





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 man 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 July 1967.  
**MON 09:00 Clare in the Community (b00stq0j)**  
Series 6  
In The Dog House  
Clare is entranced by a dog that follows her into work. Brian is less entranced. However, the dog comes in useful when there's a bump in the night.  
Clare Barker is the self-absorbed social worker who has the right jargon for every problem she comes across, though never a practical solution. But there are plenty of challenges out there for an involved, caring social worker. Or even Clare.  
Clare ..... Sally Phillips  
Brian ..... Alex Lowe  
Ray ..... Richard Lumsden  
Helen/Tamzin ..... Liza Tarbuck  
Megan/Nali ..... Nina Conti  
Libby ..... Jess Robinson  
Clerk/WPC ..... Alex Tregear  
Jonathan/Burglar ..... Paterson Joseph  
Written by Harry Venning and David Ramsden  
Producer: Katie Tyrrel  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in June 2010.  
**MON 09:30 All the Young Dudes (b00cgyjs)**  
Series 1  
School's Out  
Patrick pursues a job at his old school and meets his ex-teacher. Stars Jim Sweeney and Cathryn Harrison. From July 2001.  
**MON 10:00 Marcy Kahan - Design for Murder (b00t2y9b)**  
Actor, playwright, songwriter, director and star - Noel Coward never quite added sleuth to his astonishing achievements. But just before the war with Hitler, there's a gap in his memoirs. Is there a murder mystery within those days...?  
Marcy Kahan's mystery stars Malcolm Sinclair as Noel Coward.  
Noel Coward ..... Malcolm Sinclair  
Lorn Loraine ..... Eleanor Bron  
Winifrid Ashton ..... Krisin Milward  
Cole Lesley ..... Tam Williams  
Edward Shale ..... Nicholas Boulton  
Judith Christopher/Greta Cunningham ..... Gemma Saunders  
Tony Morrell ..... Joe Dunlop  
Hoskins ..... Don McCorkindale  
Piano: Neil Brand  
Director: Ned Chaillet  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in January 2000.  
**MON 11:00 Lucy Wood - Diving Belles (b019jw4n)**  
Diving Belles  
An abandoned wife sets out to fetch her husband back from the watery spirits who lured him away. Read by Amanda Lawrence.  
**MON 11:15 Loose Ends (b01m9f11)**  
Phil Cornwell, Alexandra Roach, Alastair Sooke, Charlie Connelly, Red Baraat  
Clive talks to Dead Ringer Phil Cornwell, who's moved from Stella Street to London's West End to star as Charlie in 'One Man, Two Guvnors'. Set in the criminal underworld of Brighton in 1963, one man must keep his two guvnors apart at all costs. But is it that simple? 'One Man, Two Guvnors' at Theatre Royal Haymarket from Monday 3rd September.  
Actress and 'Iron Lady', Alexandra Roach talks to Clive about starring alongside Meryl Streep as the young Margaret Thatcher and her current role as shipwreck survivor Helene in 'Hunderby'. Washed ashore in a gothic village, populated by fiends, physicians, hunchbacks and cronies, Helene is swept off her feet by a widowed pastor. But can she keep her dark past a secret? 'Hunderby' is on Sky Atlantic HD on Mondays at 22.00.  
What have the Romans done for us? Left some terrific art according to Alastair Sooke in his new series Treasures of Ancient Rome. From glorious mosaics and masterpieces in marble, bronze and paint, the series follows the art and style of Ancient Rome from its Republican beginnings, the extravagance of the emperors to the decline and fall of an empire. The three part series begins on Monday 3rd September at 21.00 on BBC Four.  
Windswept Jo Bunting has a typically British conversation about the weather with author, broadcaster and all-round ray of sunshine, Charlie Connelly. His new book 'Bring Me Sunshine' breezes through the lives of meteorological eccentrics, rainmakers and cloud-busters to bring us a rain-soaked and sun-kissed guide to our weather.  
With a double helping of musical spice from Brooklyn based Bhangra Funk and Dhol n' Brass band Red Baraat, who perform 'Shruggy Ji' and 'Chaal Baby'.  
Producer: Cathie Mahoney.  
**MON 12:00 Beyond Our Ken (b00cgvh8)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 08:00 today]  
**MON 12:30 Steptoe and Son (b00t4qmv)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 08:30 today]  
**MON 13:00 Sherlock Holmes (b09bj8wq)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 today]  
**MON 13:30 Rogue Male by Geoffrey Household (b007jr7j)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 06:30 today]  
**MON 14:00 Ladies of Letters (b01m9r64)**  
Ladies of Letters Log On

Episode 6  
With Irene away, Vera invites a tarot card reader onto the show. With Patricia Routledge and Prunella Scales. From May 2001.  
**MON 14:15 This Sceptred Isle (b007jtlq)**  
1867 - Disraeli and Electoral Reform  
The tortuous road to Electoral Reform results in Parliamentary upheaval. Anna Massey narrates the history of Britain.  
**MON 14:30 Julian Barnes - Arthur and George (b01m9r66)**  
Episode 1  
4 Extra Debut. Sherlock Holmes author Sir Arthur Conan Doyle encounters a vulnerable solicitor. Clive Merrison reads the 2005 Man Booker Prize shortlisted novel.  
**MON 14:45 Book of the Week (b03byzzf)**  
Seamus Heaney - Beowulf  
Episode 1  
In the years after the funeral of the Dane's warrior King Shield Sheafson, the evil fiend Grendel rises to prowl the land. At the court of Hygelac in Geatland, a great warrior prepares to help King Hrothgar.  
Radio 4 pays tribute to Seamus Heaney, Nobel Prize-winning poet, internationally recognised as one of the greatest contemporary voices who passed away earlier this month at the age of 74.  
Composed towards the end of the first millennium, the Anglo-Saxon poem Beowulf is one of the great Northern epics and a classic of European literature. Seamus Heaney's translation, completed near the end of the second millennium is both true, line by line, to the original, as well as being an expression of his own creative, lyrical gift.  
Here, in a recording made ten years ago, Seamus Heaney brings his vibrant powerful writing to life as he reads ten fifteen minute extracts from the narrative.  
The poem is about encountering the monstrous, defeating it, and then living on, physically and psychically exposed, in that exhausted aftermath. It is not hard to draw parallels between this story and the history of the twentieth century, nor can Heaney's Beowulf fail to be read partly in the light of his Northern Irish upbringing.  
But it also transcends such considerations, telling us psychological and spiritual truths that are permanent and liberating.  
Produced in Salford by Susan Roberts.  
Radio Drama North.  
**MON 15:00 Marcy Kahan - Design for Murder (b00t2y9b)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 today]  
**MON 16:00 The 4 O'Clock Show (b01m9r6b)**  
Eeny meeny miney moe - join Mel Giedroyc for school escapades and playground games - you're 'it'!  
**MON 17:00 To the Manor Born (b007k45h)**  
The Grapevine  
Audrey tries to fool Devere that she has been on holiday to Spain.  
Starring Penelope Keith as Audrey fforbes-Hamilton.  
Keith Barron ..... Richard De Vere  
Angela Thorne ..... Marjory Frobisher  
Nicholas McArdle ..... Brabinger  
Margery Withers ..... Mrs Polouivicka  
Frank Middlemass ..... Ned  
Zulema Dene ..... Mrs Plunkett  
The tale of lady of the manor Audrey fforbes-Hamilton, forced to sell her beloved Grantleigh Estate when her husband's death leaves her financially strapped. With butler Brabinger in tow, they've decamped to the tiny Old Lodge cottage.  
From this vantage point, Audrey keeps a close and disapproving eye on the estate's new owner, the nouveau-riche Richard De Vere, a wholesale foods magnate of Czech descent.  
First piloted on radio and then whisked off to TV before it ever appeared, finally arrived home in 1997.  
Adapted from his TV scripts by Peter Spence.  
Producer: Jane Berthoud  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 2 in January 1997.  
**MON 17:30 Bookcases (b00szhvi)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 07:00 today]  
**MON 18:00 Charles Chilton - Journey into Space (b007jq0c)**  
The Red Planet  
7. The Shared Nightmare  
As the Mars fleet crew battle to locate Freighter Ship number 6, Captain Jet Morgan suffers strange hallucinations...  
Charles Chilton's 1954 classic set in 1971.  
Jet Morgan .... Andrew Faulds  
Lemmy .... David Kossoff  
Doc .... Guy Kingsley Poynter  
Mitch .... Bruce Beeby  
Announcer/Variouus .... David Jacobs  
Various .... Anthony Marriott  
Music composed and conducted by Van Phillips.  
Producer: Charles Chilton  
First broadcast on the BBC Light Programme in October 1954.  
**MON 18:30 Aldous Huxley - Brave New World (b007jtdg)**  
Episode 1  
Meet the man who battery farms humans.  
Published in 1932, Aldous Huxley's enduring tale about cloning, consumerism and chemical abandon in a nightmare vision of an ideal society in the future.  
Read by Anton Lesser.  
Abridged in 10 parts by Neville Teller.  
Producer: Duncan Minshull  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 2003.

