#### SATURDAY 28 JANUARY 2023

#### SAT 00:00 Ray Bradbury - The Illustrated Man (b092kztd)

A young traveller encounters a vagrant on the road who claims his tattoos come to life after dark and have the powers of

The vagrant offers his young travelling companion tantalising glimpses into the future with tales of restless androids, children caught up in a sinister game and astronauts stranded in outer space.

They all hint at dark and troubling times ahead...

Starring Iain Glen.

Ray Bradbury's iconic short story, first published in the UK in 1952.

Dramatised by Brian Sibley. ... Iain Glen

The Illustrated Man .... The Youth ..... Jamie Parker

The Tattoo Witch ... ... Elaine Claxton

The Driver ..... Wilf Scolding
Brayling/Brayling 2 ..... Patrick Kennedy

Smith ..... Stephen Hogan Mink ..... Nell Herrin

Mother ..... Heather Craney

Father ..... Clive Hayward

Anna ..... Lucy Hutchinson

Hollis ..... Alec Newman Applegate ..... John P Arnold

Stone ..... Jaimi Barbakoff

Stimson ..... Craige Els

Director: Gemma Jenkins

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in June 2014.

# SAT 01:00 Elizabeth Taylor - In a Summer Season

Kate, a well-heeled widow, causes a sensation in her

conventional community in the late 1950s when she falls for the charms of a younger man.

She attracts both the envy and pity of her family and friends as they speculate whether her new found happiness can last

beyond one golden summer.

Starring Kate Buffery.

Elizabeth Taylor's love-based drama.

Kate ..... Kate Buffery

Dermot ..... Chris Garner

Aunt Ethel ..... June Barrie

Charles ..... Michael Fenton Stevens

Edwina ..... Bonnie Hurren Sir Alfred Bill Wallis

Lou ..... Helen Weaver

Father Blizzard ..... Paul Dodgson

Minty ..... Nicole Arumugam

Tom ..... Ben Tinniswood

Producer: Viv Beeby
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in November 2001.

### SAT 02:00 Father Brown Stories (b00y32hg)

4 The Invisible Man

A murder for Christmas, but the body goes missing. Andrew Sachs stars as GK Chesterton's insightful clerical sleuth.

Father Brown solves the mystery and a young girl proves she wishes to marry someone who will make his own way in the

Starring Andrew Sachs and Olivier Pierre.

Series of GK Chesterton's stories about the insightful clerical

Dramatised by John Scotney

Father Brown ...... Andrew Sachs Flambeau ...... Olivier Pierre

Laura ..... Eileen Tully John Turnbull ..... Anthony Hyde

Isadore ..... Michael Drew

Urchin ..... Melinda Walker

Mrs Wilkins ..... Margot Boyd Police Officer ..

... Peter Acre Directed at BBC Bristol by Alec Reid.

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in January 1985.

### SAT 02:30 Agatha Christie (b01bwfy6)

Sparkling Cyanide

3. Iris

George Barton has died in exactly the same way as his wife did a year earlier, by drinking cyanide-laced champagne.

The second death throws the first verdict of suicide into

Now Colonel Race steps in to investigate..

Conclusion of Agatha Christie's deadly mystery.

Dramatised by Joy Wilkinson. Iris .... Naomi Frederick

Lucilla .... Adjoa Andoh

Anthony ..... Colin Tierney

Ruth ..... Amanda Drew

Stephen ..... James Lailey Sandra ..... Tracy Wiles

Colonel Race .. . Sean Baker

Giuseppe ..... Gerard McDermott

Chloe .... Alex Rivers

Director: Mary Peate

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in February 2012.

SAT 03:00 Unsheltered by Barbara Kingsolver (m0001kbl)

Episode 10

2016: Willa discovers that a person of interest may have lived in

her house in the past.

1875: An infamous shooting takes place in Vineland.

Barbara Kingsolver's novel interweaves the past and the present to explore the human capacity for resilience and compassion in times of great upheaval.

It is a portrait of life in precarious times - when characters

discover that the past has failed to prepare them for the future. Alternating between two centuries, Kingsolver examines the personal and social shocks that ensue when people's

assumptions about the world and their place in it are shaken to their foundations.

Abridged by Sian Preece.

Read by Laurel Lefkow

Producer: Gaynor Macfarlane.

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in December 2018.

SAT 03:15 Curtain Down at Her Majesty's - A Play in Five Acts (m0001w37)

Act V: Rest in Peace

A full military state funeral almost ends in disaster as the Queen's coffin topples on the gun carriage and a royal tradition

Not many get this close to history.

Conclusion of Michael Chaplin's drama about the death of Queen Victoria.

Based on the book Curtain Down at Her Majesty's, an

eyewitness history by Stewart Richards.

For two weeks the nation stopped in its tracks, mesmerised by the mortality of a little old lady who had sat on the throne for over 60 years. Her children squabbled, her doctors quarrelled, her army bickered and the public were misled and kept in the

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Old Winnie Powell ..... Marcia Warren

Interviewer ..... Carl Prekopp

Mary Tuck ..... Wendy Nottingham Young Winnie Powell ..... Lauren Cornelius

Sir James Reid ..... Ross F Sutherland

Sir Frederick 'Fritz' Ponsonby ...... Tom Turner

King Edward VII ..... Gerard McDermott

Almeric Fitzroy ..... Hywel Morgan

Daniel ..... Douglas Clarke-Wood Other parts played by members of the cast

Director: Carl Prekopp

Producers: Lucinda Mason Brown & Stewart Richards

A Stewart Richards / Goldhawk Essential co-production for BBC Radio 4, first broadcast in December 2018.

#### SAT 03:30 Ellie Taylor's Safe Space (m000z1jp)

Series 2 Holidays

Ellie Taylor welcomes you to "Safe Space", a place where anyone can offload their controversial opinions without fear of judgment.

She talks to members of the public about their gripes and dislikes. She hates holidays. Too much faff, too expensive, too exhausting, so why go?

Joining Ella to prove her point is regular sidekick Robin

With special guest: Travel editor of The Independent, Simon Calder who explains why he still believes holidays are the way forward

Written by Ellie Taylor and Robin Morgan.

Produced by Sam Michell

A BBC Studios production for BBC Radio 4, first broadcast in August 2021

### SAT 04:00 Parsley Sidings (b01prccq)

Series 1

The Concert

Can showbiz seduce Station Master Horace Hepplewhite away from the railways?

Starring Arthur Lowe and Ian Lavender.

Jim Eldridge's eponymous series is set in a sleepy railway station.

Horace Hepplewhite .... Arthur Lowe Bert Hepplewhite .... Ian Lavender

Gloria Simpkins .... Liz Fraser Percy Valentine/Bradshaw .... Kenneth Connor

Miss Pennyfeather .... Charlotte Mitchell Re-created Announcements by Keith Skues.

Producer: Edward Taylor

First broadcast on BBC Radio 2 in January 1972.

### SAT 04:30 The Weekend Starts Here (m001hg65)

1. The Leaving of Clapham

Shipcombe Green is a village divided between the villagers and the weekenders.

Six-part sitcom written by Bill Matthews.

Marina .... Diana Hardcastle Terence .... Philip Bretherton Mrs Thorogood .... Gillian Barge Mr Thorogood .... Rupert Vansittart

Christine .... Susan Brown Norman .... Gavin Muir

Felicity .... Gemma Saunders Robbie .... Tim Treloar

Local Boy .... Tom George Local Girl .... Fiona Clarke

Music composed and performed by Terry Davies.

Director: Paul Miller

#### First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in November 1999 SAT 05:00 The Museum of Curiosity (m000mswk)

Episode 3

Professor of Ignorance John Lloyd and his curator Alice Levine

\* Comedian and actor Eddie Izzard

Natural History Museum curator Miranda Lowe

\* Doctor and author Dr Roopa Farooki.

The Museum's Guest Committee donate the centre of the

universe, a jellyfish and a virtual patient. Researchers: Mike Turner and Anne Miller of QI.

Producers: Victoria Lloyd and Anne Miller.

A BBC Studios production for BBC Radio 4, first broadcast in September 2020

#### SAT 05:30 Millport (b0076bn3)

Series 3

Progressive Rock

There's much excitement on the Isle of Cumbrae over a makeover for Millport from a national newspaper.

Irene fears the worst and worries the town's unique charm will be ruined by nosy media-meddlers. Is now really the time for her to leave?

Bittersweet comedy written by and starring Lynn Ferguson.

Barmaid Irene Bruce is 30-something and hankering after a better life on the mainland.

Irene ..... Lynn Ferguson

Moira/Agnes ..... Janet Brown

Alberto/Ferryman/Robert the Dog/Morris ..... Lewis McLeod

Ena/Bunty ..... Gabriel Quigley Minister/Bob ..... Robert Patterson

Dougie ..... Kenneth Bryans

Producer: Lucy Bacon

#### First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in November 2002. SAT 06:00 Beatrix (m001hmy5)

Patricia Routledge stars as Beatrix Potter.

Drama revealing the real-life story of the much-loved children's writer.

Adapted by Patrick Garland and Judy Taylor from the writings,

letters and journals of Beatrix Potter. Music composed by Carl Davies.

Music performed by Osian Ellis and Philippa Davies.

Director Marilyn Imrie

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in February 1998. SAT 07:30 The Language of Kindness by Christie Watson

(Omnibus) (b0b2mr0g) In her illuminating memoir, Christie Watson gives an account

of her 20 year nursing career. At the heart of her intimate portrait of hospital life are the small acts of kindness and compassion that all of us will receive when we inevitably experience illness, whether it be ourselves or our

We accompany Christie when she becomes a student nurse filled with anxiety as she cares for a teenage boy who is about to receive a new heart and lungs.

We'll be there when she qualifies and takes up a post in the Paediatric Intensive Care Unit where the children in her care are especially fragile. As the years progress, we'll discover how Christie's expertise

develops. It's not long before she's mentoring junior nurses, responding to crash calls, and playing a pivotal role in caring for those at the end of their lives and those who are just beginning. As she nears the end of her years as a nurse the tables are turned when her father loses his fight to cancer and she receives the kindness and compassion that underpin what it means to nurse

and to be nursed. Christie Watson was a registered nurse for 20 years before becoming a full time, critically acclaimed and award winning writer. Her first novel, Tiny Sunbirds Far Away won the Costa

Omnibus of five parts abridged by Penny Leicester

First Novel Award.

Read by Teresa Gallagher.

Producer: Elizabeth Allard First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in May 2018. SAT 08:45 Uncle Mort's North Country (b007 il5v)

Dog Days At the allotment, Carter's Uncle Mort sounds off on sunshine, southerners and a smart mutt.

Carter Brandon gets a week off work, so he decides to go on day-trips in his car, with his Uncle Mort, 'where the fancy takes Peter Tinniswood's continuing tales of Carter Brandon and his

curmudgeonly uncle. Uncle Mort and his Yorkshire based family first appeared in Tinniswood's novel 'A Touch Of Daniel'. In addition to radio adaptations, this earned them a run of four

BBC TV series of 'I Didn't Know You Cared' from 1975 to 1979. Uncle Mort .... Stephen Thorne Carter Brandon .... Peter Skellern Narrator .... Christian Rodska

Producer: Pete Atkin First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in December 1987.

SAT 09:00 Ray's a Laugh (m001hmyf)

From 02/10/1959

Starring Ted Ray.
Ray's a Laugh follows the comedy exploits of Ted's life at home

with his 'radio' wife Kitty, as well as in a variety of jobs. It ran

Written by Bernard Botting and Charles Hart.

With: Kitty Bluett

Laidman Browne Kenneth Connor

Pat Coombs

BBC Variety Orchestra conducted by Paul Fenoulhet.

Producer: Leslie Bridgmont

First broadcast on the BBC Light Programme in October 1959. SAT 09:30 The Eric Morecambe and Ernie Wise Show (b01 il8hs)

Series 1

Episode 2

Can marriage guidance counsellor Ernie help an angry couple? Meanwhile, Eric reckons Ern needs to spruce-up his act - so how about writing a musical?

