

SATURDAY 05 NOVEMBER 2022**SAT 00:00 John Wyndham - The Day of the Triffids (m0006fdh)**

4. Dead End
 'How am I supposed to find supplies like this - chained to a lot of blind men?'
 Bill is forced to help a group of blind survivors. Will he ever find Josella, again?
 John Wyndham's classic sci-fi novel.
 Dramatised by Giles Cooper.
 Gary Watson Bill Masen
 James McManus Alf
 Michael Deacon Mac
 Jan Edwards Lucy
 Peter Sallis Coker
 Hilda Kriseman Miss Durrant
 John Pullen Stephen Bremnell
 Wilfred Carter Sid
 Rosalind Shanks Vera
 Ann Murray Woman
 Music composed by David Cain.
 Producer: John Powell.

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in July 1968.

SAT 00:30 Musical Genes (b00f1w1v)

Series 1
 Matt Monro Jr
 Tom Morton meets the professional musician son of legendary singer Matt Monro.
 Series searching for the true story behind some of our best loved musicians.
 Producer: Deirdre Waldie
 First broadcast on BBC Radio Scotland in October 2008.

SAT 01:00 Wimsey (b00scvsc)

Have His Carcase
 6. All a Question of Time
 Will inspiration strike?
 The upper class sleuth battles to finally unmask a killer.
 Ian Carmichael stars as Lord Peter Wimsey – the aristocratic amateur detective created by Dorothy L. Sayers.
 Conclusion dramatised by Alistair Beaton.
 Lord Peter Wimsey Ian Carmichael
 Harriet Vane Maria Aitken
 Inspector Umpelly Nigel Stock
 Leila Garland Rosalind Ayres
 Saunders John Webb
 Polwhistle Alan Dudley
 Tom Andrew Secombe
 Narrator John Westbrook
 Producer: Martin Fisher
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in October 1981.

SAT 01:30 Cadfael (b007k28z)

Dead Man's Ransom
 5. A Helping Hand
 With a strong case against Elis, will Brother Cadfael solve the sheriff's murder?
 Starring Philip Madoc.
 Conclusion of Ellis Peters' medieval thriller featuring the Benedictine monk and amateur sleuth.
 Dramatised by Bert Coules.
 Cadfael Philip Madoc
 Hugh Beringar Jonathan Taffler
 Sister Magdalen Susannah York
 Elis Jason Hughes
 Melicent Kate Odey
 Prince Owain Sion Probert
 Eliud Mark Lewis Jones
 Ithel/Herbard Shaun Prendergast
 Cristina Siobhain Flynn
 Villager David Holt
 Narrator Michael Kitchen
 Music by Peter Salem.
 Producer: Lissa Evans

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in October 1991.

SAT 02:00 Buzz by Dr Thor Hanson (b0b8gx0f)

Episode 5
 California's Central Valley produces 81% of the world's annual almond harvest.
 There's a problem though - the method of harvesting eliminates bees from the orchards.
 Bees are like oxygen – ubiquitous, essential and, for the most part, unseen. While we might overlook them, they lie at the heart of relationships that bind the human and natural worlds.
 Dr Thor Hanson concludes the journey that began 125 million years ago, when a wasp first dared to feed pollen to its young.
 From honeybees and bumbles to lesser-known diggers, miners, leafcutters, and masons, bees have long been central to our harvests, our mythologies, and our very existence. They have given us sweetness and light, the beauty of flowers and as much as a third of the foodstuffs we eat. And, alarmingly, they are at risk of disappearing.
 Concluded by Elliot Levey.
 Abridged by Polly Coles.
 Producer: Clive Brill
 A Brill production for BBC Radio 4, first broadcast in July 2018.

SAT 02:15 Lavinia Greenlaw - Five Fever Tales (b03yqwhg)

5. Emergency Prescriptions Kept Up One's Sleeve
 A drama serial by Lavinia Greenlaw about one of the oldest of

human diseases.
 Emergency Prescriptions Kept Up One's Sleeve: the old ones are (still) sometimes the best.
 Malaria has blighted human life in parts of the world for as long as humans have been humans. The mosquito, the parasite it carries, and the human bloodstream are evolving together. In many places the parasite still has the upper hand. Emergency Prescriptions Kept Up One's Sleeve: the last of five dramas based on facts and taking in ancient historical itches and ideas about the disease and the latest scientific attempts to understand and outwit it.
 The disease caused by a parasite carried in the saliva of female mosquitoes came to humans probably from gorillas a long time ago. Through recorded history the fever-prompting disease has shadowed humans almost everywhere warm enough for mosquitoes to live between the Poles. We have evolved together. It is still the biggest killer of children in parts of the world.

Made in collaboration with Wellcome Trust.

Written by Lavinia Greenlaw.

Narrator: Siobhan Redmond.

Other parts played by:

Russell Boulter
 Richard Bremner
 David Collins
 Jasmine Hyde
 John Mackay
 Medical/science adviser: Julian Rayner, Sanger Institute.
 Music and sound design: Jon Nicholls.

Producer: Tim Dee

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in March 2014.

SAT 02:30 The Business of Film with Mark Kermode (b054pbwz)

The Business of Showing
 Mark Kermode considers the business of showing films in the last of three programmes.
 The route from script to finance to screen can be a long one - but then it all comes down to one nervous opening weekend. Marketing may convince us of a film's merit but, one comment on social media can ruin even the most inventive campaign.
 Film festivals are vital for launching a film. The Autumn festival season is where artistic creators battle for the first showing of the most talked about films. For many independent film makers exposure through awards is seen as a crucial - or perhaps only - means of survival. The artistic director of the Toronto Film festival reveals how film makers plead with him to admit their films.
 The decline in DVD sales has led to nearly a halving of studio profits. Vincent Bruzese runs a research entertainment firm and believes there is a disconnect between the film makers and the audience. By analysing data, it's possible to work out why a certain scene works. Hit on certain story tropes and a film will do well.
 Netflix and Amazon's are all about giving customers what they want. Their algorithms are set to challenge the studios' dominance. How long is it until the streaming services become major studios themselves?
 Meanwhile, the growth of cinema multiplexes have paved the way for boutique cinemas and the notion of the film as an event. Audiences today are engaging with films in very different ways, so how do UK cinemas make most of their money?

Producers: Barney Rowntree and Nick Jones
 A Hidden Track production for BBC Radio 4, first broadcast in March 2015.

SAT 03:00 Charles Dickens (b007jmtp)
 The Personal History of David Copperfield
 5. Good and Bad Angels
 David falls in love, not with Agnes, but with Dora Spenlow - a companion of Jane Murdstone who treated him so badly as a child.
 Steerforth arrives with a letter from Peggotty saying her husband, Barkis, is unwell.
 Charles Dickens described this novel as his "favourite child" with some events following his own life.
 Starring Sheila Hancock, Phil Daniels and Gary Cady.
 All-star dramatisation by Betty Davies
 David Copperfield Gary Cady
 Betsey Trotwood Miriam Margolyes
 Wilkins Micawber Harold Innocent
 Mrs Micawber Sheila Hancock
 Uriah Heep Phil Daniels
 Dora Maria Miles
 Steerforth Andrew Wincon
 Rosa Dartle Jenny Howe
 Agnes Jane Whittenshaw
 Traddles Mark Straker
 Miss Murdstone Auriol Smith
 Mr Spenlow Peter Penry Jones
 Jip Ronald Herdman
 Littimer Norman Jones
 Mrs Crupp Pauline Letts
 Mrs Waterbrook Susan Sheridan
 Mr Waterbrook/First Dinner Guest Alan Barker
 Second Dinner Guest Clarence Smith
 Producer: Marilyn Imrie

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in October 1991

SAT 04:00 The Museum of Curiosity (m0009b0j)
 Series 14
 Episode 3
 Professor of Ignorance John Lloyd and his curator Bridget Christie welcome:
 * Comedian Ahir Shah
 * Historian Dr Fern Riddell
 * Physicist Professor Bobby Acharya
 The Museum's Guest Committee donate nicotine addiction, an 18th century sex and contraception guide and an intergalactic space observatory.
 Researchers: Mike Turner, Mike Shepherd and Emily Jupitus of QI.
 Producers: Victoria Lloyd and Anne Miller.
 A BBC Studios production for BBC Radio 4, first broadcast in October 2019.

SAT 04:30 Sharing Fatman (b0863ysy)

The Thoroughbred Game
 Margaret struggles to keep her precious syndicate together. Is there a connection between Mr Fatman's virus and a mysterious offer to buy them out?
 Starring Gillian Bevan and Gerard McDermott.
 Dave Sheasby's horse-racing comedy
 Margaret Gillian Bevan
 Ken Gerard McDermott
 Eddie Tony Rohr
 Karen Tracy-Anne Oberman
 Dave Harry Myers
 Madge Angela Wynter
 Julia Becky Hindley
 Edward James Taylor
 Donald Fine Time Fontayne
 Gerald Stephen Critchlow
 Director: David Hunter
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in May 1999.
SAT 05:00 Quanderhorn (b0f9wb0f)
 The Quanderhorn Xperiments
 The Splattered Remains of Unidentifiable Organs Incident All Over Again
 It's still 1952. It's always 1952.
 The Quanderhorn crew find themselves on Advanced Lunar Station Q, with no means of returning to Earth and limited oxygen supplies.
 Splitting into two teams after a game of Martian Closey-Eyesie, Guuuurk and Troy fall prey to a ravenous Lunar Man Trap, while Brian and Gemma stumble upon an intact space craft. But there are two problems. Gemma's ear is unwinding, rendering her emotionally unstable, and there's no apparent entrance to the craft.
 Having rather astonishingly escaped their various dilemmas, the crew encounter yet another conundrum - how exactly is the ship powered?
 Jenkins, the professor's factotum, detects a spacecraft approaching Earth which Quanderhorn orders him to blast out of the sky, apparently unaware his own crew is aboard.
 Professor Quanderhorn James Fleet
 Brian Nylon Ryan Sampson
 Dr Gemini Janussen Cassie Layton
 Guuuurk Kevin Eldon
 Troy Quanderhorn Freddie Fox
 Winston Churchill/Jenkins John Sessions
 Synthetic Voice Rachel Atkins
 Created and written by Rob Grant and Andrew Marshall
 Director: Andrew Marshall
 Producers: Rob Grant & Gordon Kennedy
 An Absolutely production for BBC Radio 4, first broadcast in July 2018.
SAT 05:30 Now You're Asking with Marian Keyes and Tara Flynn (m001dmqf)
 The Boring Husband Problem
 Has your husband suddenly become boring? What should you do if you're invited to a swingers party - or, perhaps more pressingly, if you've not been invited? Can holiday romances ever work out – even ones in Switzerland? All these subjects have been sent in by our listeners and are given the Marian and Tara treatment in the latest instalment of their popular advice podcast.
 The first series was welcomed by listeners and critics.
 "Both are warm and kind enough to not only be funny but also offer genuinely thoughtful, if left-field, advice." (Miranda Sawyer, The Observer)
 "Keyes and Flynn are my new favourite double-act." (Jane Anderson - Radio Times)
 "I found their compassion endlessly soothing." (Rachel Cunliffe - The New Statesman)
 Marian Keyes is a multi award-winning writer, with a total of over 30 million 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 the biggest - and smallest - of their listeners' 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: marianandtara@bbc.co.uk.
 Producer: Steve Doherty.

