SATURDAY 09 JUNE 2012

SAT 00:00 Kurt Vonnegut - The Euphio Question (b0088zh5)

A way of producing and harnessing happiness is revealed when a physicist plays out the sound of dark matter during a local radio programme.

The sound lulls the listeners into a state of euphoria, producing an effect not unlike a large dose of sedative.

The ethical and moral implications of marketing this new found product become evident - as the temptation to make money and control huge numbers of people proves too great.

Kurt Vonnegut's short story is read by Stuart Milligan.

One of the outstanding figures of modern US literature, Kurt Vonnegut (1922-2007) was a cult figure among students in the 1960s and 1970s with his classics of US counterculture.

The bombing of Dresden by allied forces in 1945 was the pivotal moment of his life, which informed his best-known work 'Slaughterhouse Five'.

Abridged and produced by Gemma Jenkins

Made for BBC 7 and first broadcast in 2007

SAT 00:30 Gaston Leroux - The Phantom of the Opera (b008p5cw)

Raoul and the Persian enter the Phantom's lair to search for Christine, Stars Peter Guinness, Helen Goldwyn and James

SAT 01:00 A Charles Paris Mystery (b00t9yf6)

Sicken and So Die

Episode 2

The lascivious actor-sleuth fails to impress his ex-wife Frances. Meanwhile, could there be another victim? Stars Bill Nighy. SAT 01:30 Mark McShane - Seance on a Wet Afternoon (b00r89n7)

Episode 1

To enhance her reputation, clairvoyant Myra Savage and her husband embark on a terrible course of action. Read by Anton Lesser.

SAT 01:45 The Late Alfred Hitchcock Presents (b00tqlfh)

The Waxwork

By AM Burrage. In a reprise of the director's celebrated series from beyond the grave, convincing effigies become all too real. Stars Michael Roberts.

SAT 02:00 Are You From the Bugle? (b01 iltzd)

Plastic Balls and Sewing Machines

Butterthwaite is getting a new museum - can Graham get an exclusive on the opening? Stars Jeffrey Holland. From June

SAT 02:30 Tickets Please (b00ny7k4)

Episode 2

The **9.27** London to Exeter emotional rollercoaster continues as the train staff's personal embroilments deepen.

Now one of the wedding party is joining in the melee. And why are there finger-holes in the muffins?

Sitcom on rails by Mark Maier.Jeremy Swift Robin Nadine... ..Malcolm Tierney Carol Tessa Nicholson ..Nicholas Boulton Carl.... ..Melissa Advani Diana. LindaKate Lavden

..Stephen Hogan Keith.... Other parts played by Piers Wehner, Philip Fox and Joseph

Cohen-Cole Producer: Peter Kavanagh

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in November 2009.

SAT 03:00 Jack London - The Sea Wolf (b007 imcl)

Episode 4

Humphrey and Maud dash for freedom from cruel captain, Wolf Larsen, but Japan is 600 miles away

Conclusion od Jack London's 1904 tale of brutality and survival on the high seas.

Starring Jack Klaff, Kerry Shale and Shelley Thompson..

Dramatised by Ed Thomason

Wolf Larsen Jack Klaff

Humphrey Van Weyden Kerry Shale

Maud Brewster Shelley Thompson

Music: Elizabeth Parker - BBC Radiophonic Workshop.

Director: Adrian Bean.

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in September 1991. SAT 04:00 Dorothy Whipple - The Closed Door (b016z738)

Summer Holiday

A child's innocent remark has devastating consequences for a nursemaid. Patience Tomlinson reads Dorothy Whipple's story. SAT 04:15 Drama (b00z62b1)

Black Roses: The Killing of Sophie Lancaster

Black Roses: The Killing of Sophie Lancaster is an elegy to the oung gap-year student who was attacked in Stubbeylee Park, Bacup, Lancashire, She later died on August 24th 2007, This is an elegy to mark the anniversary of her death, four years later. Aged twenty, Sophie suffered fatal injuries while cradling her boyfriend Rob's head in an attempt to protect him from a ferocious attack by a group of youths. Rob survived but Sophie

went into a coma and never recovered. Sophie was an intelligent bookish child who showed signs of

wanting to be different from an early age. Political, vegetarian, a pacifist, Sophie had left school with A levels and was thinking about what to do with her future when it was taken so brutally

from her.

Sophie and Rob dressed in a unique way, expressing their individuality as creative artistic people through goth-style clothes, piercings and make-up, which provoked the fatal attack in the early hours of that Saturday morning. Sophie had been dating Rob Maltby, a 21-year-old art student for three years. I didn't do sport.

I didn't do meat.

Don't ask me to wear that dress:

I shan't.

Why ask me to toe the line, I can't.

I was slight or small

but never petite,

and nobody's fool;

no Barbie doll:

no girlie girl.

I was lean and sharp, not an ounce of fat

on my thoughts or my limbs.

In my difficult teens

I was strange, I was odd,

aren't we all -

there was something different down at the core.

Boy bands and pop tarts left me cold,

let's say

that I marched to the beat

of a different drum.

sang another tune.

wandered at will through the market stalls

humming protest songs.

I wore studded dog leads

around my wrist,

and was pleased as punch

in the pit, at the gig,

to be singled out

by a shooting star

of saliva from Marilyn Manson's lips.

But for all that stuff

in many ways an old fashioned soul,

quite at home

in my own front room,

on my own settee.

I read, I wrote, I painted, I drew.

Where it came from

no one knows

but it flowed. It flowed. Black Roses: The Killing of Sophie Lancaster is a drama documentary in which Sophie tells her own story through a

series of poignant poems written by the award-winning poet Simon Armitage alongside her mother, Sylvia Lancaste remembering her daughter's shortened life.

Black Roses: The Killing of Sophie Lancaster written by Simon Armitage with an interview with Sylvia Lancaster

Cast:

SOPHIE ...Rachel Austin

Produced in Manchester by Susan Roberts

SAT 05:00 Millport (b0075ttx)

The Letter

It's turnip season - and a letter arrives for Irene promising to change her life for ever.

But when push comes to shove, is she ready to leave the dismal island backwater she so unlovingly calls home?

Bittersweet comedy written by and starring Lynn Ferguson as 30-something island barmaid Irene Bruce, who hankers after a better life on the mainland.

Stars Lynn Ferguson as Irene, Janet Brown as Moira/Agnes, Lewis McLeod as Alberto/Robert/Bob, Gabriel Ouigley as Ena/Bunty/Betty, Matt Costello as Doogie and Robert Paterson

Irene Lynn Ferguson

Moira/Agnes Janet Brown

Alberto/Robert/Bob Lewis McLeod

Ena/Bunty/Betty Gabriel Quigley

Doogie Matt Costello

The Minister Robert Paterson Producers: Lucy Bacon and Kathy Smith

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in April 2000.

SAT 05:30 Smelling of Roses (b00dbwtv)

Series 3

A Closed Book

Rosie is contracted to organise a literary prize, but finds that not everything goes by the book...

More challenges for Rosie Burns running her family's event management company, where the clients are only part of the problem...

Written by Simon Brett.

Rosie Prunella Scales Jo Rebecca Callard Bob Duncan Preston

Tess Annette Badland Pomme Grantley Joanna Monro Lancelot Crotty Timothy Alcock

Sioned Pugh-Craven Sheila Mitchell Producer: Maria Esposito

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in August 2002.

SAT 06:00 The Other Side of the Hill (b010t4pb)

It's a Long Way From Talavera

The 1808-1813 peninsular campaign of the Duke of

Wellington. First of Peter Luke's two linked plays with Michael Pennington.

SAT 07:30 The Complete Caledonian Imbiber (b00pgnqg) Bend Weel tae the Madeira

Billy Kay celebrates the Scots' drouth for ale, whisky and the great wines of Europe.

SAT 08:00 Ed Doolan Interviews... (b01jrjyw)

Kerr Encore - Bill Kerr:

Best loved for his work in Hancock's Half Hour, Australian actor and comedian Bill Kerr recalls more of his career highlights.

SAT 09:00 Comedy Greats (b007k3x4)

The Noughties

Episode 1

Decade by decade, Barry Cryer showcases some of the funniest and finest shows ever broadcast by the BBC.

Baz finally reaches the 21st century of radio comedy with his first selection from the noughties:

* The Small World of Dominic Holland

Series 1 (6/6)

Dominic ponders the journey of life to adulthood. Stand-up and sketches with Dave Lamb, Sally Grace and Simon Greenall

From 2000. * At Home With The Snails

Series 1 (1/4)

Fed-up Alex has done nothing since university, but then he discovers an unusual hobby. Stars Geoffrey Palmer, Angela

Thorne, Gerard Foster and Miranda Hart. From 2001. * Clare in the Community

Series 1 (4/6)

Social worker Clare Barker is racked with relief when her most detested client dies. Stars Sally Phillips, Alex Lowe, Richard Lumsden, Gemma Craven, Ellen Thomas and Nina Conti. From

2004. * Radio Shuttleworth

Series 2 (5/6) 1997 Eurovision Song Contest winner Katrina Leskanich drops into visit Sheffield singer John Shuttleworth, but his wife Mary

gets the ironing board out. From 2000. * Mark Watson Makes The World Substantially Better

Series 1 (3/6) Pride

Welsh comic Mark continues his quest to free us from the seven deadly sins. With Tim Key and Tim Minchin. From 2007.

* Little Britain

Series 2 (3/4)

Fat fighting with Marjorie and the hypnotic Kenny Craig. Back where it started out - Matt Lucas and David Walliams's oddball TV smash hit - without the cameras. From 2002.

Produced and scripted by Peter Reed. Made for BBC 7 and first broadcast in August 2003.

