

**SATURDAY 11 MARCH 2023****SAT 00:00 Doctor Who (m001jt9c)**

The War Doctor  
10. Pretty Lies  
Trapped and desperate, light years from their armies at the heart of the Time War, the War Doctor and Cardinal Ollistra discover that wherever they go, destruction follows. A war reporter named Schandel may provide the key to their escape, but it is often said that the first casualty of war is the truth.  
When the choice between grim reality and a hero's story means life or death, will the Doctor allow Schandel to print the legend?  
John Hurt stars as The War Doctor.  
Written by Guy Adams.  
The War Doctor .... John Hurt  
Cardinal Ollistra .... Jacqueline Pearce  
Schandel .... Joseph Kloska  
The Editor/Old Man .... Mark Elstob  
Sera Marvelle/Spokesperson .... Julia Hills.  
Dalek Time Strategist/The Daleks .... Nicholas Briggs  
Other parts played by members of the cast.  
Original music written by Howard Carter.  
Director: Nicholas Briggs  
A Big Finish production.

**SAT 01:00 Passenger List (m000qpw)**

5. Inoperative Operative  
A familiar song, a friend unmasked, a rogue agent. Atlantic Airlines flight 702 has disappeared mid-flight between London and New York with 256 passengers on board. Kaitlin Le, a college student whose twin brother vanished with the flight, is determined to uncover the truth. Kelly Marie Tran, Patti LuPone, Colin Morgan and Rob Benedict star in this multi-award-winning mystery thriller.  
Kaitlin ..... Kelly Marie Tran  
Don Malone ..... Ray McAnally  
Chad ..... Ian McQuown  
Thomas ..... Colin Morgan  
Jim Dennison ..... Rob Benedict  
Phone Voices ..... Alene Latimer, Avery Monsen, James McCarthy, Phoebe Stonebraker & Jon Bershad  
Karen ..... Mary Gordon Murray  
Professor Marshal ..... Richard Doyle  
Created by John Scott Dryden  
Script Editor: Mike Walker  
US Producer: Julia Thompson  
Assisted by Julia Adamo  
Additional Writing by Sam Dingman  
UK Producer: Emma Hearn  
Directed by Lauren Shippen and John Scott Dryden  
Executive Producers: Lauren Shippen and John Scott Dryden  
Executive Producer for Radiotopia, Julie Shapiro  
A Goldhawk production for Radiotopia/PRX and BBC Radio 4, first broadcast in December 2020.

**SAT 02:00 Craddock and Co (b007jsw5)**

3. My Dear Isabelle  
Spring, 1900: The reappearance of a woman from his past, persuades bookseller-cum-detective Charles Craddock to help find her kidnapped husband in France.  
But his niece Lucy realises there are some hidden perils...  
Starring Martin Jarvis.  
Chris Thompson's mystery series.  
Charles Craddock .... Martin Jarvis  
Lucy Greenwood .... Emma Tate  
Grout .... Struan Rodger  
Isabelle Vallance .... Frances Jeater  
Leopold Kransky .... Stephen Thorne  
Sir Aubrey Blake .... Colin Pinney  
Monsieur Vallance .... Malcolm Ward  
Walter Smith .... Michael Onslow  
Director: John Taylor.  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 5 in October 1993.

**SAT 02:30 Stand By For West (m000gn3w)**

Inspector West at Home  
2. Crisis for a Copper  
Roger is suspended from duty so hires Pep Morgan to help prove that he's been framed.  
Starring Patrick Allen as Scotland Yard's youngest, smartest chief inspector.  
Created and written by John Creasey.  
Dramatised by Maurice Travers.  
Chief Inspector Roger West .... Patrick Allen  
Janet West .... Sarah Lawson  
Mark Lessing .... Edward de Souza  
Pep Morgan .... Harry Landis  
Pickerell .... Robert James  
Detective Inspector Bob Cornish .... Frederick Treves  
Assistant Commissioner Sir Guy Chatsworth .... Maurice Hedley  
Mrs Fleming .... Margaret Robertson  
Producer: John Fawcett Wilson  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 2 in March 1968.

**SAT 03:00 Golden Child by Claire Adam (m0002sng)**

5. Jealousy  
Paul, the misunderstood son, labelled from birth, is still missing. Memories return of the jealousies, lies and dangers that first began to threaten the family.  
Claire Adam's heartrending and lyrical debut set in Trinidad about betrayal, love and impossible choices.

