

SATURDAY 30 AUGUST 2025**SAT 00:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k1p92)**

The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.

SAT 00:00 Unexpected Elements (w3ct72wg)

Where do beaches come from?

It's August, and in the northern hemisphere, many people are hitting the beach to escape the summer heat. And that inspired us to investigate bucketloads of beach-based science.

First up, we find out about the forces that build and shape the seaside.

Next, we discover that the waves from the Hunga Tonga-Hunga Ha'apai eruption reached the atmosphere.

Speaking of waves, we're joined by Dr Edward Hurme from the Max Planck Institute of Animal Behaviour, who tells us about his research into surfing bats.

And why are beaches disappearing?

All that, plus many more Unexpected Elements.

Presenter: Marnie Chesterton, with Tristan Ahtone and Philly's Mwatee

Producers: Alice Lipscombe-Southwell, with Imaan Moin, Robbie Wojciechowski and Lucy Davies

SAT 01:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k1t16)

The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.

SAT 01:06 Business Matters (w172zrs7fmw1yjc)

Global business news, with live guests and contributions from Asia and the USA.

SAT 02:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k1xsb)

The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.

SAT 02:06 The Newsroom (w172zwl7dbz19sq)

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SAT 02:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxlpw4r91q)

The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.

SAT 02:32 Stumped (w3ct6zjn)

'Watch us Smile' Can New Zealand women win another World Cup?

Our Women's ODI World Cup countdown continues and this week we are hearing from New Zealand Head Coach Ben Sawyer who tells us how their latest T20 World Cup win inspired a generation. He also shares the impact that captain Sophie Devine has had on the team.

Plus, we head to Guernsey whose men's team are hosting a tri-series this weekend against Finland and Switzerland. We are joined by their Chief Operating Officer Richard Headington to hear how the sport is developing at grassroots level.

Photo: Sophie Devine of New Zealand kisses the ICC Women's T20 World Cup Trophy in front of photographers as she celebrates after defeating South Africa during the ICC Women's T20 World Cup Final 2024 match between South Africa and New Zealand at Dubai International Stadium on October 20, 2024 in Dubai, United Arab Emirates. (Photo by Alex Davidson-ICC/ICC via Getty Images)

SAT 03:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k21jg)

The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.

SAT 03:06 Outlook (w3ct6wh8)

Outlook Mixtape: The romance playbook

From meet-cutes to happily ever afters, the essential elements of a classic romance.

US Army interpreter Nayyef Hrebid and Iraqi soldier Btoó Allami met and fell in love during the height of the Iraq War. But how did their love survive in a country where same-sex relationships are taboo, and gay people are often at risk of violent attacks?

When Karl-Heinz and Hedi fell in love they faced one major obstacle: the Iron Curtain. They met as teenagers at the height of the Cold War and were separated by a border – he was in capitalist West Germany and she was forbidden from leaving the communist East. They hatched a secret plan to be together,

but it was elaborate and at times even farcical. Their mission seemed impossible – especially when the East German secret police, the notorious Stasi, were on their tail. But maybe, just maybe, they'd get lucky.

Kevin and Debi fell in love as teens while auditioning for a high school musical. After learning Debi was pregnant, they made plans to elope, but those dreams of a future together were interrupted when Debi's parents discovered the pregnancy and persuaded her to give her child up for adoption. Kevin was soon deployed to Vietnam, and Debi's parents moved to a different town, and the high school sweethearts lost contact. Years passed, marriages, children, careers, but the memory of that first love - and thoughts of the child they had lost - remained. Forty years later, Debi decided to track down her long-lost daughter, and after meeting her for the first time, the conversation turned to Kevin. After some internet sleuthing, they found him, leading to a big reunion - and a second chance at love.

Across two weeks we've curated a collection of love stories from around the world. Love in all its guises; puppy love that falters and finds its feet again, longing through wars and exile, and romance that blooms in the most unexpected places. Messy, beautiful and sometimes heartbreaking. But always human, surprising and unforgettable. You'll find them all on the Outlook website in a box set called Amazing Love Stories.

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(Photo: Cassette tape. Credit: Getty Images)

SAT 03:50 Witness History (w3ct7447)

John Lennon's final headline concerts

In 1972, after leaving The Beatles, John Lennon and Yoko Ono performed in the United States at the One to One benefit concerts at Madison Square Garden, New York.

They were helping to raise money for children with disabilities from Willowbrook State School, after a television exposé by journalist Geraldo Rivera showed the conditions and failings. It was watched by millions of people and led to a public outcry.

Sean Allsop speaks with Geraldo Rivera about breaking the story and organising the concerts.

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Eye-witness accounts brought to life by archive. Witness History is for those fascinated by the past. We take you to the events that have shaped our world through the eyes of the people who were there.

For nine minutes every day, we take you back in time and all over the world, to examine wars, coups, scientific discoveries, cultural moments and much more.

Recent episodes explore everything from the death of Adolf Hitler, the first spacewalk and the making of the movie Jaws, to celebrity tortoise Lonesome George, the Kobe earthquake and the invention of superglue.

We look at the lives of some of the most famous leaders, artists, scientists and personalities in history, including: Eva Peron – Argentina's Evita; President Ronald Reagan and his famous 'tear down this wall' speech; Thomas Keneally on why he wrote Schindler's List; and Jacques Derrida, France's 'rock star' philosopher.

You can learn all about fascinating and surprising stories, such as the civil rights swimming protest; the disastrous D-Day rehearsal; and the death of one of the world's oldest languages.

(Photo: John Lennon performing at the One To One events. Credit: Ann Limongello/ABC)

SAT 04:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k258l)

The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.

SAT 04:06 Unexpected Elements (w3ct72wg)

[Repeat of broadcast at 00:06 today]

SAT 05:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k290q)

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SAT 05:06 The Newsroom (w172zwl7dbz1p13)

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SAT 05:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxlpw4rn93)

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SAT 05:32 Trending (w3ct72th)

The Facebook grifters making money off AI Holocaust victims

In Early June, the Auschwitz Memorial posted a warning about AI-generated Holocaust victims flooding Facebook.

BBC Trending has since tracked several accounts pushing these false narratives and other pages posting so-called 'AI slop'. The investigation has uncovered how these "digital creators" in Pakistan are just one part of a global economy of deception and emotional manipulation exploiting Meta payment models to profit from dubious content.

Presenter/producer: Kristina Völk and Kevin Nguyen

Additional reporting: Umer Draz Nangiana

Editor: Flora Carmichael

SAT 05:50 More or Less (w3ct6vz9)

Are self-driving cars safer than cars with drivers?

Fully autonomous cars are here. In a handful of cities across the US and China, robotaxis are transporting human passengers around town, but with no human behind the wheel.

Loyal Listener Amberish wrote in to More or Less to ask about a couple of safety statistics he'd seen regarding these self-driving cars on social media. These claimed that Waymo self-driving taxis were five times safer than human drivers in the US, and that Tesla's self-driving cars are 10 times safer.

But, are these claims true?

We speak to Mark MacCarthy, a Senior Fellow at the Brookings Institution Center for Technology Innovation, to find out.

If you've seen some numbers you think we should look at, email the team: moreorless@bbc.co.uk

Presenter: Lizzy McNeill

Producer: Nicholas Barrett

Series producer: Tom Colls

Production co-ordinator: Brenda Brown

Sound mix: Neil Churchill

Editor: Richard Vadon

SAT 06:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k2drv)

The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.

SAT 06:06 Weekend (w172zw87qd69zgt)

A review of the week with the latest news.

SAT 07:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k2jhz)

The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.

SAT 07:06 Weekend (w172zw87qd6b36y)

A review of the week with the latest news.

SAT 08:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k2n83)

The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.

SAT 08:06 Weekend (w172zw87qd6b6z2)

A review of the week with the latest news.

SAT 09:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k2s07)

The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.

SAT 09:06 BBC OS Conversations (w3ct6rmz)

Surviving the floods in Pakistan

Many parts of Pakistan have been experiencing intense rainfall in recent weeks. Since June, at least 800 people have been killed, homes and businesses lost, and thousands forced to evacuate their communities.

In our conversations, we bring together people affected by this year's monsoon to share their experiences. They include Saad, from Khyber Pakhtunkhwa province in northern Pakistan, who lost his family home and business:

"Nothing is left in our home," he tells us. "Many of the houses of the people are completely destroyed and those remaining are full of mud and water...it has been 13 to 14 days and we are still suffering."

