

from the funeral of King George VI to the annual Boat Race. He became the first BBC Cricket Correspondent and also presented 733 editions of 'Down Your Way' for the BBC Home Service and Radio 4.
 Brian's eldest son Barry Johnston introduces this programme and also produced the original concert recording.
SUN 02:00 An Everyday Story of Afghan Folk - Omnibus (b01k2db9)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 12:00 on Saturday]
SUN 03:15 John Mortimer - Rumpole of the Bailey (b007jz6m)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 13:15 on Saturday]
SUN 04:00 Daphne Du Maurier (b00p4klc)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 on Saturday]
SUN 05:30 The Write Stuff (b01b1nk7)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 17:30 on Saturday]
SUN 06:00 Stef Penney - The Tenderness of Wolves (b00z5282)
 1860s Canada - Mrs Ross fears her errant son faces blame for murdering a trapper. Stef Penney's mystery stars Meg Fraser.
SUN 07:15 Clive James - Even As We Speak (b009x4jd)
 A Voice Is Born
 Clive muses on taking singing lessons. It's all about support and the booby trap in The Flower Song. From July 2001.
SUN 07:30 The Castle (b01jyq99)
 Series 4
 A Term for the Worse
 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
 Anne's off to Cambridge but Charlotte doesn't know the meaning of the word "thick". Literally. Is this the end of a beautiful friendship? And what will Sir Warene do?
 Written by Kim Fuller & Paul Alexander
 Music by Guy Jackson
 Produced and directed by David Tyler.
SUN 08:00 All Gas and Gaiters (b007jpmz)
 When in Rome
 The Bishop regrets inviting the Dean to his birthday dinner. 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 Joan Sanderson as Mrs Pugh-Critchley.
 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 for radio by Pauline Devaney and Edwin Apps.
 Producer: David Hatch.
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in October 1972.
SUN 08:30 The Clitheroe Kid (b007jn3v)
 Series 2
 Clitheroe and the Hound Dog
 Mother won't let the cheeky schoolboy keep a pet, but then a wet nose appears. Stars Jimmy Clitheroe. From February 1959.
SUN 09:00 Michelle Magorian - Back Home (b011j237)
 Episode 4
 In an emotional climax, both Rusty and her mother decide that their lives have to change. Stars Jessica Marshall-Gardiner.
SUN 09:30 Anthony Hope - The Prisoner of Zenda (b00szhvb)
 The Attack on the Castle of Zenda
 There's news of the King of Ruritania - but what of the love between lookalike Rudolf and Princess Flavia? Stars Douglas Hodge.
SUN 10:00 Desert Island Discs Revisited (b01k2gxj)
 Viscount Linley
 Castaway choices of the Queen's nephew who tells Sue Lawley about bespoke furniture and modern craftsmanship. From January 2002.
SUN 10:45 A Year in the Life of Ants (b008yt3x)
 Episode 4
 In late summer, the queen ants must establish new colonies - sparking the start of insect warfare. Peter France investigates.
SUN 11:00 Michael Bentine - The Reluctant Jester (b01k2gxl)
 The Reluctant Jester
 We Can't Have Non-Europeans in the Royal Air Force
 The founding Goon Show member and comic actor looks back to his repeated efforts to sign up for the war. From September 1993.
SUN 11:30 Hancock's Helpers (b0107wzx)
 Russell Davies explores Tony Hancock's on and off-air relationships with his sidekicks - from Sid James to Kenneth Williams.
SUN 12:00 Stef Penney - The Tenderness of Wolves (b00z5282)
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SUN 13:15 Clive James - Even As We Speak (b009x4jd)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 07:15 today]
SUN 13:30 Adam Dalgliesh - A Certain Justice (b00lbgqz)
 Brilliant criminal lawyer Venetia Aldridge secures the acquittal of a young man from the charge of murdering his aunt. But this sparks a series of bizarre events, starting with her own murder....
 Gentleman Commander Adam Dalgliesh takes charge of the case.
 First published in 1997, PD James's thriller dramatised by Neville Teller.