Abridged by Sara Davies.  
Read by Don Warrington.  
Producer: Justine Willett  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in March 2019.  
**SAT 03:15 Jane Austen (b085yzzf)**  
Northanger Abbey  
10. Return  
Catherine returns to her home after her abrupt dismissal from Northanger Abbey.  
Will she ever know what she did wrong and more importantly will she ever see Henry Tilney again?  
Conclusion of Jane Austen's satire of Gothic novels.  
Dramatised by Hattie Naylor.  
Catherine ..... Georgia Groome  
Henry ..... Luke Thompson  
Mrs Morland ..... Alison Belbin  
Mr Morland ..... John Bowler  
Harriet ..... Keziah Joseph  
George ..... Luke MacGregor  
The Book ..... Miriam Margolyes  
Director: Sally Avens  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in December 2016.  
**SAT 03:30 The Wilsons Save the World (m0002zrd)**  
Series 2  
You Can't Do That Anymore  
Mike Wilson has some key loves in his life – his sourdough starter, his wife and children (obviously), but also the cult rock group of his formative years - The Smiths.  
Jangly and heartfelt it's perfect music for the tortured soul; albeit one with a comfortable and privileged life.  
Until that is, Cat comes crashing in with her questions. Are some of Morrissey's more recent statements problematic and if so, can we separate the arts from the artist? What else can't we enjoy anymore?  
A rummage through his parent's attic suggests LOTS, it turns out. Mike's dilemma contorts him with anxiety as the family pick their way through this new minefield. Can we 'offset' liking problematic things?  
Sitcom about trying to live ethically and do the right thing.  
Written by Marcus Brigstocke and Sarah Morgan.  
Mike ..... Marcus Brigstocke  
Max ..... Kerry Godliman  
Cat ..... Mia Jenkins  
Lola ..... India Brown  
Jennifer ..... Vicki Pepperdine  
Producer Julia McKenzie  
A BBC Studios production first broadcast on Radio 4 in March 2019.  
**SAT 04:00 Mr Willow's Wife (m000pw2m)**  
5. All In A Good Cause  
Felicity Willow decides to raise money for single mothers by staging a rhyming pantomime at her local church hall.  
Rehearsals go from bad to worse.  
Starring Moira Lister and Terence Alexander.  
Written by Ray Cooney and John Chapman.  
Felicity Willow .... Moira Lister  
Paul Willow .... Terence Alexander  
Nanny ..... Doris Hare  
Mrs Cadwalader .... Judith Furse  
Mary Flynn ..... Denise Coffey  
Vicar ..... Richard Goodlen  
Mr Smith .... Harold Bennett  
Bill McGuffie (piano)  
Producer David Hatch  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in December 1971.  
**SAT 04:30 Babbewick Hall (b01mxtjg)**  
Series 1  
Episode 1  
When idealistic Fenton Babbewick inherits his uncle's Yorkshire estate, it's the perfect opportunity to realise his utopian dreams.  
But for his manservant, August Snipe, the move to Babbewick Hall is a nightmare.  
The house is cold, full of farm animals and worst of all "it's the north" - a lifetime away from the comforts of London.  
Starring Nicholas Le Prevost and Forbes Masson.  
First series of Scott Cherry's six-part sitcom set in the 18th-century.  
Fenton Babbewick ..... Nick Le Prevost  
Augustus Snipe ..... Forbes Masson  
Barney ..... David Antrobus  
Jack ..... Sam Kelly  
Molly ..... Gillian Bevan  
Bob Scotcher ..... Phillip Jackson  
Music by Paul Mottram.  
Producer: Paul Schlesinger  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in December 1995.  
**SAT 05:00 Act Your Age (b00qj8m)**  
Series 2  
Episode 3  
Comedy show pitting the comic generations against each other to find out which is the funniest.  
Hosted by Simon Mayo.  
With Team Captains:  
Jon Richardson  
Ed Byrne  
Johnnie Casson  
Guest Comics:  
Jared Christmas

Mark Watson  
Eddie Large  
Producers: Ashley Blaker and Bill Mathews.  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in February 2010.  
**SAT 05:30 Bleak Expectations (b00nyy8s)**  
Series 3  
An Evil Life Sort of Explained  
Pip Bin, Harry Biscuit and Gently Benevolent find themselves trapped in the vast emptiness of space.  
As their doom looks increasingly inevitable, Mr Benevolent finally explains just why it is that he is so very very evil.  
Mark Evans's epic Victorian comedy in the style of Charles Dickens.  
Sir Philip ..... Richard Johnson  
Young Pip Bin ..... Tom Allen  
Gently Benevolent ..... Anthony Head  
Lovely Benevolent ..... Jane Asher  
Harry Biscuit ..... James Bachman  
Hardthrazer/Sternbeater/Wackwallop ..... Geoffrey Whitehead  
Miss Christmasham ..... Sarah Hadland  
Miss Sweetly Delightful ..... Raquel Cassidy.  
Producer: Gareth Edwards  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in November 2009.  
**SAT 06:00 Moths (m001jzzt)**  
Lady Dolly is horrified when her daughter arrives for the season as it will cramp her style, so she marries her off to a Russian Prince against her will.  
Vere, meanwhile has fallen in love with an Italian opera singer, Raphael de Corzeze.  
Starring Nicola Pagett and Teresa Gallagher.  
Ouida's novel of romance and society in 19th-century Europe. Ouida is the pseudonym of English novelist, Maria Louise Ramé.  
Dramatised by Chrys Salt.  
Lady Dolly Vanderdecken .... Nicola Pagett  
Vere Herbert .... Teresa Gallagher  
Raphael de Corzeze .... Paul Rhys  
Prince Zouroff .... Geoffrey Whitehead  
Jeanne Duchess of Sonnaz .... Adjoa Andoh  
Fuchsia Leach .... Lorelei King  
Lady Adine .... Ann Beach  
Nadine Zouroff .... Zulema Dene  
Franck, Duke of Mull .... Kim Wall  
Jack, Lord Jura .... Stephen Critchlow  
Fraulein Schroeder .... Patience Tomlinson  
The Tenor .... John Hudson  
Director Janet Whitaker  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in April 1996.  
**SAT 07:30 The Wind in My Hair by Masih Alinejad (Omnibus) (b0b6plh4)**  
Masih Alinejad is a journalist and activist from a small village in Iran.  
In 2014 she sparked a social media movement when she posted a picture of her curly hair blowing in the wind without her veil or hijab.  
Across Iran, women started sharing pictures of their uncovered hair on Masih's Facebook page in open defiance of the strict religious beliefs of their country - and often, their families.  
With the creation of My Stealthy Freedom, Masih gained over 1,000,000 supporters and inspired women everywhere to take a stand against the compulsory wearing of the hijab.  
But behind the scenes of this movement, Masih has been fighting a painful personal battle.  
She is a divorcee – a sin equivalent to prostitution in Iranian culture. As a political reporter, Masih has been actively speaking out against the government's corrupt policies for more than a decade and this has led to her expulsion from Iran and separation from her son.  
Omnibus of five parts abridged by Elizabeth Burke.  
Read by Nathalie Armin.  
Producer: Alexandra Quinn  
A Loftus production for BBC Radio 4, first broadcast in June 2018.  
**SAT 08:45 Ernest Fontwell Versus The Experts (m000704d)**  
The Holiday Experts  
Ernest Fontwell needs a holiday, but the fiends in white coats are waiting – at home and abroad.  
Written by Lawrie Wyman.  
Starring Frank Thornton as Ernest Fontwell.  
With:  
Patsy Rowlands  
David Tate  
Bill Wallis  
Producer: Geoffrey Perkins  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in February 1979.  
**SAT 09:00 Ray's a Laugh (m001jzww)**  
From 27/11/1959  
Kitty's just about had enough of Ted's film star obsession.  
Will he take the hint?  
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 from 1949-1961.  
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 November 1959.