Although it only produces a small fraction of greenhouse gas

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<p>emissions, scientific evidence suggests that Pakistan is particularly vulnerable to the effects of climate change. It not only faces increasingly heavy rains but extreme temperatures and drought, with melting glaciers also contributing to the risk of floods. Three journalists share their stories of the flooding and their perspectives on the challenges the country faces.</p> <p>Presenter: Luke Jones</p> <p>BBC producer: Iqra Farooq</p> <p>Boffin Media producer: Richard Hollingham</p> <p>An EcoAudio certified Boffin Media production in partnership with the OS team.</p> <p>(Photo shows Saad who lives in the Swat Valley. Credit: Saad)</p> <p>SAT 09:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxlpw4s48m) The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SAT 09:32 Pick of the World (w3ct7z56) The man who woke up inside a tsunami</p> <p>An amazing story of survival at sea following an earthquake and tsunami in Chile in 2010. Plus the biggest cryptocurrency heist in history, and is President Trump losing his Latino supporters? We also reminisce about Spot the dog, the children's book delighting families since 1980!</p> <p>SAT 09:50 Over to You (w3ct6xvq) Over to You</p> <p>Talk back to the BBC and challenge the programme makers.</p> <p>SAT 10:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k2wrc) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SAT 10:06 Not by the Playbook (w3ct7z0p) Superdome: Disaster and redemption</p> <p>New Orleans is known as the party capital of the South, synonymous with warm welcomes, Mardi Gras, and all that Jazz. But in August 2005 that all changed, now when people think of New Orleans, they think of Hurricane Katrina. The Super Dome, where the Super Bowl will be played, was the city's "shelter of last resort" in 2005. So, if you did not have the means of escaping, or had nowhere to go, you could find sanctuary at the Super Dome. What happened next at the Super Dome would define the misery, suffering and devastation the hurricane would cause. What happened there just over a year later symbolised the city's resolution, recovery, and rebirth.</p> <p>At the very heart of it would be Doug and Denise Thornton. Doug was, and still is, the manager of the Super Dome, through their eyes we will learn what it was like to be in the Super Dome when Katrina hit and how it was rebuilt. Denise created the Beacon of Hope Foundation and helped reinvigorate and regenerate neighborhoods many thought lost to the flooding.</p> <p>As a photo journalist Ted Jackson has covered everything New Orleans had to throw at him. He'd also covered the devastating earthquakes in Mexico in 1985, but nothing prepared him for the devastation of his own city. He tells us about what he saw and the difficult decision to put his camera down</p> <p>Photo: A woman screams for help during Hurricane Katrina in 2005 Credit: Ted Jackson www.tedjacksonphoto.com)</p> <p>SAT 11:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k30hh) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SAT 11:06 The Newsroom (w172zwl7dbz2dhw) The world's Newsroom brings you global events as they happen</p> <p>SAT 11:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxlpw4scrw) The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SAT 11:32 Health Check (w3ct6vjr) A breakthrough in treating chronic pain</p> <p>One in five of us suffer with chronic pain globally and the exact cause of it is often unknown making it very hard to treat. However, in what has been hailed as a remarkable breakthrough, a gene has been identified that is critical for regulating pain signals. Professor David Bennett, head of Clinical Neurology at Oxford, who led the research explains.</p> <p>BBC Africa's health correspondent Dorcas Wangira joins Claudia to delve into a decade-long research programme that</p>	<p>found child mortality rates almost halved when poorer families in Kenya were given \$1000 unconditionally.</p> <p>Chhavi Sachdev reports from India where government efforts to curtail rising rabies infections from stray dog bites has caused mass uproar.</p> <p>We explore the drivers behind a global wildfire paradox where scientists have observed a decline in the total area burned by fires but found the number of people exposed to wildfires has increased.</p> <p>Plus, Dorcas brings us the latest on the \$9.7 million worth of contraceptives due to be destroyed after the scaling back of USAID.</p> <p>Presenter: Claudia Hammond Producer: Hannah Robins Assistant producers: Katie Tomsett and Alice McKee</p> <p>SAT 12:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k347m) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SAT 12:06 The Documentary (w3ct80j6) Paul McCartney: Beatles and beyond</p> <p>The Bangles' Susanna Hoffs celebrates the life and legacy of Sir Paul McCartney, from his Liverpool roots to Beatlemania and beyond. It's a musical journey that moves from the late 1950s to McCartney's skiffle start with John Lennon in The Quarrymen, all the way through to his long solo career, taking in Mersey Beat; the rise of the Fab Four to 1960s icons; and Wings' 1970s success.</p> <p>We learn how The Beatles could only have come from Liverpool, and how a visit to McCartney's old grammar school led to a significant legacy: the formation of the Liverpool Institute of Performing Arts (LIPA).</p> <p>Joining Susanna to celebrate McCartney's musical career are author of recent biography Fly Away Paul, Lesley-Ann Jones; veteran songwriter and member of 10cc, Graham Gouldman; LIPA founding principal and chief executive, Sir Mark Featherstone-Witty; Beatles historian and author, David Bedford; lifelong Beatles enthusiast Jean Catharell; BBC Radio Merseyside broadcaster Paul Beesley; Universal Music Group chairman and CEO Sir Lucian Grainge; plus two LIPA alumni - award winning composer Hannah Peel, and singer-songwriter and guitarist Natalie McCool.</p> <p>Plus, an intimately familial contribution from McCartney's younger brother, Mike McCartney.</p> <p>Presenter: Susanna Hoffs Producer: Lewis Borg-Cardona Editor: Steve Levine A Magnum Opus Broadcasting production for BBC World Service</p> <p>(Photo: Sir Paul McCartney in front of a self-portrait hanging on a wall. No reuse. Credit: Mike McCartney)</p> <p>SAT 13:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k37zr) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SAT 13:06 Newshour (w172zss7g227dkc) Interviews, news and analysis of the day's global events.</p> <p>SAT 14:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k3cqw) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SAT 14:06 Sportsworld (w172ztqnrmt03b) Live Sporting Action</p> <p>Lee James will be joined by Premier League winner Robert Huth and the former USA and Tottenham goalkeeper Brad Friedel for another weekend of football action.</p> <p>We'll have live commentary of Manchester United again Burnley with Ruben Amorim's side looking for their first win this season. We'll look at the start of the Bundesliga season and the final of the African Nations Championships between Madagascar and Morocco.</p> <p>Away from football, there is US Open tennis, the Women's Rugby World Cup, the Vuelta a Espana and the return of Formula One after the summer break.</p> <p>Photo: General View prior to the Premier League match between Manchester United and Burnley FC at Old Trafford on April 27, 2024 in Manchester, United Kingdom. (Credit: Manchester United via Getty Images)</p>	<p>SAT 18:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k3vqd) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SAT 18:06 The Newsroom (w172zwl7dbz37qs) The world's Newsroom brings you global events as they happen</p> <p>SAT 18:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxlpw4t6zs) The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SAT 18:32 Trending (w3ct72th) [Repeat of broadcast at 05:32 today]</p> <p>SAT 18:50 More or Less (w3ct6vz9) [Repeat of broadcast at 05:50 today]</p> <p>SAT 19:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k3zgj) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SAT 19:06 BBC Proms on the World Service (w3ct80h6) Striggio's Mass for 40 voices</p> <p>A sumptuous Renaissance epic in surround sound, Alessandro Striggio's 40-part setting of the Latin mass, travelled all around Europe as a musical ambassador and showcase for powerful 16th-century Italian rulers. Set for five choirs of eight voices each, the Mass had been feted by kings and emperors but then vanished from view for four centuries. It was only re-discovered a few decades ago when musicologists tracked it to French archives. The first modern-day performance was given at the Proms in 2007 and this year it was the turn of the acclaimed French early music specialists Le Concert Spirituel to fill the Royal Albert Hall with the opulent sounds of Striggio's work.</p> <p>The concert is introduced by Andrew McGregor and Suzanne Aspden.</p> <p>Broadcast programme:</p> <p>Alessandro Striggio - Mass 'Sopra Ecco sì beato giorno' Interspersed with: Domenico Massenzio - Ave Maria caelorum Francesco Corteccia - Bonum est confiteri Pierluigi da Palestrina - Peccavimus (Instrumental) Francesco Corteccia - Alleluia Pierluigi da Palestrina - Beata est Virgo Maria (Instrumental) Pierluigi da Palestrina - Pater noster (Instrumental) Domenico Massenzio - Filiae Jerusalem</p> <p>Performers: Le Concert Spirituel, Hervé Niquet, conductor</p> <p>(Photo: Le Concert Spirituel at the 2025 BBC Proms. Credit: BBC/Mark Allan)</p> <p>SAT 20:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k436n) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SAT 20:06 The Arts Hour (w3ct6ztp) Swiss American film-maker Jasmin Gordon on her film The Courageous</p> <p>Nikki Bedi and Leila Latif discuss cultural highlights of the week.</p> <p>Actors Karen Gillan, Chiwetel Ejiofor and Tom Hiddleston on The Life of Chuck, the latest film adaptation from a Stephen King story.</p> <p>Bestselling author of Yellowface, Rebecca F. Kuang on her latest novel Katabasis, which is set in hell.</p> <p>US rapper Danny Brown reveals a surprising childhood influence on his wordsmithery.</p> <p>Swiss American director Jasmin Gordon talks about the depiction of a rebellious woman in her debut feature film The Courageous.</p> <p>Actor and writer Meera Syal enters the debate about a shift in cultural criticism.</p> <p>Main image: Jasmin Gordon Photo credit: Franziska Rothenbühler</p> <p>SAT 21:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k46ys) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SAT 21:06 Newshour (w172zss7g228cjd) Interviews, news and analysis of the day's global events.</p>
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<p>SAT 22:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k4bpx) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SAT 22:06 Not by the Playbook (w3ct7z0p) [Repeat of broadcast at 10:06 today]</p> <p>SAT 23:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k4gg1) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SAT 23:06 The Newsroom (w172zwl7dbz3vgf) The world's Newsroom brings you global events as they happen</p> <p>SAT 23:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxlpw4ttqf) The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SAT 23:32 This Is Africa (w3ct5y5z) Oxlade acoustic session</p> <p>Oxlade is one of Nigeria's most successful afrobeats artists, and he also has one of the sweetest voices. Often compared to a choirboy, he honed his vocal skills in church, and as you will hear in this edition, he really can sing.</p> <p>In the three years since Oxlade first appeared on This Is Africa, his career has gone from strength to strength. He had a colossal global hit with Ku Lo Sa, which has now racked up more than 500 million streams.</p> <p>In September 2024 he dropped his debut album, entitled Oxlade from Africa. For TIA he performs four of the tracks from the album - Katigori, OFA, Ololufe and Intoxycated - in stripped down versions, with a simple guitar accompaniment.</p> <p>SUNDAY 31 AUGUST 2025</p> <p>SUN 00:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k4l65) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SUN 00:06 BBC OS Conversations (w3ct6rmz) [Repeat of broadcast at 09:06 on Saturday]</p> <p>SUN 00:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxlpw4tygk) The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SUN 00:32 The Documentary (w3ct7y7y) Student predator: Surviving Zhenhao Zou</p> <p>Earlier this year, Chinese student Zhenhao Zou was jailed for 24 years for drugging and raping ten women in the UK and China. He has been described by police as one of Britain's "most prolific sexual predators". After his trial, detectives said they feared he may have attacked 50 more women – many of whom are yet to be identified. Following connections on Chinese social media, reporter Wanqing Zhang from the BBC's Global China Unit has been speaking exclusively to several of Zou's victims, and a translator who has helped them, revealing shocking details about his crimes.</p> <p>SUN 01:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k4py9) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SUN 01:06 The Inquiry (w3ct722z) Is Japan moving to the right?</p> <p>A far-right party which came to prominence during the Covid-19 pandemic recently showed itself to be a contender to Japan's centrist political establishment, when it grew from one seat, three years ago to 15 seats in the recent elections.</p> <p>Known as Sanseito, the party is led by Kamiya Sohei, whose YouTube videos spread conspiracy theories about vaccinations. Its political platform is a nationalist 'Japanese first' agenda and warns against a 'silent invasion of foreigners'.</p> <p>Whilst for Japan's ruling Liberal Democratic Party coalition, the election results were bruising. The LDP lost its majority in the Upper House, having already lost control of the Lower House last year. But its embattled Prime Minister, Shigeru Ishiba, whilst facing calls from within his party to resign, has said he has no plans to quit.</p> <p>Against this backdrop, there's a growing unease amongst Japanese voters over issues like immigration, over-tourism and the economy and Sanseito are tapping into that.</p> <p>Joining us to discuss Japan's political climate are Kenneth Mori McElwain, professor of Comparative Politics, University of</p>	<p>Tokyo, Japan; Dr Fabian Schäfer, chair of Japanese Studies, Friedrich-Alexander-Universität Erlangen-Nürnberg, Germany; Jeffrey Hall, author and lecturer, Kanda University of International Studies, Eastern Japan; Dr Kristi Govella, associate professor of Japanese Politics and International Relations, University of Oxford, UK.</p> <p>Presenter: William Crawley Producer: Jill Collins Researcher: Evie Yabsley Technical producer: Craig Boardman Production management assistant: Liam Morrey Editor: Tara McDermott</p> <p>SUN 01:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxlpw4v26p) The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SUN 01:32 Trending (w3ct72th) [Repeat of broadcast at 05:32 on Saturday]</p> <p>SUN 01:50 Sporting Witness (w3ct7zs1) The photo which exposed a goalkeeper's fake injury</p> <p>In 1989, Chile faced Brazil in a crucial World Cup qualifying match at the iconic Maracanã stadium in Rio de Janeiro.</p> <p>During the game, a flare was thrown onto the pitch, appearing to seriously injure Chile's goalkeeper Roberto Rojas.