**MON 18:45 MR James (b007jtcn)**  
MR James: Ghost Stories  
Canon Alberic's Scrapbook  
A collector of antiquities finds a priceless ancient book. But something evil lies within its pages. Read by Benjamin Whitrow.  
**MON 19:00 Beyond Our Ken (b00cgvh8)**  
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**MON 21:15 Loose Ends (b01m9f11)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 11:15 today]  
**MON 22:00 Just a Minute (b01m5hk3)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 07:30 today]  
**MON 22:30 Clare in the Community (b00stq0j)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 09:00 today]  
**MON 23:00 Chain Reaction (b01m6rcv)**  
Series 8  
Caitlin Moran talks to Jennifer Saunders  
The interviewee on the previous show, Caitlin Moran returns to interview her comedy hero, Jennifer Saunders. They talk shoes, Bananarama and women in comedy.  
Talk tag show where the guest is the next interviewer.  
Producer: Carl Cooper  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in August 2012.  
**MON 23:30 Micky Flanagan: What Chance Change? (b00s1rs)**  
2000s  
Cockney comedian Micky Flanagan's first radio series is about his progression from working-class Herbert to middle-class intellectual and being caught awkwardly between the two. His story is told through reflective interviews, but mainly, Micky's acclaimed stand up comedy. Micky's transition from the mean streets of the East End to the leafy lanes of Dulwich is a fascinating story, with each episode focusing on a different decade of Micky's life.  
In this episode Micky takes us through this last decade, which he has spent settling down with a middle class woman "she's been ski-ing and everything" and building a career as a stand up comedian. In the documentary segments, Micky chats to his parents about turning to stand up and discusses comedy and class with the brilliant comic mind that is Sean Lock.  
The series is written and performed by Micky Flanagan. The Producer is Tilusha Ghelani.

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[Repeat of broadcast at 18:30 on Monday]  
**TUE 00:45 MR James (b007jtcn)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 18:45 on Monday]  
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[Repeat of broadcast at 17:00 on Monday]  
**TUE 05:30 Bookcases (b00szhvi)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 07:00 on Monday]  
**TUE 06:00 Sherlock Holmes (b0bnv4wn)**  
Sherlock Holmes with Carleton Hobbs - Series 3  
The Problem of Thor Bridge  
An American asks the Great Detective to help him clear the name of a governess charged with murdering his wife.  
Starring Carleton Hobbs as Sherlock Holmes. The actor played the Baker Street sleuth in 80 radio dramas between 1952 and 1969.  
Sir Arthur Conan Doyle's tale was first published in 1922 as part of the 'Case Book of Sherlock Holmes' stories. Adapted by Michael Hardwick.  
With Norman Shelley as Dr Watson, Humphrey Morton as Sergeant Connelly, Robert Ayres as Neil Gibson and Beryl Calder as Grace Dunbar and Mrs Hudson.  
Producer: Robin Midgley  
First broadcast on the BBC Light Programme in January 1962.  
**TUE 06:30 Rogue Male by Geoffrey Household (b007jr7j)**  
Episode 12  
The Major has trapped the fugitive, but can he discover the tragic motive behind his "sporting stalk"?  
Geoffrey Household's classic thriller was first published shortly