Special singing guest: Salena Jones. Written by Eddie Braben

Anne Hamilton Michael Segal Arthur Tolcher

Music by Dennis Wilson & His Orchestra.

Producer: John Browell

First broadcast on BBC Radio 2 in February 1975.

SAT 10:00 Growing Pains (m00094mn)

2. I Capture The Castle

Grace Dent locks herself in her teenage bedroom and rifles through the BBC Radio archives to celebrate the awkward, emotional, and unfortunately inevitable adolescent experience. She reminisces about the heartbreak and arguments that were an everyday part of her own teenage years growing up in Carlisle

In the second of three episodes, Grace dips into the BBC Archives and come up with one of her favourite depictions of adolescence:

\* 'I Capture The Castle'

The first part of Jane Rodgers' adaptation of Dodie Smith's classic novel, starring Holliday Grainger.

In the ruins of medieval castle, deep in rural 1930's Suffolk, funny, intelligent 17 year old Cassandra Mortmain attempts to capture her family's life in a journal.

From BBC Radio 4 (2015).

Producer: Jessica Treen
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 Extra in October 2017.

SAT 11:00 Beatrix (m001hmy5) [Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 today]

SAT 12:30 The Language of Kindness by Christie Watson (Omnibus) (b0b2mr0g)

[Repeat of broadcast at 07:30 today]

SAT 13:45 Uncle Mort's North Country (b007il5v)

[Repeat of broadcast at 08:45 today] SAT 14:00 Ray's a Laugh (m001hmyf)

[Repeat of broadcast at 09:00 today]

SAT 14:30 The Eric Morecambe and Ernie Wise Show (b01jl8hs)

[Repeat of broadcast at 09:30 today]

SAT 15:00 Growing Pains (m00094mn)

[Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 today]

SAT 16:00 Ray Bradbury - The Illustrated Man (b092kztd)
[Repeat of broadcast at 00:00 today]

SAT 17:00 Beatrix (m001hmy5)

[Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 today]
SAT 18:30 The Language of Kindness by Christie Watson

(Omnibus) (b0b2mr0g)

[Repeat of broadcast at 07:30 today]

SAT 19:45 Uncle Mort's North Country (b007jl5v) [Repeat of broadcast at 08:45 today]

SAT 20:00 Ray's a Laugh (m001hmyf)

[Repeat of broadcast at 09:00 today]

SAT 20:30 The Eric Morecambe and Ernie Wise Show (b01jl8hs)

[Repeat of broadcast at 09:30 today]

SAT 21:00 Growing Pains (m00094mn)

[Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 today]

SAT 22:00 Chris Addison's Civilization (b00dy51z)

Cities and Laws

What are the flaws in the urban democratic system? Continuing his journey through the vast and rich subject of

civilisation, Chris Addison explains exactly what we need to create a new one.

With:

Professor Austin Herring (Geoffrey McGivern)

Jo Enright Dan Tetsell

Producer: Simon Nicholls

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in April 2006.

SAT 22:30 The Penny Dreadfuls (b00gpbcy)

More Brothers Faversham

Maximillian Faversham

The story of Victorian Britain's greatest horror writer.

The comedy trio return with more tales in their swashbuckling family romp.
Written by and starring The Penny Dreadfuls:

Humphrey Ker David Reed Thom Tuck

With:

Miles Jupp

Ingrid Oliver

Script edited by Richard Turner.

Producer: Julia McKenzie

Made for BBC Radio 7 and first broadcast in 2008.

SAT 23:00 Vent (b00t2crk)

Series 1 Switching Off

Ben's doctors wonder if lying in a coma might be making him depressed and they send in the hospital psychiatrist to see him.

This has a surprising effect on Ben, Mary and Mum. Meanwhile Ben's unconscious mind takes him back to his previous experience of therapy - having a row with Mary about their marriage guidance counsellor.

Starring Neil Pearson.

Nigel Smith's dark sitcom about a man in a coma, travelling through the distinctly odd landscape of his own unconscious

Ben Smith ..... Neil Pearson Mary ..... Fiona Allen

Mum ..... Josie Lawrence

Blitzkrieg ..... Leslie Ash

Mark Perry Dave Lamb

Jo Martin Lucy Montgomery

Nicola Walker

Producer: Gareth Edwards

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in August 2006.

SAT 23:30 Old Harry's Game (b007 ivgp)

Series 4

Health and Safety

Hell's latest arrival is a health & safety officer who moans to

Satan about the lighting.

Andy Hamilton's devilishly funny sitcom set in Hell.

Satan .... Andy Hamilton The Professor .... James Grout Thomas .... Jimmy Mulville

Scumspawn .... Robert Duncan Other characters played by:

Felicity Montagu Philip Pope

Nigel Pegram Michael Fenton Stevens Producer: Paul Mayhew-Archer

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in April 2001.

#### SUNDAY 29 JANUARY 2023

SUN 00:00 Robert Holmes - Aliens in the Mind (b007ilti)

2. Hurried Exodus

On the Isle of Luig, Lark and Cornelius are certain the death of Dr Hugh Dexter was no accident.

From his research notes, they diagnose a mysterious island

The key to the mystery seems to be an apparently simple-

minded 18-year-old, Flora Kiery...

Starring Peter Cushing and Vincent Price.

Written by Rene Basilico from an idea by Robert Holmes. John Cornelius .... Peter Cushing

Curtis Lark .... Vincent Price Minister Donald Schooler .... Henry Stamper Shirley Kyle .... Shirley Dixon

Flora Kiery .... Sandra Clarke

Mary .... Irene Sutcliffe Police Sergeant .... Frazer Carr Purser .... Andrew Sear

Producer: John Dyas

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in January 1977.

SUN 00:30 A Sting in the Tale (b0076jlc) 2. Myrtle, Mahonia and Rue by Briony Glassco

In an attempt to escape her recurring nightmares, a young landscape gardener decides on a drastic course of action.

Series of eerie dramas to send a chill up the spine Written by Briony Glassco.

Myrtle .... Rachel Atkins Getty .... Lydia Leonard Mahonia .... Gbemisola Ikumelo

Rue .... Cherie Taylor-Battiste

Director: Marc Beeby First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in January 2004.

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[Repeat of broadcast at 09:30 on Saturday] SUN 05:00 Growing Pains (m00094mn) [Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 on Saturday] SUN 06:00 Poetry Extra (m001hn2q)

Poetry Societies - The British Haiku Society

Poet Daljit Nagra revisits the BBC's poetry archive and selects

Poetry Societies - The British Haiku Society.

Judith Palmer visits the British Haiku Society in Preston to

explore an ancient Japanese verse form

Guests include - Martin Lucas former President of the British Haiku Society.

Producer: Viv Beeby

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in December 2003.

SUN 06:30 Unsheltered by Barbara Kingsolver (Omnibus) (m0001mzq)

1874: Thatcher tries to address the issue of his disintegrating home.

2016: Willa tries to uncover a source of income to shore up her equally rundown house.

Barbara Kingsolver's novel interweaves the past and the present to explore the human capacity for resilience and compassion in times of great upheaval.

It is a portrait of life in precarious times - when characters discover that the past has failed to prepare them for the future. Alternating between two centuries, Kingsolver examines the personal and social shocks that ensue when people's

assumptions about the world and their place in it are shaken to their foundations.

Second omnibus of three abridged by Sian Preece. Read by Patrick Kennedy and Laurel Lefkow.

Producer: Gaynor Macfarlane

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in December 2018.

SUN 07:40 Inheritance Tracks (m001hn2w)

Michel Roux Jr.

Celebrated chef Michel Roux Jr. chooses 'Non, Je Ne Regrette Rien' by Edith Piaf and 'Hiro' by Soprano.

SUN 07:50 Curtain Down at Her Majesty's - A Play in Five

Acts (Omnibus) (m0001wky)
Michael Chaplin's five-act drama about the death of Queen Victoria.

For two weeks the nation stopped in its tracks, mesmerised by the mortality of a little old lady who had sat on the throne for over 60 years.

Her children squabbled, her doctors quarrelled, her army bickered and the public were misled and kept in the dark. This is the remarkable story of Queen Victoria's final days and the chaos and confusion surrounding her funeral, told by those

who were there. Based on the book Curtain Down at Her Majesty's, an

eyewitness history by Stewart Richards.

Omnibus of five parts.

Queen Victoria ..... Brigit Forsyth Old Winnie Powell Marcia Warren

Interviewer ..... Carl Prekopp Mary Tuck ..... Wendy Nottingham

Young Winnie Powell ..... Lauren Cornelius Sir James Reid ...... Ross F Sutherland

Sir Frederick 'Fritz' Ponsonby ...... Tom Turner

Kaiser Wilhelm ..... Hywel Morgan King Edward VII ..... Gerard McDermott

Daniel ..... Douglas Clarke-Wood

Other parts played by members of the cast Director: Carl Prekopp

Producers: Lucinda Mason Brown & Stewart Richards A Stewart Richards / Goldhawk Essential co-production, first

broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in December 2018.

SUN 09:00 The Betty Witherspoon Show (b007jq2v)

From 25/05/1974 Kenneth and Ted take on Wuthering Heights - and there's news

of a mysterious ancient murder...

Kenneth Williams and Ted Ray cross their comedy swords. Characters, songs and sketches galore.

Starring Ted Ray and Kenneth Williams.

With: Miriam Margolyes

Nigel Rees

Music by Neil Innes. Written by Michael Wale and Joe Steeples.

Producer: Simon Brett

First broadcast on BBC Radio 2 in May 1974.

SUN 09:30 Something to Shout About (m00028sr)

Episode 11 Can the advertising team meet the needs of a demanding

kitchen furniture company? "A light-hearted exposé of the advertising world!" Set in a London ad agency called 'Apsley, Addis, Cohen,

Barbican, Blythe, Giddy & Partners'

Written by Myles Rudge with Ronnie Wolfe. Michael .... Michael Medwin Janet .... Fenella Fielding

Mavis .... Joan Sims Maggie .... Eleanor Summerfield

Nicholas .... Nicholas Phipps and Roy Dotrice as most of the other characters

First broadcast on the BBC Light Programme in March 1961. SUN 10:00 Desert Island Discs Revisited (b01ml45g)

Longplay

Mark Gatiss

Writer and author Mark Gatiss reveals his castaway choices

with Kirsty Young.

Producer: Eric Miller

In a specially extended edition for BBC Radio 4 Extra, Mark shares his life story and explains his musical, book and luxury

Mark tells Kirsty how his childhood passions have fuelled his adult creative life. As a boy he says he was drawn towards the macabre and gothic - while his teachers remarked that his school essays resembled scripts for Hammer horror films.

He has written for - and has acted in - Doctor Who; he was one of the creators of The League of Gentlemen and his BBC TV reimagining of Sherlock Holmes has been a huge success

DISC ONE: There is a Light that Never Goes Out - The Smiths DISC TWO: Theme to On Her Majesty's Secret Service - John

DISC THREE: If I Loved You (from the soundtrack to

Carousel) - Shirley Jones and Gordon MacRae

DISC FOUR: Ralph Vaughan Williams's Fantasia on a Theme by Thomas Tallis - The Philharmonia Orchestra conducted by Herbert Von Karajan

DISC FIVE: Beautiful Child - Rufus Wainwright DISC SIX: Come to Me (I Am Woman) - Su Pollard

DISC SEVEN: Yes - McAlmont & Butler

DISC EIGHT: So In Love (from the Broadway cast recording of Kiss Me, Kate) - Marin Mazzie

BOOK CHOICE: Complete Sherlock Holmes - Sir Arthur

Conan Doyle

LUXURY CHOICE: A Victorian bath and hot water

CASTAWAY'S FAVOURITE: So In Love (from the Broadway cast recording of Kiss Me, Kate) - Marin Mazzie

Producer: Leanne Buckle

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in October 2011.

SUN 11:00 Poetry Extra (m001hn2q)

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SUN 21:00 Desert Island Discs Revisited (b01ml45g)

[Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 today]

SUN 22:00 Sean Lock - 15 Storeys High (b09j3dct) Series 1

Episode 2

Sean's bad-tempered, reckless past catches up with him in the shape of a dead swan.

