







First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in January 2001.  
**SUN 15:20 Dylan Thomas: The Beach of Falesa (b042bh3t)**  
 Never filmed screenplay by Dylan Thomas, adapted for radio for the centenary of his birth, and narrated as a 'Film for Voices' by Matthew Rhys.  
 Wiltshire arrives on an unnamed Pacific island hoping to trade in copra. But an encounter with rival trader Case leads to a macabre wedding. Shunned by the locals, Wiltshire sets out to uncover the secret behind Case's mysterious hold over the islanders, and the truth in the tales of the singing devils living deep in the bush.  
 Dylan Thomas adapted the short story of the same title by Robert Louis Stevenson to create this screenplay but it was never filmed, despite interest from Richard Burton. It blends some of the wordplay of Under Milk Wood with the brooding mystery of Heart of Darkness.  
 Producer Alison Hindell came across The Beach of Falesa when her stepdaughter moved into a new house in Sydney and found the published edition of the text amongst the remnants left behind by the previous owner.  
 Narrator ..... Matthew Rhys  
 Wiltshire ..... Matthew Gravelle  
 Case ..... Nicky Henson  
 Uma ..... Fiona Marr  
 Jenkins / Captain ..... Simon Armstrong  
 Randall ..... Stephen Critchlow  
 Little Jack ..... Steve Toussaint  
 Original music composed by Roger Goula  
 Sound by Nigel Lewis.  
 Adapted for radio and directed by Alison Hindell.  
 A BBC Cymru Wales production for BBC Radio 4, first broadcast in May 2014  
**SUN 17:00 Poetry Extra (m0014pnt)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 12:00 today]  
**SUN 17:30 Tom Wrigglesworth's Open Letters (b00yrfwh)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 12:30 today]  
**SUN 18:00 The Mistral (m0014pnx)**  
 The behaviour of a young girl born during a storm causes her father concern and impacts his life.  
 A tale of human passions unleashed by an elemental force.  
 Written by Hattie Naylor.  
 Jeff .... Kim Wall  
 Phylida .... Tracy Ann Oberman  
 Gus .... Danny Webb  
 Mother .... Jillie Meers  
 Stephen .... Harry Myers  
 Lilly .... Candice Williams  
 Director: Jonquil Panting  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in January 1999.  
**SUN 18:45 Robert Aickman Stories (m0007s32)**  
 5. Just A Song At Twilight  
 All their London friends said Lydia and Timo were mad. But when the dream takes hold...  
 Series of strange stories by Robert Aickman.  
 Read by Tim McInnerny.  
 Producer: Karen Rose  
 A Sweet Talk production for BBC Radio 4 Extra, first broadcast in August 2019.  
**SUN 19:00 Radiolab (m000fnvc)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 11:00 today]  
**SUN 20:00 Craig Warner - A Sense of Things Moving Forward (b08n42fy)**  
 The true and historical tragedy of the Very Magnificent Lord Don Cristobal Colon, Grand Admiral of the Ocean Sea. What was the first "American Dream"?  
 What did Christopher Columbus hope to achieve when he landed in the New World?  
 And how did his notable voyage alter the course of his own life?  
 Ben Kingsley stars in Craig Warner's play about God and Gold.  
 Don Cristobal Colon ..... Ben Kingsley  
 Isabella, Queen of Spain ..... Frances Barber  
 Father Luis de Torres ..... Simon Russell Beale  
 Martin Alonso Pinzon ..... Patrick Malahide  
 Anacaona ..... Constance Chapman  
 Guacanagari ..... Hedley Goodall  
 Vincente Pinzon ..... David Plimmer  
 Beatriz Perestrelo ..... Denise Bryer  
 Page ..... Craig Edwards  
 Arawak Woman ..... Juliet Prew  
 Producer: Andy Jordan  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in March 1992.  
**SUN 21:00 Desert Island Discs Revisited (m0014pnr)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 today]  
**SUN 21:45 The Curious Cases of Rutherford & Fry (m000b0bb)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 10:45 today]  
**SUN 22:00 Tom Wrigglesworth's Open Letters (b00yrfwh)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 12:30 today]  
**SUN 22:30 The Hudson and Pepperdine Show (b0076fd6)**  
 Series 3  
 Time for a Break  
 Fancying a summer holiday, Mel and Vicki opt for a house swap with another double act.  
 Starring Mel Hudson and Vicki Pepperdine.  
 With:  
 Martin Hyder  
 Lewis MacLeod  
 Jim North

Written by Danny Robins and Dan Tetsell with the cast.  
 Script edited by Graeme Garden.  
 Music by Richie Webb.  
 Producer: Chris Neill  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in June 2003.  
**SUN 23:00 In and Out of the Kitchen (b01qdsms)**  
 Series 2  
 The Dinner Party  
 Damien and Anthony invite their nearest and dearest round for a dinner party to celebrate some good news:  
 Anthony has finally decided to start his own investment company, whilst Damien has finally got from Sky Arts for a new series all about the culinary habits of the great poets.  
 Unfortunately, things do not get off to an auspicious start when Anthony is beset by incurable hiccups, and Damien's agent Ian arrives with marital problems in tow.  
 Includes recipes for Baked Camembert, Trout "en papillote" and Rum Baba.  
 Sitcom written by and starring Miles Jupp, charting the life of cookery writer Damien Trench and his partner Anthony.  
 Damien Trench ..... Miles Jupp  
 Anthony MacIlveny ..... Justin Edwards  
 Damien's Mother ..... Selina Cadell  
 Damien's Dad ..... Philip Fox  
 Mr Mullaney ..... Brendan Dempsey  
 Marion Duffett ..... Lesley Vickerage  
 Producer: Sam Michell  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in January 2013.  
**SUN 23:30 The Masterson Inheritance (b007jstr)**  
 Series 1  
 The Sweat of the Mastersons  
 A young Charles Masterson seeks his fortune in Dickensian London, a town seething with body-snatchers, opium dens and female impersonators...  
 Based entirely on audience suggestions - this is an improvised historical saga of the Mastersons - a family at war with itself.  
 Starring:  
 Paul Merton  
 Josie Lawrence  
 Caroline Quentin  
 Jim Sweeney  
 Phelim McDermott  
 Producer: Phil Clarke  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in May 1993.

