Empson
Jean Slater	Gillian Wright	Billy Mitchell	Perry Fenwick
Stacey Fowler	Lacey Turner	Rainie Branning	Tanya Franks
Bex Fowler	Jasmine Armfield	Robbie Jackson	Dean Gaffney
Honey Mitchell	Emma Barton	Kush Kazemi	Davood Ghadami
Jay Brown	Jamie Borthwick	Mitch Baker	Roger Griffiths
Ben Mitchell	Max Bowden	Lola Pearce	Danielle Harold
Tina Carter	Luisa Bradshaw-White	Shirley Carter	Linda Henry
Linda Carter	Kellie Bright	Hayley Slater	Katie Jarvis
Dot Branning	June Brown	Mariam Ahmed	Indira Joshi
Martin Fowler	James Bye	Louise Mitchell	Tilly Keeper
Sonia Fowler	Natalie Cassidy	Ruby Allen	Louisa Lytton
Stuart Highway	Ricky Champ	Jack Branning	Scott Maslen
Callum "Halfway" Highway	Tony Clay	Phil Mitchell	Steve McFadden
Midge	Tom Colley	Whitney Dean	Shona McGarty
Danny Hardcastle	Paul Usher	Keegan Baker	Zack Morris
Iqra Ahmed	Priya Davdra	Mo Harris	Laila Morse
Mick Carter	Danny Dyer	Habiba Ahmed	Rukku Nahar

Writer Mark Catley. This week's episodes directed by Clive Arnold
More cast Friday (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Celebrity Painting Challenge

RT 4/4. The three celebrity finalists face their most exacting tasks yet. First they must depict *Strictly* dancers Flavia and Vincent performing the tango. Their last challenge takes them to the Natural History Museum where they may choose their own subject matter and work through the night in situ before returning to the studio to complete their paintings. All six contestants then return to put their work into a charity auction, before judges Daphne Todd and Lachlan Goudie announce the winner. **See p102.**
Director Justin Lennox-Bradley; Series producer Louisa Gray (S) (AD) (HD)

DOCUMENTARY OF THE WEEK

9.00 Ambulance

RT Series 4. The Bafta-winning series about the North West Ambulance Service tackles a Saturday night shift. Crewmates Danny and Ben start theirs in the street administering medication to a patient in the hope of reversing the effects of a cocktail of drugs. Soon after, advanced paramedic Jon is called to a hotel where a woman has just given birth unexpectedly and may have a potentially life-threatening blood clot. Back at control, the start of the day shift sees no let up in the pressure. **See page 102.**
Director Daniel Nightingale; Producers Jemma Gande, Becky Houlihan and Daniel Nightingale (S) (HD)

10.00 BBC News Regional News; Weather

10.35 Question Time

Fiona Bruce chairs the debate from Nottingham, as a panel of politicians and other guests face topical questions from the audience. The discussion continues on *Question Time Extra Time* on Radio 5 Live. Director Rob Hopkin; Executive producer Nicolai Gentchev (S) (HD)
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11.35 This Week

Andrew Neil introduces a round-table chat. Editor Penny Davies; Executive editor Rob Burley
Repeated tomorrow 10.15pm BBC Parliament (S) (HD)

12.20am Weather for the Week Ahead

12.25-6.00am BBC News

(S) (HD)

BBC1 Freeview 1 Freesat 101 Sky 101 Virgin 101

HD Freeview 101 Freesat 106 Sky 115 Virgin 108

BBC2

Pose

9.00pm How will Blanca respond to the persistent attentions of her latest admirer?



6.00pm Eggheads

Jeremy Vine hosts the quiz show. (S) (HD)

6.30 Island Medics

Ep 9 Series 2. Following those who provide medical care to the Shetland Islands' residents at the Gilbert Bain Hospital in Lerwick. (Revised rpt) (S) (HD)

7.00 MOTD: the Premier League Show

Magazine programme featuring news and action from the Premier League, plus interviews with the country's biggest football stars. With Gabby Logan. Editor Andy Fraser (S) (HD)

1 RED BUTTON 7.00-11.00 World Snooker

Live coverage of the World Championship from the Crucible Theatre in Sheffield. Also available at bbc.co.uk/sport

7.30 Pubs, Ponds and Power: the Story of the Village

Archaeologist Ben Robinson unlocks the roots of the village of Warkworth in Northumberland. He unearths clues pointing back almost 1,000 years to the Norman conquest and learns how the invaders laid the foundations of a planned community. Producer Chris Jackson; Series producer Diana Hare Previously shown on BBC4 (S) (HD)

8.00 Great British Menu

The South West chefs serve up their music-themed mains and desserts to veteran Daniel Clifford, aiming to secure a place at Friday's judges' chamber. Emily Scott's David Bowie-inspired dish celebrates Britain's food heroes and uses Cornish duck meat from her local producer. The Police are Joe Baker's inspiration for his dessert *Message in a Bottle*, which includes fennel pollen meringue, and Lee Smith hopes to impress with the complexity of his Beatles-inspired *Strawberry Fields* dish. Continues tomorrow 8pm. Director Francois Gandolfi Series producers Avril Beaven and Perjeet Aujla (S) (HD)

9.00 Pose

RT 6/8. Something is troubling Pray Tell and his friends are determined to find out what. Patty comes face to face with Angel, and Blanca is chatted up by a persistent admirer. Actress and comedian Sandra Bernhard makes a guest appearance in the US drama set in 1980s New York. **See p102.** (S) (AD) (HD)

The entire series is available now on iPlayer.

Blanca Rodriguez	Mj Rodriguez	Candy	Angelica Ross
Elektra Abundance	Dominique Jackson	Lil Papi	Angel Bismark Curiel
Pray Tell	Billy Porter	Matt Bromley	James Van Der Beek
Stan Bowes	Evan Peters	Helena St Rogers	Charlayne Woodward
Angel	Indya Moore	Patty Bowes	Kate Mara
Damon Richards	Ryan Jamaal Swain	Judy Kubrak	Sandra Bernhard
Lulu	Hailie Sahar		

9.50 Strike a Pose!

A selection of 1980s songs which inspired the hit drama, featuring acts and anthems of the ballroom scene. (S) (HD)

10.00 Frankie Boyle's New World Order

5/7. The comedian dissects the week's news using stand-up, review and debate, with contributions from regular panellists Miles Jupp and Sara Pascoe. Director Barbara Wiltshire; Series producer Christopher Barbour (S) (HD)

10.30 Newsnight

With Kirsty Wark. (S) (HD)

11.10 Weather

(S) (HD)

11.15 World Snooker

Highlights of first and second-round matches. (S) (HD)

12.05am World Snooker Extra

Extended highlights. (S) (HD)

2.05-3.50am Sign Zone 2.05 A House through Time

1/4. David Olusoga charts history through the successive inhabitants of a house in Newcastle. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

3.05 Murder, Mystery and My Family

The barristers investigate a case of poisoning in 1907. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

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ITV

Jill Dando: the 20 Year Mystery
9.00pm Julie Etchingham delves into the unresolved case

**5.00pm The Chase**

Nick, Anne, Emily and Lawrence try to outrun today's Chaser. Bradley Walsh hosts. (S) (HD)

6.00 Regional News Weather (S) (HD)**6.25 Party Election Broadcast**

By the Green Party. (S) (HD)

6.30 ITV Evening News Weather (S) (HD)**7.00 Emmerdale**

Jessie demands answers, Pete is bemused by a surprising decision and Jacob shares his plans.

Jessie Dingle	Sandra Marvin	David Metcalfe	Matthew Wolfenden
Pete Barton	Anthony Quinlan	Jai Sharma	Christopher Bisson
Kerry Wyatt	Laura Norton	Amy Wyatt	Natalie Ann Jamieson
Billy Fletcher	Jay Kontzle	Laurel Thomas	Charlotte Bellamy
Ellis Chapman	Asan N'Jie	Diane Sugden	Elizabeth Estense
Aiesha Richards	Shila Iqbal	Bear Wolf	Joshua Richards
Debbie Dingle	Charley Webb	John	Matt Mainwaring
April Windsor	Amelia Flanagan	Lee	Kris Mochrie
Bernice Blackstock	Samantha Giles	Bouncer	Robert Stone
Dan Spencer	Liam Fox	Doorman	Karl Stimpson

Writer Paul Roundell More cast Tuesday
Repeated tomorrow 8am and 12.10pm ITV2 (S) (AD) (HD)

Today in Soapland: page 103**7.30 Knife Crime and Me: Tonight**

Last month ITV weather presenter Alex Beresford intervened in an on-screen debate about knife crime. Ten days later, his cousin was stabbed to death. Here he tries to identify the causes of – and potential solutions to – the violence.

Producer Jim Booth Repeated 3am (S) (HD)
NOTE: as *Tonight* reacts to the news its subject matter may change

8.00 Emmerdale

Kerry manages to cause chaos, a furious Maya lashes out and Ellis taunts Billy over his actions.

Writer Paul Roundell
Repeated tomorrow 8.25am and 12.40pm ITV2 (S) (AD) (HD)

8.30 Martin Clunes: My Travels and Other Animals

2/12. Animals at Work. The actor recalls working animals he has met on his travels, including macaque monkeys collecting coconuts in South East Asia and cormorants used to fish in Japan.

Director/Series producer Emma Slack (S) (AD) (HD)

RT TRAVEL Take a tour of Japan – 12 nights from just £3,299pp – visit radiotimes.com/japan to find out more

9.00 Jill Dando: the 20 Year Mystery

RT Julie Etchingham revisits the murder of the TV presenter, who was shot on her doorstep in April 1999. Etchingham reveals the theories and leads that have failed to produce a result for the police over the course of two decades – and interviews Barry George, who was wrongfully convicted of the crime, his sister Michelle, and one of Jill Dando's close friends. **See page 102.**

Director/Producer Tom Stone (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 ITV News at Ten

Weather; Regional News and Weather (S) (HD)

10.45 Regional News Magazines

Political stories affecting the region. (S)

11.10 The Jonathan Ross Show

With guests Kiefer Sutherland, Winnie Harlow, Emily Maitlis and Olly Murs. **See choice, p53.**

Shown Saturday 9.20pm (S) (HD)

12.10am Tenable Quiz with Warwick Davis. (R) (S) (HD)

1.05 Jackpot247 Interactive gaming. (HD)

3.00 Knife Crime and Me: Tonight Alex Beresford investigates the causes of knife crime. Shown 7.30pm (HD)

3.25 Nightscreen Text information. (HD)

5.05–6.00am The Jeremy Kyle Show (R) (S) (SL) (HD)

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Channel 4

Lee and Dean

10.00pm The duo find themselves thrust into the limelight at an awards shindig

**5.00pm Four in a Bed**

Steve and Tracy welcome their rivals to their homely B&B in Poole, Dorset. (S) (HD)

5.30 Extreme Chocolate Makers

The Lord Mayor of York commissions Ashley McCarthy to build confectionery replicas of the city's most famous buildings. (S) (HD)

6.00 The Simpsons

Rome-old and Juli-eh. Grampa is forced to move out of the nursing home. (R) (S) (AD)

6.30 Hollyoaks

A family outing takes a dark turn.

Writer David Beton Cast Tuesday/Friday 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 Naked Beach**

Ep 3. Helen, Steven and Mike head to a sunny Greek retreat with the aim of reassessing their sense of their own bodies, with help from experts Dr Keon West and Natasha Devon, and a group of unclothed, body-confident hosts.

Executive producers Lucy Golding and Rosie Bray

Repeated tomorrow 1.15am 4seven (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Grand Designs: the Street

RT 4/6. This week, the focus is on 25-year-olds Chris and Roxie, who are taking a risk building their first home together using a flatpack construction system comprising 380 plywood boxes, and Peter and Anita, who live locally but have outgrown their current home. Before long, both sets of self-builders find themselves unprepared for the stresses involved. **See p102.**

Series producer Rob Gill; Executive producer John Comerford

Repeated 3.55am 4seven (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 Lee and Dean

RT 3/6 Series 2. The lads are nominated for an award at a prestigious trade show, where they are made offers they cannot refuse, while Mrs Bryce-D'Souza receives shocking news. **See p103.**

The entire series is available online on All 4 and also continues next week on Channel 4.

Lee	Miles Chapman	Mick	Mark Sharp
Dean	Mark O'Sullivan	Tomasz	Greg Kolpakchi
Nikki	Camilie Ucan	Dani	Cariad Lloyd
Mrs Bryce-D'Souza	Anna Morris	Steph	Zoë Watkins
Little Dean	Sam Underwood	Jason	Tom Bennett
Sheets	Sean Miller	Greg	Felix Scott
Nightmare	Eoin McSorley	Sarah Beeny	Herself

Writers Mark O'Sullivan, Miles Chapman and Sam Underwood

Director Mark O'Sullivan; Producers Martyn Jolly and Tom Miller

Signed repeat tomorrow 3.15am (S) (AD) (HD)

10.30 999: What's Your Emergency?

South Western Ambulance Service takes a 999 call reporting the stabbing of two people.

Shown Monday 9pm (S) (AD) (HD)

11.30 Gogglebox

Ep 9. Opinions on the week's TV programmes. First shown last Friday (S) (AD) (HD)

12.35am Joe Lycett's Got Your Back 2/6

Sub-par hotel rooms. Shown last Friday (S) (AD) (HD)

1.00 Ramsay's 24 Hours to Hell and Back Ep 1

Series 2. Gordon Ramsay revamps the Trolley Stop Café, a cajun-inspired restaurant in New Orleans. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

1.50 Undercover Boss Australia

Executives from the Hog's Breath Café chain go back to the floor. (R) (S)

2.40 Coast vs Country

A fashion industry worker and her mother seek a holiday home in Essex. (R) (S) (HD)

3.35 French Collection

In Nice. (R) (S) (HD)

4.30 All Star Driving School

Francis Boulle nearly runs over a pedestrian on his mock test. First shown on E4 (S) (HD)

4.55 The £100k Drop

Quiz show. (R) (S) (HD)

5.50–6.25am Countdown

With Colin Murray. (R) (S) (HD)

Channel 4

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BBC4

Fifty Years of the Open University

9.00pm OU alumnus Lenny Henry looks back

**7.00pm Beyond 100 Days** (S) (HD)

Followed by **Weather** (S) (HD)

7.30 Top of the Pops 1987

Gary Davies hosts the 27 August edition, featuring Then Jerico, the Pet Shop Boys with Dusty Springfield, Wet Wet Wet, Black, T'Pau, Rick Astley, and Prince and Sheena Easton. Repeated 12 midnight (R) (S)

8.00 A History of Ancient Britain

4/4. Age of Bronze. Neil Oliver explores how the Stone Age came to an end with the introduction of metal technology and how, with rich deposits of copper and tin, Britain soon found itself at the forefront of Bronze Age Europe. This critical leap forward brought with it a new culture, ushering in an age of social mobility, international trade and village life – but it also gave rise to the sword. Series producer Cameron Balbirnie; Exec producer Eamon Hardy Repeated 2am (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Happy Birthday OU: 50 Years of the Open University

RT In five decades the Open University has educated more than 2 million students, including Sir Lenny Henry who presents this celebration. The OU's innovative history is charted, with archive footage and interviews with graduates, observers and academics, from Harold Wilson's idea of a "University of the Air" through late-night black-and-white TV programmes to landmark series such as *Blue Planet II* and current work with space research. **See page 103.**

Producer Paul Baker (S) (HD)

10.00 The Fantastic Mr Feynman

Twenty-five years after his death, Richard Feynman is still regarded as one of the most influential, inspiring and iconic scientists of the 20th century. He helped design the atomic bomb, helped solve the mystery of the *Challenger* shuttle catastrophe and won a Nobel Prize. Now, in his own words and those of his friends and family, we hear the full story of a man who was also one of science's most captivating communicators.

Director/Producer Christopher Riley

Signed repeat 3am (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.

Producer Graham Russell; Series producer Graeme Thomson (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

12 midnight Top of the Pops 1987

With Then Jerico and Wet Wet Wet. Shown 7.30pm (S)

12.30am Treasures of the Louvre

The history of the art museum. (R) (S) (HD)

2.00 A History of Ancient Britain

The Bronze Age. Shown 8pm (S) (AD) (HD)

3.00–4.00am The Fantastic Mr Feynman

Shown 10pm (S) (SL) (AD)

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Regional variations

BBC1 SCOTLAND

6.30–7.00pm Reporting Scotland

BBC SCOTLAND

As BBC2 until:

12 noon–1.00pm First Minister's Questions

7.00 Sportscene Live: Celtic v Rangers, the Youth Cup final (kick-off 7.05)

9.00 The Nine 10

THURSDAY Freeview

Channel 5



Shop Smart, Save Money: Springtime Savings 8.00pm Alexis and Gaby

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6.00am Milkshake! See page 109
9.15 New. Jeremy Vine (S) (HD)
11.15 Traffic Cops A suspected stolen car fitted with cloned number plates crashes. (S) (HD) **12.10pm 5 News** (S) (HD)
12.15 Can't Pay? We'll Take It Away A jeweller lashes out at Garry in Birmingham. (S) (HD) **1.10 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 Deadly Vows ★★ Crime drama with Brittany Underwood. Helena has a decidedly ruthless way of getting rid of men who don't meet her high standards. Director Fred Olen Ray (2017) (S) (W) (HD)

4.00 Friends Ross opens his heart. (S) (HD)
4.30 Rachel's date ends in disaster. (S) (HD)

5.00pm 5 News (S) (HD)

5.30 Neighbours

Finn tries to build bridges. Shown 1.45pm Repeated 6pm 5 Star (S) (AD) (HD)

6.00 Home and Away

Raffy turns down Mason's idea. 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**

Alan visits Mount Stewart on the shores of Strangford Lough in Northern Ireland. The property has recently undergone an £8 million restoration, which has brought its gardens back to their best. (S) (HD)

Followed by **5 News Update** (S) (HD)

8.00 New. Shop Smart, Save Money: Springtime Savings

2/8 Series 3. Gaby Roslin and Alexis Conran have a selection of tips for doing up the house without breaking the bank. Directors/Producers Andrew Painten and Jason Beresford (S) (HD)

Followed by **5 News Update** (S) (HD)

9.00 New. The Gypsies Next Door

2/4. Following travellers' constant struggle to live side by side with settled communities, asking whether the two can ever learn to co-exist. (S) (HD)

10.00 BIG Age Gap Love: Bride 23, Groom 68

Including a young woman who fell in love with her own mother's ex-husband. Director/Producer Vanessa Williams (S) (HD)

11.05 Benefits Britain: Life on the Dole

Teenager Rebecca is expecting her first child and is one of four children her foster mother has raised on benefits. (S) (HD)

12.05am In Therapy: Danniella Westbrook (S) (HD) **1.00 Home Shopping** (S) (HD) **3.00 Access** (S) (HD) **3.10 Traffic Cops** (S) (HD) **4.00 My Mum's Hotter than Mel** (S) (SL) (HD) **4.45 House Doctor** (S) (SL) **5.10 Divine Designs** (S) (SL) **5.35-6.00am Wildlife SOS** (S) (SL)

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ITV2

The Ellen DeGeneres Show 1.40pm
The host welcomes more star guests

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6.00am The Planet's Funniest Animals (S) **6.20** Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records (S) (HD) **7.10** You've Been Framed! Gold (S) **8.00**

Emmerdale (S) (AD) (HD) **8.25** Coronation Street (S) (AD) (HD) **9.25** The Ellen DeGeneres Show (S) (HD) **10.20** Superstore (S) (AD) (HD)

11.10 You've Been Framed! Gold (S)

12.10pm Emmerdale Shown yesterday 7pm ITV (S) (AD) (HD) **12.40** Coronation Street Shown yesterday 7.30/8.30pm ITV (S) (AD) (HD) **1.40**

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

A cat has an accident with a DVD player. (S) **7.30** A boy falls foul of a goose. (S)

8.00 You've Been Framed and Famous! Gold

Harry Hill narrates a comical selection of mishaps filmed by viewers. (S)

9.00 Family Guy

Series 6. Peter tells a story spoofing Star Wars during a blackout. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.30 As the blackout continues, Peter presses on with his tale. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 New. Celebrity Juice

Guest team captain Emilia Fox and Paddy McGuinness go head to head, with the help of panellists including Angela Scanlon and Stacey Solomon. (S) (HD)

10.50 Family Guy

Series 5. Chris discovers rival paper boy Kyle has stolen one of his customers – so Peter beats him up. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.15 American Dad!

Series 11. Everyone loves the new Jeff when he turns up at the Smith house. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.40 Francine refuses to cook for Steve after he swears at her. (S) (AD) (HD)

12.10am The Cleveland Show: double bill (S) (AD) (HD) **1.10** Superstore: double bill (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00** Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records (S) (HD) **2.30** Teleshopping

5.50-6.00am Nightscreen (HD)

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ITV4

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

6.00am World of Sport: the Good, the Bad and the Ugly (S) (HD) **6.10** The Protectors: a pet poodle is kidnapped (S) **6.35** The Avengers (S) (SL) (HD) **7.30** Kojak (S) (HD) **8.30** Quincy (S) (HD) **9.30** Minder (S) (AD) **10.35** The Sweeney (S) **11.45** The Professionals (S) (AD)

12.50pm The Avengers (S) (HD) **1.55** Kojak (S) (HD) **2.55** Quincy (S) (HD) **4.00** Minder (S) (AD) **5.05** The Professionals (S) (AD)

6.10pm The Sweeney With Haskins in Toronto, his stand-in DCI Quirk becomes obsessed with catching a gang of thieves. (S)

7.15 The Chase Quiz show. (S) (HD)

8.15 LIVE LaLiga Getafe v Real Madrid, the action from the Estadio Coliseum Alfonso Pérez (kick-off 8.30). (S) (HD)

10.35 FILM Carlito's Way ★★★★ Gangster drama starring Al Pacino, Sean Penn and Penelope Ann Miller. Heroin dealer Carlito Brigante is released from prison and wants to go straight. But old acquaintances conspire to turn him back to crime. (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

1.30am The Sweeney (S) (SL) **2.35** World of Sport (S) (HD) **2.50-3.00am** Nightscreen (HD)

ITV4 +1 Freesat 154 Sky 220 Virgin 175

ITV3

Law & Order: UK 10.00pm
Did Connie Moran murder her grandmother?

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

6.00am Classic Coronation Street (S) **6.55**

Heartbeat (S) (AD) **8.00** Murder, She Wrote (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** Judge Judy (S) (HD)

10.30 Agatha Christie's Poirot (S) (AD)

12.40pm Heartbeat (S) (AD) **1.45** Classic

Emmerdale: double bill. Alan's plans backfire, then Elizabeth and Turner enjoy a romantic dinner for two (S) **2.50** Classic Coronation Street: double bill. Derek does eight paper rounds, then Ted and Rita return from Florida (S) **3.55** Agatha Christie's Poirot (S) (AD) (HD)

5.55pm Heartbeat

An old friend of Miller's turns up. (S) (AD)

7.00 Murder, She Wrote

Jessica investigates a series of muggings committed on a college campus. (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Vera

4/4 Series 4. Death of a Family Man

DCI Vera Stanhope investigates the mysterious death of businessman John Shearwood, who was discovered floating in the water under the Gateshead Millennium Bridge. (S) (AD) (HD)

RT DVDs To order Vera Series 9 on 2 DVDs for £15.99 incl p&p (RRP £19.99), call 0844 848 7300 or visit radiotimes.com/dvds17, quoting RT1719

10.00 Law & Order: UK

5/6 Series 7. Mortal. An elderly woman is found dead in her flat and her live-in carer is arrested. However, she blames the victim's granddaughter, claiming she had been starving her grandmother. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 6/6. Dependent. When a homosexual father is found beaten to death, Ronnie and Sam go on the hunt for his adopted son who has gone missing. (S) (AD) (HD)

Ronnie Brooks Bradley Walsh
Sam Casey Paul Nicholls
Wes Leyton Paterson Joseph
Jacob Thorne Dominic Rowan
Kate Barker Georgia Taylor
Henry Sharpe Peter Davison
Connie Moran Natasha O'Keeffe
Jen Fallon Kelly Gough

12.05am Scott & Bailey (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)

2.00-2.30am Nightscreen (HD)

+1 F'view 34 (9pm-midnight) F'sat 116 Sky 219 Virgin 174

10.00 New Tricks

7/8 Series 6. Blood Is Thicker than Water. A daughter's bid to clear her father of causing a collision between a tug and a luxury cruiser gives Strickland the chance to check on his sailing chums. (S) (AD)

11.15 Taggart

1/3 Series 9. Death Benefits. The wife of a sergeant is murdered while her husband is on duty. A search of the couple's house reveals a list of names, all of whom are rapidly meeting with unfortunate accidents – and it is left to Taggart to discover the connection. (S)

2.10am The Bill: the net closes on Cass's killer **3.00-4.00am** Dickensian (S) (AD) (HD)

Drama



The Inspector Lynley Mysteries

8.00pm Havers (right) goes under cover

Freeview 20 Freesat 158 Sky 143 Virgin 130

7.10am Bergerac (S) **8.00** Juliet Bravo **9.00** Pie in the Sky (S) **10.00** Classic Holby City: Rumours fly about Jasmine (S) **11.00** The Bill

1.00pm Classic EastEnders: double bill **2.15** Bergerac (S) **3.20** Lovejoy (S) **4.20** Pie in the Sky (S) **5.20** Birds of a Feather

6.00pm Brush Strokes

Sandra and Jimmy break up, while Jacko helps a damsel in distress – and then dates her. Meanwhile, Jean and Eric announce that they are expecting another baby.

6.40 Bread

Mrs Boswell is rushed to hospital after a day out with her friend Derek, and Grandad receives a visit from Lilo Lill.

7.20 Last of the Summer Wine

Compo manages to convince a barmайд that Foggy is really a millionaire. (S)

8.00 The Inspector Lynley Mysteries

3/4 Series 3. A Cry for Justice Reinstated to the rank of DS, Havers goes undercover to solve a murder at an exclusive club. The case makes Lynley realise the importance of his family. (S)

Det Insp Thomas Lynley Nathaniel Parker
Det Sgt Barbara Havers Sharon Small
Helen Lynley Lesley Vickery
Jemma Sanderson Jenny Agutter
Nigel Sanderson Terence Harvey

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Dave

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The Good Fight 9.00pm The team encounter a group of protesters

F'view 14 F'sat 124 Sky 136 Virgin 147 **HD** Virgin 195

8.55am A Place in the Sun: Winter Sun (S) (HD)
10.55 The Great British Bake Off (S) (AD) (HD)
12.15pm Location, Location, Location (S) (HD)
2.20pm Four in a Bed: five back-to-back editions (S) (HD) **4.55pm** The Secret Life of the Zoo (S) (AD) (HD) **5.55pm** The Supervet (S) (AD) (HD)

6.55pm Emergency Helicopter Medics

A woman loses part of her foot. (S) (AD) (HD)

7.55 Grand Designs

A home on the Isle of Skye. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 New. The Good Fight

5/10 Series 3. Blum weasels his way to a co-counsel seat on a major case. (S) (AD)

10.05 New. Berlin Station

RT 2/9 Series 2. Daniel enlists the help of an unexpected ally to further his mission with Otto Ganz. **See p103.** (S) (AD)
 Daniel Miller
 Richard Armitage
 Thomas Kretschmann
 Emilia Schule
 Armando
 Jannis Niewohner
 Fernanda Diniz

11.15 Eight out of Ten Cats Does Countdown (S) (HD)

12.20am Emergency Helicopter Medics (S) (AD) (HD) **1.20pm** The Handmaid's Tale (S) (AD) (HD) **2.35-3.45am** The Good Fight (S) (AD)

More4 +1 Freeview 86 Freesat 125 Sky 236 Virgin 196

E4

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F'view 28 F'sat 122 Sky 135 Virgin 106 **HD** Virgin 145

6.00am Hollyoaks Shown Tue/Wed 6.30pm C4 (AD) **7.00pm** Rules of Engagement **8.00pm** Sabrina the Teenage Witch **9.00pm** Baby Daddy **10.00pm** The Big Bang Theory (AD) **11.00pm** The Goldbergs (AD)

12 noon Brooklyn Nine-Nine (AD) **1.00pm** The Big Bang Theory (AD) **2.00pm** Baby Daddy **3.00pm** Brooklyn Nine-Nine (AD) **4.00pm** The Goldbergs (AD) **5.00pm** The Crystal Maze (AD)

6.00pm The Big Bang Theory (AD) **7.00pm New. Hollyoaks** Marnie gives James some advice. Cast pp85/115 Rptd tomorrow 6.30pm C4 (AD)

7.30pm New. Speechless 11/18 Series 2. Maya makes a new friend at a school fundraiser. (AD) **8.00pm New. The Big Bang Theory**

19/24 Series 12. Amy has a meltdown. (AD) **8.30pm New. Young Sheldon 18/22** Series 2 The young genius moves in with Dr Sturgis. (AD)

9.00pm New. Brooklyn Nine-Nine 5/18 Series 6. Jake tries to prove Terry wrong. (AD) **9.30pm New. Dead Pixels 5/6**. Nicky gets a taste for killing his father through the game. (AD)

10.00pm Derry Girls 5/6/6 Series 1. (AD) **11.00pm The IT Crowd 3&4/6** Series 3. (AD)

12.15am The Big Bang Theory (AD) **1.10pm** Gogglebox (SL) (AD) **2.10pm** Gogglebox (SL) (AD) **3.05pm** as 9.30pm **3.30pm** Derry Girls (AD) **4.25pm** as 9pm **4.45pm** as 10am **5.30-6.00am** Rules of Engagement

E4 +1 Freeview 29 Freesat 123 Sky 235 Virgin 146

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F'view 47 F'sat 127 Sky 137 Virgin 143 **HD** F'view 110

9.00am Car SOS (AD) **10.00pm** Couples Come Dine with Me **11.00pm** Four in a Bed **11.30pm** Extreme Cake Makers **12 noon** A Place in the Sun **2.00pm** Everybody Loves Raymond **3.00pm** Frasier **5.00pm** Escape to the Château: DIY (AD) **6.00pm** Ramsay's Hotel Hell (AD) **7.00pm** Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA **8.00pm** Location, Location, Location **See choice, p92** Shown Wed 8pm C4 **9.00pm FILM** The Shallows **★★★★ Review p37** (AD) **10.40pm** Celebrity SAS: Who Dares Wins for Stand Up to Cancer **3/5** (AD) **11.45pm** First Dates **See choice, p83** (AD) **12.50am** The Great British School Swap (AD) **1.50am** Life after Lock-Up (AD) **2.55am** Let's Talk about Sex (AD) **3.55-4.55am** Grand Designs: the Street (AD)

Paramount Network

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Marvel's Agent Carter 9.00pm Howard, Peggy, Jack and Jason

Freeview 54 Sky 153 Virgin 188 **HD** Virgin 187

9.00am Access (S) (HD) **9.05pm** Gilmore Girls (S)

11.00pm FILM Heart of Murder ★★ Thriller (S) (HD)

12.50pm FILM Deadly Stage Fright ★★ Thriller (S) (HD) **2.35pm FILM** Saved from Sorrow: Mysterious Grace ★★ Drama (S) (HD) **4.20pm FILM** Secrets in the Attic ★★ Thriller (S) (HD)

6.10pm A Housekeeper's Revenge ★★ Drama starring Christi Ane. Director Darin Scott (2016) (S) (HD)

8.00pm Grimm

22/22 Series 1. Hank tries to come to terms with the existence of the supernatural. (HD)

9.00pm New. Marvel's Agent Carter

10/10 Series 2. Peggy seeks Howard Stark's help in eliminating Zero Matter. First shown on Fox (HD)

10.00pm Vikings

2/9 Series 1. Ragnar Lothbrok recruits a crew willing to risk their lives on a long journey across the North Sea. (AD) (HD)

11.00pm The X-Files

11/24 Series 4. A murder appears to be the work of a mythical monster. (S) (HD)

12 midnight Designated Survivor (HD)

12.55am Arrow (HD) **3.25pm Grimm** (S) (HD)

4.10pm The X-Files (S) (AD) (HD) **4.50pm Access** (S) (HD) **5.00pm Neighbours** (S) (AD) (HD)

5.30-6.00am Home and Away (S) (AD) (HD)

Pick

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Freeview 11 Freesat 144 Sky 152 Virgin 123

6.00am Border Patrol **7.00pm** Motorway Patrol (AD)

8.00pm Highway Patrol **9.00pm Police Force: Australia** (HD) **10.00pm Police 10/7** **11.00pm Nabbed** (HD) **12 noon** Border Patrol (HD) **1.00pm Police Force: Australia** (AD) **2.00pm Border Security: Australia** **3.00pm Nothing to Declare** **4.00pm Stop, Search, Seize** (AD) **5.00pm Without a Trace** **6.00pm Stargate SG-1** **7.00pm Warehouse 13** (HD)

8.00pm New. Lost Girl **9.00pm Band of Brothers** **10.15pm Detour de France** (AD) **11.00pm Brit Cops: Rapid Response** (AD) **12.15pm Designated Survivor** (HD)

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4.10pm The X-Files (S) (AD) (HD) **4.50pm Access** (S) (HD) **5.00pm Neighbours** (S) (AD) (HD)

5.30-6.00am Home and Away (S) (AD) (HD)

True Entertainment

61

Freeview 61 (not Wales) Freesat 142 Sky 179 Virgin 189

6.00am Waltons **7.00pm Little House on the Prairie**

8.00pm Hamish Macbeth **9.00pm as 6pm** **10.00pm Harry and Meghan: a Very Modern Romance** **11.00pm Little House on the Prairie**

1.00pm FILM Danielle Steel's Star ★★ **3.00pm Rumpole of the Bailey** **4.00pm Due South**

6.00pm Born and Bred **7.00pm M*A*S*H** **8.00pm Randall and Hopkirk** **9.00pm Taggart** **12.15pm as 6pm** **1.00pm Hamish Macbeth** **2.00pm Randall and Hopkirk** **3.00pm M*A*S*H** **4.00-6.00am FILM** Her Own Rules ★★

True Entertainment +1 Freesat 152 Sky 279

Horror Channel

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Freeview 70 Freesat 138 Sky 317 Virgin 149

8.00am Land of the Giants **9.00pm Star Trek: Deep Space Nine** **10.00pm Star Trek** **11.00pm FILM** Tornado Warning ★ Sci-fi disaster movie **12.50pm Highlights**

1.00pm FILM Meteorites! ★ Disaster thriller **2.50pm Highlights**

3.00pm Andromeda **4.00pm FILM** Planet of the Sharks ★★ Action horror **5.50pm Highlights**

6.00pm Star Trek **7.00pm Star Trek: Deep Space Nine**

8.00pm Sliders **9.00pm FILM** The Descent ★★★★

10.00pm FILM The Woman in Black ★★★

11.00pm FILM Supernatural horror. **Film of the Day: page 45**

12.55pm FILM Honeymoon ★★★ Sci-fi horror

2.45pm FILM Black Christmas ★★★ Horror thriller

4.20-4.30am Highlights

5 USA

21

Freeview 21 Freesat 129 Sky 141 Virgin 153

9.00am Catch a Contractor **9.20pm** CSI: NY (S)

11.00pm Law & Order (S) **1.05pm Garage Sale Mystery: Guilty Until Proven Innocent** (S)

3.00pm Murder, She Wrote **5.00pm NCIS** (S) (AD)

6.00pm Law & Order (S) **8.00pm NCIS** (S) (AD)

9.00pm NCIS: New Orleans Series 2. Witnesses in the trial of a weapons trafficker are placed in mortal danger (S) (AD) **10.00pm Law & Order: Special Victims Unit** Series 12. Triple bill.

A baby is abandoned outside a gym **10.55pm** A teenage boy accuses Stabler of molesting him **11.55pm** A young French model claims she was raped by a billionaire (S) (AD)

12.50am CSI: NY (S) **3.50-4.00am Access**

5 USA +1 F'view 57 (not 2-4am) F'sat 130 Sky 241 Virgin 185

5 Star

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Freeview 30 Freesat 131 Sky 128 Virgin 151

8.00am Will & Grace (S) **8.20pm Dance Moms** (S)

11.00pm My Wife and Kids (S) **12 noon** Two and a Half Men **1.00pm 3rd Rock from the Sun** (S) **2.00pm Will & Grace** **3.00pm Neighbours** (S) (AD) **3.30pm Home and Away** (S) (AD) **4.00pm My Wife and Kids** (S) **5.00pm Smallville**

6.00pm Neighbours Shown 5.30pm C5 (S) (AD)

6.30pm New. Home and Away Rptd tomorrow 6pm C5 (S) (AD) **7.00pm Two and a Half Men**

8.00pm Rich Kids Go Skint (S) (AD) **9.00pm New.** Clink **2/10.** Joyce prepares to convince a parole board that she should be released (S)

10.00pm Bad Girls behind Bars **2/4.** Two inmates try to keep their relationship a secret (S) **11.00pm Cocaine: Teen Dealers** (S)

12 midnight Cocaine: Can't Stop Using (S)

1.00am Two and a Half Men **1.55pm 3rd Rock from the Sun** (S) **2.25pm Empire** (S) **3.15-4.00am Star** (S)

5 Star +1 Freeview 56 Sky 228 Virgin 186

THURSDAY Satellite & cable



Strike Back: Silent War
9.00pm A software problem



Andre the Giant 9.00pm
The life of the iconic wrestler



Madam Secretary 10.00pm
An international crisis for Jay



Who Do You Think You Are? USA 9.00pm Laverne Cox



David Jason: Planes, Trains and Automobiles 9.00pm

Sky 1

Sky 106 Virgin 110 **HD** Virgin 109

6.00am Monkey Life (S) (AD) **7.00** Wild Vets (S) **8.00** The Dog Whisperer (S) (HD) **9.00** Air Ambulance ER (S) (HD) **10.00** Babylon 5 (S) **11.00** NCIS: Los Angeles (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Hawaii Five-O (S) (HD) **3.00** David Attenborough's Galapagos (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** Modern Family (S) (HD) **5.00** The Simpsons (S) (HD)

6.00pm Futurama (S) (AD)

6.30 The Simpsons Homer befriends a former CIA agent. **7.00** Bart develops a fascination with President Theodore Roosevelt. **7.30** Homer is paralysed. (S) (HD)

8.00 New. The Flash **18/23** Series 5. Barry and Iris struggle to deal with the news about Nora. (HD)

9.00 New. Strike Back: Silent War **9/10** Series 7. Section 20 clashes with two Russian renegades. (S) (HD)

10.00 Comedians Watching Football with Friends **8/8.** (HD)

10.30 Football's Funniest Moments **3/3.** Comical incidents from the football world. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.30 Brit Cops: Rapid Response Police officers on patrol. (S) (AD) (HD) **12.30am** Road Wars (S) (HD) **2.00** NCIS: Los Angeles (S) (HD) **4.00** Babylon 5 (S) **5.00–6.00am** Stargate SG-1 (S) (HD)

Sky 1 +1 Sky 206

Sky Arts

Sky 122 Virgin 122 **HD** Virgin 206

6.00am Raphael: in Search of Beauty (S) (HD) **7.00** Il Volo with Plácido Domingo: a Tribute to the Three Tenors (HD) **9.00** Tales of the Unexpected (S) **10.00** Discovering: Montgomery Clift (S) (AD) (HD) **11.00** Discovering: Warren Beatty (S) (AD) (HD) **12.00** The Seventies (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Tales of the Unexpected (S) **2.00** Hollywood Couples (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Elvis: the Final Hours (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** Discovering: Jack Palance (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00** Discovering: George C Scott (S) (AD) (HD)

6.00pm The Seventies A look at the wave of violent crime that gripped the US. (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 Treasures of the British Library With Downton Abbey star Jim Carter. (S) (HD)

8.00 The Directors The life and work of Sam Peckinpah. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 New. Discovering: Michael Caine A look at the life and career of the Oscar-winning actor. (HD)

10.00 New. Off Camera with Sam Jones The photographer chats to actress Kate Beckinsale. (S) (HD)

11.15 Portrait Artist of the Year: the Winner's Story Following the winner as they paint a portrait of Tom Jones. (HD)

12.15am Donovan and the Beatles In India (S) (HD) **1.15** Music Legends We Lost in 2018 (S) (HD) **2.15** FILM The Life of Riley **★★★** (S) (W) (HD)

4.00 Discovering: Jack Palance (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00–6.00am** Discovering: George C Scott (S) (AD) (HD)

Sky Atlantic

Sky 108

6.00am The British (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 Richard E. Grant's Hotel Secrets (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** Urban Secrets (S) (HD) **9.00** The West Wing Special (S) (HD) **10.00** The West Wing (S) (HD) **11.00** CSI: Crime Scene Investigation (S) (HD) **12.00** Without a Trace (S) (HD) **2.00pm** Blue Bloods (HD) **3.00** The West Wing: Donna teaches Toby and Josh a lesson (S) (HD) **5.00** Without a Trace (S) (HD)

7.00pm CSI: Crime Scene Investigation **23/25** Series 5. A body is found in a crop circle. (HD)

8.00 Blue Bloods **3/22** Series 2 A bank robbery turns into a hostage situation. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Andre the Giant The life and career of the wrestler, from his upbringing in France to his WWF tenure and forays into the entertainment world. (S) (HD)

10.40 Save Me **3/6.** Residents of The Towers stage a reconstruction of Jody's abduction. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.40 Last Week Tonight with John Oliver A satirical look at news and pop culture. (HD)

12.15am The Sopranos (HD) **2.40** Billions (HD) **3.50** Shazam! Special (HD) **4.20–6.00am** The West Wing (S) (HD)

Sky Atlantic +1 Sky 208

Sky 2

Sky 151 Virgin 121

6.00am Cooks to Market (S) (AD) **7.00** Wild Things (S) (AD) **8.00** 60-Minute Makeover (S) **10.00** Four Weddings (S) **12.00** Animal House (S) (AD) **2.00pm** The Dog Whisperer **3.00** Stargate SG-1 (S) **5.00** Haven (S)

6.00pm Supergirl **19/22** Series 2 Alex is kidnapped and the abductor threatens to kill her unless Supergirl releases a notorious criminal from prison. (S)

7.00 Stargate Atlantis **19/20** Series 4. The crew is stunned when Dr Carson Beckett returns. (S)

8.00 DC's Legends of Tomorrow **11/16** Series 4. Mona encounters Jane Austen when her favourite author is at the epicentre of a magical alert, while Constantine is rocked to his core by an otherworldly message.

9.00 Magnum P.I. **15/22.** After Thomas is kidnapped, he learns that his ex-girlfriend is on the island and planning to steal a fortune in gold. (S)

10.00 9-1-1 **13/18** Series 2. The first responders search for Maddie, who is missing.

11.00 NCIS: Los Angeles **11/24** Series 1. A navy officer is killed. (S)

12.00 The Flash **1.00am** Strike Back: Silent War (S) **2.00** Comedians Watching Football with Friends **2.30** Football's Funniest Moments **3.00** The Rookie **4.00** Duck Quacks Don't Echo (S) (AD) **5.00–6.00am** The Dog Whisperer

Sky Witness

Sky 107 Virgin 112 **HD** Virgin 111

6.00am Motorway Patrol (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 UK Border Force (S) (HD) **8.00** Border Security: Canada's Front Line (S) (AD) **9.00** Criminal Minds (S) (HD) **10.00** CSI: Crime Scene Investigation (HD) **11.00** Road Wars (S) **12.00** Brit Cops: Rapid Response (S) (AD) **1.00pm** Nothing to Declare (HD) **2.00** Motorway Patrol (S) (AD) **3.00** Road Wars (S) (HD) **4.00** Nothing to Declare (S) **5.00** UK Border Force (S) (HD)

6.00pm Border Security: Canada's Front Line (S) (AD)

7.00 New. Nothing to Declare Double bill of the documentary. (HD)

8.00 Criminal Minds **13/15** Series 14. Rossi questions his actions after a near-death struggle with a serial killer. (S) (HD)

9.00 New. The Rookie **6/20** Nolan's former mentor commits an assault and goes on the run. (HD)

10.00 New. Madam Secretary **17/22** Series 5. Jay is called to handle an international crisis. (HD)

11.00 Criminal Minds (S) (HD)

12.00 Killer in My Village (S) (HD) **1.00am** Blindspot (HD) **2.00** Chicago Fire (HD) **3.00** Brit Cops: Rapid Response (S) (AD) **4.00** Road Wars (S) **5.00–6.00am** The Real A&E: double bill (S) (AD) (HD)

Sky Witness +1 Sky 207 Virgin 140

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Sky 109 Virgin 125 BT 311 **HD** Virgin 211 BT 383

6.00am Judge Faith (S) (HD) **6.20** Extreme Makeover: Home Edition (S) **8.00** Tipping Point (HD) **10.00** The Bill (S) **11.00** Inside the Ambulance (S) (HD) **12.00** Tipping Point (HD) **2.00pm** My Dream Home (S) (HD) **3.00** Renovate My Home: Leave It to Bryan (HD) **4.00** Extreme Makeover: Home Edition (S) **5.00** Tipping Point (HD)

6.00pm John Torode's Australia The chef's culinary trip moves on to South Australia. (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 Fantasy Homes by the Sea A London couple who want to move out of the city. (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Inside the Ambulance A woman who might be having a stroke receives help. (S) (HD)

9.00 New. Who Do You Think You Are? USA **2/10** Series 8 Laverne Cox learns about her African-American ancestor. (HD)

10.00 One Born: What Happened Next? Catching up with previous participants. (S) (HD)

11.00 Inside the Ambulance As 8pm.

12.00 Tourism and the Truth: Stacey Dooley Investigates Kenya (S) **1.00am** Ordinary Lies (S) (AD) (HD) **1.55** Rent a Cop (HD) **2.25–3.00am** Judge Faith (HD)

W +1 Sky 209 Virgin 190

Gold

Sky 110 BT 310 **HD** Virgin 124

7.30am Lucky Feller **8.00** The Piglet Files **9.00** Goodnight Sweetheart (S) **10.20** Last of the Summer Wine **12.20pm** Keeping Up Appearances (S) (AD) **1.00** Hi-de-Hi! (S) **1.40** The Green Green Grass (S) **2.20** Keeping Up Appearances (S) (AD) **3.40** Last of the Summer Wine: triple bill **5.40** Hi-de-Hi! (S)

6.20pm Keeping Up Appearances Richard shows off his electrical skills. (S) (AD)

7.00 The Green Green Grass Marlene takes up cookery. (S)

7.40 Dad's Army Wilson is appointed manager of another branch of the bank. (S)

8.20 The platoon shares the church hall with the ARP wardens. (S)

9.00 New. David Jason: Planes, Trains and Automobiles The RT actor learns to drive a stunt car. Last in series. See p103. (AD) (HD)

10.00 Only Fools and Horses One of Del's old flames turns up out of the blue. (S) (AD)

10.40 The Royle Family Nana calls round. (S) (AD)

11.20 Live at the Apollo (S)

12.20am Limmy's Show **1.40** Live at the Apollo (S) **2.30** Harry Hill's TV Burp **3.20–4.00am** Bread (S)

Gold +1 Sky 210 Virgin 194

Comedy Central

Sky 112 Virgin 132 BT 307 **HD** Virgin 181 BT 370

8.00am The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air (S) **9.00** Fresh Off the Boat (S) (HD) **10.00** Friends (S) (AD) (HD)

12.00 Two Guys, a Girl and a Pizza Place (HD) **1.00pm** Friends (S) (AD) (HD)

4.00 Two Guys, a Girl and a Pizza Place (HD) **5.00** Friends (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00pm New. Blockbusters: sixth-formers Lava, Aaron, and Elliott take part (HD) **8.30** Blockbusters (HD) **9.00** FILM Austin Powers in Goldmember **★★★** Spy spoof starring Mike Myers (HD) **11.00** Impractical Jokers (S) (HD)

12.00 Ridiculousness (S) (HD) **1.00am** The Daily Show (HD) **1.35** South Park (S) (HD) **4.10–5.00am** The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air (S)

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The Resident 9.00pm Marshall and Conrad look to the future

Universal TV

Sky 113 Virgin 137 BT 320 **HD** Virgin 164 BT 385

8.00am Sea Patrol **9.00** Murder in Paradise **11.00** Murder She Solved: True Crime **1.00pm** Law & Order **3.00** CSI: Miami **5.00** Major Crimes

7.00pm NCIS 23/24 Series 9 The investigators try to catch fugitive terrorist Harper Dearing. **8.00 24/24**. Gibbs resorts to desperate measures in a bid to track down Harper Dearing.

9.00 New. The Resident

18/22 Series 2. Chastain picks up the pieces after the fallout with the corrupt medical device company Quovadis, leaving Marshall ready to charter new territory in the medical field.

10.00 Proven Innocent

6/13 Series 1. The team takes on the case of a girl convicted for the murder of her mother.

11.00 Law & Order: Special Victims Unit 17/22 Series 7. A student's body is found dumped in an area used by sex workers.

12 midnight 18/22. Fin's son is discovered trying to dig up a body, and arrested on suspicion of murder. Chris "Ludacris" Bridges stars.

1.00am Murder in Paradise **2.00** Murder She Solved: True Crime **3.00** Law & Order: Special Victims Unit **4.00–5.00am** The Resident

Universal TV +1 Sky 213 Virgin 138

PBS America **91**

F'view (HD only) 91 F'sat 155 Sky 174 Virgin 276

8.00am D-Day: the Last Heroes **9.10** A History of Ancient Britain **10.20** The Vikings Uncovered **11.35** D-Day: the Last Heroes **12.50pm** The Wild Canadian Year **2.00** A History of Ancient Britain **3.10** The Vikings Uncovered **4.20** D-Day: the Last Heroes **5.35** The Wild Canadian Year

6.40pm A History of Ancient Britain Neil Oliver examines Britain and Ireland's Stone Age monuments, learning about the religious and sociological meanings of these sacred sites.

7.50 New. The Wild Canadian Year A look at the country in autumn, with young northern gannets leaping off perilous cliffs, chipmunks racing to gather winter supplies, and prairie rattlesnakes giving birth.

9.00 The Last Battle of the Vikings Marine archeologist Jon Henderson tells the story of the Vikings in Scotland, revealing how they helped shape the identity and culture of the nation.

10.15 The Teacher Who Defied Hitler The story of how a Berlin couple discovered a loophole in German law and opened a school for Jewish children in 1934, creating a haven for those discriminated against by the Nazis.

11.25 The Wild Canadian Year As 7.50pm.

12.40–2.00am The Last Battle of the Vikings: from Scotland



The Doctor Blake Mysteries 9.00pm A carpenter dies

Alibi

Sky 132 Virgin 126 BT 312 **HD** Virgin 226 BT 382

7.20am Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD) **9.05** Rizzoli & Isles (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** Sue Thomas: F.B.I. Eye (S) **11.00** Unforgettable (HD)

12 noon Miss Fisher's Murder Mysteries (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Motive (HD) **2.00** Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD) **4.00** Rizzoli & Isles (S) (AD) **5.00 New.** Rush (AD) (HD)

6.00pm Motive 7/13 Series 1 A newsagent who was once in the military is found murdered. (HD)

7.00 Father Brown 3/10 Series 2 The grand opening of Pryde Castle ends in disaster. (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Murdoch Mysteries 18/18 Series 11. The detective helps a man search for his missing wife. (S) (HD)

9.00 The Doctor Blake Mysteries 5/10 Series 5. When Blake is called to investigate a murder, his only suspect is a boy discovered praying over the body and covered in blood. (HD)

10.20 PD James: the Murder Room 2/2. The killing of Neville Dupayne is followed by further copycat murders, while Dalgliesh's investigations are complicated. (S)

12.20am Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD) **1.20** Quantico (S) (AD) (HD) **2.25–4.00am** Murdoch Mysteries: a lawyer is found dead (S) (HD)

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Freeview 99 Freesat 175 Sky 195 Virgin 295

6.00am America in Colour **7.00** Shuttle Discovery's Last Mission **8.00** Air Warriors **9.00** Creatures of the Lagoon **10.00** America's Mississippi **11.00** Aerial New Zealand **12 noon** America in Colour **1.00pm** Shuttle Discovery's Last Mission **2.00** Air Warriors **3.00** Creatures of the Lagoon

4.00 America's Mississippi **5.00** Lincoln's Last Day: exploring the assassination of Abraham Lincoln **6.00pm** Aerial New Zealand **7.00** Ultimate Warships **8.00** Ultimate Warships **9.00** Chilean Mine Rescue **10.00** Sports Detectives: Miracle on Ice Flag **11.00** Ultimate Warships **12 midnight** Chilean Mine Rescue

1.00am Sports Detectives: Miracle on Ice Flag **2.00** Ultimate Warships **3.00** Chilean Mine Rescue **4.00** Sports Detectives: Miracle on Ice Flag **5.00–6.00am** Lincoln's Last Day

Discovery History +1 Sky 230 Virgin 271

Discovery History

Sky 171 Virgin 262

6.00am Aircraft Stories **7.00** Mighty Ships **9.00** Top Tens **10.00** Battlefield **12 noon** Aircraft Stories **1.00pm** Mighty Ships **3.00** Top Tens **4.00** Battlefield **6.00pm** Blowing Up History (AD) **7.00**

Frontline Battle Machines with Mike Brewer **8.00** Tony Robinson's World War One: Tony looks at the final year of the conflict **9.00** Aircraft Carrier: City at Sea: life aboard the USS *Ronald Reagan* **10.00** The Real Dick Turpin **11.00** Blowing Up History: the ancient rituals that may have contributed to the construction of Stonehenge (AD)

12 midnight World War II: Witness to War **1.00am** Tony Robinson's World War One **2.00** Battlefield **3.00** Battlefield **4.00** Top Tens **5.00–6.00am** Blowing Up History (AD)

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The Orville 9.00pm Ed and Kelly's relationship is tested

Fox

Sky 124 Virgin 157 **HD** Virgin 199

8.00am Monk (HD) **9.00** Bones (HD) **10.00** Monk (HD) **11.00** NCIS (S) (AD) (HD) **12 noon** Bones (HD)

2.00pm The Mentalist (HD) **3.00** NCIS (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** Monk (HD) **5.00** Bones (HD)

6.00pm The Mentalist 23/24 Series 3. Jane believes Red John is hunting Hightower. (HD)

7.00 NCIS 3/24 Series 14. A US Marine falls to her death, and Gibbs is urged to consider whether she was murdered. (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 4/24. A navy lieutenant is murdered during a civilian cruise on board a military vessel. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 New. The Orville Ep 13 Series 2. A time distortion affects Ed and Kelly's relationship. (HD)

10.00 Family Guy Series 11 Quagmire accidentally gets married to a prostitute. (HD)

10.30 Meg goes on a date with a guy she met online. (HD)

11.00 American Dad! Series 14 Francine asks Stan to give Steve "the talk" when he starts acting out his sexual energy. (HD)

11.30 Roger becomes worried about outliving the family. (HD)

12 midnight Family Guy 1.00am American Dad! (HD) **2.00** Family Guy **4.00–5.00am** Monk (HD)

Fox +1 Sky 224 Virgin 158

Discovery

Sky 125 Virgin 250 BT 322 **HD** Virgin 251 BT 376

6.00am Mighty Ships (HD) **7.00** Wheeler Dealers (HD) **8.00** Gold Rush (HD) **9.00** Outback Truckers (HD)

11.00 Wheeler Dealers (HD) **12 noon** Baggage Battles (HD) **1.00pm** Combat Dealers (AD) (HD) **2.00** Wheeler

Dealers (HD) **3.00** Ed Stafford: Left for Dead (HD) **4.00** Mighty Ships (HD) **5.00** Gold Rush (HD)

6.00pm Fast 'n' Loud Revved Up Aaron competes in the Pikes Peak International Hill Climb. (AD) (HD)

7.00 Outback Truckers Sludge takes on foreign roads and strange loads in New Zealand. (HD)

8.00 Alaska: the Last Frontier Tragedy strikes the homestead. (HD)

9.00 New. Expedition Unknown Josh Gates investigates unsolved stories across the globe. (HD)

10.00 New series. Naked and Afraid Angela and Chad fight to survive the unforgiving climate of South Africa. (HD)

11.00 Wheeler Dealers A Lotus Elan is given a makeover. (AD) (HD)

12 midnight Expedition Unknown (HD) **1.00am** Outback Truckers (HD) **2.00** Naked and Afraid (HD) **3.00** Expedition Unknown (HD) **3.50** Mighty Ships (HD) **4.40** Gold Rush (HD) **5.30–6.00am** How It's Made: artificial flowers and tea (HD)

Discovery +1 Sky 225 Virgin 252

Nat Geographic

Sky 129 Virgin 266 BT 317 **HD** Virgin 268 BT 373

8.00am Gold Diggers (HD) **9.00** Yukon Gold (HD) **10.00** Highway thru Hell: USA (HD) **11.00** Ice Road Rescue (HD) **12 noon** Wicked Tuna: North v South (HD) **1.00pm** Wicked Tuna (HD)

2.00 Car SOS (HD) **4.00** Air Crash Investigation (S) (AD) (HD)

6.00pm War Heroes of the Skies (HD) **7.00** Nazi Megastructures (HD) **8.00** New. Car SOS: Fuzz Townsend and Tim Shaw restore a 1972 Ford Escort Mexico (HD) **9.00 New.** Wicked Tuna: captains at the top and bottom of the leader board turn to family for help (HD) **10.00 New.** Science of Stupid (HD) **11.00** Car SOS (HD)

12 midnight Air Crash Investigation (HD) **2.00am** Wicked Tuna (HD) **3.00** Ice Road Rescue (HD) **4.00–5.00am** Highway thru Hell: USA (HD)

Nat Geo +1 Sky 229 Virgin 267

Animal Planet

Sky 162 Virgin 256 BT 325 **HD** Virgin 257 BT 378

6.00am Crocodile Hunter **7.00** Pit Bulls and Parolees (HD) **8.00** How Sharks Hunt (AD) (HD) **9.00** Meet the Penguins (HD) **1.00pm** How Do Animals Do That (HD) **2.00** Animal Cops Houston (HD)

3.00 Pit Bulls and Parolees (HD) **4.00** Insane Pools: off the Deep End (HD)

5.00 Crocodile Hunter **6.00** Bride of Jaws (HD) **7.00** Wildest Indochina (HD) **8.00** Alaskan Bush People (AD) (HD)

9.00 I Was Prey (HD) **10.00** Animal Cops Houston (HD) **11.00** Pit Bulls and Parolees (HD) **12 midnight** I Was Prey (HD) **1.00am** Animal Cops Houston (HD) **2.00** Wildest Indochina (HD) **3.00** Alaskan Bush People (AD) (HD) **3.50** Monsters Inside Me (HD) **4.40** Snow Leopards of Leafy London (HD) **5.10–6.00am** Treehouse Masters (HD)

Animal Planet +1 Sky 262 Virgin 258

Eden

Sky 166 Virgin 245 BT 315 **HD** Virgin 247 BT 389

9.00am Wild Colombia with Nigel Marven (AD) (HD) **10.00** Polar Bear Town (HD) **11.00** Wild Canada (HD)

12 noon Wild France (AD) (HD) **1.00pm** Wild Colombia with Nigel Marven (AD) (HD) **2.00** Polar Bear Town (HD) **3.00** Dino Hunt (HD) **4.00** Wild Colombia with Nigel Marven (AD) (HD) **5.00** Polar Bear Town (HD) **6.00** Wild Canada (HD)

7.00 Wild France (AD) (HD) **8.00** Dino Hunt (HD) **9.00** Wild North (HD)

10.00 Wild Canada (HD) **11.00** Wild France (AD) (HD) **12 midnight** Wild North (HD) **1.00am** Dino Hunt (HD)

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Going the distance

The Fighter ★★★★

9.00pm **Sony Movie Channel** FREEVIEW

Many people know that Robert De Niro readied for *Raging Bull* by sparring with the film's subject, boxing champ Jake La Motta. But Mark Wahlberg took his prep one step further to play "Irish" Micky Ward in *The Fighter*. The project took four-and-a-half years to reach the screen, during which time Wahlberg stuck to a strict training regimen. As well as training with the real Ward and his former coach Dicky Eklund (played in the film by Christian Bale), Wahlberg also insisted on facing real fighters on screen. **ELLIE PORTER**



New to Netflix today

Baywatch ★★★ Netflix

The bodies hit the beach in this self-aware action comedy that sees devoted lifeguard Dwayne Johnson and his cocky new recruit Zac Efron put aside their differences to uncover a murderous plot. Slow running, swimsuits, melodrama... this feature update of the wildly popular 1990s TV show knows exactly where the strengths, and weaknesses, of its source material lie. It's not the height of sophistication, but then neither was its predecessor, and everything is done with tongue planted firmly in cheek. **JAMES LUXFORD**

Ghoul to the rescue

The Dark ★★

10.00pm **Sky Premiere**

In this undead tweak to *Let the Right One In*, a unique odd-couple relationship develops between kidnap victim Alex (Toby Nichols) and snarling ghoul Mina (Nadia Alexander). But Justin P Lange's debut feature is no mere "monster in the woods" gorefest: it's a tale of two damaged souls regaining their humanity. **JEREMY ASPINALL**



FREEVIEW

Film4

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F'view 15 F'sat 300 Sky 313 Virgin 428 HD Virgin 429

11.00am Fantastic Voyage ★★★

Wonderful sci-fi adventure. Stephen Boyd, Raquel Welch, Donald Pleasence, Edmond O'Brien (1966, U) (S)

1.05pm Harvey *****

Warm fantasy. Review, p45. James Stewart, Josephine Hull (1950, U) (S)

3.15 Three Faces West ★★

Preachy drama. John Wayne, Sigrid Gurie (1940, U) (S)

4.50pm Guns at Batasi ★★★

Subversive military drama set in a newly independent African state. (1964, PG)

6.55 Edward Scissorhands *****

Poignant comic fantasy about a man-made boy with metal shears for hands. Johnny Depp, Winona Ryder (1990, PG) (S)

9.00 The Last Stand ★★

Arnold Schwarzenegger stars as a sheriff who recruits a motley crew of deputies to take on a drugs cartel, in this action-packed yarn. Forest Whitaker (2013, 15) (S)

11.10 Daddy's Home ★★ Will Ferrell stars as an uncool stepdad upstaged by the biological father of his kids. Mark Wahlberg (2015, 12) (S)

1.00–3.55am Man on Fire ★★★ Gripping action thriller. Denzel Washington (2004, 18) (S)

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Sony Movie Channel

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9.00am Double Cross ★★ Thriller. (2006)

10.55 Reverse Angle ★★ Thriller. (2008)

1.00pm James and the Giant Peach ★★★★

Fantasy. Paul Terry (1996, U) **2.30pm Born Free: a New Adventure ★★** Adventure drama. Jonathan Brandis (1996, U) **4.35pm See No Evil, Hear No Evil ★** Comedy. Gene Wilder (1989, 15)