He's still hiding in Flat 76, Elderberry House, Maydew Estate,

failing to keep the world at bay.

Starring Sean Lock

Written by Sean Lock and Martin Trenaman.

Tim Mitchell Tracy-Ann Oberman

Peter Serafinowicz

Martin Trenaman

Script Editor: Robert Fraser-Steele

Producer: Chris Neill

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in November 1999.

SUN 22:30 Chain Reaction (b00tbhhg)

Ronni Ancona interviews Lee Mack

The actress/impressionist and top comic in the tag talk show, where the guest becomes the interviewer in the next show. Ronni Ancona asks Lee Mack about being a Red Rum stable boy, his worst ever gig and his amazing juggling talents. Based on the original 1991 BBC Radio 5 series , Chain Reaction is a simple idea of big name stars from the world of

entertainment interviewing others whose work they appreciate Recorded with an audience, the interviews focus on the life.

career and the passions of the interviewee but often prove to be as revealing about the interviewer.

Producer: Lianne Coop First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in August 2010.

SUN 23:00 The Skivers (b007jq44)

Series 1

Britt Ekland

New age DIY, the wonders of Sweden and Sinatra sings punk. Nick Golson and Tim de Jongh's skilful sketch show with special guest Britt Ekland who's not in the mood for romance. Written and performed by Nick Golson and Tim de Jongh. With:

Mel Giedroyc

Peter Bradshaw

Producer: Jon Naismith

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in April 1994.

SUN 23:30 1966 and All That (b01075px)

The 1940s

The French Resistance struggle to victory under General de Girl.

Hitler gets stuck in a bunker with his Gerbil.

And John Humphrys interviews Winston Churchill. Craig Brown's satirical history of Britain reaches the 1940s.

With: Joss Ackland

Eleanor Bron

Rory Bremner

Ewan Bailey

Margaret Cabourn-Smith

John Humphrys Producer: Victoria Lloyd

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in September 2006.

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MON 04:00 Desert Island Discs Revisited (b01ml45g)

[Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 on Sunday] MON 05:00 Walter de la Mare - Memoirs of a Midget

(m001hn0m) 1. Miss M

The diminutive Miss M struggles to find her place in Victorian society.

A haunting story of love, intrigue and obsession.

Walter de la Mare's surrealistic novel - first published in 1921.

Dramatised in three parts by Stephen Wyatt.

Miss M .... Emma Fielding

Sir Walter Pollacke .... John Church

Pollie .... Melanie Hudson

Young Miss M .... Sian Jenkins

Adam Waggett .... Matthew Morgan Gypsy Woman .... Susan Brown

Mrs Bowater .... Jill Graham

Bates .... John Baddeley

Fanny Bowater .... Sylvestra le Touzel

Dr Phelps .... John Webb Young Man .... David Holt

Harold Crimble .... Keith Drinkel Lady Pollacke .... Maureen O'Brien

Mrs Crimble .... Pauline Letts

Director: Martin Jenkins First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in March 1993

MON 06:00 Father Brown Stories (b00y37bk)

Series 1

5. The Honour of Israel Gow

An eye for an eye and a tooth to satisfy Israel Gow.

Father Brown surveys the remnants of a battered corpse and talks of money.

Starring Andrew Sachs.

Series of GK Chesterton's stories about the insightful clerical sleuth.

Dramatised by John Scotney.

Father Brown ...... Andrew Sachs McCandlish ...... Henry Stamper

Johnstone ...... Graham Blockey

Dacre ...... David Sinclair Mrs MacDonald ...... Ellen McIntosh

Old Jamie ...... James Bryce Barman ...... Guy Holden

Pipe music by Brian Supple.

Directed at BBC Bristol by Alec Reid. First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in January 1985.

MON 06:30 Wimsey (m000bvp2)

Whose Body?

1. The Body in the Bath

Amateur sleuth Lord Peter Wimsey is called to Battersea following the alarming discovery in an architect's bathroom... Ian Carmichael stars as the aristocratic sleuth.

British gentleman detective Lord Peter Wimsey features in a

number of detective novels and short stories by English crime writer, Dorothy L Sayers. Whose Body? was first published in

Classy and sharp-witted, aristocratic amateur sleuth Lord Peter Bredon Wimsey was born in 1890 and educated at Eton and Oxford, before serving in the military during the First World War

Ian Carmichael appeared as Lord Peter Wimsey for BBC Radio from 1973 to 1983, in addition to the BBC TV adaptations that were broadcast between 1972 and 1975

Dramatised in five episodes by Chris Miller.

Lord Peter Wimsey ...... Ian Carmichael

Bunter ..... Peter Jones

Dowager Duchess ..... Patricia Routledge

Mr Phipp ...... Norman Bird Inspector Parker ..... Gabriel Woolf Mrs Phipps ...... Betty Huntley-Wright

Inspector Sugg ..... Stephen Thorne

Producer: Simon Brett First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in December 1973.

MON 07:00 Unsheltered by Barbara Kingsolver (m0001mn2)

Episode 11

1875: Thatcher tries to come to terms with the shooting of Uri Carruth.

2016: Willa's father-in-law, Nick, requests an unusual outing. Barbara Kingsolver's novel interweaves the past and the present to explore the human capacity for resilience and compassion in

times of great upheaval. It is a portrait of life in precarious times - when characters discover that the past has failed to prepare them for the future.

Alternating between two centuries, Kingsolver examines the personal and social shocks that ensue when people's assumptions about the world and their place in it are shaken to

their foundations. Abridged by Sian Preece.

Read by Laurel Lefkow.

Producer: Gaynor Macfarlane. First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in December 2018.

MON 07:15 The Citadel (m0009365)

Series 6

Episode 1

Dr Andrew Manson and his wife Christine are expecting a big

Return of the medical drama set in the 1920s before the creation of the UK's National Health Service.

Based on AJ Cronin's groundbreaking novel. Written by Christopher Reason.

Dr Manson ..... George Blagden

Dr Denny ..... Julian Lewis Jones Christine ..... Catrin Stewart

Angharad ..... Jeanette Percival Director: Gary Brown

Producers: Pauline Harris & Gary Brown First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in October 2019.

MON 07:30 In and Out of the Kitchen (b0680gtv)

Series 4 The Stag

Damien and Anthony celebrate their stag weekend in Dublin when their plans to spend it at the opera are ruined by the

Meanwhile, Ian is tasked with looking after Damien's mother

who is recovering from laser eve surgery. Sitcom charting the life of cookery writer Damien Trench, who

lives in London's Queen's Park with his partner Anthony Damien Trench ...... Miles Jupp

Anthony ..... Justin Edwards Ian Frobisher ..... Philip Fox Mr Mullaney .... Brendan Dempsey

Damien's mother .... Selina Cadell The Waitress .... Alex Tregear Ray Jarrow .... Chris Brand

Chef/Policeman ..... Stephen Critchlow

Written by Justin Edwards. Producer: Sam Michell. First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in September 2015.

MON 08:00 Brothers in Law (b05nhvmw)

Series 1

With Use of Bath Barrister Roger Thursby is caught between a landlord and his tenant.

Henry Cecil's comic legal novel Brothers in Law was first published in 1955.

Adapted for radio by Richard Waring from the BBC TV scripts written by Frank Muir and Denis Norden. Roger Thursby .... Richard Briers

Henry Blagrove .... Richard Waring Sally Mannering .... Ann Davies Grimes .... John Glyn-Jones Mrs Butler .... Patsy Rowlands Wilson .... Robert Dorning

Alec .... Malcolm Hayes Guest stars: Butler .... Deryck Guyler

The Judge .... Nicholas Phipps Restored from BBC Transcription Service tapes - originally edited for sale abroad.

Produced by David Hatch.

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in August 1970.

MON 08:30 Yes Minister (b007jltg)

Series 2

The Greasy Pole

Blending jobs with chemicals makes an explosive mixture for MP Jim Hacker.

Starring Paul Eddington, Nigel Hawthorne and Derek Fowlds. Satirical sitcom centred around hapless MP Jim Hacker and a collection of civil service underlings headed by the

Machiavellian Sir Humphrey Appleby and obsequious Bernard.

Written by Antony Jay and Jonathan Lynn It first ran on BBC TV between 1980 and 1984.

Jim Hacker .... Paul Eddington

Sir Humphrey Appleby .... Nigel Hawthorne Bernard Woolley .... Derek Fowlds Joan Littler, MP .... Brenda Blethyn

Sir Wally Macfarlane .... Freddie Earlle Professor Henderson .... Jerome Willis

Lord Crichton .... Geoffrey Toone

Lady Crichton .... Helena Breck The Protestor .... Helen Atkinson Wood

Newsreader .... Moira Stuart

Adapted for radio by producer Pete Atkin.

First broadcast on Radio 4 in 1984.

MON 09:00 Genius (b0080rmy)

Series 3

Germaine Greer

Lego prisons? A tea tray as a system of measurement?

Dave Gorman asks writer Germaine Greer to select the public's best loopy idea.

Award-winning comedian Dave Gorman and a celebrity guest chew over the ridiculous, unworkable but sometimes go inventions, schemes and policies of the public.

Producer: Simon Nicholls

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in October 2007.

MON 09:30 Double Income, No Kids Yet (b007wzna)

Series 2

Episode 1

After yet another late night on the tiles, Lucy decides it is time for them to shape up and get fit.

But having managed to drag Daniel along with her to gym, how can she then persuade him to leave?

Starring David Tennant and Elizabeth Carling.

Return of David Spicer's comedy drama about modern life and parenthood - as seen through the eyes of two 30-something nonparents.

.. David Tennant Daniel ....

Lucy ...... Elizabeth Carling

. Samantha Spiro Katie ..... . Tony Gardner

Producer: Liz Anstee

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in June 2002.

MON 10:00 Walter de la Mare - Memoirs of a Midget

(m001hn0m)

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MON 14:30 Double Income, No Kids Yet (b007wznq)

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(m001hn0m)

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MON 19:30 Double Income, No Kids Yet (b007wznq)

[Repeat of broadcast at 09:30 today]

MON 20:00 Radiolab (m000v29v)

Slippery Mystery

Radiolab is a Peabody-award winning show about curiosity.

Where sound illuminates ideas, and the boundaries blur between science, philosophy, and the human experience.

Radiolab explores a question that's flummoxed minds from Aristotle to Sigmund Freud: where do eels come from? With Jad Abumrad.

Jad Abumrad and the Radiolab team investigate a strang world.

From WNYC. First broadcast on public radio in the USA in 2020.

#### MON 21:00 Dead Competitive (m001hqlj)

1. A Deliberate Malicious Act

What happens when a dog dies under suspicious circumstance directly after appearing at the world's biggest dog show?

This is an investigation into the death of Thendara Satisfaction, an Irish setter, a superstar show-dog-in-training, and a family member.

Comedian and dog owner Kerry Godliman enters the world of dog showing to discover Thendara Satisfaction, Jagger to his loved ones was poisoned.

His owners believed it could only have happened at Crufts; the greatest dog show in the world.

#### MON 21:35 Acid Dream: The Great LSD Plot (m001hn11)

1. Dream Away

The first episode of an epic story that charts an attempt to start a revolution of the mind, from a Welsh farmhouse

In the 1970s it's estimated that around 60% of the world's LSD came from one place: Wales. This is the story of the Microdot Gang - a rag tag group of chemists, dealers, businessmen and hippy dreamers. They believed that acid had the power to save the world.

Narrated by Rhys Ifans (House of the Dragon, Notting Hill, Harry Potter) and starring Hannah Murray (Game of Thrones, Skins), Acid Dream is written by Welsh playwright Tim Price and features original music from Super Furry Animals frontman Gruff Rhys.

Contains references to drug use.

Written by Tim Price

Narrator.... Rhys Ifans

Christine.... Hannah Murray

Contributors.... Alston Hughes, Stephen Bentley and Catherine

Haves

Original music.... Gruff Rhys

Sound design.... Peregrine Andrews.