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**MON 00:00 The Mistral (m0014pnx)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 18:00 on Sunday]  
**MON 00:45 Robert Aickman Stories (m0007s32)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 18:45 on Sunday]  
**MON 01:00 Jon McGregor - Reservoir 13 (Omnibus) (b09wv0jd)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 13:00 on Sunday]  
**MON 02:10 Victor Hugo - Les Miserables (Omnibus) (b007jtt7)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 14:10 on Sunday]  
**MON 03:20 Dylan Thomas: The Beach of Falesa (b042bh3t)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 15:20 on Sunday]  
**MON 05:00 Poetry Extra (m0014pnt)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 12:00 on Sunday]  
**MON 05:30 Tom Wrigglesworth's Open Letters (b00yrfwh)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 12:30 on Sunday]  
**MON 06:00 Paul Temple (b007rwt)**  
 Paul Temple and the Margo Mystery  
 6. Mainly About Wyman  
 The suave sleuth wonders whether an international criminal is behind Julia's murder.  
 Francis Durbridge's thriller stars Peter Coke and Marjorie Westbury as BBC radio's smoothest investigator and his glamorous wife.  
 Paul Temple .... Peter Coke  
 Trent .... Marjorie Westbury  
 Sir Graham Forbes .... James Thomason  
 Supt Raïne .... Simon Lack  
 Tony Wyman .... Jon Rollason  
 Mike Langdon .... Tommy Duggan  
 George Kelburn .... Julian Somers  
 Linda Kelburn/Sidney .... June Tobin  
 Charlie .... James Beattie  
 DI Burton .... Douglas Storm  
 Ken Sinclair .... Peter Wild  
 Waiter/Man .... Nigel Anthony  
 Mrs Perkins .... Janet Morrison  
 Prison Governor .... Peter Pratt  
 Midge Harris .... Frank Partington  
 Producer: Martyn C Webster  
 First heard on the BBC Light Programme in February 1961.  
**MON 06:30 The Same River Twice (m000d8dv)**  
 1. The Return  
 A man named Johnny Maxen walks through Gare du Nord station in Paris.  
 He's reluctantly returning to a life he thought he'd abandoned forever back in Scotland...  
 Where is his estranged wife who's mysteriously disappeared?  
 Starring Gordon Jackson.  
 Edward Boyd's thriller serial in eight parts.  
 Johnny Maxen ..... Gordon Jackson

Helen Duncan ..... Lennox Milne  
 Bill Ferguson ..... Victor Carin  
 Rachel Scott ..... Mary Riggans  
 Torquil ..... James Crampsey  
 Operator ..... John Toye  
 Producer: Eddie Fraser  
 First broadcast on the BBC Light Programme in October 1966.  
**MON 07:00 Boswell's Lives (b053bq4)**  
 Series 1  
 Boswell's Life of Freud  
 Boswell attempts to write a biography of Sigmund Freud but finds it's Freud who is asking all the questions.  
 Jon Canter's sitcom sees James Boswell become a time-travelling biographer - doing for other celebrities what he did for Dr Johnson.  
 James Boswell ..... Miles Jupp  
 Sigmund Freud ..... Henry Goodman  
 Producer: Sally Avens  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in February 2015.  
**MON 07:30 The Unbelievable Truth (m0014gbf)**  
 Series 27  
 Episode 6  
 David Mitchell hosts the panel game in which four comedians are encouraged to tell lies and compete against one another to see how many items of truth they're able to smuggle past their opponents.  
 Richard Osman, Henning Wehn, Holly Walsh and Ria Lina are the panellists obliged to talk with deliberate inaccuracy on subjects as varied as glasses, squirrels, Alexander the Great and China.  
 Produced by Jon Naismith  
 A Random Entertainment production for BBC Radio 4  
**MON 08:00 Marriage Lines (b068r53p)**  
 Series 2  
 Episode 13  
 It's baby's christening day and George is packing for Africa. Starring Richard Briers and Prunella Scales.  
 Richard Waring's sitcom based on the mutual love and mistrust of two newlyweds.  
 Originating on BBC TV, it ran between 1963-65 and was adapted in two series for BBC radio due to its popularity.  
 George Starling .... Richard Briers  
 Kate .... Prunella Scales  
 Miles .... Edward De Souza  
 George's Mum .... Diana King  
 George's Dad .... Geoffrey Sumner  
 Kate's Mum .... Joan Sanderson  
 The Mystery Guest .... Charlotte Mitchell  
 Other Roles .... Peter Hawkins  
 Producer: Charles Maxwell  
 First broadcast on the BBC Light Programme in June 1967.  
**MON 08:30 Boogie Up the River (b007jv7w)**  
 See You Outside Boots in Oxford  
 Mark and his manic mutt look for the enigmatic Jennifer in the city of dreaming spires.  
 Starring Timothy Spall.  
 One man's quest to discover the true source of the River Thames with his faithful hound, Boogie.  
 Adapted by Mark Wallington from his own novel.  
 Mark/Narrator .... Timothy Spall  
 Jennifer Conway .... Carla Mendonca  
 Boogie/Dorchester Man .... Ronald Herdman  
 Lock Keeper .... Terence Edmond  
 Dorchester Lady .... Jill Graham  
 Delia Smith/Betty .... Melinda Walker  
 Cox .... Jonathan Tafler  
 Boater/Farmer .... Mark Straker  
 Producer: Caroline Leddy  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in December 1992.  
**MON 09:00 Wordaholics (b01cjm4p)**  
 Series 1  
 Episode 2  
 Wordaholics is the comedy panel game all about words.  
 Gyles Brandreth presides as Natalie Haynes, Michael Rosen, Arthur Smith and Paul Sinha vie for supremacy in the ring. Wordaholics is clever, intelligent, witty and unexpected. There are toponyms, abbreviations, euphemisms, old words, new words, cockney rhyming slang, Greek gobbledegook, plus the panellists' picks of the ugliest and the most beautiful words: the whole world of words.  
 Writers: Jon Hunter and James Kettle  
 Producer: Claire Jones.  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in February 2012.  
**MON 09:30 Arrested Development (b0075vh3)**  
 Episode 1  
 Penny and Dave are getting married, but there are a few hiccups - Penny's hair being just one of them.  
 She wanted the Julia Roberts look but has ended up with a Mrs Merton instead.  
 Starring Letitia Dean, Phil Cornwell and Julian Rhind-Tutt.  
 Simon Wame's four-part comedy serial.  
 Penny ..... Letitia Dean  
 Bob ..... Phil Cornwell  
 Andy ..... Julian Rhind-Tutt  
 Joy ..... Maggie McCarthy  
 Kate ..... Susannah Doyle  
 Frank ..... Roger Walker