Adam Dalgliesh Philip Franks
 Venetia Aldridge Geraldine James
 Desmond Ulrick Kenneth Cranham
 Drysdale Laud Michael Maloney
 Simon Costello Nicholas Boulton
 Garry Ashe Harry Myers
 Octavia Aldridge Tracy Wiles
 Janet Carpenter Susan Jameson
 Edmund Froggett James Taylor
 Kate Miskin Susannah Doyle
 Hubert Langton Ian Masters
 Mark Rawlstone Richard Katz
 Mrs Buckley Melinda Walker
 Lois Sandra James Young
 Michael Cole Damian Lynch
 Naughton Hugh Dickson
 Anna Colleen Prendergast
 Other parts played by the cast.
 Composer: David Pickvance
 Director: Tracey Neale
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in May 2005.
SUN 15:00 All Gas and Gaiters (b007jpmz)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 08:00 today]
SUN 15:30 The Clitheroe Kid (b007jn3v)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 08:30 today]
SUN 16:00 Mel's Mix: The Best of The 4 O'Clock Show (b01k2gxn)
 Mel Giedroyc with the best of this week's 4 O'Clock Show celebrating the story telling genius of Hans Christian Anderson.
SUN 16:30 Michelle Magorian - Back Home (b011j237)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 09:00 today]
SUN 17:00 Anthony Hope - The Prisoner of Zenda (b00szhvb)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 09:30 today]
SUN 17:30 All There With My Cough Drops (b007zckp)
 A look at the life and career of Jimmy Clitheroe, with contributions from friends, family and those who worked alongside him such as Mollie Sugden and Geoffrey Wheeler.
SUN 18:00 The Man in Black (b00nr03)
 Series 2
 2. Death Us Do Part by Mike Bartlett
 Following a freak accident, John hears voices warning him off marriage. Prenuptial nerves or something sinister?
 Mike Bartlett's tale is introduced by Mark Gatiss as sinister raconteur, The Man in Black.
 John Carl Prekopp
 Old Man Malcolm Tierney
 Kate Tessa Nicholson
 Clive Piers Wehner
 Sarah Emerald O'Hanrahan
 Old Woman Kate Layden
 Doctor Stephen Hogan
 Vicar Philip Fox
 Horrifying series of tales from The Man in Black. You might meet him at a luggage carousel in an airport, or behind the desk at an employment agency or he might approach you in the corridor of a care home.
 Wherever you encounter him, he's eager to pass on his stories. Stories to unsettle and horrify. Stories to haunt you.
 Producer: Gemma Jenkins
 Made for BBC Radio 7 and first broadcast in November 2009.
SUN 18:30 Red Dwarf (b00pr80y)
 Infinity Welcomes Careful Drivers
 Episode 6
 Dave Lister and the crew get answers they don't want, to questions they're afraid to ask. Read by Rimmer himself, Chris Barrie.
SUN 19:00 Michael Bentine - The Reluctant Jester (b01k2gxl)
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SUN 22:00 The Castle (b01jyq99)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 07:30 today]
SUN 22:30 The Maltby Collection (b00mg0wp)
 Series 3
 Episode 3
 Warring curators, wedding cleaners and a dodgy alarm system all add to the unwanted pressure on Walter.
 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 Arbutnot Geoff McGivern
 Eva Tattle Julkija Deakin
 Des Wainwright Michael Smiley
 Stelios Constantinopolis Chris Pavlo
 Producer: Colin Anderson

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in September 2009.
SUN 22:55 The Comedy Club Interviews (b01k2gxq)
 From 10pm until midnight, Arthur Smith hosts the Comedy Club every Friday and Sunday. More from Tim Key's interview with Paul Foot.
SUN 23:00 Little Britain (b008gh5h)
 Series 1
 Episode 2
 Back where it premiered, Matt Lucas and David Williams' oddball TV smash hit without the cameras. From March 2001.
SUN 23:30 Forty Nights in the Wildebeest (b007k0yk)
 Episode 3
 Dan Freedman and Nick Romero present 'Another Gritty Police Drama' and a song from 'Very Frank Sinatra'. From April 2000.