Researcher.... Havley Mills

Production Co-ordinator.... Caroline Barlow

Extracts read from The Untold Story of Christine Bott

Producer Tames Robinson A BBC Studios production.

MON 21:55 Inheritance Tracks (b07zfbbm)

Nona Hendryx

The singer Nona Hendryx chooses the spiritual 'Peace in the Valley' by Thomas A Dorsey and 'Strange Fruit' by Abel Meeropol

MON 22:00 Just a Minute (m001hf32)

Series 90

Wordle, Swing Dancing and Broken Resolutions

Sue Perkins challenges Gyles Brandreth, Lucy Porter, Ria Lina and Rhys James to speak for 60 seconds without repetition, deviation or hesitation

The long-running Radio 4 national treasure of a parlour game returns with subjects ranging from Swing Dancing to Wordle. Production co-ordinator: Caroline Barlow

Sound editor: Marc Willcox

Producer: Rajiv Karia A BBC Studios Production

MON 22:30 The Hudson and Pepperdine Show (b007jnz9)

Episode 2

Mel and Vicki have an unexpected visit from their landlord. With more rent owing than they can possibly afford, it looks like Mel will have to pay in kind...

Variety meets sitcom meets sketch show.

Written and performed by Mel Hudson and Vicki Pepperdine.

With: Martin Hyder Jim North

Keith Wickham Script editor: Graeme Garden

Producers: Claire Jones and Helen Williams First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in March 2000. MON 23:00 The News Quiz (m001hg0p)

Episode 5

Andy Zaltzman is joined by Geoff Norcott, Chris McCausland, Isabel Hardman and Maisie Adam. This week they discuss a taxing week for Nadhim Zahawi, a downer week for levelling up, and the small matter of the end of the world.

Hosted and written by Andy Zaltzman with additional material from Alice Fraser, Davina Bentley, Simon Alcock, and

Cameron Loxdale. Producer: Sam Holmes

Executive Producer: Pete Strauss

Production Co-ordinator: Becky Carewe-Jeffries

Sound Editor: Marc Willcox A BBC Studios Production

MON 23:30 Lionel Nimrod's Inexplicable World (b007v2v5) Series 2

The Future

What is the future and why is it kept hidden from us? - when if

we knew what it was we'd at least know if we needed to take a change of pants?

Series two of the cult comedy that answers the questions which

leave other shows scratching their beards. Starring Stewart Lee and Richard Herring.

With:

Rebecca Front

Armando Iannucci And the voice of Tom Baker.

Producer: Sarah Smith

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in July 1993.

#### TUESDAY 31 JANUARY 2023

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(m001hn17) 2. Mr Anon

A haunting story of love, intrigue and obsession in three parts, as the diminutive Miss M struggles to find her place in

Victorian society. Written by Walter de la Mare and first published in 1921.

Dramatised by Stephen Wyatt

2: Mr Anon

Miss M, already trapped by smart London society, finds herself torn between the demands of her obsessive young suitor and the 'evil' Fanny Bowater.

CAST:

Miss M .... Emma Fielding Sir Walter Pollacke .... John Church

Fanny Bowater .... Sylvestra Le Touzel Mr Anon Robert Glenister

Mrs Bowater .... Jill Graham

Lady Pollacke .... Maureen O'Brien Mrs Monnerie .... Anna Massey Harold Crimble .... Keith Drinkel

Flemming .... Sandra James Young Susan Monnerie .... Federay Holmes

Director: Martin Jenkins

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in March 1993 TUE 06:00 Father Brown Stories (b00v9taf)

Series 1

6. The Hammer of God

Retribution that comes from above is not always divine. Nevertheless Father Brown reaches the evil in the heart of the

Starring Andrew Sachs

Series of GK Chesterton's stories about the insightful clerical Dramatised by John Scotney

Father Brown ...... Andrew Sachs Wilfred Boedric ... Bryan Matheson

Dr Westley ...... Ph Norman Boedric .... ..... Phillip Manikum ... Paul Nicholson

Simeon Barnes ..... . Tony Phillips Mrs Thurston ... .. Deborah Paige

PC Barton ...... Robin Summers

Inspector Stow ...... David Sinclair

Josian Risby ....... John Webb Directed at BBC Bristol by Alec Reid. First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in January 1985.

TUE 06:30 Wimsey (m000bwxk) Whose Body? 2. Disappearance of a Financier

Reuben Levy. Is there a link to the body found in the Battersea bathroom?

Ian Carmichael stars as the aristocratic sleuth. Dorothy L Sayers' detective mystery dramatised by Chris

Lord Peter Wimsey follows the trail of missing financier Sir

Lord Peter Wimsey ..... Ian Carmichael

Bunter ..... Peter Jones

Inspector Parker ..... Gabriel Woolf Freddie Arbuthnot .. .. Nigel Lambert

John P Milligan ..... Blain Fairman Graves/Waiter/Scoot ..... Peter Williams

Mabel Price ..... Betty Huntley-Wright Producer: Simon Brett

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in January 1974.

TUE 07:00 Unsheltered by Barbara Kingsolver (m0001mdl)

A novel from Barbara Kingsolver, bestselling author of The Poisonwood Bible, The Lacuna and Flight Behaviour, interweaves the past and the present to explore the human capacity for resilience and compassion in times of great upheaval. It is a portrait of life in precarious times - when characters discover that the past has failed to prepare them for the future.

Alternating between two centuries, Kingsolver examines the personal and social shocks that ensue when people's assumptions about the world and their place in it are shaken to their foundations.

2016: Willa and Tig conspire on a secret mission and there is further bad news about the house.

Abridged by Sian Preece

Read by Laurel Lefkow

Produced by Gaynor Macfarlane

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in December 2018.

TUE 07:15 The Citadel (m000935m)

Series 6

Episode 2

The Citadel by Christopher Reason based on the novel by AJ Cronin.

Christine is ill. Manson and Denny are very concerned

Dr Manson ..... George Blagden Dr Denny ..... Julian Lewis Jones Christine ..... Catrin Stewart Cerys ..... Jeanette Percival

Directed by Gary Brown Produced by Pauline Harris and Gary Brown First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in October 2019.

TUE 07:30 The Architects (b052hffj)

Series 2 Turret

Matt's got a problem with a turret, Sarah's got the clients from hell, Sir Lucien's got family trouble and Tim just got off with his old biology teacher.

Just a regular day at Sir Lucien and Partners.

Comedy set in a struggling architectural practice.

Written by Jim Poyser with Neil Griffiths.

Sir Lucien ..... Geoffrey Whitehead

Tim ..... Alex Carter

Sarah ..... Anna Crilly

Matt ..... Dominic Coleman Jemima Hannah Genesius

Bob ..... David Acton

Jane ..... Jane Slavin

Dave Stephen Critchlow

Director: Toby Swift

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in February 2015.

TUE 08:00 The Goon Show (b007 inth)

Series 7

Shifting Sands

Soldier Neddie Seagoon heads off to the fort at Waziri, which is drifting into peril.

Groundbreaking, surreal BBC radio comedy written by Spike Milligan and Larry Stephens.

Starring:

Peter Sellers

Harry Secombe

Spike Milligan

Jack Train

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: Pat Dixon

First broadcast on the BBC Home Service in January 1957.

TUE 08:30 In the Chair (b007jpw1)

Episode 1

At last mayerick crime reporter, George Cragge is retiring from the BBC to the delight of executives attending his retirement

But his retirement is cut short by an urgent phone call - a serial killer is murdering dentists in London...

Mark Tavener's six-part satirical comedy thriller starring Michael Williams.

George Cragge ..... Michael Williams

DCI Frank Jefferson ..... Barry Foster Prime Minister ..... Hugh Laurie Crichton-Potter ..... Richard Griffiths Martin McCabe ..... John Bird

Charles Prentiss ..... Stephen Fry Marcia Mallon ..... Rebecca Front

Jim Hardie ..... Kenneth Cranham Director of Personnel ..... Geoffrey Whitehead

Chancellor ..... Simon Greehall John ..... Jonathan Keeble Caroline ..... Susie Brann

Max ..... Peter Woodthorpe With Brian Parr, Henrietta Garden, Rachel Atkins, Darren Boyd and Harriet Cass.

Music by Paul Mottram

Producer: Paul Schlesinger

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in June 1998.

TUE 09:00 The Motion Show (b0075rmr)

Series 1

Episode 3

The merits of watching TV - and retiring at the age of 30. Dr Phil Hammond watches over proceedings in the quirky

With Simon Fanshawe, Peter Bradshaw, Brian Sewell and Steve Punt

Producer: Helen Williams

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in November 1998. TUE 09:30 North East of Eden (b01glrp1)

The annual festival of St Marcus brings a host of tourists to Paradise Island, but a mysterious illness threatens the torchlight

Rebecca Front and Joan Sims stars in Peter Kerry's sitcom about a GP living on a remote island off the coast of

Northumbria

Dr Marcia Hulme .... Rebecca Front

Auntie Annie .... Joan Sims Hjorst .... Niall Ashdown Joseph Gates .... James Garbutt Mrs Peevis .... Jean Southern

William .... Sammy Johnson

Ralph .... Stephen Thirkeld Producer: Kathy Smith

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in July 1997.

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TUE 20:00 TED Radio Hour (m001hn9g)

Series 9

What's In A Face?

A journey through fascinating ideas based on talks by riveting speakers on the TED (Technology, Entertainment, Design)

Manoush Zomorodi explores the promise and peril of turning the human face into a digital tool.

First broadcast in the USA on National Public Radio in 2022.

TUE 20:50 Inheritance Tracks (b05s3cfg)

Caroline Quentin

Actress Caroline Quentin inherits Chopin's ballet Les Sylphides and passes on the theme tune from True Romance by Hans 7immer

TUE 21:00 Dead Competitive (m001halm)

2. The Greatest (Dog) Show on Earth

Kerry visits Crufts in Birmingham. The dog show to end all dog

160,00 thousand people, 28,000 dogs, a cash prize of £200. One dog found dead. This episode explores Crufts in all its sparkle and glory, looking

back at its murky history and the participants who compete annually. The scene of the crime is illuminated and we are taken back to

the moment the death was announced on Twitter by accident. A media frenzy ensued - why was the story of a dog's death so delicious to a hungry journalist?

TUE 21:30 Acid Dream: The Great LSD Plot (m001hn9r) 2. The Golden Goose

Episode two of the LSD saga about an attempt to start a

revolution of the mind, from a Welsh farmhouse

Richard Kemp's reputation as a psychedelic chemist grows. And as he and Christine search for a new base for their operation, the Welsh hills beckon.

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Contains references to drug use.

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Christine.... Hannah Murray

Contributors.... Alston Hughes, Stephen Bentley and Catherine Hayes

Original music.... Gruff Rhys

Sound design.... Peregrine Andrews. Researcher.... Hayley Mills

Production Co-ordinator.... Caroline Barlow

Extracts read from The Untold Story of Christine Bott

Producer.... James Robinson

A BBC Studios production.

TUE 22:00 Phil Ellis Is Trying (m0007scd)

Series 2 Mickstown

Phil signs up to a special class at the gym in order to impress Ellie. The class promises to "cleanse your mind gutters". But as it's run by Mick the Chinese Herbalist it's also there to empty your wallet. Meanwhile, Polly has become a community support support-officer. First task: to capture a pigeon that's been terrorising Parbold.

Written by Phil Ellis and Fraser Steele.

Starring:

Phil Ellis as Phil

Johnny Vegas as Johnny

Amy Gledhill as Polly Terry Mynott as J-Dawg/Al Pacino

Katia Kvinge as Ellie Sunil Patel as HO/Follower

and with special guest star Mick Ferry as Mick the Chinese Herbalist

Produced by Sam Michell

A BBC Studios production TUE 22:30 Cabin Pressure (b00m4472)

Series 2 Limerick An interminable flight with a very baffling cargo gives the

charter airline crew the chance to pass the time by alternately

opening their hearts up to each other - and persuading Arthur not to play charades...