A Giddy Goat production for BBC Radio 4 and BBC Sounds
SAT 06:00 Rumer Godden - Black Narcissus (m001dwx)
 An old palace in the shadow of the Himalayas becomes home for an order of Anglican nuns.
 "This is no place for a nunnery," they are told, and the words seem to predict the Sisters' tragic destiny...
 Rumer Godden's novel was first published in 1939.
 Dramatised by April de Angelis.
 Sister Clodagh Sinead Cusack
 Sister Ruth Lesley Sharp
 Mr Dean David Rintoul
 Dilip Rai Ronny Jhutti
 Sister Briony Susan Engel
 Sister Philippa Jenny Lee
 Sister Honey Rachel Atkins
 The General/Father Roberts Sam Dastor
 Ayah Indira Joshi
 Mother Dorothea/Sister Adela Carolyn Jones
 Con Alastair Danson
 Kanchi Sumitra Bhagat
 Joseph Anthony Dhiraj Prasai
 Music by Elizabeth Parker.
 Director: Sally Avens
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in December 1997.
SAT 07:30 Great Lives (m000824j)
 Philippa Perry on the Italian educator Maria Montessori
 Psychotherapist Philippa Perry nominates the Italian educator and doctor Maria Montessori, who revolutionised children's education.
 Montessori schools exist today in over 170 countries. They are defined by a child-centred approach to learning, nurturing independence and individuality in children as young as three years old.
 In Philippa Perry's work as a psychotherapist, she finds deep connections with Montessori's philosophy, which is about believing the person has the power to develop within them.
 Philippa is joined by the executive director of Association Montessori International Lynne Lawrence.
 Matthew Parris is the presenter.
 Producer: Eliza Lomas
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in September 2019.
SAT 08:00 Booked (b0075s8d)
 Series 4
 Episode 1
 Literary consequences. Stop the Plot and plenty more!
 From Huddersfield.
 Barnsley poet Ian McMillan chairs the irreverent literary game. Outrageous parody, biting wit and bizarre couplings from:
 Mark Thomas
 Dillie Keane
 Mark Radcliffe
 Miles Kington.
 Producer: Marc Jobst
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in July 1998.
SAT 08:30 Ayres on the Air (b09ycvtv)
 Series 6
 Holidays
 More light hearted verse and comic sketches from Pam Ayres. The theme this time is 'Holidays'.
 Featuring sketches about choosing the perfect swimsuit; holiday one-upmanship, and how you know when it's time to get a bigger cabin.
 Pam shares memories of how glamorous flying used to be when she first started to fly in the 1960s: stories about gifts and souvenirs which definitely don't travel, and the saga of buying her first ever wetsuit.
 She also performs some new poems including 'Don't Put Me Dinner on a Slate' about the latest pub grub fashion, and three sections from a new linked series of poems called 'Flight Time'.
 Inspired by the trials and tribulations of long-distance flying, the first poem is about arrival and check-in, the second about the consequences of the in-flight meal and the third about the delights of the on-board toilets.
 With:
 Geoffrey Whitehead
 Felicity Montagu
 Written by Pam Ayres, Jan Etherington, Jenny Laville, Laura Major and Peter Reynolds.
 Producer: Claire Jones
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in March 2018.
SAT 09:00 Listening to Les Dawson (b03b2n4d)
 Ray Peacock and friends celebrate the comedian Les Dawson. Featuring rare interviews and routines.
 Archive includes:
 Listen To Les
 Marriott's Monologues
 Tubby The Tuba
 In The Psychiatrist's Chair
 Les reading his own novel, Come Back With The Wind.
 With:
 Ken Dodd
 Neil Innes
 Lee Mack
 Robin Ince
 Gillian Reynolds
 David Nobbs
 Producer: Laura Grimshaw
 Made for BBC Radio 4 Extra and first broadcast in September 2013

SAT 12:00 The Jack Benny Program (m000s29n)
 Jack Is Sick In Bed
 Jack is bed-ridden after catching a cold - and he's blaming the show announcer, Don Wilson.
 The Jack Benny Program is regarded as an American classic - running first on radio from 1932 to 1955, with re-runs to 1958. With a fine cast of supporting players Benny made his show into one of the all-time great radio comedies, portraying him as likeable character, despite being vain, argumentative and a skinflint.
 Many episodes have stood the test of time.
 Over the years, show sponsors ranged from tyres to cigarettes. Starring Jack Benny.
 With:
 Eddie "Rochester" Anderson
 Mary Livingstone
 Dennis Day
 Charlie Bagby
 The Sportsmen Quartet
 Announcer: Don Wilson
 Orchestra conducted by Bob Crosby.
 The show switched to TV in the USA from 1955.
 First broadcast on the Columbia Broadcasting System (CBS) in November 1954
SAT 12:30 In and Out of the Kitchen (b03vd7cx)
 Series 3
 The After-Dinner
 The tranquillity of the Trench household is breached once again when Damien's mother calls to say she's coming to stay while Damien's father is on a silent retreat.
 No sooner has she arrived than she starts setting about trying to be helpful, which only irritates Damien more.
 So he's forced to spend some time away by accepting the offer of an after-dinner speaking engagement, something he's never tried before...
 Sitcom written by and starring Miles Jupp, charting the life of cookery writer Damien Trench and his partner Anthony.
 Damien Trench Miles Jupp
 Anthony Justin Edwards
 Ian Frobisher Philip Fox
 Damien's mother Selina Cadell
 Jennifer Priyanga Burford
 Heckler David Seddon
 Nigel Thingummy Michael Bertenshaw
 Producer: Sam Michell
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in February 2014.
SAT 13:00 Archive on 4 (m0006s7x)
 Voice in the Machine
 Talking technology has surrounded us for over half a century. From the earliest incarnation of the Speaking Clock to the artificially intelligent personal assistants in our homes, we've slowly got used to sharing our lives with machines that help us with our daily chores.
 Who better to guide us through the history of the Voice in the Machine than two of the nation's most familiar voices?

 Jon Briggs was the original voice of Siri in the UK - a fact he only discovered while watching a feature on the TV. Emma Hignett's voice is heard on London's buses and trains, helping people to navigate the capital. Spending the day in a smart home, the duo ask the robo-vacuum to clean the floor, request songs and jokes from personal assistant Alexa, and hop channels with a talking television.
 While travelling on a bus and hearing her own voice, Emma shares her own recording tips and tricks. A visit to the local supermarket leads to an encounter with perhaps the most irritating machine voice of all time, with repeated warnings of an "unexpected item in bagging area". As these recognisable voices dig deeper into our history with talking tech, Jon gets a little nostalgic with his own fondness for Knight Rider's talking car, KITT.
 Rifling through the archives, Jon and Emma reminisce about their memories of talkative gadgets from fact, fiction and music. In the context of the early archival recordings of talking technology, the voices of today's OK Google, Alexa, Siri and others have come a long way.
 But why are our assistants almost all female?
 And are they really listening to us all the time?
 Join Jon and Emma as they grapple with these questions and their personal connection to the silicon speech that narrates our lives.
 A BlokMedia production for BBC Radio 4, first broadcast in July 2019.
SAT 14:00 Sorry About Last Night (b00mzvfq)
 A Loft
 Having read 'Women are from Mars and Men are from Croydon' and 'Set Sail on The SS Relationship' - Andy thinks it's about time he and Julie headed into deeper waters. So naturally this means a visit to the estate agents. Alexei Sayle writes and stars in the comedy about life, love and not living together
 Andy Alexei Sayle
 Julie Siobhan Redmond
 Mr Hamad Nadim Sawalha
 Mrs Abasanjo Adjoa Andoh
 Mr Lucik Chris Pavlo
 Dad Harry Towb
 Michael Gary Bleasdale
 Gavin the EstateAgent Simon Greenall

Other parts played by:
 Tony Barclay
 Ruth Jones
 Produced and directed by Jo Clegg with Alexei Sayle.
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in October 1999.
SAT 14:30 I've Never Seen Star Wars (b01pp5vg)
 Series 5
 Dave Gorman
 Marcus Brigstocke invites comic Dave Gorman to try new experiences.
 How did he get on horse-riding for the first time?
 Series in which guests experience new things and give their verdicts to Marcus Brigstocke - and explain why they've waited so long to do it.
 Producer: Bill Dare
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in January 2013.
SAT 15:00 Alun Cochrane's Fun House (b01rlnhp)
 The Kitchen
 Comedian Alun Cochrane has a 25-year mortgage which he can only pay off by being funny.
 In this series he takes us on a room by room, stand-up tour of his house.
 He has a fridge that beeps at him when he doesn't move quickly enough and a fire alarm he can't reach.
 His relationship with his house is a complicated one.
 A hoarder of funny and original observations on everyday life, Alun invites us to help him declutter his mind and tidy his ideas into one of those bags that you Hoover all the air out of and keep under your bed.
 This show will help Alun and his house work through their relationship issues and prevent a separation that Alun can ill afford; at least not until the market picks up anyway.
 Performers: Alun Cochrane and Gavin Osborn.
 Writers: Alun Cochrane and Andy Wolton.
 Producer: Carl Cooper.
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in April 2013.
SAT 15:30 Electric Ink (b0121pjk)
 Series 1
 Episode 6
 A swathe of job cuts are predicted with circulation dropping, but who will survive the bloodbath?
 Starring Robert Lindsay and Alex Jennings.
 Old hacks meet new media in Alistair Beaton's satire set in the changing world of the newspaper industry.
 Maddox Robert Lindsay
 Oliver Alex Jennings
 Amelia Elizabeth Berrington
 Tasneem Zita Sattar
 Masha Debbie Chazan
 Freddy Ben Willbond
 Announcer Matt Addis
 With additional material by Tom Mitchelson.
 Director: Sally Avens
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in July 2009.
SAT 16:00 Rumer Godden - Black Narcissus (m001dwx)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 today]
SAT 17:30 Great Lives (m000824j)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 07:30 today]
SAT 18:00 Ghosts of Albion - Legacy (m000kx00)
 As their magician grandfather lays dying, siblings William and Tamara Swift discover their demon fighting legacy - as defenders of Albion.
 Stars Jasmine Hyde and Rory Kinnear.
 Set in Victorian England, this is the scene-setter for the 'Ghosts of Albion' fantasy series.
 Created by Amber Benson and Christopher Golden.
 William Swift Rory Kinnear
 Tamara Swift Jasmine Hyde
 Lord Byron Joe McFadden
 Queen Bodicea Emma Samms
 Lord Nelson Anthony Daniels
 Nigel Townshend Paterson Joseph
 Ludlow Swift Leslie Phillips.
 Henry Swift Roy Skelton
 Script Editor: Martha Hiller
 Director: Amber Benson
 Producer: Jelena Djordjevic
 Made for BBC Online and first broadcast on BBC 7 in June 2003.
SAT 19:00 Listening to Les Dawson (b03b2n4d)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 09:00 today]
SAT 22:00 Rob Newman (m0000mrv)
 Rob Newman's Total Eclipse of Descartes
 Thought Experiments
 Mixing stand-up and sketches, comedian Rob Newman tackles the world of philosophy, with a look at the thorniest of thought experiments through history, including a famous Shakespeare-typing monkey.
 Produced by Jonathan Harvey.
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in October 2018.
SAT 22:30 Chain Reaction (b00mr8n)
 Series 5
 Eddie Izzard interviews Alastair Campbell
 Comedian Eddie Izzard chats to former Labour spin doctor Alastair Campbell.
 Chain Reaction is the tag talk show, where the guest becomes the interviewer in the next episode.
 Eddie Izzard asks him about his breakdown, working for Tony Blair and his beginnings as a soft porn writer.

Producer: Sam Bryant
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in September 2009.
SAT 23:00 Laura Solon - Talking and Not Talking (b00p2z8j)
 Series 3
 Episode 3
 Meet a woman who is so completely useless that she's just been snapped up for a job in the government.
 Plus Britain's most affable secret agent - and someone with a pretend hedgehog sanctuary.
 Award-winning comedian Laura Solon's series of sketches, monologues and one-liners.
 With:
 Rosie Cavaliero
 Ben Moor
 Ben Willbond
 Written by Laura Solon.
 With additional material by Lydia Parker, Maureen Oakley, Jon Hunter and Holly Walsh.
 Script Editor: Jeremy Dyson
 Producer: Colin Anderson.
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in November 2009.
SAT 23:30 Old Harry's Game (b007jmbj)
 Series 3
 A Four Letter Word
 A new arrival in Hell persuades Satan to re-shoot 'Casablanca' - with a mutant alien.
 Andy Hamilton's devilishly funny sitcom set in Hell.
 Satan Andy Hamilton
 The Professor James Trout
 Thomas Jimmy Mulville
 Scumspawn Robert Duncan
 Other characters played by:
 Felicity Montagu
 Philip Pope
 Nick Revell
 Michael Fenton Stevens
 Producer Paul Mayhew-Archer
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in April 1999.