MONDAY 25 JUNE 2012

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 [Repeat of broadcast at 18:00 on Sunday]
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MON 06:00 The Toff (b007jrjk)
 The Toff and the Runaway Bride
 5. Motive for Murder
 With fresh clues discovered over Barbara's history - the Toff is Paris-bound, when police stop his car...
 Terence Alexander stars as the Toff - upper-class amateur sleuth, the Honourable Richard Rollison.
 John Creasey's thriller dramatised by Roy Lomax.
 The Toff Terence Alexander
 Jolly Robert Domingo
 Inspector Ellerby Roger Gartland
 Lady Gloria Peggy Ann Wood
 Sergeant David Graham
 Police Constable John Bull
 Producer: John Fawcett Wilson.
 First broadcast on the BBC World Service in June 1975.
MON 06:30 Bulldog Drummond by Sapper (b00nsklj)
 6. Foiling
 Can our hero foil evil Peterson's plan to overthrow the government? Sapper's yarn is concluded by Julian Rhind-Tutt.
MON 07:00 Married (b00dvdlf)
 Series 3
 Episode 6
 Cantankerous bachelor Robin Lightfoot makes a vital discovery about his parallel universes.
 Hugh Bonneville stars in Tony Bagley's comedy about a confirmed bachelor dealing with life in a parallel universe.
 Robin Hugh Bonneville
 Lesley Josie Lawrence
 Dirk Stephen Frost
 Maxine Ann Gosling
 Ned Sam Bradley
 Muriel Janet Ellis
 Arthur Smith Himself
 Producer: Claire Jones
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in October 2001.
MON 07:30 Just a Minute (b01jwk6g)
 Series 63
 Episode 6
 Nicholas Parsons challenges Jenny Éclair, Tony Hawks, Richard Herring and Paul Sinha to speak for 60 seconds. From 2012.
MON 08:00 Beyond Our Ken (b007jwb4)
 From 19/01/1961
 Kenneth Horne's freedom of Gigglesway - and 'Horerama' probes love and marriage. With Kenneth Williams. From January 1961.
MON 08:30 Steptoe and Son (b00s7r4n)
 Series 1
 The Holiday
 Harold fancies a holiday by himself in France, but his father Albert is not so keen.
 CAST:
 Albert Wilfrid Brambell
 Harold Harry H. Corbett
 The Doctor Colin Gordon
 Following the conclusion of their hugely successful association with Tony Hancock, writers Ray Galton and Alan Simpson wrote 10 pilots for the BBC TV's Comedy Playhouse in 1962. The Offer was set in a house with a yard full of junk, featuring