Written by John Finnemore.

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

Captain Martin Crieff .... Benedict Cumberbatch

Arthur Knapp-Shappey .... John Finnemore

Producer: David Tyler Made for BBC Radio 4 by Pozzitive productions, and first broadcast in August 2009.

TUE 22:55 The Comedy Club Interviews (m001hwq4) Jack Docherty 1/3 From 10.00pm until midnight, seven days a week, the Comedy Club has two hours of comedy. Plus Paul Garner chats to Jack

Docherty.

TUE 23:00 The Consultants (b060qsl2)

Episode 3

Galileo is too busy to party with the Pope.

Cerebral sketch show written by and starring Neil Edmond, Justin Edwards and James Rawlings.

Producer: Will Saunders First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in November 2005.

TUE 23:30 The Mark Steel Solution (b007k2jk) Series 4

The radical comedian explains why life is getting harder, and proposes how we can all fight back.

Comedian Mark Steel provides alternative solutions to our everyday problems

Written and performed by Mark Steel and Pete Sinclair. With Maria McErlane and Kim Wall.

Producer: Phil Clarke

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in September 1996.

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3. The Circus

A haunting story of love, intrigue and obsession in three parts, as the diminutive Miss M struggles to find her place in Victorian society.

Written by Walter de la Mare and first published in 1921. Dramatised by Stephen Wyatt

3. The Circus

Miss M's determination to be free leads her into the world of the circus and danger.

Miss M ... Emma Fielding

Sir Walter Pollacke .... John Church

Mrs Monnerie .... Anna Massey

Susan Monnerie .... Federay Holmes

Fanny Bowater .... Sylvestra Le Touzel

Mr Anon .... Robert Glenister

Captain Valentine .... David Holt

Percy Maudlen .... Charles Simpson

Adam Waggett .... Matthew Morgan

Gypsy Woman .... Susan Brown

Showman .... John Junkin

Mrs Bowater .... Jill Graham

Director: Martin Jenkins

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in March 1993

WED 06:00 Father Brown Stories (b00yb1z9)

Series 1

7. The Sins of Prince Saradine

Father Brown and Flambeau cross a Norfolk lake to meet an Italian with a dark history, and exchange dreams with an old adversary.

Starring Andrew Sachs and Olivier Pierre.

Series of GK Chesterton's stories about the insightful clerical sleuth.

Dramatised by John Scotney.

Father Brown ...... Andrew Sachs

Flambeau ...... Olivier Pierre Mr Paul ...... Garard Green

Mrs Anthony ...... June Barrie

Saradine ...... Roger Hammond

Italian ...... Robin Summers

Norfolk Tough ...... Peter Acre Directed at BBC Bristol by Alec Reid.

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in January 1985.

WED 06:30 Wimsey (m000bxls) Whose Body?

3. Lunch at Lady Swaffham's

Lord Peter Wimsey visits Salisbury in his quest for more clues in the mystery of a murder and a missing financier.

Ian Carmichael stars as the aristocratic sleuth.

Dorothy L Sayers' detective mystery dramatised by Chris Miller

Lord Peter Wimsey ..... Ian Carmichael

Bunter ..... Peter Jones Dowager Duchess ..... Patricia Routledge

Inspector Charles Parker ..... Gabriel Woolf

Mr Crimplesham ..... Richard Goolden Mr Thipps ..... Norman Bird

John P Milligan ..... Blain Fairman

Lady Swaffham ..... Elizabeth Revill

Coroner ..... David Sinclair

Producer Simon Brett First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in January 1974.

WED 07:00 Unsheltered by Barbara Kingsolver

Episode 13

A novel from Barbara Kingsolver, bestselling author of The Poisonwood Bible, The Lacuna and Flight Behaviour, interweaves the past and the present to explore the human capacity for resilience and compassion in times of great upheaval. It is a portrait of life in precarious times - when characters discover that the past has failed to prepare them for the future.

Alternating between two centuries, Kingsolver examines the personal and social shocks that ensue when people's assumptions about the world and their place in it are shaken to their foundations

1870s: Thatcher has to choose sides - with terrible

consequences.

2016: Willa and Tig go on their secret mission.

Abridged by Sian Preece

Read by Patrick Kennedy and Laurel Lefkow Produced by Gaynor Macfarlane

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in December 2018.

WED 07:15 The Citadel (m00094hq)

Episode 3

The Citadel by Christopher Reason based on the novel by AJ

Cronin.

A brutal solution has been applied to Christine's situation. Manson and Denny are appalled. Meanwhile Manson finds out

about Cerys's family situation. Dr Manson ..... George Blagden

Dr Denny ..... Julian Lewis Jones

Christine ..... Catrin Stewart

Cerys/Myfanwy ..... Jeanette Percival

Pritchard ..... Stephen Marzella Rev James ..... John Branwell

Directed by Gary Brown

Produced by Pauline Harris and Gary Brown

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in October 2019.

WED 07:30 Women Talking About Cars (b084xr59)

Series 1 Sarah Millican

Victoria Coren Mitchell interviews famous women about their lives through the cars they have known, the journeys they've

been on and the things they shout in traffic. Sarah Millican reminisces about her Dad's long lost Granada and describes a traffic jam that lead to some desperate measures...

With car descriptions read by Josette Simon

Produced by Gareth Edwards

A BBC Studios Production for BBC Radio 4, first broadcast in December 2016.

WED 08:00 Hancock's Half Hour (b007k0xt)

Series 1

The End of the Series

The Lad himself and the gang reminisce over how they first all

first met.

Starring Tony Hancock. With Moira Lister, Bill Kerr, Sidney James and Kenneth

Williams

Written by Ray Galton and Alan Simpson.

Theme and incidental music composed by Wally Stott. Recorded by the BBC Augemented Revue Orchestra conducted

by Harry Rabinowitz. Producer: Dennis Main Wilson

First broadcast on the BBC Light Programme in February 1955. WED 08:30 Flying the Flag (b00wmnvf)

Series 3

A Loss of Marbles

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

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

"Like beads sir?"

"Like standards William..."

Series 3 of Alex Shearer's Eastern bloc embassy sitcom. HM Ambassador Mackenzie .... Dinsdale Landen

William Frost .... Peter Acre

Helen Waterson .... Moir Leslie Colonel Surikov .... Christopher Benjamin

Producer: Neil Cargill

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in December 1990. WED 09:00 It's Not What You Know (b01ckr46)

Series 1

"The Thick Of It" star, Rebecca Front, Fast Show actor and comedian, Simon Day, and award-winning Geordie comic, Jason Cook nominate one of their intimate circle to answe questions about their relationship, to try and prove how well

they know them. With Miles Jupp chairing - if the panel can predict the

responses their nominees gave, they get points. Rebecca thinks she knows her father, Charles Front, a retired illustrator and calligrapher, pretty well. Simon examines his relationship with best friend, Conrad Butlin, a stylist from Notting Hill in London, And Jason plumps for his mother, Pat, a recruitment consultant from Hebburn in Newcastle - and, it

turns out, something of a Loose Women fan.. Producer: Sam Michell.

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in March 2012.

WED 09:30 A Square of One's Own (m001hqlq) The Great War

Artistic passions simmer between Lytton Strychnine, Virginia Woof and Vita Sockville-Pest.

Ivan Shakespeare's four-part comedy series based on the life and times of the Bloomsbury Group.

Lytton Strychnine .... Toby Longworth

Mrs Virginia Woof .... Sally Grace Johnny Maynard Coins .... Nicholas Hardy

Mr Clive Pill .... Matthew Bell Mrs Vanessa Pill .... Sarah Parkinson

Mrs Vita Sockville-Pest .... Joanna Brookes

Hans Schwartzmeister .... Jonathan Aris Scout, The Operator, The Postman, The Butler, The Newsboy, Gallery Factotum and Lieutenant Dillimore .... Chris Emmett

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

WED 10:00 Walter de la Mare - Memoirs of a Midget (m001hnb3)

[Repeat of broadcast at 05:00 today]

WED 11:00 Father Brown Stories (b00yb1z9)

[Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 today] WED 11:30 Wimsey (m000bxls)

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[Repeat of broadcast at 09:00 today] WED 19:30 A Square of One's Own (m001hqlq)

[Repeat of broadcast at 09:30 today] WED 20:00 Archive on 4 (m000c2w6)

Peak Hype

Is it, the essential grease for the wheels of commerce, signifiers to the malaise of the modern age, or indispensable tool to make yourself heard?

Hype or hyperbole is many things to many people and in one way or another it can be argued that it deeply affects us all. It played havoc with presenter Murray Lachlan Young. Once hyped as the million-pound poet, it all got out of control and he

ended up seeking refuge in a wood - for three years! Murray has been interested in hype ever since. Where does it come from? Can it be controlled? Is it always bad, and what does it say about public discourse and ideas when, to be heard,

it often seems you are compelled to shout loudest? Murray explores the archive, reaching back to the First World War and the man who evolved the techniques which were used by others to persuade people to do almost anything - from fun things like buying more stuff than you need, to acquiescing in the murder or imprisonment of their friends and neighbours. Hype was at heart of governments' post-war reconstruction strategies and powered everything from Beatlemania, punk, the celebrity obsession and the sunny uplands of the consumer society, where brands nosily competed for our attention and our

It may have been loud but it wasn't 'peak'. It has taken the invention of the smart phone to put a hype superhighway in our

Murray speaks to PR stars Lynne Franks, Mark Borkowski and Simon Evans and cultural commentators Richard Wharton and Darla Jane Gilroy and asks have we reached 'peak hype' and

what does that mean?

Producer: Kevin Mousley

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in December 2019. WED 21:00 Dead Competitive (m001hxtm)

rivalries and rewards of winning Crufts.

Means, Motive, Opportunity. Kerry applies the principles of Human homicide investigation to this four-legged mystery. She considers the line-up of suspects and asks Cui Bono? (To

Whom Is It A Benefit?) Enlisting the help of a professional Pet Detective, Kerry speaks to people who there at Crufts and digs deep into the motivation of who might want Jagger eliminated. She considers the

Fame, film, dog-modelling plus the real money in winning is that it increases the dog's value as a breeder. WED 21:30 Acid Dream: The Great LSD Plot (m001hndk)

Episode three of the LSD saga, charts the launch of Operation Julie - an unprecedented police operation which aims to bring down the Microdot Gang. For detective Stephen Bentley it means a life-changing mission, as he's sent deep undercover.

to become a hippy. In the 1970s it's estimated that around 60% of the world's LSD came from one place: Wales. This is the story of the Microdot Gang - a rag tag group of chemists, dealers, businessmen and hippy dreamers. They believed that acid had the power to save the world.

Narrated by Rhys Ifans (House of the Dragon, Notting Hill, Harry Potter) and starring Hannah Murray (Game of Thrones, Skins), Acid Dream is written by Welsh playwright Tim Price and features original music from Super Furry Animals

frontman Gruff Rhys. Written by Tim Price

Narrator.... Rhys Ifans

Christine.... Hannah Murray

Contributors.... Alston Hughes, Stephen Bentley and Catherine

Original music.... Gruff Rhys Sound design.... Peregrine Andrews. Researcher.... Hayley Mills

Production Co-ordinator.... Caroline Barlow Extracts read from The Untold Story of Christine Bott

Producer.... James Robinson

A BBC Studios production.
WED 21:55 Inheritance Tracks (b0b90cgq)

Bruce Dickinson

The Iron Maiden singer, pilot and fencer chooses 'Child in Time' by Deep Purple and 'Fire' by the Crazy World of Arthur

#### WED 22:00 Conversations from a Long Marriage (m000rdlm)

Series 2

If You Go Away

Conversations from a Long Marriage is a two-hander, starring Joanna Lumley and Roger Allam, as a long-married couple who met in the Summer of Love and are still passionate about life, music and each other. We listen to - and empathise with - their dangling 'conversations' covering everything from health scares, jealousy and confessions, to TV incompatibility and sourdough bread.