before the outbreak of war in 1939.  
Read by Michael Jayston.  
Producer: David Jackson Young.  
Made for BBC 7 by BBC Scotland and first broadcast in 2004.  
**TUE 07:00 Mr Finchley Takes the Road (b007k1gh)**  
Episode 4  
All at sea, Mr Finchley discovers the dignity of labour and visits an old haunt.  
Victor Canning's novel about the adventures of a man and his horse-drawn caravan touring the 1930s countryside of Kent. Richard Griffiths stars as Mr Finchley.  
With John Bird as Mr Blain, Clive Swift as the Captain, Auriol Smith as Mrs Maberley, Richard Ridings as Duffy and Albert Welling as Mr Greevey.  
Narrated by James Villiers.  
Adapted in six parts by Andy and Eric Merriman.  
Producer: Gareth Edwards  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 2 in April 1993.  
**TUE 07:30 Isy Suttie: Pearl and Dave (b0196rpe)**  
Isy Suttie ('Dobby' from Channel 4's 'Peep Show' & double British Comedy Award nominee.) recounts a moving love story involving a socially awkward childhood neighbour (her first pen pal) and a 'well-bred' girl from Surrey - the titular Pearl and Dave. She interweaves the narrative with her own tales of failed relationships, internet dating and eventual happiness, much of which is told through song. Adapted from her sell out Edinburgh 2011 Edinburgh show of the same name. From BBC Radio Comedy.  
"I'm overjoyed to be doing my Edinburgh show on Radio 4. Having spent a month playing to audiences who'd been rained on all day, some of them dashing in late, I advise listeners to wrap up warm, eat a hearty meal and leave enough time for the journey from the sofa to the radio." Isy Suttie Nov 2011.  
The Producer is John Pocock.  
**TUE 08:00 The Goon Show (b00db512)**  
African Incident  
Neddie Seagoon is dispatched to destroy a bridge built by British prisoners of war. Stars Peter Sellers. From December 1957.  
**TUE 08:30 Listen to Les (b00knn1b)**  
From 11/09/1983  
Cissie Braithwaite is in despair as she instructs Ada Shufflebotham on the finer points of ballet.  
Starring Les Dawson. With Roy Barraclough, Daphne Oxenford and Colin Edwynn.  
Music by Brian Fitzgerald.  
Scripted and produced by James Casey.  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 2 in September 1983.  
**TUE 09:00 Chain Reaction (b01m6crv)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 23:00 on Monday]  
**TUE 09:30 Mad Man Blue (b0113060)**  
Unassuming but irrepressible Bloomer gets involved in a feud with his neighbour.  
Will he escape his suburban nightmare unscathed?  
Roy Hudd stars in Tracy Aston's comic monologue.  
Producer: Jocelyn Boxall  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 1998.  
**TUE 10:00 Marcy Kahan - A Bullet at Balmain's (b00t5jmj)**  
Noel Coward in Post-Liberation Paris, 1948: haute couture, existentialism, jazz . . . and death.  
Coward is in Paris to play the lead in his own play 'Present Laughter' in French. But the murder of a promiscuous mannequin provides a stylish distraction.  
Another adventure for the celebrated playwright, actor, composer and amateur detective by Marcy Kahan.  
Starring Malcolm Sinclair as Noel Coward, Elenor Bron as Lorn Lorraine, Tam Williams as Cole Lesley and Linda Marlowe as Ginette Spanier.  
Director: Ned Chaillet  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 2003.  
**TUE 11:00 Lucy Wood - Diving Belles (b019lwzx)**  
Of Mothers and Little People  
A pot of shimmering eye shadow leads to a magical revelation.  
Amanda Lawrence reads Cornish writer Lucy Wood's story.  
**TUE 11:15 Paul Farley - The English Civil War (b007lz4p)**  
A Cavalier walks into an out of town supermarket and holds the customers to ransom. Is he a genuine time traveller or an ecological warrior with a unique campaign style?  
Paul Farley's drama stars Robert Bathurst as the Cavalier, Petra Letang as Delphinium, Becky Hindley as the Manager, Tom George as Student/Negotiator, Ben Crowe as the Security Guard and Margaret Cabourn-Smith as the Second Customer  
Producer: Rob Ketteridge  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 2004.  
**TUE 12:00 The Goon Show (b00db512)**  
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**TUE 14:00 Ladies of Letters (b01mh0fc)**  
Ladies of Letters Log On  
Episode 7  
Irene wants to use 'Dales Diaries' to launch an appeal for her son. With Patricia Routledge and Prunella Scales. From May 2001.

**TUE 14:15 Ambridge Extra (b01mh0ff)**  
Series 3  
Episode 19  
Out at sea, Lance can't bear it that things seem to be going Kenton's way, so he makes his threat - but disaster strikes. Can Kenton save the day?  
**TUE 14:30 Julian Barnes - Arthur and George (b01mh0fh)**  
Episode 2  
Novel about the Sherlock Holmes author and a troubled solicitor. The young vicar's son deals with hate. Read by Clive Merrison.  
**TUE 14:45 Book of the Week (b03c31f0)**  
Seamus Heaney - Beowulf  
Episode 2  
Beowulf arrives in the land of the Shieldings and explains his mission to Hrothgar, the Danish King.  
Produced in Salford by Susan Roberts.  
Radio Drama North.  
**TUE 15:00 Marcy Kahan - A Bullet at Balmain's (b00t5jmj)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 today]  
**TUE 16:00 The 4 O'Clock Show (b01mh0fm)**  
Mel Giedroyc hears from a man who tides up mountains, and visits a bottle recycling factory.  
**TUE 17:00 Flying the Flag (b00xc71y)**  
Series 4  
Spiritual Values  
Her Majesty's Ambassador Mackenzie and his staff battle on bravely, coming to terms with the changing order in Colonel Surikov's fledgling Eastern-bloc democracy.  
The new order brings new problems, not least keeping the diplomatic upper hand in a country discovering the ills of the West.  
So when equal rights for women appears on the agenda, closely followed by the emergence of militant feminists, the embassies echo to the sound of men closing ranks.  
Series 4 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, Christopher Benjamin as Colonel Surikov and Stephen Greif as Spiro.  
Producer: Neil Cargill  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in June 1992.  
**TUE 17:30 Mr Finchley Takes the Road (b007k1gh)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 07:00 today]  
**TUE 18:00 Charles Chilton - Journey into Space (b007jq2w)**  
The Red Planet  
8. Closing-in on Mars  
As Captain Jet Morgan and his crew approach Mars, strange noises and dreams begin to affect them...  
Charles Chilton's 1954 classic set in 1971.  
Jet Morgan .... Andrew Faulds  
Lemmy .... David Kosoff  
Doc .... Guy Kingsley Poynter  
Mitch .... Bruce Beeby  
Announcer/Various .... David Jacobs  
Various .... Anthony Marriott  
Music composed and conducted by Van Phillips.  
Producer: Charles Chilton  
First broadcast on the BBC Light Programme in October 1954.  
**TUE 18:30 Aldous Huxley - Brave New World (b007jtmn)**  
Episode 2  
Bernard Marx is a misfit in an ideal society. So why is Lenina attracted to him? Nightmare future vision read by Anton Lesser. From April 2003.  
**TUE 18:45 MR James (b007jtfj)**  
MR James: Ghost Stories  
Lost Hearts  
A young orphan is given a home by his elderly cousin. But how hospitable is the old man? Read by Benjamin Whitrow.  
**TUE 19:00 The Goon Show (b00db512)**  
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**TUE 22:00 Isy Suttie: Pearl and Dave (b0196rpe)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 07:30 today]  
**TUE 22:30 Getting Nowhere Fast (b0080r6y)**  
Series 1  
Episode 3  
Pam tries online dating and Merv offers a cafe cyber pass for 'Love Byte Night'. Stars Mervyn Stutter. From December 2001.  
**TUE 23:00 The Curried Goat Show (b007nf6d)**  
Episode 8  
It's Bath Night - plus jam. Will Ing, Dan Gaster and Ben Silburn's sketch bonanza. With Imelda Staunton. From February 1998.  
**TUE 23:30 Ross Noble Goes Global (b007jvv4)**  
Series 1  
Singapore  
Spotting a monkey and shopping malls galore - the globetrotting

comedian is having a bad hair day in the city's incredible humidity.  
Producer: Danny Wallace  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in May 2002.

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[Repeat of broadcast at 17:00 on Tuesday]

**WED 05:30 Mr Finchley Takes the Road (b007k1gh)**

[Repeat of broadcast at 07:00 on Tuesday]

**WED 06:00 Sherlock Holmes (m00094zr)**

Sherlock Holmes with Carleton Hobbs - Series 5

The Sussex Vampire

A Peruvian woman is accused of sucking her children's blood. Sir Arthur Conan Doyle's great detective investigates.

Stars Carleton Hobbs as Sherlock Holmes and Norman Shelley as Dr Watson.