</p> <p>Football photographer Ricardo Alfieri was watching with 129 other photographers.</p> <p>He was the only one who captured the moment the flare landed - behind Rojas.</p> <p>Days later it emerged the goalkeeper had hidden razor blades in his gloves.</p> <p>Ricardo Alfieri speaks to Megan Jones about the photo and what happened next.</p> <p>Eye-witness accounts brought to life by archive and testimony. Sporting Witness is for those fascinated by sporting history. We take you to the events that have shaped the sports world through the eyes of the people who were there. For nine minutes, you become a fan in the stands as we take you back in time to examine memorable victories and agonising defeats from all over the world. You'll hear from people who have achieved sporting immortality, or those who were there as incredible sporting moments unfolded.</p> <p>Recent episodes explore the forgotten football Women's World Cup, the plasterer who fought a boxing legend, international football's biggest ever beating and the man who swam the Amazon river. We look at the lives of some of the most famous F1 drivers, tennis players and athletes as well as people who've had ground-breaking impact in their chosen sporting field, including: the most decorated Paralympian, the woman who was the number 1 squash player in the world for nine years, and the first figure skater to wear a hijab. You can learn all about fascinating and surprising stories, such as the tennis player who escaped the Nazis, how a man finally beat a horse in a race, and how the FIFA computer game was created.</p> <p>(Photo: The flare photo. Credit: Ricardo Alfieri)</p> <p>SUN 02:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k4tpf) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SUN 02:06 The Newsroom (w172zwl7dbz46pt) The world's Newsroom brings you global events as they happen</p> <p>SUN 02:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxlpw4v5yt) The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SUN 02:32 Health Check (w3ct6vjr) [Repeat of broadcast at 11:32 on Saturday]</p> <p>SUN 03:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k4yfk) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SUN 03:06 The Documentary (w3ct80j6) [Repeat of broadcast at 12:06 on Saturday]</p> <p>SUN 04:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k525p) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SUN 04:06 From Our Own Correspondent (w3ct6trw)</p>	<p>From Our Own Correspondent</p> <p>Insight, wit and analysis from BBC correspondents, journalists and writers from around the world.</p> <p>SUN 04:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxlpw4vfg2) The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SUN 04:32 Science In Action (w3ct6yfs) How Fear Spreads</p> <p>What can modern epidemiological methods tell us about French Revolutionary history? Also, the origins of horse riding, solar systems, and star dust itself.</p> <p>Presenter: Roland Pease Producer: Alex Mansfield Production Coordinator: Jana Bennett-Holesworth</p> <p>(Image: Storming of the Bastille Paris France 1789 illustration. Credit: Grafissimo via Getty Images).</p> <p>SUN 05:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k55xt) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SUN 05:06 The Newsroom (w172zwl7dbz4ky6) The world's Newsroom brings you global events as they happen</p> <p>SUN 05:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxlpw4vk66) The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SUN 05:32 The Documentary (w3ct7y7y) [Repeat of broadcast at 00:32 today]</p> <p>SUN 06:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k59ny) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SUN 06:06 Weekend (w172zw87qd6dwcx) A review of the week with the latest news.</p> <p>SUN 07:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k5ff2) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SUN 07:06 Weekend (w172zw87qd6d041) A review of the week with the latest news.</p> <p>SUN 08:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k5k56) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SUN 08:06 Weekend (w172zw87qd6f3w5) A review of the week with the latest news.</p> <p>SUN 09:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k5nxb) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SUN 09:06 From Our Own Correspondent (w3ct6trw) [Repeat of broadcast at 04:06 today]</p> <p>SUN 09:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxlpw4w15q) The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SUN 09:32 The Food Chain (w3ct70yw) Bottom trawling and the future of global fish supplies</p> <p>Bottom trawling is one of the most widely used - and most destructive - fishing practices in the world. Dragging heavy nets across the seabed damages fragile ecosystems, depletes global fish supplies, and puts the livelihoods of small-scale fishers at risk.</p> <p>In this episode of The Food Chain, Rumella Dasgupta speaks to John Worthington, one of the last remaining fishermen in Fleetwood, UK, who fears a proposed ban on bottom trawling in Marine Protected Areas could end his business. Fisheries economist Dr Rashid Sumaila of the University of British Columbia explains the global consequences of trawling, from overfishing to illegal and unregulated catches.</p> <p>On the coast of West Africa, Aissata Daouda Dia, Head of Advocacy at Blue Ventures, tells us how much coastal communities rely on local catch. Nana Kweigyah from the Canoe and Fishing Gear Owners Association of Ghana, describes how foreign industrial trawlers are devastating coastal</p>
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<p>communities. And in Singapore, Adrian Poon of the Cinnamon Group explores the challenges of sourcing fish sustainably in a market dominated by cheaper, trawled seafood.</p> <p>Producer: Izzy Greenfield Image: Getty</p> <p>SUN 10:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k5ng) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SUN 10:06 People Fixing The World (w3ct80hn) Front Yard floods</p> <p>Frequent floods blight the poorest neighbourhoods of New Orleans but the residents are fighting back, one yard at a time. Physicist Helen Czerski joins the team behind the Front Yard Initiative as they strive to keep the Big Easy safe and dry, 20 years after the devastation of Hurricane Katrina.</p> <p>When Katrina hit New Orleans in August 2005, the levees broke, 800,000 residents were forced out and 1800 people died. Some \$14bn was spent on concrete and steel to rebuild the defences but the city still floods regularly.</p> <p>This water is not coming from the Mississippi River sealed behind the new defences, it is coming from the skies. Sudden, violent rainstorms are becoming more frequent and the city's low income districts have notoriously inefficient drainage systems. The water lands on concrete and asphalt and quickly overwhelms the drains.</p> <p>The team behind the Front Yard Initiative is working, block by block, to help residents beat the floods by turning broken concrete into rainwater gardens. Native flowers and cheap, simple engineering are helping to transform neighbourhoods and attract new residents to the battered but beautiful home of jazz, gumbo and Mardi Gras.</p> <p>(Photo: An example of a front yard made into a rainwater garden, pictured with the owner and team behind front yard initiative. Credit: Alasdair Cross)</p> <p>SUN 10:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxlpw4w4xv) The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SUN 10:32 The Fifth Floor (w3ct70tc) Scammed, robbed, traumatised – life after war for Russian soldiers</p> <p>Russian soldiers were told that they would be the country's 'new elite' by President Putin. But many of them have reported being robbed and scammed out of the money that they earned fighting on the Ukrainian front lines. They also face mental health problems, and post-traumatic stress disorder after months or years at war, but suitable treatment is scarce and hard for them to find. BBC Russian's Sergei Goryashko has been looking into the soldiers who have been robbed and scammed, whilst Sofya Volyanova has spoken to the people in Russia attempting to treat soldiers for PTSD and depression.</p> <p>South Korea banned dog meat in the country last year, and the practice will be entirely phased out by 2027 ending a generations long practice. Hyunjung Kim of BBC Korean has been speaking to people affected by the ban and explains why it got put in place.</p> <p>This episode of The Documentary comes to you from The Fifth Floor, the show at the heart of global storytelling, with BBC journalists from all around the world. This is an EcoAudio certified production.</p> <p>(Photo: Faranak Amidi. Credit: Tricia Yourkevich.)</p> <p>(Photo: Short text description of image. Credit: Name of photographer/name of copyright holder)</p> <p>SUN 11:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k5xdl) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SUN 11:06 The Newsroom (w172zwl7dbz59dz) The world's Newsroom brings you global events as they happen</p> <p>SUN 11:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxlpw4w8nz) The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SUN 11:32 Trending (w3ct72th) [Repeat of broadcast at 05:32 on Saturday]</p>	<p>SUN 11:50 More or Less (w3ct6vz9) [Repeat of broadcast at 05:50 on Saturday]</p> <p>SUN 12:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k614q) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SUN 12:06 BBC Proms on the World Service (w3ct80h6) [Repeat of broadcast at 19:06 on Saturday]</p> <p>SUN 13:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k64wv) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SUN 13:06 Newshour (w172zss7g22b9gg) Interviews, news and analysis of the day's global events.</p> <p>SUN 14:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k68mz) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SUN 14:06 The Climate Question (w3ct7029) Are wetlands our secret weapon in fighting climate change?</p> <p>The world's wetlands store carbon and can help us tackle some of the impacts of climate change. Are we overlooking their importance? And what can we do to protect them more?</p> <p>Graihagh Jackson travels to wetlands near her home in East Anglia while Qasa Alom reports from the Bay of Bengal. And The Climate Question catches up with an old friend of the show, Dr Musonda Mumba, Secretary-General of the Convention on Wetlands.</p> <p>This programme was first broadcast in 2024.</p> <p>Production team: Osman Iqbal, Octavia Woodward, Brenda Brown, Simon Watts Sound design by Tom Brignell.</p> <p>Send your questions to: theclimatequestion@bbc.com</p> <p>SUN 14:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxlpw4wmx) The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SUN 14:32 Happy News (w3ct6tvp) Happy News</p> <p>Positive news stories</p> <p>SUN 15:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k6dd3) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SUN 15:06 Sportsworld (w172ztqnrmtv0rk) Live Sporting Action</p> <p>After two games of the new English Premier League season, only three sides still have 100% records – and two of them meet in Sportsworld's commentary game on Sunday. Will Liverpool maintain their winning start, or will Arsenal go to Anfield and take the spoils?</p> <p>We build up to the game with supporters from around the world, while the former Tottenham and Cameroon defender Sébastien Bassong joins John Bennett to look back over the game, and all the rest of the weekend's action.</p> <p>Spain's La Liga is the focus on this week's EuroStars, where the team also look at all the other big football stories across Europe. There will be reaction to the final of the African Nations Championship, plus the latest from the US Open tennis and the Women's Rugby World Cup. And with Formula One returning from its break, we have reaction from the Dutch Grand Prix.</p> <p>Photo: Virgil van Dijk of Liverpool leads the team out, as players of Arsenal and the match officials form a guard of honour prior to the Premier League match between Liverpool FC and Arsenal FC at Anfield on May 11, 2025 in Liverpool, England. (Credit: Liverpool FC via Getty Images)</p> <p>SUN 19:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k6wcm) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SUN 19:06 The Newsroom (w172zwl7dbz68d0) The world's Newsroom brings you global events as they happen</p> <p>SUN 19:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxlpw4x7n0) The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.</p>	<p>SUN 19:32 The Documentary (w3ct80hx) The second map</p> <p>We remember the attack on Pearl Harbour and the atomic bombing of Japan during World War Two. Hundreds of thousands of British and Allied soldiers fought for years on the Asian and Pacific fronts against the Japanese in a brutal war - so why don't we remember it better today? We chart the key moments in this other, lesser known war to mark the 80th anniversary of VJ day, through remarkable audio testimonies that have never been broadcast before, of soldiers and civilians - on all sides.</p> <p>(Photo: The USS Nevada is aground and burning off Waipio Point, after the end of the Japanese air raid in Pearl Harbour, Hawaii, 7 December, 1941. Credit: Department of the US Navy/Reuters)</p> <p>SUN 20:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k703r) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SUN 20:06 Unexpected Elements (w3ct72wg) [Repeat of broadcast at 00:06 on Saturday]</p> <p>SUN 21:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k73vw) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SUN 21:06 Newshour (w172zss7g22c8fh) Interviews, news and analysis of the day's global events.</p> <p>SUN 22:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k77m0) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SUN 22:06 The Climate Question (w3ct7029) [Repeat of broadcast at 14:06 today]</p> <p>SUN 22:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxlpw4xldw) The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SUN 22:32 Pick of the World (w3ct7z56) [Repeat of broadcast at 09:32 on Saturday]</p> <p>SUN 22:50 Over to You (w3ct6xvq) [Repeat of broadcast at 09:50 on Saturday]</p> <p>SUN 23:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k7cc4) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SUN 23:06 The Newsroom (w172zwl7dbz6rcj) The world's Newsroom brings you global events as they happen</p> <p>SUN 23:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxlpw4xqmj) The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.</p> <p>SUN 23:32 The Fifth Floor (w3ct70tc) [Repeat of broadcast at 10:32 today]</p> <p>MONDAY 01 SEPTEMBER 2025</p> <p>MON 00:00 BBC News (w172zwws84k7h38) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>MON 00:06 From Our Own Correspondent (w3ct6trw) [Repeat of broadcast at 04:06 on Sunday]</p> <p>MON 00:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxlpw4xvcn) The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.</p> <p>MON 00:32 Science In Action (w3ct6yfs) [Repeat of broadcast at 04:32 on Sunday]</p> <p>MON 01:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvcg3k) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>MON 01:06 The Newsroom (w172zwl7rm8bv3y) The world's Newsroom brings you global events as they happen</p> <p>MON 01:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxm24g1tcy)</p>
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MON 01:32 Discovery (w3ct6swe)