**SAT 09:30 Whack-O! (b060c2x6)**  
The Grange School For Boys  
When an attractive exchange teacher from France arrives, the headmaster is forced to act.  
Starting life on BBC TV before transferring to radio, Chiselbury School is run "for the sons of gentlefolk".  
Headmaster, Professor James Edwards, MA never misses a trick when it comes to exploiting the students and their parents. Sports pitches are given over to growing vegetables, which the boys nurture for their head to sell. Classes never exceed 95 pupils - 50 if private tuition is paid for at five guineas extra. It's only thanks to the efforts of the devoted deputy head, Mr Pettigrew, that the school exists at all.  
Written by Frank Muir and Denis Norden.  
Adapted by David Climie.

The Headmaster .... Jimmy Edwards  
Matron .... June Whitfield  
Mr Potter .... Roddy Maude-Roxby  
The Marchioness .... Joan Sanderson  
Dr Sopwith .... Roy Dotrice  
Soames .... Frederick Treves  
Lumley .... Roger Shepherd  
Taplow .... David Lott  
Producer: Edward Taylor

First broadcast on the BBC Light Programme in June 1961.  
**SAT 10:00 Mastertapes - Access All Areas (m000m0ty)**  
2. From Four Seasons to Time of the Season  
Mastertapes is a BBC Radio 4 series in which John Wilson talks to leading performers and songwriters about the album that made them or changed them.  
John continues his behind-the-scenes tour of the iconic BBC studios at Maida Vale in London where over 40 episodes of Mastertapes were recorded.  
In the second of this three-part series, John recalls show featuring:  
Nigel Kennedy  
Noel Gallagher  
Bellowhead  
Soul II Soul  
Wilko Johnson  
Natalie Merchant  
Emeli Sande  
The Zombies  
Producer: Sarah Shebbeare  
Made for BBC Radio 4 Extra and first broadcast in December 2018.

**SAT 11:00 Moths (m001jzzt)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 today]

**SAT 12:30 The Wind in My Hair by Masih Alinejad (Omnibus) (b0b6plh4)**  
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**SAT 13:45 Ernest Fontwell Versus The Experts (m000704d)**  
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**SAT 14:00 Ray's a Laugh (m001jzzw)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 09:00 today]

**SAT 14:30 Whack-O! (b060c2x6)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 09:30 today]

**SAT 15:00 Mastertapes - Access All Areas (m000m0ty)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 today]

**SAT 16:00 Doctor Who (m001jt9c)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 00:00 today]

**SAT 17:00 Moths (m001jzzt)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 today]

**SAT 18:30 The Wind in My Hair by Masih Alinejad (Omnibus) (b0b6plh4)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 07:30 today]

**SAT 19:45 Ernest Fontwell Versus The Experts (m000704d)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 08:45 today]

**SAT 20:00 Ray's a Laugh (m001jzzw)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 09:00 today]

**SAT 20:30 Whack-O! (b060c2x6)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 09:30 today]

**SAT 21:00 Mastertapes - Access All Areas (m000m0ty)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 today]

**SAT 22:00 Two Episodes of Mash (b01mx27s)**  
Series 2  
Episode 4  
Diane, Joe and David have to do 30 minutes of community service as punishment for their crimes against radio.  
Look out for an animation of their Fishing Sketch by Tom Rourke on the BBC Radio 4 Extra website.  
A mix of silly, surreal sketches and banter starring Diane Morgan and Joe Wilkinson.  
With:  
David O'Doherty  
Paul Harry Allen  
Bobbie Pryor  
Gary Newman  
Aled Jones.  
Producer: Clair Wordsworth.  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in September 2012.

**SAT 22:30 Armstrong and Miller (b007k3f2)**  
Episode 4  
School band memories, and a town planning thriller.

Sketches and songs with Ben Miller and Alexander Armstrong in their first series for radio.  
With:  
Samuel West  
Tony Gardiner  
Written by Ben Miller and Alexander Armstrong.  
Producer: Gareth Edwards  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in March 1998.

**SAT 22:45 The In Crowd (b0089jj8)**  
Series 1  
Episode 4  
A struggling therapist tries to mentally lure a client back to her childhood - and a surprising tip for conkers.  
Sketch show from Manchester's Comedy Store.  
With:  
Robin Ince  
Helen Moon  
Smug Roberts  
Kate Ward  
Written by Carl Cooper, Susan Vale, Stan Vernon, Lavinia Murray, Lara Silverstone and Sue Morris.  
Producer: Graham Frost  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in August 2001.

**SAT 23:00 Party (b01n6rsf)**  
Series 3  
Radio  
The budding politicians get a crucial radio interview ahead of the upcoming by election.  
Tom Basden's satirical comedy about a group of young idealists trying to make waves with their new political party.  
Simon .... Tom Basden  
Duncan .... Tim Key  
Jared .... Jonny Sweet  
Mel .... Anna Crilly  
Phoebe .... Katy Wix  
Alison the radio producer .... Rachel Stubbings  
Radio Interviewer .... Peter Curran  
Drama interviewee ....Jot Davies  
Producer: Julia McKenzie.  
First broadcast on Radio 4 in October 2012.