6.40pm Tootsie ★★★★ Very funny Oscar-winning comedy. Dustin Hoffman (1982, 15)

9.00pm The Fighter ***** Uplifting boxing story. **Choice, left.** Mark Wahlberg, Christian Bale (2010, 15)

11.20pm Transsiberian ★★★ Intriguing and clever thriller. Woody Harrelson, Emily Mortimer (2008, 15)

1.35am The Winter Soldier ★★ Sci-fi thriller. Paul Sidhu (2016, 15) **3.40–5.50am Autumn in New York ★** Drama. Richard Gere (2000, 15)

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6.00am Angel Face ★★★★ Drama. Robert Mitchum (1953, PG) **7.45am Earth's Final Hours ★★ Thriller. (2011, 12)** **9.30am Biggles: Adventures in Time ★** Sci-fi adventure. Neil Dickson (1986, PG)

11.20am Kentucky Rifle ★★ Western. (1955, U)

1.00pm Relentless ★★★ Western. Robert Young (1948) **2.55pm The U-Boat War 4.10pm The Fighting Lady ★★**

Documentary. (1944, U) **5.30pm Battle Stations ★★** Drama. John Lund (1956, U)

7.10pm What a Carve Up! ★★★ Old-dark-house comedy. Kenneth Connor (1961, U)

9.00pm Disaster Zone: Volcano in New York ★★ Disaster movie. Costas Mandylor (2006)

11.05pm Sniper Elite ★★ Sci-fi adventure. Matthew Reese (2014, 15)

12.55am Daylight Robbery ★★ Crime thriller. Geoff Bell, Paul Nicholls (2007, 15) **2.55–4.00am The Concorde Story ★★** Drama. John Lund (1956, U)

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Talking Pictures TV

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6.00am The Rake's Progress ★★★ Drama. Rex Harrison (1945, U) **8.25am June Allyson 8.55pm Dusty Ermine ★★**

Drama. Jane Baxter (1936, U) (S)

10.40pm Boys Will Be Boys ★★★ Comedy. Will Hay (1935, U)

12.15pm Rhythm Serenade ★★ Musical. Vera Lynn (1943, U) **2.00pm The Edgar Wallace Mystery Theatre 3.10pm Blue Pullman 3.40pm It's Great to Be Young ★★★★**

Comedy. John Mills (1956, U) **5.30pm Robin's Nest 6.00pm Dr Crippen ★★**

Biopic of the monstrous doctor. Donald Pleasence (1962, PG)

8.00pm Great West End Theatres 9.00pm Van der Valk TV crime drama. 10.00pm The Anderson Tapes ★★★

Enjoyable crime drama. Sean Connery (1971, 15) (\$)

12.00am The Snorkel ★★★ Thriller. Peter Van Eyck (1958, 12)

1.50am The Young Mr Pitt ★★★★ Drama. Robert Donat (1942, U) (S)

3.50am Remembering John Gregson 4.15–6.00am Rooney ★★★

Comedy. John Gregson (1958, U)

Premiere

Sky 301 Virgin 431 BT 501 HD Virgin 401

6.20am Teen Titans Go! To the Movies ★★

As 2.40pm **8.00pm Solo: A Star Wars Story Special 8.30pm**

As 6pm **10.40pm** As 10pm **12.30pm** As 8pm **2.40pm Teen Titans Go! To the Movies ★★**

Animated action adventure. **Choice, p60.** Scott Menville (2018, PG) **4.15pm Alpha As 11.40pm**

Hits

Sky 302 Virgin 433 BT 504 HD Virgin 403

7.00am The International ★★

Thriller. Clive Owen, Naomi Watts (2009, 15)

9.10am Goodbye Christopher Robin ★★★

Drama. Domhnall Gleeson (2017, PG)

11.10am The Dark 1.10pm As 9pm

3.10pm As 11pm **5.00pm The Mountain between Us ★★★**

Romantic adventure. Idris Elba, Kate Winslet (2017, 12)

7.00pm Murder on the Orient Express ★★★★

Lavish retelling of the classic Agatha Christie mystery. Kenneth Branagh, Michelle Pfeiffer, Johnny Depp, Judi Dench, Derek Jacobi (2017, 12)

9.00pm Pacific Rim: Uprising ★★★

There's more city-smashing mayhem in this exciting action sequel. John Boyega, Scott Eastwood (2018, 12)

11.00pm The First Purge ★★★

Efficient prequel to the horror trilogy. Ylan Noel, Lex Scott Davis (2018, 15)

12.45am Proud Mary ★★★

Action thriller. Taraji P Henson (2018, 15)

2.20pm Alien: Covenant ★★★

Sci-fi horror. Michael Fassbender, Katherine Waterston, Billy Crudup (2017, 15)

4.25pm Goodbye Christopher Robin As 9.10am

Action

Sky 306 Virgin 437 BT 502 HD Virgin 407

7.10am Gone in Sixty Seconds ★★

Crime drama. Nicolas Cage, Angelina Jolie (2000, 15)

9.15pm Avatar ★★★

Sci-fi fantasy. Sam Worthington, Zoë Saldana (2009, 12)

12 noon As 8pm **1.55pm** As 10pm

4.00pm Terminator 3: Rise of the Machines ★★★

Sci-fi action thriller. Arnold Schwarzenegger (2003, 12)

6.00pm Terminator: Salvation ★★

Disney

Sky 304 Virgin 435 BT 503 **HD** Virgin 405
6.20am As 11.20am **8.00** As 4.40pm **9.20** As 6pm **11.20**
Honey, I Shrunk the Kids ★★★★ Comedy fantasy. Rick Moranis (1989, U)
1.00pm As 9.40pm **3.00** As 8pm **4.40 Cinderella** ★★★★ Animated romantic fantasy. Ilene Woods, William Phipps, Eleanor Audley (1950, U)

6.00pm Incredibles 2 ★★★★ Entertaining adventure. Holly Hunter, Craig T Nelson, Samuel L Jackson (2018, PG)

8.00 Monsters, Inc ★★★★ Frantic, funny and furry animated comedy. John Goodman, Billy Crystal (2001, U)

9.40 The Princess Diaries 2: Royal Engagement ★★ Comedy sequel. Anne Hathaway, Julie Andrews (2004, U)

11.40 The Island at the Top of the World ★★ Adventure. Donald Sinden, David Hartman, Jacques Marin (1974, U)

1.25am Night Crossing ★ Worthy adventure. John Hurt (1981, PG)
3.20 The Last Flight of Noah's Ark ★ Adventure. Elliott Gould (1980, U)
5.10 Cinderella II: Dreams Come True ★★ Romance. Jennifer Hale (2002, U)

Drama

Sky 309 Virgin 440 BT 511 **HD** Virgin 410
6.05am Run the Tide ★★ Drama. (2016, 12) **7.50 The Tribes of Palos Verdes** ★★ Drama. (2017, 15) **9.40 The Last Movie Star** ★★★ Comedy drama. (2017, 15) **11.30 Empire of the Sun** ★★★ Drama. Christian Bale (1987, PG)
2.05pm As 10.10pm **4.10 Goal!** ★★★ Drama. Kuno Becker (2005, 12)

6.10pm Unforgettable ★ Thriller. Katherine Heigl, Rosario Dawson (2017, 15)
8.00 Atonement ★★★★ Magnificent adaptation of Ian McEwan's novel about love and jealousy set against the backdrop of the Second World War. Keira Knightley, James McAvoy, Romola Garai (2007, 15)

10.10 Mary Magdalene ★★★ Well-played drama that takes a revisionist look at a familiar Gospel tale. Rooney Mara, Joaquin Phoenix (2017, 12)

12.15am The 15:17 to Paris ★★ Drama. Anthony Sadler (2018, 15) **2.00 Garden State** ★★★★ Comedy drama. Zach Braff (2003, 15) **3.45 The Quiet Man** ★★★★ Romantic comedy drama. John Wayne (1952, U)

Thriller

Sky 311 Virgin 439 BT 509 **HD** Virgin 409
6.50am The Adjustment Bureau ★★★ Sci-fi drama. Matt Damon (2010, 12)
8.50 Kissing Candice ★★★ Drama. (2017, 15) **10.50 Dirty Harry** ★★★★ Thriller. Clint Eastwood (1971, 18)
12.45pm As 9pm **3.10 Serenity** ★★ Thriller. (2008, 15) **5.10 Unstoppable** ★★★ Thriller. Denzel Washington (2010, 12)

7.00pm The Taking of Pelham 123 ★★ Retread of the 1974 New York subway hijack classic. Denzel Washington, John Travolta, Luis Guzmán (2009, 15)

9.00 Red Sparrow ★★★★ Gripping spy thriller starring Jennifer Lawrence as a Russian agent assigned to seduce a CIA operative. Joel Edgerton (2018, 15)

11.25 Bad Samaritan ★★ A thief makes a shocking discovery in this thriller. David Tennant (2018, 15)

1.25am Heartlock ★★ Drama. Eric LaRay Harvey (2017) **3.10 Dark Crimes** ★★ Crime thriller. Jim Carrey, Charlotte Gainsbourg (2016, 18) **4.55 Point Last Seen** ★★★ Thriller. Linda Hamilton (1998)

Family

Sky 305 Virgin 436 BT 505 **HD** Virgin 406
6.20am As 3.05pm **7.50** As 4.35pm **9.30** As 6.15pm **11.15** As 8pm **12.50pm The Count of Monte Cristo** ★★★ Adventure. Jim Caviezel (2001, PG) **3.05 Cats & Dogs** ★★ Comedy fantasy. Jeff Goldblum (2001, PG) **4.35 Monster Family** ★ Horror comedy. Emily Watson (2017, PG)

6.15pm Hotel Transylvania 3: a Monster Vacation ★★★ Good-natured sequel. Adam Sandler (2018, U)

8.00 ParaNorman ★★★★ Delightfully quirky animated comedy. Kodi Smit-McPhee (2012, PG)

9.40 The Nutty Professor ★★★★ Thoroughly enjoyable comedy remake. Eddie Murphy (1996, 12)

11.20 Nutty Professor 2: the Klumps ★★★ Amusing comedy sequel. Eddie Murphy, Janet Jackson (2000, 12)

1.15am The Count of Monte Cristo As 12.50pm **3.30 The Swan Princess** ★★★ Musical fairy tale. Jack Palance, John Cleese (1994, U) **5.10 Batman Unlimited: Monster Mayhem**

Sci-Fi/Horror

Sky 310 Virgin 441 BT 507 **HD** Virgin 411
6.00am As 3.45pm **7.50** As 11.15pm **9.50 The Ring Two** ★★ Horror. Naomi Watts (2004, 15) **11.50** As 7.15pm **1.30pm** As 9pm **3.45 Signs** ★★★ Sci-fi fantasy thriller. Mel Gibson, Joaquin Phoenix (2002, 12) **5.35 It Comes at Night** ★★★ Horror thriller. Joel Edgerton, Carmen Ejogo (2017, 15)

7.15pm Time Trap ★★★ Intriguing low-budget sci-fi adventure. Andrew Wilson, Cassidy Gifford, Reiley McClendon, Brianne Howey (2017, 12)

9.00 Jurassic World: Fallen Kingdom ★★★ Well-made eco-adventure sequel. Chris Pratt, Bryce Dallas Howard, Rafe Spall, Daniella Pineda (2018, 12)

11.15 The Ring ★★★ Efficient Hollywood remake of the cult Japanese horror. Naomi Watts, Martin Henderson, David Dorfman, Brian Cox (2002, 15)

1.15am The Ring Two As 9.50am **3.15 The Thing** ★★★★ Terrific sci-fi chiller. Kurt Russell, A Wilford Brimley (1982, 18) **5.15 Sky Cinema Preview**

TCM

Sky 315 Virgin 415 BT 512 **HD** Virgin 416
8.55am The Adventures of Sherlock Holmes ★★★★ Mystery. Basil Rathbone (1939, PG) **10.45 Union Pacific** ★★★ Western. Barbara Stanwyck (1939, U) **1.30pm The Pearl of Death** ★★★ Mystery. Basil Rathbone (1944, PG)

3.00 The Scarlet Claw ★★★★ Mystery. Basil Rathbone, Nigel Bruce (1944, PG)

4.35pm Darby's Rangers ★★ Second World War drama. James Garner, Etchika Choureau, Jack Warden (1958)

7.05 The Train Robbers ★★★ No-frills western. John Wayne, Ann-Margret, Rod Taylor, Ben Johnson (1973, U)

9.00 Revolver ★★ Eye-catching crime drama from Guy Ritchie. Jason Statham, Ray Liotta, Vincent Pastore (2005, 15)

11.25 World Trade Center ★★★ Well-made 9/11 drama. Nicolas Cage, Michael Peña, Maggie Gyllenhaal (2006, 12)

2.00am Landfall ★★ Modest Second World War drama. Michael Denison, Patricia Plunkett (1949, U) **3.30 Hollywood's Best Film Directors**

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SPORT Choices



Tennis 10.30am, 5.30pm **BT Sport 1** Petra Kvitova was among the Stuttgart entrants

Sky Main Event

Sky 401 Virgin 511 BT 402 **HD** Virgin 501 BT 437

6.00am Good Morning Sports Fans

10.00 Match Centre

11.30 LIVE European Tour Golf

The Trophée Hassan II, day one in Morocco. More at 3.30pm.

1.30pm LIVE US Tour Golf The Classic of New Orleans, day one.

3.30 LIVE European Tour Golf

6.30 Sky Sports News

7.00 LIVE Premier League Darts

Round 12, from Arena Birmingham.

10.00 LIVE US Tour Golf

The Classic of New Orleans.

11.30 Sky Sports News

12 midnight LIVE NBA Coverage of a game from the play-offs.

2.30am LIVE NFL Draft Day one.

5.00–6.00am Sky Sports News

Sky Football

Sky 403 Virgin 513 **HD** Virgin 503

6.00am Greatest Games **7.00** Greatest Players (AD) **8.00** Countdowns **9.00** Football Years **10.00** Football League

11.00 One2Eleven **11.30** Greatest Players (AD) **12 noon** Greatest Games **1.00pm** Countdowns **2.00** Football Years **3.00** Play-Off Finals **4.00** One2Eleven **4.30** Greatest Players (AD) **5.00** Greatest Games **6.00** Football Years **7.00** Football League Matters **7.30** Greatest Games **8.00** Play-Off Finals **9.00** Football League Matters **9.30** Greatest Games **10.00** Play-Off Finals **11.00** Greatest Players (AD) **12 midnight** Football Years **1.00am** Football Countdowns **2.00** Greatest Games **2.30** One2Eleven **3.00** Football League **4.00** Greatest Games **4.30** Countdowns **5.00** Greatest Players (AD) **5.30–6.00am** Football Years

Sky Golf

Sky 405 Virgin 515 **HD** Virgin 505

6.00am PGA Tour Champions **7.00** Inside the PGA Tour **7.30** Golfing World

8.00 PGA Tour Champions **9.00** Masterclass **9.30** The Improvers **9.45** PGA Tour Profiles **10.00** Inside the PGA Tour **10.30** Golfing World **11.00** Tee Time Tips

11.30 LIVE European Tour Golf The Trophée Hassan II, day one in Morocco. More at 3.30pm.

1.30pm LIVE US Tour Golf The Classic of New Orleans, day one.

3.30 LIVE European Tour Golf

The Trophée Hassan II.

6.30 LIVE US Tour Golf Classic of New Orleans, day one continues.

11.30 European Tour Golf

12.30am Champion Golfer (AD) **1.00** US Tour Golf **4.00** European Tour Golf **5.00–6.00am** Champion Golfer (AD)

FreeSports

F'view 64 F'sat 252 Sky 422 **HD** Virgin 553

7.00–10.00pm LIVE Pool

Week 11 of the IPA Champions Cup.

Sky Premier League

Sky 402 Virgin 512 **HD** Virgin 502

6.00am Greatest Games **7.00** Premier League Football **8.00** Best Goals **10.00** Premier League Years **12 noon** Premier League Football **1.00pm** Premier League Years (AD) **3.00** Best Goals **4.00** Greatest Games **5.00** Premier League Football

6.00 Premier League Today **6.30** Premier League World **7.00** Match Pack

7.30 Premier League Today **8.00** Best Goals **8.30** Premier League Today **9.30** Match Pack **10.00** The Debate **11.00** Premier League Football **12 midnight** The Debate **1.00am** Premier League Years (AD) **3.00** Greatest Games **4.00** Best Goals **5.30–6.00am** 100 Club

Sky Cricket

Sky 404 Virgin 514 **HD** Virgin 504

6.00am Greatest Games **7.00**

Masterclass **8.00** Best of England v India

8.45 Best of England v New Zealand

9.00 Greatest Games **10.00** Masterclass

11.00 Best of England v India **11.45** Best of England v New Zealand

12 noon The Inside Track: 2005 Ashes

2.30pm 2009 Ashes **4.30** The Inside Track: 2005 Ashes

9.00 The Inside Track: 2005 Ashes

11.30 2009 Ashes **1.30am** Greatest Games **2.00** Best of England v India

2.45 Best of England v New Zealand

3.00 Masterclass **4.00** Greatest Games

5.00 Best of England v India **5.45–6.00am** Best of England v New Zealand

Sky Action

Sky 407 Virgin 517 **HD** Virgin 507

6.00am Boxing **7.00** Great Moments

8.00 Inside the Huddle **9.00**



BISHOP'S MOVE
John enjoys a pint
with Gaelic footballer
Lee Keegan

PICK OF THE DAY **John Bishop's Ireland** 8.00pm **ITV** (not N Ireland; not STV or Border Scotland)

DOCUMENTARY New series "I just feel better when I'm in Ireland," says John Bishop as he tries to explain why he loves the country so much. An enjoyable hybrid of celebrity travelogue and stand-up comedy, this series follows him as he visits various Irish towns, talks to some local characters and then does a gig in pubs and stadiums for a generally appreciative audience.

He starts in Dublin last August on "the day that all Ireland comes to a standstill", the final of the All-Ireland Senior Football Championship in Gaelic

football, a sport he describes as "a mixture of football, rugby and GBH".

Then it's off to the rebel city of Cork, where he learns about faeries and meets an American comedian with the same surname (I'm not sure what the point of this encounter was other than to demonstrate that Gaelic is a tricky tongue to master) and a fishmonger who made the Queen laugh. This is nowhere near as thrilling as Bishop's 2014 BBC series about Australia, but his easy-going, slightly blokey humour will raise a few smiles. **JANE RACKHAM**

The Bletchley Circle: San Francisco

9.00pm **ITV**

DRAMA If it wasn't for the hidden stash of heroin, I'd readily believe that this was a hitherto undiscovered story written by Enid Blyton. *The Clever Code-Breakers*, perhaps? It's full of cyphers, messages scrawled in lipstick on mirrors and a secret location given away by the sound of seagulls on a telephone line.

Tonight's set-up will be one familiar to crime drama fans: a bloodied stranger collapses on Millie and Jean's doorstep. The problem is that the subsequent mystery feels overly familiar too. In fact, most of the clues land with all the subtlety of an Enigma machine dropped from the second-storey window of a San Fran townhouse. **DAVID BROWN**

Cruising with Jane McDonald

9.00pm **Channel 5**

DOCUMENTARY I'm pretty sure this must be the first time the names Mick McManus and Giant Haystacks have been dropped in Kolkata. But then this is Jane McDonald and she is watching kushti wrestlers grappling in minuscule loincloths.

It's one of the early sights she gets in the first of a two-part India special that sees her taking a cruise along the Ganges. McDonald is in a more contemplative mood later, as she witnesses a candlelit ceremony and discovers a religion that's close to her heart. Oh, and the henna tattoos she gets on the ship offer a clue when it comes to the song she sings at the end. **DAVID BROWN**
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Jamestown

9.00pm **Sky 1**

DRAMA Once again Hungary stands in for 17th-century Virginia as Bill Gallagher's melodrama of colonial life returns. Handsome Silas Sharow (Stuart Martin) has now deserted the settlement to live with the nearby Pamunkey tribe of native Americans, which means he now goes bare-chested in every scene, if you please.

"An Englishman made painted beast!" scoffs the town marshal. "I see such a danger that we might all be swallowed by such darkling savagery." That's typical of the poetic dialogue that Gallagher gives his characters, but he piles the plot on, too, often based on the reliable equation that the men are gits and the women are smart, beautiful and hard done by. **DAVID BUTCHER**

The Looming Tower

9.30pm **BBC2**

DRAMA New series Could the events of 11 September 2001 have been avoided if the CIA and the FBI had worked together on al-Qaeda activity in the years beforehand? Based on the Pulitzer Prize-winning book by Lawrence Wright, this drama series looks at how opportunities were missed both on the ground and in Washington.

Peter Sarsgaard and a foul-mouthed Jeff Daniels play grouchy counterterrorism opposite numbers, with Tahar Rahim as the Lebanese-American FBI agent who spilled the beans about their failures in 2004. But we start in 1998, as an al-Qaeda computer drive is picked up by the CIA. It all makes for horribly gripping television. **GILL CRAWFORD**

I remember a male star of **EastEnders** (8.00pm BBC1) once saying to me about people who leave the show: "Oh, they all want to go to Hollywood. But most of them end up back here at Borehamwood." And while this may be true of actor Robert Kazinsky (pictured), he's certainly racked up the screen credits while working in Los Angeles: *True Blood*, *Brothers and Sisters*, *Pacific Rim* – oh, and some small indie movie by the name of *Captain Marvel*. It's probably passed you by.

TODAY IN SOAPLAND



Yet despite making a success of things stateside, Kazinsky has still found time to revisit Walford, his character Sean Slater having been summoned by sister Stacey because their mum Jean is currently ill with cancer. He exited a decade ago, so this comeback has been long awaited by fans. And while this reappearance is only temporary, I'm hoping there's time enough for some touching scenes that explore the mother-son bond between Jean and Sean. **DAVID BROWN**

Sex Tape

10.00pm C4

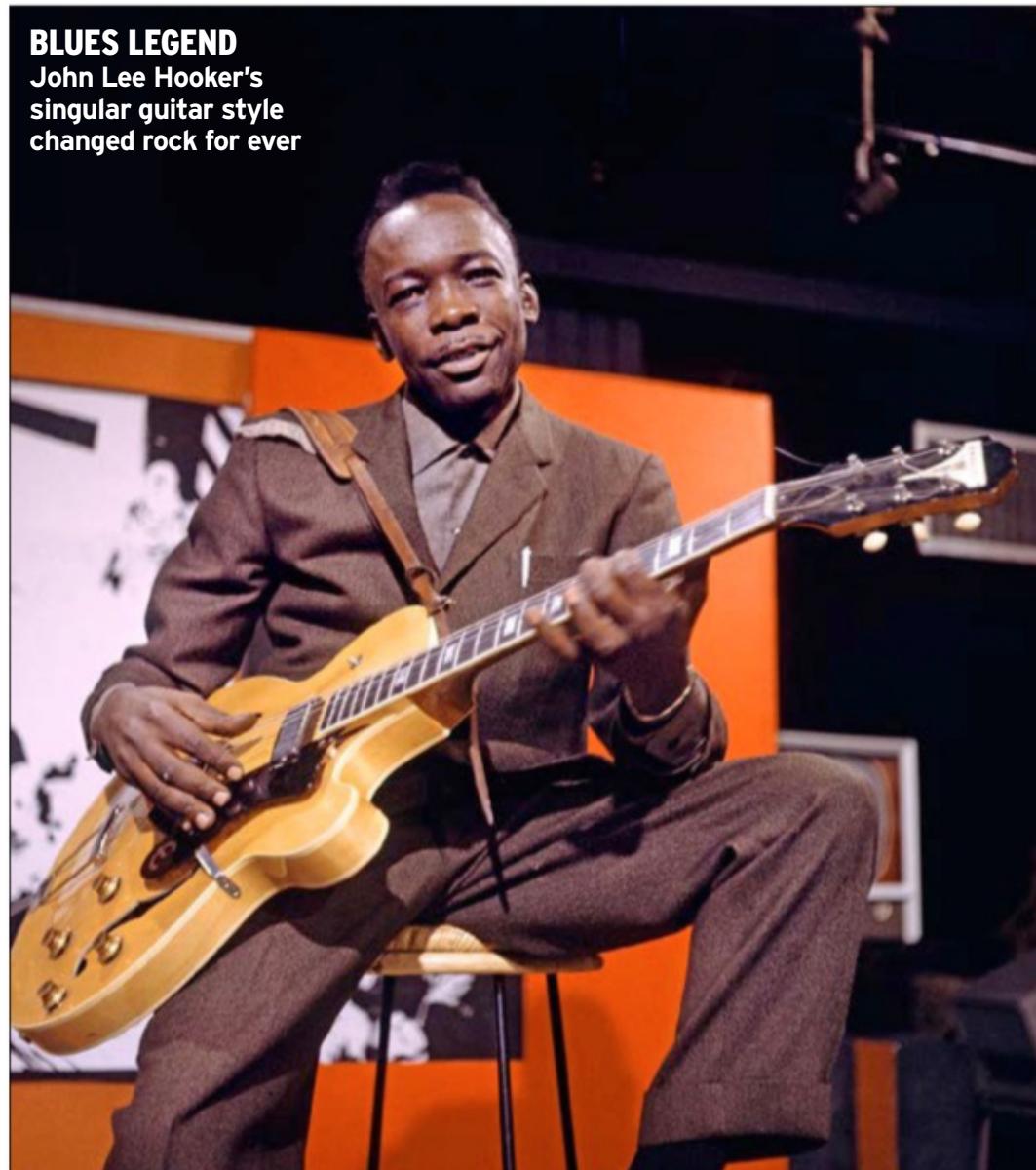
DOCUMENTARY *New series* This is billed as an innovative social experiment and invites couples suffering with relationship problems to rig their homes with cameras with the aim of uncovering uncomfortable truths and getting practical help.

However, there's no discernible process at play. Instead, three couples sit in a circle, assess each other's videos (with copious infrared footage of copulation) while a relationship expert chips in the odd helpful comment before they go on their merry way. An update at the end seems to suggest that the participants found the process helpful, but whether this is something that really needs to be televised is another matter.

FRANCES TAYLOR

BLUES LEGEND

John Lee Hooker's singular guitar style changed rock for ever



Word Is Bond

10.00pm Sky Arts

DOCUMENTARY Hyperbole is not unusual in a documentary about rappers, but there are some truly astounding examples in this paean to the transformative effects of rap lyrics, including "MCs have spoken a new world into reality" and "I thought my way onto the Forbes list".

It has interesting things to say about the craft of rapping, the possible reasons it's not more highly regarded (beside the sometimes violent, misogynistic and homophobic lyrics), and why it's a great outlet for disadvantaged children who love language. It's all told in effusive style, plus there's a chance to hear highly respected rapper Rakim's first ever rhyme. It's about Mickey Mouse.

DAVID CRAWFORD

The Graham Norton Show

10.35pm BBC1 (N Ireland: 11.05pm)

CHAT SHOW Comedian Seth Rogen is always good value so we're hopeful he'll have some good stories to tell about his latest movie, *Long Shot*, a romantic comedy with a political edge, when he shares the red sofa with co-star Charlize Theron tonight.

They're joined by Zac Efron, who will be talking about *Extremely Wicked, Shockingly Evil and Vile*, the controversial film about serial killer Ted Bundy. Certain audience members tend to squeal when Efron's on the show, but that might take the edge off their adoration. Lightening the mood a little is Matthew Broderick, who is making his West End debut next month in the bittersweet comedy drama *The Starry Messenger*. JR

DISCOVER TV

The best of streaming and catch-up



Sex on the Couch

from 10.00am BBC3;
11.25pm BBC1 (N Ireland:
11.55pm)

It's rivalling C4's *Sex Tape* for the most eyebrow-raising relationship show on the box tonight, but there's no gratuitous smut here. Couples attend counselling sessions to tackle sexual problems and they do frankly discuss what they are, yet the show's therapists are skilled at seeing through to the emotional issues underneath. That process is compelling.

DISCOVER TV KIDS

She-Ra and the Princesses of Power

Netflix
A remake of the 1980s cartoon: an orphaned princess finds a magic sword. JACK SEALE

BEST LIVE SPORT



■ **Rugby Union: Sale v Bath**
7pm (k/o 7.45pm) **BT Sport 1**
Sale's England flanker Tom Curry.

■ **World Snooker** 10am, 1pm
BBC2/BBC red button; 7pm
BBC red button 10am, 2.30pm,
6.30pm **Eurosport 1**

■ **One-Day Cricket: Somerset v Essex** 12.55pm **Sky Cricket**
■ **US Tour Golf: Classic of New Orleans** 2pm, 6.30pm **Sky Golf**

FILM OF THE DAY

Carve Her Name with Pride

6.40pm **Talking Pictures TV**
Virginia McKenna plays SOE agent Violette Szabo.
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FRIDAY Main Channels

DAYTIME

BBC1

6.00am Breakfast Naga Munchetty, Charlie Stayt. (S) (HD)

9.15 Health: Truth or Scare Angela Rippon finds out whether yoga should carry a health warning and there's a report on the potential risks of tattoos. (S) (HD)

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

11.00 The Customer Is Always Right A smart toothbrush and eco-friendly cleaning products. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.45 Close Calls: on Camera A base jumper's parachute gets tangled up during a leap. (R) (S) (HD)

12.15pm Bargain Hunt From Peterborough. (S) (AD) (HD)

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

1.45 Impossible Quiz hosted by Rick Edwards. (S) (HD)

2.30 Escape to the Country Alistair Appleton helps a couple find a home in Derbyshire. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

3.15 Money for Nothing Sarah Moore upcycles more items reclaimed from a tip. (Revised rpt) (S) (HD)

3.45 Home Is Where the Art Is A glass-maker, a clay sculptor and a stone carver visit Lancashire to create art for a mystery buyer on a budget of £600. (S) (AD) (HD)

4.30-5.15 The Repair Shop The team restores a treasured family portrait, a precious vintage fountain pen and a 130-year-old mechanical tiger. (S) (HD)

BBC2

6.30am The Repair Shop Shown Thu 4.30pm BBC1 (S) (HD)

7.15 Home Is Where the Art Is Shown Thu 3.45pm BBC1 (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00-9.00 Sign Zone Walks of Life 3/8. Mehreen Baig explores the Cairngorms National Park. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 BBC News (S) (HD)

10.00 LIVE World Snooker Second-round coverage from the World Championship at the Crucible Theatre in Sheffield, presented by Seema Jaswal. Coverage from a choice of tables on the red button and at bbc.co.uk/sport until 2pm. (S) (HD)

12 noon BBC Newsroom Live (S) (HD)

12.15pm Politics Live With Jo Coburn. (S) (HD)

1.00-6.00 LIVE World Snooker Further coverage from Sheffield, featuring the second session of one match and the opening frames of another. Coverage from a choice of tables on the red button and at bbc.co.uk/sport continues until 11pm. (S) (HD)

ITV

6.00am Good Morning Britain Julie Graham discusses *The Bletchley Circle: San Francisco* (9pm tonight). (S) (HD)

8.30 Lorraine Entertainment and fashion news. (S) (HD)

9.25 The Jeremy Kyle Show Feisty feuds. (S) (HD)

10.30 This Morning Celebrity chat and lifestyle features. 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 Tenable A team from the highway maintenance office takes part. (R) (S) (HD) Followed by **Regional Weather**

4.00-5.00 Tipping Point Game show. (S) (HD)

Channel 4

6.25am Cheers Triple bill of the sitcom. (R) (S) (HD)

7.45 Frasier Triple bill of the comedy. (R) (S)

9.10 Everybody Loves Raymond (R) (S) (AD)

10.10 Ramsay's Hotel Hell Gordon Ramsay heads to the failing Lakeview hotel and restaurant on Lake Chelan in Washington state. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

11.05 Car SOS Fuzz Townshend and Tim Shaw go to France to find a 94-year-old war veteran's 1968 Citroën DS, restore it after years of neglect, and return it to the former soldier. (R) (S) (AD) (HD) **12 noon News** (S) (HD)

12.05pm Couples Come Dine with Me Three couples from the Midlands compete, with Fay and Wayne, Rob and Maz, and Sam and Tony hoping to walk away with the cash prize of £1,000. (R) (S) (HD)

1.05 Escape to the Château: DIY Nicole and Stephan make a drastic decision. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

2.10 Countdown With guest Colin Murray. (S) (HD)

3.00 A Place in the Sun Jonnie Irwin visits Tenerife to help husband and wife Teresa and Robin. (R) (S) (HD)

4.00-5.00 A New Life in the Sun It's crunch time for two plant nursery entrepreneurs in France. (S) (HD)

BBC1

The Graham Norton Show

10.35pm Charlize Theron shows off her comedy chops on the red sofa



5.15pm Pointless

Quiz with Alexander Armstrong. (S) (HD)

6.00 BBC News Weather

6.30 Regional news magazines

Followed by **Party Election Broadcast**
By the Liberal Democrats. (S) (HD)

7.00 The One Show

Presented by Alex Jones and Shane Richie. (S) (HD)

7.30 Still Open All Hours

4/7 Series 5. Granville attempts to boost publicity.

Granville	David Jason	Madge	Brigit Forsyth
Mrs Featherstone	Stephanie Cole	Cyril	Kulvinder Ghir
Mr Teasdale	Justin Edwards	Mrs Lewis	Selina Griffiths

Writer Roy Clarke; Director Dewi Humphreys
Producer Sarah Hitchcock (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 EastEnders

A familiar face returns to Albert Square.

Bernadette Taylor	Clair Norris	Keanu Taylor	Danny Walters
Mel Owen	Tamzin Outhwaite	Hunter Owen	Charlie Winter
Denise Fox	Diane Parish	Max Branning	Jake Wood
Chantelle Atkins	Jessica Plummer	Ian Beale	Adam Woodyatt
Adam Bateman	Stephen Rahman-Hughes	Lexi Pearce	Isabella Brown
Arshad Ahmed	Madhav Sharma	Amy Mitchell	Abbie Burke
Dinah Wilson	Anjela Lauren Smith	Tommy Moon	Shay Crofty
Tiffany Butcher	Maisie Smith	Ricky Mitchell	Frankie Day
Gray Atkins	Toby-Alexander Smith	Bailey Baker	Kara-Leah Fernandes
Karen Taylor	Lorraine Stanley	Lily Fowler	Aine Garvey
Kathy Beale	Gillian Taylforth	Janet Mitchell	Grace
Ted Murray	Christopher Timothy	Chatham Taylor	Alfie Jacobs
Sean Slater	Robert Kazinsky	Riley Taylor	Tom Jacobs
Patrick Trueman	Rudolph Walker	Dennis Rickman	Bleu Landau
Kat Moon	Jessie Wallace	Will Mitchell	Freddie Phillips

Writer Daran Little More cast Thursday (S) (AD) (HD)

Today in Soapland: page 113

8.30 A Question of Sport

Hannah Cockroft, Ryan Mason, Anne Keothavong and Steve Parry join team captains Matt Dawson and Phil Tufnell and host Sue Barker on the quiz.
Series producer Dave Gymer; Exec producer Gareth JM Edwards (R) (S) (HD)

9.00 Have I Got News for You

4/9. David Tenant hosts as comedian Zoe Lyons and MP Johnny Mercer join Paul Merton and Ian Hislop.
Director Paul Wheeler; Producer Mike Rayment (S) (HD)

9.30 Would I Lie to You?

Prue Leith, Scarlett Moffatt, Big Narstie and Tomasz Schafernaker guest on the comedy panel show.
Director Barbara Wiltshire; Producers Mia Cross, Juliet Redden (R) (S) (HD)

10.00 BBC News Regional News; Weather

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

10.35 The Graham Norton Show

RT Charlize Theron and Seth Rogen talk about their new film *Long Shot*, Matthew Broderick discusses his West End debut in *The Starry Messenger*, and Zac Efron opens up about playing serial killer Ted Bundy in *Extremely Wicked, Shockingly Evil and Vile*. **See p113.**
Director Steve Smith; Series producer Jon Magnusson (S) (HD)

11.25 Sex on the Couch

New series. 1/6. Couples share their most intimate secrets with sex therapists. Rianna and Tanika need help with their differing sex drives, while Louisa and Nick are at breaking point. **See choice, page 113.**

The full series is available on iPlayer from 10am today. (S) (HD)

12.10am Killing Eve 3/8 Series 1. When Villanelle kills a Chinese colonel in Berlin, Eve and Bill investigate. But as they draw closer, Eve is taught a brutal lesson. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

Eve Polastri	Sandra Oh	Konstantin Vasiliy	Kim Bodnia
Villanelle	Jodie Comer	Bill Pargrave	David Haig
Carolyn Martens	Fiona Shaw	Kenny Stowton	Sean Delaney

12.55 Weather for the Week Ahead

1.00-6.00am BBC News

BBC1 Freeview 1 Freesat 101 Sky 101 Virgin 101

HD Freeview 101 Freesat 106 Sky 115 Virgin 108

BBC2

The Looming Tower

9.30pm The fight against al-Qaeda begins for Jeff Daniels and Bill Camp



6.00pm Eggheads

Jeremy Vine hosts the weekday quiz. (S) (HD)

6.30 Island Medics

Ep 10 Series 2. A glimpse behind the scenes at the Gilbert Bain Hospital, which serves 23,000 people in the Shetland Islands. (Revised repeat) (S) (HD)

7.00 David Attenborough's Natural Curiosities

Creatures such as the siamese fighting fish, which battle their own reflection, are known to show high levels of aggression. But why are some species up for a fight? And what skills does a winner need?
Director/Producer Hilary Jeffkins (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00-11.00 World Snooker

Live coverage of the World Championship from the Crucible Theatre in Sheffield. Also available at bbc.co.uk/sport

7.30 Mastermind

John Humphrys interrogates tonight's hopefuls on subjects including the Festival of Britain, the life and times of Samuel Johnson and 2 Tone Records.
Director Derek Hallsworth; Producer Mark Helsby (S) (HD)

8.00 Great British Menu

The two remaining South West chefs must cook their four-course musical menus again, but after the deliberations of guest judge the Rev Richard Coles, formerly of the Communards, which one of them will be saying don't leave me this way? (S) (HD)

8.30 Gardeners' World

Monty Don offers some tips for spring maintenance of houseplants, and makes a start on getting some tender vegetables under way. Nick Bailey spends a day at Kew Gardens to find out how we should take care of cacti and succulents, while Adam Frost heads for Lincolnshire to help a family transform their front garden into a more interesting space. And Arit Anderson visits Faversham to learn how the Kent town has cut down on its use of plastic.
Series producer Sharon Fisher; Exec producer Gary Broadhurst (S) (HD)
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9.30 The Looming Tower

RT New series. 1/10. Now It Begins. Fact-based drama about the efforts of the CIA and FBI to tackle the rising threat of al-Qaeda in the late 1990s. John O'Neill, chief of the FBI's counterterrorism unit, invites rookie Muslim-American agent Ali Soufan to join his squad. **See page 112.**

John O'Neill	Jeff Daniels	Floyd Bennett	Sullivan Jones
Ali Soufan	Tahar Rahim	Liz	Annie Parisse
Martin Schmidt	Peter Sarsgaard	Deb Fletcher	Leslie Silvia
Richard Clarke	Michael Stuhlbarg	Aymen al-Zawahiri	Nasser Faris
Diane Marsh	Wrenn Schmidt	John Miller	CJ Wilson
Robert Chesney	Bill Camp	Toni-Ann Marino	Jamie Neumann
Vince Stuart	Louis Cancelmi	Sheri	Katie Finneran
Kathy Shaughnessy	Virginia Kull	Mohamad al-Owhali	Youssef Berouain
Heather	Ella Rae Peck	Khalad	Samer Bisharat

First shown on Amazon Prime (S) (AD) (HD)

10.20 The Mini Mash Report

Highlights from the satirical news show.
Director Chris Howe; Series producer Mark Barrett (Revised rpt) (S) (HD)

10.30 Newsnight

With Emma Barnett. (S) (HD)

11.00 Weather

(S) (HD)

11.05 World Snooker

Highlights of today's second-round matches. (S) (HD)

11.55 World Snooker Extra

Seema Jaswal presents extended highlights. (S) (HD)

1.55-2.55am Sign Zone Stabbed: Britain's Knife Crime Crisis

Exploring the current wave of knife crime. (R) (S) (HD)

BBC2 Freeview 2 Freesat 102 Sky 102 Virgin 102

HD Network Freeview 102 Freesat 102 Sky 102 Virgin 102

ITV

The Bletchley Circle: San Francisco

9.00pm A grisly shock for Jean and Millie as the drama returns

**5.00pm The Chase**

Emma, Peter, Shelley and Ian compete. (S) (HD)

6.00 Regional News Weather (S) (HD)**6.25 Party Election Broadcast**

By the Liberal Democrats. (S) (HD)

6.30 ITV Evening News Weather (S) (HD)**7.00 Emmerdale**

Pete offers an olive branch.

Writer Kirsty Hulton Cast Tuesday/Thursday (S) (AD) (HD)

7.30 Coronation Street

Chesney insists that Gemma sees a doctor, and Seb has a manicure. Continues at 8.30pm.

Chesney Brown	Sam Aston	Sean Tully	Antony Cotton
Gemma Winter	Dolly-Rose Campbell	Alya Nazir	Sair Khan
Jan Lozinski	Piotr Baumann	Toyah Battersby	Charlie de Melo
Mary Cole	Patti Clare	Imran Habeeb	Ben Price
Moira Pollock	Louiza Patikas	Nick Tilney	Marnie Baxter
Emma Brooker	Alexandra Mardell	Jo Lafoe	Rebecca Clay
Rita Tanner	Barbara Knox	Helen Sherman	Christine Mackie
Ken Barlow	William Roache	Dr Gaddas	Verity Henry
Rachel Healy	Verity Henry	Sharon	Naomi Cooper-Davis
Jenny Connor	Sally Ann Matthews	PC Fletcher	Andrew Westfield
Johnny Connor	Richard Hawley	PC Rawani	Jag Sanghera
Kate Connor	Faye Brookes	Squatters	Tom Follows
Paul Foreman	Peter Ash	Scott T Berry	Scott T Berry

Writer Julie Jones More cast Wednesday (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 John Bishop's Ireland

RT New series. 1/4. John Bishop has a great fondness for Ireland, having spent his early career performing in its small clubs and bars. Now he's embarking on a 600-mile trip soaking up its culture. He starts at the All-Ireland Gaelic football final, then travels to Cork, where he learns about fairies and folklore. **See page 112.** Director/Series producer Ronan McCloskey (S) (AD) (HD)

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8.30 Coronation Street

Simon pulls Peter back from the brink.

Writer Carmel Morgan (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 The Bletchley Circle: San Francisco

RT 5/8. Not Cricket. The drama series about the British code-breakers' adventures in America resumes after a mid-season break. When a bloodied stranger collapses on Millie and Jean's doorstep, they are drawn into a mysterious warring underworld. **See page 112.**

Iris Bearden	Crystal Balint	Detective Bill Bryce	Ben Cotton
Millie Harcourt	Rachael Stirling	Olivia Mori	Jennifer Spence
Hailey Yarner	Chanelle Peloso	Edward Harcourt	Luke Camilleri
Jean McBriar	Julie Graham		

Writer Michael MacLennan; Exec producers Michael MacLennan, Brian Hamilton, Jake Lushington; Director Alexandra La Roche (S) (AD) (HD)

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10.00 ITV News at Ten

Weather; Regional News and Weather (S) (HD)

10.45 Bublé!

Backed by a 36-piece orchestra, multi-Grammy winner Michael Bublé sings classic numbers. Shown Easter Day 10pm (S) (HD)

11.45 Take Me Out

Single men from Leeds, Dublin, Edinburgh and Swansea step into the Love Lift. Series producer Rea Menzies; Executive producers Mel Balac and Suzy Lamb (R) (S) (HD)

12.45am Back to Mine A bricklayer from Surrey with a pet iguana looks for the perfect match. (R) (S) (HD)

1.10 Jackpot247 Interactive gaming. (HD)

3.00 All Star Mr and Mrs With Catherine Tyldesley, Matt Dawson, Tinchy Stryder and partners. (R) (S) (HD)

3.50–6.00am Nightscreen (HD)

ITV Freeview 3 Freesat 103 Sky 103 Virgin 103

+1 F'view 33 F'sat 112 Sky 203 Virgin 114 **HD** F'view 103 F'sat 111 Sky 103 Virgin 113

Channel 4

Sex Tape 10.00pm

Brian and Victoria are among the couples whose intimate moments are analysed

**5.00pm Four in a Bed**

Heather and Sally want some answers about why one of their rooms failed to scrub up. (S) (HD)

5.30 Extreme Chocolate Makers

Laura Miller creates a two-foot tall mermaid for a tattoo parlour's first birthday party. (S) (HD)

6.00 The Simpsons

Homerazzi. Homer gets a job as a paparazzo to pay for fire damage to the house. (R) (S) (AD)

6.30 Hollyoaks

Stuart makes a confession to Ste.

Stuart Sumner	Chris Simmons	Donna-Marie Quinn	Lucy-Jo Hudson
Ste Hay	Kieron Richardson	Goldie McQueen	Chelsea Healey
Meredith McQueen	Jennifer Metcalfe	Hannah Hay O'Connor	
Marnie Nightingale	Lysette Anthony		Maddison Allen
James Nightingale	Gregory Finnegan	Jonny Baxter	Ray Quinn
Bobby Costello	Jayden Fox	Juliet Quinn	Niamh Blackshaw
Breda McQueen	Moya Brady	Laurie Shelby	Kyle Pryor
Brody Hudson	Adam Woodward	Liam Donovan	Jude Monk McGowan
Cindy Cunningham	Stephanie Waring	Liberty Savage	Jessamy Stoddart
Cleo McQueen	Nadine Mulkerrin	Lisa Loveday	Rachel Adedeji
Diane Hutchinson	Alex Fletcher	Martine Devereux	Kelle Bryan

Writer Emily Gascoyne More cast Tuesday Shown yesterday 7pm E4 Rptd next Mon E4 Next episode follows on E4 (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 Channel 4 News Sport; Weather (S) (HD)**7.30 Unreported World**

3/6. Mafia Showdown. Krishnan Guru-Murthy visits southern Italy to meet a fearless reporter who is taking on criminal gangsters.

Executive producer Eamonn Matthews

Series editor Sue Turton (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Jamie's Quick and Easy Food

4/6 Series 3. Tonight's no-nonsense recipes include lamb with pesto peas and potatoes.

Director Niall Downing; Series producer Katie Millard (S) (AD) (HD)

8.30 Joe Lycett's Got Your Back

4/6. The host is helped by Mark Silcox and Prue Leith as he investigates private parking firms.

Executive producers Iain Wimbush and Emily Hudd

Series editor Mark Barrett (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Gogglebox

Ep 10. More frank reactions to the week's TV output from armchair critics around the country.

Exec producer Tania Alexander Rptd 11.05pm 4seven (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 Sex Tape

RT New series. 1/4. Three couples take part in a social experiment, filming their most intimate moments, before sharing their "sex tapes" with the other pairs. **See page 113.**

Executive producer Gary Chippington (S) (AD) (HD)

11.05 First Dates

Ep 2. Calum's bouquet for Lucy gets a prickly response. **See choice, see page 83.**

Shown Tuesday 10pm (S) (AD) (HD)

12 midnight New series. Four to the Floor 1/6

Series 5. The Leeds charity and club night helping to broaden young people's horizons. (S) (HD)

12.35am The Raid ★★★★

Action thriller starring Iko Uwais and Joe Taslim. Trapped inside an apartment building run by a ruthless drugs lord, a crack team of police officers are forced to fight their way out. Indonesian +subtitles.

Director Gareth Huw Evans (2011, 18) (W) (HD)

2.20 Chimerica 2/4. **Gray Areas.** Lee and Mel get a new lead on the Tank Man of Tiananmen. **See choice, page 92.** Shown Wednesday 9pm (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)
3.15 Lee and Dean 3/6

Series 2. The lads are nominated for an award. **See choice, p103.** Shown Thu 10pm (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)

3.45 French Collection

A market in Normandy. (R) (S) (HD)

4.35 All Star Driving School

First shown on E4 (R) (S) (HD)

5.05 Jamie's Comfort Food

Spaghetti vongole. (R) (S) (HD)

5.15–6.05am The £100k Drop

Contestants from Gateshead and Lancashire take part. (R) (S) (HD)

Channel 4 Freeview 4 Freesat 104 Sky 104 Virgin 104

+1 F'view 13 F'sat 121 Sky 204 Virgin 142 **HD** F'view 103 F'sat 111 Sky 103 Virgin 141

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BBC4

John Lee Hooker: the Boogie Man

9.00pm A look at the legacy of the bluesman

**7.00pm World News Today** (S) (HD)

Followed by **Weather** (S) (HD)

7.30 Top of the Pops 1987

The 10 September edition, featuring hits from T'Pau, Wasp, Wax, Level 42, Jonathan Butler, Rick Astley and U2. Producer Michael Hurll Repeated 12.45am (R) (S)

8.00 BBC Young Dancer 2019

Five aspiring young dancers showcase their talents at the Lowry in Salford in the second of four category heats, Contemporary Dance. Judges Fleur Darkin, Ben Wright and Jonzi D will decide which of the contenders goes forward to the final at the Birmingham Hippodrome in May. Producer Martyn Stevens Series producer Anwen Rees (S) (HD)

9.00 John Lee Hooker: the Boogie Man

RT One of the greatest bluesmen of the 20th century, John Lee Hooker emerged from poverty to become one of America's most influential musicians. Telling his story in his own words, this film traces his journey from the backwaters of the Mississippi Delta, and reveals how he inspired a new generation of young British musicians. With contributions from Van Morrison, Keith Richards, Bonnie Raitt, Robert Cray and Carlos Santana. **See page 113.** Director Todd Austin; Executive producer Min Clough Repeated 1.55am (S) (HD)

10.00 The Rolling Stones at the BBC

The Stones formed in 1962, and their 50th anniversary was marked by this 2012 dip into the BBC's rock archives. Mick and Keith provide exclusive insights into the band's history, and there's previously unseen footage of the band performing *19th Nervous Breakdown* on *Top of the Pops* in 1966. Producer Stephanie McWhinnie Repeated 2.55am (R) (S)

10.45 Blues and Beyond with Cerys Matthews and Val Wilmer

Singer and broadcaster Cerys Matthews joins acclaimed music photographer Val Wilmer to select their favourite blues musicians – several of whom Val has met and photographed. Director/Producer Siobhan Logue (R) (S) (HD)

11.45 Blues at the BBC

Archive performances from the past 50 years, featuring Son House, the Kinks, Eric Clapton, Freddie King, Delaney and Bonnie, and Long John Baldry. Producer Andy Dunn (R) (S)

12.45am Top of the Pops 1987

From 10 September. Shown 7.30pm (S)

1.15 ...Sings Dylan A variety of artists perform Bob Dylan songs, from Peter, Paul and Mary singing *Blowin' in the Wind* to Lulu's take on *Mr Tambourine Man*. (R) (S)

1.55 John Lee Hooker: the Boogie Man

Shown 9pm (S) (HD)

2.55–3.40am The Rolling

FRIDAY Freeview

Television Friday

Channel 5



Cruising with Jane McDonald 9.00pm
Soaking up the atmosphere in India

Freeview 5 Freesat 105 Sky 105 Virgin 105
HD Freeview 105 Freesat 105 Virgin 150
6.00am Milkshake! See page 119
9.15 New. Jeremy Vine (S) (HD)
11.15 Traffic Cops The traffic cops pursue a drug runner down a motorway. (S) (HD)
12.10pm 5 News (S) (HD)
12.15 Can't Pay? We'll Take It Away The agents chase more than £2,000 in unpaid parking fines. (S) (HD) **1.10 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 Family Secrets ★★ Romantic drama starring Michaela McManus. A woman decides to spend the summer in her ancestral home to learn about her family. Director Terry Cunningham (2016) (S) (W) (HD)
4.00 Friends Ross's relationship with Emily undergoes a drastic change. (S) (HD)
4.30 Chandler reaches the end of his tether over Joey's snoring. (S) (HD)
5.00pm 5 News (S) (HD)

5.30 Neighbours

Aaron gets a nasty cut.
Shown 1.45pm Repeated 6pm 5 Star (S) (AD) (HD)

6.00 Home and Away

Dean comes clean about his drug habit.
Shown 1.15pm Next episode 6.30pm 5 Star (S) (AD) (HD)

6.30 5 News Tonight

7.00 New. The Gadget Show
4/13. New developments in tattoo artistry.
Producer Tim Wagg
Executive producer Richard Pearson (S) (HD)

Followed by **5 News Update** (S) (HD)

8.00 New. British Made with John Prescott

2/4. John gets the lowdown on rice pudding at the Ambrosia factory in Devon. Director/Producer Gavin Barclay (S) (HD)

Followed by **5 News Update** (S) (HD)

9.00 New. Cruising with Jane McDonald

RT 3/4 Series 5. On the first leg of an Indian adventure, Jane visits a flower market in Kolkata before setting sail on India's sacred river, the Ganges. **See p112.**
Director Ray Easmon
Producers Ray Easmon and David Kirkham (S) (HD)
Your RT Travel: page 150

10.00 New. Celebrity Game Night

4/5. Rick Edwards, Paisley Billings, Emma Kennedy, Anton Du Beke, Sally Lindsay and Jamie Laing compete.
Director Jeanette Goulbourn
Producers Roberta Grady and Will Brown (S) (HD)

11.05 TV Talent Shows at War

2/3. Former talent show contestants share their memories. (S) (HD)

12.05am 3/3. The battle for ratings.
Shown Easter Day 7pm (S) (HD)

1.00 Home Shopping (S) (HD) **3.00 Access** (S) (HD) **3.10 GPs: behind Closed Doors** (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00 Traffic Cops** (S) (HD) **4.45 House Doctor** (S) (SL) **5.10 Divine Designs** (S) (SL) **5.35-6.00am** Nick's Quest (S) (SL)

+1 Freeview 44 Freesat 128 Sky 205 Virgin 155

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BBC4 listings are overleaf

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ITV2



American Pie: the Wedding 9.00pm
Jim, Michelle, Finch and Kevin

F'view 6 F'sat 113 Sky 118 Virgin 115 **HD** Virgin 176
6.00am The Planet's Funniest Animals (S)
6.20 Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records (S) (HD) **7.10** You've Been Framed! (S) **8.00** Emmerdale (S) (AD) (HD) **8.55** You've Been Framed! Gold (S) **9.25** The Ellen DeGeneres Show (S) (HD) **10.20** Superstore (S) (AD) (HD) **11.10** You've Been Framed! Gold (S)
12.10pm Emmerdale Shown yesterday 7/8pm ITV (S) (AD) (HD) **1.15** You've Been Framed! Gold (S) **1.40 New.** The Ellen DeGeneres Show: chat and entertainment (S) (HD) **2.35** The Jeremy Kyle Show: triple bill (S) (HD) **5.50** Take Me Out (S) (HD)

7.00pm You've Been Framed! Gold
The top five gymnastics mishaps and the consequences of bad manners. (S)
7.30 Footballing fun and horsey hilarity. (S)

8.00 Ultimate You've Been Framed! Gold
Harry Hill digs up some more funny clips, including workplace pranks, mad mums and all sorts of animals. (S)

9.00 American Pie: the Wedding
★★★ Comedy. After pursuing each other through two movies, Jim and Michelle finally decide to tie the knot, but their friends' plans for a bachelor party almost derail the forthcoming nuptials.
Jim Levenstein Jason Biggs
Michelle Flaherty Alyson Hannigan
Paul Finch Eddie Kaye Thomas
Kevin Myers Thomas Ian Nicholas
Steve Stifler Seann William Scott
Director Jesse Dylan (2003, 15) (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

11.05 Family Guy
Series 5. Death grants Peter his wish to go back to 1984, where he breaks a date with Lois to socialise with a film star. (S) (AD) (HD)
11.30 Quagmire loses his job as a pilot, so Peter and Cleveland try to get him reinstated. With the voice of Hugh Hefner. (S) (AD) (HD)
12 midnight American Dad! (S) (AD) (HD)
12.55am The Cleveland Show (S) (AD) (HD)
1.25 Superstore (S) (AD) (HD) **2.20** Shopping 5.50-6.00am Nightscreen (HD)

ITV2+1 Freeview 27 Freesat 114 Sky 218 Virgin 116

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ITV3



The Good Karma Hospital 10.00pm
Ruby Walker makes a fresh start

F'view 10 F'sat 115 Sky 119 Virgin 117 **HD** Virgin 177
6.00am Classic Coronation Street (S) **6.55** Heartbeat (S) (AD) **8.00** Murder, She Wrote (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** Judge Judy (S) (HD) **10.30** Agatha Christie's Poirot (S) (AD) (HD) **12.40pm** Heartbeat (S) (AD) **1.45** Classic Emmerdale: double bill. Zoe has a frosty encounter with Rachel, then Frank and Chris devise a business recovery plan (S) **2.50** Classic Coronation Street: double bill. Ted talks to Rita about his illness, then Mike invites Alma to move in with him (S) **3.55** Agatha Christie's Poirot (S) (AD) (HD)

5.55pm Heartbeat
Helen and Rob's wedding day arrives. (S) (AD)

7.00 Murder, She Wrote

An author is murdered. (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Doc Martin
5/8 Series 7. Martin is fed up with Buddy following him around, but when he decides to have the dog put down, Louisa and Morwenna intervene. (S) (AD) (HD)
9.00 6/8. Relations between Martin and Louisa come under further strain when her ex-boyfriend interferes. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 The Good Karma Hospital
1/6 Series 1. Junior doctor Ruby Walker ditches her life in the UK for a fresh start, but on arrival at the Good Karma Hospital, nothing is quite as she expected. (S) (AD) (HD)
11.00 2/6. The team races against the clock to treat a snake catcher whose luck may have finally run out. (S) (AD) (HD)

Dr Ruby Walker Amrita Acharia
Dr Lydia Fonseca Amanda Redman
Greg McConnell Neil Morrissey
Dr Gabriel Varma James Floyd
Dr Ram Nair Darshan Jariwalla
AJ Nair Sagar Radia
Mari Rodriguez Nimmi Harasgama
Maggie Smart Phyllis Logan

12.05am The Loch (S) (SL) (AD) (HD) **1.05** Honest (S) (SL) (AD) **2.00** Agatha Christie's Poirot (S) (HD) **2.55** Paul O'Grady's Animal Orphans (S) (HD) **3.50** Road to Avonlea (S) (AD) (HD) **5.30-6.00am** Nightscreen (HD)

+1 F'view 34 (9pm-midnight) F'sat 116 Sky 219 Virgin 174

Drama



The Doctor Blake Mysteries 8.00pm
A firefighter's death puzzles Blake

Freeview 20 Freesat 158 Sky 143 Virgin 130

7.10am Bergerac (S) **8.00** Juliet Bravo **9.00** Pie in the Sky (S) **10.00** Classic Holby City: Meyer's career is threatened **11.00** The Bill **1.00pm** Classic EastEnders **2.15** Bergerac (S) **3.20** Lovejoy (S) **4.20** Pie in the Sky (S) **5.20** Birds of a Feather

6.00pm Brush Strokes

Jacko's interest in football is revived – much to Eric and Jean's amusement.

6.40 Bread

The Boswell family try to cope without Nellie, who has some surprise visitors – her "fancy man" Derek and Lilo Lill.

7.20 Last of the Summer Wine

The trio scheme to get Wally out from under Nora Batty's thumb for a day. (S)

8.00 The Doctor Blake Mysteries

7/8 Series 4. **For Whom the Bell Tolls**
A firefighter falls from the bell tower of the Ballarat fire station. While it looks like a suicide, Blake suspects foul play but he cannot find the evidence to prove it. (S) (HD) Dr Lucien Blake Craig McLachlan
Jean Beazley Nadine Garner
Charlie Davis Charlie Cousins
Frank Carlyle Rodger Corser
Rose Anderson Anna McGahan

9.00 Father Brown

7/10 Series 4. **The Missing Man.** The priest investigates an apparent suicide, believing the death of a recently returned RAF pilot to be murder. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 New Tricks

8/8 Series 6. **Meat Is Murder.** A new inquiry into a death at London's Smithfield Market 33 years earlier results in a DNA test that leaves Pullman in shock. (S) (AD)

11.15 Taggart

2/3 Series 9. **Gingerbread.** A dying man's last desperate answerphone message confuses the police and hampers their investigation into his murder. Glasgow-set detective drama, with Blythe Duff. (S)

2.05am The Bill

2.55-4.00am Dickensian (S) (AD) (HD)

Dave

F'view 12 F'sat 157 Sky 111 Virgin 127 **HD** Virgin 227 BT 387

7.10am Eat Your Heart Out with Nick Helm: double bill (S) (HD) **8.00** American Pickers (S) (HD) **9.00** Storage Hunters (S) (HD) **10.00** American Pickers: three editions (S) (HD)

1.00pm Top Gear (S) (AD) **3.00** Sin City Motors (S) (HD) **4.00** Steve Austin's Broken Skull Challenge (HD) **5.00** Top Gear (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00pm American Pickers

The guys stumble on a mountain of motorbikes. (S) (HD)

8.00 New series. Border Interceptors

The work of the men and women who protect Ireland's borders on a daily basis. (HD)

8.30 New. Officer James O'Hearne has to deal with a passenger who has no passport and no form of identification. (HD)

9.00 FILM Talladega Nights: the Ballad of Ricky Bobby ★★ Sports comedy starring Will Ferrell. **Review page 45.** (W) (HD)

11.15 Not Going Out 3/7 Series 8. Lee, Lucy and the children set off to catch a ferry. (S) (HD)

11.55 Have I Got a Bit More News for You

Compilation special from 2016. (S) (HD)

12.55am QI (S) (HD) **2.10-4.00am** Have I Got a Bit More Old News for You: double bill (S) (HD)

Dave Ja Vu Freeview 79 Sky 211 Virgin 131

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Deutschland 86 9.00pm Tobias tells Alex that he is HIV positive

F'view 14 F'sat 124 Sky 136 Virgin 147 **HD** Virgin 195

8.55am A Place in the Sun: Winter Sun (S) (HD) **10.55** The Great British Bake Off (S) (AD) (HD)

12.15pm Location, Location, Location (S) (HD)

2.20 Four in a Bed (S) (HD) **4.55** The Secret Life of the Zoo: a giraffe is about to give birth (S) (AD) (HD) **5.55** The Supervet (S) (AD) (HD)

6.55pm Emergency Helicopter Medics

Paramedics use strong pain relief that has unexpected side effects. (S) (AD) (HD)

7.55 Grand Designs

A house built out of shipping containers on a farm in Derry. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 New, Deutschland 86

8/10. Martin needs to prove his loyalty to the BND. German +subtitles. (AD) (HD)

The full series is available on All4 and also continues next week on More4.