the lives of rag and bone men Albert Steptoe and his son Harold and it was the spark for a run of 8 series for TV. Adapted for radio from Galton and Simpson's TV script by Gale Pedrick.
Produced by Bobby Jaye
First broadcast on the BBC Light Programme in August 1966.
MON 09:00 Brian Gulliver's Travels (b011z1cj)
Series 2
Chamanao
Brian Gulliver, a seasoned presenter of travel documentaries, finds himself in a hospital's secure unit after claiming to have experienced a succession of bizarre adventures.
More memories as Brian relives his experiences in Chamanao, a land where natures battle nurturites, where genetics is pitted against education.
Neil Pearson stars in series two of Bill Dare's satirical adventure story about a man lost in a fictional world.
Brian Gulliver/ Thake Neil Pearson
Rachel Gulliver..... Mariah Gale
Kath & Hendl Lisa Dillon
Bordle Toby Longworth
Violinist Amy Butterworth
Producer: Steven Canny
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 Extra in June 2012.
MON 09:30 Electric Ink (b01k68hg)
Series 2
Episode 4
Can struggling journalist Maddox make a splash with a tip-off over political corruption that could unseat the coalition?
A comic satire set in the struggling world of newspapers. A group of dysfunctional journalists attempt to cover major news stories whilst grappling with the demands of a multi-platform environment, as circulation figures plummet as the recession means half the workforce is laid off.
Written by Alistair Beaton and Tom Mitchelson.
Maddox John Sessions
Oliver Alex Jennings
Freddy Stephen Wright
Carol Polly Frame
Masha Debbie Chazen
Julie Compton Joanna Monro
Producer: Sally Avens
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 2010..
MON 10:00 Olivia Manning - Fortunes of War (b0101tgi)
Episode 2
Harriet and Guy must face impending war in Bucharest and the treachery of friends. Stars Joanna Lumley and Honeysuckle Weeks.
MON 11:00 Five Stories by James Ellis (b00116tj)
The Devil
Old Granny Greer outwits a miserly son when she strikes a deal to sit with his ailing Mother until she dies.
The first of five French stories adapted to an Irish setting and read by James Ellis.
Recorded on location in a picturesque thatched cottage at the Ulster Folk and Transport Museum in Holywood.
Producer: Heather Brennan
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 2005.
MON 11:15 Loose Ends (b01k1llv)
Miriam Margolyes, Jeremy Vine, Barrie Rutter and Michael Winslow
Clive hits the headlines with presenter, journalist and one of the best-known voices in Britain, Jeremy Vine, whose memoir 'It's All News to Me' tells the fascinating story of his 25 years at the BBC. Jeremy talks to Clive about our obsession with news and the power of real life stories versus the media's desire to shape them.
Clive's treading the boards with actor Barrie Rutter who, 20 years ago this month, founded Northern Broadsides; a unique theatre company with a true northern voice. As Artistic Director, Barrie has delighted audiences with a growing classic repertoire. Northern Broadsides presents 'A Government Inspector' at Harrogate Theatre from Friday 13th September. Danny Wallace makes some noise for actor, comedian and vocal gymnast Michael Winslow. Famously starring as Sergeant Larvelle 'Motor Mouth' Jones in the Police Academy films, Michael imitates the impossible using only his voice. His 'Man of 10,000 Voices' UK tour runs until Friday 29th June and then on to the Edinburgh Festival in August.
And from one great voice to another, Clive discovers what the Dickens actress Miriam Margolyes is up to! Miriam talks about her internationally acclaimed work on stage, radio and film. As a lifelong admirer of the work of Charles Dickens, Miriam performs as 23 of his colourful characters in her one-woman show. 'Dickens' Women' tours the UK until Saturday 13th October.
With musical merriment from Moulettes, who play 'Country Joy' from their album 'The Bear's Revenge'.
And Sweden's First Aid Kit perform their latest colourful single 'Blue' from their album 'The Lion's Roar'.
Producer Cathie Mahoney.
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MON 14:00 Stef Penney - The Tenderness of Wolves (b00z5b0)
Episode 6
With her son found, Mrs Ross and guide Parker set out to prove he's innocent of murder. Stef Penney's mystery stars Meg Fraser.
MON 14:15 This Sceptred Isle (b007j9k)
The Suicide of Castlereagh
The death of a foreign minister, penal reform and the birth of the police force. Bite-sized history narrated by Anna Massey.
MON 14:30 Mary Wesley - The Camomile Lawn (b0080j1)
Episode 6
Sophie tells all, and Calypso has a secret for Hector, but where is he?
A house - with a fragrant lawn stretching down to the Cornish cliffs - is the link between the five cousins which neither the war nor adulthood can break.
Published in 1984, Mary Wesley novel abridged in ten parts by Elizabeth Bradbury.
Read by Sian Phillips.
Producer: Tracey Neale
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 1989.
MON 14:45 John Major - More Than a Game (b00swkvj)
Episode 1
Uncovering the early forms of the game, the former prime minister John Major reads from his vivid book about cricket's rich past.
MON 15:00 Olivia Manning - Fortunes of War (b0101tgi)
[Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 today]
MON 16:00 The 4 O'Clock Show (b01g7xq1)
Mel Giedroyc pulls on her wellies for a spot of egg collecting, pony-trekking and tractor riding.
MON 17:00 At Home With Hinge and Bracket (b008qq3d)
4. Jack Brymer
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 renowned clarinettist and broadcaster Jack Brymer.
Dame Hilda Bracket George Logan
Dr Evadne Hinge Patrick Fyffe
Producer: John Fawcett Wilson
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in December 1990.
MON 17:30 Married (b00dvdff)
[Repeat of broadcast at 07:00 today]
MON 18:00 Doctor Who (b00sdxsf)
Orbis
Episode 1
Lucie is kidnapped and the Doctor is living on a watery world under threat. Stars Paul McGann, Sheridan Smith and Andrew Sachs.
MON 18:30 Ben Moor - Undone (b0090vcf)
Series 2
Unification
Edna must avert an inter-dimensional apocalypse at Tankerton's wedding.
Ben Moor's comic sci-fi saga about magazine editor Edna Turner entering a parallel world where her version of London is replaced with the city of Undone.
Edna Turner Alex Tregear
Tankerton Slopes Ben Moor
Billy/Carlo Duncan Wisbey
Ida Sophie Duvall
Vicar John Dougal
Prince Kevin Eldon
Other parts played by the cast.
Producer: Colin Anderson
Made for BBC Radio 7 by BBC Radio Comedy and first broadcast in February 2008.
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MON 22:30 Brian Gulliver's Travels (b011z1cj)
[Repeat of broadcast at 09:00 today]
MON 23:00 The Now Show (b01jxw4z)
Series 37
Episode 3
Greco-German Wrestling: In the week that Jimmy Carr's tax arrangements made front page news, while Greece swore in a coalition government, David Cameron went to the G20 and an inflatable Stonehenge toured the country as part of the 2012 festival, Marcus Brigstocke, Lloyd Langford, Mitch Benn and Laura Maravin join Steve Punt and Hugh Dennis, as they dissect the week in their indomitable style. Produced by Victoria Lloyd.
MON 23:30 On Baby Street (b00dyhd1)
Series 1
Episode 3