Wally Stone .... Malcolm Hayes  
From 1938 to 1969 the fictional crime novelist and detective Paul Temple, together with his Fleet Street journalist Steve, solved case-after-case in one of BBC Radio's most popular series. They inhabited a sophisticated world of chilled cocktails and fast cars, where the women were chic and the men wore cravats - a world where Sir Graham Forbes, of Scotland Yard, invariably needed Paul's help with his latest tricky case.  
Producer: Martyn C. Webster  
First heard on the BBC Light Programme in 1961.  
**TUE 06:30 The Same River Twice (m000d7vz)**  
2. The Body  
Reluctantly agreeing to search for his estranged wife Julia who's been missing for three months, Johnny Maxen's enquiries meet with some strange reactions...  
Edward Boyd's thriller series starring Gordon Jackson.  
Johnny Maxen ..... Gordon Jackson  
Detective Inspector Wardlaw ..... Roddy McMillan  
Helen Duncan ..... Lennox Milne  
Mr Todhunter ..... Walter Carr  
Jo-Jo ..... Bill Henderson  
Mary ..... Sheila Donald  
Voice on phone ..... Joe Dunlop  
Producer: Eddie Fraser  
First broadcast on the BBC Light Programme in October 1966.  
**TUE 07:00 The Architects (b03y3kgn)**  
Series 1  
Fracking Hell  
Potentially lucrative contracts involving nuclear power plants, military drone manufacturers and a fracking company leave Matt and his principles in potential meltdown.  
Sitcom set in a struggling architectural practice by Jim Poyser and Neil Griffiths.  
Matt ..... Dominic Coleman  
Sarah ..... Ingrid Oliver  
Sir Lucien ..... Geoffrey Whitehead  
Tim ..... Alex Carter  
Hayley ..... Aisling Bea  
Amanda ..... Carolyn Pickles  
Snadaker ..... Stephen Critchlow  
Gentle Energy MD ..... Steve Toussaint  
Director: Toby Swift  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in March 2014.  
**TUE 07:30 Please Use Other Door (m0014g0j)**  
Series 1  
Episode 2  
From Bill Dare (Dead Ringers, The Secret World). The second show includes a series of sketches in which someone is forced to watch Succession, a man applies for a business loan for a company whose aim is doing evil and a woman dates the Pied Piper.  
Performed by: Gabby Best, Will Hartley, Chris Ryman, Rebecca Shorrocks, Witney White and Toby Williams  
The series of four is written by: Kat Butterfield and Dan Audritt, Sophie Dickson, Laura Major, Rob Darke, Alex Nash and Sam South, Ed Amsden and Tom Coles, Cody Dahler, Toby Williams, Ed Tew, Anna Goodman, Imogen Andrews, Matt Harrison, Carwyn Blayney, Natasha Dhanraj, Alice Etches and Nathalie Antonia, Chris Ryman, Simon Alcock, Leigh Douglas, Chazz Redhead, Paul F Taylor, Jo Wiggins, Cameron Loxdale, Lewis Cook, Owen Petty, Tom Oxenham, Rebecca Heitlinger and Bill Dare.  
Production Co-ordinators Beverly Tagg and Sarah Sharpe  
Sound Design Rich Evans  
Music composed by Bill Dare and produced by Iona C Vallance  
Artwork Lucy Jagger  
Produced and created by Bill Dare  
BBC Studios Production  
**TUE 08:00 The Goon Show (b007k4c2)**  
Series 5  
The Canal  
Back home after 43 years, why must Neddie Seagoon never go near the oily waters again?  
Groundbreaking, surreal BBC radio comedy written by Spike Milligan.  
Starring:  
Peter Sellers  
Harry Secombe  
Spike Milligan  
Special guest: Valentine Dyal  
First billed as Crazy People, ten series of The Goon Show were recorded between 1951 and 1960, but sadly many of the earliest shows weren't kept in the archive.  
With the Ray Ellington Quartet and Max Geldray.  
Orchestra conducted by Wally Stott.  
Announcer: Wallace Greenslade  
Producer: Peter Eton  
First broadcast on the BBC Home Service in November 1954.  
**TUE 08:30 King Street Junior (b007jmdx)**  
Series 5  
D Day Minus One  
A day of stock-taking, literally and educationally, as the teachers prepare for a new academic year.  
School comedy created and written by Jim Eldridge.  
CAST:  
Phillip Sims .... Karl Howman  
Mr Beeston .... James Grout  
Mr Holiday .... Tom Watson  
Mrs Stone .... Margaret John

Mrs Patterson .... Deirdre Costello  
Mrs Rudd .... Vivienne Martin  
Mr Long .... Paul Copley  
Miss Lewis .... Marlene Sidaway  
Mr Tomkins .... John Cater  
King Street Junior ran to ten series between 1985 and 1998.  
King Street Junior Revisited ran from 2002 to 2005.  
Producer: John Fawcett Wilson  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in May 1990.  
**TUE 09:00 The News Quiz (m0014gv9)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 23:00 on Monday]  
**TUE 09:30 The Mitch Benn Music Show (b00b5tc3)**  
Series 2  
Episode 2  
The comedian presents a selection of classic comic songs. With special guest singer-songwriter Isy Suttie. From October 2006.  
**TUE 10:00 Jules Verne (b08jk8x6)**  
Journey to the Centre of the Earth  
Episode 2  
Axel is in grave danger. Thirty leagues of rock lie above him. Should he go up or down?  
The conclusion of Jules Verne novel - the ultimate adventure story of three intrepid explorers venturing into an Icelandic volcano.  
Adapted by Moya O'Shea.  
Axel ..... Joel MacCormack  
Professor Lidenbrock ..... Stephen Critchlow  
Hans ..... Gudmundur Thorvaldsson  
Grauben ..... Nicola Ferguson  
Composer: Neil Brand  
Director: Tracey Neale  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in March 2017.  
**TUE 11:00 Archive on 4 (b0bbmthw)**  
That's Edutainment!  
Are the values of education and entertainment truly compatible? Matthew Sweet asks if learning can or should be fun.  
When we watch a high-end TV documentary do we learn anything? Or do we simply think we have? With lessons from the archive, this is an hour long look at the links between education and fun.  
We attend Radio 4's King Street Junior for a historical re-enactment and go down Sesame Street, an early example of edutainment that worked. A 1970's adult education series called On the Move, with a young Bob Hoskins playing a removal man who has trouble reading and writing, helped enormous numbers of people with literacy problems. It accidentally became cult viewing in the process.  
The same cult status was accorded to the first late night Open University broadcasts, although the values of good television and undergraduate teaching initially clashed, sometimes about the appropriate colour of shirts.  
In his capacity as academic, Matthew talks to Dr Fern Riddell, whose PhD he supervised. Fern chose broadcasting and writing rather than lecturing or teaching as a career and she explains how injecting historical authenticity into TV dramas like Ripper Street might help us see past eras more clearly, if backed by the right research.  
And, with the help of Harvard Professor of Education Meira Levinson, Matthew wonders whether Homer Simpson is an appropriate vehicle for the study of philosophy.  
Meanwhile, are some of the ideals of Public Service Broadcasting changing in the digital age? Nowadays the strictly educational programmes like OU material and schools broadcasting are no longer part of the general broadcasting landscape, meaning we're less likely to stumble upon them. Put Public Service Broadcasting into a popular search engine and you might not end up learning about the BBC mission statement, but something completely different.  
A Testbed production  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 2018.  
**TUE 12:00 The Goon Show (b007k4c2)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 08:00 today]  
**TUE 12:30 King Street Junior (b007jmdx)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 08:30 today]  
**TUE 13:00 Paul Temple (b007rwnw)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 today]  
**TUE 13:30 The Same River Twice (m000d7vz)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 06:30 today]  
**TUE 14:00 The Two of Us: My Life with John Thaw by Sheila Hancock (b007gnpp)**  
2. Stage  
Sheila's story reaches the stage of her life when she has determined to go on the stage.  
Meanwhile in the diaries of her maturity - husband, John Thaw, begins to have trouble with his voice, having played Captain Hook in Peter Pan.  
Actress Sheila Hancock reads from her book about her deep and passionate partnership with her late husband, actor John Thaw.  
Producer: Ned Chaillet  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in October 2004  
**TUE 14:15 Maya Angelou's Autobiographies (b0b710j9)**  
I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings  
Episode 2  
Maya Angelou's iconic debut autobiography powerfully evokes her life as a child in 1930's America. Maya is reunited with her estranged mother, where she suffers a traumatising sexual abuse. Dr. Angelou's extraordinary autobiography illuminates