Martin Rauch
Lenora Rauch
Rose Seithathi
Alex Edel
Tobias Tischbirek

Jonas Nay
Maria Schrader
Florence Kasumba
Ludwig Trepte
Alexander Beyer

10.00 24 Hours in A&E

Life at King's College Hospital. (S) (AD) (HD)

12.05am as 6.55pm **1.05** Ramsay's Kitchen

Nightmares USA: back-to-back episodes (S)

3.10-3.50am Eight out of Ten Cats (S) (HD)

More4 +1 F'view 86 Freesat 125 Sky 236 Virgin 196

E4

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F'view 28 F'sat 122 Sky 135 Virgin 106 **HD** Virgin 145

6.00am Hollyoaks Shown Wed/Thu 6.30pm C4 (AD)

7.00 Rules of Engagement **8.00** Sabrina the

Teenage Witch **9.00** Baby Daddy **10.00** The

Big Bang Theory (AD) **11.00** The Goldbergs (AD)

12 noon Brooklyn Nine-Nine (AD) **1.00pm**

The Big Bang Theory (AD) **2.00** Baby Daddy

3.00 Brooklyn Nine-Nine (AD) **4.00** The

Goldbergs (AD) **5.00** The Crystal Maze (AD)

6.00pm The Big Bang Theory (AD)

7.00 New, Hollyoaks More drama from

Chester. Cast pp85/115 Rptd next Monday (AD)

7.30 New, Speechless 12/18 Series 2

Maya comes to JJ's rescue. (AD)

8.00 The Big Bang Theory (AD)

9.00 FILM A Good Day to Die Hard ★★

Action thriller starring Bruce Willis. English, Russian +subtitles. **Review p45.** (AD) (W)

10.55 New series, Rick and Morty Rick

unfreezes time so things will normalise. (AD)

11.25 New, Robot Chicken The Sailor

Scouts head out for churros. (AD)

11.45 New, Dream Corp LLC (AD)

12 midnight Rick and Morty (AD) **12.25am**

Eight out of Ten Cats **1.25** The Big Bang Theory (AD)

2.20 Tattoo Fixers: Extreme (SL) (AD) **3.15** First

Dates (AD) **4.10** The Big Bang Theory (AD)

4.55-6.00am 2 Broke Girls (AD)

E4 +1 F'view 29 Freesat 123 Sky 235 Virgin 146

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F'view 47 F'sat 127 Sky 137 Virgin 143 **HD** F'view 110

9.00am Car SOS (AD) **10.00** Couples Come Dine with Me **11.00** Four in a Bed **11.30** Extreme

Cake Makers **12 noon** A Place in the Sun: double bill **2.00pm** Everybody Loves Raymond

3.00 Frasier **5.00** Escape to the Château: DIY (AD) **6.00** Ramsay's Hotel Hell (AD) **7.00**

Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA **8.00** Escape to the Château (AD) **9.00** 999: What's Your

Emergency? (AD) **10.00** Eight out of Ten Cats

Does Countdown **6/8 Series 16. 11.05** Gogglebox

Ep 10. Shown 9pm C4 (AD) **12.10am Ep 9.** (AD)

1.15 Naked Beach (AD) **2.20** Undercover Boss

Australia **3.20** Cheers: double bill **4.15-4.45am**

Travel Man: 48 Hours in Porto (AD)

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Paramount Network

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Far and Away 9.00pm Joseph (Tom Cruise) arrives in the New World

F'view 54 Sky 153 Virgin 188 **HD** Virgin 187

9.00am Gilmore Girls (S) **10.50 FILM** I Didn't Kill My Sister ★★ Thriller (S) (HD)

12.45pm FILM Crimes of the Mind ★★ Crime drama (S) **2.35 FILM** Stalked by My Patient ★★ Thriller starring Bree Williamson (S) (HD) **4.20 FILM** Amish Abduction ★★ Drama starring Trevor Donovan (S) (HD)

6.10pm Trust No One ★★

Thriller starring Nicole de Boer, Scott Gibson and Peter Michael Dillon. Director Curtis Crawford (2016) (S) (HD)

8.00 Grimm

1/22 Series 2. Nick tries to find a cure for Juliette, while dealing with the revelation that his mother is not dead. (HD)

9.00 Far and Away ★★

Romantic period adventure starring Tom Cruise and Nicole Kidman. Director Ron Howard (1992, 15) (S)

11.45 Whitney: a Tragic Love ★★★

Yaya DaCosta stars as Whitney Houston in a drama that focuses on the superstar singer at the height of her fame. Yolonda Ross also stars. Director Angela Bassett (2015, 15) (S) (HD)

1.35am The X-Files (S) (HD) **2.35 Grimm** (S) (HD) **3.20 Arrow** (HD) **4.50 Access** (S) (HD)

5.00 Neighbours (S) (AD) (HD)

5.30-6.00am Home and Away (S) (AD) (HD)

Pick

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F'view 11 Freesat 144 Sky 152 Virgin 123

6.00am Border Patrol **7.00** Motorway Patrol

8.00 Highway Patrol **9.00** Police Force: Australia (HD) **10.00** Police 10/7 **11.00** Nabbed (HD) **12 noon**

Border Patrol (HD) **1.00pm** Police Force: Australia (AD) **2.00** Border Security USA (AD) **3.00** Nothing to Declare **4.00** Stop, Search, Seize (AD) **5.00**

Without a Trace **6.00** Stargate SG-1 **7.00** Warehouse 13 (HD) **8.00 New**, Lost Girl **9.00** Frontline Police

10.00 Searching for Madeleine **11.00** Brit Cops: Rapid Response (HD) **12 midnight** The Force: North East **1.00am** Brit Cops: Law & Disorder (AD)

2.00 Road Wars **3.00** Banged Up Abroad **4.00** Highway Patrol (HD) **4.30** Motorway Patrol (HD) **5.00-6.00am** Nothing to Declare UK (HD)

Pick +1 F'view 92 Freesat 145 Sky 252

True Entertainment

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F'view 61 (not Wales) Freesat 142 Sky 179 Virgin 189

6.00am Waltons **7.00** Little House on the Prairie

8.00 Hamish Macbeth **9.00** as 6pm **10.00** William & Prince **11.00** Little House on the Prairie **1.00pm**

FILM Danielle Steel's Remembrance ★★ **3.00**

Rumpole **4.00** Due South **6.00** Born and Bred **7.00**

M*A*S*H **8.00** Randall and Hopkirk **9.00** Taggart

12 midnight Born and Bred **1.00am** Hamish

Macbeth **2.00** Randall and Hopkirk **3.00** M*A*S*H **4.00-6.00am FILM** Soldier Love Story ★★

True Entertainment +1 Freesat 152 Sky 279

Horror Channel

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F'view 70 Freesat 138 Sky 317 Virgin 149

8.00am Lost in Space **9.00** Star Trek: Deep

Space Nine **10.00** Star Trek **11.00 FILM** Sinbad and the Eye of the Tiger ★★★ Fantasy adventure

1.10pm FILM The Reptile ★★★ Horror **3.00**

Andromeda **4.00 FILM** Bermuda Tentacles ★

Sci-fi horror **5.50** Highlights **6.00** Star Trek **7.00**

Star Trek: Deep Space Nine **8.00** Sliders **9.00**

FILM The Apparition ★★ Supernatural horror

thriller **10.35 FILM** Texas Chainsaw Massacre: the Next Generation ★★★ Horror with Renee

Zellweger **12.20am FILM** The Guardian ★★★ Supernatural horror **2.10 FILM** Iron Sky ★★

Sci-fi action comedy **4.20-4.30am** Highlights

5 USA

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F'view 21 Freesat 129 Sky 141 Virgin 153

9.00am Catch a Contractor **9.20** CSI: NY (S) **11.00** Law & Order (S) **1.05pm** Garage

Sale Mystery: the Novel Murders (S) **3.00** Murder, She Wrote **5.00** NCIS (S) (AD)

6.00pm Law & Order (S) **8.00** NCIS Series 10

The team tries to stop a terrorist unleashing the Ebola virus (S) (AD) **9.00 New**.

Perception Series 2. A killer commits his murders in public First shown on W (S)

10.00 Law & Order: Special Victims Unit (S) (AD) **11.55** Law & Order: Criminal Intent

Series 8. A Wall Street executive is murdered during a kidnap attempt (S)

12.55am CSI: NY (S) **3.50-4.00am** Access

5 USA +1

FRIDAY Satellite & cable



Jamestown 9.00pm Yeardley and Jocelyn show ambition



CSI: Crime Scene Investigation 7.00pm Willows makes a deal



Chicago Fire 9.00pm Casey faces opposition in the team



Fantasy Homes by the Sea 7.00pm From Bournemouth



The Royle Family 9.40pm A lazy Sunday for the clan

Sky 1

Sky 106 Virgin 110 **HD** Virgin 109

6.00am Monkey Life (S) (AD) **7.00** Wild Vets (S) **8.00** The Dog Whisperer (S) (HD) **9.00** Air Ambulance ER (S) (HD) **10.00** Babylon 5 (S) **11.00** NCIS: Los Angeles (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Hawaii Five-O (S) (HD) **3.00** Making Attenborough's Galapagos (S) (HD) **4.00** Modern Family (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00** The Simpsons (S) (HD)

6.00pm Futurama (S) (AD)

6.30 The Simpsons Homer loses his job to a new assistant.

7.00 The family become bloggers. **7.30** Homer becomes an author.

8.00 New. Krusty reveals the story of his past in a movie. (HD)

8.30 New. Modern Family 13/22 Series 10. Cam faces up to a bully. (HD)

9.00 New series. Jamestown **RT** 1/8 Series 3. Return of the period drama. See p112. (HD)

10.00 A League of Their Own With John McEnroe. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 Comedians Watching Football with Friends 8/8 Topical comedy. (HD)

11.30 Brit Cops: Law & Disorder Motorbike thefts. (S) (AD) (HD)

12.30am Road Wars: double bill (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** NCIS: Los Angeles (S) (HD) **4.00** Babylon 5 (S) **5.00-6.00am** Stargate SG-1 (S) (HD)

Sky 1 +1 Sky 206

Sky Atlantic

Sky 108

6.00am The British (S) (AD) (HD) **7.00** Richard E. Grant's Hotel Secrets (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** Urban Secrets (S) (HD) **9.00** The West Wing (S) (HD) **11.00** CSI: Crime Scene Investigation (HD) **12 noon** Without a Trace (S) (HD) **2.00pm** Blue Bloods (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** The West Wing (S) (HD) **5.00** Without a Trace (S) (HD)

7.00pm **CSI: Crime Scene Investigation** 24/25 Series 5

Stokes is buried alive in a glass coffin. Tony Curtis guests. (S) (HD)

8.00 Blue Bloods 4/22 Series 2

Erin reopens a rape case that was originally investigated by Frank 18 years earlier. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Game of Thrones 2/6

Series 8. The Great War between the armies of the dead and the realms of the living goes on. (HD)

10.10 Deadwood 1/12 Series 1

First episode of the drama. (S) (HD)

11.30 2/12. Hickok plays a high-stakes poker game. (S) (HD)

12.40am New. High Maintenance 6/9 Series 3. A vet decides to experiment with mushrooms (S) (HD) **1.15** The Wire (S) (AD) (HD)

2.25 Our Cartoon President (S) (HD) **3.35** Micro Monsters with David Attenborough (S) (HD) **4.05-6.00am** The West Wing (S) (HD)

Sky Atlantic +1 Sky 208

Sky Arts

Sky 122 Virgin 122 **HD** Virgin 206

6.00am André Rieu: And the Waltz Goes On (S) (HD) **9.00** Tales of the Unexpected (S) **10.00** Discovering: Jack Palance (S) (AD) (HD) **11.00** Discovering: George C Scott (S) (AD) (HD) **12 noon** The Seventies (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00pm** Tales of the Unexpected (S) **2.00** Christian Dior: Designer of Dreams (HD) **3.00** Portrait Artist of the Year: the Winner's Story (HD) **4.00** Discovering: Julie Christie (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00** Discovering: Carole Lombard (S) (AD) (HD)

6.00pm The Eighties An insight into a decade that had a profound impact on America. (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 Too Young to Die A look at the life of actress and model Sharon Tate. (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Soundtracks: Songs That Defined History Songs that took on a new and heightened meaning following 9/11. (S) (HD)

9.00 Exploring the music tied to iconic moments in history. (S) (HD)

10.00 New. Word Is Bond **RT** Documentary exploring the transformational power of hip-hop lyrics. See p113. (HD)

11.40 Hip Hop Evolution The history of the genre from the 1970s through the 90s. (S) (AD) (HD)

12.40am Hip Hop Evolution (S) (AD) (HD) **1.40** There We Were – Now Here We Are: the Making of Oasis (S) (AD)

2.55 Oasis: Live by the Sea **4.10** Discovering: Julie Christie (S) (AD) (HD) **5.05-6.00am** Discovering: Carole Lombard (S) (AD) (HD)

Sky 2

Sky 151 Virgin 121

6.00am Cooks to Market (S) (AD) **7.00** Wild Things (S) (AD) **8.00** 60-Minute Makeover (S) **10.00** Four Weddings (S) **11.00** Celebrity Four Weddings (S) (AD) **12 noon** Animal House (S) (AD) **2.00pm** The Dog Whisperer **3.00** Stargate SG-1: double bill (S) **5.00** Haven (S)

6.00pm Supergirl 20/22 Series 2 The responsibility falls on James when an alien strikes National City. Meanwhile, Rhea escalates her dangerous plan. (S)

7.00 Stargate Atlantis 20/20 Series 4. Sheppard finds the city of Atlantis abandoned. (S)

8.00 The Flash 18/23 Series 5 Barry and Iris struggle to deal with the shocking news about Nora working with Thawne.

9.00 Strike Back: Silent War 9/10 Series 7. Section 20 clashes with two Russian renegades. (S)

10.00 Football's Funniest Moments A collection of comical incidents from the Premier League.

10.30 Comedians Watching Football with Friends 8/8 Topical comedy analysing big Premier League matches.

11.00 NCIS: Los Angeles 12/24 Series 1. Callen assumes an old alias to investigate the death of a recently released taxi driver. (S)

12 midnight Jamestown **1.00am** The Force: Manchester (S) **4.00** Duck Quacks Don't Echo (S) (AD) **5.00-6.00am** The Dog Whisperer

Syfy

Sky 114 Virgin 135 BT 319 **HD** Virgin 165 BT 375

6.00am Star Trek: Voyager **8.00** Shopping **11.00** Stitchers **12 noon** Primeval **1.00pm** FILM Oceans Rising ★★ Drama **3.00** Marvel's Runaways **5.00** Star Trek: Voyager

6.00pm Star Trek: The Next Generation 25/26 Series 4

Data experiments with his emotions by pursuing a romantic liaison with Ensign Jenna Anaya.

7.00 26/26. Worf is forced to decide between family honour and loyalty to the Federation as civil war threatens the Klingon empire.

8.00 Stitchers 8/11 Series 1. An airborne virus is released in the lab, and Kirsten must find a cure in a dead epidemiologist's memories.

9.00 Elektra ★★

Comic-book action spin-off from Daredevil, with Jennifer Garner as the warrior Elektra, who is brought back from the dead by blind martial arts master Stick.

11.00 Kung Pow: Enter the Fist

★★ Martial arts parody starring Steve Oedekerk. Kung fu prodigy "Chosen One" must avenge the murder of his parents by challenging the evil Master Pain to combat.

12.50am FILM Replicant ★★

Sci-fi action thriller starring Jean-Claude Van Damme **3.00** Star Trek: the Next Generation **4.00-6.00am** FILM Mega Storm: Days of Destruction ★★ Sci-fi thriller starring Jason London

Syfy +1 Sky 214 Virgin 136

TLC

Sky 140 Virgin 167 BT 323 **HD** Virgin 168 BT 377

6.00am Say Yes to the Dress (HD)

7.00 Say Yes to the Dress: Atlanta (HD)

8.00 Say Yes to the Dress (HD) **9.00** Say Yes to the Dress: UK (HD) **10.00** 90 Day Fiancé (HD) **12 noon** My 600lb Life: Where Are They Now? (HD)

2.00pm Caribbean Life (HD) **3.00** My Lottery Dream Home (HD) **4.00** Say Yes to the Dress (HD) **5.00** Say Yes to the Dress: Atlanta (HD) **6.00** Say Yes to the Dress (HD) **7.00** Say Yes to the Dress: UK (HD) **8.00** Say Yes to the Dress (HD) **9.00 New.** Say Yes to the Dress: Lancashire (HD) **10.00** Say Yes to the Dress: Atlanta (HD) **11.00** 90 Day Fiancé: before the 90 Days (AD) (HD)

12 midnight as 8pm **1.00am** as 9pm **2.00** as 10pm **3.00** as 11pm **4.00** as 2pm **5.00-6.00am** as 3pm

TLC +1 Sky 240 Virgin 169

Lifetime

Sky 164 Virgin 208 BT 329 **HD** Virgin 209 BT 384

7.00am Judge Judy (HD) **9.00**

Pawn Stars (HD) **10.00** Storage Wars (HD) **11.00** Judge Judy (HD) **2.00pm**

Britain's Next Top Model (HD) **3.00**

Leah Remini: Scientology and the Aftermath (HD) **4.00** Dance Moms (HD) **5.00** Project Runway All Stars (HD) **6.00** Pawn Stars (HD) **7.00**

Judge Judy (HD) **9.00** Cults and Extreme Belief: Hyung Jin Moon's World Peace and Unification Sanctuary church (HD) **10.00**

Escaping Polygamy (HD) **11.00**

Hardcore Pawn (HD) **11.30**

12 midnight Pawn Stars: two editions (HD) **1.00am** Storage Wars (HD)

2.00 Cults and Extreme Belief (HD)

3.00-4.00am Judge Judy (HD)

Comedy Central

Sky 112 Virgin 132 BT 307 **HD** Virgin 181 BT 370

8.00am The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air (S) **9.00** Fresh Off the Boat (S) (HD) **10.00** Friends (S) (AD) (HD)

12 noon Two Guys, a Girl and a Pizza Place (HD) **1.00pm** Friends (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** Two Guys, a Girl and a Pizza Place (HD) **5.00** Friends (S) (AD) (HD) **8.30** Your Face or Mine (HD) **9.00** Joe Lycett: That's the Way, A-Ha, A-Ha, Joe Lycett (HD)

10.00 The Comedy Bus (HD)

10.30 New. Bob's Burgers (HD)

11.00 New. Corporate (S) (HD)

11.30 Impractical Jokers (S) (HD)

12 midnight Jackass (S) **1.00am New.**

The Daily Show (HD) **1.35** South Park: five episodes (S) (HD) **4.10-5.00am**

The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air (S)

Comedy Central +1 Sky 212 Virgin 133

Sony Crime

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The Murders 9.00pm Kate Jameson is on a mission

Universal TV

Sky 113 Virgin 137 BT 320 **HD** Virgin 164 BT 385

8.00am Sea Patrol **9.00** Murder in Paradise **11.00** Murder She Solved: True Crime **1.00pm** Law & Order **3.00** CSI: Miami

5.00pm Major Crimes **20/23**

Series 4. The team seek to capitalise on a discovery.

6.00 21/23. Another murder forces Sharon to turn attention back to former cop Mark Hickman.

7.00 NCIS **1/24** Series 10. Harper Dearing is hunted following the attack on the NCIS headquarters.

8.00 2/24. An NCIS armoury employee is found murdered.

9.00 The Murders **3/8**

Investigative drama starring Jessica Lucas. A rookie detective's negligence in a fellow officer's death has her seeking redemption.

10.00 Coroner **5/8**. Jenny's work and personal lives collide when she hosts a Thanksgiving dinner.

11.00 6/8. As Jenny conducts her first inquest into a police shooting, McAvoy is forced to ask some tough questions.

12 midnight Law & Order: Special Victims Unit **1.00am** Murder in Paradise **2.00** Murder She Solved: True Crime **3.00** Law & Order: Special Victims Unit **4.00–5.00am** Sea Patrol

Universal TV +1 Sky 213 Virgin 138

PBS America **91**

F'view (HD only) 91 F'sat 155 Sky 174 Virgin 276

8.00am The Teacher Who Defied Hitler **9.00** World of Stonehenge

10.15 The Last Battle of the Vikings

11.30 The Teacher Who Defied Hitler **12.35pm** The Wild Canadian Year **1.50** World of Stonehenge

2.55 The Last Battle of the Vikings

4.15 The Teacher Who Defied Hitler: a Berlin couple who opened a school for Jewish children in 1934

5.20pm The Wild Canadian Year

Examining the country in autumn, with young northern gannets leaping off perilous cliffs, chipmunks racing to gather winter supplies, and prairie rattlesnakes giving birth.

6.35 World of Stonehenge Neil

Oliver examines the consequences of the application of metal to everyday life. He travels to the south-west of Ireland in search of the first copper to be mined beyond mainland Europe.

7.50 New. The Wild Canadian Year

A look at the country in winter as landscapes are transformed by snow and ice, with lynx hunting snowshoe hares in the boreal forest.

9.05 Killing Zone Atlantic

Following a team of historians mapping the lost wrecks of the Battle of the Atlantic, which saw more than 3,500 Allied ships and nearly 800 U-boats sunk.

11.00 The Wild Canadian Year

As 7.50pm.

12.10–2.00am as 9.05pm



Shakespeare and Hathaway: Private Investigators 9.00pm

Alibi

Sky 132 Virgin 126 BT 312 **HD** Virgin 226 BT 382

7.20am Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD)

9.05 Rizzoli & Isles (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 Sue Thomas: F.B.I. Eye (S)

11.00 Unforgettable (HD)

12 noon Miss Fisher's Murder

Mysteries (S) (HD)

1.00pm Motive (HD)

2.00 Murdoch Mysteries (S)

(HD)

4.00 Rizzoli & Isles (S) (AD)

5.00 New. Rush (AD) (HD)

6.00pm Motive **8/13** Series 1

Flynn and Vega investigate a

Hitchcock-esque tragedy. (HD)

7.00 Father Brown **4/10** Series 2

A convicted killer is given a

temporary reprieve. (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 5/10. Sid and Father Brown

try to find the mythical

Lannington Rosary. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Shakespeare and

Hathaway: Private Investigators

2/10 Series 1. Frank and Luella

investigate the death of a care

home worker. (HD)

10.00 The Coroner **10/10** Series 1

A woman dies in the build-up to a

Latin dance festival. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 New Tricks **2/10** Series 10

The team comes closer to solving

the Gibraltar murders. (S) (AD) (HD)

12.10am Murdoch Mysteries (S)

(HD)

1.10am Quantico (S) (AD) (HD)

2.20–4.00am Murdoch

Mysteries: two episodes (S) (HD)

Alibi +1 Sky 232 Virgin 191



Bull 10.00pm Bull represents Darius's grandfather Willie

Fox

Sky 124 Virgin 157 **HD** Virgin 199

8.00am Monk (HD)

9.00 Bones (HD)

10.00 Monk (HD)

11.00 NCIS (S) (AD) (HD)

12 noon Bones: double

bill (HD)

2.00pm The Mentalist (HD)

3.00 NCIS (S) (AD) (HD)

4.00 Monk (HD)

5.00 Bones (HD)

6.00pm The Mentalist **24/24**

Series 3. Jane uses Hightower's

location to attract Red John's

accomplice, who he will use to

track down the serial killer. (HD)

7.00 NCIS **5/24** Series 14

Gibbs sends Quinn and Bishop to Philadelphia when the murder of a petty officer is linked to the

disappearance of an MI6 agent.

8.00 6/24. The abduction of a

petty officer seems to be connected

to her husband's disappearance.

9.00 New. **17/24** Series 16. The

nuclear submarine Gibbs and

Bishop are aboard goes radio

silent. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 Bull Ep 16 Series 3

Chunk represents his first legal

client, Darius, a young man facing

federal counterfeiting charges. (HD)

11.00 American Dad! Series 14. Jeff

panics when he loses his hat. (HD)

11.30 Series 1. Pilot episode. (S)

12 midnight Family Guy **1.00am**

American Dad! (HD)

2.00 Family Guy **4.00–5.00am**

Monk (HD)

Fox +1 Sky 224 Virgin 158

Discovery +1 Sky 225 Virgin 252

Nat Geographic

Sky 129 Virgin 266 BT 317 **HD** Virgin 268 BT 373

8.00am Gold Diggers (HD)

9.00 Yukon Gold (HD)

10.00 Highway thru

Hell: USA (HD)

11.00 Ice Road Rescue (HD)

12 noon Wicked Tuna: North v

South (HD)

1.00pm Wicked Tuna (HD)

2.00 Car SOS (HD)

3.00 Storage (HD)

4.00 Forged in Fire (HD)

7.00pm American Pickers: Mike and

Frank get a lead on what could be

Aerosmith's tour van (HD)

8.00 Mega Transports: the Antonov An-225 Mriya (HD)

9.00 Whitey Bulger: the Making of a

Monster (HD)

10.00 Ronnie O'Sullivan's American Hustle: Ronnie and Matt Smith

hit the pool halls of Memphis (HD)

12 midnight River Hunters (HD)

1.00am Hardcore Pawn (HD)

2.00 American Pickers (HD)

3.00 Forged in Fire (HD)

4.00–6.00am Storage Wars (HD)

6.00pm War Heroes of the Skies (HD)

7.00 Nazi Megastructures: trains used

to transport prisoners to concentration

amps (HD)

8.00 Terror in the Skies: double

bill. What happens when planes

fly into hazards, and problems that

affect planes before they take off (HD)

10.00 Budget Mission to the Moon (HD)

11.00 Car SOS (HD)

12 midnight Air Crash Investigation

(HD)

2.00am Wicked Tuna (HD)

3.00 Ice Road Rescue (HD)

4.00–5.00am Highway thru Hell: USA (HD)

6.00pm Raven **6.30** Last Commanders

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Hannibal Linklater?

Everybody Wants Some!! ★★★★

11.20pm Film4 FREEVIEW

Before production began on his feel-good 1980s-set college movie (review, p45), Richard Linklater gathered the dozen main cast together at his ranch for three weeks of bonding and rehearsal. They ended up calling him "Rick-apedia" because he knew everything about the culture of the period. "He's intelligent in every way," said Temple Baker (who plays Plummer). "He gets everyone," agreed Blake Jenner (Jake). "He's like the intellectual Hannibal Lecter." **TOM FOLLEY**



Vigilante on wheels

The Equalizer 2 ★★★ 8.00pm Sky Premiere

Denzel Washington's do-gooding ex-government spook Robert McCall returns, and is now working as a cab driver – the perfect way to overhear people's problems. However, McCall's past returns to haunt him after a friend falls victim to ruthless mystery men. Director Antoine Fuqua marshals the mayhem with aplomb, but it's Washington's cool class and charisma that adds dramatic heft to the violent action, whether it's felling pursuers during a hurricane or saving a young neighbour from the gangsta life. **JEREMY ASPINALL**

Danse macabre

Suspiria ★★

Amazon Prime

Director Luca Guadagnino follows his acclaimed *Call Me by Your Name* with this remake of Dario Argento's 1976 horror. Dakota Johnson (right) stars as the dance ingenue whose new school turns out to be the cover for a witches coven. It's as confused as it is confusing, but look out for Tilda Swinton in multiple roles. **DAVE ALDRIDGE**



FREEVIEW

Film4 15

F'view 15 F'sat 300 Sky 313 Virgin 428 **HD** Virgin 429

11.00am Mysterious Island ★★

Enjoyable fantasy. Michael Craig (1961, U) (S) (AD)

1.05pm Robin and Marian ★★★★

Wonderfully original take on the legend of Robin Hood. Sean Connery, Audrey Hepburn (1976, PG) (S)

3.15 The Tall Stranger ★★

Wagon-train western. Joel McCrea, Virginia Mayo, Barry Kelley (1957, PG) (S)

5.00pm The Man in the Iron Mask

★★★ Sprightly adaptation of the classic adventure. Richard Chamberlain, Patrick McGoohan (1977, PG)

7.10 The Cold Light of Day ★★

Kidnappers turn a CIA agent's family holiday into a nightmare in this thriller. Bruce Willis, Henry Cavill, Sigourney Weaver (2012, 15) (S) (AD)

9.00 The Heat ★★★★

Sandra Bullock and Melissa McCarthy make an inspired double act in this cop comedy. (2013, 15) (S) (AD)

11.20 The Equalizer 2 ★★★★

Richard Linklater's 1980s-set spiritual sequel to *Dazed and Confused*. Review, p45; Choice, left. Blake Jenner (2016, 15) (S)

1.40–3.50am Me and Earl and the Dying Girl ★★★★

Quirky, poignant drama. Thomas Mann, Olivia Cooke (2015, 12) (S) (AD)

Film4 +1 F'view 45 (HD only) F'sat 301 Sky 314 Virgin 430

Sony Movie Channel 32

Freeview 32 Freesat 302 Sky 321 Virgin 425

9.00am Stand Your Ground ★★

Crime drama. (2013) **11.10 Mother Betrayed ★★**

Thriller. (2015) **1.00pm A Shine of Rainbows ★★**

Drama. (2009, PG) **3.10 Zoom ★**

Comedy. (2006, PG) **4.50 Jackie Chan's Who Am I? ★★★★**

Martial arts comedy. Jackie Chan (1998, 12)

7.05pm Reign of Fire ★★

Fantasy. Christian Bale, Matthew McConaughey, Izabella Scorupco (2001, 12)

9.00 Stand by Me ★★★★

Sensitive drama. Review, p45. Wil Wheaton (1986, 15)

10.50 Precious ★★★★

Heartfelt and challenging drama. Gabourey Sidibe, Mo'Nique (2008, 15)

1.15am Extortion ★★★

Crime thriller. Eion Bailey (2017, 15) **3.30–6.00am Revolution ★★★**

Historical war drama. Al Pacino (1985, 12)

Sony Movie Channel +1 Sky 322 F'view 50 (10pm–5am)

Movies4Men 48

Freeview 48 Freesat 305 Sky 323 Virgin 426

6.00am The Thing from Another World ★★★★

Sci-fi horror. (1951, PG) **7.40 Magma: Volcanic Disaster ★★**

Disaster movie. (2006) **9.25 Ice Quake ★★**

Adventure. Brendan Fehr (2010, 12) **11.15 Wagonmaster ★★★★**

Western. Ben Johnson (1950, PG) **1.00pm The Deadly Companions ★★★**

Western. Maureen O'Hara, Brian Keith (1961, PG) **2.55 Stealth: the Art of Deception ★★★★**

4.05 Snipers **5.05 The Blitz on Coventry ★★★★**

6.10pm The Desert Rats Documentary **7.10 Ice Quake ★★**

Disaster adventure. Brendan Fehr, Holly Dignard, Jodelle Ferland (2010, 12)

9.00 The Hunter's Prayer ★★★

Slick action thriller. Sam Worthington, Odeya Rush (2017, 15)

10.55 I Am Wrath ★★

An ex-special agent trails his wife's killer. John Travolta (2016, 15)

12.45am Callan ★★★

Drama. Edward Woodward (1974, 15) **2.55–4.00am Future Combat Aircraft**

Movies4Men +1 Sky 324

Talking Pictures TV 81

Freeview 81 Freesat 306 Sky 328 Virgin 445

6.00am Two Thousand Women ★★★★

Drama. (1944, PG) **8.05 June Allyson 8.35**

Bombay Waterfront ★★

Mystery. (1952, U) (S) **10.00 Desk Set ★★★★**

Comedy. Spencer Tracy, Katharine Hepburn (1957, U) **12.05pm Mandy ★★★★**

Drama. Phyllis Calvert (1952, PG) (S) **2.00 The Edgar Wallace Mystery Theatre 3.25 I Know Where I'm Going! ★★★★**

Romantic comedy. Wendy Hiller (1945, U) **5.30 Robin's Nest 6.00pm Wild Wings** TV documentary

6.40 Carve Her Name with Pride ★★★★

Well-crafted biopic. Film of the Day, p45. Virginia McKenna, Paul Scofield, Jack Warner (1958, PG)

9.00 Van der Valk

TV detective drama. **10.00 The Boys from Brazil ★★★**

Accomplished thriller. Gregory Peck (1978, 18) (S)

12.35am The Boston Strangler ★★★★

Drama. (1968, 18) **2.55 The Flying Scot ★**

Thriller. (1957, U) **4.25–6.00am Pit of Darkness ★**

Drama. William Franklin (1961, PG)

Premiere

Sky 301 Virgin 431 BT 501 **HD** Virgin 401

6.00am As 2.30pm **7.40 Solo: A Star Wars Story Special 8.10 As 6pm 10.10 As 10.10pm 12.20pm As 8pm 2.30 Teen Titans Go! To the Movies ★★★**

Adventure. Choice, p60. Scott Menville (2018, PG) **4.10 Alpha ★★★**

Prehistoric thriller. Choice, p80. Kodi Smit-McPhee (2017, 12)

6.00pm Mamma Mia! Here We Go Again ★★★

Exuberant musical sequel. Choice, p70. Lily James, Jeremy Irvine, Amanda Seyfried (2018, PG)

8.00 **10.10pm The Equalizer 2 ★★★**

Denzel Washington has cool charisma in Antoine Fuqua's action-packed crime thriller sequel. Choice, left. Pedro Pascal (2018, 15)

10.10 Ant-Man and the Wasp

Rip-roaring Marvel adventure. Paul Rudd, Evangeline Lilly (2018, 12)

12.10am As 4.10pm **1.55 The Dark ★★★**

Horror. Choice, p110. (2018, 15) **3.35 The Neighbour ★★**

Thriller. (2018, 15) **5.30 The Hurricane Heist: The Eye of the Storm**

Premiere +1 Sky 312 Virgin 402

Superhero

Sky 303 Virgin 434 BT 508 **HD** Virgin 404

7.15am JLA Adventures: Trapped in Time **8.15pm The Dark Tower ★★**

Fantasy horror. Idris Elba (2017, 12) **11.50 As 10pm 1.50pm Speed 2: Cruise Control ★★**

Thriller. Sandra Bullock (1997, PG) **4.00 Shanghai Noon ★★★**

Action western. Jackie Chan (2000, 12)

Action

Sky 306 Virgin 437 BT 502 **HD** Virgin 407

8.15am Sucker Punch ★★

Thriller. Emily Browning (2011, 12) **10.10pm The Dark Tower ★★**

Fantasy horror. Idris Elba (2017, 12) **11.50 As 10pm 1.50pm Speed 2: Cruise Control ★★**

Thriller. Sandra Bullock (1997, PG) **4.00 Shanghai Noon ★★★**

Action western. Jackie Chan (2000, 12)

Comedy

Sky 307 Virgin 438 BT 506 **HD** Virgin 408

7.00am Class Rank ★★★

Comedy. Skyler Gisondo (2017, 12) **8.50 CHiPs ★★**

Action police comedy. Dax Shepard (2017, 15) **10.40 As 8pm 12.30pm As 9.45pm 2.20 Bruce Almighty ★★★**

Comedy fantasy. Jim Carrey (2003, 12) **4.05 Hitch ★★★**

Romantic comedy. Will Smith (2005, 12)

Musicals

Sky 308 Virgin 442 BT 510 **HD** Virgin 412

6.55am The Blues Brothers ★★★★

Musical comedy. (1980, 15)

9.10 Dreamgirls ★★★

Musical drama. (2006, 12) **11.25pm Annie ★★★**

Musical. (1982, U) **1.35pm Singin' in the Rain ★★★★**

Classic musical. (1952, U) **3.25 As 11pm 5.20 Pitch Perfect 3 ★★**

Comedy. (2012)

Disney

Sky 304 Virgin 435 BT 503 **HD** Virgin 405
6.35am As 3.10pm **8.05** As
 4.40pm **9.35** As 6.10pm **11.20**
 As 8pm **1.35pm** **Tinkerbell and the Secret of the Wings** ★★★
 Fantasy. (2012, U) **3.00** Bao **3.10**
Pocahontas ★★★ Adventure. (1995, U)
4.40 Planes: Fire and Rescue
 ★★★ Adventure. Dane Cook (2014, U)

6.10pm **WALL-E** *****

Enchanting Pixar sci-fi tale about a lonely robot who finds love with another droid. Ben Burtt, Elissa Knight, Sigourney Weaver (2008, U)

8.00 National Treasure ★★

Entertaining action adventure. Nicolas Cage, Jon Voight, Harvey Keitel (2004, PG)

10.15 National Treasure: Book of Secrets ★★★

Daft but fun adventure sequel. Nicolas Cage, Diane Kruger, Jon Voight, Helen Mirren (2007, PG)

12.25am The Million Dollar Duck ★★★ Comedy. (1971, U) **2.10**
Tex ★★★★ Drama. (1982, PG) **4.05**
Belle's Magical World ★★ (1997, U)
5.25 Lilo & Stitch 2: Stitch Has a Glitch ★★★ Comedy. (2005, U)

Drama

Sky 309 Virgin 440 BT 511 **HD** Virgin 410
6.00am The Butterfly Tree ★★
 Romantic drama. Melissa George (2017, 15)
7.45 So B. It ★★★ Drama. Talitha Bateman (2016) **9.30 Flashdance** ★★★
 Musical drama. Jennifer Beals (1983, 15)
11.15 As 8pm **1.00pm Call Me by Your Name** As 9.40pm **3.20 28 Days** ★★ Drama. Sandra Bullock (2000, 15)

5.10pm The Curious Case of Benjamin Button ★★★★

Touching romantic fantasy drama starring Brad Pitt as a man who ages in reverse. Cate Blanchett (2008, 12)

8.00 Lady Bird ***** Coming-of-age comedy that balances wit and angst. Saoirse Ronan (2017, 15)**9.40 Call Me by Your Name** ★★★ Sensual and superbly acted coming-of-age drama. Armie Hammer, Timothée Chalamet (2017, 15)

12 midnight An Officer and a Gentleman ★★★ Romantic drama. (1982, 15) **2.10am Lost in Translation** ***** Drama. Bill Murray (2003, 15) **4.00 Roman Holiday** ***** Romantic comedy. (1953, U)

Thriller

Sky 311 Virgin 439 BT 509 **HD** Virgin 409
6.40am Barracuda ★★ Thriller. (2017, 15) **8.25 City of Tiny Lights** ★★★ Crime drama. (2016, 15) **10.20 Thoroughbreds** ★★★★ Thriller. (2017, 15) **11.55 Spinning Man** ★★ Thriller. (2018, 15) **1.40pm Breaking In** ★★★ Thriller. (2018, 15) **3.10 Déjà Vu** ★★★ Sci-fi action thriller. (2006, 12)

5.20pm Safe House ★★★

Fast-paced action thriller. Ryan Reynolds, Denzel Washington (2012, 15)

7.20 Serpent ★★★ Strongly-acted thriller. Sarah Dumont (2017, 12)**9.00 Hotel Artemis** ★★★★

Zesty futuristic thriller set in an underworld hospital for criminals. Jodie Foster, Sterling K Brown, Sofia Boutella (2018, 15)

10.40 Primal Fear ★★★★

Involving courtroom drama. Richard Gere, Edward Norton (1996, 18)

12.55am Dog Day Afternoon ★★★ Crime drama. Al Pacino (1975, 15)
3.05 The Negotiator ★★★★ Thriller. Jon Hamm (2018, 15) **5.05 Sam Churchill: Search for a Homeless Man** ★★ Mystery. John Schneider (1998)

Family

Sky 305 Virgin 436 BT 505 **HD** Virgin 406
6.40am Justice League – Gotham City Breakout **8.10** As 4.45pm
9.40 As 3.10pm **11.15** As 6.15pm
1.00pm As 8pm **3.10 Tad the Lost Explorer and the Secret of King Midas** ★★★ Adventure. (2017, U) **4.45 Dr Seuss' The Lorax** ★★★ Comedy adventure. Danny DeVito (2012, U)

6.15pm The Lego Movie

★★★★ Awesomely imaginative animated comedy. Chris Pratt, Will Ferrell, Elizabeth Banks, Liam Neeson (2014, U)

8.00 Stardust ★★★★ Visually impressive and witty fantasy adventure. Claire Danes, Charlie Cox, Michelle Pfeiffer, Robert De Niro (2007, PG)**10.10 The Mask of Zorro**

★★★★ Splendid swashbuckling adventure. Antonio Banderas, Anthony Hopkins, Stuart Wilson, Catherine Zeta-Jones (1998, PG)

12.30am My Pet Dinosaur ★★★ (2017, PG) **2.10 Cop and a Half: New Recruit** ★★ (2017, PG) **3.55 A Yeti Adventure** ★★★ (2017, U) **5.30 Against the Wild: the Great Elephant Adventure** ★★★ (2017)

Sci-Fi/Horror

Sky 310 Virgin 441 BT 507 **HD** Virgin 411
6.00am Flatliners ★★ Horror thriller. Ellen Page, Diego Luna (2017, 15) **8.00 2036** As 3.35pm **9.45 Future World** ★★ Futuristic adventure. James Franco (2018, 15) **11.30** As 7.15pm **1.15pm** As 9pm **3.35 2036 Origin Unknown** ★★ Sci-fi action thriller. Katee Sackhoff (2018, 12) **5.15** As 11.20pm

7.15pm Curvature ★★

Good-looking sci-fi thriller. Lyndsy Fonseca, Glenn Morshower, Alex Lanipekun (2017, 15)

9.00 Solo: a Star Wars Story

★★★★ Fun and exciting origins adventure for the space buccaneer. Alden Ehrenreich, Donald Glover, Emilia Clarke (2018, 12)

11.20 I, Robot ★★★★

Will Smith investigates a murder in which the prime suspect is a robot in this inventive and exciting futuristic action thriller.

1.20am Future World As 9.45am **3.05 End of Days** ★★★ Supernatural action thriller. Arnold Schwarzenegger, Gabriel Byrne (1999, 18) **5.15** Sky Cinema Preview

TCM

Sky 315 Virgin 415 BT 512 **HD** Virgin 416
6.00am Hollywood's Best Film Directors **6.30 The Hound of the Baskervilles** **8.10 The Wings of Eagles** ★★★ **10.25 Top Gun** ★★ **12 noon Gun Fight** ★★ **1.30pm Sherlock Holmes and the Spider Woman** ★★★ **2.50 The Woman in Green** ★★★

4.15pm Henry VIII and His Six Wives ★★★ Lavish historical drama. Keith Michell, Charlotte Rampling (1972, PG)

6.45 The Goonies ★★★ Good-natured adventure. Sean Astin, Corey Feldman, Martha Plimpton (1985, 12)

9.00 Mechanic: Resurrection ★★ Blunt action sequel. Jason Statham, Jessica Alba, Tommy Lee Jones (2016, 15)

11.10 Get Carter ★★★★ Terrific British crime thriller. Michael Caine, John Osborne, Ian Hendry, Britt Ekland (1971, 18)

1.30am The Dead Pool ★★ Crime thriller. Clint Eastwood (1988, 18) **3.30** Hollywood's Best Film Directors **5.30 Off Set** **5.50 Ben-Hur** ***** Period epic. **Choice, p70.** (1959, PG) **TCM +1** Sky 316 Virgin 417

SPORT Choices

**One-Day Cricket** 12.55pm

Sky Cricket 4.00pm **Main Event** Craig Overton, Somerset

Sky Main Event

Sky 401 Virgin 511 BT 402 **HD** Virgin 501 BT 437

6.00am Good Morning Sports Fans

9.30 My Icon

9.45 LIVE Formula One First practice, Azerbaijan Grand Prix.

11.50 Formula One

12 noon LIVE European Tour Golf

Round two of the Trophée Hassan II.

1.30pm At Home with Sergio

1.45 LIVE Formula One Second practice in Azerbaijan.

3.50 Formula One

4.00 LIVE One-Day Cricket

Somerset v Essex Eagles.

7.00 LIVE Premier League Football

Liverpool v Huddersfield Town (kick-off **8.00**), from Anfield.

10.30 Premier League Today **11.00**

Premier League Football **12 midnight**

Best Goals **1.00am Premier League Years** (AD) **3.00 Greatest Games 4.00**

Best Goals **5.30–6.00am 100 Club**

Sky Premier League

Sky 402 Virgin 512 **HD** Virgin 502

6.00am Greatest Games 7.00 Legends

8.00 Best Goals 9.00 The Debate

10.00 Premier League Years

12 noon The Debate 1.00pm Premier

League Years (AD) **3.00 Best Goals**

4.00 Greatest Games 5.00 100 Club

5.30 Match Pack 6.00 Premier League

Today **6.30** Premier League Preview

7.00 LIVE Premier League

Football Liverpool v Huddersfield

Town (kick-off **8.00**), from Anfield.

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Best Goals **5.30–6.00am 100 Club**

BT Sport 1

Sky 413 Virgin 527 BT 408 **HD** BT 430

6.00am Rugby Union (AD) 7.00

Hockey 10.00 Non-League Football

10.30 BT Sport Goals Reload

10.45 LIVE Australian Football

1.15pm Scottish Football 1.45 The

Grid (AD) **2.15 Formula E 3.30**

Brothers in Football **5.15** What I

Wore **5.30** Premier League

6.00 Rugby Union (AD)

7.00 LIVE Rugby Union Sale

Sharks v Bath (kick-off **7.45**).

9.30 BT Reload 10.00 Boxing **10.30**

True Grit (AD) **11.30** Motorcycling

12 midnight Formula E **12.30am**

Rugby Union **2.00** Premier League

2.30 Australian Football 4.00 World

Rally **4.30** Motorcycling **5.30–6.00am**

Formula E

BT Sport 2

Sky 414 Virgin 528 BT 409 **HD** BT 431

6.00am French Football 6.30 Motor

Racing **7.30** Motorcycling **8.30** Rallies

9.30 Premier League 10.30 Rugby Union

(AD) **11.30** Let Them Wear Towels (AD)

12.30pm LIVE Tennis WTA

Stuttgart Grand Prix quarter-finals.

4.30 Premier League

5.30 LIVE Tennis WTA Stuttgart.

9.30 BT Reload

Something to believe in

It's the end of an era for *Something Understood*, but presenter **Mark Tully** is still asking life's biggest questions

Something Understood

Easter Day 6.05am, 11.30pm **Radio 4**

ONE MORNING SOME years ago Mark Tully was attending a church service in Edinburgh when a woman in the congregation came up and spoke to him. It was the first time she'd felt able to attend a church service since her husband had died, she told him. What had made the difference was the edition of Radio 4's *Something Understood* – Tully's Sunday-morning exploration of spiritual ideas – that she'd just listened to.

"That meant a lot to me," Tully says. "What I hope people take from the programme is both an interest in the questions we raise and also that it might help them in their lives."

The woman was lucky with her timing. Tully is one of the true greats of the BBC, a voice people have been listening to since the 1960s, but he has been based in India almost his entire career and only makes periodic visits to the UK. For decades he was the BBC's India correspondent. He quit the job in 1994, launching *Something Understood* a year later. Now 83, he has remained in New Delhi throughout.

Something Understood is Tully in his element. He studied theology at Cambridge and nearly entered the priesthood, and the programme satisfies his yearning to ask the biggest questions of all. Why are we here? What's it all about?

Readings and passages of music embellish the half-hour, and lovers of the programme find it a huge source of both consolation and stimulation. But, Tully is keen to stress, "I try not to take the programme too seriously, or myself too seriously. I'm not a latter-day Billy Graham."

Right now, however, is a time of sadness for Tully. The edition of *Something Understood* that goes out on Easter Day will be the last that Tully or anyone else will ever record. Repeats of the show will continue to be broadcast, but after

24 years, cost-cutting has put paid to any more original programmes.

"I feel sad for myself," Tully says, "I feel sad for everyone behind the programme, and I feel sad because I know a lot of listeners like it. They say two things to me about it: that there is nothing else like it on the radio, and that this is what radio should be all about. And I think that's true. I think the BBC is underestimating the asset that it has."

India has had a huge influence on Tully's thinking. "I still cling to Christianity and identify myself as a Christian, but living here with so

•I no longer believe that Christianity is the only way to God•

many religions all around me I no longer believe that Christianity is the only way to God. I've learnt the concept of balance, of not taking anything too far, of recognising that there are very few things that are absolutely certain in this life. So one must not behave as if one is always right – as if one has found the answer. One should always be open to dialogue and discussion and learning."

The world isn't really going that way though, is it? "No, it isn't. I think that the world is going through a very tumultuous, dangerous period. We're getting leaders who are very certain they have the answer, who forget that the world is made up of a few very privileged people and very many people who are very underprivileged."

"We've been swept off our feet by consumerism and it's inspired by greed. If it weren't for being greedy we wouldn't be consumerists. There is no religion I know that teaches that greed is good."

But aren't we still concerned with how we live? Aren't we still looking for meaning in our lives? "There are things like mindfulness, that's true. And over the years we've explored the mindfulness movement in the programme. At the same time, I do find it strange even with my own children and grandchildren that the big questions of life that religion attempts to answer don't seem to be as uppermost in their minds as they were in mine and my friends' minds when I was young. They don't spend time like we did in the 1960s arguing about the existence of God."

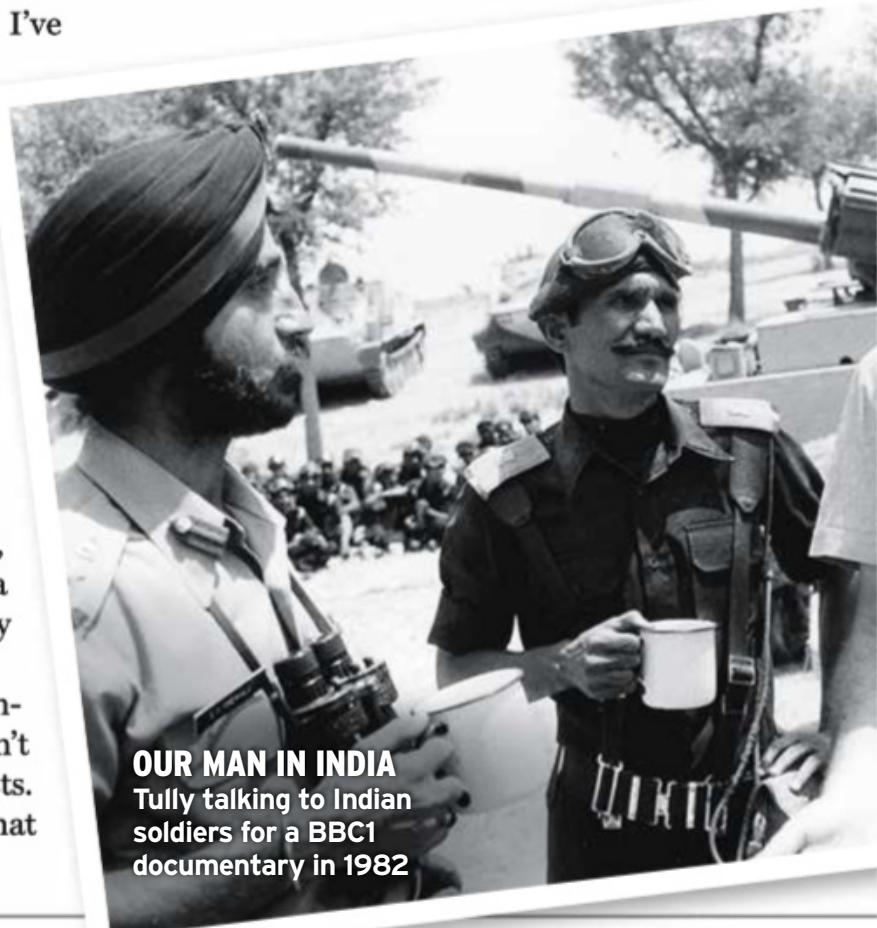
IASK ONE OF the longtime producers of *Something Understood*, Frank Stirling, about Tully, with whom he has worked from the beginning. "The thing about Mark is that he's a very good listener," is Stirling's verdict. "He is open to ideas he hasn't come across before. He wears his own religious beliefs very lightly."

Stirling discovered what a big figure Tully is in India when he spent time with him there two years ago making a radio documentary marking the 70th anniversary of Partition. "Mark loves to travel, but we couldn't walk down the street without people coming up to him, wanting to talk to him."

Stirling and Tully have worked together on the last new *Something Understood*. It takes as its theme the final line of *East Coker*, from TS Eliot's *Four Quartets*: "In my end is my beginning". The readings will be typically diverse, ranging from Vera Brittain to the Bengali poet Rabindranath Tagore; likewise the music, which ranges from Berlioz to the New York-born Puerto Rican trumpeter Willie Colon.

Meanwhile, Tully is applying Eliot's idea to his own life. "Eliot talks about the need for old men to explore, so I suppose I will have to explore, and see what this end could be the beginning of."

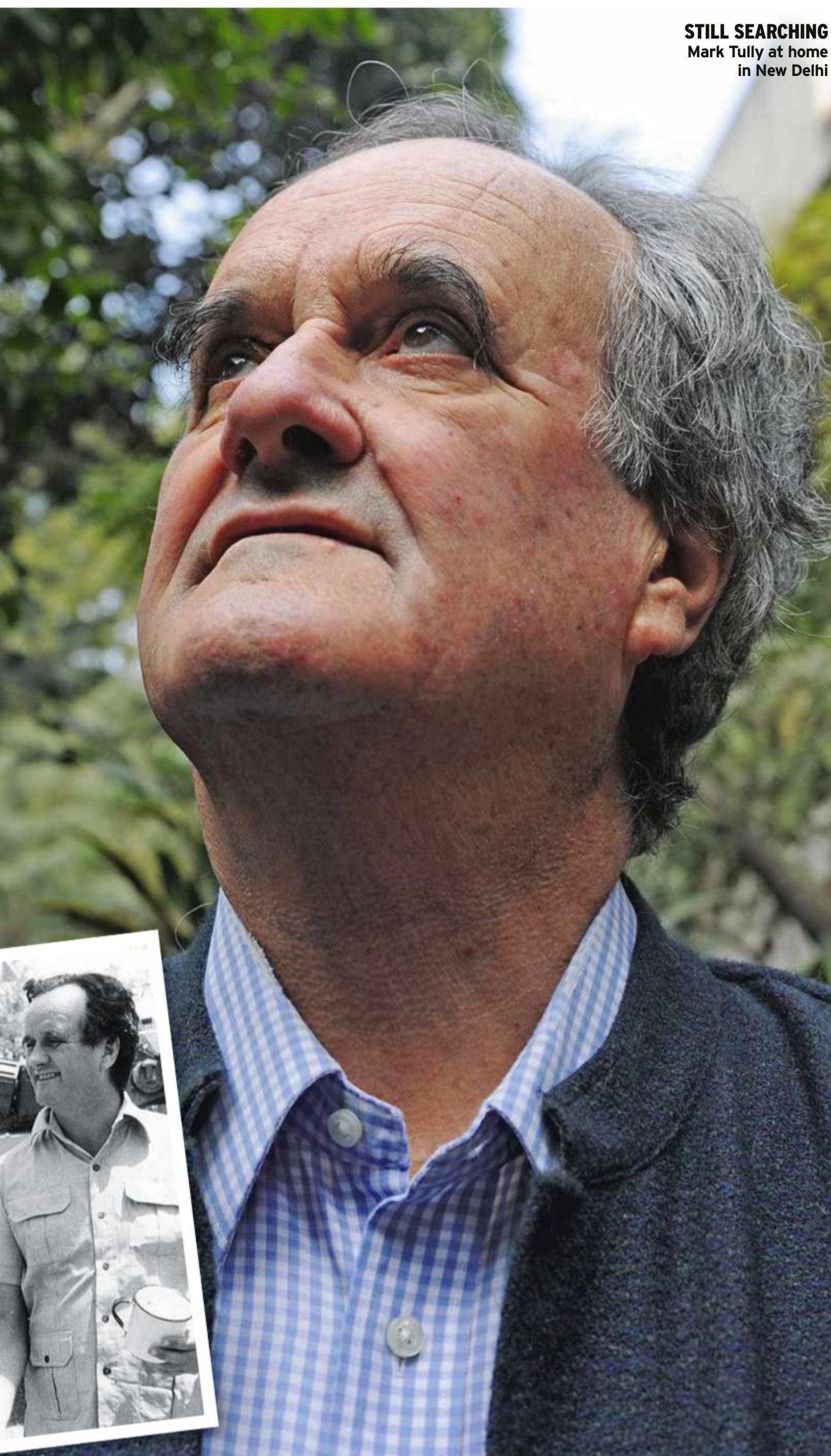
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STILL SEARCHING
Mark Tully at home
in New Delhi



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PICK OF THE WEEK

All in the Mind
Tuesday 9.00pm **Radio 4**

Many people think of professional footballers as living the dream – the fame, the glory, the money, all of it the result of doing something they love. But to hear the ex-player Clarke Carlisle (right) describing his experiences is to have that illusion shattered.

In 2017, the public got to know about Carlisle's mental-health problems when – suicidal – he went missing. Now he campaigns for greater awareness of what can befall people – not just professional sportsmen and women – and in this opening edition of a new series of *All in the Mind*, he talks with candour and eloquence about the depths to which he sank and how he turned his life around.

The interviewer is *All in the Mind* presenter Claudia Hammond and the recording takes place in front of a live audience of BBC staff in Salford. It's a riveting half-hour, not least for the contribution made by Carlisle's wife Carrie, who is a really amazing-sounding person.

"My whole identity was tied up with football," Carlisle explains. "Football managed to mask a lot of ills because it gave me huge highs on a regular basis – the endorphin rush of just walking out on to the pitch to the roar of 30,000 people."

Carlisle got a taste of what it was like to lose that identity when he was only 21 and suffered a career-threatening injury. He recovered, but when he retired – after 16 years in the game in which he made 470 league appearances for clubs including Queens Park Rangers, Leeds United and Watford – it happened again.

This is football – and life – as it is rarely seen.



AMBRIDGE DIARY

***The Archers* this week...**

Has the Lower Loxley curse been lifted? Things are definitely looking up, what with the Easter event and Elizabeth's birthday tea. But uh-oh, what's this? An unfortunate fate looks set to befall the Easter bunny – who will step into the breach, and how will Elizabeth react?

Natasha is concerned to find herself suddenly related to half of Ambridge, and makes a friend in Emma. But tension continues to brew between the newlyweds as Natasha is summoned to an uncomfortable encounter with Peggy, while Tom ends up putting his foot in it, with disastrous consequences.

Elsewhere, Shula opens up about her crisis of faith and an old mystery rears its head when there's a shocking discovery. **DAVID BROWN**

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Hell is other people ...especially when they're watching films

THERE ARE CERTAIN things people in showbusiness must never do. Say anything bad about Oprah. Disagree with Dame Helen Mirren. Criticise either of the Lorraine Kellys. I hope we're both clutching our pearls at this moment because I'm about to breach one of those sacred rules.

Don't worry, I'm not about to diss Scotland's finest. Mainly because I'm full of admiration for the Lorraines but also because I once saw her win a bar fight without looking up from her *Racing Post* or spilling her pint.

However – brace yourself – I am, respectfully, graciously and with all due deference, going to take issue with something Dame Helen has said. I hope she's not a friend of the Lorraines or I'm going to be eating through a straw.

As showbiz bible *Variety* reported: "Esteemed actress Helen Mirren knows how to get a crowd of movie theatre owners going – by hurling obscenities at their streaming competitors. 'I love Netflix, but f— Netflix!' Mirren cheered onstage at CinemaCon, the annual convention of movie exhibitors... She was met with thunderous applause... Mirren continued to preach to the choir,

'These supposed film-lovers could not stop blabbing'

saying, 'There's nothing like sitting in the cinema.'

I'd love to agree with Dame Helen about the cinema experience, not least because cinemas have raised their game. Faced with competition from streamers, the internet, phone screens, tablet screens and laptop screens, the biggest screens of all are bigger and sharper than ever. The sound is clearer; the seats more luxurious. There are some splendid settings to luxuriate in the artistic endeavours of film-makers. Why they still sell noisy sweets in the foyer continues to be a bugbear, but I could let that pass.

No, for me, the biggest obstacle to enjoying the cinema experience is other people.

I went to see the Netflix-funded film *Roma* at a cinema at the time of its simultaneous release on the small screen. The director, Alfonso Cuarón, advised that "the complete experience of *Roma* is unquestionably in a movie theatre". It was a stunning cinema experience... or it would



have been were it not for the middle-class, middle-aged couples who whispered to each other throughout the film. All around me, there was "Alice went there on holiday!"; "Oh my God, I can't believe she did that" and "Who is that balding git who keeps telling us to shush?"

These were supposed film-lovers, paying to see an art-house release, but they could not stop blabbing. I had a similar experience in the Regent Street Cinema in London – a shrine for film-lovers – where a man next to me was tapping on his phone screen. When I asked him to stop, he advised me this was his personal space and he had urgent business to do online. I'm told it took the doctors five hours to remove the device from his oesophagus.

FOR MORE THAN 100 years, the financial success of the movie business has been tied to getting bums on seats. Complex film distribution deals are a vital factor in every movie's bottom line. You couldn't make money in films without cinemas. Now it seems, maybe you can. I wonder whether giant cinema complexes will go the same way as giant shopping malls: temples built for a now outmoded way of doing business. I'd hate to see them go.

But given the choice: give me Netflix in peace at home over noisy nellies at the pictures.

Eddie Mair's show is on LBC, weekdays at 4pm

SOUND BITES

BY DAVID HEPWORTH

A real page-turner of a podcast



There are lots of book programmes on the radio. There are plenty of book podcasts out there as well. The one I like best is *Backlisted* – a labour of love, as opposed to a commission from BBC Sounds. It's done by people who would probably be talking about the same books with the same people had podcasting never been invented. The people are John Mitchinson and Andy Miller, two old salts of the publishing world, the kind who don't so much read as re-read, and probably smell like libraries.

The art of reading

Every week they invite a mate to choose a book that was once popular and is no longer fashionable. This might be a former bestseller like *To Serve Them All My Days* by RF Delderfield, a tangential read like *The Fatal Englishman* by Sebastian Faulks or, recently, *Imogen* by Jilly Cooper (right). I thought I was quite the reader until I listened to *Backlisted*. Now I have to ration myself to listening to *Backlisted* only occasionally because I find exposure to even one episode makes me determined to read the book they're talking about. In fact it's not so much about books as about reading, which is more interesting. How do serious readers do all that reading? Do they make marks in the margins? Do they ever give up? How come they don't have to wait until once a year when they're on a sunbed to start a book? Which bits make them laugh out loud?



You're among friends

The other thing *Backlisted* has in common with my other favourite podcasts, such as *The Football Ramble* and *Pod Save America*, is you're so clearly among friends. They haven't been assembled by a producer looking to fill a quota. They're amateurish in the original spirit of the word. They do it for love. Long may they flourish.