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 [Repeat of broadcast at 18:00 on Saturday]
SUN 01:00 Archive on 4 (m0006s7x)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 13:00 on Saturday]
SUN 02:00 Sorry About Last Night (b00mzvfq)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 14:00 on Saturday]
SUN 02:30 I've Never Seen Star Wars (b01pp5vg)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 14:30 on Saturday]
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SUN 06:00 Buzz by Dr Thor Hanson (Omnibus) (b0b90m7y)
 The exact details of the transition from wasp to bee aren't known, but no-one argues about how well it worked out. Bees now outnumber wasp relations by nearly three species to one
 Bees are like oxygen - ubiquitous, essential and, for the most part, unseen. While we might overlook them, they lie at the heart of relationships that bind the human and natural worlds. Dr Hanson takes us on a journey that begins 125 million years ago, when a wasp first dared to feed pollen to its young. From honeybees and bumbles to lesser-known diggers, miners, leafcutters, and masons, bees have long been central to our harvests, our mythologies, and our very existence. They have given us sweetness and light, the beauty of flowers and as much as a third of the foodstuffs we eat. And, alarmingly, they are at risk of disappearing.
 Read by Elliot Levey.
 Omnibus of five parts abridged by Polly Coles.
 Dr Thor Hanson is a Guggenheim Fellow, a Switzer Environmental Fellow and an award winning author and biologist.
 His other books include The Triumph of Seeds, The Impenetrable Forest, Feathers and the illustrated children's favorite, Bartholomew Quill. His writing has been translated into more than ten languages and has earned many accolades, including The John Burroughs Medal, the Phi Beta Kappa Award, the AAAS/Subaru SB&F Prize and two Pacific Northwest Book Awards.
 Producer: Clive Brill
 A Brill production for BBC Radio 4, first broadcast in July 2018.
SUN 07:10 Inheritance Tracks (b0651qrc)
 Helena Bonham Carter
 Actress Helena Bonham Carter chooses 'Look Mum, No Hands' by Fascinating Aida and 'Not While I'm Around' by Stephen Sondheim.
SUN 07:20 Lavinia Greenlaw - Five Fever Tales (Omnibus) (b03zhy0j)
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 Omnibus of five parts.
 Made with the research assistance of Wellcome Trust.
 Medical/science adviser: Julian Rayner, Sanger Institute.
 Music and sound design: Jon Nicholls
 Narrator: Siobhan Redmond.
 Other parts:
 Russell Boulter
 Richard Bremner
 David Collins
 Jasmine Hyde
 John Mackay
 Producer: Tim Dee
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in March 2014.
SUN 08:30 The Enchanting World of Hinge and Bracket (b04v8y6p)
 Series 1
 French Week in Stackton
 Ooh la la! A Gallic visitor allows Hilda to rehearse her language skills.
 Starring Dame Hilda Bracket and her lifelong companion Dr Evadne Hinge.
 Brought to you from the genteel setting of the Suffolk village of Stackton Tressell, where the musical duo reside.
 Written by Mike Craig, Lawrie Kinsley and Ron McDonnell.
 Dame Hilda Bracket George Logan
 Dr Evadne Hinge Patrick Fyffe
 Maude Daphne Heard
 Jean-Pierre Andre Maranne
 Mr Smollett David Marlowe
 Three series ran on BBC Radio 4 between 1977 and 1979, with further spin-off seasons on BBC Radio 2 until 1990.
 In the early 1980s, they expanded over to BBC TV with the series Dear Ladies.
 Produced at BBC Manchester by James Casey.
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in May 1977.
SUN 09:00 The Inimitable Jeeves (b007vldf)
 The Delayed Exit of Claude and Eustace
 Trouble looms for Bertie Wooster when his wild cousins arrive. PG Wodehouse's romp starring Michael Hordern and Richard Briers.
 Adapted by Chris Miller.
 Jeeves Michael Hordern
 Bertie Wooster Richard Briers
 Eustace David Jason
 Claude Jonathan Lynn
 Aunt Agatha Joan Sanderson
 Marianne Bridget Armstrong
 Producer: David Hatch
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in July 1973.
SUN 09:30 Coming Alive (b00hxxyx)
 Series 3
 Here Comes the Judge
 Ex-con Terry is asked to be a school fancy dress judge, but can he make up with Sandra?
 Starring Karl Howman and Phyllis Logan.
 Jim Eldridge's sitcom about ex-convict Terry King's efforts to run a community centre.
 Terry King Karl Howman
 Sandra Gaines Phyllis Logan
 Steve Addison Ben Crowe
 Mrs McKendrick Sandra Voe
 Mary Dawson.....Elaine Claxton
 Matthew.....George Allonby
 Wally.....Carl Prekopp
 Mrs Barnes.....Carolyn Pickles
 Producer: Marilyn Imlrie
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in October 2001.
SUN 10:00 Desert Island Discs Revisited (m001dx7x)
 Lost Gems
 Sir David Paradine Frost OBE
 From Alan Bennett to Edith Piaf.
 Broadcaster David Frost shares his castaway choices with Roy Plomley.
 In 1963, David was heading towards media superstardom as the presenter of BBC TV's ground-breaking satire series, That Was The Week That Was.
 Famously covering the Profumo Affair, it was devised by Ned Sherrin, with regulars including Bernard Levin, Willie Rushton, Millicent Martin and Roy Kinnear.
 David's career spanned journalism and comedy writing - from The Frost Report to Frost on Sunday and TV-AM. He garnered international attention with his revealing interview with former US President Richard Nixon in 1977.
 He was knighted in 1993.

DISC ONE: The Old Rugged Cross - Ballarat City Choir
 DISC TWO: Charlie - Georges Delerue
 DISC THREE: Aftermyth of War - Alan Bennett
 DISC FOUR: That Was the Week That Was - Millicent Martin and Others
 DISC FIVE: Just in Time - The Oscar Peterson Trio
 DISC SIX: St Louis Blues - Helen Shapiro
 DISC SEVEN: - Everything I've Got - Joanie Sommers
 DISC EIGHT: Non, je ne regrette rien - Edith Piaf
BOOK CHOICE - The collected works by Geoffrey Chaucer
LUXURY CHOICE - Potato crisps
CASTAWAY'S FAVOURITE - Non, je ne regrette rien by Edith Piaf
 Producer: Monica Chapman
 First broadcast on the BBC Light Programme in April 1963.
SUN 10:30 The Spike Milligan Show (m001dx81)
 The Goon Show pioneer talks rubbish - sings rubbish. Sketch comedy with light relief from:
 Jeannie Lambe
 The Alan Clare Eight Minus One.
 Producer: Steve Allen
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 2 in July 1973.
SUN 11:00 The Moth Radio Hour (m000ymd7)
 Forever and Ever
 True stories told live in the USA: Meg Bowles introduces tales of things past shaping the here and now.
 The Moth is an acclaimed not-for-profit organisation dedicated to the art and craft of storytelling based in the USA. Since 1997, it has celebrated both the raconteur and the storytelling novice, who has lived through something extraordinary and yearns to share it. Originally formed by the writer George Dawes Green as an intimate gathering of friends on a porch in Georgia (where moths would flutter in through a hole in the screen), and then recreated in a New York City living room, The Moth quickly grew to produce immensely popular events at theatres and clubs around New York City and later around the USA, the UK and other parts of the world.
 The Moth has presented more than 15,000 stories, told live and without notes, to standing-room-only crowds worldwide. The Moth podcast is downloaded over 27 million times a year. Featuring true stories told live on stage without scripts, from the humorous to the heart-breaking.
 The Moth Radio Hour is produced by Jay Allison and Atlantic Public Media in Woods Hole, Massachusetts and is distributed by the Public Radio Exchange.
 First heard on PRX in 2019.
SUN 11:50 Inheritance Tracks (b0651qrc)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 07:10 today]
SUN 12:00 Poetry Extra (m001dx88)
 Between the Ears - The In-Between Land
 Poet Daljit Nagra revisits the BBC's poetry archive and chooses The In-Between Land featuring deaf shepherd-poet Josephine Dickinson.
 The magical North Pennines landscape inspires Josephine's life and work - and is the fertile backdrop to her real and imagined sound world.
 Welcome to her remote hill farm near Alston – near the highest market town in England – where Josephine looks after her sheep and writes her poetry. It's her in-between land, a place between hearing and deafness, art and reality, home and you listening to the programme.
 It's a challenging environment, too: in 2018 the 'Beast from the East' cut the local community off and emergency aid had to be airlifted in by Chinook helicopter, but in the spring the wildflower meadows are alive to the sound of curlews, lambs and bumble bees.
 This peat landscape is ever-present in her life and increasingly a source of inspiration for her environmentalism. Born in London, Josephine moved here in 1994 and fell in love with the moors - and with Douglas, an elderly sheep farmer who took her under his wing and married her. Josephine's deafness started at the age of six, but hearing aids enabled her to pursue her love of music, and she taught piano and worked as an arts development worker at the South Bank.
 But seven years ago she lost her hearing completely, plunging her into a hallucinatory inner soundscape that tormented and fascinated her in equal measure. She can now hear her lambs and the wind in the cotton grass, thanks to a cochlear implant. In collaboration with BBC Radio 3 and sonic artist Andrew Deakin - from Full of Noises, based in Barrow - Josephine invited local people to share their sound in Alston Parish Church, a powerful sound installation demonstrating that a deaf person doesn't live in a silent world.
 A BBC Radio Cumbria production by Andrew Carter.
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 3 in December 2018.
SUN 12:30 Angstrom (b09l0ds8)
 Series 1
 The Man Who Wasn't Dead
 Matthew Holness stars as Knut Ångström, a brooding, alcoholic, maverick Swedish detective from the tough streets of Oslo. Scandinavian detective yarn adapted from the bestselling Ångström trilogy by Martin English (writing as Bjorn Swedenssonson).
 Following the death of his wife, Ångström is posted to the Njalsland peninsula where he becomes embroiled in a labyrinthine murder (or possibly not-murder) case which bears an eerie similarity to the Askeladden killings - a case from his distant past.
 A body goes missing from a crime scene, but was it ever even