her incredible life, her resilience, creativity and power.  
Narrator (Older Maya) ..... Adjoa Andoh  
Maya ..... Indie Gjesdal  
Bailey ..... Roshawn Hewitt  
Momma ..... Cecilia Noble  
Mother ..... Ellen Thomas  
Freeman ..... Richard Pepple  
Lawyer ..... John Lightbody  
Dramatised by Patricia Cumper  
Produced and Directed by Pauline Harris.  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in June 2018.  
**TUE 14:30 Anything You Can Do (b0b8b7qb)**  
On 3rd July 1938, Sir Nigel Gresley's steam streamlined 'Mallard' broke the world speed record for steam engines, reaching 126 mph - a record which still stands today.  
Piers Bishop tells of the record attempt and traces the rivalry between two great railway engineers in the golden age of steam.  
Producer: Ivan Howlett  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 1988.  
**TUE 15:00 Jules Verne (b08jk8x6)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 today]  
**TUE 16:00 The Museum of Curiosity (b091wf81)**  
Series 11  
Episode 5  
Professor of Ignorance John Lloyd and his curator, the brilliant Romesh Ranganathan welcome:  
\*A costume designer who has dressed Johnny Depp, Madonna and Tom Cruise, Penny Rose.  
\*Truth seeker, commentator, author, biographer, columnist and Private Eye's Editor, Francis When.  
\* Professor of Volcanology at Cambridge University and author who travels from the Antarctic to darkest North Korea in search of the Hot Stuff, Clive Oppenheimer.  
The Museum's Guest Committee offer as exhibits a decorous device for lifting a Victorian lady's skirt, a letter that Karl Marx never wrote and a tin can full of liquid rock.  
Researched by Anne Miller of QI and Mike Turner.  
Producers were Richard Turner and James Harkin.  
It was a BBC Studios production for BBC Radio 4, first broadcast in August 2017.  
**TUE 16:30 The Mitch Benn Music Show (b00b5tc3)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 09:30 today]  
**TUE 17:00 The Architects (b03y3kgn)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 07:00 today]  
**TUE 17:30 Please Use Other Door (m0014g0j)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 07:30 today]  
**TUE 18:00 Fantastic Tales (b007k2m4)**  
Hell Screen by Ryunosuke Akutagawa 2/2  
Arrogant painter, Yoshi-hidday, puts his daughter's life in terrible danger.  
Ryunosuke Akutagawa's chilling horror story concluded by Togo Iwano.  
Fantastic Tales is a collection of weird and wonderful stories from around the world.  
Translator: Jay Rubin  
Director: Gemma Jenkins  
Made for BBC Radio 7 and first broadcast in March 2007.  
**TUE 18:30 Soul Music (b04tjdl5)**  
Series 19  
La Boheme  
"La Boheme is a work of genius, for me it's the perfect opera. There's not a bar or a word or anything you'd want to alter. It just gets to you" - Opera Director John Copley CBE.  
Soul Music ventures back into the Parisian winter of Puccini's beloved 'La Boheme' where legendary Opera Director John Copley CBE reflects on his 40 years of bringing this tale of friendship, love and loss to the stage of the Royal Opera House. Alongside his memories of sharing pasta with a young Pavarotti we hear the stories from those whose lives have been touched by - and often reflect - the essence of this most popular of operas.  
From the romantic gesture of a probationary constable serenading his soon to be bus conductress wife in 1950's Torquay to the moment that a devoted husband passed away - La Boheme has touched the lives of opera lovers around the world.  
Featuring interviews with author Mavis Cheek and opera devotees Ray Tabb and Nancy Rossi.  
Producer: Nicola Humphries  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 2014.  
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[Repeat of broadcast at 07:30 today]  
**TUE 22:30 Mark Steel's in Town (b0184rgg)**  
Series 3  
Holyhead  
Mark Steel continues his tour of six UK towns as he performs for the residents of Holyhead in Anglesey.  
His bespoke stand-up show covers sinking ships, fishy foot nibbling, the town's newest locals, Kate and Wills, and a mayor