SAT 12:00 Michael Butt - Chronicles of Ait (b01jrkx6)

The Saxon Stones - Omnibus Tortured by memories. Linus Scott meets a woman with demons of her own. But the mystery at Saxon Stones seems to

connect them. SAT 13:15 The Medical Detectives (b007k0rx)

The Stranded Eagle After Salomon August Andrée's doomed Arctic crossing by hydrogen balloon, investigators piece together events. Stars Ken

Stott. SAT 14:00 Hancock's Half Hour (b007wp6j)

Series 4 The Last of the McHancocks

Stars Tony Hancock

The lad inherits a Scottish castle and starts feuding with his nasty neighbour.

With Sidney James, Bill Kerr, Hattie Jacques and Kenneth Williams. With special guest James Robertson Justice as Seamus

McNasty. Written by Ray Galton and Alan Simpson

Theme and incidental music written by Wally Stott.

Producer: Denis Main Wilson First broadcast on the BBC Light Programme in February 1957.

SAT 14:30 Dad's Army (b007jq38)

The Great White Hunter

Captain Mainwaring causes chaos tracking down Walker's purloined silk parachute.

platoon Adapted for radio from Jimmy Perry and David Croft's TV

scripts by Harold Snoad and Michael Knowles.

Private Frazer John Laurie Private Pike Ian Lavender Private Godfrey Arnold Ridley

Producer: John Dyas First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in April 1976. SAT 15:00 Ed Doolan Interviews... (b01jrjyw)

[Repeat of broadcast at 08:00 today]
SAT 16:00 The Other Side of the Hill (b010t4pb)

The comic exploits of a Second World War Home Guard

Captain Mainwaring Arthur Lowe Sergeant Wilson John Le Mesurier Corporal Jones Clive Dunn

Private Walker Larry Martyn Mrs Pike Pearl Hackney

[Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 today] SAT 17:30 Comic to Comic (b00807sb)

Andy Zaltzman

The inventive political comedian chats to Bruce Morton and explains why being a stand-up is the best job in the world. SAT 18:00 The Scarifyers (b008jdt5)

The Devil of Denge Marsh

Lionheart and Dunning's battle with an old adversary leads them to a strange village. Stars Nicholas Courtney and Terry Molloy. SAT 18:30 David Garnett - Lady into Fox (b00cmz8m)

2. Escape

Despite Richard Tebrick's increased security for their new home, his vixen wife escapes to begin a new family life in the woods..

David Garnett's terrifying novel of transformation is concluded by Ben Miles

Abridged by Doreen Estall

Directed at BBC Northern Ireland by Lawrence Jackson.

Made for BBC Radio 7 and first broadcast in July 2008.

SAT 19:00 Comedy Greats (b007k3x4)

[Repeat of broadcast at 09:00 today]

SAT 22:00 Comedy on the Boat (b015yn81)

Jim Smallman, Jeff Innocent, Will Smith and Rob Deering rock The Tattershall Castle with laughter on London's River Thames. SAT 22:45 Greg at The Stand (b015yn83)

Episode 3

Greg McHugh welcomes some of the world's finest stand ups to the renowned Glasgow comedy venue. With Milton Jones and Jim David. From June 2011.

SAT 23:00 Julie Enfield Investigates (b010nnhx) Leaves of the Dead

3. Welcome To The Nightmare

Feisty detective superintendent Julie Enfield probes a third killing. Could it be a ritual murder?

Imelda Staunton stars as Julie Enfield in Nick Fisher's atmospheric thriller.

Julie Enfield Imelda Staunton

Dad Geoffrey Matthews

Lawrence Evans Ross Livingstone

Stephen Arnold Alex Lowe

Amanda Thorne Janet Maw Melanie Sharp Colleen Prendergast

Dorothy Shirley Dixon

Phil Carter Christopher Scott Producer: Richard Wortley

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in August 1997.

SAT 23:30 Wallander - Faceless Killers (b00hy945)

Episode 9 Convinced that Erik is the murderer, Wallander tackles his

suspect's mother. Henning Mankell's thriller read by David

SAT 23:45 Devil in a Blue Dress (b00zw62x)

The revelations come thick and fast when Easy finally catches up with Daphne. Walter Mosley's thriller read by Paul Winfield.

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SUN 00:00 The Scarifvers (b008idt5)

[Repeat of broadcast at 18:00 on Saturday]

SUN 00:30 David Garnett - Lady into Fox (b00cmz8m)

[Repeat of broadcast at 18:30 on Saturday]

SUN 01:00 Ed Doolan Interviews... (b01jrjyw)

[Repeat of broadcast at 08:00 on Saturday] SUN 02:00 Michael Butt - Chronicles of Ait (b01 irkx6)

[Repeat of broadcast at 12:00 on Saturday]

SUN 03:15 The Medical Detectives (b007k0rx)

[Repeat of broadcast at 13:15 on Saturday

SUN 04:00 The Other Side of the Hill (b010t4pb)

[Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 on Saturday]

SUN 05:30 Comic to Comic (b00807sb)

[Repeat of broadcast at 17:30 on Saturday]

SUN 06:00 Alan Plater - Abandoned Projects (b009v3js) Omnibus

Architecture, musicals, FBI agents, and bears on the toilet, Playwright Alan Plater talks about the career moves he never

SUN 07:15 Jackie Wullschlager - Chagall (b00tgcq6) Episode 5

The artist welcomes the revolution and runs an art school. But then the repression starts. Biography read by Derek Jacobi. SUN 07:30 The Castle (b01jjtn3)

Series 4

Boogie Knights

Hie ye to The Castle, a rollicking sitcom set way back then, starring James Fleet ("The Vicar Of Dibley"), Neil Dudgeon ("Life Of Riley"), Martha Howe-Douglas ("Horrible Histories") & Ingrid Oliver ("Watson & Oliver")

The wedding of the decade is almost ruined by 200 tents and an over-excited woodpecker. Plus Henry, Duncan and De Warenne gatecrash a rather special Hen Night

Written by Kim Fuller & Paul Alexander

Music by Guy Jackson

Produced and directed by David Tyler.

SUN 08:00 All Gas and Gaiters (b007jpfl)

The Bishop Takes a Holiday

A clerical outing to a dwindling community parish causes chaos. Starring Robertson Hare as the Archdeacon, William Mervyn as the Bishop, Jonathan Cecil as Bishop's Chaplain - the Reverend Mervyn Noote and John Barron as the Dean. With Doris Hare,

George Woodbridge, Betty Baskcomb and Neil McDermott. The ecclesiastical sitcom started life as a TV pilot in Comedy

Playhouse, ahead of a run on BBC1 from 1966 to 1971. Selected scripts were revised and re-recorded for radio.

Written and adapted by husband-and-wife team, Pauline

Devaney and Edwin Apps. Producer: David Hatch.

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in July 1972.

SUN 08:30 Ray's a Laugh (b007js9f)

From 01/04/1954

When Mrs Easy quits, Ted and wife Kitty wrestle with finding a new cleaner.

With Kitty Bluett, Peter Sellers, Patricia Hayes, Charles Hawtrey and Kenneth Connor.

Ray's A Laugh - the successor to ITMA - follows the comedy exploits of Ted's life at home with his 'radio' wife Kitty, as well as in a variety of jobs. It ran from 1949-1961.

Scripted by Eddie Maguire, George Wadmore and Ted Ray. Music from Bob & Alf Pearson and The Beaux and The Belles.

BBC Variety Orchestra conducted by Paul Fenoulhet. Producer: George Inns

First broadcast on the BBC Home Service in April 1954 SUN 09:00 Michelle Magorian - Back Home (b0112flv) Episode 2

The war is over but the battle is only just beginning for Rusty, as she moves to Guildford to face her acid-tongued grandmother. Stars Mary Wimbush.

SUN 09:30 Anthony Hope - The Prisoner of Zenda (b00sysd2)

An Uncanny Resemblance

1890s Ruritania sees the heroic Rudolf Rassendyll swap places with the soon-to-be King. Starring Douglas Hodge and Anthony Daniels.

SUN 10:00 Desert Island Discs Revisited (b01 irnmt)

The Duchess Of Kent

The castaway choices of the Queen's cousin, who tells Sue Lawley about her lifelong devotion to music. From December

SUN 10:45 A Year in the Life of Ants (b008yd1f) Episode 2

It's springtime and the Northumbrian wood ants are hungry, but the tree fellers are getting closer. Peter France investigates. SUN 11:00 Dickens on Location (b01 irnn0)

Made for 4 Extra. Brought together by popular demand, the places described by Charles Dickens are explored with the

people who live and work in them today. SUN 11:30 How Tickled Am I? (b007jp6m)

Ken Dodd

Mark Radcliffe reveals how the tattyfilarious Squire of Knotty Ash became one of the greatest comic acts of our time

SUN 12:00 Alan Plater - Abandoned Projects (b009v3is) [Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 today]

SUN 13:15 Jackie Wullschlager - Chagall (b00tgcq6) [Repeat of broadcast at 07:15 today] SUN 13:30 John Wyndham - Chocky (b007k49r)

Twelve-year-old Matthew has an imaginary friend, or is she an alien life force? Psychological drama with Owen Teale and Cathy Tyson.

SUN 15:00 All Gas and Gaiters (b007jpfl)

[Repeat of broadcast at 08:00 today] SUN 15:30 Ray's a Laugh (b007js9f)

[Repeat of broadcast at 08:30 today]

SUN 16:00 Mel's Mix: The Best of The 4 O'Clock Show (b01jrnnb)

It's been a busy week on The 4 O'Clock Show and Mel runs through some of her best bits, including a trip to the opera, the man behind Mickey Mouse, and a hunt for woodland mice.

SUN 16:30 Michelle Magorian - Back Home (b0112flv) [Repeat of broadcast at 09:00 today] SUN 17:00 Anthony Hope - The Prisoner of Zenda

(b00sysd2)

[Repeat of broadcast at 09:30 today] SUN 17:30 Groucho Was My Father (b007ylwv)

Episode 2

Revealing the man behind the greasepaint moustache, Miriam Marx Allen tells Tony Staveacre about his reaction to her

SUN 18:00 The Devil in Amber by Mark Gatiss (b00vfjsh)

Desperation

Will spy hero Lucifer Box reach cult leader Olympus Mons Satanic lair, deep beneath the Swiss Alps, in time to prevent the sacrifice of the "perfect victim"? Mark Gatiss concludes his own fiendishly gripping adventure.