In EPISODE 4, Joanna has a health scare and tells Roger that she's frightened they'll both die before HS2 is completed and 'I don't want to be in a world if we are not in it.' He struggles to respond with a sensible answer. Then they both receive very bad

Written by Jan Etherington, Produced and directed by Claire Jones. Production co-ordinator Beverly Tagg. A BBC Studios Production

#### WED 22:30 Mark Watson Makes the World Substantially Better (b00kn8k7)

Series 1

Sloth

Mark Watson investigates sloth as he continues his quest to free us from the seven deadly sins via stand-up comedy.

Tim Key and Tim Minchin provide sketches, songs and jealous glances.

Producer: Katie Marsden

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in March 2007 WED 23:00 I've Never Seen Star Wars (b04vkl9j)

Ann Widdecombe

Marcus Brigstocke persuades his guests to try new experiences starting with politician Ann Widdecombe.

Ann tries camping in a tent for the first time and watches as much of The Thick Of It as she can stand on TV.

Marcus also offers Ann the chance to drink a Jagerbomb - but will she accent?

Director: Bill Dare

First broadcast on BBC Radio in December 2014.

WED 23:30 Ivor Cutler - Cutler the Lax (b040hrx4) Episode 3

Legendary Scottish surrealist Ivor Cutler samples the archives and enjoys some Marabut music and a jolly Japanese ditty With Fiona MacDonald.

Producer: Mark Savage

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in August 1991.

WED 23:45 I, Regress (b0194n33)

Episode 2

A dark, David Lynch-ian comedy, ideally suited for an unsettling and surreal late night listen. 'I, Regress' sees Matt Berry (The IT Crowd, Garth Marenghi's Dark Place, Snuff Box) playing a corrupt and bizarre hypnotherapist taking unsuspecting clients on twisted, misleading journeys through their subconscious.

Each episode sees the doctor dealing with a different client who has come to him for a different problem (quitting smoking, fear of water, etc). As the patient is put under hypnosis, we 'enter' their mind, and all the various situations the hypnotherapist takes them through are played out for us to hear. The result is a dream- (or nightmare-) like trip through the patient's mind, as funny as it is disturbing.

Episode 2: Robin Hood - no relation - comes to Dr Matt Berry with a fear of spiders. The diagnosis seems to be that this may all be down to an unusually potent encounter between an arachnid and a South African grandmother.. Featuring Simon Greenall (I'm Alan Partridge) and Jack Klaff (For Your Eyes Only, Star Wars).

The cast across the series include Katherine Parkinson (IT Crowd), Morgana Robinson (The Morgana Show), Simon Greenall (I'm Alan Partridge), Jack Klaff (Star Wars, For Your Eyes Only), Tara Flynn (The Impressions Show, Stewart Lee's Comedy Vehicle), Alex Lowe (Barry From Watford, The Peter Serafinowicz Show), and Derek Griffiths (Playschool, Bod, and The Royal Exchange).

A compelling late night listen: tune in and occupy someone else's head!

Producer: Sam Bryant

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 2012.

#### THURSDAY 02 FEBRUARY 2023

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THU 04:00 It's Not What You Know (b01ckr46)

[Repeat of broadcast at 09:00 on Wednesday]

THU 04:30 A Square of One's Own (m001hqlq)

[Repeat of broadcast at 09:30 on Wednesday]

THU 05:00 Nora Webster by Colm Toibin (m000b5hr)

1. Struggles

In late '60s Ireland, Wexford woman Nora Webster is grieving for her husband Maurice. She's just 40, still wounded by their last weeks in hospital and now a single parent to four children. While her girls are away at school and college, Nora and the boys do their best at home, finding it hard to connect to one other. Nora's world shrinks around her, forcing her back to the job she did as a young woman before marriage and children. Gradually, tentatively, through music and friendship, Nora begins to find hope again.

Colm Tóibín's powerful bestselling novel stars Siobhan McSweeney (Derry Girls) leading a stellar Irish cast. Dramatised in two-parts by BAFTA winning screenwriter Adrian Hodges.

Nora Webster ..... Siobhan McSweeney

Aunt Josie ..... Brid Brennan Una ..... Norma Sheahan Catherine ..... Ruth Bradley Jim Webster ..... Gary Lilburn

Mick Sinnott ..... Edward MacLiam William Jnr ..... Paul Reid Fiona ..... Sophie Robinson

Aine ..... Lauren Coe Conor ..... Sinead McGee Donal ..... Tommy Harris Sister Thomas Iessica Turner Peggy Gibney ..... Heather Craney

Other parts were played by the cast. Bestselling and critically acclaimed novelist Colm Tóibín is perhaps best known for Brooklyn (which became a film starring

Saoirse Ronan) and The Master.

Director: Allegra McIlroy A BBC Northern Ireland production for BBC Radio 4, first broadcast in November 2019.

THU 06:00 Only the Good Die Young (b007in17)

1. Killed?

When Kim Drake's fiance is killed on their wedding day, the authorities agree on suicide. But why would computer expert Mike kill himself on his wedding day? Could it be connected to his decision to walk out of his sensitive job at Peregrine

Communications Systems?

Shaun Prendergast's techno thriller in six-parts. CAST:

Kim Drake .... Siriol Jenkins Mike Fisher .... Neil Roberts

Anne .... Kate Binchy Frank .... Shaun Prendergast Miss Gee .... Ann Davies

Stone .... Kenneth Cranham Todd .... Jack Klaff

DI Dear .... Eric Alan DS Love .... Jonathan Tafler

John Maschler .... Terence Edmond Emma/Nurse Lewis .... Caroline Strong

Mary/WPC .... Nicola Boyce Directed by Adrian Bean

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 1992.

THU 06:30 Wimsey (m000c0lp)

Whose Body?

4. Shellshock

When his traumatic past returns to haunt Lord Peter Wimsey, it prompts him to probe a little deeper into an important witness. Ian Carmichael stars as the aristocratic sleuth.

Dorothy L Sayers' detective mystery dramatised by Chris Miller

Lord Peter Wimsey ..... Ian Carmichael

Bunter ..... Peter Jones

Dowager Duchess ..... Patricia Routledge Sir Julian Freke ..... Bernard Archard Inspector Parker ..... Gabriel Woolf

Cummings ..... Peter Tuddenham Producer: Simon Brett

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in January 1974. THU 07:00 Unsheltered by Barbara Kingsolver (m0001m7k)

A novel from Barbara Kingsolver, bestselling author of The Poisonwood Bible, The Lacuna and Flight Behaviour, interweaves the past and the present to explore the human capacity for resilience and compassion in times of great upheaval. It is a portrait of life in precarious times - when characters discover that the past has failed to prepare them for the future.

Alternating between two centuries, Kingsolver examines the personal and social shocks that ensue when people's assumptions about the world and their place in it are shaken to their foundations

2016: Ultimately, Willa can't save her house but there is good news and hope for the future.

Abridged by Sian Preece

Read by Laurel Lefkow

Produced by Gaynor Macfarlane

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in December 2018.

THU 07:15 The Citadel (m00094kv)

Series 6

The Citadel by Christopher Reason based on the novel by AJ Cronin.

Denny and Manson bring Christine back home.

Dr Manson ..... George Blagden

Dr Denny ..... Julian Lewis Jones

Pritchard .. .. Stephen Marzella

Directed by Gary Brown

Produced by Pauline Harris and Gary Brown

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in October 2019. THU 07:30 Sara Pascoe: The Modern Monkey (b09ry6k4)

Series 1 Murder

Sara Pascoe sets out to explore our modern social world though theories of Evolutionary Psychology and more.

How does our monkey past influence our modern lives? How come we can still get emotionally hijacked by our

primitive emotions? Murder fascinates and intrigues as much as it repels us. Happily the human animal is much more of a pacifist than lots of our other mammal relations, including meerkats (the adverts

have lied to us). But even the most patient among us has probably been driven to murderous thoughts on occasion,

especially when your sister steals your clothes. From sibling rivalry, to pair bonding this is an informative and hilarious look at one of the darker aspects of human behaviour. Recorded on location at The RAF Museum, Colindale,

Written by and starring Sara Pascoe

Producer: Alexandra Smith A BBC Studios production for BBC Radio 4, first broadcast in

February 2018. THU 08:00 The Men from the Ministry (b012b8hx)

Fowl Play
The blundering bureaucrats learn not to put all their eggs in one in-tray.

A weekly tribute to all those who work in government departments.

CAST:

Lennox-Brown .... Dervck Guyler

Lamb .... Richard Murdoch

Mildred .... Norma Ronald

Sir Gregory Pitkin .... Ronald Baddiley Other parts played by John Graham

Written by Edward Taylor and John Graham. 'The Men from the Ministry' ran for 14 series between 1962 and 1977. Deryck Guyler replaced Wilfrid Hyde-White from

1966. Sadly many episodes didn't survive in the archive, however the BBC's Transcription Service re-recorded 14 shows in 1980 - never broadcast in the UK, until the arrival of BBC

Radio 4 Extra. Producer: Edward Taylor

First broadcast on the BBC Radio 4 in August 1972. THU 08:30 The Marx Brothers' Flywheel, Shyster and Flywheel (b0080jsp)

Series 2

Episode 1

Shady lawyer, Waldorf T Flywheel needs patients - in his latest scam as a doctor.

Recreation of the Marx Brothers' lost shows charting the adventures of shady lawyer Waldorf T Flywheel and his assistant, Emmanuel Ravelli, Originally broadcast with sponsors on America's NBC radio network in the 1930s. The scripts were rediscovered in 1988.

Groucho Marx as Waldorf T Flywheel ..... Michael Roberts Chico Marx as Emmanuel Ravellias ..... Frank Lazarus With Lorelei King, Graham Hoadly and Vincent Marzello. Written by Nat Perrin and Athur Sheekman. Adapted by Mark Brisenden.

Music arranged and conducted by David Firman.

Producer: Dirk Maggs First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in May 1991.

THU 09:00 Booked (b08lxzg6)

Series 5

Episode 2

From David Niven to the Teletubbies

Dillie Keane, Roger McGough, David Stafford and Arthur Smith run riot through the halls of popular literature. All unrestrained by the hand of chairman Ian McMillan.

Producer: Viv Beeby

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in December 1998.

THU 09:30 Mary Wesley - The Vacillations of Poppy Carew (m001hp1j)

4. A Dreadful Mistake? What can you feel about a country where no-one notices when they run over a dog?

Poppy does notice, and her trip to North Africa seems a dreadful mistake.

Mary Wesley's novel in a six-part dramatisation.

Poppy Carew .... Beatie Edney

Mustafa .... Raad Rawi

Edmund .... Matthew Morgan

Waiter .... Malcolm Ward Willy Guthrie .... Kim Wall

Calypso Grant .... Mary Wimbush

Minister for Tourism .... Michael Halphie Venetia Collyer .... Elaine Claxton

Penelope Lucas .... Frances Jeater

Mary .... Kate Maravan

Woman .... Vivienne Rochester Passenger .... David Jarvis

Director: Jane Morgan

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in July 1994.

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THU 19:00 Booked (b08lxzg6)

[Repeat of broadcast at 09:00 today]

THU 19:30 Mary Wesley - The Vacillations of Poppy Carew

(m001hp1j) [Repeat of broadcast at 09:30 today]

THU 20:00 Growing Pains (m00094mn)

[Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 on Saturday]

THU 21:00 Dead Competitive (m001hxxt)

4. White Gold

Kerry discovers the world of breeding dogs, the art of pedigree dog naming and the money exchanged for specific dogs. She goes on to look at the relationships within the (Irish) Setter world and the international semen trade.

Rhodesian Ridgeback breeder Dorothy tells the story of her prize stud dog, who was shot to death next to a children's playground in Belgium. Is Europe where we Kerry should head next?