Following in the footsteps of Lord Clark, Dr Bronowski and Professor Galbraith, David Jason unravels the mysteries of the universe and the meaning of life.  
Written by Colin Bostock Smith, Andy Hamilton, Barry Pilton and Alastair Beaton.  
Music by John Owen Edwards  
Producer: Geoffrey Perkins  
First broadcast on the BBC Radio 4 in September 1977.  
**THU 08:30 Capital Gains (b007r5d3)**  
Series 1  
Venture Capital  
Absconding with £4,601,740.72 of someone else's money proves more challenging than it sounds for Julius Hutch. Peter Jones stars as Julius Hutch.  
Written by Collin Johnson.  
Julius Hutch ..... Peter Jones  
Pauline Tone ..... Celestine Randall  
Sexton Lewis ..... Jeffrey Wickham  
Peter Fang ..... Peter Whitman  
News Reader ..... Collin Johnson  
Kate ..... Justine Mida  
Producer: Andy Jordan  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in April 1995.  
**THU 09:00 Foul Play (b00k7xd6)**  
Series 3  
Death in Intensive Care  
Crime writers Frances Fryfield and Peter N Walker try to solve a medical mystery.  
Simon Brett hosts the murder quiz.  
Maria McErlane and Lee Simpson play the suspects.  
Producer Liz Anstree  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in January 1998.  
**THU 09:30 An Actor's Life for Me (b00s7l2v)**  
Series 3  
Neighbours  
Robert Wilson discovers that not everybody needs good neighbours.  
John Gordon Sinclair stars in Paul Mayhew-Archer's sitcom.  
Robert ..... John Gordon Sinclair  
Desmond Shaw ..... Gary Waldhorn  
Sue ..... Gina McKeay  
Doctor ..... Toby Longworth  
Mrs Blake ..... Hilda Braid  
Neville ..... Jon Glover  
Producer: Diane Messias  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 2 in February 1993.  
**THU 10:00 Evelyn Waugh - A Handful of Dust (m000h6c7)**  
1. The Affair  
When Brenda Last embarks on an affair that is the talk of London society it has tragic consequences for all those involved...  
Evelyn Waugh's 1934 novel starring Tara Fitzgerald and Jonathan Cullen.  
Dramatised in 2 parts by Bill Matthews  
Brenda Last ..... Tara Fitzgerald  
Tony Last ..... Jonathan Cullen  
Beaver .... Roman Vibert  
Mrs Beaver .... Sally Grace  
Jock .... James Simmons  
Marjorie .... Victoria Carling  
John Andrew .... Nathan Grewer  
Milly .... Darriel Pertwee  
Ambrose..... Kim Wall  
Babs .... Jane Whittenshaw  
Polly .... Colleen Prendergast  
Veronica .... Patience Tomlinson  
Jenny ..... Alice Arnold  
Ben ..... Keith Drinkel  
Nanny ..... Ann Beach  
Director Sally Avens  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in May 1996.  
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**THU 14:00 The Two of Us: My Life with John Thaw by Sheila Hancock (b0076nqr)**  
4. Rocky Years  
Sheila's diaries record that John Thaw's cancer is terminal. In the past, her story of their lives together records some rocky years, with alcohol threatening their union.  
Actress Sheila Hancock reads from her book about her deep and passionate partnership with her late husband, actor John Thaw.  
Producer: Ned Chaillet  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in October 2004  
**THU 14:15 Maya Angelou's Autobiographies (b0b7121n)**  
I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings  
Episode 4  
Maya, now aged 15, spends time with her father, Daddy Bailey.

They go on a surprising and chaotic trip to Mexico.  
Narrator ..... Adjoa Andoh  
Dolores ..... Nikki Amuka-Bird  
Daddy Bailey ..... Richard Pepple  
Maya ..... Pippa Bennett Warner  
Spanish voices .....Maidir Jäuregui, Rocío Mesonero  
Celia Romo, Julio Villa-García, Hugo Sánchez and Francisco Oda-Ángel  
Dramatised by Patricia Cumper  
Produced and directed by Pauline Harris.  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in June 2018.  
**THU 14:30 Donald Duck Gets Drafted (b0680gts)**  
Marking the 70th anniversary of the end of the Second World War, illustrator and animator Gerald Scarfe tells the story of Disney's fascinating on and off-screen contribution to the war effort.  
The programme explores how the iconic Studio in California became a war plant in the 1940s, churning out groundbreaking military training films and propaganda shorts, educational posters and leaflets, along with insignias for troops to help boost morale on the frontline.  
Gerald, who worked as production designer on Disney's 1997's big screen animation Hercules, examines what motivated Walt to offer his artists' inkwells as weapons of war. He uncovers why Donald Duck rather than Mickey Mouse became the Studio's wartime mascot and reveals which film reportedly put Walt on Hitler's own personal hit list. He also examines Walt Disney's personal role as a Goodwill Ambassador in South America, intended to help stem potential Nazi influence.  
Producer: Kellie Redmond  
A Somethin' Else production for BBC Radio 4, first broadcast in September 2015.  
**THU 15:00 Evelyn Waugh - A Handful of Dust (m000h6c7)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 today]  
**THU 16:00 Foul Play (b00k7xd6)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 09:00 today]  
**THU 16:30 An Actor's Life for Me (b00s7l2v)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 09:30 today]  
**THU 17:00 The Wilsons Save the World (b09gkk3y)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 07:00 today]  
**THU 17:30 Cryer with Laughter: A Tribute to Barry Cryer (m0014j7t)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 07:30 today]  
**THU 18:00 Fantastic Tales (b007k30x)**  
The White People by Arthur Machen  
The nature of good and evil and the origins of sin are explored as two learned gentlemen hold a heated theological debate...  
Arthur Machen's intriguing tale first published in 1904.  
Read by Ioan Meredith and Louise Collins.  
Fantastic Tales is a collection of weird and wonderful stories from around the world.  
Director: Gemma Jenkins  
Made for BBC Radio 7 and first broadcast in March 2007.  
**THU 18:30 Great Lives (b09xjx30)**  
Series 45  
Jim Moir on Captain Beefheart  
The comedian, actor and artist Jim Moir aka Vic Reeves is Matthew Parris' guest and chooses the life of Don van Vliet - the Dadesque musician and painter Captain Beefheart who has influenced many musicians since the 1960s.  
They are joined by Beefheart's biographer Mike Barnes to discuss the bizarre and complex persona developed by the Californian eccentric who died from MS in 2010.  
Producer: Maggie Ayre  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 2018.  
**THU 19:00 The Jason Explanation of... (b007jq20)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 08:00 today]  
**THU 19:30 Capital Gains (b007r5d3)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 08:30 today]  
**THU 20:00 Dashiell Hammett - Secret Agent X-9 (b007jpcz)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 today]  
**THU 20:30 The Same River Twice (m000d94x)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 06:30 today]  
**THU 21:00 Desert Island Discs Revisited (m0014pnr)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 on Sunday]  
**THU 21:45 The Curious Cases of Rutherford & Fry (m000b0bb)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 10:45 on Sunday]  
**THU 22:00 Cryer with Laughter: A Tribute to Barry Cryer (m0014j7t)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 07:30 today]  
**THU 22:30 Phil Wang: Wangsplainning (m00057qs)**  
The UK is more divided than ever, and no one seems able to agree on anything. What does it mean to be British? To be a man? To be white or "of colour", gay or straight, young or old, or none of the above? It seems we can't see the woods for the trees.  
What's needed is a little outside perspective. Enter: Phil Wang – a caustic British-Laysian comedian who grew up on the island of Borneo. A centrist with a heart; an artist with an engineering degree.  
In this pilot episode, Phil turns his attention to the British Empire - was British colonialism really one big crime? Modern liberalism would say so, but Phil's Dad sure misses those prompt British buses – "I wish they'd come take us over again. Maybe I'd get to work on time!"  
Written by and starring Phil Wang  
Original music by Fauxe  
Produced and edited by Matt Stronge