Ferguson ..... Stephen Jack

Dolores ..... Gladys Spencer

Mrs Ferguson ..... Josefina Ray

Mrs Mason ..... Margaret Welfitt

Jack ..... Peter Bartlett

Adapted for radio by Michael Hardwick.

Producer Graham Gauld

First broadcast on the BBC Light Programme in September 1964.

**WED 06:30 Rogue Male by Geoffrey Household (b007jr8d)**

Episode 13

The Major tries to persuade his prisoner to sign a confession - but will he admit his intentions?

Geoffrey Household's classic British thriller was first published shortly before the outbreak of war in 1939.

Read by Michael Jayston.

Producer: David Jackson Young.

Made for BBC 7 by BBC Scotland and first broadcast in 2004.  
**WED 07:00 Albert and Me (b007js8c)**

Series 1

Looking for a Job

Single dad Bryan needs a job, but can he find an employer who'll let him bring his young son Albert along?

Stars Richard Beckinsale as Bryan Archer, Pat Coombs as Mum/Albert and John Comer as Dad. With Terence Alexander as Rex and Madeline Smith as Stephanie.  
Written by Jim Eldridge.

Producer: John Fawcett Wilson

First broadcast on BBC Radio 2 in November 1977.  
**WED 07:30 When the Dog Dies (b013229w)**

Series 2

Temptation

Ronnie Corbett reunites with the writers of his hit TV comedy 'Sorry', Ian Davidson and Peter Vincent, in the second series of their Radio 4 sitcom.

Ronnie plays Sandy Hopper, who is growing old happily along with his dog Henry. His grown up children, both married to people Sandy doesn't approve of at all, would like him to move out of the family home so they can get their hands on their money earlier. But Sandy's not having this. He's not moving until the dog dies. And not just that, how can he move if he's got a lodger? His daughter is convinced that his too attractive lodger Dolores (Liza Tarback) is after Sandy and his money.

Luckily Sandy has three grandchildren and sometimes a friendly word - a kindly hand on the shoulder can really help a Granddad in the twenty-first century. Man and dog together face a complicated world. There's every chance they'll make it more so.

Episode Three - Temptation

Generous Sandy splashes out just a little - with his sponsorship of son-in-law Blake's noble efforts in a charity marathon. Too late, he discovers he's splashed out a whole lot. But the promise is signed, his generosity even announced on the net. Is there a way round this? Listeners should have a pencil and paper handy.

Cast:

Sandy ..... Ronnie Corbett

Dolores ..... Liza Tarback

Mrs Pomptom .... Sally Grace

Ellie ..... Tilly Vosburgh  
 Blake ..... Jonathan Aris  
 Damon ..... Stephen Critchlow  
 Producer: Liz Anstee  
 A CPL production for BBC Radio 4.  
**WED 08:00 Hancock's Half Hour (b0089k50)**  
 Series 5  
 The Foreign Legion  
 The lad is set to entertain troops in Malta, but he's duped into making an appearance on the frontline.  
 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 April 1958.  
**WED 08:30 I'm Sorry, I'll Read That Again (b00rf3m)**  
 Series 3  
 Episode 4  
 The Archers sell up - and Admiral Lord Nelson's diary.  
 More quick-fire sketches, terrible puns, humorous songs and parodies.  
 Stars Tim Brooke-Taylor, John Cleese, Graeme Garden, David Hatch, Jo Kendall and Bill Oddie.  
 Written by John Esmond and Bob Larbey, Graeme Garden, Eric Idle, David & Peter Lund and Bill Oddie.  
 Originating from the Cambridge University Footlights revue 'Cambridge Circus', ISIRTA ran for 8 years on BBC Radio and quickly developed a cult following.  
 Music and songs by Dave Lee and Bill Oddie.  
 Producer: Humphrey Barclay  
 First broadcast on the BBC Home Service in April 1966.  
**WED 09:00 A Whole New Ball Game (b00ftg1r)**  
 Series 2  
 And Pigs Can Fry  
 The football team's new strip causes controversy. Will they be ready for the new season? Stars Brenda Blethyn.  
**WED 09:30 The Party Line (b00stc2j)**  
 Series 1  
 Episode 4  
 Labour MP Duncan Stonebridge dreads a visit from his critical Tory father. Steve Punt and Hugh Dennis sitcom from June 2005.  
**WED 10:00 Marcy Kahan - Death at the Desert Inn (b00t6v8d)**  
 \$300,000 dollars are left in a satchel in Noel Coward's Las Vegas suite, and so he sets off again on his unexpected posthumous career as a detective.  
 Marcy Kahan's crime thriller stars Malcolm Sinclair as Noel Coward, Eleanor Bron as Lorn Lorraine. Tam Williams as Cole Lesley, Belinda Lang as Judy Garland and Jake Broder as Joe Glaser.  
 The Desert Inn, scene of one of his greatest cabaret triumphs, is the setting for "a highly probable Noel Coward Murder Mystery", complete with Judy Garland, a showgirl, a Broadway agent, an unlikely croupier, a US Congressman and Coward's act, with half of Hollywood in the audience.  
 Another crime to be solved with the Master's favourite weapon - wit.  
 Director: Ned Chaillet  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 2004.  
**WED 11:00 Lucy Wood - Diving Belles (b019lypl)**  
 The Giant's Boneyard  
 12-year-old Gog struggles over feelings for best friend Sunshine, and his mum insisting that he is part giant. Read by Zac Fox.  
**WED 11:15 Kim Newman - Cry Babies (b00xf6h5)**  
 Busy Angela and Barty want a child, but don't have time. Their solution is a genetically enhanced daughter. Stars Sia Berkeley.  
**WED 12:00 Hancock's Half Hour (b0089k50)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 08:00 today]  
**WED 12:30 I'm Sorry, I'll Read That Again (b00rf3m)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 08:30 today]  
**WED 13:00 Sherlock Holmes (m00094zr)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 today]  
**WED 13:30 Rogue Male by Geoffrey Household (b007jr8d)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 06:30 today]  
**WED 14:00 Ladies of Letters (b01mhlp2)**  
 Ladies of Letters Log On  
 Episode 8  
 Can Irene get to the bottom of the story about her son? With Patricia Routledge and Prunella Scales. From May 2001.  
**WED 14:15 This Sceptred Isle (b007jtdw)**  
 Disraeli and the Origin of Two Nations  
 Disraeli 'the conjuror' is Prime Minister. But not for long. Anna Massey relates the history of Britain.  
**WED 14:30 Julian Barnes - Arthur and George (b01mhlp4)**  
 Episode 3  
 Novel about the Sherlock Holmes author and a troubled solicitor. The police have made their mind up. Read by Clive Merrison.  
**WED 14:45 Book of the Week (b03c31kp)**  
 Seamus Heaney - Beowulf  
 Episode 3  
 Beowulf's first encounter with the evil monster Grendel.  
 Produced in Salford by Susan Roberts.  
 Radio Drama North.  
**WED 15:00 Marcy Kahan - Death at the Desert Inn**