**SAT 23:30 Will Smith's Midlife Crisis Management (b00g502t)**  
Episode 3  
Peter invites American rap star 10 Shot to help Will with his confidence.  
Meanwhile Will joins a self defence class to stop him being bullied by teenage girls.  
As ever, Will Smith seeks help and advice from his godfather Peter on coping with the onset of middle age.  
Starring Will Smith  
Comedy by Will Smith and Roger Drew.  
Peter ..... Roger Allam  
With:  
Jimmy Akingbola  
Jill Cardo  
Producer: Tilusha Ghelani  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in December 2008.

#### SUNDAY 12 MARCH 2023

**SUN 00:00 Laura Watson - Nightcap (m001jzzz)**  
"Sleep pretty children, do not cry, and I will sing a lullaby", goes the song.  
But nine-year-old Tom is shaken from his sleep by a ghostly presence - one that looks set to destroy his whole family...  
Haunting drama written by Laura Watson.  
Tom .... Daniel Anthony  
Jill .... Tracy Wiles  
Greg .... Roger May  
Matt .... Joshua Phillips  
Simon .... Francis Gahan  
Mr Walker .... Stephen Critchlow  
Voices / WPC .... Carolyn Pickles  
Producer: Ned Chaillet  
Director: Sarah Brown  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in March 2002.

**SUN 00:45 EF Benson - The Terror by Night (b04ybn10)**  
"Fear lay like a black cloak over my mind; I did not know what I dreaded... but it was something that was very near."  
Inexplicable moods and smells mar a friendly reunion. What can it mean?  
Written by the author of Mapp and Lucia, EF Benson.  
Read by Brian Gear.  
Produced at BBC Bristol by Viv Beedy.  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 1993.

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**SUN 04:30 Whack-O! (b060c2x6)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 09:30 on Saturday]

**SUN 05:00 Mastertapes - Access All Areas (m000m0ty)**  
[Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 on Saturday]

**SUN 06:00 Poetry Extra (m001k01b)**  
The Dam  
Poet Daljit Nagra revisits the BBC's poetry archive and selects The Dam.  
Award-winning writer David Almond tells a timely true story about the flooding of Northumberland's Kielder Valley 40 years ago to make a dam, and the music and poetry which lie submerged within us all  
This had been one of the wildest corners of the county - a place of farms and homesteads, a school and a stretch of railway. It had also been a place of music and song, dancing and legends.  
Now it was all to be flooded in order to create the largest artificial lake in the UK.  
David tells of the father and daughter who visited the abandoned homes on the eve of the sealing of the dam, playing one last song before the diggers moved in, the valley was submerged and they were lost forever.  
"He woke her early. 'Bring your fiddle,' he said. The day was dawning. Into the valley they walked...."  
In a programme resonant with birdsong, running streams, sighing trees, leaping salmon and first-person testimonial, this is a story about the reservoirs of music, poetry and song in us all. Featuring Northumbrian folk music, with additional fiddle-playing by Georgia Russell, the programme culminates in a revelation by David about the identity of the protagonists in this haunting story.  
Based around David Almond's picture book, The Dam, with illustrations by Levi Pinfold, published by Walker Studio.  
With additional fiddle-playing by Georgia Russell  
Producer: Beauty Rubens  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 2020.

**SUN 06:30 Golden Child by Claire Adam (Omnibus) (m0002zqx)**  
Episode 1  
Don Warrington begins Claire Adam's heartrending and lyrical debut set in Trinidad.  
As dusk falls, a father sets out into the bush in search of his 13-year-old son, while his twin brother remains safely at home. As the man makes his way through the lush yet unsettling landscape, he tries to work out what has happened to his son, the boy he's never really understood. And when the minutes turn to hours and then to days, he is faced with an impossible decision that no parent should ever have to make...  
Omnibus of the first five of ten parts abridged by Sara Davies.  
Don Warrington is an acclaimed TV and theatre actor, who has performed with the National Theatre and the RSC, but is best known for his TV role in Rising Damp with Leonard Rossiter in the mid 1970s.  
Producer: Justine Willett  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in April 2019.

**SUN 07:40 Inheritance Tracks (m0007k3d)**  
Sir Michael Caine  
Legendary actor Sir Michael Caine shares My Old Man's a Dustman by Lonnie Donegan and Comme D'habitude by Claude Francois.  
**SUN 07:50 Jane Austen (b087kz86)**  
Northanger Abbey (Omnibus)  
Episode 2  
Henry Tilney enraptures Catherine with his tall tales of the gothic mysteries of his home Northanger Abbey but it's not long before Catherine begins to suspect there may be an element of truth in them.  
Conclusion of Jane Austen's satire of Gothic novels, first published in 1817.  
Omnibus of the last five of ten parts.  
Dramatised by Hattie Naylor.  
Catherine .... Georgia Groome  
John .... Stephen Wight  
Isabella .... Ainsley Howard  
Mrs Allen .... Tracey Wiles  
Mr Allen .... Kim Wall  
Henry .... Luke Thompson  
James .... Finlay Robertson  
The Book .... Miriam Margolyes  
Director: Sally Avens  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in December 2016.

**SUN 09:00 Things Could Be Worse (b09lspnb)**  
The Blackmail Letter  
When he receives a menacing letter, the biggest threat to Harry's wellbeing is Harry himself!  
Harry blunders his way through another catalogue of mishaps. Starring Harry Worth.  
With:  
John Baddeley  
John Graham  
Miriam Margolyes  
Written by David McKellar and David Renwick.  
Producer: Simon Brett.  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in September 1976.