Wangsplainning is a BBC Studios production, first broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in May 2019.  
**THU 23:00 Where to, Mate? (m000j8k)**  
"...oestrogen in the water..."  
Set and recorded on location in a car in Manchester, 'Where To, Mate?' is a semi-imvised comedy following our drivers as we eavesdrop on their taxi journeys around the North West. This week we join our drivers on the night shift. Ben is dealing with a conspiracy theorist. Bernie discusses her life before being a taxi driver, with Milton, and Rizwan is having the time of his life taking a couple of lively ladies home from a night on the town.  
Jason Wingard is a writer, director and film maker from Manchester. He's written and directed a number of award winning short films as well as the feature film 'Eaten By Lions' which recently had a cinema release.  
The show features local voices and character actors/comedians from the North.  
Ben ..... Peter Slater  
Bernie ..... Jo Enright  
Rizwan ..... Irfan Nazir  
Milton ..... Christopher J Hall  
Conspiracy theorist ..... Jeff Downs  
Thelma ..... Dylan Morris  
Louise ..... Elinor Coleman  
Controller ..... Jason Wingard  
Controller ..... Abdullah Afzal  
Conversations improvised by the cast based on ideas by Jason Wingard and Carl Cooper.  
With additional material and production support by Hannah Stevenson.  
Additional voices and material by the cast and crew.  
Production Co-ordinator, Mabel Wright  
Directed by Jason Wingard  
Produced by Carl Cooper  
A BBC Studios Audio Production, first broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in May 2020.  
**THU 23:15 Joseph Morpurgo's Walking Tour (b09h3y8j)**  
The Louvre  
Edinburgh Comedy Award nominee 2015 and triple Chortle Award Winner Joseph Morpurgo presents a series of 'educational' audio adventures for BBC Radio 4. Welcome to the Louvre! Home to some of the world's greatest art treasures, including the Mona Lisa. This guide will take you step-by-step through the gallery, offering essential info and commentary as you go.  
Written and performed by Joseph Morpurgo, with Naomi Petersen and Jonathan Brooke.  
Sound design by Craig Schuffman  
Producer Alexandra Smith  
A BBC Studios Production, first broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in December 2017.  
**THU 23:30 The Boosh (b007jmhj)**  
Tundra  
Bad-tempered zoo boss Bob Fossil has a couple of assignments for his star zookeepers.  
He's sending Vince to Spain to find a friend for the zoo's lonely prawn, and he's sending Howard to the Arctic, just for the sake of it  
Written by and starring Noel Fielding and Julian Barratt.  
The Boosh is a surreal adventure based on the Perrier Award-winning comedy show, featuring Howard and Vince's battles with zoo manager Bob Fossil.  
Howard Moon ..... Julian Barratt  
Vince Noir ..... Noel Fielding  
Bob Fossil ..... Rich Fulcher  
After BBC radio gave them their big break with this series, they transferred to BBC TV where The Mighty Boosh ran for three series.  
Producer: Danny Wallace.  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in November 2001.

**FRIDAY 25 FEBRUARY 2022**  
**FRI 00:00 Fantastic Tales (b007k30x)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 18:00 on Thursday]  
**FRI 00:30 Great Lives (b09xjx30)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 18:30 on Thursday]  
**FRI 01:00 Dashiell Hammett - Secret Agent X-9 (b007jpcz)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 on Thursday]  
**FRI 01:30 The Same River Twice (m000d94x)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 06:30 on Thursday]  
**FRI 02:00 The Two of Us: My Life with John Thaw by Sheila Hancock (b0076nqr)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 14:00 on Thursday]  
**FRI 02:15 Maya Angelou's Autobiographies (b0b7121n)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 14:15 on Thursday]  
**FRI 02:30 Donald Duck Gets Drafted (b0680gts)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 14:30 on Thursday]  
**FRI 03:00 Evelyn Waugh - A Handful of Dust (m000h6c7)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 on Thursday]  
**FRI 04:00 Foul Play (b00k7xd6)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 09:00 on Thursday]  
**FRI 04:30 An Actor's Life for Me (b00s7l2v)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 09:30 on Thursday]  
**FRI 05:00 The Wilsons Save the World (b09gkk3y)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 07:00 on Thursday]  
**FRI 05:30 Cryer with Laughter: A Tribute to Barry**