The Life Scientific: Claudia de Rham

Claudia de Rham has rather an unusual relationship with gravity.

While she has spent her career exploring its fundamental nature, much of her free time has involved trying to defy it - from scuba diving in the Indian Ocean to piloting small aircraft over the Canadian waterfalls. Her ultimate ambition was to escape gravity's clutches altogether and become an astronaut, a dream that was snatched away by an unlikely twist of fate.

However, Claudia has no regrets - and says defying gravity for much of her life has helped her to truly understand it.

As Professor of theoretical physics at Imperial College London, she now grapples with deep mathematics, where the fields of particle physics, gravity and cosmology intersect, on a quest to understand how the universe really works. She is a pioneer of the theory of massive gravity, a theory which could take us beyond even Einstein's theory of relativity and shed light on why the universe is expanding at an ever-increasing rate.

Presented by Jim Al-Khalili

Produced for BBC Studios by Beth Eastwood

Reversion for World Service by Minnie Harrop

MON 02:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvckvp)

The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.

MON 02:06 The Newsroom (w172zwl7rm8byw2)

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MON 02:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxm24g1y42)

The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.

MON 02:32 CrowdScience (w3ct6st3)

How long will traces of our civilisation last?

What will remain of us hundreds of millions of years from now? And how can we be so certain that we are the first technologically advanced species on Earth?

These unsettling questions have been haunting listener Steve. If fossils can be lost to deep time through erosion and subduction into the Earth's mantle, how would anyone — or anything — ever know that we had been here? And if an earlier species had built a civilization that rose and fell, would we even be able to find traces of it?

To investigate, CrowdScience presenter Caroline Steel speaks to the scientists trying to answer these questions, while producer Sam Baker goes fossil hunting on the Jurassic Coast in the UK.

Caroline speaks with astrophysicist Adam Frank at the University of Rochester in the US, who along with NASA scientist Gavin Schmidt developed the Silurian hypothesis — the idea that if an advanced species had existed deep in Earth's past, they might have vanished without leaving a trace.

But palaeontologists Jan Zalasiewicz and Sarah Gabbott from the University of Leicester in the UK argue that humans are already leaving an indelible mark in the form the chemical and material fingerprints we're pressing into Earth's crust. They contend that the 'technofossils' we are producing will last a very long time indeed.

Along the way, Caroline and producer Sam discover just how rare fossils really are, how even the tiniest particles of pollution will give us away to far-future explorers, and why car parks might be our ultimate legacy. What they find is at once unsettling and oddly comforting: humanity could be fleeting, but our impact probably won't be.

Could we really have missed evidence of an ancient civilization? And what strange clues will we leave behind for whoever, or whatever, comes next? We explore Earth's geological memory to find out.

Presenter: Caroline Steel

Producer: Sam Baker

Editor: Ben Motley

(Photo: Old phone embedded in concrete layer with defocused landscape background Credit: Petra Richli Via Getty Images)

MON 03:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvcpit)

The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.