**SUN 09:30 Something to Shout About (m0004fy3)**  
Series 2  
Episode 17  
To promote a posh store's Bridal Week event, the agency organises a live TV wedding.  
'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 Wolf.  
Michael .... Michael Medwin

Janet .... Fenella Fielding  
 Mavis .... Joan Sims  
 Maggie .... Eleanor Summerfield  
 Adrian .... Nicholas Phipps  
 Other parts played by Warren Mitchell  
 Producer: Eric Miller  
 First broadcast on the BBC Light Programme in April 1961.  
**SUN 10:00 Desert Island Discs Revisited (b018j65d)**  
 Longplay  
 Sir Michael Caine  
 Sir Michael Caine shares his castaway choices with Kirsty Young in Desert Island Discs Long-play, an extended edition of the programme first broadcast on Radio 4.  
 In a film career that has, so far, spanned more than four decades, Sir Michael Caine has won two Oscars and his credits include Alfie, The Italian Job, Hannah and her Sisters and Educating Rita.  
 As well as discussing his remarkable life in films, he describes how the Queen used to cut through his back garden on her way to the horse races, discusses the secrets of a happy marriage, and reveals the tricks for cooking perfect roast potatoes this Christmas.  
 DISC ONE: Viva La Vida - Coldplay  
 DISC TWO: One Day Like This - Elbow  
 DISC THREE: Edward Elgar's Variations on an Original Theme, Op. 36: Variation IX "Nimrod" - London Philharmonic Orchestra, conductor: Sir Charles Mackerras  
 DISC FOUR: No Ordinary Morning - Chicane  
 DISC FIVE: Swollen - Bent  
 DISC SIX: Move Closer - Phyllis Nelson  
 DISC SEVEN: My Way - Frank Sinatra  
 DISC EIGHT: Happy Christmas (War Is Over) - John Lennon & The Plastic Ono Band  
 BOOK CHOICE: The Fountainhead - Ayn Rand  
 LUXURY CHOICE: A large bed with fifty per cent goose down and fifty per cent feather pillows.  
 CASTAWAY'S FAVOURITE: My Way - Frank Sinatra  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 Extra in December 2011.  
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**SUN 22:00 Alice's Wonderland (b0118n82)**  
 Series 1  
 Episode 4  
 A trip round Wonderland, a poundland of magical realms. It's a kingdom much like our own, and also nothing like it in the slightest.  
 Stay a while and meet waifs and strays, wigshops and witches, murderous pensioners and squirrels of this delightful land as they go about their bizarre business.  
 A sketch show written and performed by Alice Lowe.  
 Also starring:  
 Richard Glover  
 Simon Greenall  
 Rachel Stubbings  
 Clare Thompson  
 Marcia Warren  
 Producer: Sam Bryant  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in July 2012.  
**SUN 22:30 Isy Suttie's Love Letters (b01lrngr)**  
 Series 1  
 Peter and Anne  
 Isy Suttie presents some unique tales, recounting a series of love stories affecting people she's known throughout her life, told partly through song.  
 Sometimes Isy has merely observed other people's love lives; quite often she's intervened, changing the action dramatically -

for better or worse. Intertwined within these stories are related real life anecdotes from Isy's own, often disastrous, love life.  
 In this opening episode, Isy and her first ever boyfriend, Darren Jones, conspire to write love notes that bring two shy bell-ringers together, Peter and Anne.  
 With her multi-character and vocal skills, plus her guitar, Isy creates a hilarious and deeply moving world, sharing with us her lessons in life and love.  
 Producer: Lianne Coop  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in April 2013.  
**SUN 22:55 The Comedy Club Interviews (m001k7jb)**  
 Tom Ward 1/3  
 From 10pm until midnight, seven days a week, The Comedy Club has two hours of comedy. And tonight, Jon Holmes chats to the comedian Tom Ward.  
**SUN 23:00 Life With Lederer (m001k01h)**  
 Series 2  
 The Cure  
 Helen Lederer shares another of her methods for coping with life, through alternative medicine.  
 Written by and starring Helen Lederer.  
 With:  
 Malcolm Raeburn  
 Christopher Campbell  
 Victoria Finney  
 Sandra Maitland  
 Produced at BBC Manchester by Paul Z Jackson.  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in July 1991.  
**SUN 23:15 The Kneebone Bonanza (b01rgm9n)**  
 Episode 2  
 The Kneebones are in serious financial trouble.  
 The bailiffs are back and there are cracks appearing in the walls of the house.  
 Scrap dealer Jed Kneebone has died, leaving his children Slick, Dwight and Maddy in serious debt. Maddy reluctantly runs the yard, Slick tries to find work and Dwight does dodgy deals.  
 Carl Grose's wildly inventive Cornish comedy about family, death, love and hope.  
 Maddy ..... Alex Tregear  
 Dwight/Duke ..... Ed Gaughan  
 Slick ..... Michael Shelford  
 Director: Claire Grove  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in March 2013.  
**SUN 23:30 Rigor Mortis (b007k4q2)**  
 Series 1  
 Episode 4  
 The pathologists are presented with a challenge when they're asked to perform an holistic, non-invasive autopsy.  
 Laurence Howarth's sitcom set in the fascinating, but misunderstood world of the pathology lab.  
 Dr Anthony Webster ..... Peter Davison  
 Dr Ruth Anderson ..... Tracy-Ann Oberman  
 Professor Donaldson ..... Geoffrey Whitehead  
 Gordon ..... Tom Price  
 Chloe ..... Marianne Levy  
 Simon ..... Gus Brown  
 Mr Fitzherbert ..... Beth Chalmers  
 Music by Paul Mottram and Stephanie Benavente.  
 Producer: Dawn Ellis  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in June 2003.