A salutary reminder

Radio 4's *PM* and reporter Andrew Bomford are to be congratulated on *Anatomy of a Stabbing*, which ran in 15-minute episodes within *PM* over a week and is still worth catching up with online. It's an attempt to understand what led to the fatal stabbing of JJ McPhillips, one of hundreds of young Londoners who went out one night and didn't come back. It's also a salutary reminder that people from outside London who make airy remarks about what people in Islington are thinking really don't know which Islington they're talking about.

SATURDAY Radio

Saturday

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Today's Choices



Opera on 3 from the Met

6.30pm **Radio 3**

Mozart's penultimate opera, *La clemenza di Tito* was long dismissed as a stylistic throwback and a piece of hackwork hurriedly composed to grace a royal occasion – the Holy Roman Emperor Leopold II's coronation as King of Bohemia. But it's now enjoying a comeback, increasingly admired as a radical experiment in reforming the old opera seria and also, in its celebration of an enlightened monarch who dispenses mercy rather than revenge, as a bold example of an artist daring to speak truth to power. In tonight's Met broadcast, the magnanimous Roman emperor Titus is sung by tenor Matthew Polenzani, while the role of Sextus – the best friend who betrays him out of sexual enslavement to the ruthlessly ambitious Vitellia – is taken by star American mezzo Joyce DiDonato (above).

MARK PAPPENHEIM

The Evidence

7.05pm **BBC World Service**

Produced in collaboration with the Wellcome Collection, *The Evidence* arrived last year to discuss major topics about health and the way we live today. The second series kicks off with a visit to Hong Kong to discover what might be done to prevent epidemics. Plague swept the city in the 19th century and Sars was devastating here in 2003. Those appearing include Malik Peiris, who discovered the Sars virus, and Vivian Taam Wong, who ran hospitals during the outbreak. Presenter Claudia Hammond addresses a particularly worrying threat to public health: are we losing faith in so-called experts?

DAVID MCGILLIVRAY

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10.00 Radio 1's Greatest Hits
11.00 Maya Jama New music.
1.00pm Dev and Alice
4.00 Radio 1's Dance Anthems
Presented by Arielle Free.
7.00 DJ Target
1Xtra takes over Radio 1.
9.00 1Xtra's Rap Show Hip-hop.
11.00 Diplo and Friends
1.00am Kan D Man and DJ Limelight
3.00 Danny Howard
4.00 David Rodigan

BBC Radio 2

88-90.2 FM DAB bbc.co.uk/radio2
F'view* 702 F'sat 702 Sky 0102 Virgin 902
6.00am Sounds of the 60s
Tony Blackburn with hits by Aretha Franklin, the Beatles, Stevie Wonder and others, plus two lesser-known tracks introduced by producer Phil Swern, and listeners' texts.
Repeated Sunday 28 April 3am
8.00 Dermot O'Leary
10.00 Graham Norton
Pop music, playful chat and guests, today with Louis de Bernières – who discusses a new stage adaptation of his hit novel *Captain Corelli's Mandolin* – and Erin Kelly to coincide with the release of her latest novel *Stone Mothers*. Plus actor Kelsey Grammer (of *Frasier* fame) and soprano Danielle de Niese, who star in a revival of the musical *Man of La Mancha* at the London Coliseum.

1.00pm Pick of the Pops
Paul Gambaccini with 1975 and 1990.
Repeated Wednesday 3am

3.00 Rylan Clark-Neal

See Wednesday 11am 4 Extra

6.00 Liza Tarbuck

8.00 The Radio 2 Rock Show with Johnnie Walker

The cream of rock, including the feature **This Week in Rock**. And Black Stone Cherry drummer John Fred Young praises a fellow rock musician.

9.00 Levi Roots

4/4. Caribbean classics and more

10.00 The Craig Charles House Party

12.00 Ana Matronic's Dance Devotion

2.00am He's Only Just Begun
1&2/2. Gary Osborne profiles Oscar- and Grammy-winning songwriter (and actor) Paul Williams, best known for two of the Carpenters' big hits – *We've Only Just Begun* and *Rainy Days and Mondays* – but with a CV stretching from the Muppets to Jake Shears, and Daft Punk to Barbra Streisand. (R)

4.00 Angela Scanlon

BBC 6 Music

DAB bbc.co.uk/6music
Freeview 707 Freesat 707 Sky 0120 Virgin 909
7.00am Mark Radcliffe and Stuart Maconie
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1.00pm Liz Kershaw
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Hip-hop, soul, Latin and jazz.
6.00 The Craig Charles Funk and Soul Show
9.00 The Tom Robinson Show
12.00 The Freak Zone Playlist
1.00am The Joy of 6
Last week's interviews.
2.00 6 Music Recommends: the New Music Playlist
3.00 Live Hour
Leftfield at Glastonbury in 2000, plus Kurt Vile in 2009.
4.00 Classic Albums Crosby, Stills and Nash's self-titled 1969 debut.
5.00 Gemma Cairney

BBC Radio 3

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News and weather 7.00am, 8.00, 9.00, 1.00pm
7.00am Breakfast With Elizabeth Alker.
9.00 Record Review With Andrew McGregor.
9.30 Building a Library Lucy Parham assesses available recordings of Schumann's *Piano Concerto in A minor*.
10.50 Andrew talks to Sarah Lenton about recent opera productions released on DVD including Cavalli's *Giasone*, Verdi's *Stiffelio* and Berg's *Wozzeck*.
11.25 Andrew chooses his **Disc of the Week**.
www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/b06w2121
EMAIL: recordreview@bbc.co.uk
Disc details are posted on the website

11.45 Music Matters

Sara Mohr-Pietsch with music news and interviews, and a profile of Holocaust survivor and renowned harpsichordist Zuzana Ruzickova (1927–2017).
Repeated Easter Monday 10pm

12.30pm This Classical Life

Jess Gillam is joined by bass player Sam Becker, with whom she has co-presented the BBC Young Musician podcast. They share tracks including Debussy's *Sarabande*, David Bowie's "Heroes", Dowland's *Flow My Tears* and Serpentwithfeet's take on Berlioz's *Symphonie fantastique*.

1.00 Inside Music

Musicians offer an insider's take on various works, today with oud player and composer Joseph Tawadros exploring some of his favourite music, including countertenor Andreas Scholl, Coptic traditional chant, Bach with swing, Saint-Saëns's Africa and a Mozart symphony that for Tawadros has a Middle Eastern flavour.

3.00 Sound of Dance

Katie Derham talks to Benoit Swan Pouffer, the new artistic director at Rambert dance company. From his days at the critically acclaimed Cedar Lake ballet in New York, Pouffer was known for championing new and innovative choreographers and his collaborations. He discusses his approach to contemporary dance and his plans for the company.

4.00 Jazz Record Requests

Alyn Shipton with the full spectrum of listeners' requests, today featuring Benny Goodman, Regina Carter, Dizzy Reece and Ornette Coleman.
ADDRESS: *Jazz Record Requests*, BBC Radio 3, Broadcasting House, London W1A 1AA
EMAIL: jazz.record.requests@bbc.co.uk

5.00 J to Z

Julian Joseph introduces pianist Elliot Galvin and his trio in a performance of music from his new album *Modern Times*, in which he moves away from electronic instrumentation and embraces a fully acoustic sound. Galvin is also a member of Mercury Prize-nominated jazz quartet Dinosaur. And New Orleans-born trumpeter Christian Scott shares his musical inspirations.

6.30 Opera on 3 from the Met

RT *La clemenza di Tito*, Mozart's opera of vengeance and forgiveness, composed to celebrate the coronation of Austrian Emperor Leopold II as King of Bohemia. Set during the

Scala Radio

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6.00am In the Park Calming music.
7.00 Angelica Bell Uplifting music.
10.00 Simon Mayo With a countdown of the official classical singles streaming chart.

1.00pm Mark Kermode Highlights of film scores.

3.00 Jack Pepper's Culture Bunker

Featuring people behind classical music, today with Freddie Tapner, principal conductor and founder of the London Musical Theatre Orchestra.

5.00 The Console with Luci Holland With the latest game scores and listeners' requests.

6.00 Faye Treacy Favourite classical pieces.

8.00 Saturday Night Scala With Darren Redick.

11.00 William Orbit in the Space (R)

1.00am Night Music

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8.00am Frank Skinner With co-presenter Emily Dean
11.00 Sarah Champion
2.00pm Rock 'n' Roll Football With Matt Forde.
5.00 Andy Bush's Indie Disco
7.00 Absolute Classic Rock Party
10.00 Jay Lawrence
4.00am Chris Martin

Roman Empire, it stars mezzo Joyce DiDonato as Sesto and tenor Matthew Polenzani as Tito. Lothar Koenigs conducts. Presented by Mary Jo Heath, in conversation with Ira Siff, and recorded today at the Metropolitan Opera in New York.

Mozart *La clemenza di Tito*

Ying Fang (soprano)
Elza van den Heever (soprano)
Joyce DiDonato (mezzo)
Emily D'Angelo (soprano)
Matthew Polenzani (tenor)
Christian Van Horn (bass)

New York Metropolitan Opera Chorus and Orchestra, conductor Lothar Koenigs
RT OFFER Mozart *La Clemenza di Tito* (2 CDs) – a 1993 recording featuring Philip Langridge, Lucia Popp, Ruth Ziesak, Ann Murray and Chorus and Orchestra of Zurich Opera conducted by Nikolaus Harnoncourt – is available for £12.95 incl p&p. Call 0115 982 7500 quoting ref 2564688308 or visit radiotimes.com/cds

10.00 New Music Show

Kate Molleson presents live recordings of music by Christopher Fox, Pauline Oliveros, Eliane Radigue and Per Norgard. Plus an interview with composer Laurence Crane and new releases by Irish composer David Fennelly and American experimental duo Matmos.

Christopher Fox *This Is the 1nd Fidelio Trio*
Pauline Oliveros *Trio for flute, piano and page turner* Manuel Zurria (flute), Mark Knoop (piano)
Eliane Radigue *Occam XVII*
Dominic Lash (double bass)
Per Norgard *Symphony No 7*
BBC Scottish Symphony Orchestra, conductor Thomas Dausgaard

12.00 Geoffrey Smith's Jazz

Geoffrey Smith remembers the music of xylophone virtuoso Red Norvo (1908–99), born Kenneth Norville in Beardstown, Illinois. He appeared alongside vocal star Mildred Bailey and was a featured soloist with Benny Goodman and Woody Herman, later forming a groundbreaking trio with bassist Charles Mingus.

1.00am Through the Night

John Shea presents the Amsterdam Baroque Orchestra in a performance of Bach's B minor Mass. **Bach** *Mass in B minor*, BWV232 Martha Bosch (soprano), Maarten Engeltjes (countertenor), Tilman Lichdi (tenor), Klaus Mertens (bass), Amsterdam Baroque Orchestra, conductor Ton Koopman

2.48 Bach, transcr/arr
Busoni *Prelude and Fugue in D*, BWV532 **3.01 Franck** *Piano Quintet in F minor* **3.38 Schumann** *Dichterliebe*, Op 48 **4.11 Kreisler** *Praeludium and Allegro in the Style of Pugnani* **4.17 Lopes-Graca** *Portuguese Dances*, Op 32 **4.24 Albrecht** *Quintet for piano, flute, oboe, clarinet and bassoon*, Op 6 **4.32 Trad** *Three Bulgarian Dances*, arr Wingfield for violin and guitar **4.39 Chopin** *Rondo in C*, Op 73, arr for two pianos **4.50 De Fesch** *Concerto grosso in B flat for two violins, strings and continuo*, Op 10 No 2 **5.01 Svendsen** *Norwegian Artists' Carnival*, Op 14 **5.08 Purcell** *Pavan in G minor*, Z752; *Chacony in G minor*, Z730 **5.16 Czerny** *Fantasie in F minor* for two pianos (four hands) **5.26 Sigismondo d'India** *Sovente, allor (Le musiche. da cantar solo)*
5.36 Tormis *Autumn landscapes* **5.45 CPE Bach** *Flute Sonata in A minor*, Wq128 **5.55 Mendelssohn** *Symphony No 9 in C minor* **6.23 Schubert** *Piano Sonata in A*, D664 **6.41 Haydn** *Violin Concerto in G*, H VIIa 4

Classic FM

99.9-101.9 FM DAB classicfm.com
Freeview 731 Freesat 721 Sky 0106 Virgin 922

6.00am Alan Titchmarsh

9.00 The Classic FM Hall of Fame

Throughout Easter weekend, Classic FM presents the world's biggest annual survey of classical music tastes, the **Classic FM Hall of Fame**. The Top 300 countdown, which kicked off yesterday, continues with 12 hours of ranked pieces as chosen by listeners, with the number one revealed just before 9pm on Easter Monday. Proceedings begin with Bill Turnbull, followed by Anne-Marie Minhall at **12.00**. John Brunning takes over at **3.00pm**, with Catherine Bott starting at **6.00**. Works by Beethoven, Elgar, Rachmaninov, Allegri and Tchaikovsky all figured in last year's Top Ten. Continues tomorrow 9am

9.00 The Way In with Andrew Collins

2.4. Andrew Collins reflects on ways in which we get into classical music. He continues with music heard on the big screen, including Barber's *Adagio for Strings* (*Platoon*), Wagner's *Ride of the Valkyries* (*Apocalypse Now*), plus music featured in *A Clockwork Orange*, *Death in Venice* and *Raging Bull*.

10.00 Smooth Classics

With Mylene Klass.
1.00am Bob Jones **4.00 Jane Jones**

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News 5.30am, 6.00 and hourly to 2.00pm, 4.00 and hourly to 12 midnight

Weather 6.04am, 6.57, 7.57, 12.57pm, 5.57, 9.59, 12.29am

Shipping Forecasts 5.20am, 12.01pm (LW), 5.54, 12.48am

5.30am News Briefing

5.43 Prayer for the Day

With Juanita Francis, Praise and Worship leader and Youth Pastor at Ruach City Church, London.

5.45 The Curious Cases of Rutherford and Fry

3/6. Hannah Fry and Adam Rutherford investigate why instruments sound different. They are joined by the Curious Cases band.

Repeated from Wednesday

6.00 News and Papers

6.07 Open Country

Jallianwallah Grove is a new plantation in the National Forest in Leicestershire, created to commemorate this month's centenary of the Jallianwalla Massacre (also known as the Amritsar Massacre). It has been funded by the Pothohar Association UK, which was established in the 1970s in London as a cultural and social society bringing together people who had their origins in the Pothohar region in West Punjab. Anita Anand pays a visit. Repeated from Thursday. See Monday 4pm

6.30 Farming Today This Week

Farming, food and the countryside.

7.00 Today

With Mishal Husain and Afua Hirsch.

7.25, 8.25 Sport

7.48 Thought for the Day

8.51 LW Yesterday in Parliament

9.00 Saturday Live

Extraordinary stories and remarkable people with Aasmah Mir and Luke Jones. Their guests include the singer and actress Patti Boulaye, who has recently been performing the music of Aretha Franklin; and the travel writer Christopher Somerville, whose new book, *Ships of Heaven*, is a celebration of the UK's finest cathedrals. Producer Louise Corley

10.30 The Kitchen Cabinet

3/6. Jay Rayner presents the touring culinary panel from Bristol, with Niki Segnit, Jordan Bourke, Andi Oliver and Sophie Wright answering the audience's questions.

Producer Hannah Newton. Repeated Tuesday 3pm

11.00 The Forum

Cambodia's Ancient Khmer Empire

Bridget Kendall chairs a discussion about Cambodia's ancient Khmer empire – symbolised by the temple complex at Angkor Wat, dating from the 12th century – with historians David Chandler, Peter Sharrock and Swati Chemburkar, along with anthropologist Kyle Latinis. First broadcast on the BBC World Service.

BBC Radio 4 Extra

DAB bbc.co.uk/radio4extra

Freeview 708 Freesat 708 Sky 0131 Virgin 910

6.00am Death in the Clouds as 4pm

7.30 The Gambaccini Years as 5.30pm

8.00 Sentimental Journey as 3pm

9.00 The Real Comedy Controllers: the

Things That Made Us Laugh as 7pm

12.00 Hancock's Half-Hour 1959 comedy

12.30pm Shush! Comedy written by and starring Morwenna Banks and Rebecca Front. From 2015 (1/4)

1.00 The Citadel Christopher Reason's drama based on AJ Cronin's 1937 novel about medical life before the NHS, set in south Wales in the 1920s (1-5/5)

2.10 Inheritance Tracks Michael Barratt (aka Shakin' Stevens) discusses two pieces of music

2.15 With Great Pleasure Journalist Zeinab Badawi with favourite performance pieces. From 2007

2.45 The (Almost) Accidental Adventures of Bell and Todd Comedy adventure by John Eggleston. Friends Bell and Todd are thrown into a mad and mysterious world by the wry narrator, Diana (June Whitfield). From 1997 (2/6)

3.00 Sentimental Journey Gyles Brandreth presents a light-hearted survey of the history of sentimentality in Britain, from Shakespeare to Noël Coward to Diana, Princess of Wales. With Simon Russell Beale and Jenny Seagrove. From 2014

4.00 Death in the Clouds John Moffatt stars as Hercule Poirot in Michael Bakewell's dramatisation

11.30 From Our Own Correspondent

Kate Adie presents reports from BBC correspondents around the world. Producer Joe Kent

12.04pm Money Box

Iona Bain looks at the psychology of fraud, asking why people fall for scams and examining if understanding this could help contain the epidemic. Repeated tomorrow 9pm

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12.30 The News Quiz

2/8. John Robins, Danielle Ward, and Andy Hamilton are among the panellists joining host Miles Jupp for the topical comedy panel game, featuring cryptic questions, acerbic satire and humorous newspaper cuttings sent in by listeners. Repeated from yesterday

1.00 News

1.10 Any Questions?

Shaun Ley presents topical debate from the BBC Radio Theatre at Broadcasting House in London, with panellists Andrew Bridgen MP, Claire Fox, Owen Jones and Lisa Nandy MP. Repeated from yesterday

2.00 Any Answers?

Phone-in responding to Any Questions? PHONE: 0370 010 0444 Lines open from 12.30pm email: any.answers@bbc.co.uk

2.30 Drama: Death of a Cosmonaut

Julian Rhind-Tutt stars in a monologue by James Fritz, imagining the final moments of Vladimir Komarov (1927-67) as the cosmonaut wrestles with the prospect of the mission ending in his death. First broadcast April 2007. Producer/Director Rebecca Ripley (R)

3.15 Singularity

A story by Andrew Crurney. An astronomer scans the skies. Read by Grant O'Rourke. Producer Eilidh McCreadie (R)

3.30 The Psalms

2/4. Jeremy Irons reads from the Old Testament book, beginning with Psalm 34 and finishing with Psalm 44.

Producer Susan Roberts

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 Caroline Wyatt.

5.30 The Inquiry

3/8. Kavita Puri looks at how the new space race is changing the world, asking if the power of national prestige is giving way to goals of education, economic progress and human rights. Producer Rosamund Jones

6.00 Six o'Clock News

6.15 Loose Ends

Clive Anderson and Scottee are joined by Prue Leith and Deborah Frances-White. Featuring music by David McAlmont and KOG and the Zongo Brigade.

Producer Tim Bano Repeated Easter Monday 11.30am

of Agatha Christie's 1935 whodunnit in which the Belgian detective's fear of flying is compounded when a fellow passenger on a cross-channel flight is murdered by a poisoned dart. With Carolyn Jones

5.30 The Gambaccini Years 2013 series in which Paul Gambaccini celebrated his 40 years in broadcasting, here recalling interviews with Dave Brubeck and Stephen Sondheim (4/4)

6.00 272 Attempts Malcolm Sinclair and Penelope Wilton star in Bryony Lavery's drama set in the aftermath of the destruction of a pioneering research centre, when investigator Patrick Lear sifts through the evidence found on-site to discover whether something has gone radically wrong. With Adjoa Andoh, Deborah Findlay and others. From 2004

7.00 The Real Comedy Controllers: the Things That Made Us Laugh With more than 150 years of collective comedy-making experience between them, Paul Jackson, Beryl Vertue, John Lloyd and Jimmy Mulville ask if broadcast comedy has run out of ideas (4/4)

10.00-12.00 Comedy Club: Chain Reaction (6/6), at 10.30 Revolting People (2/6), at 11.00 Beauty of Britain (5/6), and at 11.30 Justin Moorhouse: the Big Am I

12.00 272 Attempts as 6pm 1.00am as 1pm 2.10 as 2.10pm 2.15 as 2.15pm 2.45 as 2.45pm 3.00 as 3pm 4.00 as 4pm 5.30 as 5.30pm

7.00 Profile

An insight into a figure in the news. Repeated tomorrow 5.40pm

7.15 Saturday Review

Tom Sutcliffe is joined by Geoffrey Durham, Stephanie Merritt and Naima Khan to discuss: a revival of the musical Sweet Charity at the Donmar Warehouse in London; Paolo Sorrentino's movie *Loro*, set in the world of Italian politics; Ian McEwan's new novel *Machines Like Me*, and the exhibition Smoke and Mirrors, the Psychology of Magic at the Wellcome Institute in London. Producer Oliver Jones

8.00 Archive on 4: The Risk-Makers

David Spiegelhalter is professor for the public understanding of luck at Cambridge University. In a recent *Archive on 4* he explored luck as a capricious, guiding force in our lives, and now he looks at the history of our attempts to quantify risk.

9.00 The University Time Bomb

Universities in England are steeling themselves for a big hit on their finances. A recent ruling on how the government records student loans is set to add £12 billion to the deficit – and a wholesale rethink of how we finance over-18s' education is needed to help balance the books. In an omnibus edition of her recent two-part series, the BBC's Education Editor, Branwen Jeffreys, investigates what this will mean for the future of higher and further education in England. Producer Will Yates (R)

10.00 News and Weather

10.15 FutureProofing

3/4. What does it mean when the notions we have about home – a private, secure, stable place where you can shut out the world and just be yourself – are under threat from technology and economic change? Timandra Harkness and Leo Johnson report. Repeated from Wednesday

11.00 Brain of Britain

4/17. Competitors from London, Oxford and Ipswich take part in the fourth heat of the general knowledge contest, with Russell Davies asking the questions. Rptd from Monday

11.30 A Psalm for the Scaffolder

A profile of poet Kim Moore, exploring her dream of becoming a poet in residence for scaffolders and how a violent relationship brought changes to her body and mind. Repeated from Sunday

12.00 News and Weather

12.30-12.45am Short Works

Recent Olivier Award winner Monica Dolan reads Kiare Ladner's funny and touching tale *Rise Above It*. Melody takes part in a most unusual yoga class and discovers something new about her mother. Producer Elizabeth Allard

1.00 as BBC World Service

BBC World Service

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5.00am News 5.05 The Newsroom 5.30

Trending 5.50 50 Things That Made the Modern Economy 6.00 News 6.05 Weekend 8.30 In the Balance 9.00 News 9.05 The World This Week

9.30 The Documentary: Snooker: Young, Cool and Chinese 10.00 Sports Hour 11.00 News

11.05 The Newsroom 11.30 Trending 11.50 Over to You: a chance for listeners to provide feedback

12.05pm Global Beats: Pakistan 1.00 Newshour: 2.00 News 2.05 Sportsworld 3.00 News

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6.30 The Cultural Frontline 7.00 News

7.05 CHOICE: The Evidence: Contagious Cities

8.00 News 8.05 The Arts Hour 9.00 Newshour: the stories behind the headlines 10.00 News

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2.30 The Puppet Master 2.50 Over to You

3.00 News 3.05 The Documentary: 10.9, 8.7

4.00 News 4.05 From Our Own Correspondent: Kate Adie presents 4.30 Boston Calling

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News and sport bulletin every half-hour Times vary during live sports coverage

5.00am 5 Live Boxing

5.30 Robbie Savage's Premier League Breakfast (R)

6.00 Saturday Breakfast

9.00 The Danny Baker Show

Sports features with fans and guests.

11.00 5 Live Sport

Jonathan Overend presents sports news and build-up to the Premier League match between Manchester City and Tottenham Hotspur, with live commentary starting at 12.30pm. From 2.30

there's team news ahead of the 3.00pm kick-offs, followed by live commentary from the Premier League and updates from other matches around the country. And at 5.00 Sports Report, featuring post-match reactions, reports and interviews following today's sport. 6.00pm 6-0-6

Jason Mohammad and Robbie Savage take listeners' calls on the day's football action.

8.00 Kermode and Mayo's Film Review

Weekly guide with Mark Kermode and Simon Mayo. (R)

9.00 Stephen Nolan

News, topical debate and interviews.

12.00 Brexitcast

Geeky Brexit chat with Adam Fleming, Chris Mason, Laura Kuenssberg and Katya Adler.

12.30am As Heard on BBC Sounds

The week's highlights on the online service.

1.00 Up All Night

EASTER DAY

Today's Choices



Good Morning Sunday

6.00am Radio 2

Co-presenters Kate Bottley (see feature, page 10) and Jason Mohammad will be pulling more than one Easter Bunny out of the *Good Morning Sunday* hat today, what with a live appearance by Justin Welby, the Archbishop of Canterbury, to offer his thoughts upon the meaning of Easter; some specially recorded songs from the award-winning Soweto Gospel Choir (above); a trayful of tasty Easter treats courtesy of *Great British Bake Off* contestant Martha Collison; and the official launch of Radio 2's Young Choristers of the Year Competition.

MARK PAPPENHEIM

Cameron Mackintosh on Sunday

1.00pm Radio 2

The website Theatre Monkey pulled a corker of an April Fool this year when it "revealed" that Cameron Mackintosh was to open a *Les Misérables*-themed restaurant in London. Given his ubiquity in theatreland over nearly 50 years (uber producer, venue owner), it was all very believable. What Mackintosh is now genuinely adding to his CV is radio presenter as he sits in for Elaine Paige, playing songs from shows that inspired him – among them *Salad Days*, *Oklahoma!*, *The Music Man* and *Oliver!* – and giving an insight into the creative process behind his West End hits such as *Mary Poppins*. That show returns later this year with Cameron playing the role of Bert (no, not really!). TONY PETERS

Something Understood

6.05am/11.30pm Radio 4

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6.00am Matt and Mollie
10.00 Radio 1's Greatest Hits
11.00 Jordan North
1.00pm Dev and Alice
4.00 Radio 1's Life Hacks
6.00 Radio 1's Most Played
7.00 Radio 1's Chillest Show
9.00 Daniel P Carter Loud rock.
11.00 BBC Music Introducing on Radio 1 With Huw Stephens.
1.00am Radio 1's Residency
3.00 Artist Takeover
4.00 Adele Roberts

BBC Radio 2

88-90.2 FM DAB bbc.co.uk/radio2
F'view* 702 F'sat 702 Sky 0102 Virgin 902
6.00am Good Morning Sunday
RT The Rev Kate Bottley and Jason Mohammad mark Easter with the Archbishop of Canterbury and the Soweto Gospel Choir, who perform live.
The Rev Kate Bottley: page 10
9.00 Steve Wright's Sunday Love Songs Personal dedications.
11.00 The Michael Ball Show
1.00pm Cameron Mackintosh on Sunday
RT The theatre impresario sits in for Elaine Paige.

3.00 Sounds of the 70s with Johnnie Walker

Today's guest is Al Murray (aka the Pub Landlord). Repeated tomorrow 3am See tomorrow 7.15pm Radio 4

5.00 Paul O'Grady

7.00 Claudia Winkleman

9.00 Definitively Dusty

2/3. Tris Penna continues a tribute to Dusty Springfield, including a previously unaired 1995 interview, tonight with the singer discussing how Mary O'Brien became Dusty Springfield, her artistic control (including production), the *Dusty in Memphis* album and her coming out as bisexual in 1970. With input by Vicki Wickham, girlfriends (and songwriters) Norma Tanega and Carole Pope, singer Sandie Shaw and, from the music business world, Jerry Greenberg, Gary Moore and Kenny Gamble, among others.

10.00 The Swing and Big Band Show with Clare Teal

11.00 Jools Holland

3/13. Mississippi-raised bluesman Cedric Burnside performs live.

12.00 OJ Borg

Chart hits.

3.00am Sounds of the 60s (R)

BBC 6 Music

DAB bbc.co.uk/6music
Freeview 707 Freesat 707 Sky 0120 Virgin 909
7.00am Mark Radcliffe and Stuart Maconie With guest Lizzo.
10.00 Tom Robinson
Sitting in for Cerys Matthews.
1.00pm The Leisure Society
3/4. Gemma Cairney visits Damon Albarn at his studio under the Westway in west London.
2.00 Cillian Murphy Rptd12 midnight
4.00 Amy Lamé Including club tips.
6.00 Now Playing @6Music
8.00 Stuart Maconie's Freak Zone Musical rarities and demos.
10.00 Don Letts's Culture Clash Radio Vangelis's *Blade Runner* LP.
12.00 Cillian Murphy (R)
2.00am BBC Introducing Mixtape
3.00 Live Hour The Fixx in 1982 and Pearl Jam in 2006.
4.00 Classic Albums Robbie Robertson on the Band's 1969 debut.
5.00 Chris Hawkins

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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 welcomes the Rev Lucy Winkett, Rector of St James's Church, Piccadilly, who discusses choosing between a career as a singer and as a priest, the music that inspires her, and how she prepares for Easter. Her choices include Gibbons, Messiaen, Rachmaninov and Bach. Producer Jane Greenwood

1.00pm Radio 3 Lunchtime Concert

Monday's recital from Wigmore Hall in London, with viola player Tabea Zimmermann, flautist Adam Walker and harpist Agnès Clément. Presented by Fiona Talkington.

Tabea Zimmermann (viola), Adam Walker (flute), Agnès Clément (harp)

Bax Elegiac Trio for flute, viola and harp

Debussy Syrinx for solo flute; Sonata for flute, viola and harp

Stravinsky Elegy for solo viola

Sofia Gubaidulina Garten von Freuden und Traurigkeiten for flute, viola and harp Rptd from Monday

2.00 The Early Music Show

Lucie Skeaping looks at the way composers have treated the Tenebrae services held during the last three days of Holy Week. With music by Gesualdo, Victoria, Tallis, Byrd, Lobo and Couperin.

3.00 Choral Evensong

Evensong from Southwell Minster for Easter Day. Introit: Haec dies (Byrd). Responses: Philip Moore. Office hymn: The day draws on (Resurrexit). Psalm 105 (Murrill, Atkins). First Lesson: Isaiah 43 vv1-21. Cantic: Evening Service in D (Dyson). Second Lesson: 1 Corinthians 15 vv1-11. Anthem: Light of the world (Elgar). Hymn: Love's redeeming work is done (Savannah). Voluntary: Choral-Improvisation sur le Victimae Paschali laudes (Tournemire). Rector Chori Paul Provost. Assistant Director of Music Simon Hogan. Repeated from Wednesday

4.00 Choir and Organ

Sara Mohr-Pietsch presents orchestral works and choral music, today with highlights from Handel's *Messiah* and Bernstein's *West Side Story*, and a lullaby from *Mary Poppins* by Richard M and Robert B Sherman. Producer Luke Whitlock

5.00 The Listening Service

Why are Classical Audiences So Quiet? Tom Service looks at how modern audiences find any noise in the concert hall abhorrent. He cites a recent incident in which the rustling of a sweet wrapper created a ruckus so powerful that it spilled spectacularly into a violent brawl. Repeated Friday 4.30pm

5.30 Words and Music

Pilgrimage. Robert Powell and Josette Simon with an anthology of words with music reflecting the spirit pilgrimage, from Canterbury to Graceland. With music by Byrd, Handel, Liszt, Wagner, Berlioz, Vaughan Williams and George Dyson. Producer Chris Wines (R)

Scala Radio

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6.00am In the Park

Calm music.

7.00 Jamie Crick

10.00 Chris Rogers and Anthea Turner

1.00pm On Point 2/4. Former ballet dancer Darren Redick celebrates ballet, exploring the music, stories and memorable performances.

3.00 Alexis Ffrench With favourite pieces.

5.00 Highly Rated Cultural recommendations. (R)

6.00 Faye Treacy Favourite classical pieces.

8.00 Sunday Night Scala Darren Redick introduces classical works played in full.

10.00 The Console with Luci Holland New, popular and emerging game scores. (R)

11.00 William Orbit in the Space (R)

1.00am Night Music Non-stop music.

Absolute Radio

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8.00am Richie Firth 11.00 Sarah Champion

2.00pm Pete Donaldson 6.00 Request Show With Claire Sturgess

8.00 Sunday Night Music Club With Danielle Perry

12.00 Jay Lawrence

6.45 Sunday Feature: Hotel Genius

Sally Marlow joins other scholars for the start of a new term at the Institute for Advanced Study in Princeton, New Jersey, conceived as a paradise for curiosity-driven research in mathematics, natural sciences, social science and history.

7.30 Drama on 3: The Two Gentlemen of Verona

Adaptation by Sara Davies of Shakespeare's comedy, paired next week with a production of *The Two Noble Kinsmen*. Director Celia De Wolff was keen to present the two plays together as they share common themes of men and women falling for the same lover, cunning disguises and betrayal within friendships. She has recorded both productions entirely on location in the Sussex countryside with the same band of actors giving a sense that they are being presented by a group of strolling players.

Julia Lyndsey Marshal Panthino

Silvia Kate Phillips Thurio

Proteus Blake Ritson Host

Valentine Nikesh Patel Launce

Speed Ray Fearon Eglamour

Lucetta Emma Fielding Antonio

Duke Hugh Ross

Director Celia De Wolff

Daniel Ryan

Oliver Chris

Sara Markland

Sam Dale

Carl Prekopp

Pip Donaghy

9.20 Early Music Late

Mandolin soloist Avi Avital joins Les Violons du Roi for a concert of works by Handel, Vivaldi, Durante, Paisiello and Avison. Presented by Simon Heighes.

11.00 Unclassified

2/6. Elizabeth Alker with music including the first ever aired track from Daniel Elms's new album *Islandia*, US musician Rafiq Bhatia, US singer/songwriter Julia Holter and a live performance by Bryce Dessner (of the National). Plus a celebration of musician and poet Adrian Henri (1932-2000) with Thurston Moore (ex-Sonic Youth) and London's Whitechapel Gallery.

12.00 Classical Fix

Clemency Burton-Hill creates a classical playlist for singer Shingai Shoniwa. Producer Matthew Dover (R)

12.30am Through the Night

With John Shea. Including a concert given by the Basel Chamber Orchestra and pianist Francesco Piemontesi last

September in Locarno. **12.31 Schubert** *Overture in the Italian Style*, D 590 **1.39 Mozart** *Piano Concerto No 27 in B flat*, K595 **1.09 Mozart** *Piano Sonata No 12 in F*, K332 (2nd mvt) **1.15 Schubert** *Symphony No 6 in C*

Francesco Piemontesi (piano), Basel Chamber Orchestra, conductor Heinz Holliger **1.48 Bach** *Easter Oratorio*, BWV249 **2.31 Braunfels** *Sinfonia brevis*, Op 69 **3.05 Czerny** *Piano Sonata No 9 in B minor*, Op 145 (Grande fantaisie en forme de sonate) **3.38 Igor Dekleva** *The Wind Is Singing* **3.45 CPE Bach** *Keyboard Sonata in D minor* Wq62/15 **3.52 Rimsky-Korsakov** *Suite: The Three Wonders* (*The Tale of Tsar Saltan*) **4.00 Visée** *Suite no 9 in D minor* **4.09 Martinu** *Variations on a Theme of Rossini* **4.16 Tchaikovsky** *Without Time, Without Season* **4.20 Telemann** *Concerto in B flat for three oboes* **4.31 Lalo** *Aubades* **4.40 Ligeti** *Three Nonsense Madrigals* **4.49 Liszt** *Venezia e Napoli* (4th mvt) **4.58 Delius** *The Walk to the Paradise Garden* **5.09 Jeanjean** *Prelude and Scherzo for bassoon and piano* **5.17 Beethoven** *Duet in E flat for viola and cello*, WoO32 **5.27 Debussy** *Piano Trio in G* **5.50 Hartmann** *Deux pièces caractéristiques*, Op 25 **6.04 Mozart** *Partita in E flat for wind octet*, K.Anh.C.17.04

Classic FM

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6.00am Aled Jones

Personal picks.

9.00 The Classic FM Hall of Fame

Classic FM continues its annual four-day Easter weekend Top 300 classical chart, with the number one revealed just before 9pm tomorrow. Bill Turnbull kicks off today's run of the countdown, followed by Anne-Marie Minhall at **12.00**. John Brunning takes over from **3.00pm**, with Catherine Bott starting at **6.00**. Last year's chart straddled various genres, from Mendelssohn to Morricone, from Copland to Khachaturian, from Gershwin to Gorecki, from Bach to Barry. Continues tomorrow 9am.

9.00 The Way In with Andrew Collins

3/4. Radio Times film editor Andrew Collins

EASTER DAY

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Weather 6.57am, 7.57, 12.57pm, 5.57, 9.59, 12.15am

Shipping Forecasts 5.20am, 12.01pm (LW) 5.54, 12.48am

5.30am News Briefing

5.43 Bells on Sunday

From St Michael's Church, Whichford.

5.45 Lent Talks

6/6. The Uncertainty of Mary. Alison Cope, whose son Joshua was stabbed to death, reflects on a mother's grief. Repeated from Wednesday

6.00 News Summary

6.05 Something Understood

In the last ever originally produced **RT Something Understood**, longtime presenter Mark Tully strikes a valedictory note by taking as his theme TS Eliot's line from *Four Quartets* – "In my end is my beginning". The readers are Paterson Joseph, Emma Fielding and programme producer Frank Stirling. Rptd 11.30pm

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6.35 Sunrise Service

Baptist minister the Rev Richard Littledale leads a service for Easter reflecting on the idea of a festival of light.

7.00 News; Sunday Papers

7.10 Sunday Religious and ethical headlines.

7.54 Radio 4 Appeal

Jan Eldred presents an appeal on behalf of Habitat for Humanity.

Repeated 9.25pm and Thursday 3.27pm

Donations: Freepost BBC Radio 4 Appeal, marked Habitat for Humanity on the back of the envelope; Credit cards: Freephone 0800 404 8144; online via the Radio 4 website

8.00 News; Sunday Papers

8.10 Easter Sunday Worship

A celebration of the Eucharist for Easter **LIVE** Day from Southwell Minster, with the Rt Rev Paul Williams and celebrating the Very Rev Nicola Sullivan. The minster choir sings Easter hymns and carols including *Jesus Christ Is Risen Today, Now the Green Blade Riseth, Alleluia, Alleluia! Hearts to Heaven and Voices Raise and Thine be the Glory.*

8.58 Tweet of the Day

Cuckoo – Male. With David Attenborough. (R)

9.00 Broadcasting House

With Paddy O'Connell and guests.

10.00 The Archers Omnibus edition.

11.15 The Reunion

3/5. Gulf War Aircrew PoWs. Sue MacGregor brings together three RAF servicemen held as prisoners and tortured during the first Gulf War in 1991: John Peters, John Nichol and Robbie Stewart. Joining them are Mark Austin, who covered the war for ITN, and Helen Peters who was at home looking after a young family and waiting for news.

Producer Kate Taylor Repeated Friday 9am

BBC Radio 4 Extra

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Freeview 708 Freesat 708 Sky 0131 Virgin 910

6.00am A Raging Calm as 1pm

7.15 Shalimar as 2.15pm

7.30 Thanks a Lot, Milton Jones! (5/6)

8.00 Home to Roost 1974 sitcom

8.30 We're in Business 1960 comedy

9.00 Michael Tippett: the Biography Oliver Soden reads his biography of composer Michael Tippett (1905-98), abridged by Elizabeth Burke, with Derek Jacobi as the voice of Tippett (1-5/5)

10.10 Ivor Meets Craig Ivor Cutler talks to New Zealand-born sculptor Craig Murray-Orr

10.15 Desert Island Discs Revisited

A 2010 edition with food writer Anna Del Conte

11.00 The Moth Radio Hour True stories (4/8)

11.50 David Attenborough's Life Stories (3/20)

12.00 Home to Roost 1974 sitcom

12.30pm We're in Business 1960 comedy

1.00 A Raging Calm Dramatisation of Stan Barstow's gritty Yorkshire-set 1968 novel. With Deborah McAndrew, Robert Glenister, David Calder and others (6-10/10)

2.15 Shalimar Annette Crosbie reads Shena Mackay's tale of an old theatrical landlady with secrets

2.30 Adrian Mole and the Weapons of Mass Destruction Adaptation by Sara Davies of Sue Townsend's sixth novel in the Adrian Mole series. Read by Harry McEntire – omnibus (1-5/10)

12.04pm The Unbelievable Truth

3/6. David Mitchell encourages Lou Sanders, Frankie Boyle, Henning Wehn and Lucy Porter to talk with deliberate inaccuracy on subjects including Germany, babies, trousers and beards. Repeated from Monday

12.30 The Food Programme

Dan Saladino meets the scientists working on the future of a truly global food, the banana. Producer Dan Saladino Repeated tomorrow 3.30pm

1.00 The World This Weekend

Presented by Mark Mardell.

1.30 From Our Home Correspondent

Mishal Husain introduces dispatches from journalists and writers around the UK.

2.00 Gardeners' Question Time

A correspondence edition from the Oxford Botanic Garden, with Eric Robson in the chair and a panel of Pippa Greenwood, James Wong and Matt Biggs. Producer Dan Cocker

2.45 The Listening Project

Members of the public share intimate conversations in a project to build a picture of what life is like today. Presented by Fi Glover. Producer Mohini Patel (R)

3.00 Drama: Vive la Republique

Ronald Pickup stars as Charles de Gaulle in Mike Walker's fact-based drama about how the French president fled the Elysée Palace in Paris and disappeared for six hours during the 1968 May Uprising, fearing armed attack and the violent fall of the government. He left Prime Minister Georges Pompidou alone and in charge, with a civil service concerned this was a Communist revolution.

President Charles De Gaulle	Daniel Cohn-Bendit
Ronald Pickup	Rory Fleck Byrne
Yvonne De Gaulle	Barbara Flynn
Georges Pompidou	Michel Fouchet/De Boissieu
Philip Jackson	Daniel Weyman
Joxe/Massu	Nicholas Boulton

Producer David Morley (R)

4.00 Open Book

Ali Smith talks to Mariella Frostrup about *Spring*, the latest in her quartet of novels inspired by the seasons. And actress Cate Blanchett discusses the books that have meant the most to her, the writers including Enid Blyton and Rachel Cusk.

Producer Ellie Bury Repeated Thursday 3.30pm

4.30 The Psalms

3/4. Jeremy Irons continues reading the Psalms, from The King James version of the Bible. Producer Susan Roberts

5.00 The Populist Curtain

1/3. Yascha Mounk travels the route of the old Iron Curtain, and finds out what is changing far away from the capitals. He starts in the Polish city of Szczecin, formerly Stettin. Rptd from Tue

5.40 Profile Repeated from yesterday 7pm

6.00 Six o'Clock News

6.15 Pick of the Week With Lindsey Chapman.

7.00 The Archers

Tom is backed into a corner and Elizabeth makes a breakthrough. For cast see Friday. Repeated tomorrow 2pm

Ambridge Diary: page 123

7.15 Rumblings from the Rafters

3/3. Hugh Dennis and Amanda Abbington star in *Edible Dormouse and Peacock Butterfly* – the last of three stories by Lynne Truss in which animals discuss life in an attic. Producer Sarah Blunt (R)

7.45 Life at Absolute Zero

3/3. In Lynne Truss's new tale *Braking Distance*, someone is caught cheating at the Meridian Cliffs Quiz Night – a discovery that has unforeseen consequences. Producer Kate McAll

8.00 Poetry Please

New series. 1/6. Roger McGough is joined by Ben Okri, who chooses his favourite pieces from listeners' requests including poems by Derek Walcott, Emily Dickinson and WB Yeats. Producer Sally Heaven Repeated Saturday 11.30pm Requests to: *Poetry Please*, BBC, Bristol BS8 2LR email: poetryplease@bbc.co.uk or call 0370 010 0400

8.30 Last Word

Matthew Bannister celebrates the lives of notable people who have recently died. Repeated from Good Friday

9.00 Money Box

Rptd from yesterday 12.04pm

9.25 Radio 4 Appeal

Repeated from 7.54am

9.30 In Business

3/8. Who Really Owns Our High Streets? Ruth Alexander talks to people who have invested in the bricks and mortar of the high streets, and visits some of the places trying to turn themselves around. Rptd from Thursday

10.00 The Westminster Hour

Political magazine with Carolyn Quinn.

11.00 The Film Programme

Barbra Streisand's cult 1983 directorial debut *Yentl*, also co-written by and starring Streisand, received five Oscar nominations including three (with one win) for composer Michel Legrand, who died in January. Antonia Quirke invites cast members Kerry Shale, Danny Brainin and Gary Brown to look back, and they perform a song that was cut from the final version. Repeated from Thursday

11.30 Something Understood

Repeated from 6.05am

12.00 News

12.15am Thinking Allowed

Detecting the Social. Laurie Taylor presents an edition of the programme that looks at how the changing nature of crime stories illuminates shifts in society. Plus, what does it mean when criminals confess online? Taylor is joined by Mary Evans, professor of sociology, and Elizabeth Yardley, director of the centre for applied criminology at Birmingham City University. Rptd from Wed

1.00 as BBC World Service

BBC World Service

DAB 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 Assignment 6.00 Weekend 8.30 The Food Chain 9.00 News 9.05 From Our Own

Correspondent 9.30 Heart and Soul 10.00 News

10.05 The Compass: the 24hr City: London, UK

10.30 Outlook 11.00 News 11.05 The Newsroom

11.30 The Cultural Frontline 12.00 News

12.05pm The Evidence: Contagious Cities

1.00 Newshour 2.00 News 2.05 The

Documentary 3.00 News 3.05 The Forum

3.50 50 Things That Made the Modern Economy

4.00 News 4.05 Sportsworld 7.00 The

Newsroom 7.30 In the Balance 8.00 News

8.05 Global Beats: Pakistan 9.00 Newshour

10.05 The Cultural Frontline 10.30 The Puppet

Master 10.50 50 Things That Made the Modern

Economy 11.00 News 11.05 The Newsroom

11.20 Sports News 11.30 Heart and Soul: Pick Up

Your Stretcher and Walk! 12.00 News

12.05pm People Fixing the World 12.30 Discovery:

the Life Scientific 1.00 News 1.05 World Business

Report 1.30 Science in Action 2.00 News 2.05 The

Newsroom 2.30 Healthcheck 3.00 News

3.05 The Forum 3.50 Sporting Witness 4.00 News</p

EASTER MONDAY

Monday

Radio

Today's Choices



The Classic FM Hall of Fame 2019

9.00am Classic FM
Voting opened on Monday 14 January and closed at one second to midnight on Sunday 24 March. Since then, Classic FM has compiled its listeners' personal choices of their three favourite pieces of music into what constitutes the biggest annual survey of the nation's classical musical tastes. From 9am to 9pm each day of this Easter long weekend, a four-strong team of presenters has been counting down through the 300 pieces that make up this year's Classic FM Hall of Fame, and today it falls to John Suchet (above) to announce the number one just before 9pm. Will Tchaikovsky's triumphant *1812 Overture* defend its 2018 title or will Vaughan Williams's high-flying *The Lark Ascending* perhaps swoop up to seize the top spot?

MARK PAPPENHEIM

Mastertapes on Tour: Richard Hawley at the Crucible

11.00pm Radio 4
Richard Hawley is a musician's musician; from Elbow to Arctic Monkeys his rich, Scott Walker-infused baritone has influenced some of the best British bands of the past 20 years. The one-time Pulp guitarist's solo work is packed with allusions to his native Sheffield, and this Mastertapes special finds host John Wilson taking a stroll to the city's Crucible Theatre, where Hawley reminisces and plays a selection of songs from a 33-year career that ranges from Britpop to his first musical, *Standing at the Sky's Edge*. Tonight the streets of Sheffield are his and the pleasure is ours. TOM GOULDING

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BBC Radio 1

97.6-99.8 FM DAB bbc.co.uk/radio1
F'view* 700 F'sat 700 Sky 0101 Virgin 901
6.30am Mollie King and Matt Edmondson Sitting in for Greg James.
10.00 Clara Amfo Chat and music.
1.00pm Scott Mills Music and chat.
4.00 Jordan North In for Grimmy.
6.00 Nick Grimshaw
7.00 Radio 1's Future Sounds Presented by Jack Saunders.
8.00 Radio 1's Power Down Playlist
9.00 Rickie, Melvin and Charlie
11.00 Radio 1's Indie Show
1.00am René LaVice Drum 'n' bass.
3.00 Radio 1's Hype Chart
4.00 Adele Roberts

BBC Radio 2

88-90.2 FM DAB bbc.co.uk/radio2
F'view* 702 F'sat 702 Sky 0102 Virgin 902
5.00am Nicki Chapman
6.30 Matt Lucas In for Zoe Ball.
9.30 Ken Bruce Including after **11.30** throughout the week **Tracks of My Years**, featuring – two a day – ten of the all-time favourite records of Irish singer and actress Jessie Buckley. She starts with favourite records by Etta James and the Dixie Chicks.
12.00 Let's Abba Party! As the blockbuster jukebox musical *Mamma Mia!* marks its 20th anniversary in the West End, Nicki Chapman celebrates with nonstop classic Abba hits, covers and tracks from the cast recordings and film soundtracks. And producer Malcolm Prince interviews Bjorn Ulvaeus and Benny Andersson, and the show's creator, Judy Craymer. Plus an official UK chart countdown of Abba's eight studio albums, five of which reached number one. Producer Malcolm Prince

2.00pm Alan and Mel on Easter Monday For the second of their two weekend specials, Alan Carr and Melanie Sykes are joined by singer and actor Gary Wilmot. Producer Malcolm Prince
5.00 Sara Cox Lively chat and new music. **The view from Sara Cox's sofa: p162**
7.00 Jo Whiley
9.00 The Blues Show Huey Morgan sits in for Cerys Matthews with a full range of blues.
10.00 Trevor Nelson's Rhythm Nation Soul and R&B.
12.00 OJ Borg
3.00am Sounds of the 70s (R)

BBC 6 Music

DAB bbc.co.uk/6music
Freeview 707 Freesat 707 Sky 0120 Virgin 909
7.30am Lauren Laverne
10.30 Mary Anne Hobbs Panda Bear (aka Noah Lennox) performs.
1.00pm Shaun Keaveny
4.00 Steve Lamacq New music.
7.00 Marc Riley With a live session by Slug (aka Ian Black).
9.00 Gideon Coe With a playlist of records related to the numbers nine, ten, 11 and 12, plus midnight.
12.00 6 Music Recommends
1.00am Classic Albums Ian Anderson discusses Jethro Tull's 1971 album *Aqualung*.
2.00 Classic Scottish Albums Davie Scott talks to Primal Scream's Bobby Gillespie about the band's 1991 album *Screamadelica*. From 2005.
2.30 Live Hour The Strokes at the University of London in 2005.
3.30 Trunk of Funk With Craig Charles.
4.00 Desert Island Disco
4.30 People's Playlist
5.00 Chris Hawkins

BBC Radio 3

90.2-92.4 FM DAB bbc.co.uk/radio3
Freeview* 703 Freesat 703 Sky 0103 Virgin 903
News and weather Half-hourly 6.30-8.30am, 1pm, 5.00, 6.00
6.30am Breakfast With Georgia Mann.
9.00 Essential Classics With Suzy Klein.
9.30 Listeners' suggestions for the playlist.
10.10 Our Classical Century Featuring 100 key moments in the last century of classical music.
10.50 Actress, writer and director Maxine Peake shares her cultural inspirations across the week.
11.30 Slow Moment A pause for reflection.
12.00 Composer of the Week: Handel, Messiah and Dublin

1/5. Comfort Ye. Donald Macleod is joined by Ruth Smith to explore the origins of Handel's *Messiah*. In 1741 Handel left London for Dublin, where he spent nearly nine months writing and performing in the city. The main work that he premiered there was a new oratorio, which proved to be one of the landmarks of his career. Across the week the whole of Handel's *Messiah* is played, uncovering the secrets of its origins and dispelling the myths that still surround it. This first programme paints a picture of Handel's life in London as he prepared to leave for Ireland. *Hallelujah Chorus (Messiah)* Huddersfield Choral Society, Liverpool Philharmonic Orchestra, conductor Malcolm Sargent

Hallelujah Chorus (Messiah) Choir of Christ Church Cathedral, Oxford, conductor Simon Preston, Academy of Ancient Music, director Christopher Hogwood
Ode for St Cecilia's Day (final mvt) Carolyn Sampson (soprano), Dunedin Consort, Polish Radio Choir, director John Butt
Messiah, Part 1 (excerpts) Anthony Rolfe Johnson (tenor), Monteverdi Choir, English Baroque Soloists, director John Eliot Gardiner
Messiah, Part 1 (excerpts) Matthew Brook (bass), Annie Gill (mezzo), Dunedin Consort and Players, director John Butt
Israel in Egypt; He Sent a Thick Darkness; He Smote the First Born of Egypt; But as for His People The Sixteen, Symphony of Harmony and Invention, conductor Harry Christophers

1.00pm Radio 3 Lunchtime Concert
From Wigmore Hall in London, Sara LIVE Mohr-Pietsch introduces the Pavel Haas Quartet in a performance of Shostakovich's Seventh and Second String Quartets.
Pavel Haas Quartet
Shostakovich String Quartet No 7, Op 108; String Quartet No 2, Op 68 Repeated Sunday 1pm
2.00 Afternoon Concert
Hannah French presents the first of four programmes featuring performances by BBC Scottish Symphony Orchestra, with pieces by Bernstein, Bloch, Mahler, Hosokawa, Fujikura and Poulenc. This afternoon's complete concert brings together three composers with an influence of Jewish music alongside renowned klezmer band She'Koyokh.
Bernstein Overture: *Candide*
Bloch Schelomo
Paul Moylan/She'Koyokh *Klez'Mahler*

Scala Radio

DAB scalaradio.co.uk
6.00am In the Park Calming music.
7.00 Charles Nove Vibrant and soothing music.
10.00 Simon Mayo With the start of Scala's ten-hour marathon *All Movies Easter Monday*, devoted to film scores and classical works used to memorable effect in movies.
1.00pm Sam Hughes With film music.
4.00 Mark Forrest Varied musical selection.
7.00 Mark Kermode The film buff with highlights from familiar and lesser known film scores. (R)
9.00 William Orbit in the Space A special edition featuring an eclectic playlist of film music to conclude Scala's film marathon.
10.00 Hannah Cox With Love Stories at **10.30pm**.
1.00am Night Music Nonstop music.

Absolute Radio

DAB absoluteradio.co.uk
F'view 727 F'sat 724 Sky 0107 Virgin 915
6.00am Ben Burrell **10.00 Leona Graham**
1.00pm Sarah Champion **4.00 Pete Donaldson**
7.00 Danielle Perry's Family Tree **11.00 KT Tunstall** **12.00 The 27 Club** **1.00am Jay Lawrence**

Mahler Symphony No 1 Jian Wang (cello), She'Koyokh, BBC Scottish Symphony Orchestra, conductor Thomas Dausgaard
3.35 Hosokawa *Meditation to the Victims of Tsunami*
3.11 Dai Fujikura *Piano Concerto No 3* Yu Kosuge (piano), conductor Alexander Liebriech
4.10 Poulenc Sinfonietta Conductor Tung-Chieh Chuang

5.00 In Tune Featuring a live performance by Ensemble Correspondances ahead of performances at Wigmore Hall in London and the Brighton Festival.
7.00 In Tune Mixtape An inspired, nonstop half-hour of music.

7.30 Radio 3 in Concert Nicola Heywood Thomas introduces the BBC National Orchestra of Wales in a concert to mark Easter.
Rimsky-Korsakov *Russian Easter Festival*
Overture, Op 36
Grainger Blithe Bells
Vaughan Williams *Five Mystical Songs*
BBC National Orchestra of Wales, conductor Jonathon Heyward

8.15 Interval Music
Bach *Easter Oratorio, BWV249*
William Dazeley (baritone), Anna Dennis (soprano), William Towers (countertenor), Nick Pritchard (tenor), BBC National Chorus and Orchestra of Wales, conductor Jonathan Cohen
10.00 Music Matters Rptd from Saturday 11.45am
10.45 The Essay: Hear Listening
An Officer and a Swimming Pool: How I Decided to Travel Blind. Alex Bulmer follows in the footsteps of 19th-century blind travel writer James Holman, giving an insight into how going blind redefines sensory awareness. Producer Polly Thomas

11.00 Jazz Now Soweto Kinch presents a concert by the Cookers in concert, with Eddie Henderson and David Weiss on trumpet, Donald Harrison and Billy Harper on reeds, Danny Grissett on keyboards, bassist Essiet Okon Essiet and drummer Victor Lewis.
12.30am Through the Night With John Shea.
WF Bach Symphony in F, F67 **Haydn Violin Concerto in G, H VIIa 4** **CPE Bach Symphony No 1 in G** **Telemann Concerto in C, TWV51:C1** **Bach Cantata No 57 Selig ist der Mann** **CPE Bach Symphony No 1 in G (3rd mvt)** Il Giardino Armonico, director Giovanni Antonini
1.59 Bach Keyboard Sonata in D minor, BWV964
2.21 Mozart Adagio in E, K261 **2.31 Britten Serenade for tenor, horn and string orchestra** Op 31 **2.55 Schumann Kinderszenen, Op 15** **3.15 Debussy, orch Büsser Printemps** **3.31 Ruzdjak April Is the Cruelest Month**
3.39 Handel Return, O God of Hosts (Samson)
3.48 Chopin Polonaise in A, Op 40 No 1 **3.53 Mozart String Quartet in D, K155** **4.03 Duruflé Quatre motets sur des thèmes Gregoriens, Op 10** **4.11 Beethoven Coriolan Overture, Op 62** **4.20 Liszt Tarantella (Venezia e Napoli)** **4.31 Cage Four** **4.38 Scriabin Three Etudes, Op 65**
4.46 Monteverdi Vespro della Beata Vergine
5.02 Laszlo Sary Pebble Playing in a Pot **5.11 JS Bach, orch Schoenberg Chorale Prelude, BWV654** **5.20 J Strauss (son), arr Schoenberg Kaiser-Walzer, Op 437**
5.32 Steve Reich Eight Lines **5.50 Pejacevic Life of Flowers, Op 19** **6.10 Gershwin An American in Paris (R)**

Classic FM

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Freeview 731 Freesat 721 Sky 0106 Virgin 922
6.00am More Music Breakfast With Matt Baker.
9.00 The Classic FM Hall of Fame 2019 Classic FM concludes its annual Easter weekend Classic FM Hall of Fame – a chart of the 300 most popular classical pieces as chosen by listeners. Aled Jones kicks off the countdown for today, with Anne-Marie Minhall at **12 noon**. John Brunning takes over from **3.00**, followed at **6.00** by John Suchet, who reveals the number one just before 9pm. Will Tchaikovsky's *1812 Overture* maintain its top pull with listeners again, or will its crown be taken by last year's number two, the perennial favourite (and previous chart-topper) *Piano Concert No 2 in C minor* by Rachmaninov? See Thursday and Friday 8pm.
9.00 The Way In with Andrew Collins **4/4.** Andrew Collins concludes his series on the ways in which we get into classical music with a look at the power of TV advertising and TV themes, including *Jonathan Creek*, *The Apprentice* and *Monty Python's Flying Circus*. Featuring works by Dvorak, Tchaikovsky and Orff.
10.00 Smooth Classics With Katie Brearwick.
1.00am Bob Jones

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Shipping Forecasts 5.20am, 12.01pm (LW), 5.54 (LW), 12.48am

5.30am News Briefing

5.43 Prayer for the Day

With Juanita Francis, youth pastor at Ruach City Church, London.

5.45 Farming Today

5.58 Tweet of the Day

Wood Warbler. With David Attenborough. (R)

6.00 Today

With Mishal Husain and Nick Robinson.

6.25, 7.25, 8.25 Sport

7.48 Thought for the Day

9.00 Start the Week

Town Mouse and Country Mouse. Kirsty Wark is joined by travel writer Dan Richards,

who trekked to mountain huts for his new book, *Outposts*; Icelandic model turned sheep farmer Heida Asgeirsottir; Rebecca Frecknall, director of a new production of Chekhov's play *Three Sisters* – set in 19th-century provincial Russia – at the Almeida Theatre in north-east London; and *Financial Times* writer Sarah O'Connor, who has made a specialism of studying Britain's seaside resorts and post-industrial towns. Producer Hannah Sander Repeated 9.30pm

9.45 FM Book of the Week: Losing Earth

1/5. The Activist and the Scientist

American novelist Nathaniel Rich tells the story of how climate change could have been stopped. In 1979 the science of climate change was known, and over the next decade activists, scientists and politicians worked tirelessly to safeguard the environment, but to no avail; the world came tantalisingly close to signing binding treaties that could have made a difference. Abridged by Richard Hamilton and read by Kyle Soller. Producer Elizabeth Allard Repeated 12.30am

RT BOOKS To order *Losing Earth* by Nathaniel Rich for £14.99 incl p&p, visit radiotimes.com/shop/17 or call 03302 232 639

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9.45 LW Daily Service

An act of worship, featuring readings from scripture and a range of choral music.

10.00 Woman's Hour

10.45 Ordinary Heroes 1/5

The 15-Minute Drama.

For cast and details see drama repeat 7.45pm

11.00 The Fast and the Curious

Petrol-head environmentalist Tom Heap sets off on a road trip to find out why people like him are unwilling to give up the things they know are destroying the planet. Producer Alasdair Cross

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6.00am Battle for Inspector West as 8pm

6.30 Jamaica: the Harder They Come as 8.30pm

7.00 Bad Salsa Sitcom by Kay Stonham (2/4)

7.30 The Unbelievable Truth Panel show (3/6)

8.00 Hancock's Half-Hour Comedy

8.30 Dad's Army 1974 comedy

9.00 Just a Minute Comedy panel show (6/8)

9.30 Snap Comedy by Paul Mendelson (4/6)

10.00 War and Peace Leo Tolstoy's 1869 epic (1/10)

11.00 TED Radio Hour as 9pm

11.50 Inheritance Tracks With Tom Fletcher

12.00 Hancock's Half-Hour Comedy

12.30pm Dad's Army 1974 comedy

1.00 Battle for Inspector West as 8pm

1.30 Jamaica: the Harder They Come as 8.30pm

2.00 Back When We Were Grownups Liza Ross

reads Doreen Estall's adaptation of the 2001 novel by Anne Tyler, in which a 53-year-old woman discovers she has turned into the wrong person. From 2001 (6/10)

2.15 Team Spirit With Claudia Hammond (1/5)

2.30 44 Scotland Street – The Blue Spode

Tea Cup By Alexander McCall Smith (1/5)

2.45 Rudolf Nureyev: the Life Jamie Glover reads Julie Kavanagh's biography of the celebrated ballet dancer. Abridged by Miranda Davies (1/5)

3.00 War and Peace Leo Tolstoy's 1869 epic (1/10)

4.00 Just a Minute Comedy panel show (6/8)

11.30 Loose Ends Rptd from Saturday 6.15pm

12.04pm Adrian Mole and the Weapons of Mass Destruction

6/10. Adaptation by Sara Davies of Sue Townsend's sixth novel in the Adrian Mole series. Adrian is 34, working in a bookshop in Leicester and about to become the proud owner of a trendy loft apartment. Adrian attends an art exhibition in London with his new love Daisy. Read by Harry McEntire. Producer Alexa Moore Repeated 10.45pm

12.18 You and Yours Consumer reports.

1.00 The World at One

Presented by Sarah Montague.