MON 03:06 People Fixing The World (w3ct80hn)

[Repeat of broadcast at 10:06 on Sunday]

MON 03:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxm24g21w6)

The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.

MON 03:32 Pick of the World (w3ct7z56)

[Repeat of broadcast at 09:32 on Saturday]

MON 03:50 Over to You (w3ct6xvq)

[Repeat of broadcast at 09:50 on Saturday]

MON 04:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvctby)

The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.

MON 04:06 The Newsroom (w172zwl7rm8c6cb)

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MON 04:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxm24g25mb)

The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.

MON 04:32 The Conversation (w3ct7093)

Managing an orchestra

Ella Al-Shamahi talks to women running orchestras in Hungary and the UK.

Orsolya Erdödy is the managing director of the Budapest Festival Orchestra working alongside founder-conductor Iván Fischer. The BFO is rated among the top ten orchestras in the world regularly performing at the world's most prestigious concert venues. Orsolya is also chief musical advisor of the Benedictine Archabbey of Pannonhalma, founded in 996 one of the oldest buildings in Hungary. She regularly appears on the Forbes list of most influential Hungarian women.

Sarah Bardwell is the Managing Director of the London Philharmonic Orchestra in the UK. An orchestra of around 100 musicians it tours globally performing with a range of international artists including Lang Lang, Diana Ross and Andrea Bocelli. As well as marketing, income generation, finance, staff and board management, Sarah is ultimately responsible for all the Orchestra's activities including touring, performances, artistic planning, conductor/artist selection, learning and community partnerships.

Produced by Jane Thurlow

(Image: (L) Sarah Bardwell, credit Tim Lutton. (R), Orsolya Erdödy credit Halász Nóra.)

MON 05:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvcy32)

The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.

MON 05:06 Newsday (w172zsps3w8bb3n)

Live news, business and sport from around the world.

MON 06:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvd1v6)

The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.

MON 06:06 Newsday (w172zsps3w8bfvs)

Live news, business and sport from around the world.

MON 07:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvd5lb)

The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.

MON 07:06 Newsday (w172zsps3w8bkls)

Live news, business and sport from around the world.

MON 08:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvd9bg)

The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.

MON 08:06 The Interview (w3ct7x01)

Ellen Johnson Sirleaf: How to rebuild a country

Rahul Tandon speaks to Ellen Johnson Sirleaf, Liberia's former president and first woman to be elected to lead an African country.

Born in 1938 in what she describes as a prosperous and 'unusual family', Ellen Johnson Sirleaf was guided by a deep commitment to education, which she pursued despite financial hardship and the demands of motherhood.

Her outspoken criticism of the Liberian government led to her being persecuted and exiled, as the country descended into two civil wars that killed over 250,000 people.

She was elected president of Liberia in 2005, when she set about repairing the country's shattered economy and social fabric, drawing from her successful careers at the World Bank and United Nations. Her efforts led to her being awarded the Nobel Peace Prize in 2011.

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MON 08:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxm24g2nlv)

The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.

MON 08:32 Business Daily (w3ct6ry1)

Turkey's 'Year of the Family'

Turkey is facing a growing global problem: a declining birth rate. The number of babies being born reached an all-time low in 2024, of **1.48** children born per woman - that's well below the replacement level of **2.10**.

The country's President, Recep Tayyip Erdoğan, is calling the drop in fertility rate "a disaster" and has declared 2025 the "Year of the Family", promising incentives for parents.

President Erdoğan is focusing on saving traditional family values, which he says are under threat, and is encouraging women to have at least three children. However, many in Turkey say it is the faltering economy - with inflation at around 35% - that is making it impossible to grow their families.

If you'd like to get in touch with the programme, you can email us: businessdaily@bbc.co.uk

Presented and produced by Emily Wither with Zeynep Bilginsoy

(Picture: A mother holds her baby during a visit to Anitkabir, the mausoleum of Turkish Republic's Founder Mustafa Kemal Atatürk on National Sovereignty and Children's Day, a national holiday dedicated to children, in Ankara. Credit: Getty Images)

MON 08:50 Witness History (w3ct746j)

Discovering the Titanic

In September 1985, the wreck of the Titanic was discovered around 400 nautical miles off the coast of Newfoundland, Canada, during a joint American-French expedition.

It had remained undisturbed, 13,000 feet underwater in the North Atlantic Ocean, since it sank during its maiden voyage in 1912.

The team spotted a boiler using a remotely controlled deep-sea vehicle, called Argo, and a robot named Jason, which led them to the site of the wreck.

In 2010, Louise Hidalgo spoke to some of the explorers and listened to archive recordings.

Eye-witness accounts brought to life by archive. Witness History is for those fascinated by the past. We take you to the events that have shaped our world through the eyes of the people who were there.

For nine minutes every day, we take you back in time and all over the world, to examine wars, coups, scientific discoveries, cultural moments and much more.

Recent episodes explore everything from the death of Adolf Hitler, the first spacewalk and the making of the movie Jaws, to celebrity tortoise Lonesome George, the Kobe earthquake and the invention of superglue.

We look at the lives of some of the most famous leaders, artists, scientists and personalities in history, including: Eva Peron – Argentina's Evita; President Ronald Reagan and his famous 'tear down this wall' speech; Thomas Keneally on why he wrote Schindler's List; and Jacques Derrida, France's 'rock star'

philosopher.

You can learn all about fascinating and surprising stories, such as the civil rights swimming protest; the disastrous D-Day rehearsal; and the death of one of the world's oldest languages.

(Photo: Titanic bow. Credit: Getty Images)

MON 09:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvdf2l)

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MON 09:06 The Newsroom (w172zw17rm8ct2z)

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MON 09:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxm24g2sbz)

The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.

MON 09:32 CrowdScience (w3ct6st3)

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MON 10:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvdjtq)

The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.

MON 10:06 The History Hour (w3ct71w6)

Washington DC and a film noir classic

Max Pearson presents a collection of the week's Witness History interviews from the BBC World Service.

We learn why the Mount Pleasant riots erupted in Washington DC in 1991, and hear from our guest, Sarah Jane Shoenfeld, a public historian of the US capital.

Plus, more on John Lennon's benefit concerts at Madison Square Garden in New York, his final and only full-length solo shows after leaving The Beatles.

And the story behind how the world's first permanent international criminal court was created in 1998.

Also, when the internet security tool, Captcha, moved from an idea to a reality, and why a photo of Chile's goalkeeper in 1989 exposed a cheating scandal.

Finally, a peak behind the scenes of the making of a noir film classic, The Third Man.

Contributors:

Victor 'Lilo' Gonzalez – Mount Pleasant resident.

Sarah Jane Shoenfeld – public historian.

Andrei Broder – computer scientist.

Judge Phillipe Kirsch – chair of the Rome conference.

Geraldo Rivera – TV journalist.

Ricardo Alfieri – sports photographer.

Angela Allen – production assistant.

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MON 11:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvdknv)

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MON 11:06 The Newsroom (w172zw17rm8d117)

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MON 11:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxm24g30v7)

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MON 11:32 The Conversation (w3ct7093)

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MON 12:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvds9z)

The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.

MON 12:06 Outlook (w3ct6wq2)

Sole Survivor: 8 days in the jungle after my plane crashed

How a romantic getaway ended in disaster.

Dutch financier Annette Herfkens boarded Vietnam Airlines Flight 474 in November 1992, embarking on what was meant to be a romantic break with her fiancé Willem van der Pas or 'Pasje'. But fate had other plans. Midway through the flight from Ho Chi Minh City to the coastal resort of Nha Trang, the Soviet-built Yakovlev Yak-40 encountered severe weather and slammed into a remote, fog-shrouded mountain ridge in the

dense Vietnamese jungle. The impact was catastrophic, killing all 30 other passengers and crew on board, including Annette's beloved Pasje.

Incredibly, Annette emerged as the sole survivor of the crash, defying odds in one of the most amazing real-life tales of endurance. Thrown from the wreckage with devastating injuries—including a collapsed lung, a broken jaw, two fractured legs, and a dozen fractures in her hips—she found herself stranded amid the twisted metal and bodies of her fellow travellers. Unable to walk or even crawl far, she endured eight gruelling days in the unforgiving wilderness, battling excruciating pain, dehydration, and the psychological torment of her loss. With no food, she sustained herself solely on rainwater collected from the jungle foliage, her will to live fuelled by sheer determination and fleeting moments of hope that a rescue would come.

Annette's book is called Turbulence: A True Story of Survival.

Presenter: Asya Fouks

Producer: Edgar Maddicott

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(Photo: Annette Herfkens. Credit: Annette Herfkens)

MON 12:50 Witness History (w3ct746j)

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MON 13:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvdx23)

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MON 13:06 The Newsroom (w172zw17rm8d92h)

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MON 13:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxm24g38bh)

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MON 13:32 CrowdScience (w3ct6st3)

[Repeat of broadcast at 02:32 today]

MON 14:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvf0t7)

The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.

MON 14:06 Newshour (w172zss7tbc5cv)

Interviews, news and analysis of the day's global events.

MON 15:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvf4kc)

The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.

MON 15:06 The Interview (w3ct7x01)

[Repeat of broadcast at 08:06 today]

MON 15:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxm24g3htr)

The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.

MON 15:32 World Business Report (w3ct76qy)

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MON 16:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvf89h)

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MON 16:06 BBC OS (w173067y1f7h4fg)

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MON 17:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvdf1m)

The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.