#### THU 21:30 Acid Dream: The Great LSD Plot (m001hp1r) 4. Counting Sheep

Episode four of the LSD saga about an attempt to spark a revolution of the mind, from a Welsh farmhouse. As the police surveillance operation grows, the noose tightens around Richard and Christine and their standards begin to slip. Can they hold

onto the 'good life' they've built in Wales? In the 1970s it's estimated that around 60% of the world's LSD came from one place: Wales. This is the story of the Microdot Gang - a rag tag group of chemists, dealers, businessmen and hippy dreamers. They believed that acid had the power to save the world.

Narrated by Rhys Ifans (House of the Dragon, Notting Hill, Harry Potter) and starring Hannah Murray (Game of Thrones, Skins), Acid Dream is written by Welsh playwright Tim Price and features original music from Super Furry Animals frontman Gruff Rhys.

Contains references to drug use.

Written by Tim Price

Narrator.... Rhys Ifans

Christine.... Hannah Murray

Contributors.... Alston Hughes, Stephen Bentley and Catherine

Hayes Original music.... Gruff Rhys

Sound design.... Peregrine Andrews. Researcher.... Hayley Mills

Production Co-ordinator.... Caroline Barlow

Extracts read from The Untold Story of Christine Bott

Producer.... James Robinson A BBC Studios production.

THU 22:00 Prepper (m00026x2)

Series 1

Bugging Out

Comedy with Sue Johnston and Pearl Mackie.

Trump. ISIS. The Courgette Crisis. Signs of civilisation's fragility are all around. No wonder the Doomsday Clock just nudged closer to midnight. In this fearscape, more and more ordinary people are wondering how they'd cope if everything we take for granted (law and order, access to healthcare, iceberg

lettuces in Sainsburys) was taken away. Preppers - a large and rapidly growing global community - have taken this thought one step further. They're actively skilling-up, laying down supplies and readying themselves for the end of the world, in whatever form it comes. Indeed, a prepping shop just opened in Newquay. And if people in Cornwall are prepping, it's time to worry.

Imagine if Woman's Hour made a podcast about preparing for the end times. Prepper follows neurotic, debt-ridden Rachel and hard-as-nails 'Churchill in Spanx' Sylvia, working class

Mancunians who prep and podcast, sharing knowledge with their community, and showing off just how Armageddon-ready

Told through their podcasts from Sylvia's garage and featuring 'apoco-tips', 'end of days drills' and interviews with preppers from around the world, Prepper comically explores how two mismatched women live with the possibility of the end of days, and how they bond over their determination to survive. And fend off zombies.

Cast:

Sylvia ..... Sue Johnston

Rachel ..... Pearl Mackie

Calhoun ..... Simon Holland Roberts

Written by Caroline Moran and James J. Moran

Producer: Steve Doherty

A Giddy Goat production for BBC Radio 4

THU 22:30 Big Problems with Helen Keen (b05xh31b)

Death

The biggest problem of them all - death.

From praying for life everlasting to uploading our minds into a giant cloud of data - is there anything at all we can do to avoid

Comedy series that explores the triumphs and disasters of human ingenuity.

Helen Keen together with co-stars Peter Serafinowicz and Susy

Kane look at the biggest problems that have faced our species since the dawn of time, and describe humanity's incredible and sometimes absurd solutions

Written by Helen Keen and Miriam Underhill

Producer: Gareth Edwards

A BBC Radio Comedy production for BBC Radio 4 first broadcast in June 2015.

THU 22:55 The Comedy Club Interviews (m001hwqg) Jack Docherty 2/3

From 10.00pm until midnight, seven days a week, the Comedy Club has two hours of comedy. Plus Paul Garner chats to Jack Docherty.

THU 23:00 Athena's Cancel Culture (m000v2r3) Episode 2

Over the last few years, if a celebrity has ever said or done anything remotely controversial, then they've probably been cancelled. Largely performed through social media, some describe it as necessary evil to help democratise the internet and reflect the expectancy of an artist's audience, for others it's just a chance to shut up gobby celebs!

Whatever your view, it certainly helps empower fans by diminishing celebrity cultural capital and helping keep their egos and opinions in check. It's a growing phenomenon that's left almost no one unscathed, from comedians and actors to musicians and TV hosts. It's also happening to the not so famous - remember the bin cat lady?

With stand up and sketch comedy, Athena explores cancel culture and the world of offence in modern times. Over four episodes, Athena will help explain the phenomenon of cancel culture among celebrities, look at the history of offence, and offer up some cancel rules for guidance. Athena then puts all that cancel knowledge to the test on her own social media activity from 10 years ago. There's just no escape from cancel culture justice, even for Athena!

Writer and Performer: Athena Kugblenu

Support cast: James McNicholas and Jamie-Rose Monk

Producer: Gus Beattie A Gusman production for BBC Radio 4, first broadcast in April

2. Empowerment By Default

2021. THU 23:15 Helen Lederer - All Change (b0bk4fm9)

Inspired by her entrepreneurial sister, Helen decides it's never Supported by bbc.co.uk/programmes/

too late to embark upon a major business venture.

Helen Lederer takes a lighter look at women growing old disgracefully

Written by and starring Helen Lederer

Phil .... Stephen Moore

Yolanda .... Tracy-Ann Oberman

George .... Tom George Other parts played by member of the cast

Producer: Sally Avens First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 2001.

THU 23:30 Liam Williams: Ladhood (b09b0wbn)

Series 2 Episode 4

Comedian Liam Williams recounts his youthful misadventures in this autobiographical sitcom. Episode four finds Liam postgraduation and back in his parent's house while his girlfriend enjoys the trip of a lifetime on the other-side of the world. Adjusting to the real world won't be easy.

Ladhood is written and performed by Liam Williams and starred.

Al Roberts Emma Sidi Freya Parker Kieran Hodgson

Paul G Raymond Sally Grace

Paul Copley

The Producer is Joe Nunnery

It is a BBC Studios Production.

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in October 2017.

## FRIDAY 03 FEBRUARY 2023

FRI 00:00 Nora Webster by Colm Toibin (m000b5hr)

[Repeat of broadcast at 05:00 on Thursday] FRI 01:00 Only the Good Die Young (b007jn17)

[Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 on Thursday]

FRI 01:30 Wimsey (m000c0lp)

[Repeat of broadcast at 06:30 on Thursday]

FRI 02:00 Unsheltered by Barbara Kingsolver (m0001m7k)

[Repeat of broadcast at 07:00 on Thursday] FRI 02:15 The Citadel (m00094kv)

[Repeat of broadcast at 07:15 on Thursday]

FRI 02:30 Sara Pascoe: The Modern Monkey (b09ry6k4)

[Repeat of broadcast at 07:30 on Thursday] FRI 03:00 The Men from the Ministry (b012b8by)

[Repeat of broadcast at 08:00 on Thursday]

FRI 03:30 The Marx Brothers' Flywheel, Shyster and

Flywheel (b0080jsp) [Repeat of broadcast at 08:30 on Thursday]

FRI 04:00 Booked (b08lxzg6) [Repeat of broadcast at 09:00 on Thursday]

FRI 04:30 Mary Wesley - The Vacillations of Poppy Carew (m001hp1j)

[Reneat of broadcast at 09:30 on Thursday]

FRI 05:00 Nora Webster by Colm Toibin (m000bck0)

As Nora rediscovers her love of music, and warmed by small acts of friendship, she gradually begins to find some hope and

strength for the future.. Conclusion of Colm Tóibín's powerful bestselling novel starring

Siobhan McSweeney.

Dramatised by BAFTA winning Adrian Hodges Nora Webster ..... Siobhan McSweeney

Aunt Josie ..... Brid Brennan

Phyllis Langdon ..... Norma Sheahan

Catherine ..... Ruth Bradley Seamus ..... Jonathan Forbes

Redmond ..... Paul Reid

Dr. Cudigan ..... Gary Lilburn

Maurice ..... Edward MacLiam Elizabeth ..... Sophie Robinson

Aine ..... Lauren Coe

Laurie..... Jessica Turner

Peggy Gibney ..... Heather Craney Donal ..... Tommy Harris

Conor ..... Sinead McGee

Other parts were played by the cast

Sound design ..... David Chilton

Director: Allegra McIlrov A BBC Northern Ireland production for BBC Radio 4, first

broadcast in November 2019 FRI 06:00 Only the Good Die Young (b007izf9)

Kim Drake is retracing her dead boyfriend's journey across Europe in an attempt to discover why he apparently killed himself on their wedding day. In the tough city of Hamburg she discovers that Mike had been economical with the truth...

Shaun Prendergast's techno thriller in six parts.

Kim Drake .... Siriol Jenkins Mike Fisher .... Neil Roberts

Anne/Clearwater/Optician's Receptionist .... Kate Binchy

Otto/Burns .... Shaun Prendergast Stone .... Kenneth Cranham Todd .... Jack Klaff

.. Peter Gunn

Charles .... Okon Jones

Doris Meyer/Computer/Hotel Receptionist .... Joanna Wake

Welkin .... William Roberts Prostitute .... Melanie Hudson

Director: Adrian Bean

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 1992.

FRI 06:30 Wimsey (m000c2bx)

Whose Body?

5. Bunter Brings a Letter

In his quest to finally solve the mystery of missing financier Sir Reuben Levy, Lord Peter Wimsey makes a crucial

appointment...

Ian Carmichael stars as the aristocratic sleuth.

The conclusion of Dorothy L Sayers' detective mystery.

Lord Peter Wimsey ..... Ian Carmichael

Bunter ..... Peter Jones

Sir Julian Freke ..... Bernard Archard Inspector Charles Parker ..... Gabriel Woolf Piggott/Dr Colegrove ..... Geoffrey Beevers

Dr Grimbold/Sir Reuben Levy ..... Wilfred Carter

Lady Levy ..... Betty Cardno Dramatised by Chris Miller

Producer Simon Brett

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in January 1974.

FRI 07:00 Unsheltered by Barbara Kingsolver (m0001p6f)

A novel from Barbara Kingsolver, bestselling author of The Poisonwood Bible, The Lacuna and Flight Behaviour, interweaves the past and the present to explore the human capacity for resilience and compassion in times of great upheaval. It is a portrait of life in precarious times - when characters discover that the past has failed to prepare them for

Alternating between two centuries, Kingsolver examines the personal and social shocks that ensue when people's assumptions about the world and their place in it are shaken to

their foundations. Unexpected treasures are uncovered as both Willa and Thatcher face the future.

Abridged by Sian Preece

Read by Patrick Kennedy and Laurel Lefkow

Produced by Gaynor Macfarlane

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in December 2018.

FRI 07:15 The Citadel (m000950s)

Episode 5

The Citadel by Christopher Reason based on the novel by AJ

Denny and Manson are brought to court

Dr Denny ..... Julian Lewis Jones

Dr Manson ..... George Blagden Christine ..... Catrin Stewart

Pritchard ..... Stephen Marzella

Judge Maddox ..... John Branwell Directed by Gary Brown

Produced by Pauline Harris and Gary Brown

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in October 2019.

FRI 07:30 Psmith in the City by PG Wodehouse (b00dgjw3)

First Steps in a Business Career

Mike's future looks gloomy when he's forced to give up his dreams of university and work in a bank. But help is at hand...

PG Wodehouse's comic adventures of the extraordinary Psmith

and his friend Mike in the world of Edwardian finance.

Dramatised by Marcy Kahan

PG Wodehouse ..... Simon Williams Psmith ..... Nick Caldecott

Mike Jackson ..... Inam Mirza John Bickersdyke ..... Stephen Critchlow

Mr Rossiter/Mr Jackson ..... Chris Pavlo

Mr Waller ..... Jonathan Tafler Bannister ..... Robert Lonsdale

Producer: Abigail le Fleming

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in September 2008.

FRI 08:00 Parsley Sidings (b008s3d0)

Goodbye Parsley Sidings

Station Master Horace Hepplewhite takes on the bolshie buffet

Horace .... Arthur Lowe Bert .... Ian Lavender Gloria .... Liz Fraser

Bradshaw .... Kenneth Connor

Trimwick .... Bill Pertwee

Jim Eldridge's eponymous series is set in a sleepy railway station. The Hepplewhites have run 'Parsley Sidings' station for generations and the current Station Master, Horace, hopes that his son Bert will continue the line. Mild-mannered Ticket Clerk Bert wants to work anywhere but on the railways. His colleague, Station Announcer Gloria Simpkins, secretly loves him, Porter

Percy Valentine is an archetypal wheeler-dealer and the ancient Signalman, Bradshaw, causes havoc and dispenses home-made remedies in equal measure. The 'Parsley Sidings' nemesis is

Phineas Perkins, the station master of Potwhistle Halt, one stop down the line.