1.45 The Art and Science of Blending

New series. 1/5. Whisky. Barry Smith looks at the process of combining things, examining why it is a distinctly human act and whether it is an art or a science. In the first edition, the philosopher heads to Scotland to find out how whisky is made. Producer David Edmonds

2.00 The Archers Rptd from yesterday 7pm

2.15 Drama: The Ferryhill Philosophers

4/5. Google Grief and All the Gold of Darius By Michael Chaplin. Hermione and Joe confront the complexities and joys of friendship and love in their lives, and face up to commitments.

Joe Snowball Alun Armstrong Gloria Tracy Whitwell
Hermione Pink Deborah Findlay Lucy Lauren Kelleher
Peter Dean Bone

Producer Catherine Bailey; Director Marilyn Imrie

3.00 Brain of Britain

5/17. Competitors from Southampton, Oxford, Evesham and Chelmsford tackle questions put to them by chair Russell Davies. Producer Paul Bajoria Repeated Saturday 11pm

3.30 The Food Programme

Repeated from yesterday 12.30pm

4.00 Beyond Belief

4/9. A hundred years after the Amritsar Massacre, *Beyond Belief* explores what led to the it and why it became a catalyst for the end of British colonial rule and the rise of Indian nationalism. Producer Catherine Earlam

4.30 The Psalms

4/4. Jeremy Irons concludes his reading from the Old Testament book, beginning with Psalm 115 and finishing with Psalm 150, including Psalm 137 "By the rivers of Babylon, there we sat down, yea, we wept, when we remembered Zion". Producer Susan Roberts

5.00 PM With Carolyn Quinn.

6.00 Six o'Clock News

6.30 The Unbelievable Truth

4/6. With Richard Osman, Holly Walsh, Luisa Omielan and Jack Dee. David Mitchell hosts. Producer Jon Naismith Repeated Sunday 12.04pm

7.00 The Archers

The pressure piles on Mia and Alan offers some words of encouragement. For cast see Friday Repeated tomorrow 2pm

7.15 Front Row

John Wilson celebrates the bank holiday from the *Front Row* pub, and explores the relationship between pubs and the arts and culture. He's joined by celebrated pub landlord Al Murray. Producer Hannah Robins

7.45 Ordinary Heroes

1/5. Drama by Paul Marquess and Sally Tatchell following two London police officers as they patrol the streets on foot during a single night shift. While police constables Scott and Nisha are dealing with a paranoid schizophrenic teenager who may have stolen a dog, a group of people are climbing into a van in a London suburb – and they are planning mass murder. PC Nisha Hussain Nisha Nayar Zeenat Khan Gurkiran Kaur
PC Scott Knight Joel Phillipine John Baker Lloyd Warbey
Haneefa Khan Susannah Fielding Tariq Dewan Devesh Kishore
Producer Claire Fryer; Director Marina Caldarone Repeated from 10.45am

8.00 My Name Is

4/13. Former gambling addict Katie investigates how online firms use customer data to target people like her and meets politicians who are making promises to tighten laws. Producer Giles Edwards Repeated Wednesday 11am

8.30 Crossing Continents

4/7. Restoring Brazil's National Treasure

Last September, a fire in Brazil's National Museum saw most of its collection destroyed, including indigenous artefacts, Egyptian and Greek treasures and the oldest human skull found in the Americas. Some scientists were in despair but others vowed to rebuild and restock the museum. Now, months on, painstaking archaeological work in the debris has uncovered items that can be restored, while other specialists are setting out on expeditions to acquire new specimens. Tim Whewell reports from Rio on the agonies – and occasional small triumphs – of the slow, exhausting effort to bring a great national institution back to life. Producer Tim Whewell Repeated from Thursday

9.00 Patient Undone

Dr Deborah Bowman discusses how being diagnosed with cancer has changed her view of medical ethics and of a patient's right to make decisions about their own healthcare. Producer Beth Eastwood Repeated from Tuesday

9.30 Start the Week Shortened rptd from 9am

10.00 The World Tonight With Ritula Shah.

10.45 Adrian Mole and the Weapons of Mass Destruction **6/10.** Rptd from 12.04pm

11.00 Mastertapes on Tour: Richard Hawley at the Crucible

RT John Wilson talks to singer/songwriter Richard Hawley at the Crucible Theatre in his home town of Sheffield. Producer Paul Kobrak

12.00 News

12.30-12.45am Book of the Week:

Losing Earth 1/5. Repeated from 9.45am

1.00 as BBC World Service

BBC World Service

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5.00am News 5.05 The Newsroom 5.30 Crowd

Science 6.00 Newsday 8.30 Business Daily

8.50 Witness History 9.00 News 9.05 The Inquiry: the trends, forces and ideas shaping the world

9.30 Boston Calling 10.00 World Update 11.00 The Newsroom 11.30 The Conversation 12.00 News

12.05pm Outlook: Perspectives on important issues 1.00 The Newsroom 1.30 The Why Factor: Histories behind everyday objects and actions

1.50 More or Less 2.00 Newshour: the stories behind the latest headlines 3.00 News

3.05 Hardtalk 3.30 World Business Report

4.00 BBC OS 6.00 News 6.05 Outlook

7.00 News 7.05 The Newsroom 7.30 Sport

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4.05 People Fixing The World 4.30 In the Studio

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TUESDAY Radio

Today's Choices



The Bubble

11.00am Radio 4

My goodness, we need more radio like this. Lydia Thomas's social experiment obliges journalist Joanna Fuertes (Labour) and parliamentary researcher Cameron Bradbury (Conservative) to spend two weeks reading each other's Twitter timelines. "We're unwilling to hear other people's views and opinions," declares Thomas. Is she right? Both guinea pigs record daily audio diaries that regularly express amazement at the reactions of people with whom they would normally have no interaction. After two weeks, Fuertes and Bradbury meet for the first time. Obviously I won't reveal what happens. Suffice it to say that my own preconceptions were challenged by both participants. DAVID MCGILLIVRAY

Word of Mouth

4.00pm Radio 4

At a moment when the future of Britain is in doubt, we can cling to one certainty: our strong and stable relationship with tea and biscuits. In this joyful half-hour, Michael Rosen and linguist Laura Wright munch and dunk their way through a variety of biscuits whose names have interesting origins, and they are joined by Anastasia Edwards, author of *Biscuits and Cookies, a Global History*. We used to spell our favourite snack "bisket" but in the 1800s, in order to seem sophisticated, we began to use a French spelling. "Poncey spelling shifts goods," says Edwards. I guess that's just the way the cookie crumbles. KASIA DELGADO

All in the Mind

9.00pm Radio 4

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BBC Radio 1

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6.30am Mollie King and Matt Edmondson
10.00 Clara Amfo
1.00pm Scott Mills
4.00 Nick Grimshaw
7.00 Annie Mac
9.00 Rickie, Melvin and Charlie
11.00 Radio 1's Indie Show
With Jack Saunders.
1.00am Annie Nightingale
3.00 Radio 1 Comedy – Unexpected Fluids
3.40 Radio 1 and 1Xtra's Stories
4.00 Adele Roberts

BBC Radio 2

88-90.2 FM DAB bbc.co.uk/radio2
F'view* 702 F'sat 702 Sky 0102 Virgin 902

5.00am Vanessa Feltz

6.30 Zoe Ball

Lively show with chat, music, phone-ins and regular features.

9.30 Ken Bruce

Music, chat and features including after **11.30 Tracks of My Years**, with two more music picks by Irish singer, musician and actress Jessie Buckley, who plays a struggling Glaswegian country singer in Tom Harper's new film *Wild Rose*. Today she discusses favourite records by the Beatles and Bonnie Raitt.

12.00 Jeremy Vine

Topical discussion. Plus music.

2.00pm Steve Wright

5.00 Sara Cox

7.00 Jo Whiley

New music, including live sets.

9.00 The Jazz Show with Jamie Cullum

New and classic jazz recordings. Plus studio guests, tonight with American saxophonist Jean Toussaint discussing his relationship with jazz.

10.00 Trevor Nelson's Rhythm Nation

A pick of original soul and R&B, disco and reggae, plus contemporary urban sounds.

12.00 OJ Borg

Chat, old and new chart hits and features with extensive listener input.

3.00am Gary Davies

Gary Davies plays period hits and lesser-known or forgotten gems, from chart pop, rock and dance to indie classics and hip-hop. Plus a **Mastermix** is at **4.50**. (R)

BBC 6 Music

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7.30am Lauren Laverne

10.30 Mary Anne Hobbs

1.00pm Shaun Keaveny

Including Matt Everitt with music news.

4.00 Steve Lamacq

7.00 Marc Riley

Guest Rob Huges joins Marc to continue their guide to the best British, Irish and Australian rock acts.

9.00 Gideon Coe

12.00 6 Music Recommends

Tom Ravenscroft with new music.

1.00am Classic Albums

Pete Townshend talks to Roger Scott about the Who's 1971 LP *Who's Next*.

2.00 Classic Scottish Albums

7/6. Davie Scott celebrates Belle and Sebastian's 1998 album *The Boy with the Arab Strap*. From 2006.

2.30 Live Hour Cozy Powell and his band in 1980, plus Fretblanket in 1993.

3.30 Gilles Peterson's The Shakedown A 30-minute mix.

4.00 Jukebox **5.00 Chris Hawkins**

BBC Radio 3

90.2-92.4 FM DAB bbc.co.uk/radio3
Freeview* 703 Freesat 703 Sky 0103 Virgin 903

News and weather as Monday

6.30am Breakfast With Georgia Mann.

9.00 Essential Classics With Suzy Klein.

9.30 Listeners' suggestions for companion pieces on the *Essential Classics* playlist.

10.10 Our Classical Century Key moments in the last century of classical music.

10.50 Actress, writer and director Maxine Peake, shares more of her cultural inspirations.

11.30 Slow Moment Time to take a break for a moment's musical reflection.

12.00 Composer of the Week: Handel, Messiah and Dublin

2/5. The Man behind Messiah. Continuing an exploration of Handel's *Messiah*, Donald Macleod and Ruth Smith focus on the life of Charles Jennens (1700-73), who conceived the idea of *Messiah* and put together the libretto for Handel to set to music. Their collaboration yielded a number of Handel's finest works.

How Excellent Thy Name (Saul)
The Sixteen, conductor, Harry Christophers
Athalia *Gloomy Tyrants, We Disdain (Athalia)*
Choir of New College, Oxford Academy of Ancient Music, director Christopher Hogwood.
Messiah, Part 1(excerpts) Christopher Purves (bass), Lucy Crowe, (soprano). Chorus and Orchestra of Le Concert d'astree, director Emmanuel Haim
Rejoice Greatly (Messiah) Margaret Marshall (soprano) English Baroque Soloists, conductor, John Eliot Gardiner
Messiah, Part 1(excerpts) Clare Wilkinson (soprano), Dunedin Consort and Players, conductor, John Butt
As Steals the Morn (L'Allegro, il Penseroso ed il Moderato) Jeremy Ovenden (tenor), Gillian Webster (soprano), Gabrieli Consort and Players, director Paul McCreesh

1.00pm Radio 3 Lunchtime Concert

Fiona Talkington presents the first of four concerts by the Nash Ensemble recorded at LSO St Luke's, London and first broadcast in July 2017. Nash Ensemble

Vaughan Williams *St Denio (Welsh Hymn Tunes)*
Bruch *String Quintet in E flat*

Vaughan Williams *Piano Quintet in C minor* (R)

2.00 Afternoon Concert

Hannah French presents further performances by the BBC Scottish Symphony Orchestra, today with Ilan Volkov conducting CPE Bach and Bruckner, and joined by Carolin Widmann in Stravinsky's spiky violin concerto.

CPE Bach *Symphony in E flat*

Stravinsky *Violin Concerto*

Bruckner *Symphony No 7 in E*

Carolin Widmann (violin) BBC Scottish Symphony Orchestra, conductor Ilan Volkov

3.40 Sibelius *Kullervo* Benjamin Appl (baritone), Lund Male Choir, conductor Thomas Dausgaard

Scala Radio

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6.00am In the Park Atmospheric sounds.

7.00 Charles Nove Vibrant and soothing sounds.

10.00 Simon Mayo Including listener requests.

1.00pm Sam Hughes Familiar works.

4.00 Mark Forrest Music and features.

7.00 On Point

2/4. Darren Redick celebrates the world of ballet, exploring the memorable performances. (R)

9.00 William Orbit in the Space

Expect the unexpected, from soundscapes and atmospheric selections to classical favourites.

10.00 Hannah Cox

Including listeners' Love Stories.

1.00am Night Music Non-stop music.

Absolute Radio

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F'view 727 F'sat 724 Sky 0107 Virgin 915

6.00am Dave Berry Lively chat, music and features

10.00 Leona Graham **1.00pm Ben Burrell**

4.00 Bush and Richie **7.00 Danielle Perry**

10.00 Pete Donaldson **1.00am Jay Lawrence**

5.00 In Tune

Katie Derham meets conductor Ilan Volkov, who discusses his concert on Thursday with the City of Birmingham Symphony Orchestra. And cellist Jean-Guihen Queyras performs live ahead of a project at Sadler's Wells with the contemporary dance luminary Anne Teresa De Keersmaeker.

7.00 In Tune Mixtape

7.30 Radio 3 in Concert

■ Steven Isserlis and friends play Schumann **LIVE** and Fauré, live from Wigmore Hall, London. Presented by Martin Handley.

Schumann *Fantasiestücke* Op 73

Fauré *Piano Quintet No 1 in D minor*, Op 89

8.15 Interval

Fauré *Romance* Op 69

Elégie Op 24

Schumann *Piano Quartet in E flat*, Op 47

Steven Isserlis (cello), Veronika Eberle (violin), Arisa Fujita (violin), Amihai Grosz (viola), Connie Shih (piano)

10.00 Free Thinking

Does My Pet Love Me? Exploring the emotional similarities and differences between humans and animals. Eleanor Rosamund Barracough is joined by scientist Nicky Clayton, Kim Bard, a professor at the University of Portsmouth, and Erica Fudge, Director of the British Animal Studies Network at the University of Strathclyde, Glasgow.

10.45 The Essay: Hear Listening

2/5. Why There are 300 Seconds in a Blind Minute.

Writer and performer Alex Bulmer follows in the footsteps of 19th-century blind travel writer James Holman, beginning in Germany. She discovers how important touch and time are for blind travellers.

11.00 Late Junction

Verity Sharp marks St George's Day with music including kemanche virtuosity from Ibrahim Kaya and a mythical vision of England by Thomas Adès.

12.30am Through the Night

John Shea presents new and old concertos performed by the Swiss Italian Orchestra. **Mozart** *Overture: La finta giardiniera* **Bach** *Oboe d'amore Concerto in A*, BWV1055

Massimiliano Matesic *Violin Concerto (The Anatomy of Melancholy)* **Pleyel** *Clarinet Concerto in C* Davide Jäger (oboe d'amore), Fabio Di Càsola (clarinet), Daria Zappa Matesic (violin), Orchestra della Svizzera Italiana, conductor Pierre Dumoussaud

1.29 Ravel *Introduction and Allegro* **1.40 Roussel** *Piano Trio in E flat*, Op 2 **2.09 Saint-Saëns** *Cello Concerto No 1 in A minor*, Op 33 **2.31 Elgar** *Violin Sonata in E minor*, Op 82 **2.57 Ravel** *Gaspard de la nuit*

3.23 Halvorsen *Norwegian Rhapsody No 1 in A minor*

3.35 JM Bach *Halt, was du hast* **3.40 Schubert, arr Reger** *Nacht und Träume*, D827 **3.43 Mozart** *Nine Variations on a Minuet by Dupont for piano*, K573

3.56 Mussorgsky, orch Rimsky-Korsakov *Dance of the Persian Slaves (Khovanshchina)* **4.02 Senfli** *Sanctus, Missa dominicalis (L'Homme arme)* **4.08 De Vocht** *In Exile*

4.20 Noskowski *The Highlander's Fantasy*, Op 17

4.31 Mozart *Overture: Der Schauspieldirektor*, K486

4.35 Brahms *Intermezzo in A*, Op 118

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News, weather and shipping forecasts as yesterday; no weather at 5.57am

5.30am News Briefing

5.43 Prayer for the Day

With Juanita Francis, Praise and Worship leader and Youth Pastor at Ruach City Church, London.

5.45 Farming Today

5.58 Tweet of the Day

Nightingale. With David Attenborough. (R)

6.00 Today

With John Humphrys and Nick Robinson.

6.25, 7.25, 8.25 Sports News

7.48 Thought for the Day

9.00 The Long View

RT New series. 1/4. Jonathan Freedland compares Brexit with tensions between King Offa of Mercia and Charlemagne, King of the Franks in AD 796. Repeated 9.30pm

9.30 Genius of Accidents: Viagra

1/5. Adam Hart explores landmark discoveries made by chance, beginning with how Viagra started out as a treatment for the heart condition angina, but during clinical trials an unexpected side-effect was noticed by the young male patients. Producer Rory Galloway (R)

9.45 FM Book of the Week: Losing Earth

2/5. By Nathaniel Rich, abridged by Richard Hamilton. It is 1980, and in Florida two dozen experts are in debate. Read by Kyle Soller. For details see yesterday Repeated 12.30am

9.45 LW Daily Service

A space for spiritual reflection with a Bible reading, prayer and a range of Christian music. Theme – The end of the story: Evidence. Led by Dr Krish Kandiah. Alive (Zion). Reading: Mark 16:14-18. Calvary (Zion). Give me joy.

10.00 Woman's Hour

Discussion and interviews. Including at 10.45 Ordinary Heroes 2/5. The 15-Minute Drama. For details see drama repeat 7.45pm.

11.00 The Bubble

RT Two users of social media with different views – a Labour supporter and a Conservative supporter – swap accounts for a fortnight and live in each other's bubbles in the run-up to 29 March, which would have been Brexit Day. Will they appreciate each other's point of view? Producer Lydia Thomas

11.30 The Art of Now: Race and Fashion

The deputy editor of *Elle Magazine* UK, Kenya Hunt, celebrates black fashion designers and looks at the challenges they face. She hears from, among others, innovator and curator Duro Olowu, the London-based Nigerian-Jamaican designer who is one of a small number of black designers to have achieved luxury-level success.

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6.00am The Christopher Marlowe Mysteries

6.30 Jamaica: the Harder They Come (2/2)

7.00 Second Thoughts Comedy (4/6)

7.30 My Teenage Diary With Samira Ahmed (5/6)

8.00 The Betty Witherspoon Show

8.30 Whatever Happened to the Likely Lads?

9.00 The News Quiz Extra Panel show (2/8)

9.45 Hearing with Hegley Comic verse (2/8)

10.00 War and Peace as 3pm

11.00 Telling Tales With Simon Garfield

12.00 The Betty Witherspoon Show

12.30pm Whatever Happened to the Likely Lads?

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1.30 Jamaica: the Harder They Come (2/2)

2.00 Back When We Were Grownups (7/10)

2.15 Team Spirit With Claudia Hammond (2/5)

2.30 44 Scotland Street – The Blue Spode

Tea Cup A special radio adaptation by Alexander McCall Smith of various tales featured in two books in his 44 Scotland Street series. From 2015 (2/5)

2.45 Rudolf Nureyev: The Life (2/5)

3.00 War and Peace Dramatisation by Timberlake Wertenbaker of Leo Tolstoy's 1869 epic following the fortunes of three Russian aristocratic families throughout the French invasion of Russia during the Napoleonic Wars. The massive cast includes

12.04pm Adrian Mole and the Weapons of Mass Destruction

7/10. Harry McEntire reads from the sixth book in Sue Townsend's series. Adrian goes to an anti-war march in London with Daisy – and keeps quiet about his own views. He is summoned by Michael Flowers and given unwelcome news. Abridged by Sara Davies. For details see yesterday Repeated 10.45pm

12.18 Call You and Yours

Consumer affairs, inviting listeners to offer their experiences. PHONE: 0370 010 0444 (Lines open from 10am) email: youandyours@bbc.co.uk

1.00 The World at One

Analysis of news and current affairs, presented by Sarah Montague.

1.45 The Art and Science of Blending

2/5. Philosopher Barry Smith continues to examine the process of combining things together, examining whether it is an art or a science. His second study of the series is the art of blending tea. For detail for see Monday

2.00 The Archers

Repeated from yesterday 7pm

2.15 The Progress of the Soul of Lizzie Calvin

Glenda Jackson plays the Soul in poet Michael Symmons Roberts's contemporary version of John Donne's unfinished poem, *The Progress of the Soul*, where the soul journeys through different forms of life, from a flea on a dog's back to a mandrake. The Soul Glenda Jackson Songbird/Rat/Girl Lizzie Deborah McAndrew Angela Lonsdale Flea/Chef Mark Heap Mandrake/Whale Russell Dixon Dog/Seagull Louis Labovitch Director Susan Roberts (R)

3.00 The Kitchen Cabinet

Repeated from Saturday 10.30am

3.30 Costing the Earth

4/9. Dig for Victory. Tom Heap investigates the pros and cons of self-sufficiency as he investigates whether Britain could feed itself. Producer Anne-Marie Bullock Repeated tomorrow 9pm

4.00 Word of Mouth

RT New series. 1/6. Michael Rosen and Dr Laura Wright return, today looking into the world of biscuit names – from digestives to custard creams – while munching some in the company of biscuit historian Anastasia Edwards. Producer Beth O'Dea

4.30 Great Lives

4/9. Ian McMillan – presenter of *The Verb* on Radio 3 – chooses Malcolm Lowry, author of *Under the Volcano*. He is joined by Lowry's biographer Bryan Biggs, with Matthew Parris presenting. Producer Camellia Sinclair Repeated Friday 11pm See Friday 10pm Radio 3

5.00 PM

Presented by Evan Davis.

6.00 Six o'Clock News

6.30 My Teenage Diary

6/6. Naturalist Chris Packham joins host Rufus Hound to read from the nature diaries he kept as a teenager. (R)

7.00 The Archers

Natasha finds herself in demand and Jill shares a tender moment. For cast see Friday Repeated tomorrow 2pm

7.15 Front Row

Samira Ahmed explores the art of film director Stanley Kubrick as a major exhibition opens at the Design Museum, and a Kubrick season runs at the BFI Southbank. Producer Tim Prosser

7.45 Ordinary Heroes

2/5. By Paul Marquess and Sally Tatchell. Drama following two uniformed police officers as they patrol the streets of London on foot during a single nightshift. Starring Nisha Nayar and Joel Philimore. For cast and details see yesterday Rptd from 10.45am

8.00 The Populist Curtain

2/3. Political scientist Yascha Mounk continues his journey along the line of the former Iron Curtain, looking at how populism has taken hold. Tonight he is in Austria, where populists have been brought into the fold, with the coalition between the centre-right Austrian People's Party and the far-right Freedom Party of Austria running the country. From Graz, Mounk heads to the Italian city of Trieste. Producer Kate Lamble

8.40 In Touch

Peter White with news and information for the blind and partially sighted.

9.00 All in the Mind

RT New series. Claudia Hammond returns with an edition of the programme recorded live in Salford in front of BBC staff, in which the ex-footballer Clarke Carlisle discusses his mental-health challenges, accompanied by his wife Carrie. Producers Pamela Rutherford and Caroline Steel Repeated tomorrow 3.30pm

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9.30 The Long View

RT 1/4. With Jonathan Freedland. Repeated from 9am

10.00 The World Tonight

With James Coomarasamy.

10.45 Adrian Mole and the Weapons of Mass Destruction

7/10. Repeated from 12.04pm

11.00 Fred at the Stand

4/6. Fred MacAulay introduces some of the UK's best stand-up comedians recorded live in Glasgow, featuring Micky Bartlett, Jay Lafferty, Stuart Mitchell and Andy Askins.

11.30 Today in Parliament

12.00 News

12.30-12.45am Book of the Week: Losing Earth 2/5. Repeated from 9.45am

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2.00 Newshour: the stories behind the latest headlines 3.00 News 3.05 People Fixing the World 3.30 World Business Report: informed analysis 4.00 BBC OS 6.00 News 6.05 Outlook: perspectives on important issues 7.00 News

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News and sport as yesterday

5.00am Morning Reports

5.15 Wake Up to Money

6.00 5 Live Breakfast

Nicky Campbell and Rachel Burden with UK and international news. At 9.00 Your Call, with Nicky Campbell inviting listeners to comment on the day's big story.

10.00 The Emma Barnett Show

5 Live Sports Extra Digital only

10.50am-3.25pm Cricket

Warwickshire v Nottinghamshire, a group match from Edgbaston.

1.00pm Nihal Arthanayake

News, big-name interviews and topical conversation.

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5 Live Sports Extra Digital only

3.25-7.30pm Cricket

Chennai Super Kings v Sunrisers Hyderabad, an Indian Premier League match from Chennai.

4.00 5 Live Drive

With Sam Walker and Tony Livesey.

7.00 5 Live Sport

Mark Chapman presents sports news, including at 7.00 Tuesday Night Club where he is joined by former footballers Ian Wright, Chris Sutton and Andy Townsend for football discussion and debate. Plus updates from Tottenham Hotspur v Brighton and Hove Albion and Watford v Southampton. And at 10.00 BeSpoke, in which sports journalist Tom Fordyce looks at the latest developments with Team Sky.

10.30 Adrian Goldberg

1.00am Up All Night

Talksport

1053, 1089 MW DAB talksport.co.uk

F'view 723 F'sat 731 Sky 0108 Virgin 927

6.00am Sports Breakfast

Presented by Alan Brazil.

10.00 Jim White, Micky Gray and Bob Mills

1.00pm Hawksbee and Jacobs

4.00 Adrian Durham and Darren Gough

Football news.

WEDNESDAY Radio

Wednesday

Radio

Today's Choices



Shimmer and Dazzle: Seeing What Bridget Riley Sees

6.30am/8.30pm/1.30am

Radio 4 Extra

Now 87 and still working after a 70-year career, Bridget Riley (above, in 1979) is generally regarded as Britain's greatest living abstract artist. Inspired by Seurat and Pollock, she burst on to the art scene in the 1960s as a leading innovator of Op Art – black-and-white patterns that sometimes created optical illusions and appealed to the psychedelic generation. Her work was so influential that her designs were being used without her permission for clothes, even while her first pieces were being shown in New York. At the Venice Biennale in 1968 she became the first Brit to be awarded the International Prize for painting. First heard in 2010, this programme anticipates a major Riley retrospective at London's Hayward Gallery this autumn.

DAVID MCGILLIVRAY

Free Thinking

10.00pm Radio 3

Joy, as we learn from tonight's discussion from this year's Free Thinking Festival, is not what we might have thought. Spinoza pointed out in the 17th century that joy derives largely from the unexpected. Today it's seen as an antiquated emotion, associated with religious or sporting gatherings, but it can have a menacing quality. The debate ranges widely, and the smiley-face emoji pops up to represent changing attitudes. But surely joy also derives from art and entertainment? It's never mentioned and despite presenter Rana Mitter's jokes, this programme is somewhat joyless. DAVID MCGILLIVRAY

BBC Radio 1

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6.30am Mollie King and Matt Edmondson
10.00 Clara Amfo
1.00pm Scott Mills
4.00 Nick Grimshaw
7.00 Annie Mac
A journey of musical discovery.
9.00 Rickie, Melvin and Charlie
11.00 Radio 1's Indie Show
With Jack Saunders.
1.00am Benji B Future beats.
3.00 Radio 1's Drag Queen's Den
3.30 Radio 1's Workout Mix
4.00 Adele Roberts

BBC Radio 2

88-90.2 FM DAB bbc.co.uk/radio2
F'view* 702 F'sat 702 Sky 0102 Virgin 902

5.00am Vanessa Feltz
6.30 Zoe Ball
A lively mix of music, entertainment and celebrity guests.
9.30 Ken Bruce
Music, chat and guests, today with English singer/songwriter Grace Carter performing material from her EP *Why Her Not Me*, live in the Radio 2 Piano Room. And in

Tracks of My Years, after **11.30**, Jessie Buckley discusses two more records of personal significance.

12.00 Jeremy Vine
2.00pm Steve Wright
With music and big-name guests.

5.00 Sara Cox
Lively show with chart oldies and music from Radio 2's current playlist, plus chat including listener phone-ins, texts and dedications.

7.00 Jo Whiley
With a showcase of new music including live sessions.

9.00 The Folk Show with Mark Radcliffe

Traditional and contemporary folk and acoustic music from here and abroad, broadcast from Salford Quays with studio sessions.

10.00 Trevor Nelson's Rhythm Nation

Soul, neo-R&B and hip-hop.

12.00 OJ Borg

Music and chat.

3.00am Pick of the Pops

Paul Gambaccini counts down contrasting pop charts from this week in 1975 and 1990, when the Top 20s included radio hits by Guys and Dolls, the Sweet, Adamski, UB40, the Happy Mondays and many others. (R)

BBC 6 Music

DAB bbc.co.uk/6music
Freeview 707 Freesat 707 Sky 0120 Virgin 909

7.30am Lauren Laverne
10.30 Mary Anne Hobbs
1.00pm Shaun Keaveny

Indie music, laughs and listener input.

4.00 Steve Lamacq

7.00 Marc Riley

New music, including live sets.

9.00 Gideon Coe

BBC archive live performances.

12.00 6 Music Recommends

1.00am Classic Albums

Led Zeppelin guitarist Jimmy Page talks to Roger Scott about the band's untitled 1971 opus.

2.00 Classic Scottish Albums

The Jesus and Mary Chain's 1985 debut

album *Psychocandy* – NME critics'

second favourite of the year.

2.30 Live Hour

Placebo in 1998 at Manchester Academy, plus sessions by

La Shark in 2013 and the Tea Set in 1980.

3.30 Mary Anne Hobbs Hit Reset Mix

4.00 Jukebox

New tracks.

5.00 Chris Hawkins

BBC Radio 3

90.2-92.4 FM DAB bbc.co.uk/radio3
Freeview* 703 Freesat 703 Sky 0103 Virgin 903
News and weather as Monday
6.30am Breakfast With Georgia Mann.
9.00 Essential Classics With Suzy Klein.
9.30 Listeners' suggestions.
10.10 Our Classical Century Key moments.
10.50 Cultural inspirations from Maxine Peake.
11.30 Slow Moment A musical contemplation.
12.00 Composer of the Week: Handel, Messiah and Dublin

3/5. To the Hibernian Shore. Today, Donald Macleod and his guest Ruth Smith follow Handel as his packet boat docks in Dublin, and he sets about organising his much anticipated concert series. His organ was shipped over with him, and such was demand and curiosity that Handel conceded to hold open rehearsals. The programme looks at the crowd-pulling singers he "formed" and the other scores in his suitcase that would whet the public's appetite before the Messiah's great unveiling.

Handel *Revenge, Timotheus cries (Alexander's Feast)* William Berger (baritone), Ludus Baroque, conductor Richard Neville-Towle

Handel *Messiah, Part 2 (excerpts)* Clare Wilkinson (mezzo), Nicholas Mulroy (tenor), Susan Hamilton (soprano), Dunedin Consort and Players, conductor John Butt

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Handel *Organ Concerto No 1 in B flat, HWV306*

(4th mvt) Simon Preston (organ), English Concert, conductor Trevor Pinnock

1.00pm Radio 3 Lunchtime Concert

Fiona Talkington presents further performances by the Nash Ensemble, recorded in July 2017 at LSO St Luke's in London.

Vaughan Williams *Phantasy String Quintet*

Bruch *Eight Pieces for clarinet, viola and piano (excerpts)*

Vaughan Williams *Quintet in D for piano, clarinet, horn, violin and cello.* (R)

2.00 Afternoon Concert

Fiona Talkington continues this week's showcase of the BBC Scottish Symphony Orchestra with a varied American-themed programme.

Bernstein *Three Dance Episodes (On the Town)*

Barber *Knoxville: Summer of 1915*

Rachmaninov *Symphony No 3 in A minor*

Elizabeth Reiter (soprano), BBC Scottish Symphony Orchestra, conductor John Wilson

3.30 Choral Evensong

From Rugby School. Introit: *Rise Up My love* (LIVE) (Willan). Responses: Radcliffe. Psalm 119

vv1-32. First Lesson: *Isaiah 26 vv1-19*. Office hymn: *Jesus Lives Thy Terrors Now (St Albinus)*. Canticus: Stanford in C. Second Lesson: John 20 vv1-10. Anthem: *Blessed Be the God and Father (Wesley)*. Hymn: *Light's Glittering Morn (Lasst uns erfreuen)*. Voluntary: *Suite Gothique (Toccata)* (Boëllmann). Director of Music Richard Tanner. Organist Simon Williams. Repeated Sunday 3pm

Scala Radio

DAB scalaradio.co.uk

6.00am In the Park Atmospheric sounds.

7.00 Charles Nove Vibrant and soothing music.

10.00 Simon Mayo

1.00pm Sam Hughes

4.00 Mark Forrest A varied musical selection.

7.00 Alexis Ffrench

The pianist, producer and composer selects his favourite piano pieces from across the centuries. (R)

9.00 William Orbit in the Space

10.00 Hannah Cox Moments of mindfulness.

1.00am Night Music

Absolute Radio

DAB absoluteradio.co.uk

F'view 727 F'sat 724 Sky 0107 Virgin 915

6.00am Dave Berry Lively chat, music and features

10.00 Leona Graham 1.00pm Ben Burrell

4.00 Bush and Richie Andy Bush and Richie Firth with mostly male and guitar-based music whether psychedelia, pop, hard rock, folk-rock, prog rock, glam, punk, post-punk, new wave, synthpop, stadium rock or heavy metal

7.00 Danielle Perry 10.00 Pete Donaldson 1.00am Chris Martin

4.30 New Generation Artists

Carriona Morison sings Mahler's *Rückert-Lieder* – five ravishing songs written in the first years of the 20th century.

Howard Blake *Prelude for solo viola*

Eivind Ringstad (viola)

Mahler *Rückert-Lieder*

Carriona Morison (mezzo), Yuka Beppu (piano)

Trad Scottish, arr Britten *O Can Ye Sew Cushions*

Carriona Morison (mezzo), Malcolm Martineau (piano)

5.00 In Tune

With live performances by pianist Vadym Kholodenko and the traditional-style Anglo-Irish band Flook.

7.00 In Tune Mixtape

Mix of music.

7.30 Radio 3 in Concert

Natasha Riordan introduces the National Youth Orchestra of Great Britain in a concert of music from America, Cuba and Mexico, recorded on 12 April at the Royal Festival Hall in London.

Revueletas *Sensemaya*

Chávez *Symphony No 2 (Sinfonía India)*

Gershwin *Piano Concerto*

Interval

Copland *Symphony No 3*

Xiayin Wang (piano), National Youth Orchestra of Great Britain, conductor Carlos Miguel Prieto

10.00 Free Thinking

RT World. Rana Mitter is joined by Aatish Taseer, Thomas Dixon and Veronica Strang for a discussion on the expression and interpretation of emotions and how they differ around the world. Producer Zahid Warley

10.45 The Essay: Hear Listening

3/5. Sight Seeing? Or Hear Listening. Alex Bulmer, writer and performer, describes following in the footsteps of 19th-century blind travel writer James Holman. After a trip up the Rhine reveals the possibility of audio tourism, a trip to Cologne brings a crisis. Alex finds herself at odds with Holman and his 19th-century approach to adventure and challenge.

11.00 Late Junction

Verity Sharp is joined in the studio by Turner Prize winner Charlotte Prodger.

12.30am Through the Night

With John Shea. **Berlioz** *Romeo and Juliet* Julie Boulianne (mezzo), Paul Appleby (tenor), Vitalij Kowaljow (bass), Berlin Radio Chorus, Deutsches Symphonie-Orchester Berlin, conductor Robin Ticciati

2.07 Beethoven *Piano Sonata in E flat, Op 31 No 3*

3.31 Schumann *Violin Concerto in D minor, Op posth*

3.03 Schubert *Piano Sonata in A minor D845*

3.40 Obrecht *Omnis spiritus laudet*

3.46 Chédeville *Recorder Sonata in G minor, Op 13 No 6*

3.53 Kalliwoda *Morceau de salon, Op.228*

4.03 Barber *Adagio for Strings*

4.12 Satie *La Belle excentrique*

4.20 Brahms *Theme with Vari*

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Freeview 704 Freesat 704 (FM) 710 (LW)
Sky 0104 (FM) 0143 (LW) Virgin 904 (FM) 911 (LW)News, weather and shipping forecasts as Monday;
no weather at 5.57am

5.30am News Briefing

5.43 Prayer for the Day

With Juanita Francis, Youth Pastor at Ruach City
Church, London.

5.45 Farming Today

News about food, farming and the countryside.

5.58 Tweet of the Day

Nightingale 2/2. With David Attenborough. (R)

6.00 Today

With John Humphrys and Mishal Husain.

6.25, 7.25, 8.25 Sport

7.48 Thought for the Day

9.00 New Ways of Seeing

2/4. Machine Visions. James Bridle –
taking his cue from John Berger's seminal
1972 TV series *Ways of Seeing* – reveals the
true meaning of images in the modern day. In
an era of face-swap and video generation
technologies, fake news and conspiracy
theory, how has digitisation altered the nature,
reliability and power of images? Artists Trevor
Paglen, Hito Steyerl, Donstant Cullaart and
Adam Harvey contribute.
Producer Steve Urquhart Repeated 9.30pm9.30 The Curious Cases of Rutherford
and Fry4/6. The Lunar Land. 1/2. A special
two-part episode to mark the approaching
50th anniversary of Apollo 11. In this episode,
Hannah and Adam look at how the Moon was
formed and why planet Earth only has one.
Producer Michelle Martin Rptd 8.45pm and Fri 5.45am

9.45 FM Book of the Week: Losing Earth

3/5. The Hole in the Ozone Layer. By
Nathaniel Rich. In 1985, the hole in the ozone
layer leads to headlines and political action, and
campaigners for a reduction in global warming
learn invaluable lessons. Read by Kyle Soller.
For details see Monday Repeated 12.30am

9.45 LW Daily Service

An act of worship, featuring readings from
scripture and a range of choral music.

10.00 Woman's Hour

Discussion and interviews.

10.41 Ordinary Heroes

3/5. The 15-minute Drama.
For details see Easter Monday Repeated 7.45pm

10.55 The Listening Project

Fi Glover presents another intimate and
revealing conversation.

11.00 My Name Is

4/13. Gambling Addiction. Former
gambling addict Katie investigates how
online firms use customer data to target
people like her and meets politicians who are
making promises to tighten laws.
Repeated from Easter Monday 8pm

BBC Radio 4 Extra

DAB bbc.co.uk/radio4extra

Freeview 708 Freesat 708 Sky 0131 Virgin 910

6.00am The Christopher Marlowe Mysteries

6.30 CHOICE: Shimmer and Dazzle: Seeing
What Bridget Riley Sees as 8.30pm

7.00 The Six Mothers-in-Law of Henry VIII

7.30 Fags, Mags and Bags Comedy (4/4)

8.00 The Navy Lark Classic comedy (2/13)

8.30 Not in Front of the Children 1970 sitcom

9.00 Counterpoint Music quiz (9/13)

9.30 Be Prepared as 4.30pm

10.00 War and Peace as 3pm

11.00 Step Back in Time with Rylan Clark-Neal

11.30 Short Cuts Tales of wild youth. From 2016

12.00 The Navy Lark Classic comedy (2/13)

12.30pm Not in Front of the Children Sitcom

1.00 The Christopher Marlowe Mysteries

1.30 CHOICE: Shimmer and Dazzle: Seeing
What Bridget Riley Sees as 8.30pm

2.00 Back When We Were Grownups (8/10)

2.15 Team Spirit (3/5)

2.30 44 Scotland Street – The Blue Spode

Tea Cup By Alexander McCall Smith (3/5)

2.45 Rudolf Nureyev: the Life (3/5)

3.00 War and Peace Dramatisation by Timberlake

Wertenbaker of Leo Tolstoy's 1869 epic (3/10)

4.00 Counterpoint Music quiz (9/13)

4.30 Be Prepared Comedy by Gerard Hosier (1/4)

11.30 Ability

4/4. Weekend Away. Matt's parents invite Jess
and Matt to join them for a weekend away. The
semi-autobiographical co-creation of Lee Ridley,
otherwise known as Lost Voice Guy, and multi-
award nominated writer Katherine Jakeways.Matt Lee Ridley Matt's inner voice
Bob Allan Mustafa Andrew Hayden-Smith
Jess Sammy Dobson
Producer Jane Berthoud12.04pm Adrian Mole and the
Weapons of Mass Destruction8/10. By Sue Townsend. Adrian makes
several attempts to write Marigold a letter
ending their relationship. Read by Harry
McEntire, abridged by Sara Davies.
For details see Easter Monday Repeated 10.45pm

12.18 You and Yours

Consumer and public interest reports.

1.00 The World at One

Presented by Sarah Montague.

1.45 FM The Art and Science of Blending

3/5. Perfume. Barry Smith looks at the
process of combining things together. This
time, he examines the link between music
and blending perfume. For details see Easter Monday

2.00 The Archers

Repeated from yesterday 7pm

2.15 Drama: Where This Service Will
ContinueRomantic comedy by Katherine Jakeways.
Suzie has a busy day planned, but her plans
are torpedoed by the sudden arrival of David.
Fifteen months earlier, the two sat next to
each other on a train journey from London to
Penzance, and now he has tracked her down.
Suzie Rosie Cavaliero Lucy
David Justin Edwards Cashier
Director James Robinson (R)

3.00 Money Box Live

Financial questions answered.
PHONE: 0370 010 0444 Lines open from 1pm to 3.30pm
EMAIL: moneybox@bbc.co.uk

3.30 All in the Mind

Repeated from yesterday 9pm

4.00 Thinking Allowed

No-Go-World. Is fear re-drawing our maps
and infecting our politics? Ruben Andersson
from the University of Oxford considers the
way in which images of danger – from the
Afghan-Pakistan borderlands to the Sahara
– depict a new-world disorder on the global
margins. And Debbie Lisle from Queens
University, Belfast discusses holidays in the
danger zone, showing how a tourist
sensibility has come to shape the behaviour
of soldiers in war, while a military sensibility
now influences the development of tourism.
Presented by Laurie Taylor.
Producer Jayne Egerton Repeated Sunday 12.15am

4.30 The Media Show With Amol Rajan.

5.00 PM

Presented by Evan Davis.

6.00 Six o'Clock News

6.30 Simon Evans Goes to Market

New series. Adam Smith. Comedy show
aiming to make economics fun. In the first of
a new series, host Simon Evans and
undercover economist Tim Harford are
joined in conversation by Adam Smith, the
author of *The Wealth of Nations*, the first
modern work of economics and still
incomparably influential in Western political
and economic thought. Producer Richard Morris

7.00 The Archers

Elizabeth faces up to her troubles, and an old
mystery rears its head.

For cast see Friday Repeated tomorrow 2pm

7.15 Front Row

Folk musician Sam Lee has been working
with the RSPB to create a track of birdsong in
order to highlight its disappearance from our
skies. Kirsty Lang presents. See tomorrow 11.30am

7.45 Ordinary Heroes

3/5. By Paul Marquess and Sally Tatchell.
Drama following two police officers patrolling
the streets of London during a night shift.
Starring Nisha Nayar and Joel Phillippe.
For cast and details see Easter Monday Rptd from 10.41am

8.00 FutureProofing

4/4. Timandra Harkness and Leo Johnson
travel to two locations – Nasa's Los Angeles
laboratory, and the site of the nuclear
catastrophe at Chernobyl – to look at the risks
of disaster that face us in the next century.
Could artificial intelligence accelerate the
demise of humankind, while also offering a
pathway to survival and redemption?
Producer Jonathan Brunert Repeated Saturday 10.15pm8.45 The Curious Cases of Rutherford
and Fry Repeated from 9.30am

9.00 Costing the Earth

Repeated from yesterday 3.30pm

9.30 New Ways of Seeing Rptd from 9am

10.00 The World Tonight With Ritula Shah.

10.45 Book at Bedtime: Adrian Mole
and the Weapons of Mass Destruction
8/10. Repeated from 12.04pm

11.00 Bunk Bed

6/8. Comedy dialogue in which Peter Curran
and Patrick Marber converse in the dark,
tonight joined by poet Benjamin Zephaniah.
Producer Peter Curran

11.15 Kieran Hodgson's Earworms

3/4. Glazunov. Kieran Hodgson, joined by
Tessa Coates and Colin Houl, offers an idiot's
guide to famous composers, continuing with
the music of Glazunov. Producer Sam Ward (R)

11.30 Today in Parliament

12.00 News

12.30-12.45am Book of the Week:
Losing Earth

3/5. Repeated from 9.45am

1.00 as BBC World Service

BBC World Service

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5.00am News 5.05 The Newsroom 5.30 Click:

Technological news 6.00 Newsday

8.30 Business Daily 8.50 Witness History

9.00 News 9.05 The Documentary 10.00 World

Update 11.00 The Newsroom 11.30 The

Documentary: America's Friends 12.00 News

12.05pm Outlook 1.00 The Newsroom 1.30 The

Compass: Participatory Budgeting: Paris, France

2.00 Newshour 3.00 News 3.05 Hardtalk:

interviews with newsmakers and personalities

from across the globe 3.30 World Business

Report 4.00 BBC OS 6.00 News 6.05 Outlook

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Friends: investigating global developments, issues
and affairs 3.00 News 3.05 Outlook 4.00 News

4.05 The Inquiry 4.30 The Food Chain

BBC Radio 5 Live

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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

5.15 Wake Up to Money

6.00 5 Live Breakfast

Nicky Campbell and Rachel Burden
with UK and international news,
plus business, travel updates and
the day's sports stories. At 9.00Your Call, with Nicky Campbell
inviting listeners to comment on

the day's big story.

10.00 The Emma Barnett Show

5 Live Sports Extra Digital only

10.50am-3.25pm Cricket

Today's Choices



Drama: My Friend, Marie Antoinette

2.15pm Radio 4

Carine Adler's period drama immerses us in the febrile atmosphere of France in 1793, a time of revolutionary vigour and the horror of the guillotine. The king is dead, while his doomed queen, Marie Antoinette (above), languishes in a filthy prison cell. Her only solace is 19-year-old attendant Rosalie, with whom she begins to bond. As Rosalie's preconceived ideas are challenged – should she feel sorry for such a despised figure? – we too may be persuaded to care. After all, the queen is frail yet friendly, charming even, without a glimpse of hauteur. But her time is running out... In this affecting, well-told piece, the theme of crossing a rigid class divide is writ large, but the crux of the story is the unfolding scenario of two disparate women spurring each other on to face life's iniquities. **CHRIS GARDNER**

The Full Works Concert

8.00pm Classic FM

Following the unveiling of the new Classic FM Hall of Fame over the Easter weekend, Catherine Bott presents the first of two *Full Works* concerts surveying the new chart and showcasing some of the all-time favourites such as Mozart's *Marriage of Figaro* overture and Tchaikovsky's *Pathétique* Symphony – alongside some perhaps surprising new entries, including Beethoven's early Serenade in D major for string trio, the suite from the Chopin-based ballet *Les Sylphides* and a medley from Ramin Djawadi's soundtrack for TV's *Game of Thrones*.

MARK PAPPENHEIM

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6.30am Mollie King and Matt Edmondson
10.00 Clara Amfo
1.00pm Scott Mills Music and chat.
4.00 Nick Grimshaw New music.
7.00 Annie Mac
9.00 Rickie, Melvin and Charlie
11.00 Radio 1's Indie Show Alternative sounds with Jack Saunders.
1.00am Radio 1's Soundsystem with Toddla T Banging tunes.
3.00 Radio 1 Comedy
3.40 Radio 1's Chill Mix
4.00 Adele Roberts

BBC Radio 2

88–90.2 FM DAB bbc.co.uk/radio2

F'view* 702 F'sat 702 Sky 0102 Virgin 902

5.00am Vanessa Feltz
6.30 Zoe Ball
9.30 Ken Bruce Including the **PopMaster** music quiz and, after **11.30, Tracks of My Years**, with Irish singer and actress Jessie Buckley, who plays a Glaswegian country singer with Nashville dreams in Tom Harper's new film *Wild Rose*. Today she discusses a track by Nina Simone and one by Emmylou Harris.

Your RT Puzzles: page 157**12.00 Jeremy Vine****2.00pm Steve Wright****5.00 Sara Cox****7.00 Jo Whiley****9.00 The Country Show with Bob Harris**

Tonight with Canadian country singer and musician Tennille Townes in Radio 2's Nashville studios performing material from her as yet unreleased debut album.

10.00 Trevor Nelson's Rhythm Nation**12.00 OJ Borg****3.00am Tracks of My Years**

Omnibus edition of the daily feature from Ken Bruce's show in which a guest shares ten of their favourite records of all time. Irish singer and actress Jessie Buckley discusses discs by the Beatles, Nina Simone, Janis Joplin, Etta James, the Dixie Chicks, Fleetwood Mac and others.

4.00 The Craig Charles House Party Mixtape

Feature taken from Craig's Saturday funk and soul show.

4.30 Huey Morgan's The Times of Our Lives Regular segment taken from Huey Morgan's Friday show.

BBC 6 Music

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7.30am Lauren Laverne**10.30 Mary Anne Hobbs** Including soothing sounds in the 20-minute *Hit Reset Mix*.**1.00pm Shaun Keaveny****4.00 Steve Lamacq** With *Roundtable at 6.00*.**7.00 Marc Riley** South London rock act Fat White Family perform songs from their album *Serfs Up!***9.00 Gideon Coe** BBC archive sets.**12.00 6 Music Recommends****1.00am Classic Albums** David Gilmour talks to Roger Scott about Pink Floyd's 1973 blockbuster LP *The Dark Side of the Moon*.**2.00 Classic Scottish Albums****4/6.** Former Orange Juice lead singer Edwyn Collins discuss the band's 1982 LP *You Can't Hide Your Love Forever*.**2.30 Live Hour** Red Hot Chili Peppers at the Reading Festival in 1994 and the Soul Jazz Orchestra in 2010.**3.30 Jukebox** **5.00 Chris Hawkins**

BBC Radio 3

90.2–92.4 FM DAB bbc.co.uk/radio3

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News and weather as Easter Monday**6.30am Breakfast** With Georgia Mann.**9.00 Essential Classics** With Suzy Klein.**9.30** Suggestions inspired by a well-known piece.**10.10 Our Classical Century** One hundred key moments from the past century of classical music.**10.50** Maxine Peake shares her inspirations.**11.30 Slow Moment** Short musical contemplation.**12.00 Composer of the Week:****Handel, Messiah and Dublin****4/5. The Sublime, the Grand and the Tender**

Donald Macleod and Ruth Smith continue an exploration of the origins of Handel's *Messiah* with its triumphant premiere in April 1742 in Dublin, revealing how the audiences were encouraged to come without swords and skirt hoops in order to fit in the vast crowds that were expected. By the second day, panes of glass were removed to cool the hordes of concertgoers. Such performances were tied to charity, and Handel was a prolific benefactor. But his *Messiah* would be more coolly received in London.

*O Lord, Whose Mercies Numberless (Saul)*David **Sarah Connolly** (mezzo)

The Sixteen, conductor Harry Christophers

Messiah – Part 2 (excerpts)

Nicholas Mulroy (tenor), Matthew Brook (bass), Dunedin Consort and Players, conductor John Butt

Messiah, Part 2 (excerpts)

Susan Gritton (soprano), Neal Davies (bass), Gabrieli Consort and Players, conductor Paul McCreesh

Messiah, Part 2 (excerpts) Nicholas Mulroy (tenor), Dunedin Consort and Players*Messiah, Part 3 (excerpts)*

Margaret Marshall (soprano), Monteverdi Choir, English Baroque Soloists, conductor John Eliot Gardiner

Utrecht Te Deum, HWV278 (5th–10th mvts)

Nicki Kennedy (soprano), William Towers (alto), Wolfram Lattke (tenor), Julian Podger (tenor), Peter Harvey (bass), Netherlands Bach Society, conductor Jos van Veldhoven

1.00pm Radio 3 Lunchtime Concert

From LSO St Luke's, Fiona Talkington presents the Nash Ensemble with further works of Bruch and Vaughan Williams, recorded in July 2017.

Nash Ensemble

*Bruch Piano Quintet in G minor**Vaughan Williams String Quartet No 2 in A minor (R)***2.00 Afternoon Concert**Bellini's opera *La sonnambula*, recorded in April 2018 at the Slovene National Theatre in Ljubljana. Followed by a performance by the BBCSSO.*Bellini La sonnambula*Lisa **Valentina Cudden** (soprano)Amina **Petya Ivanova** (soprano)Teresa **Irena Petkova** (mezzo)Elvino **Martin Susnik** (tenor)Count Rodolfo **Luka Brajnik** (baritone)

Slovene National Theatre Chorus and Orchestra, conductor Simon Robinson

Scala Radio

DAB scalaradio.co.uk**6.00am In the Park** Calming music.**7.00 Charles Nove** Soothing music.**10.00 Simon Mayo** Including after **10.00** the **Mayo Clinic** – responding to listeners' queries – and, after **11.00**, **Confessions**. Plus listener requests from **12.00**, and the **Album of the Week**.**1.00pm Sam Hughes** Classical pieces.**4.00 Mark Forrest** Varied musical selection.**7.00 Jack Pepper's Culture Bunker**

Jack is joined by Freddie Tapner, principal conductor and founder of the London Musical Theatre Orchestra. (R)

9.00 William Orbit in the Space**10.00 Hannah Cox** Moments of mindfulness.**1.00am Night Music**

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6.00am Dave Berry **10.00 Leona Graham**Mainstream and indie rock **1.00pm Ben Burrell** **4.00 Bush and Richie** **7.00 Danielle Perry** **9.00 Parklife****25 10.00 Pete Donaldson** **1.00am Chris Martin****4.10 Haydn** *Overture: L'isola disabitata***Prokofiev** *Violin Concerto No 2*

Laura Samuel (violin), BBC Scottish Symphony Orchestra, conductor Alexander Liebreich

5.00 In Tune

Katie Derham with arts world news and music, today with vocal act I Fagiolini performing live.

7.00 In Tune Mixtape An inspired mix of music.**7.30 Radio 3 in Concert**

Andrew Davis conducts the BBC **LIVE** Philharmonic in Sibelius and Stravinsky, with Steven Osborne joining them for Tippett's *Piano Concerto*. Presented by Tom Redmond, live from the Bridgewater Hall in Manchester.

Sibelius *Symphony No 6***Tippett** *Piano Concerto***Interval** CD music**Stravinsky** *Symphony in C* Steven Osborne (piano), BBC Philharmonic, conductor Andrew Davis**10.00 Free Thinking: Introducing the 2019 New Generation Thinkers**

Eleanor Rosamund Barracough reveals this year's New Generation Thinkers and the topics they will be researching, in a programme from the Free Thinking festival. Subjects include the Russian pogroms of 1919, the power of human sight, changing attitudes towards facial disfigurement, and techno music in Berlin and beyond. Producer Jacqueline Smith

10.45 The Essay: Hear Listening

4/5. The Importance of Imagination. Alex Bulmer continues in the footsteps of 19th-century blind travel writer James Holman. After the disaster of Cologne, Alex breaks from Holman's itinerary to seek auditory inspiration in the music belt of America, bathing herself in sound and singing.

11.00 Late Junction

Verity Sharp presents music by New Zealand singer/songwriter Aldous Harding, experimental sounds from Burma and contemporary Norwegian jazz. Plus a look ahead to May Day through the sound-world of artist Alice Kemp.

12.30am Through the Night With John Shea.**Matthew Curtis** *A Festival Overture* **Dankworth** *Clarinet Concerto* (The Woolwich) **Clifford Dargo** *A Mountain Rhapsody* **Bliss** *Violin Concerto* Emma Johnson (clarinet), Lorraine McAslan (violin), BBC Concert Orchestra, various conductors
1.52 Chaminade *Concertstück* **2.08 Lange** *Fantasy Sonata No 3 in G minor* **2.24 Gorczycki***Laetatus sum* **2.31 Vivaldi** *Recorder Concerto in C, RV444* **2.41 Mozart** *Mass in C minor, K427* **3.31 Schubert***Allegretto in C minor, D915* **3.38 Wolf** *Italian Serenade***3.46 Corelli** *Sonata a quattro in G minor* **3.52 Rossini***Overture: The Silken Ladder* **4.03 Chaminade***Concertino, Op 107* **4.12 Haydn** *Symphony No 6 in D (Le Matin)***4.31 Warlock** *Serenade (To Frederick Delius on His 60th Birthday)* **4.38 Haydn** *Piano Sonata in C, H XVI 48***4.50 Cavalli** *Dixit Dominus a 8* **5.02 Matteis** *Passages in Imitation of the Trumpet (Ayres and Pieces IV)***Anon** *Five Marches from John Playford's New Tunes***Nicola Matteis** *Chaconne, Plaint, Ecchi* **5.12 Rachmaninov***Symphonic Dances (1st mvt)* **5.24 Johanson** *Four Songs about the Seasons* **5.31 Kuula** *Sorrow***5.38 CPE Bach** *Flute Concerto in D minor, H426***6.00 Mendelssohn** *Piano Trio No 2 in C minor, Op 66 (R)*

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5.30am News Briefing

5.43 Prayer for the Day

With Juanita Francis.

5.45 Farming Today

5.58 Tweet of the Day

Garden Warbler. With David Attenborough. (R)

6.00 Today

With Justin Webb and Nick Robinson.

6.25, 7.25, 8.25 Sports News

6.45 Yesterday in Parliament

7.48 Thought for the Day

9.00 In Our Time

Nero. The Roman emperor, whose rule from AD 54 to 68 was one of increasing instability, is today's topic, with Melvyn Bragg joined by Maria Wyke of University College, London; Shushma Malik of Roehampton University; and Matthew Nicholls of the University of Reading.

Producer Simon Tillotson Repeated 9.30pm

9.45 FM Book of the Week: Losing Earth

4/5. Nathaniel Rich tells the story of the 1989 summit, when ministers from around the world gathered in the Netherlands to discuss climate change. After a decade of campaigning, a binding treaty was finally in sight after a decade of campaigning. Read by Kyle Soller and abridged by Richard Hamilton. For details see Monday Repeated 12.30am

9.45 LW Daily Service

Led by the Rev Sharon Grenham Thompson. My Hope is Built on Nothing Less (St Catherine). 1 Corinthians 15: 20-26. Alleluia! Alleluia! (Lux Eo). Now the Green Blade Riseth (BBC Radio 2 Young Choristers of the Year 2018). Manchester Chamber Choir, director Joe Judge. Organist Simon Leach. BBC Radio 2 Young Choristers of the Year Emilia Jaques and Cassian Pichler-Roca

10.00 Woman's Hour

Discussion and interviews. Including at

10.45 Ordinary Heroes 4/5.

The 15-Minute Drama.

For details see drama repeat 7.45pm

11.00 Crossing Continents

5/7. Bangladesh versus Yaba. Thousands of Bangladeshi addicts are hooked on yaba, a powerful drug that gives big bangs for small bucks. Linda Pressly reports on the yaba epidemic, with the drug – a mix of methamphetamine and caffeine – being manufactured in industrial quantities in the jungles of neighbouring Myanmar, prompting Bangladeshi prime minister Sheikh Hasina to declare a war on drugs last May.

Producers Linda Pressly and Morshed Ali Khan

Repeated Monday 8.30pm

BBC Radio 4 Extra

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6.00am The Christopher Marlowe Mysteries

6.30 The Sound of Magnolias as 8.30pm

7.00 Shush! as 5pm

7.30 Meet David Sedaris as 5.30pm

8.00 Something to Shout About as 7pm

8.30 The Goon Show 1958 comedy

9.00 Booked Ian McMillan's literary game

9.30 Bristow 1999 comedy (4/6)

10.00 War and Peace as 3pm

11.00 Lap of the Gods June Barrie reads Julia Stoneham's tale in which a couple on a sailing trip off the Turkish coast decide to drop anchor in what seems to be a quiet cove. From 1997

11.15 The Right Call as 9.15pm

12.00 Something to Shout About as 7pm

12.30pm The Goon Show 1958 comedy

1.00 The Christopher Marlowe Mysteries

1.30 The Sound of Magnolias as 8.30pm

2.00 Back When We Were Grownups (9/10)

2.15 Team Spirit With Claudia Hammond (4/5)

2.30 44 Scotland Street – The Blue Spode

Tea Cup By Alexander McCall Smith (4/5)

2.45 Rudolf Nureyev: the Life (4/5)

3.00 War and Peace Leo Tolstoy's epic (4/10)

4.00 Booked Ian McMillan's literary game

4.30 Bristow 1999 comedy (4/6)

11.30 The Song Hunters

1/2. The Land without Music. Singer and song collector Sam Lee celebrates the work of those who have fought to save ancient folk songs of Britain from extinction. He begins by revealing that some of the early collectors wanted to document traditional songs before popular music extinguished them, while others wanted to use folk melodies as inspiration for classical music that was authentically British. Producer Max O'Brien (R)

12.04pm Adrian Mole and the Weapons of Mass Destruction

9/10. By Sue Townsend. The Iraq War is under way and Glenn calls from Basra, where he is stationed. Read by Harry McEntire. For details see Easter Monday Repeated 10.45pm

12.18 You and Yours

1.00 The World at One

Presented by Sarah Montague.

1.45 The Art and Science of Blending

4/5. Barry Smith consumes a selection of fine champagnes to look at the art of blending – and why some things work when mixed together and others do not.