MON 17:06 BBC OS (w173067y1f7h85l)

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MON 18:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvfhsr)

The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.

MON 18:06 Outlook (w3ct6wq2)

[Repeat of broadcast at 12:06 today]

MON 18:50 Witness History (w3ct746j)

[Repeat of broadcast at 08:50 today]

MON 19:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvfmjw)

The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.

MON 19:06 The Newsroom (w172zw17rm8f0k8)

The world's Newsroom brings you global events as they happen

MON 19:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxm24g3zt8)

The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.

MON 19:32 Sport Today (w3ct6z5d)

2025/09/01 GMT

BBC sports correspondents tell the story behind today's top sporting news, with interviews and reports from across the world.

MON 20:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvfr90)

The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.

MON 20:06 From Our Own Correspondent (w3ct6trw)

[Repeat of broadcast at 04:06 on Sunday]

MON 20:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxm24g43kd)

The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.

MON 20:32 Discovery (w3ct6swd)

The Life Scientific: Sir Magdi Yacoub

What does it take to earn the nickname, 'The Leonardo da Vinci of heart surgery'?

That's the moniker given to today's guest - a man who pioneered high-profile and often controversial procedures, but also helped drive huge medical progress; carrying out around 2,000 heart transplants and 400 dual heart-lung transplants during his 60-year career.

Sir Magdi Yacoub is Emeritus Professor of Cardiothoracic Surgery at Imperial College London, and Director of Research at Harefield Hospital's Magdi Yacoub Institute.

Inspired by a surgeon father and impacted by the tragic early death of his aunt from a heart condition, his medical career includes various surgical firsts alongside numerous research projects, to further our understanding of and ability to treat heart disease. He headed up the teams that discovered it is possible to reverse heart failure, and that successfully grew part of a human heart valve from stem cells for the first time.

But it hasn't always been plain sailing. At times, his work – such as early, unsuccessful transplant attempts, or using a baboon as a life-support system for a baby – attracted serious public criticism.

Speaking to Professor Jim Al-Khalili, Sir Magdi reflects on the highs and lows of his cardio career, and offers his advice to the next generation of surgeons and researchers hoping to make their mark in heart medicine.

Presented by Jim Al-Khalili

Produced by Lucy Taylor

Reversion for World Service by Minnie Harrop

MON 21:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvfw14)

The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.

MON 21:06 Newshour (w172zss7tbc10lr)

Interviews, news and analysis of the day's global events.

MON 22:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvfzs8)

The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.

MON 22:06 The Interview (w3ct7x01)

[Repeat of broadcast at 08:06 today]

MON 22:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxm24g4c1n)

The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.

MON 22:32 The Conversation (w3ct7093)

[Repeat of broadcast at 04:32 today]

MON 23:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvg3jd)

The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.

MON 23:06 The Newsroom (w172zwl7rm8fhjs)

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MON 23:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxm24g4gss)

The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.

MON 23:32 World Business Report (w3ct76t6)

First broadcast 01/09/2025 21:32 GMT

The latest business and finance news from around the world, on the BBC.

TUESDAY 02 SEPTEMBER 2025

TUE 00:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvg78j)

The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.

TUE 00:06 The History Hour (w3ct71w6)

[Repeat of broadcast at 10:06 on Monday]

TUE 01:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvgc0n)

The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.

TUE 01:06 Business Matters (w172zrs7sx5ghht)

Global business news, with live guests and contributions from Asia and the USA.

TUE 02:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvggrs)

The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.

TUE 02:06 The Newsroom (w172zwl7rm8fvs5)

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TUE 02:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxm24g4v15)

The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.

TUE 02:32 Assignment (w3ct6rbz)

Galicia's wild horses in peril

Europe's largest herd of wild horses, in north-west Spain, is under threat. Numbers have halved in the last fifty years. Now around ten thousand wild horses roam freely in the hills and mountains of Galicia. But they are facing a number of challenges, not least the loss of their habitat and the threat from their main predator, wolves. There are also legal demands imposed by the regional government which have placed added financial burdens on the local people who, in effect, "own" these horses. And yet Galicia's wild horses have been an integral part of the local culture for centuries, particularly during annual festivals known as "rapas das bestas," the shearing of the beasts. The horses are also known as engineers of the landscape, credited with boosting the local flora and fauna and with helping to control forest fires.

John Murphy travels to Galicia to hear what is happening to these extraordinary animals and why they are so important.

Producer and presenter: John Murphy
Co-producer and translator: Esperanza Escribano
Programme Mix: Eloise Whitmore
Editor: Penny Murphy

(Image: Galicia's wild horses Credit: John Murphy/BBC)

TUE 03:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvglhx)

The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.

TUE 03:06 Outlook (w3ct6wq2)

[Repeat of broadcast at 12:06 on Monday]

TUE 03:50 Witness History (w3ct746j)

[Repeat of broadcast at 08:50 on Monday]

TUE 04:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvgg81)

The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.

TUE 04:06 The Newsroom (w172zwl7rm8g38f)

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TUE 04:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxm24g52jf)

The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.

TUE 04:32 In the Studio (w3ct6vtt)

The Delacorte Theater

The Delacorte Theater, home to New York's beloved free outdoor Shakespeare performances in Central Park, has undergone an \$85 million refurbishment.

Now clad in redwood timber from disused water tanks from each of New York's boroughs, the structure has been made accessible for disabled audiences, actors and backstage workers. It's also been made water and raccoon-proof.

Presenter Jeff Lunden has been following its progress – from a hard-hat tour in freezing February to the summer previews of a new production of Twelfth Night, starring Oscar-winning 12 Years a Slave actor Lupita Nyong'o, Sandra Oh from Killing Eve, and Game of Thrones' Peter Dinklage.

Presenter and producer: Jeff Lunden

Executive producer: Paula McGrath

TUE 05:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvgv05)

The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.

TUE 05:06 Newsday (w172zsp3w8f70r)

Live news, business and sport from around the world.

TUE 06:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvgyr9)

The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.

TUE 06:06 Newsday (w172zsp3w8fbrw)

Live news, business and sport from around the world.

TUE 07:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvh2hf)

The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.

TUE 07:06 Newsday (w172zsp3w8fgj0)

Live news, business and sport from around the world.

TUE 08:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvh67k)

The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.

TUE 08:06 People Fixing The World (w3ct80hp)

Flower power

In India, flower waste from temples poses a unique environmental problem - generating nearly a billion tonnes of organic garbage each year. These flowers end up in water bodies or landfills, affecting aquatic life and soil health. Chhavi Sachdev in India explores some innovative solutions that deal with this fragrant, sacred garbage.

A Just Radio production.

TUE 08:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxm24g5khy)

The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.

TUE 08:32 Business Daily (w3ct6s72)

Who is financing Myanmar's civil war?

We're in Myanmar, a country that's been ravaged by intense fighting for decades. But especially so since a military coup overthrew the elected government in 2021.

We're asking who and what is paying for each side's war effort, and the military hardware, in what's becoming an increasingly high-tech war.

If you'd like to get in touch with Business Daily, our email address is businessdaily@bbc.co.uk

Presented and produced by Ed Butler

(Picture: 3D printers are used to make parts of assault rifles produced in a clandestine weapon factory in Myanmar. Credit: Getty Images)

TUE 08:50 Witness History (w3ct74n3)

The founding of USAID

On 3 November 1961, the United States Agency for International Development (USAID) was founded, bringing all existing aid work under one single agency.

A key proponent of it was Barbara Ward, a pioneering British economist and journalist who had the ear of presidents and prime ministers across the world.

Later known as Baroness Jackson, she spoke to the John F Kennedy Presidential Library and Museum Oral History Program in 1964 about how the newly independent West African nation of Ghana was one of the first countries to benefit with funds to construct the Volta River Project.

Surya Elango listens back to those archive interviews.

Eye-witness accounts brought to life by archive. Witness History is for those fascinated by the past. We take you to the events that have shaped our world through the eyes of the people who were there.

For nine minutes every day, we take you back in time and all over the world, to examine wars, coups, scientific discoveries, cultural moments and much more.

Recent episodes explore everything from the death of Adolf Hitler, the first spacewalk and the making of the movie Jaws, to celebrity tortoise Lonesome George, the Kobe earthquake and the invention of superglue.

We look at the lives of some of the most famous leaders, artists, scientists and personalities in history, including: Eva Peron – Argentina's Evita; President Ronald Reagan and his famous 'tear down this wall' speech; Thomas Keneally on why he wrote Schindler's List; and Jacques Derrida, France's 'rock star' philosopher.

You can learn all about fascinating and surprising stories, such as the civil rights swimming protest; the disastrous D-Day rehearsal; and the death of one of the world's oldest languages.

(Photo: Barbara Ward. Credit: Getty Images)

TUE 09:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvh9zp)

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TUE 09:06 The Newsroom (w172zwl7rm8gq02)

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TUE 09:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxm24g5p82)

The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.

TUE 09:32 Assignment (w3ct6rbz)

[Repeat of broadcast at 02:32 today]

TUE 10:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvhfqt)

The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.

TUE 10:06 The Arts Hour (w3ct6tpt)

[Repeat of broadcast at 20:06 on Saturday]

TUE 11:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvhkgy)

The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.

TUE 11:06 The Newsroom (w172zwl7rm8gyhb)

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TUE 11:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxm24g5xrb)

The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.

TUE 11:32 In the Studio (w3ct6vtt)

[Repeat of broadcast at 04:32 today]

TUE 12:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvhp72)

The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.