MON 06:30 Michelle Magorian - Back Home (b010x9qg)
Episode 1
Rusty returns home to Britain after being evacuated to the United States during the Second World War.
But she's reunited with a mother she doesn't recognise.
A wartime story by Michelle Magorian.
Starring Jessica Marshall-Gardiner, Emily Richard and Mary Wimbush.
Dramatised in four parts by Martin Jameson.
Rusty Jessica Marshall-Gardiner
Peggy Emily Richard
Beattie Mary Wimbush
Charlie George Allonby
Beth Kelly Bright
Susie Sasha Graff
Skeet Jamie Darnton
Aunt Hannah Jilly Bond
Mitch Jonathan Keeble
Ivy Woods Jane Whittenshaw
Movietone Announcer Peter Donaldson
Van Driver Michelle Magorian
Director: David Hitchinson
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in July 1995.
MON 07:30 In and Out of the Kitchen (b03w01zk)
Series 3
The Travel Piece
Damien confronts his hatred of barbecuing while Mullaney is sorting out his "shoffice".
Sitcom written by and starring Miles Jupp, charting the life of cookery writer Damien Trench and his partner Anthony.
Damien Trench Miles Jupp
Anthony Justin Edwards
Ian Frobisher Philip Fox
Marion Duffett Lesley Vickerage
Damien's Mother Selina Cadell
Ray Jarrow Christopher Brand
Shooting Instructor Christopher Brand
Producer: Sam Michell
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in February 2014.
MON 07:30 It's a Fair Cop (m001dmzl)
Series 7
Caravan Conundrum
In this week's episode, copper turned stand-up Alfie Moore is called to a camping site to investigate a suspected break-in.
What's he finds inside one caravan creates a storm of competing interests. Should Alfie follow the letter of the law, focus on police targets or be led by his empathy and common sense?
What do you do when self-interest comes up against your personal morals?
Written and presented by Alfie Moore
Script Editor: Will Ing
Production Co-ordinator: Becky Carewe-Jeffries
Producer: Sam Holmes
MON 08:00 Round the Horne (b00n905p)
Series 3
Episode 17
'What Shall We Do With The Drunken Nurker?' as sung by Rambling Syd Rumpo.
And it's a Horne from home for Kenneth at Julian and Sandy's Bona Guest House.
Packed full of colourful characters, parodies, memorable catchphrases, and double-entendres.
Starring:
Kenneth Horne
Kenneth Williams
Hugh Paddick
Betty Marsden
Bill Pertwee
Announcer: Douglas Smith
Recorded at the BBC's Paris Studio in Lower Regent Street, London.
Music by Edwin Braden and the Hornblowers and The Fraser Hayes Four.
Round The Horne was born out of the demise of BBC radio comedy Beyond Our Ken. Using the same cast and producer, Barry Took and Marty Feldman wrote the brilliantly inventive - and sometimes outrageous - scripts for four series between 1965 and 1968.
Producer: John Simmonds
First broadcast on the BBC Light Programme in May 1967.
MON 08:30 Anything Legal (b0088z2b)
Episode 5
Charles and George hire a secretary to boost their new business offering anything legal...
Starring Donald Hewlett and Michael Knowles.
A Tale of Two City Gents by Wally K Daly
Charles Donald Hewlett
George Michael Knowles
Belinda Bustron Sherrie Hewson
Job Applicant Helena Breck
Theme music by Jim Parker
Producer: John Fawcett Wilson
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in December 1984.
MON 09:00 Dilemma (b01qmb08)
Series 2
Episode 1
Sue Perkins puts Paul Sinha, Lemn Sissay, Margaret Cabourn-Smith and Graeme Garden through the moral and ethical wringer.

The return of the panel show posing finely-balanced dilemmas as Sue cross-examines their answers.
Comic Paul struggles with his sporting loyalties; poet Lemn experiences something new, actor and comic Margaret faces up to some poor parenting; and Graeme contemplates life without one of his favourite Aunts.
There are no "right" answers - but there are some deeply damning ones.
Devised by Danielle Ward.
Producer: Ed Morrish.
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in February 2013.
MON 09:30 Double Income, No Kids Yet (b00dydyg)
Series 1
Episode 4
April Prescott is looking for love, while Katie is waiting for her baby to finally arrive.
Meanwhile Daniel and Lucy are waiting for the day they will all leave them in peace.
David Tennant and Liz Carling star in David Spicer's sitcom.
Modern life and parenthood, as seen through the eyes of a 30-something couple with no kids.
Daniel David Tennant
Lucy Liz Carling
Katie Meera Syal
April Felicity Montague
Peter Rob Harley
Clive Matthew Bell
Andy Tony Gardner
Producer: Liz Anstee
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in June 2001.
MON 10:00 Charles Dickens (b007jmv1)
The Personal History of David Copperfield
6. The Beginning of a Long Journey
David has met and fallen in love with Dora Spenlow.
Uriah Heep confides in him that he loves Agnes Wickfield and hopes to marry her.
First published in 1849, Charles Dickens described this novel as his "favourite child" with some events following his own life.
Stars Miriam Margolyes, Timothy Spall and Gary Cady.
All-star dramatisation in ten-parts by Betty Davies.
David Copperfield Gary Cady
Betsey Trotwood Miriam Margolyes
Mr Dick David Bamber
Peggotty Maggie McCarthy
Mr Peggotty David Burke
Ham Peggotty Timothy Spall
Emily Joanna Myers
Mrs Gummidge Mary Wimbush
Uriah Heep Phil Daniels
Dora Maria Miles
Mr Murdstone John Moffatt
David, as a boy Nicholas Gatt
Steerforth Andrew Wincott
Mrs Steerforth Irene Sutcliffe
Rosa Dartle Jenny Howe
Agnes Jane Whittenshaw
Mr Wickfield Timothy Bateson
Traddles Mark Straker
Barkis Terence Edmond
Omer Peter Tuddenham
Mr Spenlow Peter Penry Jones
Jip/Begger Ronald Herdman
Julia Mills Oona Beeson
Mrs Crupp Pauline Letts
Jorkins Timothy Carlton
Clerk David Bannerman
Red Whisker David Bannerman
Girl Siriol Jenkins
Girl's mother Ann Windsor
Producer: Marilyn Imrie
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in October 1991.
MON 11:00 TED Radio Hour (m001dwpw)
Series 9
Friction
A journey through fascinating ideas based on talks by riveting speakers on the TED (Technology, Entertainment, Design) stage.
Manoush Zomorodi explores how friction, in all its forms, is a force that can be dialled up or down to improve our lives.
First broadcast in the USA on National Public Radio in 2022.
MON 11:50 Inheritance Tracks (m001dwq8)
Rylan Clark
Broadcaster Rylan Clark chooses 'Forget Me Nots' by Patrice Rushen and 'Pure Shores' by All Saints.
MON 12:00 Round the Horne (b00n905p)
[Repeat of broadcast at 08:00 today]
MON 12:30 Anything Legal (b0088z2b)
[Repeat of broadcast at 08:30 today]
MON 13:00 Dalziel & Pascoe - Exit Lines (m000w6mb)
[Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 today]
MON 13:30 Michelle Magorian - Back Home (b010x9qg)
[Repeat of broadcast at 06:30 today]
MON 14:00 Auntie's War by Edward Stourton (b091tj8g)
1. A War Footing
The BBC is a British institution unlike any other, and its story during the Second World War is also the story of Britain's people.
Writer and presenter Edward Stourton is a sharp-eyed and affectionate companion on the BBC's wartime journey,

investigating archives, diaries, letters and memoirs to examine what the BBC was and what it stood for.
In this first episode, Ed describes how the BBC adapted to being on a war footing, the boredom of the Phoney War and the experiences of reporters sent to France.
These were the years when Auntie (the BBC's enduring nickname) earned a reputation for bossiness. It was also a period of remarkable voices - Churchill's fighting speeches de Gaulle's broadcasts from exile, George Orwell, Ed Murrell, Richard Dimbleby and Vera Lynn.
During these extraordinary times, eyewitness testimonies gave a voice to everyone, securing the BBC's reputation as a reliable purveyor of the truth.
Auntie's War is more than a portrait of an institution at a critical time, it is also a portrayal of the British in wartime and an insight into why we have our broadcast culture today.
Read by Edward Stourton
Abridged by Anna Magnusson
Produced by Pippa Vaughan
A Loftus production for BBC Radio 4, first broadcast in January 2018.
MON 14:15 The Citadel (m00047ss)
Series 5
Episode 1
Dr. Denny's feelings for Christine have deepened. Meanwhile Dr. Manson, oblivious to it all, is fighting hard to create a new chest clinic.
Dr. Manson George Blagden
Dr. Denny Julian Lewis Jones
Christine Catrin Stewart
Dr. Hope Seamus O'Neill
Mrs. Wynne Evans Kate Coogan
Written by Christopher Reason
Directed by Pauline Harris
Produced by Gary Brown and Pauline Harris
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in April 2019.
MON 14:30 In Search of Richard Yates (b01n6sj8)
Nick Fraser argues that the work of Richard Yates should receive greater recognition.
Yates is best known for his first novel, the remarkable Revolutionary Road, which was published to great acclaim in 1961. However, his subsequent books failed to gain the same readership and Yates slowly faded from view. By the time of his death in 1992 he was largely forgotten.
Friends, family and biographer Blake Bailey reveal the stark beauty of his prose, the heart-breaking complexity of his characters, and how his own struggles with alcohol and mental illness informed his work.
Fraser seeks to uncover the mystery of Richard Yates and examine how a writer so well-respected, loved by his peers, capable of moving his readers so deeply, fell so quickly out of print. He explores the reasons why his work has, in recent years, enjoyed a revival and why his stories sit nicely alongside the public's affection for programmes such as Mad Men.
Producers: Jessica Treen and Stephen Garner
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 2014.
MON 15:00 Charles Dickens (b007jmv1)
[Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 today]
MON 16:00 Dilemma (b01qmb08)
[Repeat of broadcast at 09:00 today]
MON 16:30 Double Income, No Kids Yet (b00dydyg)
[Repeat of broadcast at 09:30 today]
MON 17:00 In and Out of the Kitchen (b03w01zk)
[Repeat of broadcast at 07:00 today]
MON 17:30 It's a Fair Cop (m001dmzl)
[Repeat of broadcast at 07:30 today]
MON 18:00 John Wyndham - The Day of the Triffids (m0006fx1)
5. World Narrowing
'The utter loneliness was beginning to get on my nerves.'
Killer plants are on the rampage across the countryside. Bill sets off in search of Josella but finds a new companion...
First published in 1951, John Wyndham's classic sci-fi novel dramatised by Giles Cooper.
Gary Watson Bill Masen
Barbara Shelley Josella Playton
Jill Cary Susan
Freda Dowie Mary
David Brierley Dennis
Margaret Robertson Joyce
Music composed by David Cain.
Producer: John Powell.
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in July 1968.
MON 18:30 A Good Read (b055g742)
Claire Skinner and Louise Welsh
Actress Claire Skinner and Glaswegian author Louise Welsh and Good Read presenter Harriett Gilbert recommend three favourite books.
A Death in the Family by Karl Ove Knausgaard
Publisher: Vintage
Dr Jekyll and Mr Hyde by Robert Louis Stevenson
Publisher: Penguin Classics
Strong Poison by Dorothy L Sayers
Publisher: Hodder
Producer Beth O'Dea
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in March 2015.
MON 19:00 Round the Horne (b00n905p)
[Repeat of broadcast at 08:00 today]
MON 19:30 Anything Legal (b0088z2b)

[Repeat of broadcast at 08:30 today]
MON 20:00 Dalziel & Pascoe - Exit Lines (m000w6mb)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 today]
MON 20:30 Michelle Magorian - Back Home (b010x9qg)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 06:30 today]
MON 21:00 TED Radio Hour (m001dwpw)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 11:00 today]
MON 21:50 Inheritance Tracks (m001dqw8)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 11:50 today]
MON 22:00 It's a Fair Cop (m001dmzl)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 07:30 today]
MON 22:30 Twenty Players (b06jmc82)
 Series 1
 Gertrude Trelawny Ferris
 Gerald Sinstadt tells the story of the sporting all-rounder Gertrude Trelawny Ferris.
 Simon Bullivant's album of forgotten sporting heroes in a highly collectible series of six parts.
 Producer: Richard Wilson
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in June 1995.
MON 22:45 Self-Storage (b0080x3g)
 Series 1
 Family
 Dave's family try therapy to halt his descent, but he can't see the point - what's wrong with living in a storage unit?
 Stars Reece Shearsmith and Mark Heap.
 Sitcom written by Tom Collinson and Barnaby Power.
 Dave Reece Shearsmith
 Geoff Mark Heap
 Ron Tom Goodman-Hill
 American Phil Nicol
 Judy Rosie Cavaliero
 Sarah Susan Earl
 Dad Philip Jackson
 Producer: Ed Morrish
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in October 2007.
MON 22:55 The Comedy Club Interviews (m001ff5s)
 Ania Magliano/1/3
 From **10pm** until midnight, seven days a week, The Comedy Club has two hours of comedy. And tonight, Stephen Bailey talks to Ania Magliano.
MON 23:00 The Now Show (m001dp35)
 Series 61
 Episode 2
 Steve Punt and Hugh Dennis present the week via topical stand-up and sketches. They're joined by Colin Hault, Laura Lexx and Jordan Gray.
 Anna Mann (Colin Hault) shares advice about the cost of living crisis, Laura Lexx looks ahead to Prince Harry's autobiography, and musical guest Jordan Gray debunks a controversy about Mr Potato Head.
 The show was written by the cast with additional material from Rebecca Bain, Laura Major, Nathan Cowley and Jade Gebbie.
 Voice actors: Luke Kempner and Katie Norris
 Sound: Marc Willcox & Gary Newman
 Executive Producer: James Robinson
 Producer: Rajiv Karia
 Production Coordinator: Sarah Nicholls
 A BBC Studios Production
MON 23:30 Sorry About Last Night (b00n4gmx)
 A Airport
 Alexei Sayle's quirky couple's comedy with Siobhan Redmond. Andy and Julie take their holiday at Heathrow. Strolling through the waste ground beyond the perimeter fence, Julie wonders whether all their holidays will be like this.
 Andy.....Alexei Sayle
 Julie.....Siobhan Redmond
 Mr Hamad.....Nadim Sawalha
 Mrs Abasanjo.....Adjoa Andoh
 Mr Lucik.....Chris Pavlo
 Dad.....Harry Towb
 Michael.....Gary Bleasdale
 Philippe.....Simon Greenall
 Amparo.....Doon MacKichan
 Written by Alexei Sayle
 Produced and directed by Jo Clegg with Alexei Sayle
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in October 1999.