2.00 The Archers Rptd from yesterday 7pm

2.15 Drama: My Friend, Marie Antoinette

RT Rosalie Lamorière, a kitchen maid in the medieval prison La Concierge, is confronted with the last queen of France, Marie Antoinette. Carine Adler's drama tells the story of the extraordinary relationship between the two women as the queen awaits her execution. Based on memoir accounts written 50 years after the death of Marie Antoinette by historian Lafont d'Aussonne, who is believed to have interviewed Lamorière.Rosalie Lamorière **Lily Loveless** Inspector Michon/Marie Antoinette **Laure Stockley** Fouquier-Tinville **Ewan Bailey** Chauvau LagardeBecci Gemmill **Peter Hamilton Dyer** Madame Richard **Clare Corbett** Herbert/Doctor **Antony Bunsee** Producer Emma Hearn; Director John Scott Dryden

3.00 Open Country

Helen Mark heads to the Warwickshire landscape of Nuneaton where she walks in the footsteps of Victorian novelist George Eliot – born Mary Anne Evans – and meets the locals who still celebrate her legacy, 200 years after her birth. Repeated Saturday 6.07am

3.27 Radio 4 Appeal Rptd from Sun 7.54am

3.30 Open Book Rptd from Sunday 4.02pm

4.00 The Film Programme

Francine Stock is joined by Oscar-nominated production designer Maria Djurkovic, whose work has featured in *Billy Elliot*, *The Hours*, *Tinker Tailor Soldier Spy* and *The Imitation Game*. She discusses a film that's been a major influence on her career: Emir Kusturica's *Time Of The Gypsies*, released in 1990.

Producer Stephen Hughes Repeated Sunday 11pm

5.00 Shush! Comedy written by and starring Morwenna Banks and Rebecca Front. From 2015 (2/4)

5.30 Meet David Sedaris The American humorist reads more highlights from his work (3/6)

6.00 The Lost Stradivarius Suspense tale (4/4)

Matthew Parris and Max Moseley discuss philosopher, radical MP and proponent of personal liberty John Stuart Mill (1806-73) (6/9)

7.00 Something to Shout About 1961 episode of the sitcom by Myles Rudge and Ronnie Wolfe, poking fun at the advertising world

7.30 The Goon Show 1958 comedy

8.00 The Christopher Marlowe Mysteries Ged Parsons's historical comedy adventure *The Perplex'd Plot of the Perilous Plague*. From 1993**8.30 The Sound of Magnolias** Irma Kurtz journeys to Paris and Madrid to find out more about the blind Spanish composer Rodrigo (1901-91)

9.00 Lap of the Gods Julia Stoneham's tale

9.15 The Right Call Sally Griffiths's drama about family secrets. With Anastasia Hille. From 2014**10.00-12.00 Comedy Club: Meet David Sedaris** (3/6), at **10.30 Newsjack Unplugged** (6/8), at **10.45 The Pin** (2/4), and at **11.00 Alan Parker's 59 Minutes of Truth** (2/6)**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 **4.00** as 4pm **4.30** as 4.30pm **5.00** as 5pm **5.30** as 5.30pm

4.30 BBC Inside Science

With Adam Rutherford. Repeated 9pm

5.00 PM Presented by Evan Davis.

6.00 Six o'Clock News

6.30 Meet David Sedaris

4/6. The American humorist presents more words of wit and wisdom, reading from his books, columns and diary entries. Producer Steve Doherty

7.00 The Archers

Will thinks he's solved a problem and Freddie struggles to find his place. For cast see Friday Repeated tomorrow 2pm

7.15 Front Row Stig Abell is joined by Stephen Deuchar, director of the Art Fund,

who will be announcing the Museum of the Year shortlist, and also discussing the issue of restitution. Producer Hannah Robins

7.45 Ordinary Heroes

4/5. By Paul Marquess and Sally Tatchell. Nisha and Scott find themselves face to face with two armed and desperate women. For cast and details see Easter Monday Repeated from 10.45am (R)

8.00 The Briefing Room

David Aaronovitch explores a topical issue.

8.30 In Business

4/8. Green Shoots: Growing Food in UAE's Deserts. The United Arab Emirates imports 85 per cent of its food at great cost – and each year consumption increases by 12 per cent. This is a region with little soil and few water resources but new agricultural technologies are being developed. Georgia Tolley reports on attempts to make the deserts bloom and improve the business of food production in the UAE. Producer John Murphy

9.00 BBC Inside Science Rptd from 4.30pm

9.30 In Our Time Shortened repeat from 9am

10.00 The World Tonight

Presented by James Coomarasamy.

10.45 Book at Bedtime: Adrian Mole and the Weapons of Mass Destruction

9/10. Repeated from 12.04pm

11.00 Alone

3/6. Just Say No. By Moray Hunter.

Mitch's inability to say no means he ends up double-booked one evening with Ellie and Morris, while Will tries to help Louisa film a scene for a casting. Starring Angus Deayton, Pearce Quigley and Abigail Cruttenden.

Mitch **Angus Deayton** Louisa **Kate Isitt** Ellie **Abigail Cruttenden** Morris **Bennett Aron** Will **Pearce Quigley** Marie **Hilary Maclean** Producer Gordon Kennedy (R)

11.30 Today in Parliament

12.00 News

12.30-12.45am Book of the Week: Losing Earth

4/5. Repeated from 9.45am

1.00 as BBC World Service

BBC World Service

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5.00am News 5.05 The Newsroom

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Business Daily 8.50 Witness History 9.00

News 9.05 The Forum: discussion 9.50

Sporting Witness

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: world events

2.00 Newshour 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 News 7.05 The Newsroom 7.30 Sport

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12.05am The Forum 12.50 Sporting Witness

1.00 News 1.05 Business Matters 2.00 News

Today's Choices



Friday Night Is Music Night

8.00pm Radio 2

In a big-band edition of *FNIMN* from Billingham, Co Durham, Joe Stilgoe and his Big Band Bonanza! showcase arrangements of classic hits by the likes of Buddy Rich, Nelson Riddle, Count Basie and Glenn Miller; the BBC Big Band and conductor Chris Egan are joined by septuagenarian jazz singing legend Madeline Bell (above); and up-and-coming young British singer-pianist Anthony Strong, with Joe and Anthony battling it out on two keyboards in a big-band medley for duelling pianos. In amongst the music, which includes such classics as *Too Close for Comfort*, *Mack the Knife*, *Ain't Misbehavin'* and *Something's Gotta Give*, Joe also pays tribute to great British singer-songwriter-pianist Peter Skellern, who died last year.

MARK PAPPENHEIM

Call Yourself an Impartial Journalist?

11.00am Radio 4

In a febrile political age, fuelled by social media, the BBC has felt the heat as possibly never before – guilty, in its accusers' eyes, of failing to reflect the full spectrum of opinion over not just Brexit but such culture-wars issues as transgenderism. With the BBC due to publish a new set of editorial guidelines in June (the first since 2010), Jonathan Coffey explores the idea of impartiality and whether any sort of consensus around it is possible. Contributors include the *Spectator* columnist Rod Liddle, the BBC's director of editorial and policy standards David Jordan, and Kerry-Anne Mendoza, the editor of online media outlet *The Canary*.

SIMON O'HAGAN

BBC Radio 1

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6.00am Matt and Mollie
10.00 Radio 1's Greatest Hits
11.00 Maya Jama
1.00pm Dev and Alice
4.00 The Official Chart Show
6.00 Radio 1's Dance Anthems
7.00 Annie Mac Music and chat.
9.00 Pete Tong Club sounds.
11.00 Danny Howard
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3.00 Radio 1's Drum & Bass Mix
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4.00 Radio 1's Wind Down

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5.00am Vanessa Feltz

6.30 Zoe Ball

9.30 Ken Bruce

Including *Tracks of My Years*, with Jessie Buckley discussing discs by Janis Joplin and Fleetwood Mac.

12.00 Jeremy Vine

2.00pm Steve Wright

4.15 Steve Wright in the Afternoon

5.00 Sara Cox

7.00 Tony Blackburn's Golden Hour

8.00 Friday Night Is Music Night

RT Chris Egan conducts the BBC Concert Orchestra in a jazz special featuring singers Madeline Bell and Anthony Strong. Plus the Big Band Bonanza! led by Joe Stilgoe, who presents the concert which features arrangements by Buddy Rich, Nelson Riddle, Count Basie, Glenn Miller, Gordon Goodwin and Stan Kenton. Songs include *Mack the Knife* and *Ain't Misbehavin'*. Recorded in 2017 in Billingham, Stockton-on-Tees. (R)

10.00 Sounds of the 80s

With Gary Davies. Repeated Tuesday 3am

12.00 Anneka Rice

2.00am Johnnie Walker's Long-Players

New Series. 2/6. Johnnie Walker and David Hepworth revisit two big EMI albums in which bands were given artistic control: *OK Computer* – Radiohead's third, released 1997 – and Coldplay's third release, *X&Y* (2005). Producer Mark Simpson

3.00 Carpenters from A to Z

2/2. Richard Carpenter discusses the superstar duo's hits and album tracks. This concluding part starts with the letter K. Producer Malcolm Prince (R)

4.00 Huey Morgan

BBC 6 Music

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7.30am Lauren Laverne

10.30 Mary Anne Hobbs

1.00pm Shaun Keaveny

4.00 Steve Lamacq

7.00 Iggy Pop With personal picks.

9.00 Tom Ravenscroft

With a mix by electronic producer, musician and composer Chris Clark (aka Clark), who next week debuts his arrangement of a Bach work at the Royal Albert Hall in London.

12.00 Nemone's Electric Ladyland

2.00am 6 Music Classic Concert Labi Siffre in 1972 in London.

3.00 Live Hour Air in 1998, Wreckless Eric in 1977 and Alessi's Ark in 2011.

4.00 Classic Albums

Little Feat's Paul Barrère and Richie Hayward discuss the band's 1974 LP *Feats Don't Fail Me Now*.

5.00 Chris Hawkins

BBC Radio 3

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News and weather as Monday

6.30am Breakfast

Music, news and the occasional surprise, presented by Georgia Mann.

9.00 Essential Classics

With Suzy Klein. **9.30** Listeners' suggestions for companion pieces on the *Essential Classics* playlist.

10.10 Our Classical Century

Key moments. **10.50** Maxine Peake shares her cultural inspirations.

11.30 Slow Moment

Time to take a break for a moment's musical reflection. **12.00 Composer of the Week: Handel, Messiah and Dublin**

5/5. Amen.

Donald Macleod and Handel authority Ruth Smith look at the end of the collaboration between Handel and Charles Jennens, who left behind not only *Messiah* but also *Saul*, *L'Allegro* and their final collaboration, *Belshazzar*. And there is an exploration of the way in which the *Messiah*, though embedded in the politics and ideas of its own time, has found favour among singers and music-lovers across the centuries.

1.00pm Radio 3 Lunchtime Concert

Fiona Talkington with the final performances of Bruch and Vaughan Williams by the Nash Ensemble, recorded in 2017 at LSO St Luke's in London. Ben Johnson (tenor), Nash Ensemble

Bruch *Altes lied; Russisch (Nos 1 and 3 of Six Songs, Op 7)*
Bruch *String Quintet in A minor*

Vaughan Williams *On Wenlock Edge* (R)

2.00 Afternoon Concert

Fiona Talkington introduces the BBC Scottish Symphony Orchestra, under Thomas Dausgaard, in a Spanish-themed concert of well-loved works by Debussy, Falla and Ravel, followed by Holst's *The Planets* conducted by James Feddeck.

Debussy Images

Falla *Three-Cornered Hat Suite No 2; Nights in the Gardens of Spain*

Ravel *Alborada del gracioso; Rapsodie espagnole* Javier Perianes (piano), BBC Scottish Symphony Orchestra, conductor Thomas Dausgaard

3.35 Oliver Knussen Symphony No 3

BBCSSO, conducted by the composer

3.50 Holst The Planets

Les Sirènes, BBCSSO, conductor James Feddeck

4.30 The Listening Service

Tom Service questions the concert practice of applauding only at the end of a work, arguing that composers such as Mozart, Beethoven, Schubert and Clara Schumann might compare today's reverential silences to attending a service at a mausoleum of culture, very unlike the messy and noisy interaction and engagement that characterised concerts in their day.

Repeated from Sunday 4.30pm

5.00 In Tune

Katie Derham with live performances by singer Angélique Kidjo and violinist Esther Yoo.

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6.00am In the Park

Peaceful sounds.

7.00 Charles Nove

Vibrant and soothing music.

10.00 Simon Mayo

1.00pm Sam Hughes

Classical pieces.

4.00 Mark Forrest

A varied musical selection.

7.00 Highly Rated

Scala Radio's roundtable show, in which guests select their cultural recommendations for the week ahead.

8.00 Friday Night Scala

With Darren Redick.

10.00 Hannah Cox

Moments of mindfulness, plus listeners' classical music **Love Stories**.

1.00am Night Music

Non-stop music.

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6.00am Dave Berry

Lively chat, music and features.

10.00 Leona Graham 1.00pm Ben Burrell

4.00 Bush and Richie 7.00 Absolute 80s

A nostalgic three hours with Claire Sturgess playing music from the decade of New Order, the Jam, REM, Tears for Fears, the Smiths, Depeche Mode, the Pixies and Kate Bush. **10.00 Jay Lawrence** **4.00am Chris Martin**

7.00 In Tune Mixtape

An inspired, nonstop half-hour of music marked by juxtapositions of classical, contemporary and experimental sounds.

7.30 Radio 3 in Concert

LIVE From the Barbican Hall in London, Sakari Oramo conducts the BBC Symphony Orchestra in works by Dvorak and Elgar, featuring soloist Nicola Benedetti. Presented by Natasha Riordan. Nicola Benedetti (violin), BBC Symphony Orchestra, conductor Sakari Oramo **Elgar** *Violin Concerto in B Minor, Op 61*

8.20 Interval

8.40 Dvorak Symphony No 7 in D Minor

10.00 The Verb

Ian McMillan presents a late-night showcase of new writing, performance and global literature.

10.45 The Essay: Hear Listening

5/5. How I See with My Feet. Writer and performer Alex Bulmer describes following in the footsteps of 19th-century blind travel writer James Holman. Alex is reconciled to Holman and his sensory approach to travelling blind, as her ambulatory senses give her the perfect travel experience walking the ICamino Real. Producer Polly Thomas

11.00 Music Planet

Lopa Kothari presents a studio session by Mexican guitar duo Rodrigo y Gabriela, celebrating the release of their new album *Mettavolution*. Beto Arcos has music from the Festival de la Mejorana in Panama, and the classic artist is premier pipa player and leading ambassador of Chinese music Wu Man.

12.30am Music Planet World Mix

A selection of music from around the world with a theme of water flowing through it, from the deserts of Niger and waterdrops on the Vietnamese zither to a Fela Kuti classic. Producer Roger Short

1.00 Through the Night

With John Shea. American composer John Adams conducts the Oslo Philharmonic Orchestra in a concert of his own works.

John Adams Short Ride in a Fast Machine; Tromba Lontana; Dr Atomic Symphony; Scheherazade.2

Leila Josefowicz (violin), Oslo Philharmonic Orchestra, conducted by the composer **2.36 John Corigliano** *Elegy in Similar Motion*

2.45 Andrew Huggett

Canadian folk-song suite

3.01 Chopin Cello Sonata in G minor, Op 65

3.32 Bruckner Te Deum in C

3.56 Servais/Trad La Romanesca

4.00 Mozart Prelude and Fugue in C, K394

4.09 Rossini Ecco rideante in cielo (Il barbiere di Siviglia)

4.14 Borodin Polovtsian Dances (Prince Igor)

4.25 Glazunov Elégie in D flat, Op 17

4.34 Durante Concerto per quartetto No 6 in A

4.44 Schoenberg Waldsonne, Op 2 No 4

4.49 Crusell Introduction et Air Suedois

5.01 Tournier Images, Op 35

5.12 Dvorak Silent Woods, B182

5.18 Verdi Caro nome (Rigoletto)

5.23 Schulz-Evler Concert arabesques

5.34 Bizet Carmen Suite No 2

5.51 Telemann Quadro in B flat

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5.30am News Briefing

5.43 Prayer for the Day

With Juanita Francis, Praise and Worship leader and Youth Pastor at Ruach City Church, London.

5.45 Farming Today

Food, farming and the countryside.

5.58 Tweet of the Day

Dartford Warbler. With David Attenborough. (R)

6.00 Today

With Martha Kearney and Justin Webb.

6.25, 7.25, 8.25 Sports News

6.45 Yesterday in Parliament

7.48 Thought for the Day

With Catherine Pepinster.

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8.31 LW Yesterday in Parliament

9.00 The Reunion Repeated from Sunday 11.15am

9.45 FM Book of the Week: Losing Earth

5/5. The Aftermath. Nathaniel Rich tells the story of the 1989 summit, when ministers from around the world gathered in the Netherlands to discuss climate change. Here, he looks at how the fallout from the Dutch summit continues to resonate. Read by Kyle Soller. For details see Easter Monday Repeated 12.30am

9.45 LW Daily Service

Leslie Griffiths leads an act of worship, featuring readings from scripture and a range of choral music.

10.00 Woman's Hour

Discussion and interviews.

10.45 Ordinary Heroes

5/5. The 15-Minute Drama.

For details see drama repeat 7.45pm
Editor of *Woman's Hour* Alice Feinstein

11.00 Call Yourself an Impartial Journalist?

RT Jonathan Coffey asks what is impartiality – and how does it function in a polarised society?

11.30 John Finnemore's Souvenir Programme

5/6. Sketch show starring John Finnemore. The team takes another look behind closed doors, a famous author takes drastic measures to improve his sales, and listeners discover what a certain celebrity is really like. Producer Ed Morrish (R)

12.04pm Adrian Mole and the Weapons of Mass Destruction

10/10. By Sue Townsend. Adrian receives tragic news and finally acknowledges that he has been living a lie. Read by Harry McEntire. For details see Easter Monday Repeated 10.45pm

12.18 You and Yours

Consumer and public interest reports.

1.00 The World at One With Mark Mardell.

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6.00am The Christopher Marlowe Mysteries

6.30 Magic People and Places as 8.30pm

7.00 The Elephant Man 1996 sitcom (8/8)

7.30 Rumblings from the Rafters as 5.30pm

8.00 The Michael Bentine Show Comedy

8.30 Steptoe and Son 1971 comedy

9.00 Hidden Treasures Antiques quiz (3/8)

9.30 Safety Catch 2010 sitcom (3/4)

10.00 War and Peace as 3pm

11.00 Podcast Radio Hour With Amanda Litherland

12.00 The Michael Bentine Show Comedy

12.30pm Steptoe and Son 1971 comedy

1.00 The Christopher Marlowe Mysteries

1.30 Magic People and Places as 8.30pm

2.00 Back When We Were Grownups (10/10)

2.15 Team Spirit The backstage team on the theatrical production of *Dirty Dancing* (5/5)

2.30 44 Scotland Street – The Blue Spode

Tea Cup By Alexander McCall Smith (5/5)

2.45 Rudolf Nureyev: the Life Julie Kavanagh's biography of the celebrated ballet dancer who was born into desperate poverty in Siberia in 1938 and who died of Aids-related complications in Paris in 1993. Abridged by Miranda Davies. From 2007 (5/5)

3.00 War and Peace Leo Tolstoy's 1869 epic (5/10)

4.00 Hidden Treasures Antiques quiz (3/8)

1.45 The Art and Science of Blending

5/5. To conclude his series, Barry Smith is joined by his blending experts to discuss the art and science of the process. For details see Easter Monday

2.00 The Archers

Repeated from yesterday 7pm

2.15 Drama: First World Problems

2/5. Things Fall Apart. By Martin Jameson. Now that Manchester is besieged by rival forces, the Fletchers find themselves in danger – not just from dodgy neighbours with new machine guns, but also from inside their own family.

Dave Fletcher	Jeremy Swift	Alex Pritchard	Ryan Whittle
Ruth Fletcher	Maureen Beattie	Philip Fletcher	Kerry Gooderson
Maggie Pelling	Elizabeth Counsell	Marli	Ryan Baker
Jonny Fletcher	Sam Barnard	Roger	Sean Murray
Tricia Ince	Elinor Coleman	Steven	Stephen Hogan
Helena Fletcher	Lauren Cornelius	Luke	Joseph Ayre

Producer/Director Jonquil Panting (R)

3.00 Gardeners' Question Time

Matthew Wilson, Pippa Greenwood, Anne Swithinbank and Bunny Guinness join host Eric Robson in Manchester to address listeners' horticultural queries. Producer Dan Cocker Repeated Sunday 2pm

3.45 Short Works

Cherrelle Skeete reads *A Traditional Sunday Roast* by Yvette Edwards. Muma Rose surprises her granddaughter, Anthea, by announcing she is in a new relationship with an octogenarian called Alfie. She wants them all to meet over a proper Sunday lunch – and Anthea must shape up. Producer Jeremy Osborne Rptd tomorrow 12.30am

4.00 Last Word

Matthew Bannister presents the programme celebrating the lives of the recently deceased. Repeated Sunday 8.30pm

4.30 More or Less

New series. 1/7. Author, economist and *Financial Times* journalist Tim Harford returns with the programme that investigates the numbers that are prevalent everywhere – in the news, and in life. Series producer Richard Vadon Repeated Sunday 8pm

4.55 The Listening Project

Members of the public are invited to share intimate conversations, some of which will be archived by the British Library for future generations. Presented by Fi Glover. (R)

5.00 PM

Presented by Evan Davis.

6.00 Six o'Clock News

6.30 The News Quiz

3/8. Ayesha Hazarika, Andy Zaltzman, Ellie Taylor and Mark Steel are the panellists joining host Miles Jupp for the topical comedy panel game, featuring cryptic questions, acerbic satire and humorous newspaper cuttings sent in by listeners. Producer Victoria Lloyd Repeated tomorrow 12.30pm

7.00 The Archers

Tom's world starts to crumble, and Jim's plan backfires.

Jill Archer	Patricia Greene	Emma Grundy	Emerald O'Hanrahan
Kenton Archer	Richard Attle	Ed Grundy	Barry Farnimond
Tony Archer	David Troughton	Shula Hebdon Lloyd	Judy Bennett
Tom Archer	William Troughton	Jim Lloyd	John Rowe
Natasha Archer	Mali Harries	Jazzer McCreary	Ryan Kelly
Susan Carter	Charlotte Martin	Elizabeth Pargetter	Alison Dowling
Chris Carter	Wilf Scolding	Freddie Pargetter	Toby Laurence
Ruairi Donovan	Arthur Hughes	Peggy Woolley	June Spencer
Alan Franks	John Telfer	Lynda Snell	Carole Boyd
Will Grundy	Philip Molloy	Leonard Berry	Paul Copley
Mia Grundy	Molly Pipe		

Writer Adrian Flynn; Director Rosemary Watts

Editor Jeremy Howe

7.15 Front Row

John Wilson talks to Linda Grant about her latest novel, *A Stranger City*. Producer Jerome Weatherald

7.45 Ordinary Heroes

5/5. Police constables Scott and Nisha contend with life on the streets. For cast and details see Easter Monday Rptd from 10.45am

8.00 Any Questions?

Jonathan Dimbleby presents the debate from Merchant Taylors' Boys School in Crosby. His panel includes the Mayor of Manchester Andy Burnham, Conservative MP Nigel Evans and Christine Jardine MP, the Liberal Democrats spokesperson on Welfare and Pensions. Producer Lisa Jenkinson Repeated tomorrow 1.00pm

8.50 A Point of View

A reflection on a topical issue. Rptd Sun 8.48am

9.00 Archive on 4 – Roots and Holocaust: When TV Taught Us a History Lesson

Guardian journalists Gary Younge and Jonathan Freedland reflect on two landmark late-1970s US TV mini-series from their youth and how they helped them understand racial and religious intolerance. For Younge, growing up in a black household in Stevenage, it was the adaptation of Alex Haley's *Roots*; for Freedland, a north London Jewish boy, it was *Holocaust*, starring Meryl Streep and James Woods. Here, they detail how the programmes helped dispel stereotypes of black and Jewish people on TV. Contributors include Lenny Henry, Maureen Lipman, Michael Grade and LeVar Burton, who played Kunta Kinte in *Roots*. Producer Sarah Peters (R)

10.00 The World Tonight

Presented by James Coomarasamy.

10.45 Adrian Mole and the Weapons of Mass Destruction 10/10. Rptd from 12.04pm

11.00 Great Lives Repeated from Tuesday 4.30pm

11.30 Today in Parliament With Mark D'Arcy.

11.55 The Listening Project

Presented by Fi Glover. (R)

12.00 News

12.30-12.45am Book of the Week: Losing Earth 5/5. Repeated from 9.45am

1.00 as BBC World Service

BBC World Service

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5.00am News 5.05 The Newsroom 5.30 Science in Action: science and technology 6.00 Newsday: the latest headlines 8.30 Business Daily: business and finance news 8.50 Witness History

9.00 The Real Story 10.00 World Update

11.00 The Newsroom 11.30 World Football: reports from around the globe 12.00 News

12.05pm The Fifth Floor: global news 1.00 The Newsroom 1.30 Heart and Soul: Women Making Space in the Mosque: 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

7.00 News 7.05 The Newsroom 7.30 Sport

Today: global round-up 8.00 News 8.05 Hardtalk: interviews with newsmakers and personalities from across the globe 8.30 CHOICE: Crowd Science

9.00 Newshour: the stories behind the latest headlines 10.00 News 10.05 Trending 10.30 World

Football: reports from around the globe 11.00 News

11.05 The Newsroom 11.20 Sports News

11.30 World Business Report 12.00 News

12.05am The Real Story 1.00 News 1.05 Business

Matters 2.00 News 2.05 The Newsroom

2.30 Stumped 3.00 News 3.05 The Fifth

Floor 4.00 News 4.05 The Real Story

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Sports Extra F'view 706 F'sat 706

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News and sport as Monday

5.00am Morning Reports

5.15 Wake Up to Money

6.00 5 Live Breakfast

Presented by Nicky Campbell and Rachel Burden. At 8.30 Robbie

Savage's Premier League Breakfast, and at 9.00 Your Call.

5 Live Sports Extra Digital only

9.55-11.35am Formula One

The first practice session.

10.00 Chiles on Friday

5 Live Sports Extra Digital only

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Kyle Walker BBC Radio Manchester



Age 26

Current job Presenter since last September of the Thursday evening edition of *The Dead Good Show* (7.00–10.00pm) on BBC Radio Manchester, with a panel of three local voices each week, discussing everything from Brexit to *Love Island*, plus guests from the Manchester cultural scene.

CV Grew up in the Fallowfield area of Manchester. He did theatre studies at the Academy of Live and Recorded Arts (ALRA) in Wigan, joining BBC Radio Manchester after work as a presenter at Manchester City FC events.

Best moment "My first BBC Radio Manchester show. Just the whole experience – the demos, the practice and then the moment of going live on air. And my mum texting me to tell me it was really good."

Worst moment "Introducing an ex-player at Manchester City in front of 8,000 people and reading out the wrong name. The guest order on the cue card had been changed. It was the longest ten seconds of my life..."

Off air "I house-share with two friends from ALRA, quite close to MediaCityUK where Radio Manchester broadcasts from. I'm a season-ticket holder at Man City and a massive fan."

First radio memory "Radio 1 as I was getting ready to go to school. And listening to Simon 'Nicksy' Nicks, a DJ on Galaxy Radio. The radio was always on when I was growing up."

Favourite broadcasters "My colleague Mike Sweeney – he's a proper Manc, and he's really encouraged me. And Reggie Yates. He speaks for the people. He's just so human."

Ambition "It sounds simple but it's just to keep working. I'd like to get on to national radio – Radio 1 or 1Xtra."

Dream job "The kid in me still thinks I'm going to play for Manchester City. I'd also like to be the first black actor to play James Bond but I think Idris Elba might get there before me!"

Secret skills "I'm a good trampolinist. It wasn't the coolest thing to learn but I stuck at it." **SIMON O'HAGAN**

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Berkshire

Saturday

6.00am Howard Hughes **8.00**
Andrew Peach **11.00** Steve Madden **1.00pm** Phil Kennedy **6.00** Stereo Underground **8.00** BBC Introducing **9.00**
David Allen **1.00am** as R5 Live

Easter Day

6.00am Paul Coia **9.00**
Debbie McGee **11.00** Bill Buckley **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 R5 Live

Easter Monday

6.00am Vernon Harwood **10.00** Sarah Walker **1.00pm** Sport **7.00** Mums without Makeup **9.00** Eat with Your Ears **10.00** Paul Miller **1.00am** as R5 Live

Tuesday–Friday

5.30am Steve Madden **7.00**
Andrew Peach **10.00** Sarah Walker; **Fri:** Tony Blackburn's Weekend Warm-up **1.00pm**
Bill Buckley **4.00** Phil Kennedy **6.00** Fri: Weekend Kick-Off **7.00** Tue: Extra Time; **Wed:** Danyl Johnson; **Thu:** Natasha Watts; **Fri:** Trickster: Live **9.00**
Fri: Eat with Your Ears **10.00**
Paul Miller **1.00am** as R5 Live

Cambridgeshire

Saturday

6.00am Charlie Thompson **9.00** Tim Lindon **12.00** Richard "Spanners" Ready **2.00pm** Sport **6.00** Rock 'n' Roll Heaven **8.00** BBC Introducing **9.00**
Justin Dealey **1.00am** as R5 Live

Easter Day

6.00am Breakfast **8.30** Devine County **10.00** Great Outdoors **12.00** Walk Right Back **2.00pm**
Keith Greentree **4.00** John Leech **6.00** Naked Scientists **7.00** Sue Merchant **10.00**
Keith Skues **1.00am** as R5 Live

Easter Monday

4.00am Wally Webb **6.00** Tim Lindon **9.00** Jez Sallis **12.00**
Thordis Fridriksson **2.00pm** Sport **6.00** Edward Adoo **7.00** The Folk Show **10.00**
Nick Risby **1.00am** as R5 Live

Tuesday–Friday

4.00am Wally Webb **6.00** Ben Stevenson **7.00** Thordis Fridriksson **9.00** Chris Mann **12.00** Jez Sallis **3.00pm** Sue Merchant; **Fri:** Steve Line **4.00**
Ronnie Barbour **6.00** Fri: Late Kick Off **7.00** Tue: Sport; **Wed:** The Residency; **Thu:** Classical; **Fri:** That Friday Feeling **9.00**
Wed: BBC Introducing **10.00**
Nick Risby **1.00am** as R5 Live

Coventry and Warwickshire

Saturday

5.00am Keith Wedgbury **7.00**
Lorna Bailey **10.00** Mollie Green **12.00** Phil Upton **2.00pm**
Richard Williams **6.00** Saturday Soundtrack **8.00**
BBC Introducing **10.00** Alex Lester **1.00am** as R5 Live

Easter Day

6.00am Justine Greene **9.00**
Gold and Treasure **12.00** Easy Sunday **3.00pm** Bob Broly **6.00** Midlands Masala **8.00**
Nikki Tapper **10.00** Graham Torrington **1.00am** as R5 Live

Easter Monday

5.00am Dan Sambell **6.00**
Breakfast **9.00** Vic Minett **12.00**
Sport **3.00pm** Lizzie Crow **6.00**
Letitia George **7.00** C Word **9.00**
BBC Introducing **10.00** Graham Torrington **1.00am** as R5 Live

Tuesday–Friday

5.00am Richard Williams **6.00**
Breakfast **9.00** Vic Minett **12.00**
Brody Swain **3.00pm** Phil Upton **6.00** Tue/Thu: Sport; **Wed:** Rugby; **Fri:** Sky Blues Phone-in **7.00** Tue: Play Up; **Wed:** Upbeat; **Thu:** Culture Club; **Fri:** Later On **8.00** Fri: Reggae Got Soul **9.00** Thu: BBC Introducing **10.00** Graham Torrington; **Fri:** Colin Young **1.00am** as R5 Live

Derby

Saturday

6.00am Donna Alos **9.00** Andy Twigge **12.00** Ed Stagg **2.00pm**
Steve Jordan **6.00** The Beat **8.00** BBC Introducing **10.00** A Touch of Soul **1.00am** as R5 Live

Easter Day

6.00am Ed Stagg **9.00** Richard Spurr **1.00pm** Dean Peppall **4.00**
Memorable Melodies **6.00**
Satvinder Rana **8.00** Everton Osbourne **10.00** Graham Torrington **1.00am** as R5 Live

Easter Monday

6.00am Andy Twigge **9.00**
Richard Spurr **12.00** Sportscene **6.00pm** Top Floor **10.00** Graham Torrington **1.00am** as R5 Live

10.00

Graham Torrington; **Fri:**

Dean Jackson **1am** as R5 Live

CRICKET COVERAGE

Easter Day

10.55am–7.00pm MW Derbyshire v Nottinghamshire

Wednesday

10.55am–7.00pm MW Leicestershire v Derbyshire

Friday

10.55am–7.00pm MW Yorkshire v Derbyshire

Essex

Saturday

6.00am Chris Berrow **9.00** Planet Ray **11.00** Ken Crowther

12.00 Ronnie Barbour **2.00pm** John Rose **6.00** Rock 'n' Roll Heaven **8.00** Introducing **9.00**

Justin Dealey **1.00am** as R5 Live

Easter Day

6.00am Peter Holmes **9.00** Quest **12.00** Vintage Vinyl **2.00pm**

Keith Greentree **4.00** John Leech **7.00** Sue Merchant **10.00**

Keith Skues **1.00am** as R5 Live

Easter Monday

4.00am Chris Berrow **6.00** Ian and Sonia **9.00** Sadie Nine **12.00**

Sport **7.00pm** John Leech **10.00**

Nick Risby **1.00am** as R5 Live

Tuesday–Friday

4.00am Rob Jelly **6.00** Ben and Sonia **9.00** Sadie Nine **12.00**

Tony Fisher **4.00pm** Dave Monk

6.00 Wed: Sport **7.00** Your Essex; **Fri:** John Leech **10.00**

Nick Risby **1.00am** as R5 Live

Gloucestershire

Saturday

5.00am Early Breakfast **6.00**

Steve Kitchen **9.00** Faye Hatcher

12.00 David Smith **2.30pm**

Matchday **3.00** Sophia Franklin

6.00 Boogie Wonderland **8.00**

BBC Introducing **10.00** Rick Edwards **1.00am** as R5 Live

Easter Day

5.00am Jo Durrant **6.00** Richard Atkins **9.00** Kate Clark **12.00**

Pete Wilson **1.00pm** Warren Moore **4.00** Vintage Chart

6.00 Manny Masih **8.00** Kevin Philemon **10.00** Rock 'n' Roll Party

12.00 Johnny Coppin **1.00am**

Sounds of Brass **2.00** as R5 Live

Easter Monday

5.30am Joe Lemer **6.00**

Steve Kitchen **9.00** Nicky Price

12.00 Mark Smith **2.30pm**

Matchday **6.00** Dom's Decade

Special **7.00** Chris Sandys **10.00**

Warren Moore **1.00am** as R5 Live

Tuesday–Friday

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

7.00 Chris Sandys **10.00** Chris Baxter **1.00am** as R5 Live

Hereford/Worcester

Saturday

6.00am Andrew Easton **9.00**

Dave Bradley **11.00** Toni McDonald

2.00pm Trevor Owens **3.00**

Sport **6.00** Richard Searling

8.00 BBC Introducing **10.00**

Alex Lester **1.00am** as R5 Live

South East, Midlands, Anglia

Frequencies

Easter Monday

4.00am Wally Webb **7.00**
Graham Barnard **9.00** Treasure Quest **1.00pm** Canaries in the Air **2.00** Sport **5.00** Canary Call **6.00** BBC Special **7.00**
Jack Jay Show **10.00** Nick Risby **1.00am** as R5 Live

Tuesday-Friday

4.00am Wally Webb **6.30** Nick Conrad **10.00** Chrissie Jackson **1.00pm** Stephen Bumfrey **4.00** Matthew Gudgin **6.00**
Thu: Scrimmage; **Fri:** Yellow Friday **6.30** **Fri:** Local Report **7.00** **Tue:** The Game; **Wed:** The Social; **Thu:** BBC Introducing; **Fri:** Sophie Little **10.00** Nick Risby **1.00am** as R5 Live

Northampton

Saturday

6.00am John Griff **9.00**
Treasure Quest **12.00** John Rose **2.00pm** Sport **6.00**
Rock 'n' Roll Heaven **8.00** Lal Muttok **9.00** Justin Dealey **1.00am** as R5 Live

Easter Day

6.00am Martin Heath **9.00**
John Griff **12.00** Gadders

2.00pm Keith Greentree

4.00 John Leech **6.00** Jona Kotnis **8.00** Mark Dean **10.00**
Keith Skues **1.00am** as R5 Live

Easter Monday

4.00am Wally Webb **6.00** Liz Jeeves **9.00** Bernie Keith **12.00** Sport **6.00pm** Helen Blaby **10.00** Nick Risby **1.00am** as R5 Live

Tuesday-Friday

4.00am Wally Webb **6.00**
Annabel Amos **9.00** Bernie Keith **12.00** Helen Blaby **3.00pm** Connor Phillips **6.00** Wed: Lennie Newman; **Thu:** Marc Webster; **Fri:** Sport **7.00** **Tue-Thu:** Chaz Harrison **10.00** Nick Risby **1.00am** as R5 Live

Nottingham

Saturday

6.00am Paul Robey **9.00**
Frances Finn **12.00** Jo Davies **2.00pm** Carson Wishart **6.00** The Beat **8.00** BBC Introducing **10.00** Touch of Soul **1.00am** as R5 Live

Easter Day

6.00am Frances Finn **9.00**
Dean Jackson **12.00** Paul Robey **4.00pm** Jo Davies **6.00** Hansa Dabee **8.00**
Dawne Stewart **10.00** Graham Torrington **1.00am** as R5 Live

Easter Monday

6.00am Sarah Julian **10.00** Dean Jackson **2.00pm** Matchday **6.00**
Miracle Man **7.00** Chevalier Douglas **10.00** Graham Torrington **1.00am** as R5 Live

Tuesday-Friday

5.00am Tony Lyman **6.00**
Andy Whittaker and Sarah Julian **9.00** Mark Dennison **12.00** Dean Jackson; **Fri:** Hansa Dabee **4.00pm**
Carson Wishart **6.00** **Fri:** The Terrace **7.00** Summaya **10.00**
Graham Torrington; **Fri:** Dean Jackson **1.00am** as R5 Live

Oxford

Saturday

6.00am Alex Grundon **9.00**
Tim Smith **12.00** Gillham Gold **2.00pm** Sport **6.00** Stereo Underground **8.00** Introducing **9.00** David Allen **12.00** Paul Miller **2.00am** as R5 Live

Easter Day

6.00am Phil Mercer **10.00** Al Ryan **11.00** Bill Buckley **2.00pm** Henry Wymbs **5.00** David Miller **7.00** Paul Miller **9.00** Bill Rennells **12.00** as R5 Live

Easter Monday

6.00am Danny Cox **9.00** Ali Jones **12.00** Laurie Bailey **2.00pm** Sport **6.00** 90s Bangers **8.00** Fleur Ostojak **10.00** Paul Miller **1.00am** as R5 Live

7.00 Big Take Over **10.00** Paul Miller **1.00am** as R5 Live

Tuesday-Friday

6.00am Surrey: James Cannon and Lesley McCabe **6.00** Sussex: Neil Pringle **9.00** Danny Pike **12.00** Allison Ferns; **Fri:** Joe Talbot

4.00pm-7.00 Sarah Gorrell

Surrey only: **5.00** Mike Buxton; **Wed:** Clare Cowan; **6.00-7.00** The Rewind.

7.00 **Tue:** Albion Unlimited; **Wed:** BBC Introducing; **Thu:** Up Close; **Fri:** Something for the Weekend **8.00** **Tue:** Sport in Focus **9.00** **Wed:** After the Watershed; **Thu:** Open Up; **Fri:** Lost in Music **10.00** Paul Miller **1.00am** as R5 Live

Stoke

Saturday

6.00am Sophie Calvert **10.00** Lucas and Lee **2.00pm** Susan Hanks **6.00** Northern Soul **8.00** BBC Introducing **10.00** Alex Lester **1.00am** as R5 Live

Easter Day

6.00am Easy like a Sunday Morning **6.30** In Praise of God **7.00** Tim Wedgwood **9.00** Terry Walsh **11.00** Paula White

2.30pm In Praise of God (R) **3.00** Jason Hardy **5.00** Centre Stage **6.00** Ajmal Hussain **8.00** Jazz **10.00** Graham Torrington **1.00am** as R5 Live

Easter Monday

6.00am John Acres **10.00** Perry Spiller **2.00pm** Sport

5.00 Praise and Grumble **6.00** Tom Lawrence **7.00** Lucas Yeomans **8.00** Jazz **10.00** Graham Torrington **1.00am** as R5 Live

Easter Day

6.00am John Hellings **7.00** Ryan Kennedy **11.00** Sunday Kitchen **12.00** Paul Shuttleworth

3.00pm Mike Wyer **6.00** Folk

8.00 Jazz **10.00** Graham Torrington **1.00am** as R5 Live

Easter Monday

5.00am Den Siegertsz **6.30** John Acres **9.00** Perry Spiller

12.00 **Tue/Wed:** Lucas Yeomans; **Thu/Fri:** Louise Stones **3.00pm** Stuart George **6.00** Sport; **Fri:** Praise and Grumble **7.00** **Tue/Wed:** Susan Hanks; **Thu:** The Takeaway; **Fri:** Extra Time **8.00** **Fri:** Northern Soul **9.00** **Wed:** Wildcard; **Thu:** Centre Stage **10.00** Graham Torrington; **Fri:** Colin Young **1.00am** as R5 Live

Suffolk

Saturday

6.00am Matt Marvel **9.00** Wayne Bavin **12.00** Life's a Pitch **2.00pm** Sport **6.00** Rock 'n' Roll Heaven **8.00** BBC Introducing **9.00** Justin Dealey **1.00am** as R5 Live

Easter Day

6.00am Lesley Dolphin **9.00** Wayne Bavin

12.00 Georgy Jamieson **2.00pm** Keith Greentree **4.00** John Leech **7.00** Sue Marchant **10.00** Keith Skues **1.00am** as R5 Live

Easter Monday

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 **9.00** Nicky Horne **12.00** as R5 Live

Easter Monday

6.00am Mark Carter **10.00** Lesley McCabe **2.00pm** Sarah Gorrell **6.00** Shaun Tilley

4.00am Wally Webb **6.00** Luke Deal **7.00** Mark Murphy

10.00 Wayne Bavin **1.00pm** Lesley Dolphin **4.00** Stephen Foster **7.00** **Tue:** Tuesday Takeover; **Wed:** BBC Introducing; **Thu:** Sports Social; **Fri:** Big Night In **9.00** **Wed:** Relntroducing **10.00** Nick Risby **1.00am** as R5 Live

Three Counties

Beds, Herts and Bucks

Saturday

6.00am Tim Wheeler and Nana Akua **9.00** Treasure Quest **12.00** Mike Naylor **2.00pm** Countdown to Kick-Off **3.00** Sport **5.00** **5-5** **5.30** Sport **7.30** **5-5** **8.00** BBC Introducing **9.00** Justin Dealey **1.00am** as R5 Live

Easter Day

6.00am Breakfast **9.00** Tony Hadley **11.00** Kitchen **1.00pm** Tara Dolby **2.00** Keith Greentree **4.00** John Leech

6.00 Yasmeen Khan **8.00** Edward Adoo **10.00** Keith Skues **1.00am** as R5 Live

Easter Monday

4.00am Wally Webb **6.00** Andy Collins **9.00** Stuart Miles

12.00 Deke Duncan **1.00pm** Grace Adeniji **2.00** Countdown to Kick-Off **3.00** Sport **5.00** **5-5**

6.00 Ollie Bayliss and Luke Ashmead **7.00** Nana Akua **10.00** Nick Risby **1.00am** as R5 Live

Tuesday-Friday

4.00am Wally Webb **6.00** Andy Collins **9.00** JVS Show **12.00** Nick Coffer **3.00pm** Roberto Perrone **7.00** **Tue:** Sport; **Wed:** Anna Williamson; **Thu:** BBC Introducing; **Fri:** Bennett Arron

8.00 **Wed/Fri:** Nana Akua **9.00** **Thu:** Jaguar and Danny; **Fri:** Justin Dealey **10.00** Nick Risby **1.00am** as R5 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 **6.00** Network Gold **8.00** BBC Introducing **10.00** Alex Lester **1.00am** as R5 Live

Easter Day

6.00am Sior Coleman **7.00** Llewela Bailey **9.00** Foxy and Giuliano **12.00** The Other Side Of **1.00pm** Soul and Motown

3.00 Bob Broly **6.00** Gagan Grewal **8.00** Nicola Beckford

10.00 Graham Torrington **1.00am** as R5 Live

Easter Monday

5.00am Mollie Green **6.00** Breakfast **9.00** Adrian Goldberg

12.30pm Sport **6.00** Pete Waterman **7.00** Natalie Graham **10.00** Graham Torrington **1.00am** as R5 Live

Easter Day

6.00am Lesley Dolphin **9.00** Wayne Bavin

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8.00 Andrew Peach
11.00 Steve Madden
1.00pm Phil Kennedy
6.00 Stereo Underground
8.00 BBC Introducing
9.00 David Allen
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

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6.00am Paul Coia
9.00 Debbie McGee
11.00 Bill Buckley
3.00pm 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

Easter Monday

6.00am Vernon Harwood
10.00 Sarah Walker
1.00pm Sport
4.00 Paul Coia
9.00 Eat with Your Ears
10.00 Paul Miller
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

Tuesday–Friday

5.30am Steve Madden
7.00 Andrew Peach
10.00 Sarah Walker;
Fri: Tony Blackburn's
Weekend Warm-up
1.00pm Bill Buckley
4.00 Phil Kennedy
6.00 Fri: Weekend Kick-Off
7.00 Tue: Extra Time;
Wed: Danyl Johnson;
Thu: Natasha Watts;
Fri: Trickster: Live
9.00 Fri: Eat with Your Ears
10.00 Paul Miller
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

Bristol

Saturday

4.00am BCFM 5.00 Martin Evans 6.00 Claire Cavanagh
9.00 Jonathan Ray
12.00 James Hanson
2.00pm Richard Lewis
6.00 Boogie Wonderland
8.00 BBC Introducing
10.00 Rick Edwards
1.00am BBC Introducing
3.00 Ujima Radio

Easter Day

4.00am Somer Valley FM
5.00 Martin Evans
6.00 Jonathan Ray
9.00 Clueless
1.00pm Warren Moore
4.00 The Vintage Chart Show
6.00 Manny Masih
8.00 Kevin Philemon
10.00 Geoff Barker
12.00 Johnny Coppin Folk
1.00am Sounds of Brass
2.00 as Radio 5 Live

Easter Monday

5.00am James Hanson
6.30 Jonathan Ray
12.00 Richard Lewis
2.00pm Bank Holiday Sport
6.00 Alive Appeal 7.00 Upload
10.00 Warren Moore
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

Tuesday–Friday

5.00am James Hanson
6.30 Emma Britton
9.00 John Darvall
12.00 Richard Lewis
3.00pm Claire Cavanagh
6.00 Geoff Twentyman
7.00 Upload; Fri: Sport
10.00 Chris Baxter
1.00am as Radio 5 Live; Fri:
Beats, Breaks and Bass Show
3.00 Fri: Ujima Radio

BBC SOMERSET

As Bristol except:

Saturday
6.00am Pick of the Week
7.00 Vicki Clark
10.00 Charlie Taylor --
1.00pm–2.00 The Retro Show

Easter Monday

6.00am Claire Carter
9.00 Best of the Road Trip
10.00 Simon Parkin
12.00 Back Tracks
1.00pm–2.00 The Retro Show
6.00 Best of the Road Trip
7.00–10.00 Charlie Taylor

Tuesday–Friday

6.00am Claire Carter 9.00

Simon Parkin 12.00 Back

Tracks 1.00pm Andy Bennett

4.00 Matt Faulkner 7.00–

10.00 (Fri: 8.00) Charlie Taylor

7.00–8.00 Fri: Cricket Show

Cornwall

Saturday

6.00am Donna Birrell
9.00 Jack Murley
12.00 Freddy Zapp
2.00pm Sport

6.05 Boogie Wonderland

8.00 BBC Introducing

10.00 Rick Edwards

1.00am as Radio 5 Live

Easter Day

6.00am Faith Programme
9.00 Jack Murley
12.00 Sunday Requests
2.00pm John Prowse
and Steve Penhaligon
2.05 Cornwall Connected
4.00 The Vintage Chart Show
6.00 Geoff Barker
8.00 Sounds of Brass
9.00 Tim Manns
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

South, West and South West region

Easter Monday

6.00am Naomi Kennedy
7.00 Julie Skentelbery 10.00
David White 1.00pm 60s
Remembered 2.00 Easter
Monday Sport 5.00 Mel
Osborne 7.00 Tiffany Truscott
10.00 Jim Colvin
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

Tuesday–Friday

5.00am Naomi Kennedy
6.00 Julie Skentelbery and
James Churchfield 9.00
David White 12.00 Laurence
Reed 3.00pm Mel Osborne
5.00 Martin Bailie; Fri: Jack
Murley 7.00 Tiffany Truscott;
Thu: Sarah Gosling
10.00 David Sheppard
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

Devon

Saturday

6.00am Caroline Cook
9.00 The Golden Hour
10.00 Kerry White
12.00 Richard Green
2.00pm James Vickery
6.00 Boogie Wonderland
8.00 BBC Introducing
10.00 Rick Edwards
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

Easter Day

6.00am Farming Today
6.30 Laura James 9.00 Toby
Buckland 12.00 Caroline Cook
3.00pm A Bit More Fitz
4.00 The Vintage Chart Show
6.00 Geoff Barker
8.00 Sounds of Brass
9.00 Tim Manns
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

Easter Monday

6.00am Laura James 9.00
The Golden Hour 10.00 Kerry
White 1.00pm Ramblings
2.00 Sport 6.00 Player's
Playlists 7.00 Michael
Chequer 10.00 Jim Colvin
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

Tuesday–Friday

5.00am Laura James
6.00 Gordon Sparks
and Laura James
9.00 The Golden Hour
10.00 Tue/Fri:
David FitzGerald;
Wed/Thu: Toby Buckland
1.00pm Janet Kipling;
Tue: Matt Woodley
3.00 Rick Edwards
5.00 Pippa Quelch
7.00 Tue/Wed:
Michael Chequer;
Thu/Fri: Sarah Gosling
10.00 David Sheppard
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

Essex

Saturday

6.00am Chris Berrow
9.00 Planet Ray
11.00 Ken Crowther
12.00 Ronnie Barbour
2.00pm John Rose
6.00 Rock 'n' Roll Heaven
8.00 BBC Introducing

9.00 Justin Dealey
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

Easter Day

6.00am Peter Holmes
9.00 The Essex Quest
12.00 Vintage Vinyl
2.00pm Keith Greentree
4.00 John Leech

Easter Monday

7.00 Sue Marchant
10.00 Keith Skues
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

Easter Monday

4.00am Chris Berrow
6.00 Ian and Sonia
9.00 Sadie Nine
12.00 Sport Extra: football
7.00pm John Leech
10.00 Nick Risby
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

Tuesday–Friday

4.00am Rob Jelly 6.00 Ben
and Sonia 9.00 Sadie Nine
12.00 Tony Fisher
4.00pm Dave Monk
6.00 Wed: Sport
7.00 Your Essex;
Fri: John Leech
10.00 Nick Risby
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

Gloucestershire

Saturday

5.00am Early Breakfast
6.00 Steve Kitchen
9.00 Faye Hatcher
12.00 David Smith
2.30pm Matchday
3.00 Sophia Franklin
6.00 Boogie Wonderland
8.00 BBC Introducing
10.00 Rick Edwards
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

Easter Day

5.00am Jo Durrant
6.00 Richard Atkins
9.00 Kate Clark
12.00 Pete Wilson
1.00pm Warren Moore
4.00 The Vintage Chart Show
6.00 Manny Masih
8.00 Kevin Philemon
10.00 Geoff Barker
12.00 Johnny Coppin
1.00am Sounds of Brass
2.00 as Radio 5 Live

Easter Monday

5.30am Joe Lemer
6.00 Steve Kitchen 9.00
Nicky Price 12.00 Mark Smith
2.30pm Matchday
6.00 A Dom's Decade Special
7.00 Chris Sandys
10.00 Warren Moore
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

Tuesday–Friday

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 7.00 Chris Sandys
10.00 Chris Baxter
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

Guernsey

Saturday

6.00am Isla Blatchford
9.00 Charlie McArdle
12.00 Tony Gillham 1.45pm
Sportscene 6.00 David White
8.00 Tim Hunter
10.00 Rick Edwards
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

Easter Day

6.00am Cathy Le Feuvre
9.00 Fiona Le Tissier 11.00
Chris Bougourd 2.00pm Tony
Gillham 4.00 Richard Green
6.00 Geoff Barker
8.00 Sounds of Brass
9.00 Tim Manns
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

Easter Monday

6.00am Jenny Mullin 9.00
Cameron Ward 1.00pm John
Randall 4.00 Ted Reynolds
6.00 Chris Oliver
7.00 Sydney Henley-Roussel
9.00 Jersey on Shuffle
10.00 Jim Colvin
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

Frequencies

Tuesday–Friday

6.00am James Hand **9.00**
Cameron Ward **1.00pm** Jenny Mullin; **Fri:** Cathy Le Feuvre
4.00 Victoria Graham; **Fri:** Jenny Mullin
7.00 Tim and Sydney
9.00 Jersey on Shuffle
10.00 David Sheppard
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

Kent

Saturday

6.00am Daryl Denham **12.00**
10.00 Jon Holmes **2.00pm** Anna Louise Walter **6.00** Roger Day
8.00 BBC Introducing in Kent
9.00 Justin Dealey
1.00am Sean Rowley
2.00 as Radio 5 Live

Easter Day

5.30am Hymns on Sunday
6.00 Sunday Breakfast
8.00 Sunday Gardening
11.00 Lembit Opik **2.00pm** Dominic King **3.00** Julia George **5.00** Daryl Denham
9.00 Kent Folk
10.00 Bill Rennells
12.00 as Radio 5 Live

Easter Monday

6.00am Steve N Allen
9.00 Lembit Opik
12.00 80s vs 90s
2.00pm The Sports Hub
6.00 Anna Louise
9.00 On the Air With
10.00 Paul Miller
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

Tuesday–Friday

5.00am Early Call **6.00** Ian Collins **9.00** Julia George; **Fri:** Lembit Opik **12.00** Pat Marsh and Erika North **3.00pm** John Warnett **6.00** Dominic King
9.00 On the Air With
10.00 Paul Miller;
Fri: Steve N Allen
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

London

Saturday

6.00am Best of Jo Good
7.00 Carrie and David Grant
10.00 Robert Elms
12.00 DAB Sport **1.00pm** FM Gary Crowley's A to Z
2.00 BBC Radio London Sport
6.00 Gary Crowley
8.00 BBC London Introducing
9.00 Gary Crowley's A to Z
10.00 Sunny and Shay
2.00am Jim Davis

Easter Day

6.00am Inspirit
9.00 Nikki Bedi
12.00 Soul on Sunday
2.00pm Gaby Roslin
3.30 DAB London Sport
4.00 London Sport
6.00 Sunny and Shay
8.00 Dotun Adebayo
10.00 Duncan Barkes
1.00am Jim Davis

Easter Monday

4.00am Jason Rosam
7.00 Petrie Hosken **10.00** Robert Elms **12.30pm** DAB London Sport
1.30pm FM Jo Good
5.00 FM Eddie Nestor
8.00 The Scene
10.00 Duncan Barkes
1.00am Jim Davis

Tuesday–Friday

4.00am Petrie Hosken; **Fri:** Jason Rosam
7.00 Vanessa Feltz **10.00** Robert Elms **1.30pm** Jo Good
5.00 Eddie Nestor
8.00 The Scene
10.00 Duncan Barkes; **Fri:** Sunny and Shay
1.00am **Tue–Thu:** Dotun Adebayo
2.00am **Fri:** Jim Davis

Oxford

Saturday

6.00am Alex Grundon **9.00** Tim Smith **12.00** Gillham Gold
2.00pm Sport
6.00 Stereo Underground
8.00 BBC Introducing
9.00 David Allen
12.00 Paul Miller Soul Show
2.00am as Radio 5 Live

Easter Day

6.00am Phil Mercer **10.00** Al Ryan **11.00** Bill Buckley
2.00pm Henry Wymbs
5.00 David Miller
7.00 Paul Miller Soul Show
9.00 Bill Rennells
12.00 as Radio 5 Live

Easter Monday

6.00am Danny Cox
9.00 Ali Jones
12.00 Laurie Bailey
2.00pm Sport: football
6.00 Sophie's 90s Bangers
8.00 Fleur Ostojak
10.00 Paul Miller
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

Tuesday–Friday

6.00am Sophie Law; **Fri:** Danny Cox **7.00** Jerome Sale
10.00 Kat Orman
1.00pm Lilley Mitchell
4.00 Al Ryan
7.00 **Tue:** Sportsnight; **Wed:** Banbury; **Thu:** East Oxford; **Fri:** Time Out
8.00 **Wed:** South Oxfordshire; **Thu:** West Oxfordshire
9.00 **Wed/Thu:** Residency
10.00 Paul Miller
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

Radio Solent

Saturday

6.00am Katie Martin
9.00 Bubblegum and Cheese
12.00 Lucy Ambache
2.00pm Sport
5.30 FM 96.1 FM Sport
6.00 MW/DAB Stereo Underground
8.00 BBC Introducing: Solent
9.00 David Allen:
12.00 Paul Miller Soul Show
2.00am as Radio 5 Live

Easter Day

4.00am Solent Showstoppers

6.00 Tim Daykin **9.00** Pat Sissons **12.00** The Kitchen Garden **2.00pm** Tracks of My Years **4.00** Radio Solent Special **5.00** Solent Showstoppers **7.00** The Cartridge Years
9.00 Nicky Horne
12.00 as Radio 5 Live

Easter Monday

6.00am Simon Clarke
9.00 Alan Newman and Lou Hannan **12.00** Sport
6.00pm RKJ
7.00 Kane Reeves

Tuesday–Friday

10.00 Paul Miller
1.00am as Radio 5 Live
5.00am Simon Clarke **6.30** Julian Clegg **10.00** Alan Newman and Lou Hannan
1.00pm Alex Dyke
4.00 Afternoon Show
7.00 **Tue:** Sport; **Wed/Thu:** Steph Newenhous; **Fri:** Carl Ralley **10.00** Paul Miller
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

103.8 FOR WEST DORSET

Saturday

6.00–8.00pm Stereo Underground:
Tuesday–Friday
6.30am Steve Harris
9.00–10.00 Julian Clegg

BBC Surrey and BBC Sussex

Saturday
5.00am Shaun Tilley
6.00 **Surrey:** James Cannon
6.00 **Sussex:** Mark Carter
9.00 Danny Pike
12.00 Graham Dene
2.00pm Joe Talbot
6.00 Stereo Underground
8.00 BBC Introducing
9.00 David Allen
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

Easter Day

5.30am Hymn Half Hour
6.00 Emily Jeffery **9.00** Digit
12.00 Sylvie Blackmore
3.00pm Mark Carter
5.00 David Miller
7.00 Paul Miller Soul Show
9.00 Nicky Horne
12.00 as Radio 5 Live

Easter Monday

6.00am Mark Carter
10.00 Lesley McCabe
2.00pm Sarah Gorrell
6.00 Shaun Tilley
7.00 The Big Take Over
10.00 Paul Miller
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

Tuesday–Friday

6.00am Surrey: James Cannon and Lesley McCabe
6.00 Sussex: Neil Pringle
9.00 Danny Pike
12.00 Allison Ferns; **Fri:** Joe Talbot
4.00pm–7.00 Sarah Gorrell. **Surrey only:** **5.00** Mike Buxton; **Wed:** Clare Cowan; **6.00–7.00** The Rewind.