TUE 12:06 Outlook (w3ct6x4r)

Outlook

True stories of ordinary people and the extraordinary events that have shaped their lives.

TUE 12:50 Witness History (w3ct74n3)

[Repeat of broadcast at 08:50 today]

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Teacher in space</p> <p>Nasa needs to kick-start new interest in the space shuttle. After multiple missions, public attention is waning and funding could suffer. Nasa want to do something about it. And come up with an innovative plan.</p> <p>How about recruiting an astronaut from the classroom? The first teacher on a space mission. Nasa runs a competition, and the winner is Christa McAuliffe, a 36-year-old social studies teacher from New Hampshire. But has she got what it takes for the challenges of space?</p> <p>This episode contains scenes some listeners may find upsetting.</p> <p>Some scenes in this series use recreated sound effects.</p> <p>13 Minutes Presents: The Space Shuttle is a BBC Audio Science Unit production for the BBC World Service.</p> <p>Hosted by space scientist Maggie Aderin-Pocock.</p> <p>Theme music by Hans Zimmer and Christian Lundberg, and produced by Russell Emanuel, for Bleeding Fingers Music.</p> <p>Archive: Ronald Reagan announces teacher in space programme, Reagan Library, 1984 George Bush announces Christa McAuliffe as teacher in space, Reagan Archive, 1984 Teacher training KC-135 flight, Nasa Archives, 1985 Teachers watch launch, Nasa Archives, 1985 Pre-flight press conference STS-51-L, 1986 Mission audio and oral histories, Nasa History Office</p> <p>WED 05:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvkqx8) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>WED 05:06 Newsday (w172zsps3w8j3xv) Live news, business and sport from around the world.</p> <p>WED 06:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvkvnd) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>WED 06:06 Newsday (w172zsps3w8j7nz) Live news, business and sport from around the world.</p> <p>WED 07:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvkdj) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>WED 07:06 Newsday (w172zsps3w8jcf3) Live news, business and sport from around the world.</p> <p>WED 08:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvl34n) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>WED 08:06 The Interview (w3ct7x6t) The Interview</p> <p>Conversations with people shaping our world. The best interviews from the BBC.</p> <p>WED 08:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxm24g8gf1) The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.</p> <p>WED 08:32 Business Daily (w3ct6scl)</p>
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<p>The online therapy business</p> <p>It started with a man and a couch. Today, it's an industry worth half a trillion dollars.</p> <p>The growing demand for therapy has made it a lucrative sector, with more and more digital mental health tools emerging. We ask if ethics can keep pace with change in the industry, and if the tech is serving those who need it the most.</p> <p>Presented and produced by Laura Heighton-Ginns</p> <p>(Picture: A home-based online therapist in virtual counseling session. Credit: Getty Images)</p> <p>WED 08:50 Witness History (w3ct74qc) The Chindits</p> <p>During World War Two, an unconventional special force was formed. Known as the Chindits, they fought behind enemy lines in Burma, now Myanmar during 1943 and 1944 in the war against Japan.</p> <p>Their leader was the charismatic Orde Wingate, a British Army officer.</p> <p>This programme is made in collaboration with BBC Archives. It contains outdated and offensive language.</p> <p>Produced and presented by Gill Kearsley.</p> <p>Eye-witness accounts brought to life by archive. Witness History is for those fascinated by the past. We take you to the events that have shaped our world through the eyes of the people who were there.</p> <p>For nine minutes every day, we take you back in time and all over the world, to examine wars, coups, scientific discoveries, cultural moments and much more.</p> <p>Recent episodes explore everything from the death of Adolf Hitler, the first spacewalk and the making of the movie Jaws, to celebrity tortoise Lonesome George, the Kobe earthquake and the invention of superglue.</p> <p>We look at the lives of some of the most famous leaders, artists, scientists and personalities in history, including: Eva Peron – Argentina's Evita; President Ronald Reagan and his famous 'tear down this wall' speech; Thomas Keneally on why he wrote Schindler's List; and Jacques Derrida, France's 'rock star' philosopher.</p> <p>You can learn all about fascinating and surprising stories, such as the civil rights swimming protest; the disastrous D-Day rehearsal; and the death of one of the world's oldest languages.</p> <p>(Photo: The Chindits in 1944. Credit: Getty Images)</p> <p>WED 09:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvl6ws) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>WED 09:06 The Newsroom (w172zwl7rm8klx5) The world's Newsroom brings you global events as they happen</p> <p>WED 09:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxm24g8l55) The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.</p> <p>WED 09:32 The Climate Question (w3ct7029) [Repeat of broadcast at 14:06 on Sunday]</p> <p>WED 10:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvlbmx) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>WED 10:06 The Documentary (w3ct80j6) [Repeat of broadcast at 12:06 on Saturday]</p> <p>WED 11:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvlgd1) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>WED 11:06 The Newsroom (w172zwl7rm8kvdf) The world's Newsroom brings you global events as they happen</p> <p>WED 11:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxm24g8tnf) The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.</p> <p>WED 11:32 The Global Story (w3ct71fm) 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(w172zwxm24g9xcl) The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.</p> <p>WED 20:32 Health Check (w3ct6vjs) Health Check</p> <p>Health issues and medical breakthroughs from around the world.</p> <p>WED 21:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvmnvb) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>WED 21:06 Newshour (w172zss7tbcrtdy) Interviews, news and analysis of the day's global events.</p> <p>WED 22:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvmslg) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>WED 22:06 The Interview (w3ct7x6t) [Repeat of broadcast at 08:06 today]</p> <p>WED 22:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxm24gb4vv) The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.</p> <p>WED 22:32 13 Minutes Presents: The Space Shuttle (w3ct80bq) [Repeat of broadcast at 04:32 today]</p> <p>WED 23:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvmxbl) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>WED 23:06 The Newsroom (w172zwl7rm8m9bz) The world's Newsroom brings you global 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What are the consequences for those living in Papua New Guinea where much of this timber originates? And what makes this group of German scientists so important in the battle to protect the world's forests?</p> <p>Presenter: Becca Warner Producer: Tom Pooley A 4 Kicks production for BBC World Service</p> <p>THU 03:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvndb3) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>THU 03:06 Outlook (w3ct6xcn) [Repeat of broadcast at 12:06 on Wednesday]</p> <p>THU 03:50 Witness History (w3ct74qc) [Repeat of broadcast at 08:50 on Wednesday]</p> <p>THU 04:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvnj27) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>THU 04:06 The Newsroom (w172zwl7rm8mx2m) The world's Newsroom brings you global events as they happen</p> <p>THU 04:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxm24gbwbm) The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.</p> <p>THU 04:32 The Food Chain (w3ct70yx) The Food Chain examines the business, science and cultural significance of food, and what it takes to put food on your plate.</p> <p>THU 05:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvnmte) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>THU 05:06 Newsday (w172zsp3w8m0ty) Live news, business and sport from around the world.</p> <p>THU 06:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvnrkh) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>THU 06:06 Newsday (w172zsp3w8m4l2) Live news, business and sport from around the world.</p> <p>THU 07:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvvnw9m) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>THU 07:06 Newsday (w172zsp3w8m8b6) Live news, business and sport from around the world.</p> <p>THU 08:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvp01r) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>THU 08:06 The Inquiry (w3ct7230) The Inquiry</p> <p>The Inquiry gets beyond the headlines to explore the trends, forces and ideas shaping the world.</p>	<p>THU 08:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxm24gccb4) The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.</p> <p>THU 08:32 Business Daily (w3ct6s2k) Did a morning ice bath make me more productive?</p> <p>You might have seen it online - social media influencers sharing their morning routines before work. Some start as early as 4 or 5am, turning those hours into their personal 5-to-9 before the traditional 9-to-5 grind.</p> <p>Michelle Obama, Bob Iger, and Apple CEO Tim Cook say they get up between 4 and 5am.</p> <p>There's a "5am club", inspired by the habits of very successful people. But does waking up that early actually make us better at work?</p> <p>And there's even a whole industry of how to optimise your morning routine with supplements, journals and beauty products. In some cases, ice baths.</p> <p>Against his better judgement, Business Daily's Matt Lines signed himself up to a week of 4am starts and met those for whom this is a way of life.</p> <p>If you'd like to get in touch with the programme, our email address is businessdaily@bbc.co.uk</p> <p>Presented and produced by Matt Lines</p> <p>(Matt Lines braving an ice bath as part of his research.)</p> <p>THU 08:50 Witness History (w3ct74jp) World's first womb transplant baby</p> <p>In September 2014, the world's first baby was born to a mother with a transplanted womb, making headlines around the globe.</p> <p>Malin Stenberg had the pioneering surgery over a year earlier when she received the donated organ from a family friend, giving birth to her son Vincent at Sahlgrenska University Hospital in Sweden.</p> <p>Reena Stanton-Sharma speaks to Prof Pernilla Dahm-Kähler, who was a member of the talented team whose dedication would help bring Vincent into the world.</p> <p>Eye-witness accounts brought to life by archive. Witness History is for those fascinated by the past. We take you to the events that have shaped our world through the eyes of the people who were there.</p> <p>For nine minutes every day, we take you back in time and all over the world, to examine wars, coups, scientific discoveries, cultural moments and much more.</p> <p>Recent episodes explore everything from the death of Adolf Hitler, the first spacewalk and the making of the movie Jaws, to celebrity tortoise Lonesome George, the Kobe earthquake and the invention of superglue.</p> <p>We look at the lives of some of the most famous leaders, artists, scientists and personalities in history, including: Eva Peron – Argentina's Evita; President Ronald Reagan and his famous 'tear down this wall' speech; Thomas Keneally on why he wrote Schindler's List; and Jacques Derrida, France's 'rock star' philosopher.</p> <p>You can learn all about fascinating and surprising stories, such as the civil rights swimming protest; the disastrous D-Day rehearsal; and the death of one of the world's oldest languages.</p> <p>(Photo: Prof Pernilla Dahm-Kähler. Credit: University of Gothenburg)</p> <p>THU 09:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvp3sw) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>THU 09:06 The Newsroom (w172zwl7rm8nht8) The world's Newsroom brings you global events as they happen</p> <p>THU 09:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxm24gch28) The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.</p> <p>THU 09:32 The Documentary (w3ct80jm) [Repeat of broadcast at 02:32 today]</p> <p>THU 10:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvp7k0) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p>	<p>THU 10:06 The Explanation (w3ct7ysg) The Media Show</p> <p>Where the world is explained. Making sense of the big stories - looking behind the spin. Exploring the important questions about long-running stories and the latest global news. An honest, unvarnished, explanation of the world.</p> <p>THU 10:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxm24gcldt) The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.</p> <p>THU 10:32 The Documentary (w3ct80hy) The second map</p> <p>We remember the attack on Pearl Harbour and the atomic bombing of Japan during World War Two. Yet hundreds of thousands of British and Allied soldiers fought for years on the Asian and Pacific fronts against the Japanese in a brutal war - so why don't we remember it better today? 'The Second Map' charts key moments in this other, lesser known war to mark the 80th anniversary of VJ day, through remarkable audio testimonies that have never been broadcast before, of soldiers and civilians - on all sides.</p> <p>THU 11:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvpc94) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>THU 11:06 The Newsroom (w172zwl7rm8nr9j) The world's Newsroom brings you global events as they happen</p> <p>THU 11:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxm24gcqkj) The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.</p> <p>THU 11:32 The Global Story (w3ct7193) .</p> <p>THU 12:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvph18) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>THU 12:06 Outlook (w3ct6wxy) Outlook</p> <p>True stories of ordinary people and the extraordinary events that have shaped their lives.</p> <p>THU 12:50 Witness History (w3ct74jp) [Repeat of broadcast at 08:50 today]</p> <p>THU 13:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvppls) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>THU 13:06 The Newsroom (w172zwl7rm8nzss) The world's Newsroom brings you global events as they happen</p> <p>THU 13:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxm24gczi1s) The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.</p> <p>THU 13:32 Health Check (w3ct6vjs) [Repeat of broadcast at 20:32 on Wednesday]</p> <p>THU 14:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvpqjj) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>THU 14:06 Newshour (w172zss7tbctw34) Interviews, news and analysis of the day's global events.</p> <p>THU 15:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvpv8n) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>THU 15:06 The Inquiry (w3ct7230) [Repeat of broadcast at 08:06 today]</p> <p>THU 15:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxm24gd6k1) The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.</p> <p>THU 15:32 World Business Report (w3ct75vt) First broadcast 04/09/2025 14:32 GMT</p> <p>The latest business and finance news from around the world, on the BBC.</p>
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Known as the ultimate homemaker and the "original lifestyle influencer", she's also the USA's first ever self-made female billionaire. But while the entrepreneur made her fortune as a domestic goddess, Martha Stewart is no trad wife. It took more than crafts and cookbooks to make her fortune. And then it all came crashing down.</p> <p>BBC business editor Simon Jack and journalist Zing Tsjeng are back with a new season of Good Bad Billionaire. In this episode, they're exploring the life of Martha Stewart, charting the lifestyle mogul's career, from her influence over millions of American homes, to her time in prison, and her ultimate comeback – as a star of social media and the subject of a Netflix documentary, all with Snoop Dogg at her side. Then they decide if they think she's good, bad, or just another billionaire.</p> <p>Good Bad Billionaire is the podcast exploring the lives of the super-rich and famous, tracking their wealth, philanthropy, business ethics and success. There are leaders who made their money in Silicon Valley, on Wall Street and in high street fashion. From iconic celebrities and CEOs to titans of technology, the podcast unravels tales of fortune, power, economics, ambition and moral responsibility before inviting you to make up your own mind: are they good, bad or just another billionaire?</p> <p>FRI 01:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvr1qy) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>FRI 01:06 Business Matters (w172zrs7sx5r673) Global business news, with live guests and contributions from Asia and the USA.</p> <p>FRI 02:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvr5h2) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>FRI 02:06 The Newsroom (w172zw17rm8qkhg) The world's Newsroom brings you global events as they happen</p> <p>FRI 02:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxm24gfjrg) The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.</p> <p>FRI 02:32 Tech Life (w3ct6zpb) [Repeat of broadcast at 20:32 on Tuesday]</p> <p>FRI 03:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvr976) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>FRI 03:06 Outlook (w3ct6wxv) [Repeat of broadcast at 12:06 on Thursday]</p> <p>FRI 03:50 Witness History (w3ct74jp) [Repeat of broadcast at 08:50 on Thursday]</p>	<p>FRI 04:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvrdbz) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>FRI 04:06 The Newsroom (w172zw17rm8qszq) The world's Newsroom brings you global events as they happen</p> <p>FRI 04:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxm24gfs7q) The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.</p> <p>FRI 04:32 Heart and Soul (w3ct6vp9) Blessed with Bread</p> <p>In Italy, bread is life. With 250 varieties across the country, it's eaten with almost every meal and takes pride of place at national holidays. The importance of bread speaks to national values of community, tradition, quality and above all - religion. In this edition of Heart and Soul, Australian-Japanese food writer Emiko Davies takes a culinary journey in the spiritual significance of bread in Italy, her adopted home.</p> <p>A Peanut & Crumb production.</p> <p>FRI 05:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvrjgg) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>FRI 05:06 Newsday (w172zsp3w8pxr1) Live news, business and sport from around the world.</p> <p>FRI 06:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvrngl) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>FRI 06:06 Newsday (w172zsp3w8q1h5) Live news, business and sport from around the world.</p> <p>FRI 07:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvrs6q) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>FRI 07:06 Newsday (w172zsp3w8q579) Live news, business and sport from around the world.</p> <p>FRI 08:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvrwyy) The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.</p> <p>FRI 08:06 Americast (w3ct7t5w) Join Americast for insights and analysis on what's happening inside Trump's White House.</p> <p>FRI 08:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxm24gg877) The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.</p> <p>FRI 08:32 Business Daily (w3ct6rsj) Business Daily</p> <p>The daily drama of money and work from the BBC.</p> <p>FRI 08:50 Witness History (w3ct7448) 'I started Vinted'</p> <p>In 2008, Lithuanian student Milda Mitkutė realised she had too many clothes when she was moving out.</p> <p>She told her friend Justas Janauskas and together they came up with a website to sell them.</p> <p>It later became Vinted, the online marketplace, which now has more than 500 million items listed for sale across 23 countries.</p> <p>Milda speaks to Rachel Naylor and tells her that they originally forgot to add a 'buy' button.</p> <p>Eye-witness accounts brought to life by archive. 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(Photo: Milda Mitkutė. Credit: Vinted)