#### MONDAY 13 MARCH 2023

**MON 00:00 Poetry Extra (m001k01b)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 on Sunday]  
**MON 00:30 Golden Child by Claire Adam (Omnibus) (m0002zxq)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 06:30 on Sunday]  
**MON 01:50 Jane Austen (b087kz86)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 07:50 on Sunday]  
**MON 03:00 Things Could Be Worse (b09lspnb)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 09:00 on Sunday]  
**MON 03:30 Something to Shout About (m0004fy3)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 09:30 on Sunday]  
**MON 04:00 Desert Island Discs Revisited (b018j65d)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 on Sunday]  
**MON 05:00 Passenger List (m000qxm2)**  
 6. The White Matchmaker  
 The wreckage, a missing passport, an unexpected call...  
 Atlantic Airlines flight 702 has disappeared mid-flight between London and New York with 256 passengers on board. Kaitlin Le, a college student whose twin brother vanished with the flight, is determined to uncover the truth.  
 Kelly Marie Tran, Patti LuPone, Colin Morgan and Rob Benedict star in this multi-award-winning mystery thriller.  
 Kaitlin ..... Kelly Marie Tran  
 Gavin ..... Carl Prekopp  
 Laura Jones ..... Heather Craney  
 School Secretary ..... Anjali Mohindra  
 Professor Marshal ..... Richard Doyle  
 Homeland Security Man ..... Briggion Snow  
 Homeland Security Woman ..... Alex Brown Marshall  
 Murphy ..... Tesse Auberjonis  
 Mai (Kaitlin's Mother) ..... Elyse Dihn  
 Hassan ..... Raad Rawi  
 Kirsty ..... Julie Adamo  
 Created by John Scott Dryden  
 Script Editor: Mike Walker

US Producer: Julia Thompson  
 Assisted by Julia Adamo  
 Additional Writing by Sam Dingman  
 UK Producer: Emma Hearn  
 Directed by Lauren Shippen and John Scott Dryden  
 Executive Producers: Lauren Shippen and John Scott Dryden  
 Executive Producer for Radiotopia, Julie Shapiro  
 A Goldhawk production for Radiotopia/PRX and BBC Radio 4, first broadcast in January 2021.  
**MON 05:45 Short Works (m0003rm7)**  
 Hello Stranger by Michael Hughes  
 Beth writes letters to her daughter's father, even though he has no idea the girl exists...  
 An original short story for radio by Northern Irish author, Michael Hughes.  
 Read by Faye Marsay.  
 Michael Hughes wrote the novels 'The Countenance Divine' and 'Country', a retelling of Homer's 'Iliad' set on the Northern Irish border during the Troubles.  
 Born in Armagh, he also teaches creative writing at Queen's University Belfast.  
 Producer: Michael Shannon  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in April 2019.  
**MON 06:00 The Toff (b007jr60)**  
 The Toff and the Runaway Bride  
 1. Honeymoon for One  
 Barbara Lawn is about to marry the Toff's old chum, Major Guy Lessing - against her father's wishes - in a gripping tale of blackmail and murder.  
 Terence Alexander stars as the Toff - upper-class amateur sleuth, the Honourable Richard Rollison.  
 John Creasey's detective novel was first published in 1959. Dramatised in six-parts by Roy Lomax.  
 The Toff ..... Terence Alexander  
 Jolly ..... Robert Dorning  
 Barbara Lessing ..... Rosalind Shanks  
 Aunt Gloria ..... Peggy Ann Wood  
 Holy Joe ..... David Graham  
 Maggie ..... Frances Jeater  
 Major Guy Lessing ..... Alan Cuthbertson  
 Producer: John Fawcett Wilson  
 First broadcast on the BBC World Service in June 1975.  
**MON 06:30 Stand By For West (m000gtkj)**  
 Inspector West at Home  
 Fear in Flat Nine  
 Roger West's continued efforts to restore his reputation put those around him in danger.  
 Chief Inspector Roger West is the creation of John Creasey, who authored more than 40 Roger West novels between 1942 and 1973.  
 Much like Paul Temple, West - "Scotland Yard's youngest, smartest chief inspector" - has a long-suffering wife who also gets involved with the action. A total of six novels were adapted for radio by Maurice Travers.  
 Chief Inspector Roger West... Patrick Allen  
 Janet West... Sarah Lawson  
 Mark Lessing... Edward de Souza  
 Pep Morgan... Harry Landis  
 Lois Randall... Carol Marsh  
 Pickereil... Robert James  
 Bill Tennant... Anthony Jackson  
 Producer: John Fawcett Wilson  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 2 in 1968.  
**MON 07:00 Golden Child by Claire Adam (m0002z8j)**  
 6. Genius  
 Paul, the misunderstood son, labelled from birth, is still missing. As the hours turn into days, Clyde thinks back to the boys' first days at school, and his very different plans from his twin boys...  
 Claire Adam's heartrending and lyrical debut set in Trinidad about betrayal, love and impossible choices.  
 Abridged in ten parts by Sara Davies.  
 Read by Don Warrington.  
 Producer: Justine Willett  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in March 2019.  
**MON 07:15 Blowing the Bloody Doors Off by Michael Caine (m0001qh5)**  
 1. The Blitz  
 Hollywood legend and British national treasure Sir Michael Caine shares stories from screen and stage alongside some of the lessons and skills that life has taught him.  
 The actor has starred in a huge range of films: from the classic British movies Alfie, Zulu and The Italian Job to the Hollywood blockbusting Dark Knight trilogy, Dirty Rotten Scoundrels, Hannah and Her Sisters and Cider House Rules.  
 In this opening episode, he gets some advice from John Wayne and also looks back on his time as an evacuee and later as a soldier on National Service.  
 Written and read by Michael Caine.  
 Abridged in five parts by Jill Waters and Isobel Creed  
 Producer: Jill Waters  
 A Waters Company production for BBC Radio 4, first broadcast in December 2018.  
**MON 07:30 Lobby Land (m0006v00)**  
 Series 2  
 Vis-à-Vis  
 Topical sitcom following life in Westminster through the eyes of Sam Peakes, a young political editor at a clickbait website. Sam battles to make sense of the madness engulfing British politics.