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TUE 00:00 John Wyndham - The Day of the Triffids (m0006fx1)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 18:00 on Monday]
TUE 00:30 A Good Read (b055g742)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 18:30 on Monday]
TUE 01:00 Dalziel & Pascoe - Exit Lines (m000w6mb)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 on Monday]
TUE 01:30 Michelle Magorian - Back Home (b010x9qg)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 06:30 on Monday]
TUE 02:00 Auntie's War by Edward Stourton (b09ltj8g)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 14:00 on Monday]
TUE 02:15 The Citadel (m00047ss)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 14:15 on Monday]
TUE 02:30 In Search of Richard Yates (b01n6sj8)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 14:30 on Monday]
TUE 03:00 Charles Dickens (b007jmv1)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 on Monday]
TUE 04:00 Dilemma (b01qmb08)

[Repeat of broadcast at 09:00 on Monday]
TUE 04:30 Double Income, No Kids Yet (b00dydgd)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 09:30 on Monday]
TUE 05:00 In and Out of the Kitchen (b03w01zk)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 07:00 on Monday]
TUE 05:30 It's a Fair Cop (m001dmzl)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 07:30 on Monday]
TUE 06:00 Dalziel & Pascoe - Exit Lines (m000w6mb)
 2. What Does it Signify?
 Detective Inspector Pascoe wonders about the two sudden deaths.
 Donald Gee and Philip Jackson star as duo, Andy Dalziel and Peter Pascoe.
 Reginald Hill's detective thriller dramatised by Betty Davies.
 Det Insp Pascoe Donald Gee
 Supt Dalziel Philip Jackson
 Det Chief Constable Michael Elwyn
 Det Insp Headingley Christopher Good
 Mrs Escott Barbara Atkinson
 Det Con Seymour Paul Downing
 Ruddlesdin Danny Schiller
 Sgt Price Michael Graham Cox
 Abbiss/Sgt Myers John Bull
 Corp Gillott 1 Warden Joe Dunlop
 Mrs Frostick Anna Cropper
 Stella Abbiss Elizabeth Mansfield
 Mrs Warsop Susan Sheridan
 Director: Matthew Walters
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in March 1990.
TUE 06:30 Michelle Magorian - Back Home (b0112ftv)
 Episode 2
 The war is over but Rusty is facing her own battle, moving to Guildford to face her acid-tongued grandmother.
 A wartime story by Michelle Magorian.
 Starring Jessica Marshall-Gardiner, Emily Richard and Mary Wimbush.
 Dramatised by Martin Jameson.
 Rusty Jessica Marshall-Gardiner
 Peggy Emily Richard
 Beattie Mary Wimbush
 Charlie George Alonby
 Judith Kelly Bright
 Susie Sasha Graff
 Uncle Bruno Jonathan Keeble
 Grandmother Pauline Letts
 Miss Bembridge Richenda Carey
 Miss Grace Natasha Pyne
 Miss Smythe-Williams Tessa Worsley
 Lance Richard Claxton
 Cecily Eleanor Chidgey
 Filly Clemmi Burton-Hill
 Other parts played by the cast.
 Director: David Hutchinson
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in July 1995.
TUE 07:00 Tickets Please (b00nv6nh)
 Episode 1
 Why does an intercity train journey turn into an emotional roller-coaster?
 Because the train staff have to battle with their thwarted infatuations - for each other! And those toughies in the wedding carriage aren't helping matters...
 Sitcom on rails by Mark Maier.
 Robin Jeremy Swift
 Nadine Alex Kelly
 Peter Malcom Tierney
 Diana Melissa Advani
 Linda/Lady Kate Layden
 Keith Stephen Hogan
 Carol Tessa Nicholson
 Man One Philip Fox
 Man Two/William Joseph Cohen-Cole
 Producer: Peter Kavanagh
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in November 2009.
TUE 07:30 Cooking in a Bedsitter (b09jcd4g)
 Series 2
 Green Pea Sandwiches
 Deepak takes Trisha on an outing to Oxford. But it's not quite the punting and picnic she expects.
 Extracts from Cooking in a Bedsitter are read by Eleanor Bron.
 Beattie Edmondson and Nikesh Patel star in Sue Tedderr's romantic comedy, inspired by Katharine Whitehorn's cookery classic.
 Katharine Whitehorn Eleanor Bron
 Trisha Beattie Edmondson
 Deepak Nikesh Patel
 Moira Isabella Inchebald
 June Ellie Darvill
 Policeman Neil McCaul
 Julie Abbie Andrews
 Director: Emma Harding.
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in December 2017.
TUE 08:00 The Goon Show (b007jndr)
 Series 7
 Drums Along the Mersey
 A newspaper claims Neddie Seagoon is set to inherit a million pounds.
 Groundbreaking, surreal BBC radio comedy written by Spike Milligan and Larry Stephens.
 Starring:

Peter Sellers
 Harry Secombe
 Spike Milligan
 Special guest: Valentine Dyall
 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 October 1956.
TUE 08:30 Little Blighty on the Down (b008116c)
 Series 3
 Episode 5
 The Parish Council leader - Mrs Roberts - has a brush with reality when she tries local public transport.
 The 1980s political satirical soap opera set in the strangely familiar village of Little Blighty. Life here is pretty uneventful, though the humdrum happenings do include social turmoil, economic upheaval and vicious political squabbles.
 With:
 Jo Kendall
 Michael Troughton
 John Baddeley
 Daniel Strauss
 Bernadine Corrigan
 Jonathan Kydd
 Mark Burton
 Written by John O'Farrell and Mike Coleman
 Producer Lissa Evans
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in August 1990.
TUE 09:00 The Now Show (m001dp35)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 23:00 on Monday]
TUE 09:30 Lucky Heather (b00759h)
 Unforgiven
 Recently widowed Denis hires Heather to trace his first love Yvonne.
 Just this side of nousey, Heather is mad about westerns. She's also the Sherlock Holmes of the rundown Sutter Estate.
 Sue Tedderr's six-part comedy series stars Lindsey Coulson as Heather.
 Heather.....Lindsey Coulson
 Natalie.....Abigail Hart
 Ryan.....Ben Crowe
 Craig.....Tom George
 Denis.....James Taylor
 Allison.....Gemma Saunders
 Charlotte.....Lisa Kay
 Lisa.....Beth Chalmers
 Maev.....Dearbhla Molloy
 Yvonne.....Elizabeth Bell
 Director: David Hunter
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in February 2000.
TUE 10:00 Charles Dickens (b007jmxm)
 The Personal History of David Copperfield
 7. Wickfield and Heep
 Emily has run away with Steerforth. David has become secretly engaged to Dora.
 Aunt Betsey has lost her fortune through ill-advised investment. Charles Dickens described this novel as his "favourite child".
 Dramatised by Betty Davies.
 David Copperfield Gary Cady
 Betsey Trotwood Miriam Margolyes
 Wilkins Micawber Harold Innocent
 Mrs Micawber Sheila Hancock
 Dora Maria Miles
 Mr Peggotty David Burke
 Uriah Heep Phil Daniels
 Mrs Heep Maria Charles
 Agnes Jane Whittenshaw
 Mr Wickfield Timothy Bateson
 Miss Murdstone Auriol Smith
 Traddles Mark Straker
 Mr Spenslow Peter Penry-Jones
 Jip Ronald Herdman
 Dr Strong James Greene
 Jorkins Timothy Carlton
 Miss Lavinia Ann Windsor
 Miss Clarissa Irene Sutcliffe
 Julia Mills Oona Beeson
 Tiffey Nigel Carrington
 Clerk David Bannerman
 Director: Marilyn Imrie
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in October 1991.
TUE 11:00 Archive on 4 (m00013md)
 How We Remember Them
 Since 2014 the world has been reflecting on the centenary of the First World War. The atrocities of the conflict have been well-covered but how has our interpretation changed over time?
 With powerful accounts of veterans, from the iconic 1964 BBC series The Great War and the Imperial War Museum's sound archive, as well as moving early commemorations at the Cenotaph, historian Dan Snow looks at how and why our perceptions of the conflict have changed over time, and how that's affected the way we commemorate the event.
 Joined by Dan Todman, Lucy Noakes, Helen McCartney and Jean Seaton, as well as Peter Hart, who interviewed many veterans on behalf of the IWM, we'll look at why Remembrance

burst out cheering proves difficult when Julie comes in with a dark secret she wants to reveal.

Continuing the award-nominated comedy drama set in Alcoholics Anonymous, written by Pete Jackson and inspired by his own road to recovery.

It follows the lives of five very different recovering alcoholics. Taking place entirely at their weekly meetings, we hear them moan, argue, laugh, fall apart, fall in love and - most importantly - tell their stories.

Fiona Rebecca Front
 Simon John Hannah
 Julie Sue Johnston
 Danno Paul Kaye
 Andy Johnny Vegas
 Penny Zoe Buckley
 Fran Susan Worsfield

Writer Pete Jackson is a recovering alcoholic and has spent time in Alcoholics Anonymous. It was there he found, as most people do, support from the unlikeliest group of disparate souls, all banded together due to one common bond. As well as offering the support he needed throughout a difficult time, AA also offered a weekly, sometimes daily, dose of hilarity, upset, heartbreak and friendship.

Love in Recovery doesn't seek to represent an AA meeting exactly as it might happen in real life, but to capture the funny stories, the sad stories, the stories of small victories and of huge milestones, stories of loss, stories of hope, and most importantly, the many highs and lows in the journey of recovery.

Written and created by Pete Jackson
 Producer/Director: Ben Worsfield
 A King Bert production for BBC Radio 4, first broadcast in January 2019.

WED 07:30 Rob Newman (m001dnhs)
 Rob Newman On Air
 Episode Two: On Therapy
 Rob Newman, one of Britain's finest comedians, explores the rise of online therapy, geological time periods and why he makes sure he always arrives early to gigs. In doing so he takes us on a journey through Spinoza, Tom Lehrer, Peter Gabriel, Einstein versus spiders, and the unlikely concept of Rapper's Remorse.

Written by and starring Rob Newman
 With Claire Price
 Original music by Boo Hewardine and Chris Pepper
 Recorded by David Thomas
 Executive Producer: Polly Thomas
 Produced by Jon Harvey and Eloise Whitmore
 A Naked production for BBC Radio 4

WED 08:00 The Missing Hancock's (m0009zcs)
 Series 4
 The Diamond Ring
 The Missing Hancock's recreates those episodes of the classic Hancock's Half Hour that have been wiped or lost from the archive.

The first modern sitcom, Hancock's Half Hour made stars of Tony Hancock, Sid James and Kenneth Williams, and launched Ray Galton and Alan Simpson as one of the most successful comedy-writing partnerships in history. But 20 episodes of the show were missing from the BBC archives. Now, after four highly successful series, the final batch of those episodes have been lovingly re-recorded in front of a live audience at the BBC Radio Theatre.