(b00t6v8d)  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 today]  
**WED 16:00 The 4 O'Clock Show (b01mhlp8)**  
 Mel Giedroyc has an outdoor swim, and schoolchildren talk about their project to preserve a prehistoric fish.  
**WED 17:00 Doctor Finlay: Adventures of a Black Bag (b0089kwf)**  
 6. The Sisters Scobie  
 Finlay rashly decides he can cure both the crabby cohabiting Scobie sisters of flu and the fact that they haven't talked to each other for 15 years...  
 Sue Rodwell's six-part dramatisation of AJ Cronin's stories about the early years of the celebrated doctor who was popularised on television in the 1960s.  
 Ready with his black bag, Dr Finlay sets out to remedy all manner of ailments suffered by his patients in the Scottish Highland town of Levenford.  
 Stars John Gordon Sinclair as Dr Finlay, Brian Pettifer as Dr Cameron, Katy Murphy as Janet, Jennifer Piercey as Beth Scobie, Muriel Barker as Annabelle Scobie, Sharon Small as Nurse Peggy Angus and Gordon Reid as John Angus.  
 Producer: Jeremy Howe  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 2001.  
**WED 17:30 Albert and Me (b007js8c)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 07:00 today]  
**WED 18:00 Charles Chilton - Journey into Space (b007jq5b)**  
 The Red Planet  
 9. The Irresistible Light  
 After their battle to land on Mars, Captain Jet Morgan and his crew prepare to start their explorations...  
 Charles Chilton's 1954 classic set in 1971.  
 Jet Morgan .... Andrew Faulds  
 Lemmy .... David Kossoff  
 Doc .... Guy Kingsley Poynter  
 Mitch .... Bruce Beeby  
 Announcer/Variou... David Jacobs  
 Various .... Anthony Marriott  
 Music composed and conducted by Van Phillips.  
 Producer: Charles Chilton  
 First broadcast on the BBC Light Programme in November 1954.  
**WED 18:30 Aldous Huxley - Brave New World (b007nchp)**  
 Episode 3  
 Feeling ill at ease, Bernard Marx shares his worries about Lenina with his best friend. Nightmare future vision read by Anton Lesser. From April 2003. Episode 3 of 10.  
**WED 18:45 MR James (b007k1gn)**  
 MR James: Ghost Stories  
 A School Story  
 A man recalls spooky events from 1870 involving his old teacher. What is 'the well among the yews'? Read by Benjamin Whitrow.  
**WED 19:00 Hancock's Half Hour (b0089k50)**  
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**WED 19:30 I'm Sorry, I'll Read That Again (b00rf3m)**  
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**WED 21:00 Lucy Wood - Diving Belles (b019lypl)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 11:00 today]  
**WED 21:15 Kim Newman - Cry Babies (b00xf6h5)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 11:15 today]  
**WED 22:00 When the Dog Dies (b013229w)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 07:30 today]  
**WED 22:30 Rigor Mortis (b007qh4q)**  
 Series 2  
 Episode 3  
 Pathologist Ruth's fibs over her career and love-life backfire when her mum arrives. Stars Matilda Ziegler. From November 2004.  
**WED 23:00 The Cheese Shop Presents (b008hn0l)**  
 Series 3  
 Episode 3  
 The mild John Adams is subjected to more physical discomfort. Sketch comedy from Richard Webb and Dave Lamb. From January 1999.  
**WED 23:30 That Mitchell and Webb Sound (b00mk7rn)**  
 Series 4  
 Episode 4  
 A plea for donations to Britain's only balloon-animal sanctuary, a wooden boy who's a bit annoying - and what to do at work if you suspect you have a decadent colleague.  
 Sketch show starring David Mitchell and Robert Webb.  
 With Olivia Colman, Sarah Hadland and James Bachman.  
 Producer Gareth Edwards  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in September 2009.

## THURSDAY 06 SEPTEMBER 2012

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 [Repeat of broadcast at 07:00 on Wednesday]  
**THU 06:00 Sherlock Holmes (m00094zr)**  
 Sherlock Holmes with Carleton Hobbs - Series 5  
 The Three Garridebs  
 To inherit a fortune, an American asks the sleuth to find two men with his surname.  
 Another case for Sir Arthur Conan Doyle's great detective.  
 Stars Carleton Hobbs as Sherlock Holmes and Norman Shelley as Dr Watson.  
 Mrs Hudson ..... Janet Morrison  
 Inspector Lestrade ..... Humphrey Morton  
 John Garrideb ..... Eric Anderson  
 Nathan Garrideb ..... Charles E Stickill  
 Holloway ..... Harold Reese  
 Adapted for radio by Michael Hardwick.  
 Producer Graham Gauld  
 First broadcast on the BBC Light Programme in September 1964.  
**THU 06:30 Rogue Male by Geoffrey Household (b007jr8w)**  
 Episode 14  
 With only a crudely made weapon, can the fugitive escape his underground dugout and elude his captors?  
 Geoffrey Household's classic British thriller was first published shortly before the outbreak of war in 1939.  
 Read by Michael Jayston.  
 Producer: David Jackson Young.  
 Made for BBC 7 by BBC Scotland and first broadcast in 2004.  
**THU 07:00 Smelling of Roses (b00fh6w1)**  
 Series 4  
 Episode 6  
 For Rosie Burns, life offers a fashion show, a potential romantic interest...and a parting of the ways.  
 A final assignment for Rosie Burns and the event management company, where the clients are only part of the problem...  
 Rosie Burns .... Prunella Scales  
 Jo .... Rebecca Callard  
 Bob .... Duncan Preston  
 Tess .... Annette Badland  
 Brad .... Colin Stinton  
 Henry .... Benjamin Whitrow  
 Reggie .... Rowland Davies  
 Written and produced by Simon Brett.  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in September 2003.  
**THU 07:30 Fags, Mags and Bags (b010y376)**  
 Series 4  
 John Craven's Fjällräven  
 More shop based shenanigans and over the counter philosophy, courtesy of Ramesh Mahju and his trusty sidekick Dave.  
 Written by and starring Donald McLeary and Sanjeev Kohli, Fags, Mags & Bags has proved a hit with the Radio 4 audience with this series picking up a Writers' Guild nomination for best comedy in 2011.  
 In this episode Dave and the boys are busily organising a surprise 50th birthday party for Ramesh, but will Sanjay manage to keep his trap closed long enough without spilling the beans before the big day.  
 So join the staff of Fags, Mags and Bags in their tireless quest to bring nice-price custard creams and cans of coke with Arabic writing on them to an ungrateful nation.  
 Ramesh Mahju has built up the business over the course of thirty years, and is a firmly entrenched feature of the local area. However, he does apply the "low return" rules of the shop to all other aspects of his life.  
 He is ably assisted by his shop sidekick Dave, a forty-something underachiever who shares Ramesh's love of the art of shopkeeping, even if he is treated like a slave.  
 Then of course there are Ramesh's sons, Sanjay and Alok, both surly and not particularly keen on the old school approach to shopkeeping. But they are natural successors to the business and Ramesh is keen to pass all his worldly wisdom onto them - whether they like it or not.  
 Cast:  
 Ramesh ..... Sanjeev Kohli  
 Dave ..... Donald Mcleary  
 Sanjay ..... Omar Raza  
 Alok ..... Susheel Kumar  
 Dr Southwell ..... Kevin Eldon  
 Mrs Begg ..... Marjory Hogarth  
 Mrs Armstrong ..... Maureen Carr