Expectant mum Geraldine is angry, Shona is upset and Yvette feels queasy. Stars Keith Allen and Kathy Burke. From January 1996.

TUESDAY 26 JUNE 2012

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TUE 06:00 The Toff (b007jrjk)
The Toff and the Runaway Bride
6. Confrontation in Paris
Can the Honourable Richard Rollison finally unravel the mystery - and reveal the murderer's identity?
Terence Alexander stars as the Toff - upper-class amateur sleuth, the Honourable Richard Rollison.
The gripping conclusion of John Creasey's thriller.
Jolly Robert Dornier
Carruthers David Graham
Major Guy Lessing Alan Cuthbertson
Robert Lawn Kevin Brennan
Barbara Lessing Rosalind Shanks
Inspector Jean Bryant
Dramatised by Roy Lomax.
Producer: John Fawcett Wilson.
First broadcast on the BBC World Service in June 1975.
TUE 06:30 Dashiell Hammett - Secret Agent X-9 (b007jzpc)
1. Murder Mansion
It's 1934 and a New York warehouse is ablaze on the Lower East Side. A gang of gun-runners are holed-up until their supply of ammo explodes.
Tough-nut hero, Secret Agent X-9 receives a phone call from wealthy industrialist, Tarleton Powers asking for his help. Stars Stuart Milligan as X-9 and Connie Booth as Grace Powers.
The heroic agent's 4-part adventure dramatised by Mark Brisenden, from the comic strip created by Dashiell Hammett and Alex Raymond. Syndicated by King Features, it ran from 1934 to 1996.
X-9 Stuart Milligan
Grace Powers Connie Booth
The Top William Hootkins
Evelyn Powers Rachel Power
Deacon Peter Marinker
Matthew Michael John Paliotti
Captain Brady John Guerrasio
Jude Bruce McGregor
Cop 1 Clive Rowe
All other parts played by the cast.
Originally agent X-9 had no name, but opted to call himself "Dexter" in the opening tale.
Author Dashiell Hammett is best remembered for his detective novels, The Maltese Falcon and The Thin Man, while cartoonist Alex Raymond famously created sci-fi comic hero Flash Gordon.
Producer: Chris Wallis.
First broadcast on BBC Radio 5 in January 1994.
TUE 07:00 The Sit Crom (b00m5qlg)
A Draught of Malmsey
The household is in need of a steward, The captain undertakes a search and Lady Anne is desperate for a drink.
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 Margolyes
Father Francis Nickolas Grace
Slow Ned Chris Emmett
Gazebo Fogg Jack Klaff
Captain Arise Higgs Alun Armstrong
Counter Tenor Peter Hayward
Producer: Jonathan James-Moore
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in October 1990.
TUE 07:30 Cabin Pressure (b012x12f)
Series 3
St Petersburg
Some vodka and an unwary bird could spell the end of the line for MJN Air and when Carolyn meets her ex-husband the atmosphere turns even icier.

First broadcast on BBC Radio 5 in January 1994.

FRI 07:00 Smelling of Roses (b00dpspn)

Series 3

The Queen of Song

A showcase concert for a local diva turns into a headache for organiser Rosie Burns.

Rosie is asked to arrange a showcase concert for a new potential rival to Celine Dion.

The girl has plenty of money, but what about talent?

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

Cath Unger Felicity Goodson

Terry Colin Sell

Producer: Maria Esposito

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in September 2002.