Tonight's episode: Hancock finds a diamond ring, but when Moira gets it into her head that marriage is in the air, Tony is forced to turn to Sid for help.

Written by Ray Galton and Alan Simpson, and with the classic score re-recorded by the BBC Concert Orchestra, the show stars Kevin McNally, Kevin Eldon, Simon Greenall, Robin Sebastian and Margaret Cabourn-Smith. The Diamond Ring was first broadcast on 9th November 1954.

Produced by Neil Pearson & Hayley Sterling.
 Written by Ray Galton & Simpson
 Music recorded by the BBC Concert Orchestra, conducted by Levon Parikian.
 A BBC Studios Production.
WED 08:30 England's Glory (m001dxxs)
 Episode 3
 Will TV cameras help tycoon Morgan Jeffries overcome local opposition to his building vision? Stars Keith Barron.

A comedy in six-parts by Janey Preger
 Morgan Jeffries Keith Barron
 Angela Lynda Baron
 Kevin David Holt
 Thomas Sykes/Charlie Sam Kelly
 Henrietta Joan Sims
 Christine Jane Dolamore
 Alice Tina Gray
 Stacey Geraldine Fitzgerald
 Minty Melanie Hudson
 Piers Wayne Forrester
 Producer: Richard Wilson
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in September 1995.

WED 09:00 Booked (b0075skq)
 Series 4
 Episode 2
 Ian McMillan chairs the irreverent writing game.
 Regular panellists Mark Thomas and Dillie Keane are joined by Arthur Smith and David Stafford.

Producer: Marc Jobst
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in July 1998.

WED 09:30 The Attractive Young Rabbi (b007k3y6)
 Series 3
 Mixed Fortunes
 Rabbi Abraham pulls off a coup - Rabbi Su isn't so lucky.
 Barry Grossman's comedy-drama about the collision between the old and the new in the Jewish community of Hillfield.

Rabbi Abraham Fine David De Keyser
 Rabbi Su Jacobs Tracy-Ann Oberman
 Sadie Fine Doreen Mantle
 Melvin Henry Goodman
 Brian Jonathan Kydd
 Su's Mum Sheila Steafel
 Demelza Julie Mayhew
 Plumber Nick Stringer
 Music: Max Harris.
 Producer: John Fawcett Wilson
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in March 2002.

WED 10:00 Charles Dickens (b007jmxj)
 The Personal History of David Copperfield
 8. Mischief
 Uriah is now a partner in Wickfield and Heep and has taken on a new clerk, Mr Micawber.
 Dora's father has died, and she now lives with two spinster aunts, who allow David to call on her.
 Charles Dickens described this novel as his "favourite child".
 Dramatised by Betty Davies.
 David Copperfield Gary Cady
 Betsy Trotwood Miriam Margolyes
 Mr Dick David Bamber
 Mrs Micawber Sheila Hancock
 Dora Maria Miles
 Uriah Heep Phil Daniels
 Mr Peggotty David Burke
 Agnes Jane Whittenshaw
 Mr Wickfield Timothy Bateson
 Mrs Steerforth Irene Sutcliffe
 Rosa Dartle Jenny Howe
 Traddles Mark Straker
 Martha Adjoa Andoh
 Jip Ronald Herdman
 Dr Strong/Man James Greene
 Annie Strong Alice Arnold
 Littimer Norman Jones
 Mrs Markleham Ann Windsor
 Mrs Steerforth's maid Petra Markham
 Clergyman Timothy Carlton
 Director: Marilyn Imrie
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in November 1991.

WED 11:00 The Rudest Man in Britain (m001dxxv)
 3. Demons and Fantasies
 The Rudest Man in Britain excavates the archives from the perspective of Gilbert Harding - a well-loved radio personality who went on to achieve wider TV exposure as star of long-running panel shows such as 'What's My Line?' once watched by millions.
 Clever, amusing and often outrageous, Harding was a familiar voice of wireless who became a pioneer of popular TV. But behind the public persona, there was a troubled and conflicted character.

To create a profile of Gilbert Harding's life and sample his broadcasting work Simon Fanshawe draws on Stephen Wyatt's play Dr Brighton and Mr Harding, in which Harding (played by Roger Allam) wrestles with his inner demons and fantasies, knowing also that he is increasingly poor health (hence his reason for moving to the coast to embrace 'Dr Brighton').
 Producer: Mike Greenwood
 Made for BBC Radio 4 Extra and first broadcast in January 2014

WED 12:00 The Missing Hancock's (m0009zcs)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 08:00 today]

WED 12:30 England's Glory (m001dxxs)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 08:30 today]

WED 13:00 Dalziel & Pascoe - Exit Lines (m000w6mx)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 today]

WED 13:30 Michelle Magorian - Back Home (b011chj6)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 06:30 today]

WED 14:00 Auntie's War by Edward Stourton (b09ltpkj)
 3. Remarkable Voices
 The BBC is a British institution unlike any other, and its story during the Second World War is also the story of Britain's people.
 Writer and presenter Edward Stourton is a sharp-eyed and affectionate companion on the BBC's wartime journey, investigating archives, diaries, letters and memoirs to examine what the BBC was and what it stood for.
 In episode three, General de Gaulle rallies the French from London and US journalists arrive to report the Blitz.
 These were the years when Auntie (the BBC's enduring nickname) earned a reputation for bossiness. It was also a period of remarkable voices - Churchill's fighting speeches de Gaulle's broadcasts from exile, George Orwell, Ed Murrow, Richard Dimbleby and Vera Lynn.
 During these extraordinary times, eyewitness testimonies gave a voice to everyone, securing the BBC's reputation as a reliable purveyor of the truth.
 Auntie's War is more than a portrait of an institution at a critical time, it is also a portrayal of the British in wartime and

an insight into why we have our broadcast culture today.

Read by Edward Stourton
 Abridged by Anna Magnusson
 Produced by Pippa Vaughan
 A Loftus production for BBC Radio 4, first broadcast in January 2018.

WED 14:15 The Citadel (m000458w)
 Series 5
 Episode 3
 Denny's in love with Manson's wife, Christine. When he decides to leave it ends in tragedy.
 Denny Julian Lewis Jones
 Christine Catrin Stewart
 Lydia Kate Coogan
 Written by Christopher Reason
 Directed by Pauline Harris
 Produced by Gary Brown and Pauline Harris
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in April 2019.

WED 14:30 Fu Manchu in Edinburgh (b00r91z)
 "Yellow Peril." "Celestial One" and "Devil Doctor": Sax Rohmer's evil genius, Dr Fu Manchu, traded under many aliases, but where was his doctorate from?
 "I am a doctor of philosophy from Edinburgh, a doctor of law from Christ College, a doctor of medicine from Harvard. My friends, out of courtesy, call me 'Doctor'." - The Mask of Fu Manchu (1932)
 Miles Jupp (also an Edinburgh University alumn) investigates the hidden Edinburgh years of the criminal mastermind who fought a war against Western imperialism after learning his trade in one of the West's most esteemed Universities.
 From the novels we can work out Fu Manchu must have studied in Edinburgh in the early 1870s. So what do historical records teach us about his time there?
 Back then, Conan Doyle was registered at the University Medical School, studying at the feet of Joseph Bell, the inspiration for Sherlock Holmes. Thomas De Quincey, the English Opium Eater, had died in the city a few years before but the network by which he sourced his laudanum was still intact, brought by Chinese Coolies from the Port of Leith to the drawing-rooms of the New Town. There were Chinese students registered on the matriculation rolls of the University, some of them refugees from the Boxer rebellion, and the seamen's missions and city police reports make it clear that there was a thriving Chinese criminal network in Scotland's capital. Could Fu Manchu have learned his criminal trade as an undergraduate at the city's university? Could his later dominance of Limehouse in London have been based on the contacts he made with Chinese gangs in Edinburgh? What factual evidence exists to flesh out the experience of the fictional enemy of the West?
 Producer: David Stenhouse
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 2010.

WED 15:00 Charles Dickens (b007jmxj)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 today]

WED 16:00 Booked (b0075skq)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 09:00 today]

WED 16:30 The Attractive Young Rabbi (b007k3y6)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 09:30 today]

WED 17:00 Love in Recovery (m00020z1)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 07:00 today]

WED 17:30 Rob Newman (m001dnhs)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 07:30 today]

WED 18:00 Kurt Vonnegut - The Euphio Question (b0088zh5)
 A way of producing and harnessing happiness is revealed when a physicist plays out the sound of dark matter during a local radio programme.
 The sound lulls the listeners into a state of euphoria, producing an effect not unlike a large dose of sedative.
 The ethical and moral implications of marketing this new found product become evident - as the temptation to make money and control huge numbers of people proves too great.
 Kurt Vonnegut's mysterious short story.
 Read by Stuart Milligan.
 One of the outstanding figures of modern US literature, Kurt Vonnegut (1922-2007) was a cult figure among students in the 1960s and 1970s with his classics of US counterculture. The bombing of Dresden by allied forces in 1945 was the pivotal moment of his life, which informed his best-known work 'Slaughterhouse Five'.
 Abridged and produced by Gemma Jenkins
 Made for BBC 7 and first broadcast in November 2007.

WED 18:30 Pioneers (b0151wpr)
 Series 2
 David Gow
 David Gow chats to Clare English about how he came up with the idea of the world's first bionic hand.
 Huge advancements in prosthetics are now enhancing the lives of amputees.
 Producer: Philip Sime
 First broadcast on BBC Radio Scotland in 2011.

WED 19:00 The Missing Hancock's (m0009zcs)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 08:00 today]

WED 19:30 England's Glory (m001dxxs)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 08:30 today]

WED 20:00 Dalziel & Pascoe - Exit Lines (m000w6mx)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 today]

WED 20:30 Michelle Magorian - Back Home (b011chj6)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 06:30 today]

WED 21:00 The Rudest Man in Britain (m001dxxv)
[Repeat of broadcast at 11:00 today]

WED 22:00 Rob Newman (m001dnhs)
[Repeat of broadcast at 07:30 today]

WED 22:30 Rudy's Rare Records (b00p1jb7)
Series 1
Get Up, Stand Up
Grandad's part-time career as a DJ is in jeopardy. The collisions of life for Grandad Rudy, father Adam and son Richie living crammed together over an old record store in Birmingham.
Generational comedy written by Danny Robins and Dan Tetsell from an original idea by Lenny Henry.
Adam Sharpe Lenny Henry
Richie Sharp Joe Jacobs
Rudy Sharpe Larrington Walker
Tasha Natasha Godfrey
Clifton Jeffery Kissoon
Alison Tracy-Ann Oberman
DJ Karel Andrew Brooke
Landlord Gresby Nash
Diabolicus Adam de Ville
Producer: Lucy Armitage.
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in March 2008.

WED 22:55 The Comedy Club Interviews (m001ff64)
Ania Magliano 2/3
From 10pm until midnight, seven days a week. The Comedy Club has two hours of comedy. And tonight, Stephen Bailey talks to Ania Magliano.

WED 23:00 I've Never Seen Star Wars (b01pty49)
Series 5
Benjamin Zephaniah
Poet Benjamin Zephaniah watches his first James Bond movie and tries his first mug of builder's tea
Series in which guests experience new things and give their verdicts to Marcus Brigstocke – and explain why they've waited so long to do it.
Producer: Bill Dare
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in January 2013.

WED 23:30 Hearing With Hegley (b0075sF5)
Series 3
Episode 5
The nation's second favourite comic poet continues his series with a combination of live poetry readings and studio-based contributions from special guests.
This week, comedian Arnold Brown adds a limerick or two to proceedings.
Producer: Nigel Piper
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in March 2000.