Abridged by David Jackson Young.

Producer: Kirsteen Cameron.

Made for BBC Radio 4 Extra by BBC Scotland and first broadcast in 2010.

SUN 18:30 Red Dwarf (b00pgqf2)

Infinity Welcomes Careful Drivers

Episode 4

The crew gain two new recruits. Namely, a vain feline descendant and a neurotic mechanoid. Read by Rimmer himself, Chris Barrie.

SUN 19:00 Dickens on Location (b01 irnn0)

[Repeat of broadcast at 11:00 today] SUN 19:30 How Tickled Am I? (b007jp6m)

[Repeat of broadcast at 11:30 today]

SUN 20:00 All Gas and Gaiters (b007 infl)

[Repeat of broadcast at 08:00 today]

SUN 20:30 Ray's a Laugh (b007js9f) [Repeat of broadcast at 08:30 today]

SUN 21:00 Desert Island Discs Revisited (b01jrnmt) [Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 today]

SUN 21:45 A Year in the Life of Ants (b008vd1f)

[Repeat of broadcast at 10:45 today]

SUN 22:00 The Castle (b01jjtn3) [Repeat of broadcast at 07:30 today]

SUN 22:30 The Maltby Collection (b00m67w1)

Series 3 Episode 1

Massive budget cuts are needed - so who will museum director

Walter put forward for the chop? Geoffrey Palmer and Julian Rhind-Tutt star in series 3 of David Nobbs' sitcom about a small museum of paintings and sculpture.

Rod Millet Julian Rhind-Tutt

Walter Brindle Geoffrey Palmer Prunella Edgecumbe Rachel Atkins

Susie Maltby Margaret Cabourn-Smith

Julian Crumb-Loosely Ben Willbond Wilf Arbuthnot Geoff McGivern

Eva Tattle Julia Deakin

Des Wainwright Michael Smiley

Stelios Constantinopoulis Chris Pavlo Gloria Brindle Helen Atkinson Wood.

Producer: Colin Anderson

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in August 2009.

SUN 22:55 The Comedy Club Interviews (b01jrnns) From 10pm - midnight, Sunday to Friday, the Comedy Club

has two hours of comedy. SUN 23:00 Dave Podmore (b007tm7h)

Dave Podmore's World of Cricket

Episode 4

The star player joins a host of Z-list celebrities on a charity walk for mauled dog, Shep.

Sitcom about the exploits of talentless, amateurish, smug, inept and self-deluding English cricketer Dave Podmore.

Starring Chris Douglas and Andrew Nickolds with Chris Pavlo and Nicola Sanderson.

Written by Chris Douglas, Andrew Nickolds and Nick

Producer: Richard Wilson First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in June 2002.

SUN 23:30 Forty Nights in the Wildebeest (b007k0hh)

Episode 1 Dan Freedman and Nick Romero probe the French Revolution, Frankenstein and the Death of the Dinosaurs. From April 2000.

MONDAY 11 JUNE 2012

MON 00:00 The Devil in Amber by Mark Gatiss (b00vfjsh)

[Repeat of broadcast at 18:00 on Sunday]

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[Repeat of broadcast at 09:30 on Sunday] MON 06:00 A Charles Paris Mystery (b00t9zq7)

Sicken and So Die

Episode 3 Twelfth Night opens to rapturous reviews. But could the actorcum-sleuth be the poisoner's next victim? Stars Bill Nighy. MON 06:30 Mark McShane - Seance on a Wet Afternoon

(b00r8f15)

Episode 2 Craving publicity, clairvoyant Myra Savage and her husband have kidnapped a girl. Anton Lesser reads Mark McShane's

MON 06:45 The Late Alfred Hitchcock Presents (b00tqqxf) Sredni Vashtar

By Saki. Living with his cruel aunt, young Conradin worships a fierce polecat ferret which answers his prayers. Stars Michael

Roberts. MON 07:00 Married (b007v2rf)

Series 3

Episode 3

More strange happenings occur following the universes colliding: the King's ex quite literally drops in after being trapped in a vortex for five weeks. Robin finds himself playing

chief powerbroker in the Royal relationship and manages to turn it to his advantage.

Hugh Bonneville stars in the third series of the comedy drama about a confirmed bachelor Robin Lightfoot dealing with life in a parallel universe where he has kids and an ex-wife who hates

With Josie Lawrence as Lesley, Stephen Frost as Dirk, Julian Clary as Adrian, Ann Gosling as Maxine, Sam Bradley as Ned, Christopher Kelham as King John and Arthur Smith as Arthur Smith.

Written by Tony Bagley.

Producer: Claire Jones

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in September 2001.

MON 07:30 Just a Minute (b01jgj0f)

Episode 4

Just how hard can it be to talk for 60 seconds with no hesitation, repetition and deviation?

Regulars Jenny Eclair and Tony Hawks welcome relative newcomers Richard Herring and Paul Sinha to try.

As ever, Nicholas Parsons chairs this popular comedy panel

MON 08:00 Beyond Our Ken (b009npzf)

Desert island doings for the Swiss Family Horne - and 'Hornerama' probes the press. Stars Kenneth Horne. From November 1960.

MON 08:30 Steptoe and Son (b00s3cgj)

Series 1

The Diploma

Harold Steptoe drops a bombshell by quitting the family rag and bone business for a new career as a TV repair man.

Starring Wilfrid Brambell and Harry H Corbett.

Following the conclusion of their hugely successful association with Tony Hancock, writers Ray Galton and Alan Simpso wrote 10 pilots for the BBC TV's Comedy Playhouse in 1962. The Offer featured the lives of rag and bone men Albert Steptoe and son Harold - and was the spark for a run of 8 series

Albert Wilfrid Brambell

Harold Harry H. Corbett

Adapted for radio from Galton and Simpson's TV script by Gale Pedrick.

Producer: Bobby Jaye

First broadcast on the BBC Light Programme in August 1966. MON 09:00 The Castle (b01jrt6b)

on TV.

Give Me the Flaming Torch

Hie ye to The Castle, a rollicking sitcom set way back then, starring James Fleet ("The Vicar Of Dibley"), Neil Dudgeon ("Life Of Riley"), Martha Howe-Douglas ("Horrible Histories") & Ingrid Oliver

The Olympics are coming to Woodstock, so what better time for Sir William to go on a go-slow & for Henry to hunt for dragons? Meanwhile, Sir John tries to get fit and Charlotte tries to get into her beach volleyball costume.

Written by Kim Fuller & Paul Alexander

Music by Guy Jackson

Produced and directed by David Tyler.

MON 09:30 Electric Ink (b01 irt6d)

Series 2

Episode 2

By Alistair Beaton and Tom Mitchelson.

A comic satire set in the struggling world of newspapers. Maddox refuses to give up a source. Could he really face prison.

Maddox John Sessions

Oliver Alex Jennings

Freddy Stephen Wight Carol Polly Frame

Masha Debbie Chazen

Policeman Henry Devas

Warder Adeel Akhtar

Producer Sally Avens

Alistair Beaton and Tom Mitchelson's satire is set in the world of modern newspapers.

A group of dysfunctional journalists attempt to cover major news stories at the same time as grappling with the demands of working in a multi-platform environment, watching circulation figures plummet and the recession causing half the workforce to be laid off.

At the heart of the comedy is the relationship between Maddox Bradley, a journalist who mourns the day of proper investigative journalism, and Freddy, the online editor who will regurgitate a press release quite happily and call it a story. But they have a grudging respect for the each other as Freddy helps Maddox stay afloat in the world of Twitter, Facebook and podcasting and Maddox shows Freddy how to sniff out the real story. Both are at the mercy of Oliver, the pragmatic editor more concerned with keeping his job, and Carol, the news editor who believes that circulation will increase if they run pieces on Big Mac eating orang-utans and 'intelligent' skunks rather than Maddox's moral crusading diatribes. And only Masha, the Russian head of online communities, who wants to give away all their content because that is true democracy, knows Freddy's secret; that he's a posh boy from Eton rather than a hypercool kid from the street; well that's what Freddy

MON 10:00 Robert Graves - I, Claudius (b01jrt6g)

Augustus

Young Claudius grows up in the turbulent household of Augustus, the first Roman Emperor, and Livia, the wife who matched his achievements with her ambition. The Imperial Couple disregard their young grandson as they inch towards absolute power. But that won't save Claudius from heartbreak Robert Graves' scandalous histories of Roman political vice dramatised in six-parts by Robin Brooks.

Claudius Tom Goodman-Hill

Augustus Derek Jacobi

Livia Harriet Walter

Tiberius Tim McInnerny Julia Alison Pettitt

Athenodorus Sam Dale Cato Jude Akuwudike

Thrasyllus Sean Baker

Young Claudius Harvey Allpress Young Herod Felix Zadek-Ewing

Young Germanicus Harry Child

Camilla Lauren Mote

Young Postumus Ryan Watson

Young Livilla Holly Gibbs

Other parts played by Adeel Akhtar, Tony Bell, Christine

Kavanagh, and Sally Orrock

Specially composed music by David Pickvance.

Director: Jonquil Panting.

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 2010.

MON 11:00 Afternoon Reading (b007x07y) William Trevor - Cheating at Canasta

Folie a Deux

A chance meeting in Paris revives powerful memories of a shared past on an Irish beach. Story collection read by William Trevor

MON 11:15 Loose Ends (b01jppw0)

Tony Parsons, Lenora Crichlow, Lemn Sissay and Charles Hazlewood

Clive's sunning himself with columnist, author, Man And Boy Tony Parsons, whose bestselling novels typically deal with relationship problems and emotional dramas between the sexes. His latest book 'Catching The Sun', is the story of a family who go in search of Paradise and end up discovering themselve Clive's Being Human with actress Lenora Crichlow, who will soon burst out of the blocks and into cinemas to star in pacey sports drama 'Fast Girls'. Lenora plays sassy, streetwise Shania, who meets ambitious, middle class Lisa and their two worlds explosively collide on the athletics track. 'Fast Girls' races into UK cinemas on 15th June.