**Cryer (m0014j7t)**

[Repeat of broadcast at 07:30 on Thursday]  
**FRI 06:00 Dashiell Hammett - Secret Agent X-9 (b007jpsz)**  
 2. Carnage at Sea  
 The 1930s heroic agent takes on the law to pursue his arch enemy in the heart of New York.  
 Stars Stuart Milligan as X-9 and Connie Booth as Grace Powers.  
 Adapted for radio 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  
 Steward ..... Michael John Paliotti  
 Bartholomew ..... John Guerrasio  
 Jude ..... Bruce McGregor  
 All other parts played by the cast.  
 Producer: Chris Wallis.  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 5 in January 1994.  
**FRI 06:30 The Same River Twice (m000dghk)**  
 5. Discovery  
 With his estranged wife missing for three months, Johnny Maxen's search seems to be getting nowhere, until Detective-Inspector Wardlaw makes a shocking discovery...  
 Edward Boyd's thriller serial starring Gordon Jackson.  
 Johnny Maxen ..... Gordon Jackson  
 Detective Inspector Wardlaw ..... Roddy McMillan  
 Bob Smith ..... Moultrie R Kelsall  
 Helen Duncan ..... Lennox Milne  
 Dorothy Havergal ..... Anne Kristen  
 Producer: Eddie Fraser  
 First broadcast on the BBC Light Programme in October 1966.  
**FRI 07:00 Welcome to Our Village, Please Invade Carefully (b04md4nr)**  
 Series 2  
 Questioning Loyalties  
 Field Commander Uljabaan's loyalty cards, rewarding villagers for their collaboration, are not only ruining Katrina's plans but also Richard's chances in the weekly pub quiz. They turn to Ron, the landlord of the Rose & Crown for help in scuppering the scheme.  
 Series two of Eddie Robson's sitcom about an alien race that have noticed that those all-at-once invasions of Earth never work out that well. So they've locked the small Buckinghamshire village of Cresdon Green behind an impenetrable force field in order to study human behaviour and decide if Earth is worth invading.  
 The only inhabitant who seems to be bothered by their new alien overlord is Katrina Lyons, who was only home for the weekend to borrow the money for a deposit for a flat when the force field went up.  
 So along with Lucy Alexander (the only teenager in the village, willing to rebel against whatever you've got) she forms The Resistance - slightly to the annoyance of her parents Margaret and Richard who wish she wouldn't make so much of a fuss, and much to the annoyance of Field Commander Uljabaan who, alongside his unintelligible minions and The Computer (his hyper-intelligent supercomputer), is trying to actually run the invasion.  
 Katrina Lyons ..... Hattie Morahan  
 Richard Lyons ..... Peter Davison  
 Margaret Lyons ..... Jan Francis  
 Lucy Alexander ..... Hannah Murray  
 Field Commander Uljabaan ..... Julian Rhind-Tutt  
 Computer ..... John-Luke Roberts  
 Ron ..... Dave Lamb  
 Lawrence ..... Michael Bertenshaw  
 Written by Eddie Robson  
 Script-edited by Arthur Mathews  
 Original music written and performed by Grace Petrie  
 Producer: Ed Morrish.  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in October 2014.  
**FRI 07:30 Now You're Asking with Marian Keyes and Tara Flynn (m0014p48)**  
 The Cardboard Walls Problem  
 Marian and Tara tackle listeners' issues with noisy neighbours, an estranged sister and advise on the merits of wedding extravagance with trademark kindness and good humour.  
 Marian Keyes is a multi award-winning writer, with a total of over 30 million of her books sold to date in 33 languages. Her close friend Tara Flynn is an actress, comedian and writer.  
 Together, these two friends have been through a lot, and now want to use their considerable life experience to help solve your biggest - and smallest - problems.  
 From dilemmas about life, love and grief, to the perils of laundry or knowing what to say at a boring dinner, we'll find out what Marian and Tara would recommend - which might not solve the problem exactly, but will make us all feel a bit better.  
 Recorded in Dublin with emails received from listeners around the world, the hosts invite you to pull up a chair at their virtual kitchen table as they read and digest their inbox.  
 Got a problem you want Marian and Tara to solve? Email: marianand tara@bbc.co.uk.  
 Producer: Steve Doherty.  
 A Giddy Goat production for BBC Radio 4 and BBC Sounds  
**FRI 08:00 Dad's Army (b007jqbr)**

Series 3  
 My British Buddy  
 Walmington-on-Sea's warm welcome for some American troops backfires.  
 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  
 Hodges Warden .... Bill Pertwee  
 Private Walker .... Larry Martyn  
 Colonel Schultz .... Jack Watson  
 Mrs Fox .... Mollie Sugden  
 Shirley .... Wendy Richard  
 Producer: John Dyas  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in May 1976.  
**FRI 08:30 Second Thoughts (b001h0tj)**  
 Series 4  
 Sobering Thoughts  
 Dennis vigorously renews his pursuit of Liza, while the demon drink throws up a problem for Bill and Faith.  
 Sitcom about the battles of married life for ex-divorcees Bill and Faith, whilst balancing the demands of his ex-wife, Liza and Faith's teenage children.  
 Stars James Bolam as Bill, Lynda Bellingham as Faith, Belinda Lang as Liza, Julia Sawalha as Hannah, Mark Denham as Joe, Geoffrey Whitehead as Richard and Brian Bowles as Dennis.  
 Series three of four inspired by the real lives of its writers, husband and wife Jan Etherington and Gavin Petrie.  
 A TV version made by LWT for ITV appeared in 1991 and ran for four series, with a spin-off 'Faith in the Future'.  
 Producer: Paul Schlesinger  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in July 1992.  
**FRI 09:00 Whispers (b007k358)**  
 Series 3  
 Episode 4  
 Gyles Brandreth chairs the scandals quiz with Lucy Moore, Anthony Holden, Penny Junor and Julian Fellowes. From October 2005.  
**FRI 09:30 Girlies (b08hypy0)**  
 Series 1  
 Episode 1  
 When five 30-something Asian women get together for "girlie" evenings, friendships are tested, marriages analysed, and secrets exposed.  
 Four-part comedy serial written by Sudha Bhuchar and Shaheen Khan.  
 CAST:  
 Tula .... Zita Sattar  
 Vinny .... Bharti Patel  
 Jabeen .... Shaheen Khan  
 Sonal .... Sudha Bhuchar  
 Samina .... Sakuntala Ramanan  
 Masi .... Charubala Chokshi  
 Karan .... Susan Sheridan  
 Ramesh .... Ameet Chaana  
 Dan .... Roger Liddle  
 The Agent .... Alice Arnold  
 Alia .... Sophie Levy  
 Sara .... Nyla Levy  
 Directed at BBC Pebble Mill by Kristine Landon-Smith.  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in April 1997.  
**FRI 10:00 Evelyn Waugh - A Handful of Dust (m000h6q1)**  
 2. Consequences  
 Tony's life is shattered by Brenda's revelation of adultery.  
 Conclusion of Evelyn Waugh's 1934 novel starring Tara Fitzgerald and Jonathan Cullen.  
 Dramatised by Bill Matthews  
 Brenda Last ..... Tara Fitzgerald  
 Tony Last ..... Jonathan Cullen  
 Beaver ..... Roman Vibert  
 Jock .... James Simmons  
 Milly .... Darrel Pertwee  
 Mrs Beaver .... Sally Grace  
 Dr Messinger .... Robert Glenister  
 Rosa .... Vivienne Rochester  
 Mr Todd .... Jack Klaff  
 Teddy Last ..... Daniel Philpott  
 Reggie .... David Timson  
 Ambrose ... Kim Wall  
 Babs .... Jane Whittenshaw  
 Polly .... Colleen Prendergast  
 Tony's Solicitor .... Denys Hawthorne  
 Senior Detective .... Geoffrey Whitehead  
 Winnie .... Jade Williams  
 Jenny .... Alice Arnold  
 Director Sally Avens  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in May 1996.  
**FRI 11:00 Podcast Radio Hour (m0014p51)**  
 LGBTQ+ History  
 Chris Pearson and The Log Books producer Shivani Dave suggest listening for LGBTQ+ history Month.  
**FRI 12:00 Dad's Army (b007jqbr)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 08:00 today]