Lovely Sue ..... Julie Wilson Nimmo  
 Bra Jeff ..... Steven McNicol  
 Producer: Gus Beattie  
 A Comedy Unit production for BBC Radio 4.  
**THU 08:00 Yes Minister (b007jzxt)**  
 Series 2  
 The Compassionate Society  
 A new hospital needs a cure, but does MP Jim Hacker know his ACAS from his NALGO?  
 Starring Paul Eddington, Nigel Hawthorne and Derek Fowlds, Antony Jay and Jonathan Lynn's satirical sitcom centred around the hapless Jim Hacker and a collection of civil service underlings headed by the Machiavellian Sir Humphrey Appleby and obsequious Bernard.  
 It first ran on BBC TV between 1980 and 1984.  
 Jim Hacker .... Paul Eddington  
 Sir Humphrey Appleby .... Nigel Hawthorne  
 Bernard Woolley .... Derek Fowlds  
 Sir Ian .... Peter Jeffrey  
 Brian Baker .... Norman Bird  
 George .... Arthur Cox  
 Mrs Rogers .... Ellen McIntosh  
 Billy Fraser .... Peter Acre  
 James Lawford, MP .... John Bott  
 With Narissa Knights, Bernard Brown and Arnold Diamond  
 Featuring Bryan Martin and Moira Stuart as themselves  
 Adapted for radio by the producer, Pete Atkin.  
 First broadcast on Radio 4 in October 1984.  
**THU 08:30 Dad's Army (b007jr4t)**  
 Series 3  
 The Cricket Match  
 Captain Mainwaring goes into bat when the Home Guard platoon are challenged to play a match against the warden...  
 The comic exploits of a Second World War Home Guard platoon in Walmington-on-Sea.  
 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 Godfrey .... Arnold Ridley  
 Private Pike .... Ian Lavender  
 Warden Hodges .... Bill Pertwee  
 Private Walker .... Larry Martyn  
 Vicar .... Frank Williams  
 Verger .... Edward Sinclair  
 Announcer/Newsreader .... John Snagge  
 Producer: John Dyas  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in July 1976.  
**THU 09:00 Huddwinks (b00b1p9r)**  
 Series 2  
 The Curse of the Smollett's Curse!  
 Melissa and Compton win a holiday, but spurn Herne Bay for an adventure in ancient Egypt. Stars Roy Hudd. From June 1988.  
**THU 09:30 The Unbelievable Truth (b00bvsyw)**  
 Series 2  
 Episode 5  
 David Mitchell chairs the fibbing quiz. With Graeme Garden, Fred MacAulay, Michael McIntyre and Lucy Porter. From June 2008.  
**THU 10:00 Marcy Kahan - Blithe Spy (b00tcps)**  
 The Nazis are in New York – as 'The Master', Noel Coward turns spy to battle for Britain.  
 Marcy Kahan's highly improbable Second World War espionage adventure featuring a highly improbable and flamboyant spy... with a talent to amuse.  
 Noel Coward ..... Malcolm Sinclair  
 Lorn Loraine ..... Eleanor Bron  
 Neysa McMein ..... Elizabeth McGovern  
 Jon Smith ..... Adam Sims  
 FD Roosevelt ..... Bob Sherman  
 Fortnum ..... Ian Masters  
 Simpson ..... Kerry Shale  
 Willoughby ..... Peter Marinker  
 Conklin ..... Gerard McDermott  
 Director: Gordon House  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in June 2002.  
**THU 11:00 Lucy Wood - Diving Belles (b019m333)**  
 Countless Stones  
 Questioning her past decisions, Rita sees her future bound to the standing stones above her village. Read by Amanda Lawrence.  
**THU 11:15 Vanessa Rosenthal - Bottle Blonde and Beautiful (b007jw27)**  
 Single mum hairdresser Denise is in for a shock from a new client.  
 Vanessa Rosenthal's gripping northern town drama with a touch of thriller.  
 Starring Jeff Hordley as Steve, Jo Joyner as Denise Judith Davis as Mrs Howden, Ann-Marie Frater as Leanne, Craig Potter as Ashley and Rebecca Zienko as Hannah.  
 Directed at BBC Manchester by Polly Thomas.  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 2002.  
**THU 12:00 Yes Minister (b007jzxt)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 08:00 today]  
**THU 12:30 Dad's Army (b007jr4t)**  
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**THU 13:00 Sherlock Holmes (m00094ml)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 today]  
**THU 13:30 Rogue Male by Geoffrey Household (b007jr8w)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 06:30 today]  
**THU 14:00 Ladies of Letters (b01mhmml)**  
 Ladies of Letters Log On  
 Episode 9  
 Vera's family works out their problems on live television. With Patricia Routledge and Prunella Scales. From May 2001.  
**THU 14:15 Ambridge Extra (b01mhm3)**  
 Series 3  
 Episode 20  
 Kenton takes some huge risks, with help from Jolene, Mel and Meriel. Will that little yacht make it back to Auckland?  
**THU 14:30 Julian Barnes - Arthur and George (b01mhm3)**  
 Episode 4  
 Novel about the Sherlock Holmes author and a troubled solicitor. The vicar's son finds himself on trial. Read by Clive Merrison.  
**THU 14:45 Book of the Week (b03c31lq)**  
 Seamus Heaney - Beowulf  
 Episode 4  
 Hrothgar, King of the Danes, hosts a victory feast to celebrate Beowulf's defeat of the evil monster Grendel.  
 Produced in Salford by Susan Roberts.  
 Radio Drama North.  
**THU 15:00 Marcy Kahan - Blithe Spy (b00tcps)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 today]  
**THU 16:00 The 4 O'Clock Show (b01mhm9)**  
 Mel Giedroyc finds out what causes fits of the giggles, and hears some very unpleasant sounds. What's worse - snoring, or fingernails down the blackboard?  
**THU 17:00 Capital Gains (b00shdzt)**  
 Series 2  
 Seed Capital  
 Billionaire philanthropist Julius Hutch has never voted, but when his wife leaves home and a compulsory purchase order arrives, he takes action.  
 Peter Jones stars as Julius Hutch.  
 Written by Collin Johnson.  
 Julius Hutch ..... Peter Jones  
 Pauline Tone ..... Celestine Randall  
 Kate ..... Justine Middy  
 Sexton Lewis ..... Jeffrey Wickham  
 Sir Gainford Blounty ..... Stephen Thorne  
 Dahlia Sprout ..... Jillie Meers  
 Other parts played by Collin Johnson, David Holt and Brian Perkins.  
 Producers: Andy Jordan and David Blount  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in July 1997 .  
**THU 17:30 Smelling of Roses (b00fh6w1)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 07:00 today]  
**THU 18:00 Charles Chilton - Journey into Space (b007jq7r)**  
 The Red Planet  
 10. Freighters Approach  
 Captain Jet Morgan and his crew are on Mars, but he's alarmed when more of the fleet appear to arrive...  
 Charles Chilton's 1954 classic set in 1971.  
 Jet Morgan .... Andrew Faulds  
 Lemmy .... David Kossoff  
 Doc .... Guy Kingsley Poynter  
 Mitch .... Bruce Beeby  
 Announcer/Various .... David Jacobs  
 Various .... Anthony Marriott  
 Music composed and conducted by Van Phillips.  
 Producer: Charles Chilton  
 First broadcast on the BBC Light Programme in November 1954.  
**THU 18:30 Aldous Huxley - Brave New World (b007nf2z)**  
 Episode 4  
 Bernard takes Lenina to the Savage Reservation, but is she fully prepared? Nightmare future vision read by Anton Lesser. From April 2003.  
**THU 18:45 MR James (b007k1hw)**  
 MR James: Ghost Stories  
 The Haunted Dolls' House  
 Why are the Chittendens so pleased to be rid of their rather splendid miniature mansion? Read by Benjamin Whitrow.  
**THU 19:00 Yes Minister (b007jzxt)**  
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**THU 21:15 Vanessa Rosenthal - Bottle Blonde and Beautiful (b007jw27)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 11:15 today]  
**THU 22:00 Fags, Mags and Bags (b010y376)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 07:30 today]  
**THU 22:30 Four Sad Faces (b00g1825)**  
 Episode 1  
 Quirky sketches from Jack Bernhardt, Tobi Wilson, Tom Crowley and Rachel Lerman - who all met at school. From December 2008.