Clive seeks refuge with official Olympic poet and Rebel Without Applause Lemn Sissay, whose poetry adorns buildings throughout Manchester and London. The specially commissioned 'Spark Catchers' is etched into a transformer on the Olympic site. As part of Refugee Week, Lemn will be performing poetry at 'Celebrating Sanctuary London' on the

South Bank on Sunday 17th June. Allegra McEvedy's donning her wellies to talk to inspirational conductor Charles Hazlewood. He's attained a unique place in British music through his eclectic range of work including his Scrapheap Orchestra and most recently the Paraorchestra, the UK's first national disabled orchestra which he founded. Both can be heard at his Orchestra in a Field' Festival in Somerset at the end of this month.

Music comes from a veritable pool of musical talent! Kathryn Williams Presents The Pond perform 'Circle Round A Tree'. And hot on the heels of his sister Julia, Angus Stone, the other half of Australian musical siblings Angus & Julia Stone is in the studio to perform 'Wooden Chair' from his solo album 'Broken Brights'.

Producer Cathie Mahoney

MON 12:00 Beyond Our Ken (b009npzf)

[Repeat of broadcast at 08:00 today]

MON 12:30 Steptoe and Son (b00s3cgj) [Repeat of broadcast at 08:30 today]

MON 13:00 A Charles Paris Mystery (b00t9zq7)

[Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 today]

MON 13:30 Mark McShane - Seance on a Wet Afternoon (b00r8f15)

[Repeat of broadcast at 06:30 today]

MON 13:45 The Late Alfred Hitchcock Presents (b00tqqxf) [Repeat of broadcast at 06:45 today]

MON 14:00 Incredible Women (b01jrt6j)

Episode 1

4 Extra Debut, Controversial children's writer and wolf enthusiast Eleanor Fane-Gore reveals her true pedigree.

MON 14:15 This Sceptred Isle (b007jt6d)

Trafalgar

Peace falters, war with France resumes and the Battle of Trafalgar looms. Anna Massey continues the history of Britain. MON 14:30 Fav Weldon Stories (b007 ix0x)

Climbing the Pine

As Robert reluctantly prepares for college, he's disconcerted by the predicament of brown bear cubs. Read by Maureen O'Brien. MON 14:45 Nella Last's Peace: Housewife 49 (b012lq82) Episode 1

As Japan surrenders, the reflections of an ordinary housewife from Barrow-in-Furness in August 1945. Read by Imelda

MON 15:00 Robert Graves - I. Claudius (b01irt6g)

[Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 today]

MON 16:00 The 4 O'Clock Show (b01 irt6n)

There's a wild west flavour today as Mel Giedroyc finds out

what cowboys ate on the trail and how the Indians traded food. Plus, a man who loves bats and a great new story

MON 17:00 At Home With Hinge and Bracket (b008lyzf)

2. Anthony Newley

Dame Hilda Bracket and her lifelong companion, Dr Evadne Hinge, invite you to eavesdrop on some informal music and conversation.

Joining them in the music room is actor, singer and composer Anthony Newley.

Dame Hilda Bracket George Logan Dr Evadne Hinge Patrick Fyffe

Producer: John Fawcett Wilson

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in November 1990.

MON 17:30 Married (b007v2rf)

[Repeat of broadcast at 07:00 today]

MON 18:00 Dermot Bolger - Haunting Women (b016pyp1) The Linen Mill

The beautiful singing of a young girl is often heard in a Belfast office block but why is she doomed to haunt this building

forever? Inspired by some of Ireland's most renowned female ghosts, Haunting Women is a group of stories from across the centuries, reliving five tragic tales of women who are doomed

to haunt the island for eternity. Producer: Gemma McMullan

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 2005

MON 18:15 Brian Aldiss Presents (b00mtm6q)

By Phillip K Dick, A paranoid scientist's identity crisis. Britain's leading sci-fi exponent chooses his favourite stories. Read by Peter Marinker.

MON 18:30 Brian Aldiss - Hothouse (b00m9p2w)

Episode 1

Millions of years in the future, a colossal banyan tree covers much of the Earth. In its boughs, the last remnants of humanity are fighting for survival, terrorised by carnivorous plants and grotesque insect life.

The Earth has stopped rotating and the Sun's output has increased. Plants are engaged in a constant tropical forest-style frenzy of growth driving other life forms to extinction...

Brian Aldiss's 1962 sci-fi fantasy read by Gareth Thomas. Abridged in five parts by Lu Kemp.

Producer: Eilidh McCreadie

Made for BBC Radio 7 and first broadcast in 2009.

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MON 21:00 Afternoon Reading (b007x07v) [Repeat of broadcast at 11:00 today]

MON 21:15 Loose Ends (b01jppw0) [Reneat of broadcast at 11:15 today]

MON 22:00 Just a Minute (b01jgj0f)

[Repeat of broadcast at 07:30 today]

MON 22:30 The Castle (b01 irt6b) [Repeat of broadcast at 09:00 today]

MON 23:00 The Now Show (b01jhp0f) Series 37

Episode 1 Jon Holmes, John Finnemore, Mitch Benn and Pippa Evans join Steve Punt and Hugh Dennis to dissect the week's news in their

own indomitable style. It's the 37th series of The Now Show. And this, in many ways their Jubilee year, sees them joined by a range of guests from the world of comedy - from stalwarts Marcus Brigstocke and Jon Holmes, to newcomers Susan Calman and Nathan Caton.

Join them for the pageant of the year. MON 23:30 On Baby Street (b00dp75i)

Episode 1 Three women neighbours are set to discover the delights of parenthood, Stars Keith Allen and Kathy Burke, From January

TUESDAY 12 JUNE 2012

TUE 00:00 Dermot Bolger - Haunting Women (b016pyp1)

[Repeat of broadcast at 18:00 on Monday]

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[Repeat of broadcast at 06:30 on Monday]

TUE 01:45 The Late Alfred Hitchcock Presents (b00tggxf) [Repeat of broadcast at 06:45 on Monday]

TUE 02:00 The Castle (b01 irt6b)

[Repeat of broadcast at 09:00 on Monday]

TUE 02:30 Electric Ink (b01 irt6d)

[Repeat of broadcast at 09:30 on Monday]

TUE 03:00 Robert Graves - I, Claudius (b01jrt6g)

[Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 on Monday]

TUE 04:00 Afternoon Reading (b007x07y)

[Repeat of broadcast at 11:00 on Monday]

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TUE 05:30 Married (b007v2rf)

[Repeat of broadcast at 07:00 on Monday]

TUE 06:00 A Charles Paris Mystery (b00tb9qk)

Sicken and So Die

Can the actor-cum-amateur sleuth unmask the murderer who has been poisoning the cast of Twelfth Night? Stars Bill Nighy. TUE 06:30 Mark McShane - Seance on a Wet Afternoon (b00r8hvd)

Episode 3

Clairvoyant kidnapper Myra Savage and her husband await ransom money for their girl hostage. Read by Anton Lesser. TUE 06:45 The Late Alfred Hitchcock Presents (b00tr2pc)

By Margaret St Clair. Sponger Charles goes to live with his Aunt Muriel, who takes her still life art work deadly seriously. Stars Michael Roberts.

TUE 07:00 The Sit Crom (b00lv7z6)

The General Inspection

Cromwell arrives, weeps and investigates as well he might since Father Francis has donned a night shirt and taken to the roof leads singing Ave Maria.

Mercy's disguise is revealed, Father Francis is perplexed in his hole, Tobias denigrates the vegetables, Arise Higgs and his platoon are billeted on Firebasket Hall and Gazebo has lethal

Sue Limb's six-part comedy set during the English Civil War.

Sir John Firebasket Joss Ackland Lady Anne Firebasket Denise Coffey

Tobias Thynne Clive Merrison

Mercy, alias Melissa Miriam Margoyles

Father Francis Nickolas Grace

Gazebo Fogg Jack Klaff

Captain Arise Higgs Alun Armstrong Posthumous Nicky Henson

Counter Tenor Peter Hayward Cromwell Bert Parnaby

Colonel Thundery Peter Howell

Music by Colin Sell.

Producer: Ionathan James-Moore First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 1990.

TUE 07:30 Cabin Pressure (b012llrz)

Series 3

Ottery St Mary

Martin is a man with a van, Douglas flies a plane with an otter and Carolyn dates a pilot with a problem with sheep.

And two mysteries are solved - the name of Carolyn's dog and the rules of "Yellow Car"

John Finnemore's sitcom about the pilots of a tiny charter airline for whom no job is too small and many jobs are too

With special guest Anthony Head

Carolyn Knapp-Shappey Stephanie Cole 1st Officer Douglas Richardson Roger Allam

Capt. Martin Crieff Benedict Cumberbatch Arthur Shappey John Finnemore

Capt. Herc Shipwright Anthony Head

Mrs. Laurel Flip Webster Mr Hardy Ewan Bailey

Producer/Director: David Tyler

A Pozzitive production for BBC Radio 4 first broadcast in July 2011.

TUE 08:00 The Goon Show (b007jnxg)

Ill Met by Goonlight

Neddie Seagoon is sent to capture the German general who commands the island of Crete. Stars Spike Milligan. From March 1957

TUE 08:30 Lines From My Grandfather's Forehead (b00hsff3)

Series 2

Episode 6

A musing pianist, a two-headed 'Great Eccentric' and Is the Age of Chivalry dead?

A sequential entertainment for radio starring Ronnie Barker. With Terence Brady and Pauline Yates.

Pianist: Gordon Langford.

Written by Chris Allen, David Climie and Gordon Langford, Jim Eldridge, John Graham, Alan Hutchison, Chris Miller, Richard Murdoch, Allan Scott and Chris Bryant, Gerald Wiley

and Stan Wootton. Producer John Fawcett-Wilson

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in August 1972.