FRI 07:30 The Write Stuff (b01bbb6d)

Series 15

Gustave Flaubert

Author of the *Week* is Gustave Flaubert - French modernist novelist and firebrand, who created perhaps the best novel of all time in the form of "Madame Bovary".

Team captains Sebastian Faulks and John Walsh are joined by comedy writer and author of "May Contain Nuts", John O'Farrell, and literary critic and Guardian journalist, Alex Clark to answer questions about the great Frenchman's life and work.

For the finale of the show, the teams are asked to imagine a 2012 update of Flaubert's "Dictionary of Received Ideas".

FRI 08:00 The Navy Lark (b01k7g25)

Series 6

Stormy Weather

A firm ultimatum for Leslie, as HMS Troutbridge is ordered to sea.

Stars Leslie Phillips as the Sub-Lieutenant, Jon Pertwee as the Chief Petty Officer, Stephen Murray as the Number One, Richard Caldico as Captain Povey, Heather Chasen as Heather, Ronnie Barker as AS Johnson, Tenniel Evans as the Admiral and Michael Bates as Lieutenant Bates.

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 1963.

FRI 08:30 The Burkiss Way (b00jr7fp)

Series 2

Make Short Programmes the Burkiss Way

The Eurovision Raquel Welch Gag Contest begins in the correspondence course that promises you one free laugh.

With short comedic instruction from Jo Kendall, Nigel Rees, Chris Emmett and Fred Harris

A short comedy script by Andrew Marshall and David Renwick.

Short sharp production by Simon Brett.

Cult sketch show first broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in January 1977.

FRI 09:00 After Henry (b007k280)

Series 2

Memory Games

'Mother, you are doing it again. You are defining us. And what's more, you are wrong. Henry was lovely and endearing, but he wasn't practical. He couldn't organise himself out of a paper bag.'

Daughter Clare's trivia quiz helps Sarah with all her memories of late husband Henry.

Simon Brett's comedy about three generations of women - struggling to cope after the death of Sarah's GP husband - who never quite manage to see eye to eye.

Sarah Prunella Scales

Eleanor Joan Sanderson

Russell Benjamin Whitrow

Clare Gerry Cowper

Miles David Quilter

Quizmaster Graham Blockey

Four radio series were made, but instead of moving to BBC TV - Thames Television produced 'After Henry' for the ITV network.

Producer: Pete Atkin.

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in August 1986.

FRI 09:30 Trivia Test Match (b007v02t)

Umpire Brian Johnston bowls the questions to Willie Rushton, Tim Rice, William Franklyn and Paul Merton. From August 1992.

FRI 10:00 Olivia Manning - Fortunes of War (b01075q1)

Episode 6

The immediate threat of war has receded, but life is still not safe in Egypt for Harriet and Guy. Stars Joanna Lumley.

FRI 11:00 Five Stories by James Ellis (b00ljmsm)

The Umbrella

When a man's new umbrella is ruined, his wife cunningly replaces it within budget. A French story adapted to an Irish setting.

FRI 11:15 Andrew Rissik - The Psychedelic Spy (b007k1r8)

Orange Juice and Sugar

Assassin Billy Hindle is drugged by Jack and finds himself hallucinating. Stars Joanna Lumley and Charles Gray.

FRI 12:00 The Navy Lark (b01k7g25)

[Repeat of broadcast at 08:00 today]

FRI 12:30 The Burkiss Way (b00jr7fp)

[Repeat of broadcast at 08:30 today]

FRI 13:00 John Creasey - The Toff on the Farm (b007jrwj)

[Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 today]

FRI 13:30 Dashiell Hammett - Secret Agent X-9 (b007jq13)

[Repeat of broadcast at 06:30 today]

FRI 14:00 Stef Penney - The Tenderness of Wolves (b00z6ch8)

Episode 10

Mrs Ross's journey to prove her son's innocence ends with a shoot-out in the wilderness. Stef Penney's mystery stars Meg Fraser.

FRI 14:15 This Sceptred Isle (b007jby)

Wellington, Ireland and Peelers

The Duke of Wellington leaves office and the new police force takes to the beat. Anna Massey continues the history of Britain.

FRI 14:30 Mary Wesley - The Camomile Lawn (b0080sjp)

Episode 10

A funeral sparks a big reunion of old faces at the house in Cornwall.