**THU 23:00 Rubbish (b00853km)**  
 Series 2  
 Liar  
 And why are you late? Disillusioned recycling officer Martin has his patience tested when a game gets out of hand.  
 Reece Dinsdale stars as local government officer, cynic and manic-depressive, Martin Christmas in Tony Bagley's sitcom.  
 Martin ..... Reece Dinsdale  
 Barney ..... Matthew Cottle  
 John ..... Neil Dudgeon  
 Sarah ..... Pippa Haywood  
 Scott ..... Kevin Eldon  
 Tristana ..... Katy Brand  
 Karen ..... Orianne Messina  
 Marie ..... Claire Bartlett  
 Producer: Claire Bartlett  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in November 2007.  
**THU 23:30 Cowards (b00f6qrq)**  
 Series 2  
 Episode 4  
 Step inside the strange and happy world of the Cowards.  
 Series 2 of sketch comedy with a comic slant on human frailties  
 Starring Tom Basden, Stefan Golaszewski, Tim Key and Lloyd Woolf.  
 Producer: Victoria Lloyd  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in December 2008.

## FRIDAY 07 SEPTEMBER 2012

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 [Repeat of broadcast at 18:30 on Thursday]  
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 [Repeat of broadcast at 07:00 on Thursday]  
**FRI 06:00 Sherlock Holmes (m00094ml)**  
 Sherlock Holmes with Carleton Hobbs - Series 5  
 The Three Gables  
 The Baker Street sleuth faces threats as he investigates a house buyer, who's also after all of its contents...  
 Sir Arthur Conan Doyle's great detective investigates.  
 Stars Carleton Hobbs as Sherlock Holmes and Norman Shelley as Dr Watson.  
 Steve Dixie ..... Frank Singuineau  
 Mary Maberly ..... Grizelda Hervey  
 Susan ..... Nicolette Bernard  
 Sutro ..... Allan Haines  
 Isadora Klein ..... Selma Vas Dias  
 Inspector Lestrade ..... Humphrey Morton  
 Adapted for radio by Michael Hardwick.  
 Producer Graham Gauld  
 First broadcast on the BBC Light Programme in October 1964.  
**FRI 06:30 Rogue Male by Geoffrey Household (b007jr8w)**  
 Episode 15  
 The anonymous would-be assassin is on his way out of the country - but what does his future hold?  
 Geoffrey Household's classic British thriller was first published shortly before the outbreak of war in 1939.  
 Concluded by Michael Jayston.  
 Producer: David Jackson Young.  
 Made for BBC 7 by BBC Scotland and first broadcast in 2004.  
**FRI 07:00 The Young Postmen (b00fz7bp)**  
 Top of the Pops  
 The eager threesome attempt a Christmas number one. Stars Ben Miller, John Thompson and Alistair McGowan. From December 1992.  
**FRI 07:30 Alex Horne Presents The Horne Section (b01m9qkz)**  
 Alex Horne Presents the Horne Section: Edinburgh 2012  
 A one-off Edinburgh special of music and comedy from Alex Horne and his 5 piece band. With special guests Al Murray and poet Tim Key.  
 Alex Horne .... Host  
 Joe Auckland .... Trumpet and Banjo  
 Mark Brown .... Saxophone and guitar  
 Will Collier .... Bass  
 Ben Reynolds .... Drums  
 Joe Stilgoe .... Keyboards  
 Al Murray .... Guest