TUE 09:00 The Now Show (b01ihp0f)

[Repeat of broadcast at 23:00 on Monday]

TUE 09:30 Jest a Minute (b012h804)

Series 1

Episode 1

Justin Moorhouse, Jarred Christmas, Chris Corcoran and Jeremy Hardy star in Rhod Gilbert's comedy quiz. From August

TUE 10:00 Robert Graves - I, Claudius (b01js1l0)

Growing up amid the intrigues of the Imperial family, Claudius learns his grandmother Livia's true ambition - and finds himself and his brother Germanicus in danger.

Robert Graves' scandalous histories of Roman political vice

dramatised in six-parts by Robin Brooks.

Claudius Tom Goodman-Hill Augustus Derek Jacobi

Livia Harriet Walter

Tiberius Tim McInnerny Pollio Trevor Peacock Germanicus Joseph Kloska

Agrippina Hattie Morahan Sejanus Sam Dale

Herod Agrippa Zubin Varla Postumus Henry Devas

Livilla Leah Brotherhead

Cassius Chaerea Jude Akuwudike

Pomponius Sean Baker Antonia Christine Kavanagh

Castor Iain Batchelor

Piso Tony Bell Pallas Lloyd Thomas

Young Caligula James Warner

Specially composed music by David Pickvance.

Director: Jonquil Panting.

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 2010.

TUE 11:00 Afternoon Reading (b007x286)

William Trevor - Cheating at Canasta

Cheating at Canasta

A promise honoured, as William Trevor reads his story,

Cheating at Canasta. Produced by Di Speirs. TUE 11:15 The Lady Detectives (b00cg1d6)

The Redhill Sisterhood

Autumn,1897: Victorian undercover agent Loveday Brooke investigates a group of nuns who appear to have forsaken their

vows - and taken to burglary. From the Golden Age of the crime short story, 'The Lady Detectives' is a series of four female sleuths to rival the great

Sherlock himself. Catherine Louisa Pirkis' mystery stars Gayanne Potter as Loveday Brooke, Paul Young as Inspector Gunning, Neil McKinven as Sergeant Blaine, Noreen Leighton as Sister

Monica and Lucy Paterson as Sister Anna. Dramatised by Roger Danes

Producer: Patrick Rayner

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 2005.

TUE 12:00 The Goon Show (b007jnxg)

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TUE 13:45 The Late Alfred Hitchcock Presents (b00tr2pc)

Rebecca and Jeremy Front explore the lives and achievements

[Repeat of broadcast at 06:45 today] TUE 14:00 Incredible Women (b01 is112)

Episode 2 4 Extra Debut. Comic portraits of five extraordinary characters.

of some incredible women TUE 14:15 This Sceptred Isle (b007jt6y)

At War With Napoleon The death of Pitt and life inside the Poor House. Anna Massey

narrates the history of the British Isles TUE 14:30 Fav Weldon Stories (b007itk9)

A Knife for Cutting Mangoes

A tale of relationships and the insecurity that one woman feels

when she replaces another. Read by Louise James TUE 14:45 Nella Last's Peace: Housewife 49 (b012mdwy)

The Barrow-in-Furness housewife looks forward to the first peace-time Christmas in seven years. Read by Imelda Staunton.

TUE 15:00 Robert Graves - I, Claudius (b01js1l0)

[Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 today] TUE 16:00 The 4 O'Clock Show (b01js1pg)

Mel hears about a Pacific island teeming with two million snakes, and discovers the connection between cows' intestines and tennis. Plus, episode 2 of Dakota of the White Flats.

TUE 17:00 Flying the Flag (b00wmnvf) Series 3

A Loss of Marbles

Gathering dust in the British Museum are great lumps of the Republic's heritage - and now it wants them back

"But we did give them lots of things in return, William..."

"Like beads, sir?"

"Like standards William...

Series 3 of Alex Shearer's Eastern bloc embassy sitcom. Starring Dinsdale Landen as HM Ambassador Mackenzie, Peter Acre as William Frost, Moir Leslie as Helen Waterson and

Christopher Benjamin as Colonel Surikov.

Producer: Neil Cargill

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in December 1990. TUE 17:30 The Sit Crom (b00lv7z6)

[Repeat of broadcast at 07:00 today]
TUE 18:00 Dermot Bolger - Haunting Women (b016q309)

The Wedding Bouquet

Could the tale of a tragic marriage from 1677 have implications for a couple tying the knot today? Stars Alison McKenna.

TUE 18:15 Brian Aldiss Presents (b00mz47v)

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by Margaret St Clair. Telepathic horror for a female astronaut. Britain's leading sci-fi exponent presents his favourite stories. Read by Catherine Cusack.

TUE 18:30 Brian Aldiss - Hothouse (b00mdx7n)

The tribal elders have gone, leaving the children to face the Earth's dense jungle alone.

The Earth has stopped rotating and the Sun's output has increased. Plants are engaged in a constant tropical forest-style

frenzy of growth driving other life forms to extinction.. Brian Aldiss's 1962 sci-fi fantasy read by Gareth Thomas.

Abridged in five parts by Lu Kemp. Producer: Eilidh McCreadie

Made for BBC Radio 7 and first broadcast in 2009.

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TUE 21:15 The Lady Detectives (b00cq1d6)

[Repeat of broadcast at 11:15 today] TUE 22:00 Cabin Pressure (b012llrz)

[Repeat of broadcast at 07:30 today] TUE 22:30 Hut 33 (b01js406)

Series 3

Back to Your Post

Everything German's under suspicion in 1942, especially in Bletchley Park. When it's discovered Charles has German relatives, he' threatened with internment.

Will Archie help him, and can he avoid Minka's attention now she knows a true German is among them?

James Cary's sitcom set at Bletchley Park - the top-secret home of the Second World War codebreakers.

Professor Charles Gardner Robert Bathurst

Archie Tom Goodman-Hill Gordon Fergus Craig

3rd Lieutenant Joshua Fanshawe-Marshall Alex MacQueen Minka Olivia Coleman

Mrs Best Lill Roughley Producer: Adam Bromley
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in October 2009.

TUE 23:00 Deep Trouble (b00tfqq4) Series 2

Episode 4 As Christmas nears, the submarine crew stages a nativity with a

realistic twist. Stars Jim Field Smith. From June 2007. TUE 23:30 Trevor's World of Sport (b00nj6fb)

Episode 4 Andy Hamilton's comedy series about Trevor the sports agent

and his brave attempts to swim safely through the shark tank of life 4/6. Trevor's business partner, Sammy, has the morals of a barracuda. So, when a spot of corruption means they could

make a financial killing, it ends in tears.

Trevor Neil Pearson

Sammy Paul Reynolds Ralph Michael Fenton Stevens

Theresa Rosalind Avres Heidrun Cosima Shaw

Barry Abdul Salis Mervl Claire Skinner Dean Philip Pope.

WEDNESDAY 13 JUNE 2012

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WED 02:00 The Now Show (b01jhp0f)

[Repeat of broadcast at 23:00 on Monday] WED 02:30 Jest a Minute (b012h804)

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[Repeat of broadcast at 09:30 on Tuesday]

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WED 05:00 Flying the Flag (b00wmnvf) [Repeat of broadcast at 17:00 on Tuesday]

WED 05:30 The Sit Crom (b00lv7z6)

[Repeat of broadcast at 07:00 on Tuesday]

WED 06:00 A Charles Paris Mystery (b00wh69p)

Murder Unprompted

Episode 1

Simon Brett's thespian sleuth is set to open in a West End play but the real drama happens backstage. Stars Bill Nighy.

WED 06:30 Mark McShane - Seance on a Wet Afternoon

(b00r92l6) Episode 4

Clairvoyant kidnapper Myra Savage's seance for the 'missing' girl sparks a dreadful incident. Read by Anton Lesser

WED 06:45 The Late Alfred Hitchcock Presents (b00tr6np) Being a Murderer Myself

By Arthur Williams. When a jilted poultry farmer meets his exgirlfriend, could it be a case of murder most fowl? Stars Michael Roberts.

WED 07:00 The Secret Life of Rosewood Avenue (b007k281)

Raising the Dead

"I hope you know what you're doing, Miss Tilling. Experimenting with the paranormal can be fraught with danger.'

Miss Tilling's getting in touch with her spiritual side, but hapless vicar Timothy Carswell is not so keen.

Stephen Sheridan's six-part series

Reverend Timothy Carswell James Grout

Miss Tilling Margaret Courtenay Miss Tapp Jean Heywood

Dr Warlock Christopher Good

Mrs Muir Sarah Thomas

Arnold Cyril Shaps Eric Ian Lindsay

Mrs Garland Rosemary Martin

Producer Lissa Evans.

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in March 1991.

WED 07:30 So Wrong It's Right (b01jhdh7)

Series 3

Episode 4

Charlie Brooker hosts the comedy panel show devoted to the art of being wrong, with leading comics and entertainers competing to give the best in wrong answers.

So Wrong It's Right sees Charlie challenge the panel's creativity and asks them to reveal their finest embarrassing stories from their lives. This week the worst experiences at a party and terrible ideas for a series of children's books are just two of the challenges faced by the panel. Will anyone beat Isy Suttie's suggestion for a 'wrong' children's book - the paperworkthemed 'Morris The Admin Mouse'?

The host of So Wrong It's Right, Charlie Brooker, also writes for The Guardian and presents BBC4's satirical series Newswipe and Screenwipe as well as Channel 4's You Have Been Watching. He won Best Newcomer at the British Comedy Awards 2009 and Columnist of the Year at the 2009 British

Press Awards for his newspaper columns.

Produced by Aled Evans A Zeppotron Production for BBC Radio 4.

WED 08:00 Hancock's Half Hour (b007x041)

Series 5

The New Radio Series

Big-headed from his success on TV, the lad's had enough of radio and is set to retire - until he discovers the plan for his replacement.