7.00 **Tue:** Albion Unlimited; **Wed:** BBC Introducing: The South; **Thu:** Up Close; **Fri:** Something for the Weekend
8.00 **Tue:** Sport in Focus
9.00 **Wed:** After the Watershed; **Thu:** Open Up; **Fri:** Lost in Music **10.00** Paul Miller
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

Three Counties

Beds, Herts and Bucks
Saturday
6.00am Tim Wheeler and Nana Akua **9.00** Treasure Quest **12.00** Mike Naylor
2.00pm Countdown to Kick-Off **3.00** Sport: football **5.00** **5-0-5-5-30** Sport: football **7.30** **5-0-5** **8.00** BBC Introducing **9.00** Justin Dealey
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Easter Day

6.00am Breakfast Show
9.00 Tony Hadley
11.00 Weekend Kitchen
1.00pm Tara Dolby
2.00 Keith Greentree
4.00 John Leech Soul Show
6.00 Yasmeen Khan
8.00 Edward Adoo
10.00 Keith Skues
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

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4.00am Wally Webb
6.00 Andy Collins
9.00 Stuart Miles
12.00 Deke Duncan
1.00pm Grace Adeniji
2.00 Countdown to Kick-Off **3.00** Sport **5.00** **5-0-5** **6.00** Ollie Bayliss and Luke Ashmead
7.00 Nana Akua
10.00 Nick Risby
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

Tuesday–Friday

4.00am Wally Webb
6.00 Andy Collins
9.00 The JVS Show
12.00 Nick Coffer
3.00pm Roberto Perrone
7.00 **Tue:** Sport; **Wed:** Anna Williamson; **Thu:** BBC Introducing; **Fri:** Bennett Arron
8.00 **Wed/Fri:** Nana Akua
9.00 **Thu:** Jaguar and Danny; **Fri:** Justin Dealey
10.00 Nick Risby
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

Wiltshire

Saturday

6.00am Graham Rogers
9.00 Sue Davies
12.00 Jonathan Fido
2.00pm Sport
6.00 Boogie Wonderland
8.00 BBC Introducing
10.00 Rick Edwards
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

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6.00am Breakfast Show
9.00 Sue Davies
12.00 Wild about Wiltshire
1.00pm Warren Moore
4.00 The Vintage Chart Show
6.00 Manny Masih
8.00 Kevin Philemon
10.00 Geoff Barker
12.00 Johnny Coppin
1.00am Sounds of Brass
2.00 as Radio 5 Live

Easter Monday

5.00am Early Breakfast
6.00 James Thomas
9.00 Sue Davies
12.00 James Threlfall
2.00pm Sport: football
6.00 Salisbury Conversation
7.00 The Social
10.00 Warren Moore
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

Tuesday–Friday

5.00am Early Breakfast **6.00** Ben Prater; **Wed:** James Thomas
9.00 Rachel Houghton
12.00 Graham Seaman
2.00pm James Thomas; **Wed:** Afternoon Programme
4.00 Graham Rogers
7.00 **Tue:** Let's Get Physical; **Wed:** Wild about Wiltshire; **Thu:** Salisbury Conversation; **Fri:** Friday Night In
8.00 **Thu:** The Culture Club
10.00 Chris Baxter
1.00am as Radio 5 Live

National

BBC Radio 1 97.6–99.8
BBC Radio 2 88–90.2
BBC Radio 3 90.2–92.4
BBC Radio 4 92.4–94.6, LW 198
BBC Radio Five Live MW 693, 909
Classic FM 99.9–101.9
Talksport MW 1053, 1089, 1107
Absolute MW 1197, 1215, 1233, 1242, 1260, 105.8 (London)
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Berkshire 104.1 (Hannington, 94.6 (Henley), 95.4 (Windsor), 104.4 (Reading))
Bristol 94.9 (Bristol), 103.6 (Severn), 104.6 (Bath)
Cornwall 95.2 (east), 96 (Isles of Scilly), 103.9 (west), MW 630 (west), 657 (east)
Devon 103.4 (Plymouth/west Devon), 94.8 (north Devon), 95.8 (Exeter), 95.7 (Plympton), 96 (Okehampton), 104.3 (Torbay/south Devon)
Essex 103.5 (north Essex), 95.3 (south Essex), MW 765, 729
Gloucestershire 104.7 (Churchdown Hill) 95 (Stroud), 95.8 (Cirencester), MW 1413
Guernsey 93.2, 99 (Alderney), MW 1116
Hereford & Worcester 94.7 (Hereford

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Local

Radio

Cumbria

Saturday

6.00am Richard Corrie **9.00**
Val Armstrong **12.00** Andy Wood **2.00pm** BBC Radio Cumbria Sport **6.00** John Mann's Soul and Motown **8.00** BBC Introducing in Cumbria **10.00** John Lipscombe **12.00** as Radio 5 Live

Easter Day

6.00am Richard Corrie **9.00**
Val Armstrong **12.00** Simon Yaxley **2.00pm** Harry King **5.00** Sunday Best **6.00** Your Classical: with John Lipscombe **7.00** Braithwaite's Country: with Paul Braithwaite **9.00** John Mann **12.00** as Radio 5 Live

Easter Monday

6.00am Steve Bell **9.00**
Kevin Fernihough **12.00** Gordon Swindlehurst **2.00pm** BBC Radio Cumbria Sport: football/FM Grimsby Town v Carlisle United (kick-off **3.00**); MW Barrow v Hartlepool United (kick-off **3.00**) **6.00** Your Classical: with John Lipscombe **7.00** Simon Yaxley **10.00** Ian Timms **12.00** iTimms Playlist **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Tuesday–Friday

5.00am **Tue/Wed:** Simon Yaxley; **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** **Tue:** Life Stories; **Wed:** Money Talks; **Thu:** BBC Introducing in Cumbria; **Fri:** BBC Radio Cumbria Sport

7.00 Tue: Sports Extra; **Wed:** The Gathering; **Thu:** The Great Outdoors; **Fri:** The Friday Showcase **10.00** Ian Timms; **Fri:** Andy Wood **12.00** iTimms Playlist; **Fri:** Andy Wood's Playlist **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live **Annetwell St, Carlisle CA3 8BB Carlisle: 01228 592 444 Barrow: 01229 836 767 Whitehaven: 01946 695 156 Phone-ins: 0845 305 1122 radiocumbria@bbc.co.uk**

Derby

Saturday

6.00am Donna Alos **9.00** Andy Twigge **12.00** Ed Stagg **2.00pm** Steve Jordan **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

Easter Day

6.00am Ed Stagg **9.00** Richard Spurr **1.00pm** Dean Pepall **4.00** Memorable Melodies: with Mike Carey **6.00** Satvinder Rana **8.00** Everton Osbourne **10.00** Graham Torrington **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Easter Monday

6.00am Andy Twigge **9.00** Richard Spurr **12.00** Sportscene: football: Southend United v Burton Albion (kick-off **1.00**), and Derby County v Queens Park Rangers (kick-off **3.00**) **5.00pm** Sportscene: Reaction **6.00** The Top Floor **10.00** Graham Torrington **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Tuesday–Friday

5.00am Tony Lyman **6.00** Steve Jordan **9.00** Sally Pepper **12.00** Andy Twigge **3.00pm** Richard Spurr **6.00** Sportscene at Six **7.00** The Top Floor **10.00** Graham Torrington; **Fri:** Dean Jackson **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

CRICKET COVERAGE

Easter Day

10.55am–7.00pm MW Derbyshire v Nottinghamshire

Wednesday

10.55am–7.00pm MW Leicestershire v Derbyshire

Friday

10.55am–7.00pm MW Yorkshire v Derbyshire

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Humberside

Saturday

6.00am Paul Hudson's Weather Show **7.00** Phil White **10.00** Absolutely Clueless **1.00pm** James Hoggart **2.00pm** Humberside Sport **6.00** John Kane's Northern Soul **8.00** BBC Introducing: with Alan Raw **10.00** Phil Butler **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Easter Day

6.00am Blair Jacobs **8.00** The Great Outdoors **10.00** Fiona Mills **1.00pm** Paul Hudson's Weather Show **2.00** Lucy Clark **5.00** James Hoggart **6.00** Westenders **8.00** Henry Ayrton's Jukebox **10.00** Steve White **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Easter Monday

6.00am Sally Fairfax **10.00** Matthew Rudd **2.00pm** Humberside Sport **6.00** Everything but the Girl in Conversation **7.00** BBC No Filter: with Kofi Smiles **10.00** Russell Walker **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Tuesday–Friday

6.00am James Piekos **9.00** David Burns **12.00** Sally Fairfax; **Fri:** Phil White on the Road **3.00pm** Andy Comfort **6.00** Sportstalk **7.00** **Tue:** Happy Campers; **Wed:** Fiona Mills Unheard and Uncensored; **Thu:** Culture Night; **Fri:** The Real Estate Show **10.00** Russell Walker **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

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Leeds

Saturday

6.00am Andrew Edwards **9.00** Nick Ahad **12.00** Larry and Paul **2.00pm** West Yorkshire Sport **6.00** John Kane's Northern Soul **8.00** BBC Introducing in West Yorkshire: with Alan Raw **10.00** Phil Butler **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Easter Day

6.00am Andrew Edwards **9.00** Tim Crowther **12.00** Paul Hudson's Weather Show **1.00pm** Yorkshire Brass **3.00** Neil Foster **6.00** Connections **8.00** The Durbervilles **9.00** Gary Copley **10.00** Steve White **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Easter Monday

6.00am Steve Bailey **7.00** Richard Stead **10.00** Ray Basra **12.00** Vinyl Revival **2.00pm** West Yorkshire Sport **7.00** MW as Asian Network **8.00** FM Monday Night **Mix Tape 10.00** Russell Walker **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Easter Day

5.00am Steve Bailey **6.00** Richard Stead **9.00** Stephanie Hirst **12.00** Larry Budd **3.00pm** Johnny I'Anson **6.00** West Yorkshire Sport **7.00** MW as Asian Network **7.00** **Tue:** FM West Yorkshire Sport: Extra; **Wed:** FM Backstage; **Thu:** FM The Scene; **Fri:** FM West Yorkshire Sport **9.00** **Wed:** FM Ahmed Zaman **10.00** Russell Walker **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Easter Monday

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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 **6.00** The Beat: with Dean Jackson **8.00** BBC Introducing in Lincolnshire: with Chris Berrow **10.00** A Touch of Soul **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Tuesday–Friday

5.00am Mark Crossley **6.00** Chelsea at Breakfast **9.00** Darryl Morris **12.00** Stuart Ellis **2.00pm** Sport **6.00** Sport at Six **7.00** The Dead Good Show **10.00** Allan Beswick **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Easter Monday

6.00am Mark Crossley **9.00** Darryl Morris **12.00** Stuart Ellis **2.00pm** Sport **6.00** Sport at Six **7.00** The Dead Good Show; **Wed:** Sport **10.00** Allan Beswick; **Fri:** Richard Searling's Northern Soul **12.00** **Fri:** as Radio 5 Live **1.00am** **Tue–Thu:** as Radio 5 Live **Quay House, BBC MediaCity UK Saltford, M50 2QH Tel: 0800 218 2255 radiomanchester@bbc.co.uk**

North region

6.00 Make a Difference Awards **7.00** Paul Hudson's Weather Show **8.00** Tim Rogers Country **10.00** Russell Walker **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Tuesday–Friday

6.00am Carla Greene **9.30** Melvyn in the Morning **1.00pm** Sue Taylor **4.00** William Wright **6.00** **Fri:** Hope and Glory **7.00** **Tue:** Hope and Glory; **Wed:** Lincolnshire Kitchen; **Thu:** Thursday Night Folk; **Fri:** Friday Night Takeover **9.00** **Wed:** The Music Man; **Thu:** Nevermind the 90s **9.30** **Fri:** The Friday Night Mix **10.00** Russell Walker; **Fri:** Dean Jackson **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

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Manchester

Saturday

6.00am Darryl Morris **9.00** Phil Trow **12.00** Sport: Manchester City v Tottenham Hotspur (kick-off **12.30**) **3.00pm** Jason Hardy **6.00** Stuart Ellis **8.00** BBC Music: Introducing **10.00** Stephanie Hirst **12.00** as Radio 5 Live

Easter Day

6.00am Mike Shaft **9.00** Eamonn O'Neal and Jimmy Wagg **12.00** Mike Sweeney **2.00pm** Jack Dearden **4.00** Louise Croombs **6.00** Indus **8.00** The People **10.00** Gerald Jackson's Unforgettable **12.00** as Radio 5 Live

Easter Monday

6.00am Chelsea at Breakfast **9.00** Darryl Morris **12.00** Stuart Ellis **2.00pm** Sport **6.00** Sport at Six **7.00** The Dead Good Show **10.00** Allan Beswick **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Tuesday–Friday

5.00am Mark Crossley **6.00** Chelsea at Breakfast **9.00** Mike Sweeney **12.00** Becky Want **3.00pm** Phil Trow **6.00** Sport at Six **7.00** The Dead Good Show; **Wed:** Sport **10.00** Allan Beswick; **Fri:** Richard Searling's Northern Soul **12.00** **Fri:** as Radio 5 Live **1.00am** **Tue–Thu:** as Radio 5 Live **Quay House, BBC MediaCity UK Saltford, M50 2QH Tel: 0800 2**

Frequencies

Easter Monday

6.00am Lisa Marrey **9.00** Nick Robins **12.00** Frankie Connor **2.00pm** Merseyside Sport: York City Knights v Widnes Vikings, Hull Kingston Rovers v Warrington Wolves and St Helens v Hull FC (kick-offs **3.00**) **5.30** Asa Murphy **7.00** Jermaine Foster **9.00** Linda McDermott **12.00** Orient Express **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live **Tuesday-Friday** **6.00am** **Tue/Wed:** Lisa Marrey; **Thu/Fri:** Paul Beesley **7.00** Tony Snell **9.30** Sean Styles **12.00** Roger Phillips **2.00pm** Jenny Lee Summers **3.00** **Fri:** MW Merseyside Sport: Rugby League **4.00** Paul Salt **6.00** Merseyside Sport; **Thu:** Try Time **7.00** Jermaine Foster; **Fri:** Merseyside Matchnight **9.00** (**Fri: 10.30**) Linda McDermott **12.00** **Tue:** Folkscene: with Mike Brocken (R); **Wed:** On the Beat (R); **Thu:** The Magic of Motown; **Fri:** as Radio 5 Live **1.00am** **Tue-Thu:** as Radio 5 Live **PO Box 95.8, Liverpool, L69 1ZJ** **Tel:** 0151 708 5500 **Phone-ins:** 0800 7319333 **radio.merseyside@bbc.co.uk**

Newcastle

Saturday **6.00am** Mel Crawford **9.00** Tamsin Robson **12.00** Simon Logan **3.30pm** Anna Foster's Choir **4.30** Sport: Newcastle United v Southampton (kick-off **5.30**) **7.30** Beat Surrender **8.00** BBC Introducing **10.00** It's Grin Up North **12.00** as Radio 5 Live **Easter Day** **6.00am** Sunday Breakfast **9.00** Garden Mania **10.00** Tamsin Robson **1.00pm** Fiona King **4.00** Ben Crompton **6.00** Paddy MacDee **8.00** Michael Poulter **10.00** Steffen Peddie **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live **Easter Monday** **5.00am** Nick Roberts **6.00** Tamsin Robson **10.00** Simon Logan **1.00pm** It's Grin Up North Comedy Special **2.00** Sport: Peterborough United v Sunderland (kick-off **3.00**) **5.00** Total Sport **6.00** Anna Foster's Choir **7.00** Nick Roberts **8.00** Tamsin Robson **10.00** Steffen Peddie **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live **Tuesday-Friday** **5.00am** Nick Roberts **6.00** Gilly Hope **7.00** Alfie and Anna at Breakfast **10.00** Lisa Shaw **12.00** Simon Logan **4.00pm** **Tue/Wed:** Charlie Charlton; **Thu/Fri:** Rebecca O'Neill **5.00** Total Sport **7.00** Nick Roberts **7.40** **Fri:** MW Sport **8.00** **Tue/Wed:** Tamsin Robson; **Thu:** BBC Introducing; **Fri:** FM only until 9.20 It's Grin Up North **10.00** Steffen Peddie; **Fri:** Chris Donald's Soul Club **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live **Broadcasting Centre** **Barrack Road** **Newcastle NE99 1RN** **Tel:** 0800 234 6565 **Phone-ins:** 0191 232 4141 **bbc.co.uk/radionewcastle**

Sheffield

Saturday

6.00am Nick Wilson **7.00** Kat Cowan **10.00** Nowt So Strange As Folk! **12.00** 90s Now **2.00pm** Sport **5.00** Richard Hawley in Conversation **6.00** Northern Soul and Motown **8.00** BBC Introducing in Sheffield **10.00** Phil Butler **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live **Easter Day** **6.00am** Sarah Major **7.00** Kat Cowan **9.00** In the Garden **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

Easter Monday

6.00am Steve Bailey **10.00** Paulette Edwards **1.00pm** Tony's Flypast **2.00** Football Heaven **3.00** MW Football Heaven Live **5.00** FM Praise or Grumble **7.00** MW as Asian Network **7.00** FM The Monday Night Social **9.00** FM The Sauce **10.00** FM Russell Walker **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Tuesday-Friday

5.00am Steve Bailey **7.00** Steve White **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; **Wed:** Snooker Heaven **7.00** FM **Tue:** Football Heaven Live; **Wed:** New Traditions; **Thu:** Throwback Thursday; **Fri:** Hello Friday **10.00** FM Russell Walker **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live **54 Shoreham Street** **Sheffield S1 4RS** **Tel:** 0114 273 1177 **Phone-ins:** 0800 111 4949 **radio.sheffield@bbc.co.uk**

Stoke

Saturday

6.00am Sophie Calvert **10.00** Lucas and Lee **2.00pm** Susan Hanks **6.00** Richard Searling's Northern Soul **8.00** BBC Introducing **10.00** Alex Lester **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Easter Day

6.00am Easy Like a Sunday Morning **6.30** In Praise of God **7.00** Tim Wedgwood **9.00** Terry Walsh **11.00** Paula White

2.30pm In Praise of God (R)

3.00 Jason Hardy **5.00** Centre Stage **6.00** Ajmal Hussain **8.00** Jazz: with John Hellings **10.00** Graham Torrington **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Easter Monday

6.00am John Acres **10.00** Perry Spiller **2.00pm** Sport: football commentary, featuring Stoke City v Norwich City, Milton Keynes Dons v Port Vale, and Swindon Town v Crewe Alexandra (kick-offs **3.00**) **5.00** Praise and Grumble **6.00** Tom Lawrence **7.00** Lucas Yeomans **10.00** Graham Torrington **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Tuesday-Friday

5.00am Den Siegertsz **6.30** John Acres **9.00** Perry Spiller **12.00** **Tue/Wed:** Lucas Yeomans; **Thu/Fri:** Louise Stones **3.00pm** Stuart George **6.00** Sport at Six; **Fri:** Praise and Grumble **7.00** **Tue/Wed:** Susan Hanks; **Thu:** The Takeaway; **Fri:** Extra Time **8.00** **Fri:** Richard Searling's Northern Soul **9.00** **Wed:** The Wildcard; **Thu:** Centre Stage: with Jodie Looker **10.00** Graham Torrington; **Fri:** Colin Young's Trunk of Funk **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live **Cheapside, Hanley** **Stoke-on-Trent ST1 1JJ** **Tel:** 01782 208080 **Phone-ins:** 0800 1218080 **radio.stoke@bbc.co.uk**

Tees

Saturday

6.00am Scott Makin **9.00** Gary Philipson **12.00** Goffy **2.00pm** Sport: Nottingham Forest v Middlesbrough, and Barrow v Hartlepool United (kick-offs **3.00**) **6.00** Beat Surrender **8.00** BBC Music Introducing **10.00** It's Grin Up North **12.00** as Radio 5 Live

Easter Day

6.00am Mike Hill **9.00** Brigid and Dave **11.00** The Gardening Hour **12.00** Goffy **2.00pm** Vintage Vinyl **5.00** Songs from the Shows **7.00** Braithwaite's Country **9.00** Michael Poulter **10.00** Steffen Peddie **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Easter Monday

6.00am Anna Murray **9.00** Antony Collins **12.00** Goffy **2.00pm** Sport **6.00** Rianne Thompson **7.00** Bob Fischer in the Evening **10.00** Steffen Peddie **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live **PO Box 95 FM** **Middlesbrough TS1 15JA** **Tel:** 01642 225 211 **Phone-ins:** 01642 225 511 **tees@bbc.co.uk**

York

Saturday

6.00am Joanita Musisi **9.00** Finders Keepers **12.00** Ross Dickinson **3.00pm** Jericho Keys **6.00** John Kane's Northern Soul **8.00** BBC Introducing **10.00** Phil Butler **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live **Easter Day** **6.00am** Jonathan Cowap **9.00** Steve Bailey **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 Ayrton's Jukebox **10.00** Steve White **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Easter Monday

5.00am Steve Bailey **7.00** Jules Bellerby **10.00** Jonathan Cowap **2.00pm** Sport **2.45** MW Rugby League **5.00** MW Sport **6.00** Beth McCarthy **10.00** Russell Walker **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live **Tuesday-Friday** **5.00am** Steve Bailey **6.00** Georgey Spanswick **9.00** Jonathan Cowap **12.00** Julia Lewis **4.00pm** Jules Bellerby **4.45** **Fri:** Sport **6.30** **Fri:** Sport **7.00** **Tue:** Sport; **Wed:** God's Own Countryfile; **Thu:** Bek Homer; **Fri:** Ionica Adriana **8.00** **Fri:** MW Ross Dickinson **9.00** **Tue:** Dr Rock (R); **Wed:** Paul Hudson's Weather Show **10.00** Russell Walker **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live **2 Bootham Row** **York Y030 7BR** **Tel:** 0800 111 4849 **radiyork@bbc.co.uk**

RADIO SCOTLAND

Saturday

6.00am Street Feast: Flora Shadden and Simon Preston bring neighbours from the village of Ardersier together **6.30** Out of Doors: with nature writer Jim Crumley **8.00** Good Morning Scotland: the latest news with Isabel Fraser and Gordon Brewer **10.00** Shereen: current affairs with Shereen Nanjiani **11.30** Breaking the News: presented by Des Clarke **12.05pm** Off the Ball: football forum, with light-hearted features and competitions **2.00** Sportsound: Hamilton Academical v Motherwell, Kilmarnock v Aberdeen, Livingston v St Mirren, and St Johnstone v Dundee **5.30** Off the Ball: with Tam Cowan and Stuart Cosgrove **7.05** Take the Floor: Gary Innes introduces music for dancing **9.05** Pipeline: Gary West with news from the piping world **10.05** Billy Sloan: rock and pop **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Easter Day

6.00am Anna Murray **9.00** Antony Collins **12.00** Goffy **2.00pm** Sport **6.00** Rianne Thompson **7.00** Bob Fischer in the Evening **10.00** Steffen Peddie **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Easter Monday

6.00am Neil Green and Amy Oakden **9.00** Mike Parr **12.00** Scott Makin **4.00pm** Gary Philipson; **Thu:** Antony Collins **6.00** Sport **7.00** **Tue:** Sport Extra; **Wed/Thu:** Bob Fischer in the Evening; **Fri:** BBC Music Introducing Playlist **8.00** **Fri:** It's Grin Up North **10.00** Steffen Peddie; **Fri:** Chris Donald's Soul Club **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live

Tuesday-Friday

6.00am Neil Green and Amy Oakden **9.00** Mike Parr **12.00** Scott Makin **4.00pm** Gary Philipson; **Thu:** Antony Collins **6.00** Sport **7.00** **Tue:** Sport Extra; **Wed/Thu:** Bob Fischer in the Evening; **Fri:** BBC Music Introducing Playlist **8.00** **Fri:** It's Grin Up North **10.00** Steffen Peddie; **Fri:** Chris Donald's Soul Club **1.00am** as Radio 5 Live **PO Box 95 FM** **Middlesbrough TS1 15JA** **Tel:** 01642 225 211 **Phone-ins:** 01642 225 511 **tees@bbc.co.uk**

Easter Day

6.00am Stark Talk: Edi Stark in conversation with Leeann Dempster **9.05** Travelling Folk: with Bruce MacGregor **11.05-1.00am** Vic Galloway: the latest bands (R)

Wednesday

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Thursday

1.30pm-2.05 The Kitchen Café: food magazine

6.30 MW Sportsound

9.05 The Quay Sessions: live performances at the Foyer at BBC Radio Scotland's Pacific Quay studio in Glasgow

10.05-1.00am Natasha Raskin Sharp: eclectic music

Friday

1.30pm Breaking the News: topical comedy panel show, presented by Des Clarke

2.05-4.00 Out for the Weekend: with Fiona Stalker

6.30 Sportsound

10.05-1.00am Ashley Storrie: classic floor-fillers

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National

6.00am Good Morning Scotland: news programme **9.00** Mornings: Kaye Adams reports on the latest news **11.00** Billy Sloan Meets Sir Paul McCartney: the host is joined by Sir Paul McCartney **12.00** John Beattie: news, comment and discussion **1.30**

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Face behind the voice

Kyle Walker BBC Radio Manchester



Age 26

Current job Presenter since last September of the Thursday evening edition of *The Dead Good Show* (7.00–10.00pm) on

BBC Radio Manchester, with a panel of three local voices each week, discussing everything from Brexit to *Love Island*, plus guests from the Manchester cultural scene.

CV Grew up in the Fallowfield area of Manchester. He did theatre studies at the Academy of Live and Recorded Arts (ALRA) in Wigan, joining BBC Radio Manchester after work as a presenter at Manchester City FC events.

Best moment "My first BBC Radio Manchester show. Just the whole experience – the demos, the practice and then the moment of going live on air. And my mum texting me to tell me it was really good."

Worst moment "Introducing an ex-player at Manchester City in front of 8,000 people and reading out the wrong name. The guest order on the cue card had been changed. It was the longest ten seconds of my life..."

Off air "I house-share with two friends from ALRA, quite close to MediaCityUK where Radio Manchester broadcasts from. I'm a season-ticket holder at Man City and a massive fan."

First radio memory "Radio 1 as I was getting ready to go to school. And listening to Simon 'Nicksy' Nicks, a DJ on Galaxy Radio. The radio was always on when I was growing up."

Favourite broadcasters "My colleague Mike Sweeney – he's a proper Manc, and he's really encouraged me. And Reggie Yates. He speaks for the people. He's just so human."

Ambition "It sounds simple but it's just to keep working. I'd like to get on to national radio – Radio 1 or 1Xtra."

Dream job "The kid in me still thinks I'm going to play for Manchester City. I'd also like to be the first black actor to play James Bond but I think Idris Elba might get there before me!"

Secret skills "I'm a good trampolinist. It wasn't the coolest thing to learn but I stuck at it." **SIMON O'HAGAN**

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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 Street Feast

Flora Shedden and Simon Preston bring neighbours from the village of Ardersier together to share stories about their community and their love of food.

6.30 Out of Doors

Mark Stephen and Euan McIlwraith as they speak to nature writer Jim Crumley and explore the River Ythan. Email: outofdoors@bbc.co.uk

8.00 Good Morning Scotland

Isabel Fraser and Gordon Brewer present news, sport and weather and a look back at some of the big issues of the day with expert analysis and political debate on Scotland, the UK and across the world.

10.00 Shereen

Current affairs discussion with Shereen Nanjiani, in which she is joined by guests to discuss the week's stories, and interviews people making the news.

11.30 Breaking the News

Des Clarke presents the topical comedy news review show that takes a satirical slant on the week's headlines, with help from a panel of guests. Repeated from yesterday

2.00 Sportsound

Football commentary and updates, including Hamilton Academical v Motherwell, Kilmarnock v Aberdeen, Livingston v St Mirren and St Johnstone v Dundee (kick-offs **3.00**). Text 80295. @BBCSportsound on social media

5.30 Off the Ball

Football forum, with light-hearted features and competitions. Presented by Tam Cowan and Stuart Cosgrove. Text 80295. Email: offtheball@bbc.co.uk

7.05 Take the Floor

Gary Innes introduces music for dancing. Featuring Neil Galloway and his Scottish Dance Band in session. Email: takethefloor@bbc.co.uk

9.05 Pipeline

Gary West with the latest news from the piping world. Email: pipeline@bbc.co.uk

10.05 Billy Sloan

The presenter introduces rock and pop music from Scotland and around the world, plus regular features *Spin the Globe* and *Early Morning Soul*.

1.00am–6.00 as *Radio 5 Live*

Easter Day

NEWS: SPORT: WEATHER hourly 6.00am to 12 noon, 3.00pm, 4.00, 5.00, 7.00 to 1.00 **OUTDOOR CONDITIONS** 7.03am, 7.03pm

6.00am Stark Talk

Edi Stark talks to JJ Chalmers, the former Royal Marine whose involvement with Prince Harry's Invictus Games gave him back his commando spirit and has led him to a new career. Rptd from last Wednesday

6.30 New Every Sunday

Sunday morning act of worship with Fr Roddy Johnston, parish priest of Our Holy Redeemer Roman Catholic Church in Stornoway, Isle of Lewis.

7.05 Five Star Makers and Breakers

2/3. Edi Stark meets some of Scotland's biggest theatre critics, and goes to a dance premiere with critic Mary Brennan at the Beacon Arts Centre in Greenock. Repeated from last Tuesday

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 Cathy Macdonald

The host introduces a selection of music and stimulating conversation from a faith and ethical perspective.

12.05pm Sportsound

Hibernian v Celtic Commentary on the Scottish Premiership clash at Easter Road (kick-off **12.30**). Text 80295. @BBCSportsound on social media

5.05 Take the Floor

Gary Innes introduces music for dancing. Plus Neil Galloway and his Scottish Dance Band. Repeated from yesterday 7.05pm

7.05 Jazz Nights

Seonaid Aitken and pianist Richard Michael celebrate the 60th anniversary of the album *Kind of Blue* by Miles Davis.

9.05 Classics Unwrapped

Jamie MacDougall presents the best in classical music. Write to: *Classics Unwrapped*, BBC Scotland, 40 Pacific Quay, Glasgow G51 1DA. Email: classicsunwrapped@bbc.co.uk

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*

Easter Monday

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

LOCAL NEWS Dumfries, Aberdeen, Inverness, Selkirk: 6.30am, 7.30, 8.30,

12.30pm, 4.30, 5.30; Orkney: 7.30am, 12.30pm; Shetland: 12.30pm, 5.30

6.00am Good Morning Scotland

The nation's morning news programme. With travel reports every 15 minutes, business updates at **6.15, 7.45** and **8.45**, weather reports at **6.29, 6.59, 7.29** and **7.59**, and sports reports at **6.08, 6.35, 7.08, 7.35, 8.08** and **8.35**.

9.00 Mornings

Kaye Adams reports on stories making the news, and listeners have the opportunity to have their say. To share your opinion on the day's events call 08085 929500 or text 80295.

11.00 Billy Sloan Meets Sir Paul McCartney

The host sits down with the former Beatle to talk about his career, visiting Scotland in 1963 and playing Alloa Town Hall with the Silver Beatles, how proud his dad was of his success, and how he tries to live a normal life as one of the most famous people on the planet. He also reveals which of all of his songs he thinks are the best.

12.00 John Beattie

The host introduces news, comment and discussion on the day's hot topics.

1.30pm Five Star Makers and Breakers

3/3. Edi Stark speaks to artists and chefs and the critics who review their work, and also questions if there is a future for newspaper critics in Scotland.

2.05 The Afternoon Show with Janice Forsyth

The host discusses what's current in film, television, arts, theatre and music in Scotland.

4.00 Newsdrive

Headlines and comment from Scotland and around the world.

MW only

6.30–7.30 Sportsound

Radio Scotland's football magazine that puts a Scottish slant on the world of football. Text 80295. @BBCSportsound on social media

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. To get a favourite track played text 80295. Email: getiton@bbc.co.uk

9.05 Another Country with Ricky Ross

The host is joined in conversation by the country music journalist Marissa R. Moss, who recommends new music and artists and discusses gender imbalance on American country radio.

11.05 Roddy Hart

Join Roddy Hart for the best music, spanning the decades.

1.00am–6.00

 as *Radio 5 Live*

Wednesday

NEWS: SPORT: TRAVEL: WEATHER: OUTDOOR CONDITIONS: LOCAL NEWS as Monday

6.00am Good Morning Scotland

The nation's morning news programme. With travel reports every 15 minutes, business updates at **6.15, 7.45** and **8.45**, weather reports at **6.29, 6.59, 7.29** and **7.59**, and sports reports at **6.08, 6.35, 7.08, 7.35, 8.08** and **8.35**.

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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.

1.30pm Stark Talk

Edi Stark is joined in conversation by the chief executive of Hibernian Football Club, Leeann Dempster, who talks about her upbringing and early life in Glasgow. Leeann also reflects on her partnership with the woman she met in her twenties who changed her life.

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MW only

6.30–7.30 Sportsound

Radio Scotland's football magazine that puts a Scottish slant on the world of football. Text 80295. @BBCSportsound on social media

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. To get a favourite track played text 80295. Email: getiton@bbc.co.uk

9.05 Travelling Folk

Bruce MacGregor introduces the best folk music, with previews of the latest releases, plus a listener's favourite tracks.

11.05 Vic Galloway

Up-and-coming bands, plus vintage vinyl and music news. Repeated from Monday 9.05pm

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

The nation's morning news programme. With travel reports every 15 minutes, business updates at **6.15, 7.45** and **8.45**, weather reports at **6.29, 6.59, 7.29** and **7.59**, and sports reports at **6.08, 6.35, 7.08, 7.35, 8.08** and **8.35**.

9.00 Mornings

Kaye Adams reports on stories making the news, and listeners have the opportunity to have their say. To share your opinion on the day's events 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 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.

2.05 The Afternoon Show with Janice Forsyth

The host discusses what's current in film, television, arts, theatre and music in Scotland.

4.00 Newsdrive

Headlines and comment.

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9.05 The Quay Sessions

A selection of live musical performances staged in front of an audience gathered at the Foyer at BBC Radio Scotland's Pacific Quay studio in Glasgow.

11.05 Natasha Raskin Sharp

The TV antiques presenter shares an eclectic mix of music.

1.00am-6.00 as Radio 5 Live

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1.30pm Breaking the News

Des Clarke presents the topical comedy news review show, joined by Lucy Porter, Hugo Rifkind, Elaine Malcolmson and Mark Nelson.

2.05 Out for the Weekend

Fiona Stalker presents a guide to activities in Scotland over the weekend, from outdoor festivals to leisurely strolls, as well as the all-important weather forecast. Gardening expert Carole Baxter is also on hand with tips for amateur horticulturists, while studio guests contribute to the *Out for the Weekend* feature.

5.00 Newsdrive

A round-up of the latest headlines from Scotland and the rest of the world.

6.30 Sportsound

A review of the day's stories, topical debate from listeners and guests, and a look ahead to forthcoming events and matches. Text 80295. @BBCSportsound on social media

10.05 Ashley Storie

The host introduces classic floor-fillers and party tracks, laced with lively chat and listener interaction.

1.00am-6.00 as Radio 5 Live

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Glasgow G51 1DA
bbc.co.uk/radioscotland

Radio nan Gàidheal

Mar Radio Alba ach:

Disathairne

9.00am Spòrs na Seachdain

Comhla rì lain Moireasdan. POST DEALAIN: sns@bbc.co.uk FON AN ASGAIDH: 08000 967050

10.05 Fàilt' air an Dùthach

Taghadh de cheòl dùthchail seans is ùr.

11.05 Tiompan

Cèòl Ceilteach, clàran ùra agus fios mu cò tha cluich càite le Mairead Niclllinnein.

12.05pm-1.05 Aileag

Beachdan chloinne, cèòl agus spòrs gu leòr còmhla rì Marie Duke.

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A' Chaisg Mhór

Dèanamaid Adhradh - Seirbheis Ghàidhlig. ath-chraoladh aig 3.05pm

9.35 Seòl Dhòmhnaill

Dòmhnaill Meek a' beachdachadh air an iomadh gaoth a shèid ann an seòl a bheatha.

10.05 Sasannach Ghrialainn

Dealbh air an sgrìobhaiche Ailean Caimbeul MacIlleathain a bha tàmhan san Eilean Sgiathanach.

10.35 Beag air Bheag

Prògram airson luchd-ionnsachaidh còmhla ri lain Urchardan.

11.05 Sàr Chlàr

Taghadh òrain bhon chlàr is fheàrr leat.

12.05pm Gleus

Fuinn, còisirean agus òrain bho shaoghal cèòl clasaigeach agus eile, le lain Moireach. Ant-seachdainsa cèòl le Telemann, Howard Goodall, JS Bach agus gu leòr eile.

1.00 Togail Sùil

Gilleasbuig MacDhòmhnaill a' còmhradh ri daoine le an taghadh de dh'ailtearachd Ghlaschu.

1.30 Crùnluath

Catriona NicNèill le taghadh de cheòl na pioba.

2.30 Rogha is Tagha

Taghadh à prògraman na seachdain air a thoirt thugaibh le Anna Nic na Ceardaich.

3.05 Dèanamaid Adhradh

Iain MaFhionghain le taghadh de laoidhean is sailm bhon t-sreath air fad.

4.00-4.05 An Litir Bheag

Tha Ruairidh MacIlleathain air ais le Litir Bheag na seachdain 'sa.

9.00 Dèanamaid Adhradh

Seirbhis à tasglann a' BhBC.

9.30 Beag air Bheag

6. A bheil sibh ag ionnsachadh Gàidhlig? A bheil sibh feumach air misneachd gus ur Gàidhlig a chleachdadh? A bheil sibh a' sireadh fiosrachaidh mu dè tha dol ann an saoghal na Gàidhlig? Ma fhreagair sibh "tha" gu direach aon de na ceistean sin's ann dhuibhse a tha Beag air Bheag, prògram ùr gu sònraichte do luchd-ionnsachaidh na Gàidhlig air BBC Radio nan Gàidheal.

ath-chraoladh Diciadain 10pm

10.30-10.35 Litir do Luchd-ionnsachaidh

Litir do luchd-ionnsachaidh le Ruaraidh MacIlleathain. ath-chraoladh Diciadain 11pm

Diluain na Càisge

7.30am Aithris na Maidne

Naidheachdan ionadail, nàiseanta is eadar-nàiseanta gach madainn.

9.05 Coinneach MacIomhair

Còmhradh, conaltradh agus cnuasachadh gach là.

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ath-chraoladh aig 9.05pm

10.05 A' Mire ri Mòir

Morag Dhòmhnaill a' feitheamh ribh le taghadh de dh'òrain Ghàidhlig.

12.05pm Togail Sùil

Gilleasbuig MacDhòmhnaill a' còmhradh ri daoine le an taghadh de dh'ailtearachd Ghlaschu. ath-chraoladh aig 10pm

12.35 Feasgar

Naidheachdan, deasbad, cèòl, is cur-seachadaig àm bìdh còmhla ri Cathy NicDhòmhnaill.

2.05 Caithream Ciùil

Cèòl Gaidhealach's Ceilteach agus fiosrachadh air dè a tha dol agaibhse gach feasgar.

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4.05 Fàilt' air an Dùthach

Taghadh de cheòl dùthchail seans is ùr.

ath-chraoladh aig 10.30pm

5.00 Aithris an Fheasgar

Naidheachdan nàiseanta is ionadail o Dhiliuan gu Dihaoine.

5.30 Siubhalgu Seachdile Pluto

Cèòl, spòrs agus fealla-dhà! Orain bho bhlaidhnaidh sàraiche air Seachdain sna Charts.

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FON AN ASGAIDH: 08000 967050

7.00-9.00 Rapal

10.30-11.30 Crùnluath

Dihaoine

Mar Diluain ach:

12.05pm-12.35 Rogha is Tagha

Taghadh à prògraman na seachdain air a thoirt thugaibh le Anna Nic na Ceardaich.

7.00 Breab do Rapal:

Oileanaich

Cìorstaidh Galloway, Morvern Menzies agus Emma Dhòmhnaillach a' bruidhinn air beatha nan oileanach le Megan.

9.05 Coinneach MacIomhair

10.00 Togail Sùil

10.30-11.30 Fàilt' air an Dùthach

Dimàirt

Mar Diluain ach:

12.05pm-12.30 Sguab an Earrach

1/2. Saol a bheil glanadh an earrach anns an fhasan fhathast?

ath-chraoladh aig 10pm

4.05-5.00 Sàr Chlàr

Taghadh òrain bhon chlàr is fheàrr leat.

ath-chraoladh aig 10.30pm

7.00-9.00 Rapal

Oran na seachdain, Dimàirt aig na Dealbhan agus taghadh de na h-òrain ùra as fheàrr a thar i'n cluinniinn an-dràstale Emma NicLoamainn.

POST DEALAIN: rapal@bbc.co.uk

FON AN ASGAIDH: 08000 967050

10.00 Sguab an Earrach

10.30-11.30 Sàr Chlàr

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Face behind the voice

Kyle Walker BBC Radio Manchester



Age 26

Current job Presenter since last September of the Thursday evening edition of *The Dead Good Show* (7.00–10.00pm) on BBC Radio Manchester, with a panel of three local voices each week, discussing everything from Brexit to *Love Island*, plus guests from the Manchester cultural scene.

CV Grew up in the Fallowfield area of Manchester. He did theatre studies at the Academy of Live and Recorded Arts (ALRA) in Wigan, joining BBC Radio Manchester after work as a presenter at Manchester City FC events.

Best moment "My first BBC Radio Manchester show. Just the whole experience – the demos, the practice and then the moment of going live on air. And my mum texting me to tell me it was really good."

Worst moment "Introducing an ex-player at Manchester City in front of 8,000 people and reading out the wrong name. The guest order on the cue card had been changed. It was the longest ten seconds of my life..."

Off air "I house-share with two friends from ALRA, quite close to MediaCityUK where Radio Manchester broadcasts from. I'm a season-ticket holder at Man City and a massive fan."

First radio memory "Radio 1 as I was getting ready to go to school. And listening to Simon 'Nicksy' Nicks, a DJ on Galaxy Radio. The radio was always on when I was growing up."

Favourite broadcasters "My colleague Mike Sweeney – he's a proper Manc, and he's really encouraged me. And Reggie Yates. He speaks for the people. He's just so human."

Ambition "It sounds simple but it's just to keep working. I'd like to get on to national radio – Radio 1 or 1Xtra."

Dream job "The kid in me still thinks I'm going to play for Manchester City. I'd also like to be the first black actor to play James Bond but I think Idris Elba might get there before me!"

Secret skills "I'm a good trampolinist. It wasn't the coolest thing to learn but I stuck at it." **SIMON O'HAGAN**

Listen at bbc.co.uk/radiomanchester

Saturday

RADIO ULSTER NEWS: hourly 7.00am to 11.00pm

6.45am Farm Gate

Food, countryside and agricultural issues. Presented by Elaine Mitchell.

7.05 Kim Lenaghan

A selection of tunes to ease listeners into the morning. Telephone: 03030 805555 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: 02890 0338307 Email: ypam@bbc.co.uk

9.05 Gardeners' Corner

Experts talk to gardeners and give topical advice. Presented by David Maxwell. Telephone: 03030 805555

9.45 On Your Behalf

Linda McAuley presents the consumer affairs programme, offering advice and raising issues to help listeners make the right decisions. Including news at **10.00**. bbc.co.uk/oyb Telephone: 02890 0338314 Write to: On Your Behalf, BBC Broadcasting House, Ormeau Avenue, Belfast BT2 8HQ

10.30 The Blame Game

3/7. Olga Koch joins regulars Tim McGarry, Colin Murphy, Jake O'Kane and Neil Delamere to contemplate whether the Easter Bunny will deliver anything new for Northern Ireland as they poke fun at the people and events making the news. Repeated Monday 7.30pm

11.05 The John Toal Show

The broadcaster ventures beyond the confines of the studio for first-hand experience of listeners' family and community lives. Includes recipes and top kitchen tips, chat and music. Telephone: 03030 805555 Text: 81771 Email: john.toal@bbc.co.uk

12.05pm Gerry Kelly

The host keeps listeners company on a lunchtime with studio guests, varied music and lively conversation. Including news at **1.00**. Telephone: 03030 805555 Text: 81771 Email: gerry.kelly@bbc.co.uk

1.30 Pick of the Week Ulster Foyle

Highlights from the past week. Repeated tomorrow 12.05pm

2.05 Sportsound

Football commentary and updates, featuring Linfield v Glenavon, Ballymena United v Coleraine, and Cliftonville v Crusaders (kick-offs **3.00**).

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 Caschláir

An-réimse ceoil ó phog go fréamh á chur le chéile agus á chur iláthair 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: 02890 0338043

10.05 Saturday Club with John Bennett

Late-night music show featuring classic tracks from the 1960s, 70s and 80s. Including news at **11.00**. Text: 81771

11.45 From Darkness to Dawn

A reflection for Easter in words and music, with Cheryl Meban. Repeated from yesterday

12.00 as Radio 5 Live

Easter Day

RADIO ULSTER NEWS: hourly 7.00am to 11.00pm (not 1.00) and 11.55pm

7.05am Kim Lenaghan

A selection of tunes and conversation. Including *Thought for the Day* at **7.55** and news at **8.00**. Telephone: 03030 805555 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. With news at **9.00** and **10.00**. Telephone: 02890 0338355 Email: sunday.sequence@bbc.co.uk

10.15 Morning Service

The Most Rev Dr Donal McKeown, Bishop of Derry, leads a Parish Mass for Easter Day from St Columba's Church, Long Tower in the Diocese of Derry.

11.05 Sunday with Brian D'Arcy

Conversation, meditation, and varied music. Write to: Sunday with Brian D'Arcy, BBC Radio Ulster, Ormeau Avenue, Belfast BT2 8HQ Telephone: 02890 0338043

12.05pm Pick of the Week Ulster Foyle

Highlights from the past week on the radio station. Repeated from yesterday 1.30pm

12.30 Stories of Ulster

Musician and farmer Terry Conlon tells Marty Cullen the story of the swinging plough – a majestic contraption that could dislocate a person's shoulder with one wrong move. Marty tells a tale of a butcher who was wise to sausage smuggling during ration times and a two-for-one deal that was too good to pass. Finally, Frank McCarron tells the tale of Cricket McKenna, a Monaghan man with quick wits, a risk-taking attitude and luck to match. Repeated Thursday 7.30pm

1.05 The Arts Show

Marie-Louise Muir returns home in a *Derry Girls* special, marking the return of the hit sitcom to our screens. bbc.co.uk/artsextra

1.30 Paddy O'Flaherty – Reel Life

A trip into the personal archives of the late broadcaster in the company of his children Roddy and Oonagh, unearthing lost interviews with Johnny Cash, Ian Paisley and many more. Presented by Steven Rainey.

2.05 Time of Our Lives

Colum Arbuckle shares the life stories of older people in Northern Ireland and hears about the experiences and ambitions of this vibrant community.

3.05 Classical Connections with John Toal

The host presents popular classical music. Plus news, reviews and interviews with local and touring performers. Including news at **4.00**.

5.05 Sounds Sacred

Richard Yarr introduces popular sacred music performed by local and internationally acclaimed performers. He also plays listeners' requests and provides news of music events across Northern Ireland.

6.05 Kintra

Weekly Ulster-Scots magazine programme presented by Helen Mark and friends. Repeated Wednesday 7.30pm

6.30 Bandstand

Local bands play listeners' favourite tunes. Repeated Tuesday 7.30pm (FM only)

7.05 Folk Club with Lynette Fay

Lynette selects the best traditional and contemporary folk music and song. Plus studio guests, concert performances, new releases and vintage vinyl. Including news at **8.00**.

9.05 Jazz Club with Walter Love

Recordings by jazz musicians, including tracks that have been performed exclusively for BBC Radio Ulster. bbc.co.uk/artsextra

10.05 Sunday Club with John Bennett

A late-night selection of music designed to soothe away the problems of the past week. Dedications to: The Sunday Club, BBC Radio Ulster, Broadcast House, Belfast BT2 8HQ Email: jb@bbc.co.uk

12.00 as Radio 5 Live

Easter Monday

RADIO ULSTER NEWS: half-hourly 7.00am to 8.30, hourly 9.00 to 5.00pm, 5.30, hourly 6.00 to 11.00, then 11.55pm

7.00am Good Morning Ulster

The day's news, with presenters Joel Taggart and Noel Thompson, 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 **7.55**. Email: good.morning.ulster@bbc.co.uk

9.05 The Nolan Show

Breaking news and hard-hitting topical debate with Stephen Nolan. Including news and travel at **10.00**. Telephone: 03030 805555 Text: 81771 Email: nolan@bbc.co.uk

10.30 Sean Coyle

The host brightens up the day with music and chat, as listeners from across the region are invited to phone in. Including news at **11.00**. Telephone: 03030 805555 Text: 81771 Email: sean.coyle@bbc.co.uk

12.00 Talkback

William Crawley and the *Talkback* team present news and invite listeners' on-air reaction to all the breaking stories of the day, from politics to health, consumer issues and education. Including news at **12.00** and **1.00**. Telephone: 03030 805555 Email: talk.back@bbc.co.uk

1.05pm Hugo Duncan

An Easter Monday afternoon of country music live from the annual Horse Fair in Toomebridge, Antrim. With news and travel at **2.00**. Telephone: 03030 805555 Text: 81771 Email: hugo.duncan@bbc.co.uk

3.05 Stephen McCauley

Requests and dedications of music to brighten up the afternoon. With news at **4.00**.

5.00 Evening Extra

Conor Bradford presents news on the half-hour, plus regular sport, traffic and weather reports, and the latest agri-business. Includes news headlines at **6.00**.

6.05 Stories in Sound

1/2. John Campbell tells the story of the spectacular rise and fall of Cyril Lord, the millionaire carpet king who brought jobs and glamour to Northern Ireland in the 1960s.

6.30 The Arts Show

Top tracks and interviews taken from the BBC Arts NI Music Collaborations TV programme, featuring the Horslips, Ulaid, Moya Brennan, Dana Masters and others. bbc.co.uk/artsextra

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7.05 Blas – On Taobhlíne

Fearghal Mag Uiginn le súil siar ar aicsean na gclubanna CLG agus craobhchomórtas na gContae ag teacht chun críche agus feachtas Chumainn Uladh faoi láseol. Fearghal Mag Uiginn looks at the weekend's sporting action.

7.30 The Blame Game

3/7. Olga Koch joins regulars Tim McGarry, Colin Murphy, Jake O'Kane and Neil Delamere to contemplate whether the Easter Bunny will deliver anything new for Northern Ireland. Repeated from Saturday 10.30am

8.05 Across the Line

Rigsy and Stuart Bailie present the best new music from Northern Ireland and the Republic, with live gigs, interviews, features and sessions. With news at **9.00**.

Text: ATL to 81771

Email: atl@bbc.co.uk Download the podcast at bbc.co.uk/atl

10.05 The Vinny Hurrell Show

The presenter hosts the late-night magazine show. Text: 81771 Email: vinny.hurrell@bbc.co.uk

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6.05 Stories in Sound

2/2. John Campbell reveals how millionaire carpet king Cyril Lord's empire came tumbling down and assesses his legacy.

6.30 The Arts Show

Marie-Louise Muir presents news from the arts world. bbc.co.uk/artsextra

7.05 Blas

Ag coinneáil an lucht éisteachta ar an eolas faoi na himeachtaí ar gáid a fhéiceáil agus a chluinstín isaoi ealaíne agus cultúir na Gaeilge agus níos faide ó bhaile. Dáithí Ó Muirí keeps listeners up to date with all that's happening in the arts world.

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Commentary and updates, featuring Linfield v Cliftonville, Coleraine v Crusaders, and Ballymena United v Glenavon (kick-offs **7.45**).

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8.05 The Mickey Bradley Record Show

Another selection of vintage rock and pop, plus new releases. With news at **9.00**.

Text: 81771

Email: michael.bradley@bbc.co.uk

10.05 John Kerr Country

John plays contemporary American country hits and talks with some of the biggest names in the business.

11.05 The Late Show with Eve Blair

Music for winding down. Email: eve.blair@bbc.co.uk

12.00 as Radio 5 Live

Wednesday

RADIO ULSTER NEWS: see Monday

6.30am Good Morning Ulster

With Karen Patterson and Noel Thompson. Including *Farm Gate* and *Thought for the Day* at **6.55** and **7.55**.

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Weekly Ulster-Scots magazine with Helen Mark and friends. Repeated from Sunday 6.05pm

8.05 Ralph McLean – Local Voices

Ralph McLean presents a selection of local music, sessions and chat from new Northern Ireland artists and established acts. Includes 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

The presenter introduces an exploratory and cinematic mix of contemporary classical, electronica, ambient and acoustic music.

Email: stephen.mccauley@bbc.co.uk

11.05 The Late Show with Eve Blair

A chance to wind down with a selection of music specially chosen for this late hour. Email: eve.blair@bbc.co.uk

12.00 as Radio 5 Live

Thursday

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6.30am Good Morning Ulster

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Ralph McLean presents a selection of local music, sessions and chat from new Northern Ireland artists and established acts. Includes 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

The presenter introduces an exploratory and cinematic mix of contemporary classical, electronica, ambient and acoustic music.

Email: stephen.mccauley@bbc.co.uk

11.05 The Late Show with Eve Blair

The host plays the best of classic rock, soul, blues, pop, gospel, reggae and funk music. Includes news at **9.00**.

10.05 Songbook with Eamon Friel

The host celebrates a selection of songs from past and present. Email: eamon.friel@bbc.co.uk

11.05 The Late Show with Eve Blair

Music for winding down. Email: eve.blair@bbc.co.uk

12.00 as Radio 5 Live

Friday

RADIO ULSTER NEWS: see Monday

6.30am Good Morning Ulster

News with Karen Patterson and Noel Thompson. Including travel and sport, plus *Farm Gate* and *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 Stephen Nolan. Including news and travel at **10.00**.

Telephone: 03030 805555

Text: 81771

Email: nolan@bbc.co.uk

10.30 Sean Coyle

The host presents music and chat. With news at **11.00**.

Telephone: 03030 805555

Text: 81771

Email: sean.coyle@bbc.co.uk

12.00 Talkback

William Crawley and the team present news and reaction. With news at **12.00** and **1.00**.

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Email: talk.back@bbc.co.uk

Telephone: 03030 805555

Text: 81771

Email: sean.coyle@bbc.co.uk

12.00 Talkback

William Crawley and the team present news and invite listeners' on-air reaction to all the breaking stories of the day. With news at **12.00** and **1.00**.

3.05 Stephen McCauley

RADIO in your area

BBC Radio Wales

Face behind the voice

Kyle Walker BBC Radio Manchester



Age 26

Current job Presenter since last September of the Thursday evening edition of *The Dead Good Show* (7.00–10.00pm) on BBC Radio Manchester, with a panel of three local voices each week, discussing everything from Brexit to *Love Island*, plus guests from the Manchester cultural scene.

CV Grew up in the Fallowfield area of Manchester. He did theatre studies at the Academy of Live and Recorded Arts (ALRA) in Wigan, joining BBC Radio Manchester after work as a presenter at Manchester City FC events.

Best moment "My first BBC Radio Manchester show. Just the whole experience – the demos, the practice and then the moment of going live on air. And my mum texting me to tell me it was really good."

Worst moment "Introducing an ex-player at Manchester City in front of 8,000 people and reading out the wrong name. The guest order on the cue card had been changed. It was the longest ten seconds of my life..."

Off air "I house-share with two friends from ALRA, quite close to MediaCityUK where Radio Manchester broadcasts from. I'm a season-ticket holder at Man City and a massive fan."

First radio memory "Radio 1 as I was getting ready to go to school. And listening to Simon 'Nicksy' Nicks, a DJ on Galaxy Radio. The radio was always on when I was growing up."

Favourite broadcasters "My colleague Mike Sweeney – he's a proper Manc, and he's really encouraged me. And Reggie Yates. He speaks for the people. He's just so human."

Ambition "It sounds simple but it's just to keep working. I'd like to get on to national radio – Radio 1 or 1Xtra."

Dream job "The kid in me still thinks I'm going to play for Manchester City. I'd also like to be the first black actor to play James Bond but I think Idris Elba might get there before me!"

Secret skills "I'm a good trampolinist. It wasn't the coolest thing to learn but I stuck at it." **SIMON O'HAGAN**

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Saturday

NEWS: hourly 6.00am to 1.00pm, 3.00 to 6.00, plus 7.31am

WEATHER: before most news bulletins

HILL FORECAST: 6.59am

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.

Telephone: 0370100110

Email: goodmorningwales@bbc.co.uk

9.00 Money for Nothing

Owen Money presents a lively mix of music and humour.

Telephone: 0370100110

11.30 Rhod Gilbert

Comedian Chris Corcoran and Eggsy from Goldie Lookin' Chain sit in for Rhod, with music, chat and guests.

1.30pm Ankle Tag

3/4. Series two of the sitcom by Ben Partridge and Gareth Gwynn, about a fraudster dad on parole. With Steve Spiers, Elis James and others. Repeated from last Monday

2.00 Radio Wales Easter Mix

A selection of music for the bank holiday weekend.

4.00 Angela Jay with the 80s Weekender

Angela introduces a selection of hits from the decade.

7.00 Bethan Elfyn

A mix of classic rock, new tunes and indie anthems, plus music from up-and-coming Welsh artists.

10.00 Adam Walton

The best in new Welsh music, featuring exclusive sessions, interviews and demos.

1.00am–5.00 as World Service

Easter Day

NEWS: hourly 7.00am to 6.00pm

WEATHER: before most news bulletins

HILL FORECAST: 6.59am

5.00am Vicki Blight

Music and chat.

6.30 The Idea

3/4. Catrin Nye meets comedian Kiri Pritchard McLean, author Kate Leaver and poet Amiina Mohamoud, who have all taken to the stage and, in different ways, talked about honesty. Repeated from last Tuesday

7.00 Country Focus

Rural and farming issues. Repeated Wednesday 6.30pm

7.30 Celebration

A service from Penrallt Baptist Church in Bangor.

8.00 An Easter Morning

An exploration of the feast day with seasonal words and music.

9.00 All Things Considered

Religious affairs programme, tackling the thornier issues of the day in a thought-provoking manner, presented by the Rev Roy Jenkins.

Email: religion.wales@bbc.co.uk

9.30 Sunday Morning with Behnaz Akhgar

Music, chat and guests.

11.00 Owen Money's Solid Gold Sunday

The entertainer plays a selection of classic hits from the 1960s and 70s.

1.00pm Aled Jones

Antiques expert and auctioneer Charlie Ross joins Aled for music and conversation.

2.00 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.

4.00 Roy Noble

The host presents the usual mix of music and conversation.

Email: roy.noble@bbc.co.uk

6.05 The Lost World of the Welsh Suffragettes

1/2. Cerys Matthews examines the contribution of Welsh women to the campaign for the right to be given the vote for the first time, when a limited number of women in Wales voted for the first time in UK-wide parliamentary elections in December 1918. Repeated from last Thursday

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Easter Monday

NEWS: hourly 6.00am to 2.00pm,

3.52, hourly 5.00 to 10.00

WEATHER: before most news bulletins

5.00am Mal Pope

A chance to wake up with easy

music and conversation.

6.30 Good Morning Wales

The breakfast programme for the nation, featuring news, interviews, sport, weather and travel information.

Telephone: 0370100110

Email: goodmorningwales@bbc.co.uk

9.00 Owen Money

An all-request show for the bank holiday.

11.00 Wynne Evans

Connie Fisher sits in, presenting a mix of music, chat and listener requests.

Telephone: 0370100110

Email: wynne@bbc.co.uk

2.00pm Radio Wales Sport

A round-up of events, including news as it happens and live commentaries.

5.00 Good Evening Wales

The latest stories and developments from Wales and the world, featuring sport, weather and travel news.

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Email: goodmorningwales@bbc.co.uk

9.00 Jason Mohammad

The broadcaster presents music, chat and the day's leading stories.

Text: 81012

Telephone: 03700100110

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1.00am–5.00 as World Service

7.00 Janice Long

A range of songs from the 1960s right through to today, as well as new music and artists from Wales.

10.05 Chris Needs

The host presents a selection of late-night tracks and chat.

Telephone: 03700100110

1.00am–5.00 as World Service

Wednesday

NEWS AND WEATHER: as Tuesday

5.00am Mal Pope

A chance to wake up with easy music and conversation.

6.30 Good Morning Wales

The breakfast programme for the nation, featuring news, interviews, sport, weather and travel information.

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Friday

NEWS AND WEATHER: as Tuesday

5.00am Mal Pope

A chance to wake up gently with easy music and conversation.

6.30 Good Morning Wales

The breakfast programme for the nation, featuring news, interviews, sport, weather and travel information.

Telephone: 0370100110

Cymru

Sadwrn

5.30am Caniadaeth y Cysegr

Canu cynulleidfaol. Ail-ddarledir Sul am 4.30pm

6.00 Byd Amaeth

Dei Tomos gyda newyddion a sgyrsiau'n ymneud â ffermio.

6.30 Galwad Cynnwr

Brym Tomos a'i wwesteion yn trafod natur, bywyd gwylt a chadwraeth.

EBOST: galwadcynnwr@bbc.co.uk

8.00 Post Cyntaf

Newyddion a chwaraeon bore Sadwrn, gyda Rhys Owen a Bethan Clement yn cyflwyno.

EBOST: post.cyntaf@bbc.co.uk

8.30 Ar y Marc

Dylan Jones a'r criw yn trafod pob math o bethau'n ymneud â phêl-droed.

EBOST: arymarc@bbc.co.uk

9.00 Tudur Owen

Lot o fwydro, 'chydig o sylwedd, dim swmp.

11.00 Shelley a Rhidian

Cerddoriaeth ac adloniant gyda Shelley Rees-Owena Rhidian Bowen Phillips yn lle Cat a Cats.

2.00pm Camp Lawn

Chwaraeon pnawn Sadwrn.

5.30 Marc Griffiths

Cymysgedd o'r hen a'r newydd i ddiddanu ar nos Sadwrn, gan gynnwys llwyth o geisiadau.

EBOST: marc.griffiths@bbc.co.uk

9.00 Wil Morgan

Ceisiadau a chyfarchion ar nos Sadwrn, yn ogystal ag ambell jôc!

Ffôn: 0370 3500 500

EBOST: wilmorgan@bbc.co.uk

12.00 gweler BBC Radio 5 live

Sul y Pasg

5.30am Yr Oedfa

Gwasanaeth ar y Sul yn arbennig i wrandawyr Radio Cymru. Ail-ddarledir am 11.30am

6.00 Gwawr Owen

Cerddoriaeth amrywiol.

8.00 Bwrw Golwg

John Roberts a'i wwesteion yn trafod materion moesol a chrefyddol.

EBOST: bwrw.golwg@bbc.co.uk

8.30 Dewi Llwyd ar Fore Sul

Adolygiad o'r papurau Sul, cerddoriaeth hamddenol, a sylw i'r celfyddydau.

10.00 Richard Rees

Cerddoriaeth a chwmniaeth i helpu i ymlacio ar fore Sul.

11.30 Yr Oedfa

Gwasanaeth ar y Sul yn arbennig i wrandawyr Radio Cymru. Darledwyd am 5.30am

12.00 Beti a'i Phobol

Beti George yn sgorwsio gydag un o bobl fwyaf diddorol Cymru.

Ail-ddarledir iau am 6pm

1.00pm Cofio

Archif, atgof a chân yng nghwmni John Hardy. Y Pasg yw'r thema.

Ail-ddarledir Mercher am 6pm

2.00 Hywel Gwynfryn

Amrywiaeth o gerddoriaeth, yn ogystal â phytiau o raglenni Radio Cymru o'r wythnos a fu.

Radio digidol yn ne-ddwyrain Cymru

3.50–6.00pm Camp Lawn

Sylwbaeth ar gêm bêl-droed Caerdydd v Lerpwl yn Uwch Gynghrair Lloegr.

4.00 Y Bardd ar Daith

Cyfres yn dilyn teithiau Ifor ap Glyn fel Bardd Cenedlaethol Cymru. Ail-ddarlediad

4.30 Caniadaeth y Cysegr

Canu cynulleidfaol.

Darledwyd Sadwrn am 5.30am

5.00 Stiwdio gyda Nia Roberts

Golwg ar y celfyddydau yng Nghymru a thu hwnt. Darledwyd Mercher

5.30 Dei Tomos

Sgyrsiau am Gymru, ei phobl a'i diwylliant.

EBOST: deitomos@bbc.co.uk

7.00 Stori Tic Toc

Stori am Moi y mochyn mentrus a'i frawd bach Osian, bob amser mor ofalus.

7.05 Y Talwrn

Gornest rhwng timau'r Tir Mawr a Chaernarfon sy'n agor ail rownd cystadleuaeth 2019. Y Prifardd Ceri Wyn Jones yw'r Meuryn. Ail-ddarledir Mawrth am 12pm

8.00 Ar Eich Cais

Linda Griffiths yn darllen cyfarchion ac yn chwarae ceisiadau.

EBOST: areichcais@bbc.co.uk

9.00 John ac Alun

Cerddoriaeth a sgorwsio i glo'i'r penywthnos.

12.00 gweler BBC Radio 5 live

Llun y Pasg

5.30am Cerddoriaeth

Awr o gerddoriaeth ddi-dor i ddechrau Llun y Pasg.