Tim Key .... Guest  
 Producer .... Julia McKenzie.  
**FRI 08:00 The Navy Lark (b01mnhh2)**  
 Series 6  
 Stuck on a Sandbank  
 The crew of HMS Troutbridge is set for shore leave - if they can just manage to complete one tiny mission first.  
 Stars Leslie Phillips as the Sub-Lieutenant, Jon Pertwee as the Chief Petty Officer, Stephen Murray as the Number One, Richard Caldicot as Captain Povey, Heather Chasen as Heather, Ronnie Barker as Able Seaman Johnson and Tenniel Evans as Leading Seamen 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 January 1964.  
**FRI 08:30 The Burkiss Way (b007jqv4)**  
 Series 3  
 How to Succeed in Business The Burkiss Way  
 "It's That Script Again!" with fast-talking old-time radio comedy fun - and at the Council Planning Committee, will Satan eat a cucumber or offer a million pound bribe?  
 Starring Fred Harris, Jo Kendall, Nigel Rees and Chris Emmett.  
 Cult sketch comedy series which originally ran from 1976 to 1980.  
 Written by Andrew Marshall and David Renwick.  
 Producer: John Lloyd  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in November 1977.  
**FRI 09:00 Hazelbeach (b00853kb)**  
 Series 1  
 Horse-Racing  
 Ronnie organises a trip to the races and Nick makes a startling discovery about the true nature of friendship.  
 Caroline and David Stafford's comedy stars Jamie Forman as Ronnie Hazelbeach.  
 Ronnie ..... Jamie Foreman  
 Nick ..... Paul Bazely  
 Chloe ..... Tracy Wiles  
 James ..... John Dougall  
 Harry ..... Simon Treves  
 Andrea ..... Liza Sadovy  
 Producer: Marc Beeby  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in October 2007.  
**FRI 09:30 Whispers (b007k2zg)**  
 Series 1  
 Episode 3  
 "There never was an individual less regretted by his fellow creatures than this deceased King."  
 Gyles Brandreth reveals who - in the panel show that celebrates gossip rather than discretion - believing valour to be a redundant concept in the face of a good story.  
 The regular team captains are writer and critic, Anthony Holden and actor and writer, Stella Duffy.  
 Joining them to test their wits are ex-BBC royal correspondent Jennie Bond and entertainer Geoffrey Durham.  
 Producer: Elizabeth Freestone  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in November 2003.  
**FRI 10:00 Marcy Kahan - Our Man in Jamaica (b00tdzjv)**  
 Fidel Castro is in Cuba - dare Noel Coward turn spy again for Great Britain? Adventure with Malcolm Sinclair and Eleanor Bron.  
**FRI 11:00 Lucy Wood - Diving Belles (b019m52y)**  
 Notes From the House Spirits  
 A chronicle of the happenings and lives of the neglectful inhabitants of a Cornish house. Read by Amanda Lawrence.  
**FRI 11:15 James Follett - The Twisted Image (b007mf16)**  
 Two police officers discover the body of a local businessman's wife in the boot of his Rolls-Royce, stolen from outside his shop in the new town centre.  
 It should be an open and shut case - only the new town centre won't be built for another five years...  
 James Follett's futuristic whodunit stars Douglas Blackwell as Detective Inspector Simmonds, Joan Matheson as Mrs Francis and Peter Wickham as Detective Sergeant Colt  
 Producer: Margaret Etall  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 1977.  
**FRI 12:00 The Navy Lark (b01mnhh2)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 08:00 today]  
**FRI 12:30 The Burkiss Way (b007jqv4)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 08:30 today]  
**FRI 13:00 Sherlock Holmes (m0009cbv)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 today]  
**FRI 13:30 Rogue Male by Geoffrey Household (b007jr9c)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 06:30 today]  
**FRI 14:00 Ladies of Letters (b01mhqbq)**  
 Ladies of Letters Log On  
 Episode 10  
 How will the relationship merry-go-round resolve itself? With Patricia Routledge and Prunella Scales. From May 2001.  
**FRI 14:15 This Sceptred Isle (b007jtm1)**  
 The Irish Church and Constitutional Crisis  
 Disraeli's time in office is cut short by the question of the Anglican Church in Ireland. Narrated by Anna Massey.  
**FRI 14:30 Julian Barnes - Arthur and George (b01mhqbs)**  
 Episode 5  
 Novel about the Sherlock Holmes author and a troubled solicitor. Sudden changes blight both men's lives. Read by Clive

Merrison.  
**FRI 14:45 Book of the Week (b03c31w7)**  
 Seamus Heaney - Beowulf  
 Episode 5  
 After King Hrothgar's great victory feast for Beowulf Grendel's mother appears to avenge the death of her son.  
 Produced in Salford by Susan Roberts.  
 Radio Drama North.  
**FRI 15:00 Marcy Kahan - Our Man in Jamaica (b00tdzjv)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 today]  
**FRI 16:00 The 4 O'Clock Show (b01mhqbx)**  
 Cameras at the ready as Mel Giedroyc learns about photography, and discovers why we need trees.  
**FRI 17:00 No Commitments (b01mhqbz)**  
 Series 10  
 Time With the Family  
 Emily is engaged to Nick, so Roger and Victoria must absolutely meet her fiance's parents. Stars Bill Nighy. From February 2004.  
**FRI 17:30 The Young Postmen (b00fz7bp)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 07:00 today]  
**FRI 18:00 Charles Chilton - Journey into Space (b007jqb9)**  
 The Red Planet  
 11. The Desperate Search  
 Captain Jet Morgan and the crew reach freighter number two after it crash landed, but they fear they're not alone on Mars...  
 Charles Chilton's 1954 classic set in 1971.  
 CAST:  
 Jet Morgan .... Andrew Faulds  
 Lemmy .... David Kossoff  
 Doc .... Guy Kingsley Poynter  
 Mitch .... Bruce Beeby  
 Announcer/Variou... David Jacobs  
 Music composed and conducted by Van Phillips.  
 Producer: Charles Chilton  
 First broadcast on the BBC Light Programme in November 1954.  
**FRI 18:30 Aldous Huxley - Brave New World (b007rkyyx)**  
 Episode 5  
 Lenina is horrified by the Savage Reservation, until she meets John. Nightmare vision of the future read by Anton Lesser.  
 From April 2003.  
**FRI 18:45 MR James (b007k1kh)**  
 MR James: Ghost Stories  
 Rats  
 Mr Thompson decides to explore the rooms at the inn where he is staying. Perhaps he shouldn't. Read by Benjamin Whitrow.  
**FRI 19:00 The Navy Lark (b01mnhh2)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 08:00 today]  
**FRI 19:30 The Burkiss Way (b007jqv4)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 08:30 today]  
**FRI 20:00 Sherlock Holmes (m0009cbv)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 today]  
**FRI 20:30 Rogue Male by Geoffrey Household (b007jr9c)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 06:30 today]  
**FRI 21:00 Lucy Wood - Diving Belles (b019m52y)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 11:00 today]  
**FRI 21:15 James Follett - The Twisted Image (b007mf16)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 11:15 today]  
**FRI 22:00 Alex Horne Presents The Horne Section (b01m9qkz)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 07:30 today]  
**FRI 22:30 Nigel and Earl Sort Out the World (b008vr8l)**  
 Episode 5  
 The surreal duo try solving the globe's topical problems. Stars Andrew Livingstone and Fine Time Fontayne. From August 1992.  
**FRI 22:55 The Comedy Club Interviews (b01mygv0)**  
 From 10pm - midnight, Sunday to Friday, the Comedy Club has two hours of comedy. Plus Arthur Smith is joined by Mike Flowers Pop.  
**FRI 23:00 This Is Craig Brown (b00f41tk)**  
 Travel  
 The Pedants' Association takes a trip to the seaside. The satirist pokes fun with Edward Fox and Rory Bremner. From March 2004.  
**FRI 23:15 Date With Fate (b0090x8s)**  
 Nice Little Number  
 Vernon Hedges sets out to disprove the existence of Lady Luck. Harold Wing Pinero is your host.  
 Another of four comic close encounters with fate written by Gary Parker and Phil Whelans.  
 Vernon ..... Philip Jackson  
 Harold Wing Pinero ..... Charles Gray  
 Arthur ..... Michael Troughton  
 Dory/Shelley ..... Tracy Wiles  
 All other parts played by Toby Longworth.  
 Producer: Paul Schlesinger  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in February 1996.  
**FRI 23:30 On the Hour (b007m9zs)**  
 Series 2  
 Episode 6  
 An outside broadcast goes down and a bluebottle rumpages across Essex.  
 All the news as it happens, if it happens from the BBC's urgent and incisive news overview.  
 Savagely satirical award-winning comedy starring Chris Morris. With Steve Coogan, David Schneider, Rebecca Front, Patrick Marber and Doon Mackichan.

Written by Chris Morris, Armando Iannucci, Richard Herring, Steven Wells, David Quantick, Stewart Lee and Patrick Marber.  
 Producer: Armando Iannucci  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in May 1992