Stars Tony Hancock.

With Sidney James, Bill Kerr, Hattie Jacques and Kenneth Williams

Written by Ray Galton and Alan Simpson

Theme and incidental music written by Wally Stott.

Producer: Tom Ronald

First broadcast on the BBC Light Programme in January 1958. WED 08:30 I'm Sorry, I'll Read That Again (b00f6r5f) Series 2

A trendy couple debate "what's in and what's out" - and a lonesome two-headed giant.

More quick-fire sketches, terrible puns, humorous songs plus TV and cinema parodies.

Stars Tim Brooke-Taylor, Graeme Garden, David Hatch, Jo Kendall and Bill Oddie.

Written by John Cleese, Graeme Garden, Tony Hendra, Brian Cooke, Johnnie Mortimer and Hugh Woodhouse.

Originating from the Cambridge University Footlights revue 'Cambridge Circus', ISIRTA ran for 8 years on BBC Radio and quickly developed a cult following.

Songs by Bill Oddie and Jean Hart with music by Dave Lee. Producer: Humphrey Barclay
First broadcast on the BBC Home Service in October 1965.

WED 09:00 A Whole New Ball Game (b00b2txd)

Series 1 Goodbye Gregory The late Gregory Patterson was a stalwart of the Roman Catholic Parishioners. But how will Mrs Patterson cope now with her headstrong daughter, Barbara? How will young Robert

face up to his new responsibilities?

Surely football-crazy priest Father Benedict can help? A six-part black comedy by Martin Davies

Stars Desmond Barrit as Father Benedict, Brenda Blethyn as Mrs Patterson, Paul Parris as Robert Patterson, Charlotte Coleman as Barbara Patterson, Martino Lazzeri as Guy Entwhistle, Gordon Reid as Mr Plant, Mark Straker as Andy

and Claire Skinner as Janet. Producer: Lissa Evans

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in April 1992.

WED 09:30 Counterpoint (b00f6sw0)

Heat 9

Ned Sherrin hosts the music quiz with Adrian Clark of London, Richard De Lacey from Suffolk and John Hambley from London.

WED 10:00 Robert Graves - I, Claudius (b01jswj3)

Sejanus

As he struggles to keep his throne, the Emperor Tiberius finds his Commander of the Guard, Sejanus, an invaluable aide against treason. And Sejanus finds Claudius an unwilling collaborator in his rise to power.

Robert Graves' scandalous histories of Roman political vice dramatised in six-parts by Robin Brooks.

Claudius Tom Goodman-Hill

Tiberius Tim McInnerny

Livia Harriet Walter Caligula Samuel Barnett

Seianus Sam Dale

Agrippina Hattie Morahan

Antonia Christine Kavanagh

Livilla Leah Brotherhead Pallas Lloyd Thomas

The Fisherman Adeel Akhtar

Macro Tony Bell Calpurnia Sally Orrock

Plautius Jude Akuwudike

Cremutius Sean Baker

Officer Iain Batchelor

Senator Henry Devas

Plancina Claire Harry Aelia Deeivya Meir

Pallas Lloyd Thomas

Specially composed music by David Pickvance. Director: Jonquil Panting.

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 2010.

WED 11:00 Afternoon Reading (b007x23d)

William Trevor - Cheating at Canasta

Old Flame

William Trevor reads stories from his new collection Zoe's marriage has been haunted by Audrey, with whom her husband once had an affair, and also Grace. But Grace is now dead

Abridged by Sally Marmion.

WED 11:15 The Lady Detectives (b00cq611)

Mr Bovey's Unexpected Will

Miss Florence Cusack, one of Victorian London's most clever and determined private consulting detectives, investigates a case where a man's fate depends on his weight in gold.

From the Golden Age of the crime short story, 'The Lady Detectives' is a series of four female sleuths to rival the great Sherlock himself

LT Meade and Robert Eustace's mystery stars Elizabeth Conboy as Miss Cusack, Crawford Logan as Dr Lonsdale and Paul

Young as Inspector Schilling. Dramatised by Roger Danes.

Producer: Patrick Rayner

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 2005.

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WED 13:45 The Late Alfred Hitchcock Presents (b00tr6np) [Repeat of broadcast at 06:45 today]

WED 14:00 Incredible Women (b01jsxty)

Episode 3

Peggy Saville was the innocent star of the Round The Back film comedies. Or was she? With Rebecca and Jeremy Front.

WED 14:15 This Scentred Isle (b007 it76) The Ministry of All the Talents and the Death of Fox

It was Fox's personality more than his political capabilities that influenced the shape of his politics.

WED 14:30 Fay Weldon Stories (b007jtl6)

Eyes in the Dark

Galway was no ordinary Labrador. He wanted to be a sheep. And then there was that business when he died. Read by the

WED 14:45 Nella Last's Peace: Housewife 49 (b012mki2)

The Barrow-in-Furness housewife worries over the prospects for her husband and sons in January 1946. Read by Imelda

Staunton.

WED 15:00 Robert Graves - I, Claudius (b01jswj3)

[Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 today]

WED 16:00 The 4 O'Clock Show (b01jsy4q)

Today Mel Giedroyc tries a jellied eel, meets some ponies on Exmoor and hears about one of the world's greates

watchmakes. Plus, the Inheritance Tracks of Cyndi Lauper. WED 17:00 PG Wodehouse (b00b41fq)

What Ho! Jeeves: Joy in the Morning

Florence Craye

Trapped in the Hampshire hamlet of Steeple Bumpleigh, Bertie Wooster meets an old flame.

PG Wodehouse's romp starring Michael Hordern and Richard Briers.

Adapted in seven-parts by Chris Miller.

Jeeves Michael Hordern Bertie Wooster Richard Briers

. Bronwen Williams Florence Craye . Stilton Cheesewright Michael Kilgarriff

Salesman Bruce Bennett

Producer: Simon Brett

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in July 1978.

WED 17:30 The Secret Life of Rosewood Avenue (b007k281)

[Repeat of broadcast at 07:00 today]

WED 18:00 Dermot Bolger - Haunting Women (b016r25v) The Waiting Wall

Grandmother Sarah returns to the village she grew up in, and relives the scandal and tragedy of her sister. Stars Doreen Keogh.

WED 18:15 Brian Aldiss Presents (b00n3mhq)

Anomalies

By Gregory Benford. The mystery behind the moon jumping orbit. Britain's leading sci-fi exponent presents his favourite stories. Read by Peter Marinker.

WED 18:30 Brian Aldiss - Hothouse (b00mj3gd)

Episode 3

The manipulative Morel fungus guides Gren and Poyly's lives without their tribe.

Millions of years in the future, a colossal banyan tree covers much of the Earth. In its boughs, the last remnants of humanity are fighting for survival, terrorized by carnivorous plants and grotesque insect life.

The Earth has stopped rotating and the Sun's output has increased. Plants are engaged in a constant tropical forest-style frenzy of growth driving other life forms to extinction...

Brian Aldiss's 1962 sci-fi fantasy read by Gareth Thomas. Abridged in five parts by Lu Kemp.

Producer: Eilidh McCreadie Made for BBC Radio 7 and first broadcast in 2009

WED 19:00 Hancock's Half Hour (b007x041)

[Repeat of broadcast at 08:00 today] WED 19:30 I'm Sorry, I'll Read That Again (b00f6r5f)

[Repeat of broadcast at 08:30 today]

WED 20:00 A Charles Paris Mystery (b00wh69p) [Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 today] WED 20:30 Mark McShane - Seance on a Wet Afternoon

(b00r92l6)

[Repeat of broadcast at 06:30 today]
WED 20:45 The Late Alfred Hitchcock Presents (b00tr6np)

[Repeat of broadcast at 06:45 today]

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[Repeat of broadcast at 11:00 today] WED 21:15 The Lady Detectives (b00cq611)

[Repeat of broadcast at 11:15 today]
WED 22:00 So Wrong It's Right (b01jhdh7)

[Repeat of broadcast at 07:30 today]

 $\it WED~22:30~The~Museum~of~Everything~(b007k0zt)$

Series 1

School Parties Welcome The Museum enjoys a visit from some schoolchildren as they learn the origin of scampi in the new Undersea Adventure display.

Written and performed by Marcus Brigstocke, Danny Robins

and Dan Tetsell.

With Lucy Montgomery. Music by Dominic Haslam and Ben Walker.

Producer: Alex Walsh-Taylor First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in April 2004.

WED 23:00 Masala FM (b0080p9x

Episode 6 Love is in the air at Masala FM as their first wedding resulting from Khalid's matrimonial phone-in looms.

But is love blind, or just stupid? Sitcom written by Meera Syal

Music by Nitin Sawhney.

Starring Sanjeev Bhaskar, Nitin Sawheny, Meera Syal and Nina Wadia.

Producer: Liz Anstee First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in October 1996.

WED 23:30 Any Bloke (b007jzqk) Series 2 Home Truths

Baby Jack's home, but unfortunately for his parents, so's Grandma Fay. Stars Jim Sweeney and Caroline Quentin.