A house - with a fragrant lawn stretching down to the Cornish cliffs - is the link between the five cousins which neither the war nor adulthood can break.

Published in 1984, Mary Wesley novel abridged in ten parts by Elizabeth Bradbury.

Concluded by Sian Phillips.

Producer: Tracey Neale

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 1989.

FRI 14:45 John Major - More Than a Game (b00sy253)

Episode 5

Moving on to the 20th century and the threat of war, the former prime minister reads from his book about cricket's rich past.

FRI 15:00 Olivia Manning - Fortunes of War (b01075q1)

[Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 today]

FRI 16:00 The 4 O'Clock Show (b01g9848)

Mel Giedroyc finds out how to bake a lemon cake, hears from a songwriter who loves rollercoasters, and learns the history of archery. Plus Lady Gaga, and a trip to a famous forest.

FRI 17:00 Snap (b00thqvk)

Series 1

Episode 3

Doug's furious when he discovers Molly plans to take in a lodger.

Plus their best friends having a party, so it could be awkward if both Molly & Doug get an invite...

Paul Mendelson's sitcom about life for a couple after they've split.

Molly Rebecca Lacey

Doug Paul Venables

Kaz Soumaya Keynes

Scarlet Rebecca Front

Annie Marlene Sidaway

Raymond Jonathan Tafler

Gwynneth Williams Jennifer Hill

Producer: David Ian Neville

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in August 2003.

FRI 17:30 Smelling of Roses (b00dpspn)

[Repeat of broadcast at 07:00 today]

FRI 18:00 Doctor Who (b00sqh1x)

The Scapegoat

Episode 1

The Time Lord is forced down into Gestapo-run Paris, where he meets 'The Most Assassinated Man in the World'. Stars Paul McGann.

FRI 18:30 Terry Pratchett (b007k1l2)

Mort

Episode 4

Death has disappeared, leaving his apprentice Mort, his daughter Ysabell and Albert the cook to carry on the life-collecting operation.

The conclusion of Terry's Pratchett's comic fantasy set on Discworld.

Narrated by Anton Lesser.

and Jon Glover as the Duke.

Mort Carl Prekopp

Death Geoffrey Whitehead

Albert Phillip Jackson

Ysabell Clare Corbett

Princess Keli Alice Hart

Cutwell Adam Godley

Rincewind Philip Fox

Duke Jon Glover

Dramatised by Robin Brooks.

Director: Claire Grove

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in July 2004.

FRI 19:00 The Navy Lark (b01k7g25)

[Repeat of broadcast at 08:00 today]

FRI 19:30 The Burkiss Way (b00jr7fp)

[Repeat of broadcast at 08:30 today]

FRI 20:00 John Creasey - The Toff on the Farm (b007jrwj)

[Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 today]

FRI 20:30 Dashiell Hammett - Secret Agent X-9 (b007jq13)

[Repeat of broadcast at 06:30 today]

FRI 21:00 Five Stories by James Ellis (b00ljmsm)

[Repeat of broadcast at 11:00 today]

FRI 21:15 Andrew Rissik - The Psychedelic Spy (b007k1r8)

[Repeat of broadcast at 11:15 today]

FRI 22:00 The Write Stuff (b01bbb6d)

[Repeat of broadcast at 07:30 today]

FRI 22:30 Old Harry's Game (b00bf9z0)

Series 4

Beautiful England

As Satan sets out to prove England is the worst nation,

Scumpspawn tackles a lager lout. Satanic sitcom stars Andy Hamilton. From April 2001.

FRI 23:00 Radio Active (b00805vg)

Series 1

The Midday Show with Anna Dapter

The National Local Radio Station prepares to welcome some royal visitors. Stars Helen Atkinson-Wood. From September 1981.

FRI 23:30 Lee and Herring's Fist of Fun (b00804lf)

Exmouth

Back to the days of the poll tax, buying porn and true fables.

Recorded at the Plymouth University, Exmouth. With Peter Baynham, Jo Unwin, Kevin Eldon and Don King.

Stewart Lee and Richard Herring's mix of sharp sketches and situations, stand up topical gags and banter.

Lee and Herring went to write and star in their successful TV transfer to BBC TWO in 1995.

Cult BBC Radio 1 series first broadcast in October 1993.