Starring Yasmine Akram, Charlie Higson, Cariad Lloyd, Dan Tetsell and Daniel Lawrence Taylor.  
 Sam Peakes ..... Yasmine Akram  
 Tom Shriver MP ..... Charlie Higson  
 Mia Phillips ..... Cariad Lloyd  
 Gideon Burnside ..... Dan Tetsell  
 Nathan Edmonds ..... Daniel Lawrence Taylor  
 Written by Jon Harvey, Sarah Dempster and Christopher Davies.  
 With additional material by Laura Major.  
 Production Co-Ordinator: Tam Shilham  
 Script Editor: Dan Tetsell  
 Executive Producer: Lucy Armitage  
 Editor: Jerry Peal  
 Producer : Jon Harvey  
 A Naked production for BBC Radio 4, first broadcast in July 2019.  
**MON 08:00 Round the Horne (b007w4df)**  
 Series 4  
 Episode 2  
 Kenneth Horne stars in a roaring 1920s film spoof 'Thoroughly Modern Willy' and Rambling Syd Rumpo sings of a nagger. Meanwhile, Julian and Sandy come over all transcendental with Bona Gurumut.  
 One of BBC Radio's most influential and groundbreaking series packed full of colourful characters, parodies, memorable catchphrases, and double-entendres.  
 Starring:  
 Kenneth Horne  
 Kenneth Williams  
 Hugh Paddick  
 Betty Marsden  
 Announcer: Douglas Smith  
 Recorded at the BBC's Paris Studio in Lower Regent Street, London.  
 Music by Edwin Braden and the Hornblowers and The Fraser Hayes Four.  
 Round The Horne was born out of the demise of BBC radio comedy Beyond Our Ken. Using the same cast and producer, Barry Took and Marty Feldman wrote the brilliantly inventive - and sometimes outrageous - scripts for the first three series. Series 4 is written by Barry Took with Brian Cooke & Johnnie Mortimer and Donald Webster.  
 Music by the Max Harris Group.  
 Producer: John Simmonds  
 First broadcast on the BBC Radio 2 in March 1968.  
**MON 08:30 Yes Minister (b007k1mq)**  
 Series 2  
 The Moral Dimension  
 Thirsty MP Jim Hacker's trip to an Arab state sparks diplomatic disarray.  
 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 .... Derek Fowlds  
 Anne Hacker .... Diana Hoddinot  
 Bill Pritchard .... Anthony Carrick  
 Prince Mohammed .... Walter Randall  
 First Arab .... Vic Tablian  
 Helpful Arab .... Ali Rifaii  
 Jenny Goodwin .... Moir Lesley  
 Ross .... Robin Summers  
 Diplomat .... Mark Straker  
 Adapted for radio by producer Pete Atkin.  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in November 1984.  
**MON 09:00 All the Way from Memphis (b00m52xh)**  
 Series 2  
 Episode 2  
 James Walton tests and tickles the knowledge of industry pundits and people passionate about pop music.  
 Regulars Tracey MacLeod and Andrew Collins are joined by:  
 Writer, David Quantick  
 Comedian, Stewart Lee  
 Reader: Beth Chalmers  
 Written and researched by James Walton  
 Producer: Dawn Ellis  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in May 2006.  
**MON 09:30 Ring Around the Bath (b00nm9sj)**  
 Series 1  
 Return of the Kidi  
 Stella is a middle aged woman having a crisis - her grown up children refuse to leave home.  
 And worse, her husband doesn't mind!  
 Lucy Clare and Ian Davidson's sitcom about a rather topsy turvy household.  
 Starring Duncan Preston and Penny Downie.  
 Stella's hopes are raised as Rick and girlfriend Xanthe decide to move out.  
 But with lots of jobs to be done in the garden, are there some benefits to having lots of people at home after all?  
 Patrick ..... Duncan Preston  
 Stella ..... Penny Downie  
 Alison ..... Claudie Blakely  
 Rick ..... Bruce McKinnon