WED 23:45 Warhorses of Letters (b03pdhkq)
Series 3
Episode 1
Two of history's most important horses are back.
More recently-discovered, passionate letters between Napoleon Bonaparte's mount, Marengo and the Duke of Wellington's Copenhagen.
Beginning at the height of the Battle of Waterloo and Marengo's close brush with death - our heroes deal with the aftermath of battle, as Marengo becomes part of the spoils of war.
Will defeat bring him exile to St Helena at his master's side, or will he be untied with his true love Copenhagen?
And if the latter, should they rebrand themselves as hot new power-couple Mopenhagen? Or Carengo?
Marengo Stephen Fry
Copenhagen Daniel Rigby
Narrator Tamsin Greig
Written on their behalf by Marie Phillips and Robbie Hudson
Producer: Gareth Edwards.
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in January 2014.

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THU 00:00 Kurt Vonnegut - The Euphio Question (b0088zh5)
[Repeat of broadcast at 18:00 on Wednesday]

THU 00:30 Pioneers (b0151wpr)
[Repeat of broadcast at 18:30 on Wednesday]

THU 01:00 Dalziel & Pascoe - Exit Lines (m000w6mx)
[Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 on Wednesday]

THU 01:30 Michelle Magorian - Back Home (b011chj6)
[Repeat of broadcast at 06:30 on Wednesday]

THU 02:00 Auntie's War by Edward Stourton (b09ltpkj)
[Repeat of broadcast at 14:00 on Wednesday]

THU 02:15 The Citadel (m000458w)
[Repeat of broadcast at 14:15 on Wednesday]

THU 02:30 Fu Manchu in Edinburgh (b00rt91z)
[Repeat of broadcast at 14:30 on Wednesday]

THU 03:00 Charles Dickens (b007jmxy)
[Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 on Wednesday]

THU 04:00 Booked (b0075skq)
[Repeat of broadcast at 09:00 on Wednesday]

THU 04:30 The Attractive Young Rabbi (b007k3y6)
[Repeat of broadcast at 09:30 on Wednesday]

THU 05:00 Love in Recovery (m00020z1)
[Repeat of broadcast at 07:00 on Wednesday]

THU 05:30 Rob Newman (m001dnhs)
[Repeat of broadcast at 07:30 on Wednesday]

THU 06:00 Dalziel & Pascoe - Exit Lines (m000w6mz)

4. All My Possessions for One Moment of Time
Helped or hindered by his boss, Detective Inspector Pascoe is no nearer a solution over the mystery of three deaths...
Donald Gee and Philip Jackson star as detective duo, Andy Dalziel and Peter Pascoe.
Reginald Hill's thriller dramatised by Betty Davies.
Det Insp Pascoe Donald Gee
Supt Dalziel Philip Jackson
Mrs Escott Barbara Atkinson
Det Con Seymour Paul Downing
Sgt Wield Michael Graham Cox
Charlesworth David King
Mrs Soper Anna Cropper
Mr Soper Michael Kilgarriff
Andrea Jane Slavin
Charley Charles Simpson
Ellie Tara Dominick
Abbs John Bull
Warden Joe Dunlop
Director: Matthew Walters
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in April 1990.

THU 06:30 Michelle Magorian - Back Home (b011j237)
Episode 4
In an emotional climax, both Rusty and her mother decide that their lives have to change.
A wartime story by Michelle Magorian.
Starring Jessica Marshall-Gardiner, Emily Richard and Mary Wimbush.
Dramatised by Martin Jameson.
Rusty Jessica Marshall-Gardiner
Peggy Emily Richard
Charlie George Allonby
Grandmother Pauline Letts
Miss Bembridge Richenda Carey
Miss Bullivant Tessa Worsley
Lance Richard Claxton
Roger Nicholas Farrell
Miss Bullivant Tessa Worsley
Ticket Office Clerk Andrew Branch
Ticket Collector Becky Hindley
Filly Clemmi Burton-Hill
Other parts played by the cast.
Director: David Hitchinson
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in August 1995.

THU 07:00 Hazelbeach (b00ljy24)
Series 2
Chess
Domestic harmony is disrupted for conman Ronnie Hazelbeach and his hapless friend, Nick by the arrival of a very unwelcome guest.
The return of Caroline and David Stafford's comedy about likeable conman Ronnie Hazelbeach starring Jamie Forman.
Ronnie Hazelbeach Jamie Foreman
Nick Paul Bazely
James Neil Stuke
Chloe Tracy Wiles
Carlton Hobbs Philip Fox
Doctor Stephen Hogan

Producer: Marc Beeby
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in July 2009.

THU 07:30 Alexei Sayle's Imaginary Sandwich Bar (m001dnq5)
Series 4
The Way We Live Now
Alexei discusses the motivations of the rich and considers a historic counter-factual involving a young Jacob Rees Mogg.
A mixture of stand-up, memoir and philosophy from behind the counter of an imaginary sandwich bar.
Written and performed by Alexei Sayle.
Producer: Joe Nuntery
A BBC Studios Production

THU 08:00 The Burkiss Way (b00jr7ft)
Series 2
Do You-Know-What The Burkiss Way
Any doubts about you-know-what are put to rest.
The Burkiss Way to Dynamic Living courtesy of Jo Kendall, Nigel Rees, Chris Emmett and Fred Harris.
With written hints by Andrew Marshall and David Renwick (who don't want to spell it out).
A discreet production from Simon Brett.
Cult sketch show first broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in February 1977.

THU 08:30 Girlies (b08s3sy2)
Series 2
Episode 4
As tragedy strikes, can the five feisty, foxy, fighting females try to forgive and forget?
The second of Sudha Bhuchar and Shaheen Khan's four-part comedy series charting the ups and downs of five 30-something women living in London, SW19.
Vinny ... Bharti Patel
Tula ... Zita Sattar
Dan ... Roger Little
Marianne/Nurse ... Alice Arnold
Alia ... Sophie Levy
Sara ... Nyla Levy
Jabeen ... Shaheen Khan
Sonal ... Sudha Bhuchar

Samina ... Sakuntala Ramance
Masi ... Charubala Chokshi
Ali ... Burt Caesar
Salim ... Shiv Grewal
Jo ... Cal McCrystal
Jade ... Holly McGoldrick
Amber ... Lannah McAdam
Karan ... Christopher Trenfield
Directed at BBC Pebble Mill by Kristine Landon-Smith.
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 1998.

THU 09:00 Quote... Unquote (b098h9dj)
Sally Phillips, Matthew Parris, Kate Williams and Frog Stone
Nigel Rees quizzes a host of guests on the origins of sayings and well-known quotes, and gets the panel to share their favourite anecdotes.
Historian: Kate Williams
Actor and Screenwriter: Frog Stone
Actor and Writer: Sally Phillips
Columnist and Broadcaster: Matthew Parris
Reader: Charlotte Green
Producer: Katie Tyrrell
A BBC Studios production for BBC Radio 4, first broadcast in October 2017.

THU 09:30 Coming Alive (b00j1z93)
Series 3
Star
Sandra is about to move up in the world, while ex-con Terry is putting on a play.
Starring Karl Howman and Phyllis Logan.
Jim Eldridge's sitcom about ex-convict Terry King's efforts to run a community centre.
Terry King Karl Howman
Sandra Gaines Phyllis Logan
Steve Addison Ben Crowe
Mrs McKendrick Sandra Voe
Mr Preston David Holt
Wendy Wilson Clare Corbett
Gail Jennifer Wheelan
Producer: Marilyn Imrie
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in November 2001.

THU 10:00 Charles Dickens (b007jn0g)
The Personal History of David Copperfield
9. My Beloved Dora
Charles Dickens novel dramatised in ten parts.
David and Dora have married, although Dora's delicate health is a constant worry to her devoted husband. Little Emily has been abandoned by Steerforth but she is still missingmeanwhile Mr Micawber, who is now working with Uriah Heep, has something on his mind.
David Copperfield.....Gary Cady
Betsey Trotwood.....Miriam Margolyes
Dora.....Maria Miles
Wilkins Micawber.....Harold Innocent
Mrs Micawber.....Sheila Hancock
Mr Dick.....David Bamber
Uriah Heep.....Phil Daniels
Mrs Heep.....Maria Charles
Peggotty.....Maggie McCarthy
Mr Peggotty.....David Burke
Ham Peggotty.....Timothy Spall
Mrs Gummidge.....Mary Wimbush
Emily.....Joanna Myers
Agnes.....Jane Whittenshaw
Traddles.....Mark Straker
Rosa Dartle.....Jenny Howe
Martha.....Adjoa Andoh
Omer.....Peter Tuddenham
Jip.....Ronald Herdman
Dramatised by Betty Davies
Producer Marilyn Imrie
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in November 1991.

THU 11:00 Desert Island Discs Revisited (m001dx7x)
[Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 on Sunday]

THU 11:30 The Spike Milligan Show (m001dx81)
[Repeat of broadcast at 10:30 on Sunday]

THU 12:00 The Burkiss Way (b00jr7ft)
[Repeat of broadcast at 08:00 today]

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[Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 today]

THU 13:30 Michelle Magorian - Back Home (b011j237)
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THU 14:00 Auntie's War by Edward Stourton (b09ltpkj)
4. George Orwell
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Writer and presenter Edward Stourton is a sharp-eyed and affectionate companion on the BBC's wartime journey, investigating archives, diaries, letters and memoirs to examine what the BBC was and what it stood for.
In this episode, Propaganda, truth and lies and the space between. George Orwell joins the BBC.
These were the years when Auntie (the BBC's enduring nickname) earned a reputation for bossiness. It was also a period of remarkable voices - Churchill's fighting speeches de Gaulle's broadcasts from exile, George Orwell, Ed Murrow, Richard Dimbleby and Vera Lynn.

Created and written by Rob Grant and Andrew Marshall
 Directed by Andrew Marshall
 Produced by Rob Grant and Gordon Kennedy
 An Absolutely production for BBC Radio 4, first broadcast in July 2018.

FRI 07:30 Now You're Asking with Marian Keyes and Tara Flynn (m001dwr4)
 The Invisible Sibling Problem
 Have you reached an age where it seems everything is beginning to annoy you? What should you do if you're a sibling who is invisible to your family? How do you deal with a one-night stand who's now ignoring you at the school gates? All these subjects have been sent in by our listeners and are given the Marian and Tara treatment in the latest instalment of their popular advice podcast.
 The first series was welcomed by listeners and critics.
 "Both are warm and kind enough to not only be funny but also offer genuinely thoughtful, if left-field, advice." (Miranda Sawyer, The Observer)
 "Keyes and Flynn are my new favourite double-act." (Jane Anderson - Radio Times)
 "I found their compassion endlessly soothing." (Rachel Cunliffe - The New Statesman)
 Marian Keyes is a multi award-winning writer, with a total of over 30 million 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 the biggest - and smallest - of their listeners' 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 Share and Share Alike (m000myzl)
 The Film
 A film director wants to make a documentary about the factory where brothers Jack and Lesley work.
 Excited Lesley sees himself as the star, but then the director meets Jack...
 Starring Hugh Paddick and Michael Robbins.
 Series written by Harold Snoad and Michael Knowles.
 Jack Burrows Michael Robbins
 Lesley Burrows Hugh Paddick
 Janice Elizabeth Morgan
 Ron Denis Bond
 Sid Ron Pember
 Film Director Frank Thornton
 Producer John Dyas
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in September 1978.

FRI 08:30 Married (b0081fb3)
 Series 3
 Episode 1
 Things are even stranger now that Robin's two universes have collided - and he's surprised to find himself turning into a nice person...
 Starring Hugh Bonneville.
 Confirmed bachelor Robin Lightfoot dealing with life in a parallel universe where he has kids and an ex-wife who hates him.
 The return of Tony Bagley's comedy drama.
 Robin Hugh Bonneville
 Lesley Josie Lawrence
 Maxine Ann Gosling
 Doctor Kate Robbins
 Alan Christopher Kelham
 Arthur Smith Himself
 Producer: Claire Jones
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in August 2001.