**FRI 12:30 Second Thoughts (b001h0tj)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 08:30 today]  
**FRI 13:00 Dashiell Hammett - Secret Agent X-9 (b007jpsz)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 today]  
**FRI 13:30 The Same River Twice (m000dghk)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 06:30 today]  
**FRI 14:00 The Two of Us: My Life with John Thaw by Sheila Hancock (b0076nr6)**  
 5. Clarity  
 In the past, John has given up alcohol for good.  
 In the present, Sheila confronts her grief at his death and learns something new about his life  
 Actress Sheila Hancock concludes her book about her deep and passionate partnership with her late husband, actor John Thaw.  
 Producer: Ned Chaillet  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in October 2004  
**FRI 14:15 Maya Angelou's Autobiographies (b0b712dt)**  
 I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings  
 Episode 5  
 Aged just 15, Maya is the first Afro-American to work as conductor on the trams in San Francisco. When she turns 16, her life changes forever.  
 Narrator ( Older Maya) ..... Adjoa Andoh  
 Maya ..... Pippa Bennett-Warner  
 Mother ..... Ellen Thomas  
 Receptionist ..... Lauren Cornelius  
 Dramatised by Patricia Cumper  
 Produced and directed by Pauline Harris.  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in June 2018.  
**FRI 14:30 The Whistling Woman (b053721k)**  
 Soprano and broadcaster Catherine Bott explores the art of whistling. It was once thought to be bad luck or unsuitable for a woman but Catherine herself is an inveterate whistler, often finding herself doing so unconsciously when she is doing her shopping.  
 Catherine considers the myths surrounding whistling women. She meets Sheila Harrod, a former champion whistler and celebrates the remarkable career of Ronnie Ronalde who was a huge whistling star in the 1940s and 50s.  
 Catherine speaks to Tamas Hacki, a former professional whistler and doctor who has studied the physiology of whistling compared with singing. And she learns about whistling as a means of communication in places like the Spanish island of La Gomera.  
 With contributions from John Lucas who has co-authored a history of whistling, Julien Meyer who has researched whistled speech and has written a book about it, and Simon and Eleanor Grant.  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 2015.  
**FRI 15:00 Evelyn Waugh - A Handful of Dust (m000h6q1)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 today]  
**FRI 16:00 Whispers (b007k358)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 09:00 today]  
**FRI 16:30 Girlies (b08hypy0)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 09:30 today]  
**FRI 17:00 Welcome to Our Village, Please Invade Carefully (b04md4nr)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 07:00 today]  
**FRI 17:30 Now You're Asking with Marian Keyes and Tara Flynn (m0014p48)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 07:30 today]  
**FRI 18:00 Fantastic Tales (b0084sqj)**  
 Delhi by Vandana Singh  
 A man living in present-day Delhi is haunted by visions of the city as it was in the past - and how it will be in the future...  
 Vandana Singh's story is read by Shiv Grewal.  
 Fantastic Tales is a collection of weird and wonderful stories from around the world.  
 Director: Gemma Jenkins  
 Made for BBC Radio 7 and first broadcast in March 2007.  
**FRI 18:30 And the Academy Award Goes To... (b008wtbx)**  
 Series 1  
 One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest  
 Paul Gambaccini traces the history of the Oscars and tells the story behind award-winning films. This week he examines the first post-war film to win all five of the major Academy Awards.  
 When the Oscars began in 1929 in the Hollywood Roosevelt Hotel, thirty guests gathered in the Blossom Room to present the first awards given by the Academy of Motion Pictures Arts and Sciences. Today, the ceremony lasts a good three hours, and is attended by everyone who is anyone in film, and is watched on television the world over.  
 Milos Foreman (Best Director) reveals how the film (Best Picture) reflected his views on the Iron Curtain and how the script (Best Writing, Screenplay Adapted From Other Material) came to influence mental health care in America, while Louise Fletcher (Best Actress in a Leading Role) recalls the experience of working alongside the mixed cast of amateurs and professionals like Jack Nicholson (Best Actor in a Leading Role).  
 Producers: Paul Kobrak and Sara Jane Hall  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 2008.  
**FRI 19:00 Dad's Army (b007jqbr)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 08:00 today]  
**FRI 19:30 Second Thoughts (b001h0tj)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 08:30 today]  
**FRI 20:00 Dashiell Hammett - Secret Agent X-9 (b007jpsz)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 today]

**FRI 20:30 The Same River Twice (m000dghk)**

[Repeat of broadcast at 06:30 today]

**FRI 21:00 Podcast Radio Hour (m0014p51)**

[Repeat of broadcast at 11:00 today]

**FRI 22:00 Now You're Asking with Marian Keyes and Tara Flynn (m0014p48)**

[Repeat of broadcast at 07:30 today]

**FRI 22:30 Domestic Science (b09v6yh3)**

Series 2

Bath Time

A heady combination of maths, science and comedy with Festival of The Spoken Nerd trio who are stand-up Mathematician Matt Parker, Physicist Steve Mould and Physicist-Musician Helen Arney. It's science that you can play along with at home as the team look at domestic phenomena that we relate to on a day to day basis. This week it's bath time. Produced by Lyndsay Fenner.

A BBC Studios Production, first broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in March 2018.

**FRI 22:45 The Consultants (b007k3f3)**

Series 1

Episode 4

The team wonder why so many men went to 'mow a meadow'. With Neil Edmond, Justin Edwards and James Rawlings. From March 2003.

**FRI 23:00 Radio Shuttleworth (b007qs2x)**

Series 1

Leo Sayer

Sheffield's aspiring singer-songwriter takes to the airwaves from his very own his front room!

Aided by his producer (and sole agent) Ken Worthington, and his hard-to-please wife Mary, the inimitable John Shuttleworth presents celebrity interviews, dodgy keyboard music, and even dodgier jingles.

Special guests: Leo Sayer, John Hegley and Jenny Eclair.

Written and performed by Graham Fellows.

Producers: Paul Schlesinger and Martin Willis.

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in November 1998.

**FRI 23:30 My Teenage Diary (b0b7fj3b)**

Series 8

Anneka Rice

Anneka Rice delves into her teenage past, when she spent more time on cooking, cleaning and childcare than she did on her school work.

Presenter: Rufus Hound

Producer: Harriet Jaïne

A Talkback production for BBC Radio 4, first broadcast in June 2018.