Producer: Edward Taylor

First broadcast on BBC Radio 2 in February 1972.

FRI 08:30 The Weekend Starts Here (m001hnzl)

2. What's In Store?

Shipcombe Green is a village divided between the villagers and the weekenders

New arrivals Marina and Terrence stumble over the Shipcombe

Green fault line, the village shop

Written by Bill Matthews

Marina .... Diana Hardcastle Terence .... Philip Bretherton

Mrs Thorogood .... Gillian Barge

Mr Thorogood .... Rupert Vansittart

Christine .... Susan Brown Norman .... Gavin Muir

Felicity .... Gemma Saunders

Robbie .... Tim Treloar

Smith / Josh .... Tom George Cecila Fyffe .... Elizabeth Bell

Chloe .... Beth Chalmers

Music composed and performed by Terry Davies.

Director: Paul Miller

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 1999.

FRI 09:00 The Museum of Curiosity (m000my7x)

Series 15

Episode 4

Professor of Ignorance John Lloyd and his curator Alice Levine welcome:

\* Comedian and The Last Leg host Josh Widdicombe

\* Mathematician and pianist Dr Eugenia Cheng

\* Have I Got News For You captain Ian Hislop

The Museum's Guest Committee offer as exhibits Bowerman's

Nose, the equals sign and print. Researched by Anne Miller of QI & Mike Turner.

Producers: Richard Turner & James Harkin.

A BBC Studios production for BBC Radio 4, first broadcast in September 2020.

FRI 09:30 Millport (b0076br4)

Series 3

The End of the Beginning

The island makeover has turned horribly sour and with Irene gone, the only person to save the island from being bulldozed is Bunty Pierce.

But with her ailing health and hermit ways, will she leave her vegetables to rescue the island's integrity? And will Irene change her mind about mainland life and return to the island for

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

Irene ..... Lynn Ferguson

Moira/Agnes ..... Janet Brown

Alberto/Ferryman/Robert the Dog/Morris ..... Lewis McLeod

Ena/Bunty ...... Gabriel Quigley Minister/Bob ...... Robert Patterson

Dougie ..... Kenneth Bryans

Producer: Lucy Bacon First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in December 2002.

FRI 10:00 Nora Webster by Colm Toibin (m000bck0)

[Repeat of broadcast at 05:00 today]

FRI 11:00 Only the Good Die Young (b007jzf9) [Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 today]

FRI 11:30 Wimsey (m000c2bx)

[Repeat of broadcast at 06:30 today] FRI 12:00 Unsheltered by Barbara Kingsolver (m0001p6f)

[Repeat of broadcast at 07:00 today]

FRI 12:15 The Citadel (m000950s)

[Repeat of broadcast at 07:15 today]

FRI 12:30 Psmith in the City by PG Wodehouse (b00dgjw3) [Repeat of broadcast at 07:30 today]

FRI 13:00 Parsley Sidings (b008s3d0)

[Repeat of broadcast at 08:00 today] FRI 13:30 The Weekend Starts Here (m001hnzl)

[Repeat of broadcast at 08:30 today]

FRI 14:00 The Museum of Curiosity (m000my7x) [Repeat of broadcast at 09:00 today]

FRI 14:30 Millport (b0076br4)

[Repeat of broadcast at 09:30 today]

FRI 15:00 Nora Webster by Colm Toibin (m000bck0) [Repeat of broadcast at 05:00 today]

FRI 16:00 Only the Good Die Young (b007jzf9)

[Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 today]

FRI 16:30 Wimsey (m000c2bx) [Repeat of broadcast at 06:30 today]

FRI 17:00 Unsheltered by Barbara Kingsolver (m0001p6f)

[Repeat of broadcast at 07:00 today] FRI 17:15 The Citadel (m000950s)

[Repeat of broadcast at 07:15 today]

FRI 17:30 Psmith in the City by PG Wodehouse (b00dgjw3)

[Repeat of broadcast at 07:30 today] FRI 18:00 Parsley Sidings (b008s3d0)

[Repeat of broadcast at 08:00 today] FRI 18:30 The Weekend Starts Here (m001hnzl)

[Repeat of broadcast at 08:30 today]

FRI 19:00 The Museum of Curiosity (m000my7x)

[Repeat of broadcast at 09:00 today] FRI 19:30 Millport (b0076br4)

[Repeat of broadcast at 09:30 today] FRI 20:00 Orpheus Underground (b06cw171)

Novelist Neil Gaiman explores the intricacies of the Orpheus myth, the timeless story of art's place in trying to recover the

With contributions from writers Margaret Atwood, Jonathan Carroll, the late Russell Hoban and his daughter Phoebe Hoban, songwriter and cartoonist Peter Blegvad, and composer and conceptual artist Hannah Catherine Jones

Producer: Michael Umney

A Resonance production

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 2015.

FRI 20:30 Soul Music (m000c4th)

Series 29 The Boxer - Simon & Garfunkel

The Boxer - Simon & Garfunkel. People who connect directly with the lyrics and have a deep personal connection to the song

discuss what this masterpiece means to them. Seamus McDonagh is a former boxer. He describes the tumultuous time he had during and after his famous fight with Evander Holyfield in 1990. He also explains why he identifies

closely with the lyrics of The Boxer. Julie Nimoy is the daughter of Leonard Nimoy and co-producer of the film 'Remembering Leonard Nimoy' which tells the life story of this much loved actor, most famous for playing Mr Spock in Star Trek. The Boxer was his favourite song, and Julie describes exactly what it meant to him both throughout his life,

and in its closing moments. Gary Edward Jones is a singer-songwriter who for years rejected comparisons made of him to Paul Simon. Eventually, he embraced the likeness and his life changed after developing a show called 'Something About Simon - The Paul Simon

Story'.

Dave Mason is an amateur guitarist who has found deep meaning in The Boxer; meaning that has changed and grown as he has.

Producer: Karen Gregor

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 2019.

FRI 21:00 Dead Competitive (m001hxxw)

5. He Died like a Dog Because He was a Dog

In this episode Kerry gets wind that Jagger could have been collateral for a much bigger cause - animal rights activism. She looks into the PETA protests at Crufts in 2015, and the

arguments against dog shows. "A dog is better off dead than in a crate."

FRI 21:35 Acid Dream: The Great LSD Plot (m001hnzn)

5. Dream's End Episode five of the LSD saga about an attempt to spark a

revolution of the mind. Richard and Christine receive their sentences, along with the rest of the Microdot Gang. But what's the legacy of their great

LSD plot? Kate, a friend of Christine's recalls her own complicated experiences with the drug.

In the 1970s it's estimated that around 60% of the world's LSD came from one place: Wales. This is the story of the Microdot Gang - a rag tag group of chemists, dealers, businessmen and hippy dreamers. They believed that acid had the power to save

Narrated by Rhys Ifans (House of the Dragon, Notting Hill, Harry Potter) and starring Hannah Murray (Game of Thrones, Skins), Acid Dream is written by Welsh playwright Tim Price and features original music from Super Furry Animals

frontman Gruff Rhys. Contains references to drug use and an account of rape.

Written by Tim Price

Narrator.... Rhys Ifans

Christine.... Hannah Murray Contributors.... Alston Hughes, Stephen Bentley and Catherine

Hayes Original music.... Gruff Rhys

Sound design.... Peregrine Andrews Researcher.... Hayley Mills

Production Co-ordinator.... Caroline Barlow

Extracts read from The Untold Story of Christine Bott Producer.... James Robinson

A BBC Studios production.

FRI 22:00 Believe It! (m000mvtw)

Series 5

Autobiography Richard Wilson returns with another series of not quite true revelations about his life. Jon Canter's comedic writing is as sharp as ever as he delves into themes such as celebrity, brand awareness and death.

As usual Richard has many friends from whom he seeks advice. Starring Ian McKellen as Head of Gay, Peter Capaldi and David Tennant as the Two Doctors, and Antony Sher as The Man Addicted To Waitrose along with an excellent supporting cast, It's a mockumentary and spoof autobiography rolled into one.

CAST: Richard Wilson Sir Ian McKellen

Peter Capaldi

John Hollingworth - Kenneth

Rebekah Staton - Camille

Written by Jon Canter Produced and directed by Clive Brill

A Brill production for BBC Radio 4. FRI 22:30 Beauty of Britain (b00npr8g)

Series 1 Beauty and the Beast

Comedy by Christopher Douglas and Nicola Sanderson, Beauty Olonga works as a carer for the Featherdown Agency and sees herself as an inspiration to other African girls hoping to achieve their goals in the land of semi-skimmed milk.

Beauty is looking after the elderly Mr Easterby, who has a new girlfriend and is behaving like a lovestruck teenager. She is also trying to get to the Aspire to Dream retreat. Meanwhile Anil is

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on a big cat stakeout, as several have been spotted in the region.		
Beauty Jocelyn Jee Esien		
Sally Felicity Montagu Karen Nicola Sanderson		
Mrs Gupte Indira Joshi		
Anil Paul Sharma		
Mr Easterby Leslie Phillips Mrs Mason Liz Fraser		
Kevin/Cab Man/Steve Christopher Douglas		
Girl on Stretcher Nicola Sanderson		
Written by Christopher Douglas and Nicola Sanderson. Produced by Tilusha Ghelani		
Music by The West End Gospel Choir.		
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 2009.  FRI 22:55 The Comedy Club Interviews (m001hxpq)		
Jack Docherty 3/3		
From <b>10.00pm</b> until midnight, seven days a week, the Comedy		
Club has two hours of comedy. Plus Paul Garner chats to Jack Docherty.		
FRI 23:00 Hannah Gadsby: Arts Clown (b0541914)		
Edouard Manet's Olympia     Art historian Hannah Gadsby kicks off her comedy lectures		
about four masterpieces, with Edouard Manet's masterpiece		
'Olympia'.		
She shares her first encounter with the art work as well as looking at what critics had to say about it at the time it was		
created.		
Born in Tasmania, Hannah's first encounters with art was via		
books. These taught her the language of art appreciation, but also legitimised her desire to look at 'boobs'. This was just as		
well as Hannah realised in her teens that she was 'a little bit		
lesbian' but homosexuality was still illegal in Tasmania at that time.		
The painting 'Olympia' was first shown in Paris in 1865. The		
reclining nude made a lot of people very angry at the time.		
Hannah explains what makes 'Olympia' a cornerstone of modern art and what brings her personally back to this painting		
again and again.		
She is assisted by her very own 'Quotebot' who has been inputted with every quote that's ever been written about art. It		
sounds remarkably like comedy legend and all-round boffin,		
John Lloyd.		
Written by Hannah Gadsby. Script edited by Jon Hunter		
Producer: Claire Jones		
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in March 2015.		
FRI 23:15 The Pin (b07b3snr) Series 2		
Award		
Strap in for a 15-minute delve into a world of oddness performed in front of a live studio audience.		
The Pin are an award-winning comedy duo, and legends of		
Edinburgh festival. They deconstruct the sketch form, in a show		
that exists somewhere between razor-sharp smartness and utterly joyous silliness.		
Written by Ben Ashenden and Alex Owen		
Performed by: Ben Ashenden		
Alex Owen		
Freya Parker		
Brian Protheroe Producer: Sam Bryant		
A BBC Studios production for BBC Radio 4, first broadcast in		
September 2016. FRI 23:30 James Acaster's Perfect Sounds (p0c99dsw)		
Series 2		
Fatiha El-Ghorri is in Heavn		
Heavn by Jamila Woods fuses R&B, Jazz and various other genres including classic indie.		
Surely it must appeal to Cure-loving Fatiha!		
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