FRI 09:00 The Museum of Curiosity (m0009kz5)
 Series 14
 Episode 4
 Professor of Ignorance John Lloyd and his curator Bridget Christie welcome:
 * Comedian Jen Brister
 * Map expert Edward Brooke-Hitching
 * Comedy writer Jason Hazeley.
 The Museum's Guest Committee donate the Ravel royalties, a land grant to a place that doesn't exist and a microphone.
 Researchers: Mike Turner, Mike Shepherd and Emily Jupitus of QI.
 Producers: Victoria Lloyd and Anne Miller.
 A BBC Studios production for BBC Radio 4, first broadcast in October 2019.

FRI 09:30 Sharing Fatman (b0075kyg)
 Rainbows And Buried Treasure
 The White Swan syndicate meets to vote on selling Mr Fatman. Dreams come true at Ascot and romance blooms amongst the owners.
 Conclusion of Dave Sheasby's horse-racing comedy.
 Margaret Gillian Bevan
 Ken Gerard McDermott
 Eddie Tony Rohr

Karen Tracy-Ann Oberman
 Edward James Taylor
 Madge Angela Wynter
 Julia Becky Hindley
 Donald Fine Time Fontayne
 Director: David Hunter
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in June 1999.

FRI 10:00 Charles Dickens (b007jn0r)
 The Personal History of David Copperfield
 10. I Have Loved You All My Life
 The concluding part of David Copperfield by Charles Dickens. Little Emily has been reunited with Mr Peggotty and Uriah's double dealing has been revealed for all the world to see. But for David there's tragic news about his beloved wife Dora.
 David Copperfield.....Gary Cady
 Betsey Trotwood.....Miriam Margoyles
 Wilkins Micawber.....Harold Innocent
 Mrs Micawber.....Sheila Hancock
 Peggotty.....Maggie McCarthy
 Emily.....Joanna Myers
 Mr Peggotty.....David Burke
 Agnes.....Jane Whittenshaw
 Dora.....Maria Miles
 Traddles.....Mark Straker
 Ham Peggotty.....Timothy Spall
 Mr Wickfield.....Timothy Bateson
 Steerforth.....Andrew Wincott
 Mrs Steerforth.....Irene Sutcliffe
 Rosa Dartle.....Jenny Howe
 David's mother.....Susan Sheridan
 Mr Murdstone.....John Moffatt
 Sophy.....Petra Markham
 Fisherman.....Charles Millham
 Coachman.....Alan Barker
 Boatman.....Norman Jones
 Tenor Jeremy Taylor
 Piano David King
 Dramatised by Betty Davies
 Producer Marilyn Inrie
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in November 1991.

FRI 11:00 The Reunion (b0b0m2lk)
 The Young Ones
 Sue MacGregor reunites five people who made their names in the ground-breaking TV comedy The Young Ones.
 In the early 1980s, the most popular TV comedies were cosy sitcoms like To The Manor Born and Last of the Summer Wine. Live stand-up comedy was largely confined to working men's clubs and seaside resorts. Mother-in-law and Irish gags were still a staple.
 But, in the backroom of a Soho strip club, an underground venue called The Comic Strip emerged. The non-sexist, anti-racist but violent and bolshy acts drew a fashionable crowd. Jack Nicholson and Dustin Hoffman were among the stars in the audience.
 TV producers drew from the performers they saw there for the casting of The Young Ones. The bunch of loud-mouthed scruff bags thrown together as housemates in grotty, tumbledown digs, really broke the mould.
 When The Young Ones was first aired in November 1982, ratings were pitiful. But before long, the show, with its wild slapstick and surreal twists, soon won a dedicated following. Within six months, a second series was on TV and the team had a BAFTA award for their mantelpiece.
 Like the British classic Fawlty Towers, the team decided that The Young Ones should only run for 12 episodes. By then, everyone involved had made their name and alternative comedy became the TV phenomenon of the decade.
 Sue MacGregor is joined by original Young One Nigel Planer who played depressed musician Neil; Chris Ryan who played Mike "The Cool Person"; Alexei Sayle who played members of the Balowski family; Lise Mayer who co-wrote the series with Ben Elton and her then partner actor Rik Mayall; and Stephen Frost who played a number of roles across both series.
 Producer: Karen Pirie
 Series Producer: David Prest
 A Whistledown production for BBC Radio 4, first broadcast in April 2018.

FRI 11:45 David Attenborough's Life Stories (b00zm4j4)
 Series 2
 Earthworms
 Although Charles Darwin is especially well known for his work on the Theory of Evolution through his seminal work "On the Origin of Species", he also published a lot of his research on earthworms.
 Earthworms fascinated Darwin, so much so that his observations led him to believe that they showed marked intelligence. And earthworms fascinate Sir David Attenborough too.
 He recalls a visit to Australia to film the giant earthworm and intriguingly used his ears more than any other sense to find them. What did they sound like and what did they look like? He reveals all.
 Producer: Julian Hector
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in March 2011.

FRI 12:00 Share and Share Alike (m000myzl)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 08:00 today]

FRI 12:30 Married (b0081fb3)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 08:30 today]

FRI 13:00 Dalziel & Pascoe - Exit Lines (m000w6lw)

[Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 today]

FRI 13:30 The House (m001dxxk)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 06:30 today]

FRI 14:00 Auntie's War by Edward Stourton (b09hl19)
 5. Eyewitness Reports
 The BBC is a British institution unlike any other, and its story during the Second World War is also the story of Britain's people.
 Writer and presenter Edward Stourton is a sharp-eyed and affectionate companion on the BBC's wartime journey, investigating archives, diaries, letters and memoirs to examine what the BBC was and what it stood for.
 In this final episode, the BBC's War Reporting Unit comes into being, and correspondent Guy Byam is parachuted behind enemy lines.
 These were the years when Auntie (the BBC's enduring nickname) earned a reputation for bossiness. It was also a period of remarkable voices - Churchill's fighting speeches de Gaulle's broadcasts from exile, George Orwell, Ed Murrow, Richard Dimbleby and Vera Lynn.
 During these extraordinary times, eyewitness testimonies gave a voice to everyone, securing the BBC's reputation as a reliable purveyor of the truth.
 Auntie's War is more than a portrait of an institution at a critical time, it is also a portrayal of the British in wartime and an insight into why we have our broadcast culture today.
 Read by Edward Stourton
 Abridged by Anna Magnusson
 Produced by Pippa Vaughan
 A Loftus production for BBC Radio 4, first broadcast in January 2018.

FRI 14:15 The Citadel (m000462h)
 Series 5
 Episode 5
 Manson is confounded when Denny will not join him in fighting Vaughan for negligence in sub-standard safety at the pit.
 The reason for Denny's reluctance is Lydia Vaughan, whose own health is under threat as Manson discovers the real cause of her tremors.
 Manson George Blagden
 Denny Julian Lewis Jones
 Christine Catrin Stewart
 Lydia Kate Coogan
 Written by Christopher Reason
 Directed by Pauline Harris
 Produced by Gary Brown and Pauline Harris
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in April 2019.

FRI 14:30 The Last Post (b06nq1f6)
 How did a simple British Army bugle call from the 18th century become a sacred anthem of death and remembrance? And how did it spread to the rest of the world, played at the funerals of Gandhi and Nelson Mandela?
 The Last Post started as just one of a couple of dozen bugle calls played every day in a British Army barracks. Then, in the 1850s, it found a new role, played at soldiers' funerals and from there it was extended to be used at memorial services for those who had died in conflict.
 Gradually, it moved beyond the military, played at the funerals of many who had never been in the armed forces, such as Wallace Hartley, bandmaster of the Titanic.
 But it was in the midst of the First World War that The Last Post had its greatest resonance, becoming the obvious soundtrack to remembrance.
 Then, as the British Empire dissolved, it was invariably The Last Post that was sounded as the Union flag was lowered for the final time in former colonies across the world.
 Somewhat bizarrely, it was played to mark the passing of Gandhi and Nelson Mandela; it is still sounded on both sides of the disputed border between India and Pakistan; it was the accompaniment to funerals for both the IRA and the UDA. And it spread beyond the British Empire, to countries like Portugal and Belgium and to their former colonies.
 Now, The Last Post is played in its original incarnation only at the Tower of London, where it is still sounded nightly. But in its role as the music of loss, it has become almost a sacred anthem in an increasingly secular society.
 Alwyn Turner tells the untold story of one of the most famous pieces of music in the world.
 Presenter: Alwyn Turner
 Producer: Ben Crighton
 Editor: Andrew Smith
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 2015.

FRI 15:00 Charles Dickens (b007jn0r)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 today]

FRI 16:00 The Museum of Curiosity (m0009kz5)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 09:00 today]

FRI 16:30 Sharing Fatman (b0075kyg)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 07:00 today]

FRI 17:00 Quanderhorn (b0bbp001)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 07:00 today]

FRI 17:30 Now You're Asking with Marian Keyes and Tara Flynn (m001dwr4)
 [Repeat of broadcast at 07:30 today]

FRI 18:00 Jerome K Jerome - The Dancing Partner (b08tj7rs)
 "All I ask of a partner is that he shall hold me firmly, take me round steadily, and not get tired before I do."
 When a group of young women complain about a lack of dance

partners, a toymaker gets creative...

Jerome K Jerome's eerie tale adapted by Michael and Mollie Hardwick.

Papa Geibel James Hayter

Brendl Rolf Lefebvre

Trudi Sheila Grant

Olga Shirley Cooklin

Colonel Lens Peter Pratt

Hans/Fritz Malcolm Hayes

Irma Patricia Clapton

Hoffmeier Anthony Hall

Wensel Austin Trevor

MacShaugnassy Allan McClelland

Special effects by the BBC Radiophonic Workshop.

Music arranged and conducted by Denya Barlow.

Signature tune by Ron Grainer.

Producer: Charles Lefeaux

First broadcast on the BBC Home Service in January 1963.

FRI 18:30 Musical Genes (b00f5b1x)

Series 1

Lorna Luft

Tom Morton meets Lorna Luft, daughter of Judy Garland, to get the true story of life as the offspring of a legend.

Series searching for the true story behind some of our best loved musicians.

Producer: Deirdre Waldie

First broadcast on BBC Radio Scotland in October 2008.

FRI 19:00 Share and Share Alike (m000myz1)

[Repeat of broadcast at 08:00 today]

FRI 19:30 Married (b0081fb3)

[Repeat of broadcast at 08:30 today]

FRI 20:00 Dalziel & Pascoe - Exit Lines (m000w6lw)

[Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 today]

FRI 20:30 The House (m001dxlk)

[Repeat of broadcast at 06:30 today]

FRI 21:00 The Reunion (b0b0m2lk)

[Repeat of broadcast at 11:00 today]

FRI 21:45 David Attenborough's Life Stories (b00zm4j4)

[Repeat of broadcast at 11:45 today]

FRI 22:00 Now You're Asking with Marian Keyes and Tara Flynn (m001dwr4)

[Repeat of broadcast at 07:30 today]

FRI 22:30 Knowing Me, Knowing You (b007jvc2)

Episode 6

A-ha! Chat show host Alan Partridge welcomes more guests to his sofa:

BBC TV's Commissioning Director, Tony Hayers

TV presenter, Trudy Sky

Fashion Designer, Yvonne Boyd

The maverick, Lord Morgan

With thanks to Alan's chief researcher Steve Coogan.

Assistant researchers:

Patrick Marber

Rebecca Front

Doon Mackichan

David Schneider

Producer: Armando Iannucci

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in December 1992.

FRI 23:00 Mark Thomas: The Manifesto (b00qcn23)

Series 2

Episode 1

Comedian-activist, Mark Thomas creates a People's Manifesto, taking suggestions from his studio audience and then getting them to vote for the best. The winner of each show will be enforceable by law, so pay attention.

This edition includes policies such as restricting Prime Ministers to two full terms of office; the introduction of a maximum wage; and making all 4x4s transparent.

Producer: Ed Morrish

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 2010.

FRI 23:30 James Acaster's Perfect Sounds (p0br1ct2)

Series 2

Fatiha El-Ghorri & Cohen's Final Bow

Fatihah El Ghorri, by her own admission, loves Cliff Richard

and Shrek. So will the mournful, gravelly tones of Leonard

Cohen appeal to her?