THURSDAY 14 HINE 2012

THU 00:00 Dermot Bolger - Haunting Women (b016r25v) [Repeat of broadcast at 18:00 on Wednesday]

THU 00:15 Brian Aldiss Presents (b00n3mhq) [Repeat of broadcast at 18:15 on Wednesday]

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THU 01:00 A Charles Paris Mystery (b00wh69p)

[Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 on Wednesday]

THU 01:30 Mark McShane - Seance on a Wet Afternoon (b00r9216)

[Repeat of broadcast at 06:30 on Wednesday]

THU 01:45 The Late Alfred Hitchcock Presents (b00tr6np) [Repeat of broadcast at 06:45 on Wednesday]

THU 02:00 A Whole New Ball Game (b00b2txd)

[Repeat of broadcast at 09:00 on Wednesday]

THU 02:30 Counterpoint (b00f6sw0)

[Repeat of broadcast at 09:30 on Wednesday]

THU 03:00 Robert Graves - I, Claudius (b01jswj3)

[Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 on Wednesday] THU 04:00 Afternoon Reading (b007x23d)

[Repeat of broadcast at 11:00 on Wednesday]

THU 04:15 The Lady Detectives (b00cq611)

[Repeat of broadcast at 11:15 on Wednesday]

THU 05:00 PG Wodehouse (b00b41fq)

[Repeat of broadcast at 17:00 on Wednesdav] THU 05:30 The Secret Life of Rosewood Avenue

[Repeat of broadcast at 07:00 on Wednesday] THU 06:00 A Charles Paris Mystery (b00whw40)

Murder Unprompted

7 Premiere

Drama for the thespian sleuth, when the new star can't master the script - and some people want him dead. Stars Bill Nighy. THU 06:30 Mark McShane - Seance on a Wet Afternoon (b00r9v0w)

Episode 5

Clairvoyant Myra's husband Bill faces the grim aftermath of the kidnap stunt. Anton Lesser reads Mark McShane's thriller.

THU 06:45 The Late Alfred Hitchcock Presents (b00tr8d2)

The Dancing Partner

By Jerome K Jerome, Toymaker Herr Geibel invents an ingenious mechanical man, but what if it should ever malfunction? Stars Michael Roberts.

THU 07:00 Chambers (b007 ip6n)

Series 2

The Phantom Barrister

Fuller-Carp sets about recruiting new blood with a puzzling new worker - and Ruth's mum pays a visit.

Clive Coleman's sitcom set in perhaps the country's least

spectacular law chambers. John Fuller Carp John Bird

Hilary Tripping James Fleet

Vince Jonathan Kydd

Ruth Quirke Sarah Lancashire

With Robert Bathurst, Susan Johnston and Chris Pavlo.

Producer: Paul Schlesinger First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in May 1998.

THU 07:30 The Simon Day Show (b01jhjs3)

Series 2

Billy Bleach

Simon Day and his characters welcome listeners to The Mallard, a small provincial theatre somewhere in the UK. Each week one of Simon's comic characters come to perform at The

Mallard while the staff struggle with rivalries, self-doubt and the new owner's vision for the theatre's future.

This week popular, Fast Show favourite Billy Bleach returns to The Mallard, the theatre that last series gave him his first big break

Cast list:

Billy Bleach Simon Day

Emanuel Akinyemi Felix Dexter

Pat Bennet ... Morwenna Banks

Ron Bone Simon Greenall

Written by Simon Day Produced by Colin Anderson.

THU 08:00 The Eric Morecambe and Ernie Wise Show (b01jt0yr)

Series 1

Ernie takes Eric to a wig boutique and the BBC's offering Ern a

lucrative new contract - but what about Eric?

Special singing guest: Anita Harris.

Written by Eddie Braben

With Ann Hamilton and Arthur Tolcher.

Music by Dennis Wilson & His Orchestra.

Producer: John Browell

First broadcast on BBC Radio 2 in February 1975.

THU 08:30 Dad's Army (b007jq5q)

Series 3

The Deadly Attachment

As the Walmington-on-Sea platoon attempt to guard a German

U-boat crew, their captain starts making a list. The comic exploits of a Second World War Home Guard

Adapted for radio from Jimmy Perry and David Croft's TV scripts by Harold Snoad and Michael Knowles. Captain Mainwaring Arthur Lowe

Sergeant Wilson John Le Mesurier Corporal Jones Clive Dunn

Private Frazer John Laurie

Private Pike Ian Lavender

Private Godfrey Arnold Ridley Private Walker Larry Martyn

Vicar Frank Williams

Captain Muller Philip Madoc Producer: John Dyas

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in May 1976.

THU 09:00 Any Other Business (b012rb49)

Episode 1

After the local elections, Chesbury is in uproar. The undefeatable have been defeated, while the unelectable have

been elected - and it looks like the unspeakable will become Mayor..

Lucy Flannery's local government sitcom stars Nelson David, John Duttine, James Grout, Rosy Fordham, Nick Hardy,

Howard Lew Lewis, Toby Longworth, Jan Ravens, Vivienne Rochester and June Whitfield.

Producer: Liz Anstee

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in May 1995.

THU 09:30 HR (b00tt4lt)

Series 2

Remodelling

Sam, fearing the sense of purposelessness that often hits retirees, decides to redecorate his house. But, his housemate Peter worries, has he some darker purpose in mind?

Nigel Williams' comedy drama series charting the misfortunes of a middle-aged HR officer and his trouble-making colleague.

Peter Jonathan Pryce

Sam Nicholas Le Prevost

Nigel Tony Bell

Director: Peter Kayanagh.

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in September 2010.

THU 10:00 Robert Graves - I, Claudius (b01jt0yt) Caligula

When the Emperor Tiberius dies, the young and popular Caligula succeeds his Uncle. Claudius will be the first to learn his secret.

Robert Graves' scandalous histories of Roman political vice

dramatised in six-parts by Robin Brooks.

Claudius Tom Goodman-Hill

Tiberius Tim McInnerny

Caligula Samuel Barnett

Herod Agrippa Zubin Varla Antonia Christine Kavanagh

Calpurnia Sally Orrock

Drusilla Deeivya Meir

Macro Tony Bell

Agrippinilla Claire Harry Thrasyllus Sean Baker

Doctor Adeel Akhtar

Gaoler Iain Batchelor

Senator Lloyd Thomas Specially composed music by David Pickvance.

Director: Jonquil Panting.

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 2010

THU 11:00 Afternoon Reading (b007x23f) William Trevor - Cheating at Canasta

The Children

As her father plans to remarry, Connie fights to honour a love as important as her father's new one. Read by William Trevor.

THU 11:15 The Lady Detectives (b00cqf3n)

The Golden Slipper

The vivacious Miss Violet Strange shines in the best New York society. But, unknown to her friends, she's also a professional agency detective. Here, in a case from 1910, she investigates 'The Inseparables', four rich young women suspected of a series

of thefts From the Golden Age of the crime short story, 'The Lady Detectives' is a series of four female sleuths to rival the great

Sherlock himself Anna Green's mystery stars Teresa Gallagher as Violet Strange. Crawford Logan as Driscoll, Lesley Hart as Alicia and Gayanne Potter as Theresa.

Dramatised by Roger Danes

Producer: Patrick Rayner

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THU 13:45 The Late Alfred Hitchcock Presents (b00tr8d2) [Repeat of broadcast at 06:45 today] THU 14:00 Incredible Women (b01jt0yw)

Kate Wilkie develops a taste for adventure when aged 12 she has to rescue her father from a crevasse. With Brian Blessed.

THU 14:15 This Sceptred Isle (b007jt7g) The Peninsula War

A quarter of Napoleon's troops enter Spain and the war with

France continues. Narrated by Anna Massey. THU 14:30 Fay Weldon Stories (b007jzwj)

I. Boadicea

The formidable queen of history speaks of the rages and battles she undertook for her people. Read by Vanessa Redgrave. THU 14:45 Nella Last's Peace: Housewife 49 (b012n474) Episode 4

In June 1946, the housewife sees PoWs working in Barrow, and wonders why they can't be repatriated. Read by Imelda Staunton.

THU 15:00 Robert Graves - I, Claudius (b01jt0yt)

[Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 today]

THU 16:00 The 4 O'Clock Show (b01jt0yy)

Join Mel Giedroyc for a visit to a teabag factory, and a trip on a canal. Plus, cooking Boston beans, how to tune a piano, and episode 4 of Dakota of the White Flats.

THU 17:00 For Better or for Worse (b00v7yjv)

Episode 5

Bernard is all at sea when he is asked to scatter a client's ashes. Stars Su Pollard and Gorden Kaye. From February 1996.

THU 17:30 Chambers (b007jp6n)

[Repeat of broadcast at 07:00 today]

THU 18:00 Dermot Bolger - Haunting Women (b016r526)

The Shimmering Dress In 19th-century Ireland, the beautiful Cecilia rejects the squire's advances. But can she ever escape him? Stars Alison McKenna. THU 18:15 Brian Aldiss Presents (b00n5ny3)

The Cage

By Bertram Chandler. Captives must prove rationality. Britain's leading sci-fi exponent selects his favourite stories. Read by Catherine Cusack

THU 18:30 Brian Aldiss - Hothouse (b00mpnkm)

Episode 4 Gren and Poyly survive the volcano, but the Morel is becoming increasingly frustrated.

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Abridged in five parts by Lu Kemp.

Producer: Eilidh McCreadie Made for BBC Radio 7 and first broadcast in 2009.

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[Repeat of broadcast at 11:15 today]

THU 22:00 The Simon Day Show (b01jhjs3)

[Repeat of broadcast at 07:30 today] THU 22:30 Down the Line (b012r6vs) Olympics, and Can We Trust the Media?

Bellamy takes the calls. Stars Rhys Thomas. From February 2008.

THU 23:00 Revolting People (b00wlrp5)

Pirates Brimshaw, McGurk and the Oliphants attempt to flee to England. 1775 America sitcom. Stars Andy Hamilton. From

Britain's Olympic chances, and can we trust phone-ins? Gary

May 2006. THU 23:30 Think the Unthinkable (b01jt0z0)

Making Cuts

When is a pay cut not a pay cut? When Unthinkable Solutions have to sell it to the staff. Their diplomatic skills are tested to breaking point.

James Carev's sitcom about a clueless bunch of management consultants, Unthinkable Solutions, effortlessly screwing-up their clients' businesses.

Starring:

Edmond.

Marcus Brigstocke

Robin Ince Catherine Shepherd

Beth Chalmers With Ewan Bailey, Tilly Gaunt, Simon Greenall and Neil

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in August 2004.

FRIDAY 15 JUNE 2012

Producer: Adam Bromley.