6.30 Sioe Frecwast

Cerddoriaeth ac adloniant gyda Dafydd a Caryl

8.00 Post Cyntaf

Newyddion a chwaraeon bore Llun y Pasg.

EBOST: post.cyntaf@bbc.co.uk

8.30 Byd Huw Stephens

Straeon cyfredol a cherddoriaeth, gyda Huw Stephens yn lle Aled Hughes.

10.00 Bore Cothi

Croeso cynnes dros baned gyda Rebecca Hayes yn lle Shân Cothi.

12.00 Gari Wyn

Golwg ar fydd busnes, mentergarwch a Chymreictod.

12.30pm Ysbyrydoliaeth

Nic Parry sy'n llywio'r drafodaeth wrth i drigwestai gyflwyno dadleuon ar bynciau sydd wedi eu hysbrydoli.

1.00 Meistri

Beth sy'n gwneud y delynores Catrin Finch yn feistres ar ei chreff? Garry Owen sy'n holi.

2.00 Camp Lawn

Gemau pêl-droed Llun y Pasg, gan gynnwys Ipswich Town v Abertawe yn y Bencampwriaeth. Sylw hefyd i Macclesfield Town v Casnewydd, ac FC Halifax Town v Wrecsam.

5.00 Post Prynhan

Newyddion Llun y Pasg yng Nghymru a thu hwnt, gyda Nia Cerys yn cyflwyno.

5.30 Manylu

Hanes pêl-droed iwr sy'n honni iddo gael ei gamdrin gan yr hyfforddwr Barry Bennell pan yn ifanc. Ail-ddarlediad

6.00 Galwad Eto

Trafodaeth ar natur, bywyd gwylt a chadwraeth, mewn fersiwn fyrrach o raglen bore Sadwrn.

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 sgorwsio ar y shifft hwy.

Ffon: 03703 500500

EBOST: geraint.lloyd@bbc.co.uk

12.00 gweler BBC Radio 5 live

Mawrth

5.30am John Hardy

Cerddoriaeth a chwmniaeth ben bore, gyda bwletinâu newyddion, chwaraeon, tywydd a thraffig. Hefyd, y bwletin amaeth dyddiol, yn ogystal â golwg ar y papurau.

7.00 Post Cyntaf

Y newyddion diweddaraf yng Nghymru a thu hwnt gyda Dylan Jones a Sara Esyllt.

EBOST: post.cyntaf@bbc.co.uk

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7.00 Post Cyntaf

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Sgyrsiau am Gymru, ei phobl a'i diwylliant, mewn fersiwn fyrrach o raglen nos Sul.

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2.00 Hwyrnos Georgia Ruth

Dewis eclectig o gerddoriaeth.

10.00 Geraint Lloyd

Cerddoriaeth a sgorwsio ar y shifft hwy.

12.00 gweler BBC Radio 5 live

Mercher

5.30am John Hardy

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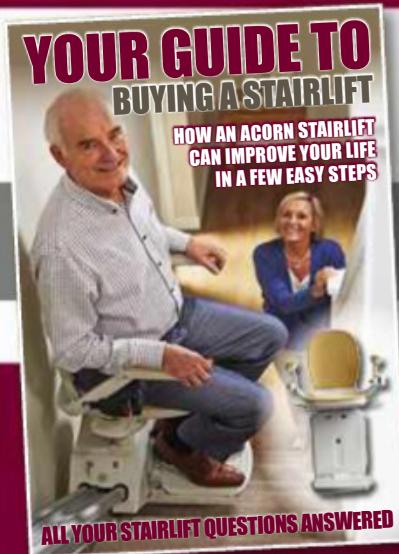


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A new book argues that we knew all about climate change 40 years ago – and still did nothing

Book of the Week: Losing Earth

Monday-Friday 9.45am, 12.30am **Radio 4**

THE OPENING SENTENCES of Nathaniel Rich's sobering book are blunt: "Nearly everything we understand about global warming was understood in 1979. It was, if anything, better understood." Scientists knew then that the world had warmed by one degree since the industrial revolution, and that the projected further degree of warming within the next century risked a catastrophic rise in sea levels and desertification leading to starvation, migration and war. What's more, the technology existed to get the global warming under control within ten years.

Over 200 terse pages Rich shows how, in the four decades since, governments and compla-

'We are all complicit and we are all connected to this'

cent populations have gone from wringing their hands to crossing their fingers to covering their ears and, finally, to outright denial, actively parroting the disinformation of the fossil fuel lobby. The world now faces a potential rise of up to six degrees, and Rich writes that "beyond an increase of five degrees we face the prospect of civilizational death. It is difficult to look at this fact squarely and not flinch."

Rich, a novelist and writer at large for the *New York Times* magazine, tells the US side of the story, because America was not only the biggest per capita emitter of carbon dioxide among the major nations in 1979, but arguably the only one that had the technological and political clout to take a lead on the issue. He frames his story – originally published across an entire issue – as a dramatic narrative, having become irritated with the knee-jerk cycle of outrage followed by apathy whenever a new environmental atrocity was reported: "I

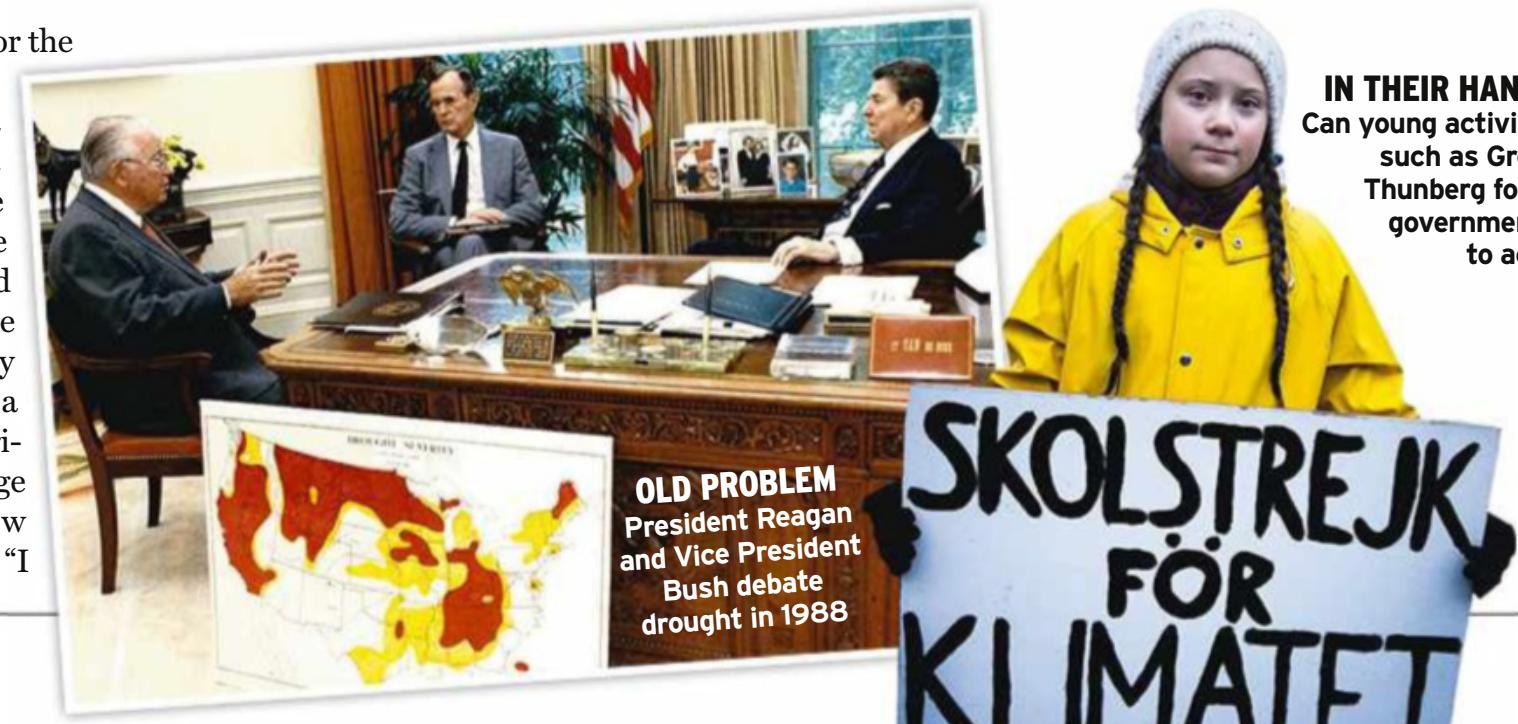
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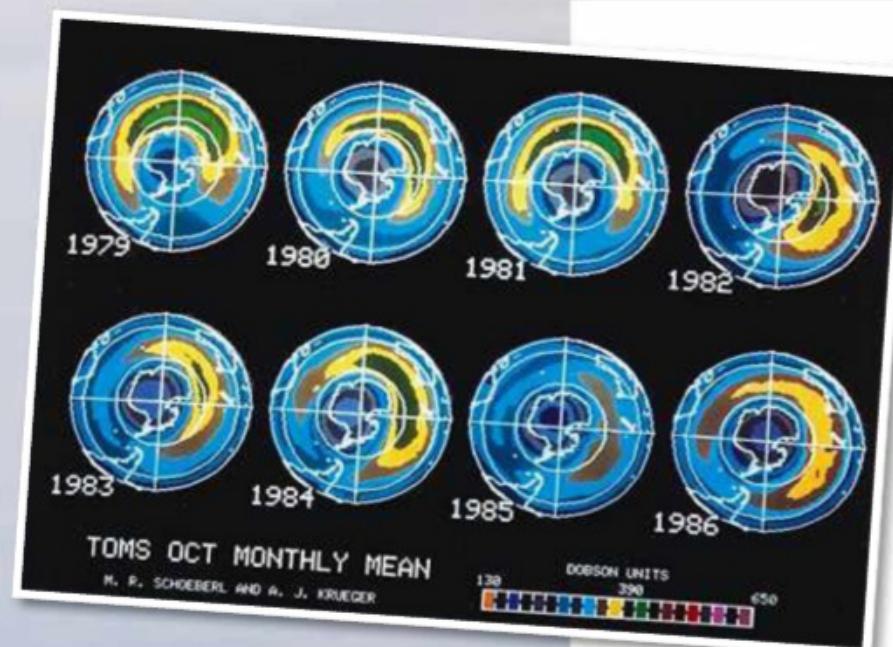
felt there was frankly a need to grapple with this issue in a more profound and moral way."

Rich's protagonists are Rafe Pomerance, a Friends of the Earth activist, and Jim Hansen, a down-to-earth Nasa climate scientist, leaders of a small group that in his words "pushed the issue from the obscure reaches of academia and federal science institutions, ultimately to the

highest levels of global international diplomacy". The book has a three-act structure. First, Pomerance, Hansen and their fellows "become aware of the problem and terrified of it, and think that communicating it to people in power in Washington will be enough". This period begins under an open-minded Jimmy Carter and ends in 1983 when Ronald Reagan's coal-



IN THEIR HANDS
Can young activists such as Greta Thunberg force governments to act?



HEATED DEBATE

Heavy industry has contributed to global warming and the changing levels of ozone over the Antarctic (above)



friendly government decides global warming isn't an "immediate" problem.

Phase two sees Pomerance, Hansen and co try to bring the issue to public attention: their efforts get a huge boost in 1986/7 when British scientists discover a "hole" in the ozone layer. In 1988, during the hottest summer ever in America, Hansen testifies before Congress that global warming has already begun, and the need for a global emissions treaty is mooted. Grassroots movements demand action and governments worldwide promise it. George HW Bush makes leadership on climate change an issue in his successful presidential bid.

But in office, Bush appoints as his Chief of Staff John H Sununu, a former engineer and climate change sceptic. In 1989, Sununu is behind efforts to censor and in some cases change Hansen's testimony to a government subcommittee, leading a young senator called Al Gore to accuse the White House of "science fraud". At the 1989 Noordwijk summit in the Netherlands, Sununu, "with the acquiescence of

Britain, Japan and the Soviet Union" forces the conference to abandon a commitment to freeze carbon emissions.

Lest liberals and Brits feel too smug, Rich believes Sununu was sincere in his doubts about climate science, that other nations including the UK had no intention of meeting their promised targets, and that Al Gore is not entirely a hero. But by the late 1980s the oil industry had already moved from investigation and mitigation of its culpability to the "moustache-twirling depravity" of outright disinformation, rendering the logical arguments of the increasingly dispirited Pomerance and Hansen ineffectual.

This, Rich sees as "the birth of this cancer that we now have, metastasised into fantastic dimensions, taking over the entire national dialogue". The polluters' propaganda is now the official policy of the Republican Party and the Trump White House. The intervening years, even those under Democrat presidents, have been a study in bad faith. Rich points out that the American delegation endorsed the 1997 Kyoto protocol to

set internationally binding carbon targets, but it was never submitted to Congress for ratification. Indeed, the Senate voted on a presumptive resolution declaring its opposition to the Kyoto treaty, which passed 95-0.

But Rich says it's no use crying out that Obama, Clinton, the Bushes or Reagan knew that they were setting fire to the

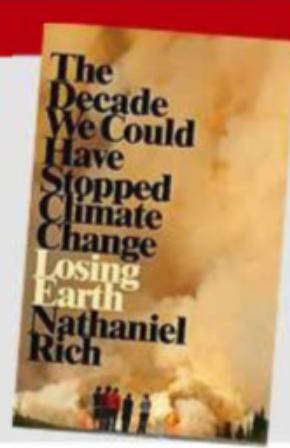
future, that Exxon and the other oil companies knew. His point is that we ALL knew, and we all know. "We are all complicit and we have to understand that we are all connected to this," he says, "which is not to let the Republican party or the [fossil fuel] industry – which is sociopathic, or psychopathic perhaps – off the hook."

WHAT GIVES HIM hope is the new generation of activists, embodied by the 16-year-old Swedish pioneer of school strikes against climate change Greta Thunberg, who are using moral and emotional arguments rather than logical ones. He is heartened by Democrat firebrand Alexandria Ocasio-Cortez's proposed Green New Deal, and by the pronouncements of the Pope on the issue. If we deny our place in the warming equation, we erode our humanity and our claims to morality as surely as we erode the glaciers, he writes.

Rich is not an outright pessimist: he and his wife live in Louisiana, where water levels are rising, and they have a two-year-old son with another baby due in July. He doubts there will be a sudden mobilisation towards renewable and nuclear energy that will keep warming below two per cent, but also doubts we will just let the earth burn. "I think it is very human to alternate between mindless dread and mindless hope," he says. "I work through these issues by reading and by writing, and I think there needs to be more introspection all round. Until we can have honest conversations with ourselves, I don't think we can have honest political conversations about it." **NICK CURTIS**

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To order *Losing Earth: the Decade We Could Have Stopped Climate Change* (Picador) by Nathaniel Rich for £14.99 inc p&p, visit radiotimes.com/shop17 or call 03302 232 639*





MANY GARDENS HAVE permanently wet areas, boggy even, while others have clay-based soils that dry out in the summer and stay wet and claggy all winter long. In a sloping garden, areas set at the bottom may be permanently wet. Without spending lots of money, there's only so much you can do to increase drainage, such as adding grit/sharp sand and plenty of organic matter.

If you want to plant with confidence into a soil that is permanently wet, go for plants that positively thrive with moisture at their roots. There are plenty to choose from to make a lush, verdant and colourful garden – and once established, many can cope with both dry summers and wet winters.

Lawns grown on permanently wet soil will often end up more moss than grass, too, so it may be time to lose the high-maintenance grass and plant accordingly.

Let's start with dramatic foliage to get the ball rolling. *Rheum palmatum* (Chinese rhubarb) has large, deeply divided leaves and can grow to a height of 2m so is ideal for the back of a border. *Ligularia* "The Rocket" is another architectural beauty, with large, deeply toothed, heart-shaped leaves and the bonus of tall spikes of yellow flowers on black stems in summer. They both do well with a little shade. My favourite fern for damp soils is the shuttlecock fern (*Matteuccia struthiopteris*), which has a graceful upright habit and fresh green fronds that unfurl to signify spring. They look best in drifts and reach an airy 1.5m.

FOR EARLY SUMMER colour, go for *Iris sibirica*. They'll grow to around 90cm, and delightful blooms hover above the slender foliage; choose from a range of colours, from intense blues and purples to lighter pastels. Come mid-summer, astrantias are a must. They are clump-forming perennials for sun or semi-shade, with pincushion flowers and deeply lobed foliage. "Claret" (above) is my favourite – deep red flowers held on near-black stems. *Hemerocallis* (day lilies) love wet conditions – their flowers may only last a day but they keep coming all summer, making them good value. I like the spicy oranges and burgundies.

For late summer colour, *Crocosmia* (montbretia) has it all. Sprays of flowers burst out above slender, sword-like leaves. "Lucifer" is flaming red, while "Emily McKenzie" has large orange flowers with distinctive red blotches. Why not try some of each?



HOT COLOURS
Astrantia
"Claret"



Wet, wet, wet

Embrace your boggy soil and grow beautiful plants that thrive in the damp, says Joe Swift



SOW SOME HERBS

Fresh herbs can make an average meal taste great and picking your

home-grown is more rewarding than buying them from a supermarket. Rosemary, sage, thyme and mint are hardy perennials that can be left in the garden all year round. There are also lots of tender annuals that need sowing every year – and now is a good time.

SPRINKLE SOME SEED

Basil, chives and parsley are best started off indoors on a windowsill, but chervil, coriander and dill can be sown directly outside now. Chervil and coriander like a little shade, the others prefer plenty of sun and they all like a well-drained soil.

When sowing indoors, sow into a tray or individual pots of seed compost. Sprinkle the seed thinly on the top of the compost (about ten seeds per 9cm pot) then cover the seed with a fine layer of compost (a kitchen sieve would work). Water lightly and place on a warm windowsill. Cover the tray or pots with cling film and puncture a few holes to create a mini greenhouse.



GET SOME POTS OUT

After a few weeks your seeds should have germinated and seedlings can be transferred into individual pots. Some people leave them in one pot (that's how supermarket plants are grown). For individual, more robust final plants, pot on individually after carefully teasing each

seedling out by holding their small leaves. – a chopstick is a good tool for this delicate work. They can stay indoors all summer but if you want to grow outside (perhaps planted into a pot, raised beds or directly in the ground), harden them for around a fortnight by taking outside during the day and bringing inside at night. Once the fear of frosts has gone (at the end of May) they can be planted outside for good. Feed regularly with a weak organic liquid seaweed or similar.



TRY SOMETHING NEW

Choose different cultivars (there are lots of types of basil, such as sweet basil, purple basil or lime basil) to keep it interesting. They will also have different maturing times, so stagger cropping. Sow a little seed every two weeks or so from now onwards to help avoid gluts.

Joe Swift is a presenter on *Gardeners' World*, Fridays BBC2 (not Wales)

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VIBRANT
The Kolkata flower market



Glorious Ganges

For Jane McDonald, cruising India is a spiritual experience

Cruising with Jane McDonald
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JANE McDONALD'S LATEST TV voyage is a trip down the tributaries of India's sacred River Ganges. Her most adventurous river cruise yet, it takes her to some of West Bengal's lesser-known cities, where locals are as curious about tourists as vice versa. "I've really taken to river cruising – I'm a convert because you go straight into the cities, whereas on ocean cruises you just go to the port," she says. "Even on board, you get to see so much because you're close to the land."

The standard seven-night Ganges itinerary begins and ends in Kolkata (formerly Calcutta), where Colonial-era clubs jostle with Mughal monuments, gaudy temples and slums. "It was a culture shock. Every single sense is assaulted. The noise is unbelievably loud – drivers sit on their horns – and the smell of food and flowers follows you round. Flowers are so important in India. I visited Asia's biggest flower market and

there were thousands of garlands. Lots of households have their own shrine and put flowers on it every day. Every hotel greets you with garlands."

McDonald's ship called at the temple city of Kalna, at Mayapur, the sacred centre for the Hare Krishna movement, and at the erstwhile capital of Bengal and silk trade centre, Murshidabad. There she learned about a religion called Jainism, whose followers believe that every living thing in the universe, whether plant,

•Hundreds of candles were floating on the water'

human or animal, should be treated with respect. "I thought, 'That sounds right up my street!' So it was fascinating to learn a bit about that." Another highlight was a midnight candle-lit ceremony on the river itself. "There were hundreds of candles on the water, floating past

us. It was quite a sight."

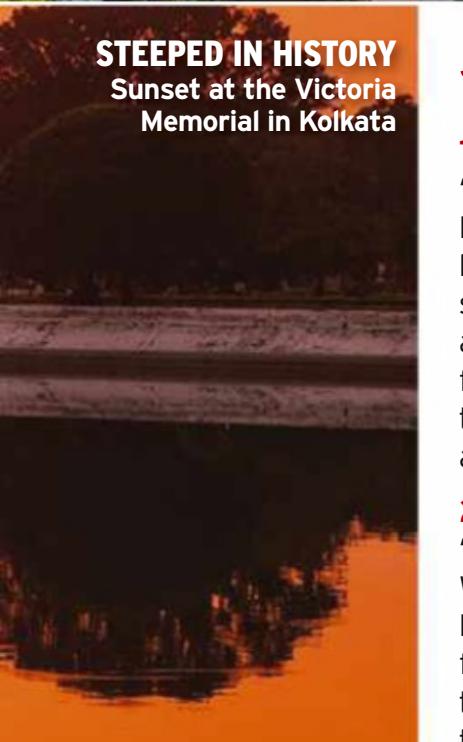
Like most Ganges cruises, hers included a land tour of India's famous Golden Triangle: Delhi, Jaipur and Agra, the home of the Taj Mahal. "We've all seen the Taj Mahal, but when you walk through that archway and see it for yourself... Wow." But most memorable of all was an afternoon spent flying kites in the "Pink City" of Jaipur. The story goes that the city's historic buildings were originally painted pink for a royal visit by Queen Victoria's eldest son, Prince Albert Edward, the future Edward VII, because it's an inviting colour.

McDonald received a warm welcome when she signed up to meet a local family who were celebrating a Hindu harvest festival, in which Jaipur's sky fills with colourful kites. "We went up on the roof of their block of flats and all the other families had come out, and they all knew each other. Everybody was sharing food, all the kids were learning how to fly kites and playing together, and people were waving to us from every single block. It was just wonderful." CLAIRE WEBB



LANDMARK
A Krishna temple
in Mayapur

STEEPED IN HISTORY
Sunset at the Victoria
Memorial in Kolkata



JANE'S TOP 5 CRUISES

1 THE (TROPICAL) INNER HEBRIDES

"It was a heatwave when I did my trip round Mull and I couldn't believe that Scotland looked like the Caribbean. The scenery was absolutely stunning – we saw puffins on the Treshnish Isles, and Fingal's Cave, which was the inspiration for Mendelssohn's *Hebrides Overture*. It resembles the pipes of a massive organ and the acoustics are amazing."

2 HOME FROM HOME IN NEW ZEALAND

"I've never seen a country like New Zealand. When I sailed there from Australia, we visited the Milford Sound fjord, which is breathtaking. I'll never forget the views in Dunedin: it was like stepping into the film *Avatar*. A lot of Scottish people emigrated there and I visited a castle where a bagpiper was dressed in Ferguson tartan – my mother's tartan – and I thought, 'I've come home.'"

3 DANCING THE NIGHT AWAY IN GREECE

"The Italian coast is beautiful, but my favourite Mediterranean cruise has to be the Greek Islands. A lot of ships now do overnights. I stayed on dreamy Santorini, which is famous for its beautiful sunsets, and partied until the small hours on Mykonos. I danced so much, I had to walk back to my hotel barefoot, carrying my shoes."

4 CHRISTMAS MARKETS ON THE RHINE

"The Rhine is even more spectacular at Christmas. The craft markets are fantastic, and then there's the hot chocolate, the Glühwein, the eggnog, the moreish brandy coffee! You often get snow as well, which makes it even more Christmassy. It really got me into the festive spirit."

5 BEAUTIFULLY BALTIC

"The Baltic cities have gorgeous architecture, good food, great shops. I remember having a coffee in Helsinki, watching people go by and thinking this is a world I'd like to be part of. Iceland is amazing and Reykjavik is one of my favourite places in the world... I could go on and on!" **CW**

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'It can provide people with cash when they need it...'

the value of your home. You don't pay them back until you (and your partner if you have one) either die or move permanently into long-term care. It's called a lifetime mortgage and for the

right people in the right circumstances, equity release can provide them with cash when they need it. But there

are some warnings, too.

With a lifetime mortgage you borrow part of the value of your home – perhaps a third at age 65 – and every month, interest is charged. You do not pay that interest at the time. Instead, it is added to the loan. So every year the debt – and the interest charged on it – grows. If you live a long time or if house prices fall, there is a danger the debt will get bigger than the value of your home. That is why you should only ever use an equity release firm that is a member of the Equity Release Council. They all give a guarantee that you can never end up owing more than the value of your property.

The other warning is for people who get means-tested pension credit to boost their income or get their council tax reduced or paid by the local council. If you take out an equity release loan, the cash will count as capital and will probably stop all your means-tested benefits.

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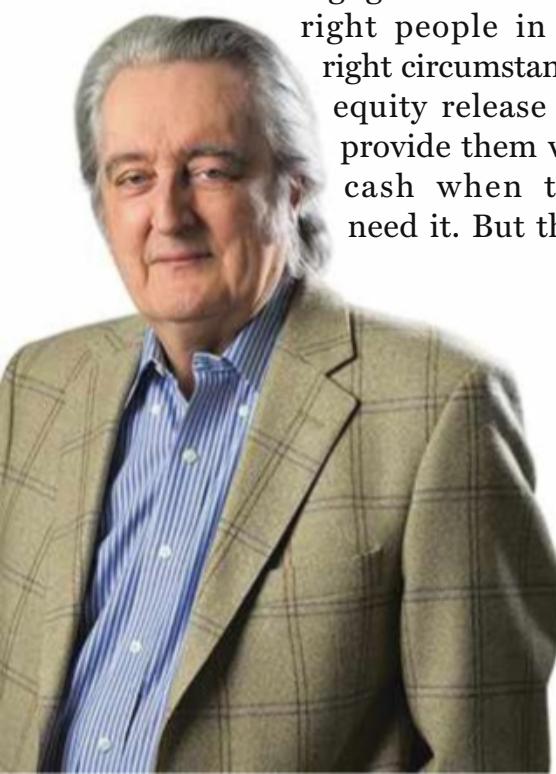
After years of paying into your home, many around retirement age can find themselves cash poor, but asset rich. Whether you've paid off your existing mortgage or not, though, equity release is one way you can use your home to boost your finances, although some or all of the funds must be used to repay your outstanding mortgage.

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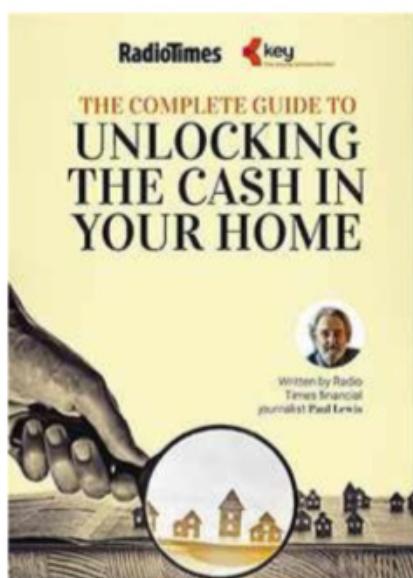


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ACROSS

7 Piers disrupts Act 1, like certain royal marriages? (10)

9 Captain's bad shot? (4)

10 Dodgy one, USA fuel company held writ (8)

11 Very small-time? (6)

12 That woman captured by fleshy colour of sleuthing priest (6,5)

15 Contradict returns? Yes (7)

16 Wonderful papers Lily worried about (7)

18 Ride round? (6,5)

21 Little girl to possibly shun Hindu deity (6)

22 Old book backing female, girl inside, eh? (8)

23 Dagger by outskirts of Khmer island (4)

24 You will verbally give Welshman directions, right to film star (3,7)

DOWN

DOWN

- 1** Fake swamp, no good at all (5)
- 2** Open a space – ecstasy! (5)
- 3** Veteran actress, could be slang, a lane goes to town (6,8)
- 4** Such a case for diplomatic worker (7)
- 5** Sharing out the French paradise (7-2)
- 6** Sailor is craft lover (9)
- 8** March in here, march beside rig overturned (14)
- 13** Eatery link with regard to percolator (9)
- 14** Lawlessness as a curve, is making start (9)
- 17** Making English tile (7)
- 19** Middle Eastern womaniser put inside (5)
- 20** Arrested soldiers need understanding (5)



Two winners of this week's wordfinder puzzle will receive *Flack* on DVD. Robyn is a PR agent, who promotes, publicises and protects celebrities in the maelstrom of a media-led society where problems can go viral in an instant. *Flack* stars Anna Paquin, Sophie Okonedo and Lydia Wilson.

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12 winner*

Richard Schofield,

Chesterfield

Wordfinde

Dickensian

Wordfinder winners

Frank Bonelli, Royston, Cambs; Ian Buchan, Aberdeen

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PUZZLE ANSWERS

POPMASTER

EVERYONE (12) SO A spaceman
Came Traveling is the answer
the fewest people gave.

1 Somebody Help Me **2** He's a
Rebel! **3** First Cut Is the Deeppest
4 I Have a Dream **5** If I Was
6 Red Box **7** Hold Me, Thrill Me,
Kiss Me, Kill Me **8** A Little Bit
More **9** 5 Seconds of Summer
10 Caught In a Moment

EGGHEADS 1c 2b 3a 4c 5b
6c 7b 8a 9a 10b

ONLY CONNECT	Hosts of comedy panel shows	(Sandi) Toksvig, (Rob) Brydon, (Dara) O Briain, (Kieith) Lemon
ENIGMA	Across Hoodwink, Gap, Chaos, Buffoon, Jumbo, Blip, Mayhem, Cousin, Bulk, Childe, Anxious,	Ideal, Spa, Brethren
CITRUS FRUITS	Grapefruit, Mandarin, Kumquat, Lime	Down Scream, Brass, Oval, Chaste, Goldfish, Ghoulisch, Cede, Dyslexia, Disquiet, Imbibe, Panic, Nozzle.
MEMBERS OF TAKE THAT	Donald, Owen, Barlow	Ways to cook eggs Fry, Scramble, Boil, Poach
COUNTDOWN	How Rachael did it:	5x50=250, 75x7=525, 25x25=21, 250-21=229
POINTLESS	Last Christmas (31 unanswered) Fairytale of New York (5) A Spaceman Came Travelling (1) Mr Blobby (81) Merry Christians	Mr Blobby (81) Merry Christians

Only Connect with Victoria Coren Mitchell



The connecting wall from *Only Connect* combines general knowledge, wordplay and lateral thinking to give your brain cells a workout!

How to play Your task is to sort the 16 seemingly random words/phrases below into four groups of four connected words. You may find some clues fall into more than one category, but there is only one complete solution. If you get stuck, have a look at the clues on the side of the page...

Fry	Mandarin	Owen	Lemon
Grapefruit	Donald	Brydon	Barlow
Scramble	Toksvig	Kumquat	Lime
Orange	Boil	O Briain	Poach

TRY THESE CLUES: GROUP ONE: LEMON, GROUP TWO: LIME, GROUP THREE: ORANGE, GROUP FOUR: FRY. © PARASOL MEDIA

Countdown with Rachel Riley

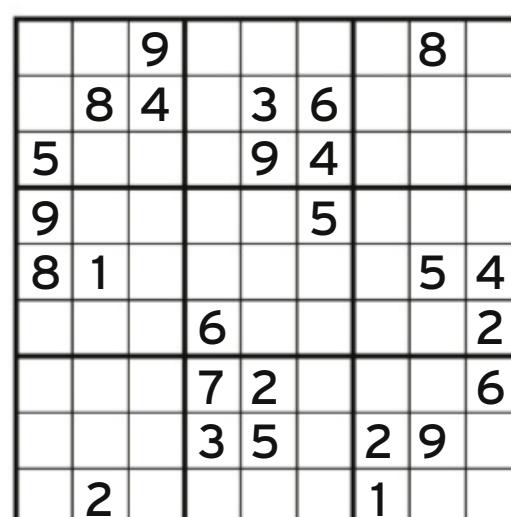


Using addition, subtraction, multiplication and division, try to get as close to the target as possible in 30 seconds. You can use each of the six numbers only once, but you don't have to use them all. Rachel's solution is on the previous page.

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100 75 50 25 5 7

Super Sudoku 699



How to play Complete the grid so that every row, column and 3 x 3 box contains the digits 1 to 9. **Difficulty: 14/20**

SUDOKU NO 698 SOLUTION

7	4	6	2	3	8	5	1	9
8	5	2	9	6	1	7	4	3
9	3	1	5	4	7	6	2	8
4	8	9	7	2	3	1	6	5
2	1	3	8	5	6	4	9	7
5	6	7	1	9	4	8	3	2
1	9	8	6	7	2	3	5	4
3	7	5	4	1	9	2	8	6
6	2	4	3	8	5	9	7	1

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Trackword

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 39 words **AVERAGE** 24



TRACKWORD FOR LAST ISSUE Nine-letter word SNOWFLAKE

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(Ref: *Chambers English Dictionary*)

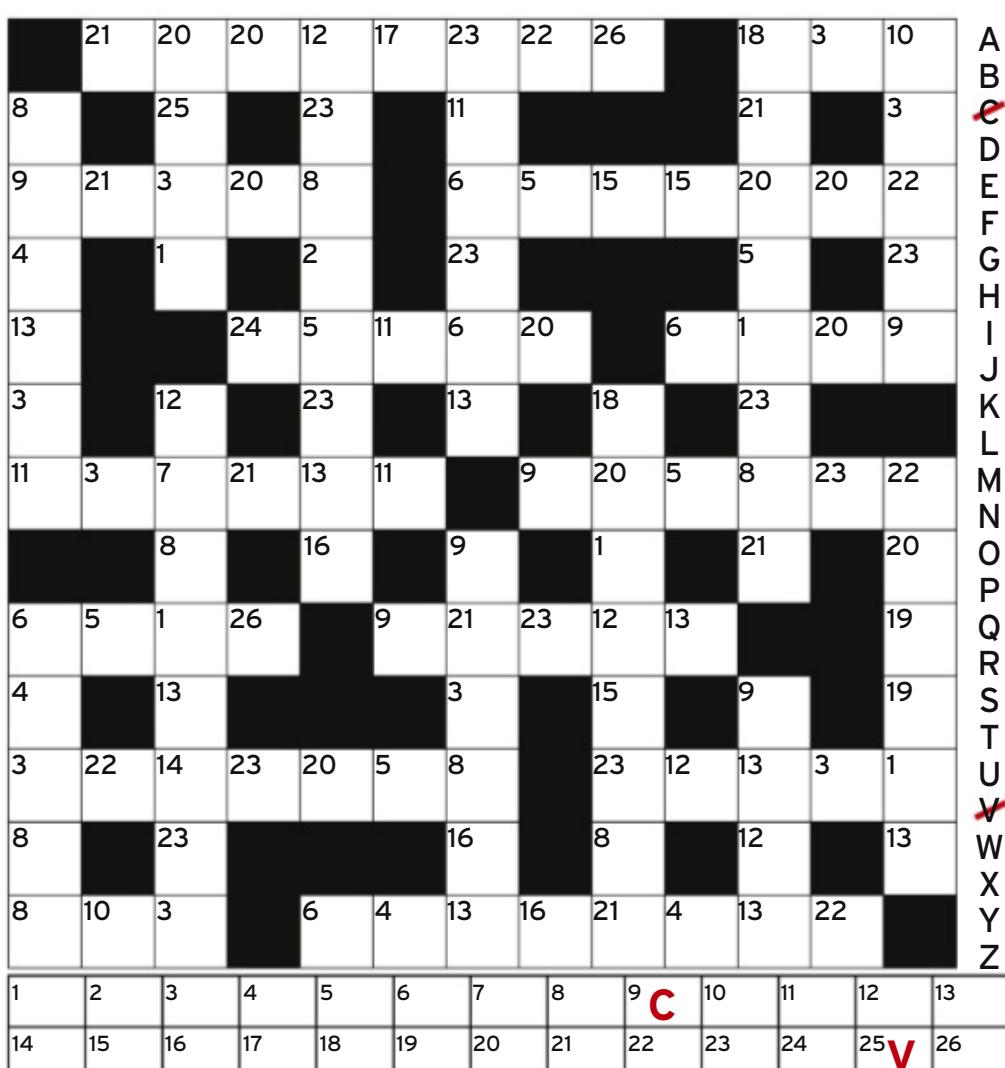
THIS WEEK'S EASY CROSSWORD SOLUTION

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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: 12/20 Target time: 24 minutes



Pointless

with Richard Osman and Alexander Armstrong

Pointless asks a question of 100 people, the contestants are then asked to choose the answer they think the fewest of those 100 people knew.

How to play Here are anagrams of five UK Top 40 singles during the Christmas period. Can you unscramble the names and give the most obscure answer?



JUMBLED UP CHRISTMAS SONGS

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Eggheads with Jeremy Vine

STEVE COOKE

1 In which Shakespeare play does the mention of Birnam Wood affect the title character?

a Hamlet b Richard II c Macbeth

2 Which band famously appeared on Sesame Street playing a song called *Furry Happy Monsters*, a spoof version of their 1991 hit?

a U2 b REM c KLF

CHRIS HUGHES

3 Which of the armed services is known as "The Andrew"?

a Royal Navy b Army c RAF

4 The Volsci were an ancient people who inhabited part of which modern-day country?

a Belgium b Egypt c Italy

JUDITH KEPPEL

5 Which American Ivy League university administers and presents the annual Pulitzer Prizes?

a Princeton b Columbia c Yale

6 The mother of the present Duchess of Gloucester, the daughter-in-law of George V who lived to be 102, became known by what title?
a Countess Elizabeth b Lady Sarah c Princess Alice

DAVE RAINFORD

7 What is the real first name of the American golfer "Bubba" Watson, winner of the 2012 US Masters?

a Gene b Gerry c Geoff

8 Dean Moriarty is a character in which American novel?

a On the Road b Tender is the Night c East of Eden

LISA THIEL

9 In 1965, who became the first British female singer since Vera Lynn to top the US singles charts?

a Petula Clark b Lulu c Sandie Shaw

10 If you ordered "polpi" in an Italian restaurant, what would you be served?

a Tuna b Octopus c Veal

Dictionary corner Susie Dent

Why do we go on a "whistle-stop" tour? **Bill Lord, by email**

In the slang of 1930s America, a whistle-stop was a remote town that trains would pass through unless prompted to stop by a signal from a conductor's whistle. Such

places often featured on the campaign trail of presidential candidates, who would stop briefly before moving on to the next. This sense of a series of rapid

visits nudged whistle-stop into the more general meaning of something fleeting and superficial.

Another word taken from US railroad history is the insult jerk, a shortening of jerkwater, once applied to remote areas that supplied early railway engines with water via locals who dipped a bucket into a stream and jerked it out with a rope. Those who lived in such towns were generally seen as unsophisticated hicks.



PopMaster

with Radio 2's Ken Bruce



1960s

1 The Spencer Davis Group achieved two number one hits during the 60s. The first was *Keep On Running*, but what was the second?

2 Which Top 20 hit by the Crystals was composed by Gene Pitney?



1970s

3 Rod Stewart topped the charts in 1977 with a double A-sided hit *I Don't Want to Talk About It* and which other song?

4 Another *Brick in the Wall (Part 2)* by Pink Floyd kept which Abba hit off number one during the Christmas period in 1979?



1980s

5 Midge Ure topped the charts for one week in 1985 with which song?

6 Which group achieved their biggest hit in 1985 with *Lean On Me (Ah-Li-Ayo)*?



1990s

7 What was the title of the 1995 Top Three hit by U2 that was featured in the movie *Batman Forever*?

8 In 1999, the band 911 achieved their only number one hit with a cover of which 1976 Dr Hook hit?



2000s-present day

9 Which Australian rock band made the Top Five in 2018 with their single, *Youngblood*?

10 Which one of these three Top 10 hits by the Sugababes did not appear on their album, *Taller In More Ways*: was it *Caught in a Moment*, *Push the Button* or *Red Dress*?

QUESTIONS BY PHIL "THE COLLECTOR" SWERN

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Feedback

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LETTER OF THE WEEK

Heard *The One about..?*



MERRIMENT
Matt Baker and Alex Jones have a laugh on *The One Show*

Isn't *The One Show* (weekdays BBC1) meant to be a magazine programme – that is, not only entertaining, but also interesting and informative? If so, why has it been dumbed down? The items and guests used to be more varied, but these days they're too often show people, pop stars and actors.

The whole tone of the show is merriment, with presenters Alex Jones and Matt Baker seeming to laugh at everything uncontrollably. Perhaps the idea is that in a depressing world we need more fun; if so, the thinking is misguided. Too much inane laughter can leave us cold. I hope *The One Show* will return to its original concept before viewers are lost.

Janet Mann Bewdley, Worcestershire

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FAREWELL FLEABAG

Many people have rightly praised *Fleabag* (BBC3/BBC1) as a modern classic.

The final episode devastated me, in a good way. I sobbed my way through the bus stop scene, not because I was sad at the ending, but more as a reflection of the quality of the acting and the writing, full of perfect lines and subtleties. Phoebe Waller-Bridge is a genius. I certainly have never been so moved by a fictional programme.

Nina Gray Edinburgh
Turn the page, Nina, for more on Phoebe Waller-Bridge.

SEXING UP THE ARCHERS

I'm enjoying octogenarian Jill Archer's blossoming romance with the dapper Leonard Berry in *The Archers* (Radio 4). They dance and laugh, she's learning about old buildings and he now understands about warming newborn lambs

in the oven. So far so sweet – and predictable.

Wouldn't it be refreshing if the writers moved on from the stereotypical portrayal of love in later life to explore the reality – and stigma – for many older couples who have a sexual relationship? I'd love to see this explored in *The Archers* to highlight the importance of physically intimate relationships for many people in later life.

Samantha Schneider
(age 38) London N18

HOUSE PROUD

What a wonderful first part of David Olusoga's enthralling new series of *A House through Time* (8 April BBC2), this time exploring a house in Newcastle. It was a beautifully measured,

compassionate presentation, and I can't wait for the rest of the series.

Brenda Charlwood Hereford

IT COSTS NOTHING

Something happens to BBC presenters when they interview a politician: behaviour that in everyday conversation would be seen as rudeness becomes routine. Yes, evasive politicians need to be grilled, but in an age when social media abound with rage, our public discussions should still be polite. I heard a pleasing moment on the *Today* programme (Radio 4) when Jacob Rees-Mogg said to Mishal Husain, "It would be kind if you'd listen, just for a moment."

It might help if all presenters studied the interviews of the late, lamented Nick Clarke: courteous, skewering inconsistency, highly effective – and rarely interrupting.

Dr Hugh Saxton Stockbridge, Hampshire

UNFOCUSED TRIBUTE

I enjoyed *The Olivier Awards* (7 April ITV) and especially the singing of Beverley Knight during the tribute to all the artists who've died during the past year.

However, the camera constantly moved in and away, making it difficult to see the pictures and the names on screen. Maybe next year they'll take note.

Jan Cleaver Tarporley, Cheshire
Lots of other readers have complained about this.

THE MISSING SITCOMS

How could any list of the greatest sitcoms (RT, 13 April) not include *Steptoe and Son*? Brilliant scripts, wonderful acting, lots of laughs, occasional tears – unforgettable.

Margaret Fazackerley
Woodborough, Nottinghamshire

...We'd like to speak up for *Drop the Dead Donkey*, *To the Manor Born*, *Butterflies*, *As Time Goes By* and *It Ain't Half Hot Mum*.

Fraser and Anne Mathews Purley, south London

...Why no mention of *Yes Minister*/*Yes Prime Minister*?

The performances by Nigel Hawthorne, Paul Eddington and Derek Fowlds were pitch-perfect and the writing by Antony Jay and Jonathan Lynn was superlative. The programme is also still highly relevant in these troubled political times.

Perhaps we could have a re-run of the poll?

Peter O'Reilly Worcester Park, Surrey

RT has, inevitably, had a number of counter-suggestions for the top 20 sitcoms. Thank you for all your letters.

DURRELL DELIGHT

Oh what a joy! Our Sunday-evening viewing is complete.

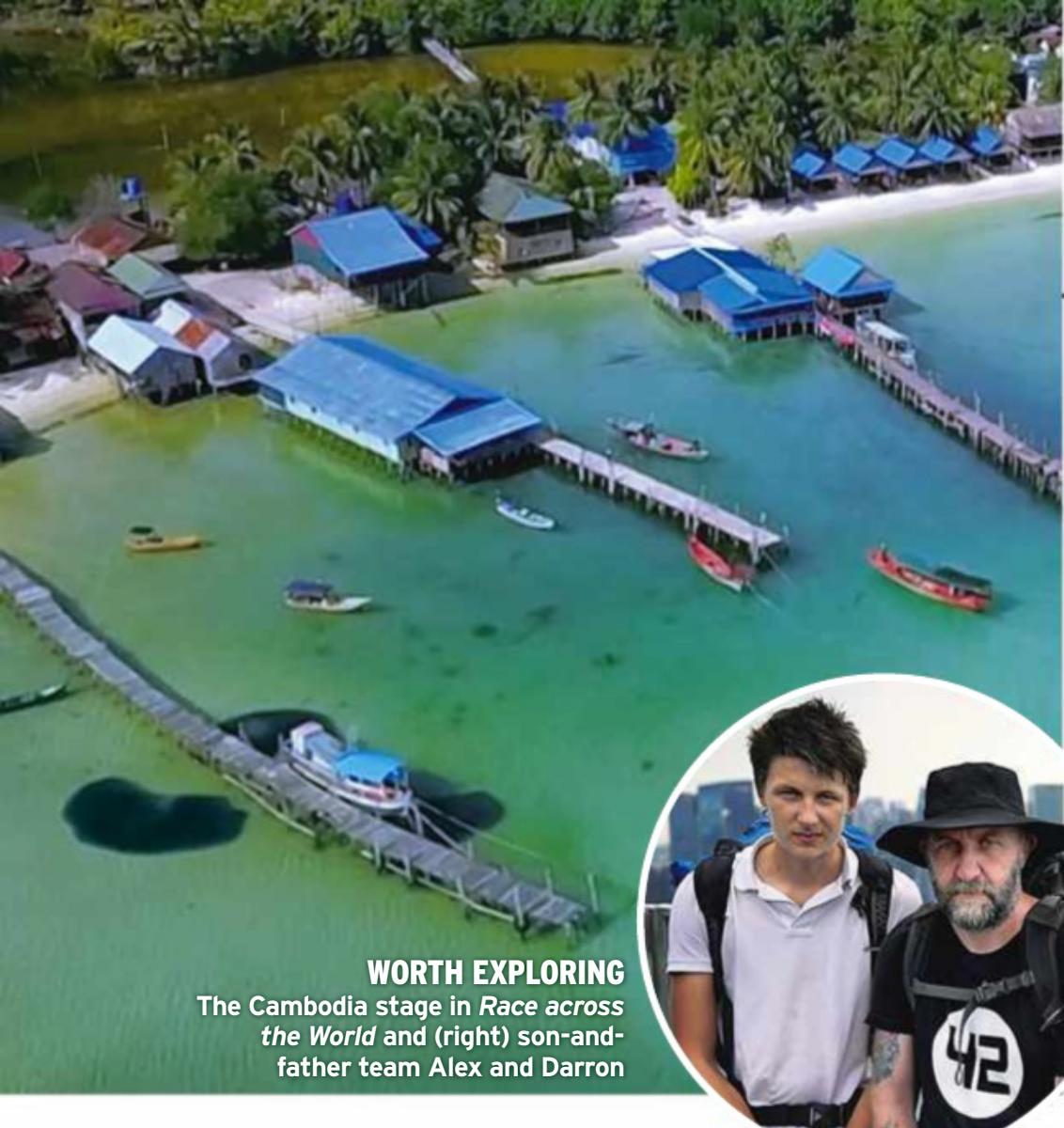
The Durrells (ITV) is back on joyous, hilarious form.

We laughed out loud virtually the whole way through the first episode (7 April). The cast obviously love their roles and it shows. Absolutely brilliant!

Jan and Tony Winterson Wootton, Bedfordshire
Like The Durrells' style? Turn over to You Ask Us.



COMPASSIONATE
David Olusoga in *A House through Time*



WORTH EXPLORING

The Cambodia stage in *Race across the World* and (right) son-and-father team Alex and Darron



POST-VICTORIAN

Nice to see that, despite no longer being a passenger in the Tardis, Jenna Coleman hasn't entirely lost the ability to travel in time. In *Victoria* (31 March ITV), the train in which the Queen escaped from London during the Chartist uprising of 1848 consisted of a locomotive and coaches that



WRONG TRACK

Victoria wouldn't have seen such a train in 1848

weren't built until some years after Victoria's death in 1901!

Chris Henton Cardiff

ADVICE TO A REPAIRER

We love *The Repair Shop* (weekdays BBC1), but we need to have a word with the expert Brenton West. My old teacher Mr Shirtcliff would be horrified at how he went about restoring D-Day survivor Thomas's swagger stick.

First we saw Brenton trying to remove the silver badge – holding the workpiece in his hand and going at it with a screwdriver! “Fasten down the workpiece, and use the right tool for the job,” Mr Shirtcliff would say. Then we saw him glue the knob to the stick with epoxy adhesive: how is the



SOME STICK
Brenton West's top-class repair work

A VERY HUMAN RACE

Race across the World (BBC2) was an uplifting and exhilarating programme. It took us on a wonderful journey, alongside the contestants, to places most of us can only dream of and tapped into the inherent explorer in all of us. It also evoked an underlying theme of our common humanity across culture, language and ethnicity.

I'm hoping there will be a second series, going across the other side of the world.

Laura Macleod Witney, Oxfordshire

...I watched it avidly from start to finish. What colour, what adventure, what a geography lesson! I was sorry anyone had to come anything other than first, as the participants were all such interesting and likeable characters.

Patricia Ainsworth Bangor, Down

...For me the stars of the show were father and son Darron and Alex. It was a joy to watch them retrieve and develop their relationship but also to hear their different viewpoints, a generation apart. If only they could be given their own show.

Derrick Hale Derby

MORE FROM BARRY

I did enjoy the Sunday-evening show *Barry Humphries: Forgotten Musical Masterpieces* (Radio 2). His gentle humour and musical choices are great. I hope there'll be more series of this in the future.

Frank Fenton Swindon, Wiltshire

Lewis Carnie, head of Radio 2, tells RT: “Radio 2 is delighted to announce that Barry Humphries: Forgotten Musical Masterpieces will return early next year for another brilliant series.”

THE WIT OF RADIO 3

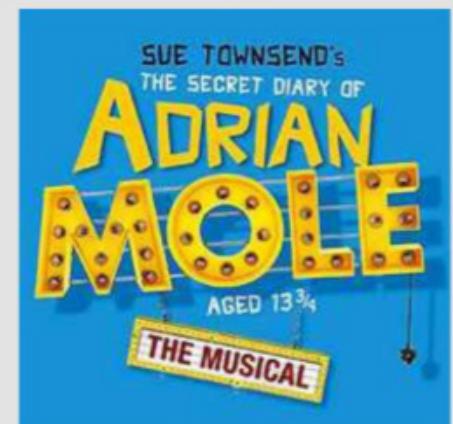
I wonder if David Hepworth (RT, 6 April) has been listening to the same Radio 3 as I have. His criticism that the presenters are over-serious seems aimed at a channel that existed 40 years ago. What is refreshing today is the genial presentation by enthusiastic experts who wear their learning lightly. They talk about the music, and not the neighbour's cat, and ▶

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Feedback

YOU ASK US

What's Phoebe Waller-Bridge doing next?

Is Phoebe Waller-Bridge, of the brilliant series *Fleabag* (BBC1), developing any other material? I hope the BBC snap it up. She's such an intuitive writer and actor.

Amanda Hurd, Halifax, West Yorks
Wouldn't we all love to know!

Waller-Bridge has just completed a short run performing *Fleabag* on stage in New York (it was originally a play, directed by her longtime collaborator Vicky Jones, before it was a BBC3 series). But her future plans are unclear, apart from executive-producing series two and three of *Killing Eve* – which she created from Luke Jennings's books *Codename Villanelle*.

Announced in the US is a romantic comedy thriller series for HBO called *Run*, which she will executive-produce. The show, to be written by Jones, is about a woman who gets a text from an old flame that shakes up her life. There are intriguing reports that Waller-Bridge will play a recurring role herself. Watch this space.



THE FUTURE...
We all want to know what the *Fleabag* star is planning

DRESS LIKE DAPHNE

The fashions in *The Durrells* (Sunday ITV) are a delight.

Can you help me source Daphne's dress in the 7 April episode?

Maralyn Levett, Camberley, Surrey
The majority of the costumes worn in the series are either specially made for the actors or found in vintage shops, so unfortunately that dress



is one of a kind. Time to get sewing, perhaps? Michelle Grady of *Simply Sewing* magazine tells us: "Sew Over It's Isla Dress pattern is a close match – this feminine, vintage-inspired style has a similar yoke detail, button fastening, short sleeves and floaty skirt, and it comes in UK sizes 8 to 20. It wouldn't be too tricky to adapt the pattern to give it a round neckline just like Daphne's, too." Go to: sewoverit.co.uk/product/isla-dress-sewing-pattern/

WHERE TO SOURCE MAYO

Radio Times readers: in case you don't know, Simon Mayo is alive and still kicking on Scala Radio, 10am to 1pm, six days a week, with the *Three Words*, *Confessions* and all the old humour and chat – even *Cooking with Nigel*. The music, though, is a touch more classy!

Pradip Bardolia Wirral, Cheshire
Scala Radio is available nationwide – though you may

need to rescan your DAB radio to get all the latest stations – and also online and via their app. See scalaradio.co.uk and daily *RT* listings from page 126.

GET A ROOM!

It looked to me, from the pictures in *Radio Times* (11 April), that Amber Le Bon was getting very friendly with Phil Tufnell in BBC1's *Celebrity Painting Challenge*!

Claire Armstrong

Lamberhurst, Kent

Claire Armstrong wins a DVD of *Death in Paradise* – series eight of the popular Caribbean murder mystery starring Ardal O'Hanlon. It's available to buy for £14.99 with free p&p at radiotimes.com/dvds17



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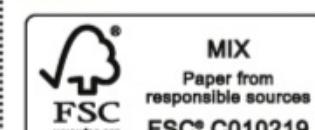
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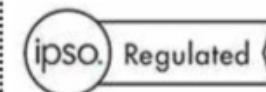
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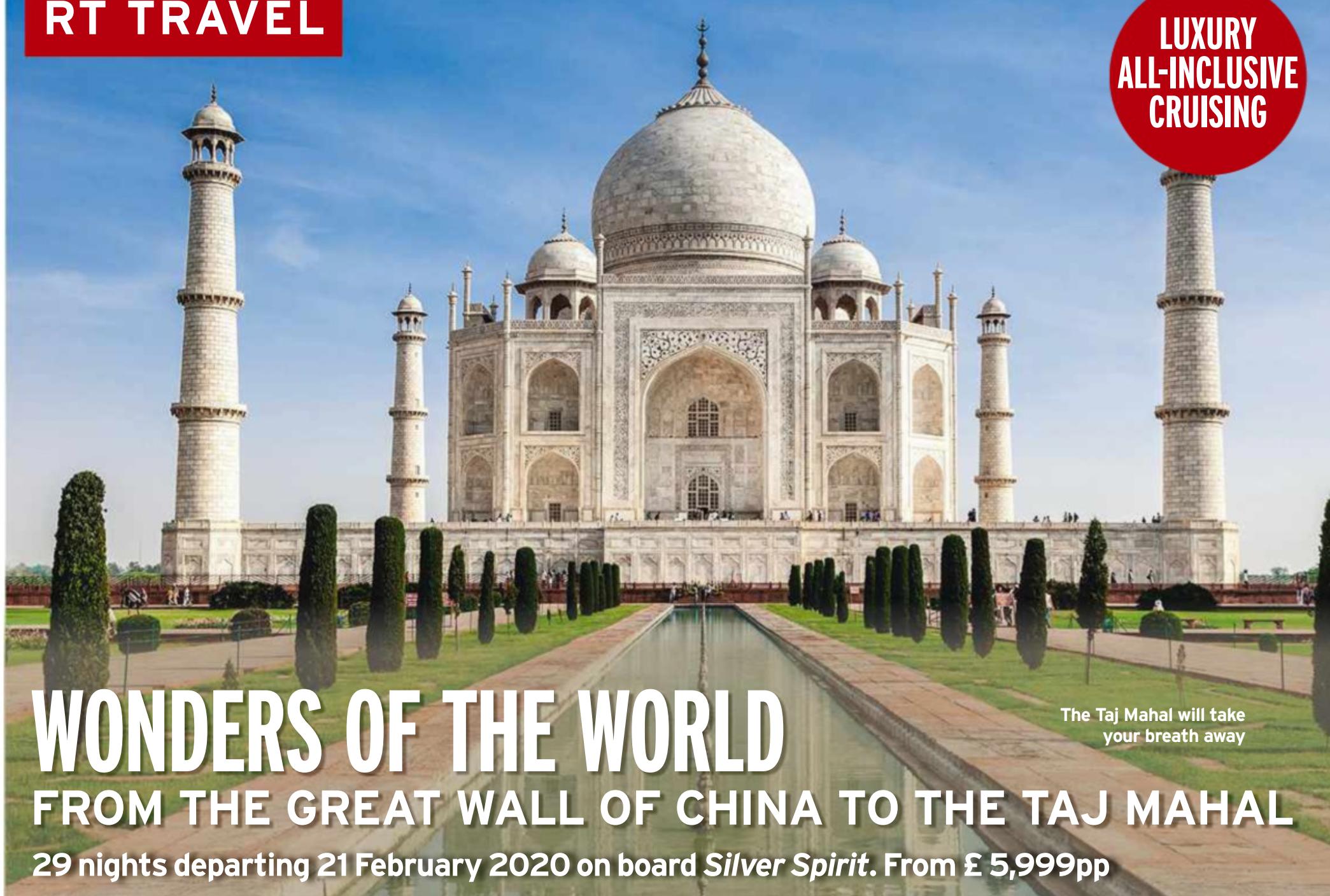
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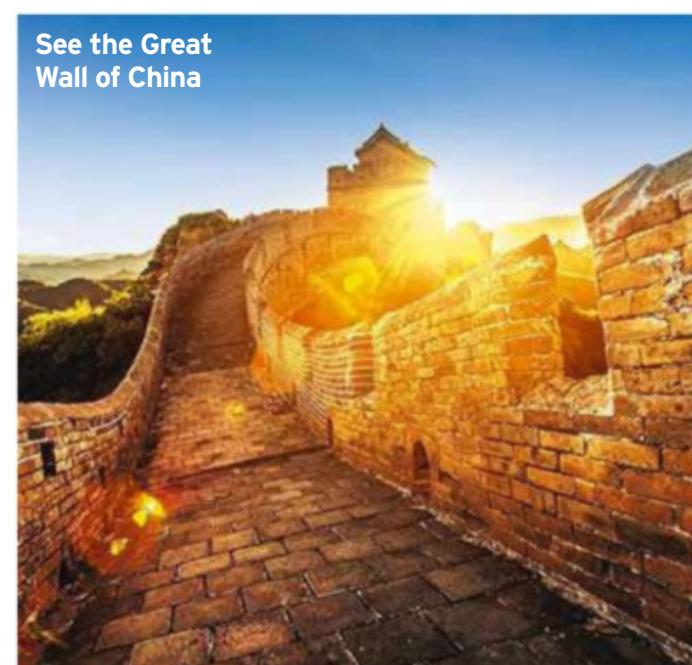
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View from my sofa

SARA COX

‘I’ve got all the jobs!’

She’s all over radio and TV – but what she really wants is a horse

What's your sofa like, Sara?

We've got two sofas, which I know is pretty fancy. We've got a green one from Ikea and an L-shaped grey one, which has had so much spilt on it I'm just working out when is the right time to change it. At the moment I'm putting throws on when we have guests to cover up the various stains made by my kids, so hopefully next time we get one it'll stay nice for a bit longer!

Which of your two sofas do you sit on to watch TV?

I like getting into bed and watching something on my iPad. *Fleabag*'s amazing – it's one that you want to savour so I make sure I watch it when I've got time to concentrate. And I was obsessed with *After Life*, Ricky Gervais's show on Netflix. It was wonderful, and it had me craughing – which is my phrase for crying and laughing.

Was television a big part of your life growing up?

The biggest memories when I was little was Saturday-morning TV, like *Swap Shop* and *Going Live*. I would lie on the floor with my feet up on the couch, just lolling around in my jamas. That for me was the biggest luxury on a Saturday morning, not having to get dressed.

NOTHING TO WATCH?

MY AUDIOBOOK Tom Hanks's short stories, *Uncommon Type*. Tom reading you a story while you're stuffing a chicken, lovely!

MY RADIO I have Radio 2 on in the morning, and I love *Woman's Hour* on Radio 4.

MY FILM *A Star Is Born*. I think Lady Gaga's incredible.

And now you're presenting your own weekend morning shows... It's all about the guests and the live music. We want to make people laugh on a weekend morning while they're having a crumpet and slopping about!

You're a few months into presenting the drivetime show on Radio 2. How's it going? I love it – it's amazing. I keep trying to do other nice things in my life to pay back the universe for my good fortune! On a Monday I have to reel it in because I'm so excited after having not been on air all weekend. I see it as my duty to make people laugh, and nothing makes my day more than when I get a tweet going, "I had a rubbish day but your show really helped."

Do you still have any unfulfilled ambitions?

Not really. It would have been a very different answer if you'd asked me three years ago – I would have said, "Please get me a job." Now I've got all the jobs! I mean, I've always worked; for 20 years I've worked so it's gone all right. But there's definitely been ebbs and flows – at the moment I'm almost flooding with the flow!

How did you feel three years ago?

I was just unfulfilled creatively and self-esteem wise. It's hard if you've not got much work, you're constantly reminded by people who have, even though you wish them well. But it doesn't do you any harm to have time that's a little bit quieter. It makes you grateful when you do get some good work.

Are you doing more *Back in Time for...* and *Love in the Countryside*?

Yes, both! We're filming *Love in the Countryside* now. The only problem with visiting people who have my ideal parallel life is that I come home wanting a big dog and a horse again. If I wasn't on the radio or telly then I'd be an equine dentist living in the middle of nowhere in Somerset! **FRANCES TAYLOR**

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