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FRI 09:32 Science In Action (w3ct6yft)

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FRI 10:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvs4g3)

The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.

FRI 10:06 Unexpected Elements (w3ct72wh)

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The news you know, the science you don't. Unexpected Elements looks beyond everyday narratives to discover a goldmine of scientific stories and connections from around the globe. From Afonauts, to why we argue, to a deep dive on animal lifespans: see the world in a new way with Unexpected Elements.

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FRI 12:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvscyc)

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FRI 12:06 Outlook (w3ct6wh9)

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FRI 12:50 Witness History (w3ct7448)

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FRI 14:06 Newshour (w172zss7tbxs07)

Interviews, news and analysis of the day's global events.

FRI 15:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvsr5r)

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FRI 15:06 Americast (w3ct7t5w)

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FRI 19:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvt758)

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FRI 19:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxm24ghlfn)

The latest two minute news summary from BBC World Service.

FRI 19:32 Sport Today (w3ct6z34)

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BBC sports correspondents tell the story behind today's top sporting news, with interviews and reports from across the world.

FRI 20:00 BBC News (w172zwwsmdvtbxd)

The latest five minute news bulletin from BBC World Service.

FRI 20:06 BBC OS Conversations (w3ct6rn0)

BBC OS Conversations

How major news stories are affecting the lives of people around the world

FRI 20:30 BBC News Summary (w172zwxm24ghq5s)

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Will drinking milk help me live longer?

Milk: drink a lot of it and we'll grow big and tall with strong bones. That's what most people are told as children, but just how true is this accepted wisdom? CrowdScience listener JJ is sceptical. He wants to live a healthy life for as long as possible, and he's wondering whether drinking milk will help or hinder him on this mission.

Milk is our very first drink as babies. But are we meant to

continue drinking milk from other animals once we grow up? No other animal does this... so presenter Chhavi Sachdev investigates why we keep drinking it, how some people evolved to tolerate milk past infancy, and why many of us are still lactose intolerant. And being based in India – the world's largest producer of milk – Chhavi is perfectly placed to trace how trade and mass marketing imposed milk-drinking as a cultural norm, spreading the habit from Europe across the world.

And for people who do drink milk, is it actually providing us any benefits when we're no longer infants, or could it be fuelling chronic illnesses? And what about other forms of dairy – could cheese or yoghurt be better for us? Chhavi sifts through the complex evidence to try and find the answer.

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