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[Repeat of broadcast at 07:00 on Thursday]

FRI 06:00 A Charles Paris Mystery (b00whw59)

Murder Unprompted

7 Premiere

Can the thespian sleuth prove his friend Alex is not the murderer - and stop himself being made homeless? Stars Bill

FRI 06:30 Mark McShane - Seance on a Wet Afternoon (b00rdsz6)

Episode 6

The backlash from Myra Savage's kidnap stunt catches up with her at a seance. Anton Lesser concludes Mark McShane's

FRI 06:45 Colin Dexter Short Stories (b007lr7f)

The Double Crossing
A good first day for a certain detective named Lewis.

The creator of the inimitable Inspector Morse brings a fresh detective tale to the airwayes.

Colin Dexter reads his own story.

Producer: Di Speirs

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in August 2004.

FRI 07:00 Smelling of Roses (b00dh89p)

Leading A Merry Dance

Rosie's no expert on Russian folk music but when she's asked to promote The Gulbekistan Dance Ensemble, she's sure she'll be equal to the challenge.

Another assignment for Rosie Burns and the event management company, where the clients are only part of the problem.. Written by Simon Brett.

Rosie Prunella Scales

Jo Rebecca Callard Bob Duncan Preston

Tess Annette Badland

Robert Simon Trinder

Leonid Chris Emmett

Ludmilla Lorelei King

Producer: Maria Esposito First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in August 2002.

FRI 07:30 The Write Stuff (b019h2bb)

Sir John Betieman

James Walton hosts another series of the book-based panel show. This episode's Author of the Week is former poet laureate, Sir John Betjeman.

Sebastian Faulks is joined by children's author, Sue Limb, and John Walsh is joined by Sir Andrew Motion, a previous poet laureate himself, to solve more literary challenges, based on Bet ieman's life and work, as posed to them by James Walton.

The teams are also asked to imagine what Betjeman might have written about were he alive today, and still poet laureate.

FRI 08:00 The Navy Lark (b01jt25y)

The Struggle for Promotion

A new naval directive lets Pertwee apply for a commission.

Stars Leslie Phillips as the Sub-Lieutenant, Jon Pertwee as the Chief Petty Officer, Stephen Murray as the Number One. Richard Caldicote as Captain Povey, Heather Chasen as Heather and Michael Bates as the Padre and Tenniel Evans as Taffy Goldstein.

Laughs afloat aboard British Royal Navy frigate HMS Troutbridge. The Navy Lark ran for an impressive thirteen series between 1959 and 1976.

Scripted by Lawrie Wyman

Producer: Alastair Scott Johnston.

First broadcast on the BBC Light Programme in November

FRI 08:30 The Burkiss Way (b00gsb7z)

Series 2

Govern Britain the Burkiss Way

The comedy team sweep to a political landslide.

The Burkiss Way to Dynamic Living from radio's Advanced Correspondence Course

With democratic instruction from Jo Kendall , Nigel Ree Chris Emmett and Fred Harris.

A proportionally representative script by Andrew Marshall and David Renwick Ministerial production by Simon Brett.

Cult sketch show first broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in January

FRI 09:00 Are You From the Bugle? (b01jt2sc)

A Bit of Bad News

Butterthwaite's frustrated cub reporter Graham faces a steep learning curve. Stars Jeffrey Holland. From June 1996. FRI 09:30 Tickets Please (b00p1nm5)

Love among the train-staff on the 9.27 London to Exeter flourishes, but with the unwelcome addition of Diana's amorous mum. And why is her Dad squashing Carol's muffins?

Sitcom on rails by Mark Maier.

...Jeremy Swift Robin.... Nadine..... ..Alex Kelly

Peter.....Malcolm Tierney

Carol.....Tessa Nicholson

Carl.....Nicholas Boulton Diana.....Melissa Advani

Linda.....Kate Lavden

Keith.....Stephen Hogan Producer: Peter Kavanagh

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in November 2009. FRI 10:00 Robert Graves - I, Claudius (b01jt2sf)

Claudius

How the Sibyl's prophecy came true, for the most unwilling

Emperor of them all.

Robert Graves' scandalous histories of Roman political vice

dramatised in six-parts by Robin Brooks.

Claudius Tom Goodman-Hill

Caligula Samuel Barnett

Herod Agrippa Zubin Varla Messalina Jessica Raine

Calpurnia Sally Orrock

Cassius Chaerea Jude Akuwudike

Gratus Sam Dale

Cornelius Iain Batchelor

Bassus Lloyd Thomas Asiaticus Sean Baker

Lupus Henry Devas

Sentius Tony Bell

The Executioner Adeel Akhtar

Specially composed music by David Pickvance.

Director: Jonquil Panting. First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 2010.

FRI 11:00 Afternoon Reading (b007x23g)

William Trevor - Cheating at Canasta

The Dressmaker's Child

Cahal's plans to dupe a gullible young couple backfire

tragically. Read by the author, William Trevor.

FRI 11:15 The Lady Detectives (b00cql2n)

The Law and the Lady

From the author of 'The Woman in White' and 'The Moonstone', the sensational, Gothic tale of Valeria Woodville's

quest to clear her husband of murdering his first wife.

From the Golden Age of the crime short story, 'The Lady Detectives' is a series of four female sleuths to rival the great Sherlock himself.

Wilkie Collins' mystery stars Abigail Docherty as Valeria Woodville, Richard Conlon as Eustace and Ralph Riach as the Reverend Starkweather.

Dramatised by Roger Danes

Producer: Patrick Rayner

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Episode 5

Valerie Panther isn't just an unstoppable media success, she's an official Media Integrity Czar. With Rebecca and Jeremy Front. FRI 14:15 James Joyce - Blind Date With Bloomsday

(b011tvnw) Much quoted but arguably little read, James Joyce's Ulysses is a Modernist classic. Set on June 16th 1904, the author cannily assigned his novel its own annual feast day. Peter White travelled to Dublin on Bloomsday last year to meet the celebrants who enthusiastically enact sections of the book. Among them - resplendent in boater and blazer - is Irish Senator David Norris, a founder of Dublin's Joyce Centre, explaining how an apparently random string of consonants precisely

captures the sound of a breaking wave. But there's also the writer and Irish Times journalist John Waters who's courageous enough to confess that he's only ever managed to get as far as page 35 of Ulysses. "It's more important to Irish tourism", he

says, "than to readers".

What Peter White realises is that whilst the text of Ulysses might be dense and difficult on the page, it is in fact perfectly suited to the ear, as radio - filled with gleeful linguistic tricks, puns and jokes and stream of consciousness bawdiness.

Having read Ulysses in Braille, Peter finds out that Joyce was long troubled by eye problems, and that the author's eyesight worsened considerably whilst writing the book when exiled in Zurich. As a blind man himself, Peter is interested to hear how Joyce uses blindness and myopia to great symbolic effect in his work - evoking the whole of Dublin society by emphasising all the senses - sound, touch and smell as much as sight Producer Mark Smalley.

FRI 14:45 Nella Last's Peace: Housewife 49 (b012m9yp)

In 1947's bitter winter, the housewife looks back - and ponders the next generation's prospects. Concluded by Imelda Staunton. FRI 15:00 Robert Graves - I, Claudius (b01jt0yt)

[Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 on Thursday] FRI 16:00 The 4 O'Clock Show (b01jt8w3)

Afternoon chat with Mel Giedroyc.

FRI 17:00 Snap (b00td5sb)

Series 1 Episode 1

When a couple have history, how can they ever be history?

Molly and Doug are separating but as he's only moving a few streets away, can they make a clean break?

Paul Mendelson's sitcom stars Rebecca Lacey and Paul Venables.

Molly Rebecca Lacey

Doug Paul Venables

Kaz Soumava Kevnes

Ryan Jessie Sullivan Scarlet Rebecca Front

Mrs Lonsdale Marlene Sidaway

Ansel Richard Firth

Producer: David Ian Neville First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in July 2003.

FRI 17:30 Smelling of Roses (b00dh89p)

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The Riding Crop

A bitter dispute between sisters 200 years ago means a precious

wedding gift must be cared for in the prese FRI 18:15 Brian Aldiss Presents (b00ncbx0)

Beef; Sole Solution

The sci-fi author's own futuristic meaty tale, plus Eric Frank Russell's story of scientific creation. Read by Peter Marinker. FRI 18:30 Brian Aldiss - Hothouse (b00mtpl0)

Episode 5 A parting of the ways for the Morel and Gren, but the search

for a home goes on. Millions of years in the future, a colossal banyan tree covers much of the Earth. In its boughs, the last remnants of humanity are fighting for survival, terrorized by carnivorous plants and

grotesque insect life. The Earth has stopped rotating and the Sun's output has increased. Plants are engaged in a constant tropical forest-style frenzy of growth driving other life forms to extinction. Conclusion of Brian Aldiss's 1962 sci-fi fantasy read by Gareth

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FRI 22:30 On the Hour (b007k45s)

Series 1 Episode 5

The latest on the 'Penelope Keith riots', and just 38 weeks to Wimbledon. All the news as it happens, if it happens - and the sport with

Alan Partridge. Savagely satirical award-winning comedy starring Chris Morris.

With Steve Coogan, David Schneider, Rebecca Front, Patrick Marber and Doon Mackichan.

Written by Chris Morris, Richard Herring, Steven Wells, Andrew Glover, David Quantick and Stewart Lee.

Editor: Armando lannucci First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in September 1991. FRI 22:55 The Comedy Club Interviews (b01k0tr1)

From 10pm - midnight, Sunday to Friday, the Comedy Club has two hours of comedy. Plus Arthur Smith interviews Diane Morgan from Two Episodes of Mash.

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FRI 23:00 Sorry About Last Night (b00nj7cz)			_
A Enemy Dad's double-life shocks Andy and Julie. Alexei Sayle's quirky couples comedy, with Siobhan Redmond. From November			
1999.			
FRI 23:30 The Cabaret of Dr Caligari (b007ypp3) The Body Politic			
A government minister learns the true meaning of 'NHS cuts'. Starring John Woodvine and Sylvester McCoy.			
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