Egg ..... Daniela Denby-Ashe  
 Xanthe ..... Catherine Shepherd  
 Producer: Elizabeth Freestone  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in August 2003.  
**MON 10:00 Passenger List (m000qxm2)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 05:00 today]  
**MON 10:45 Short Works (m0003rm7)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 05:45 today]  
**MON 11:00 The Toff (b007jr60)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 today]  
**MON 11:30 Stand By For West (m000gtkj)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 06:30 today]  
**MON 12:00 Golden Child by Claire Adam (m0002z8j)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 07:00 today]  
**MON 12:15 Blowing the Bloody Doors Off by Michael Caine (m0001qh5)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 07:15 today]  
**MON 12:30 Lobby Land (m0006v00)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 07:30 today]  
**MON 13:00 Round the Horne (b007w4df)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 08:00 today]  
**MON 13:30 Yes Minister (b007k1mq)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 08:30 today]  
**MON 14:00 All the Way from Memphis (b00m52xh)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 09:00 today]  
**MON 14:30 Ring Around the Bath (b00nm9sj)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 09:30 today]  
**MON 15:00 Passenger List (m000qxm2)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 05:00 today]  
**MON 15:45 Short Works (m0003rm7)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 05:45 today]  
**MON 16:00 The Toff (b007jr60)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 today]  
**MON 16:30 Stand By For West (m000gtkj)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 06:30 today]  
**MON 17:00 Golden Child by Claire Adam (m0002z8j)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 07:00 today]  
**MON 17:15 Blowing the Bloody Doors Off by Michael Caine (m0001qh5)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 07:15 today]  
**MON 17:30 Lobby Land (m0006v00)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 07:30 today]  
**MON 18:00 Round the Horne (b007w4df)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 08:00 today]  
**MON 18:30 Yes Minister (b007k1mq)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 08:30 today]  
**MON 19:00 All the Way from Memphis (b00m52xh)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 09:00 today]  
**MON 19:30 Ring Around the Bath (b00nm9sj)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 09:30 today]  
**MON 20:00 The Moth Radio Hour (m0015bqz)**  
 Series 12  
 It's the Little Things  
 True stories told live in the USA: Jenifer Hixson introduces tales full of questions, from pleas to childhood curiosity.  
 The Moth is an acclaimed not-for-profit organisation dedicated to the art and craft of storytelling based in the USA. Since 1997, it has celebrated both the raconteur and the storytelling novice, who has lived through something extraordinary and yearns to share it. Originally formed by the writer George Dawes Green as an intimate gathering of friends on a porch in Georgia (where moths would flutter in through a hole in the screen), and then recreated in a New York City living room. The Moth quickly grew to produce immensely popular events at theatres and clubs around New York City and later around the USA, the UK and other parts of the world. The Moth has presented more than 15,000 stories, told live and without notes, to standing-room-only crowds worldwide. The Moth podcast is downloaded over 27 million times a year. Featuring true stories told live on stage without scripts, from the humorous to the heart-breaking.  
 The Moth Radio Hour is produced by Jay Allison and Atlantic Public Media in Woods Hole, Massachusetts and is distributed by the Public Radio Exchange.  
 First heard on PRX in 2020.  
**MON 21:00 Sneakeromics (p09fy32f)**  
 6. Kingmaker  
 Sneakeromics is a close encounter with the visionaries, artisans and journeymen who've made, and been made, by trainers. We'll follow in the footsteps of mavericks, hustlers and dreamers, and hear their tales of boom and bust, fame and infamy, hope and heartbreak.  
 Across nine episodes, Sneakeromics tells the extraordinary origin stories of some of the world's biggest brands, and how sponsorship deals and celebrity culture redefined our relationship with products. It's also a business story – how leisure has evolved into a multi-billion dollar industry; a sports story – how games became organised and grew into a global spectacle; and it's a story of invention – how enthusiastic hobbyist-pioneers often took extraordinary risks that changed the course of sport and fashion.  
 The sneaker story is characterised by fierce competition and rivalry. We explore how the quest to be number one tore families and friendships apart and divided towns. Above all, this is the story of the people behind the shoes. What you'll hear is a mix of interviews with many of the key individuals who've played their part in that extraordinary story, interlaced with moments of fiction inspired by their testimonies and our research.

Written and presented by Nicholas Smith, with 1Xtra presenter Ace. The drama is written by Al Smith.  
 Horst ..... Mark Edel-Hunt  
 Kathe ..... Jane Whittenshaw  
 Reporter ..... Gunnar Cauthery  
 João ..... Joseph Balderrama  
 Rob ..... Wilf Scolding  
 Phil ..... Trevor White  
 Adrian ..... Roger Ringrose  
 Secretary ..... Cecilia Appiah  
 Production Trainee: Marithe Van Der Aa  
 Assistant Producer: Ben Hollands  
 Sound: Peter Ringrose  
 Producer: Sasha Yevtushenko  
 Special thanks: Michael Dassler, Sigi Dassler, John Boulter, Patrick Nally, Sonny and Pam Vaccaro, Julie Dixon, Angelo Anastasio and Andrew Jennings.  
 First heard on BBC Sounds in 2021.  
**MON 22:00 The Museum of Curiosity (m001jsdr)**  
 Series 17  
 Episode 3  
 John Lloyd and Anna Ptaszynski welcome taxidermist Polly Morgan, cartoonist Randall Munroe and impressionist Steve Nallon. On the episode we learn the limits of the human throat, what to do with a snake in a box, and how much soup it would take to destroy a galaxy.  
 The Museum's exhibits were catalogued by Mike Turner, Mandy Fenton and Lydia Mizon of QI.  
 Producer: Sam Holmes & Leying Lee  
 Production Co-ordinator: Sarah Nicholls  
 Sound: David Thomas  
 A BBC Studios production.  
**MON 22:30 Woof (b00bktmnm)**  
 True Tales of Romance and Failure  
 Much Loved Son and Fantasia  
 Myopia and its advantages and ... is that an architect I see before me?  
 Bittersweet comic real life stories written and performed by Chris Neill.  
 With:  
 Isy Suttie  
 Martin Hyder  
 Producer: Steve Doherty  
 A Giddy Goat production for BBC Radio 4 first broadcast in September 2018.  
 \*\* Music featured:  
 Track: Dance Away  
 Perf: The Bryan Ferry Orchestra  
 Track: Those Lazy, Hazy, Crazy Days of Summer  
 Perf: Johnny Maddox  
 Track: September Song  
 Perf: Dion and The Belmonts  
 Track: Ladyfingers  
 Perf: Herb Alpert and the Tijuana Brass  
 Track: Lo Sceicco Bianco  
 Perf: Katyna Ranieri & orchestra  
 Track: I Don't Feel Like Dancin'  
 Perf: Scissor Sisters  
**MON 22:45 Charlotte and Lillian (m0009qwd)**  
 Series 2  
 4. The Patient  
 Charlotte and Lillian are spending time together as part of a Befriend the Elderly scheme.  
 They may bicker about everything from signs of dementia to the appeal of Harry Styles, but underneath it's clear they are two kindred spirits. Two selfish, self-absorbed spirits, but ones who mirror and rely on each other nonetheless.  
 Very nearly 30, Charlotte is still living at home with her parents and chronically unable to figure out what to do with her life. Beneath her attempt at do-gooding is barely disguised despair. She's terrified she is no good. Useless. Unloveable. She looks to Lillian to provide some meaning to her life - if she can help to improve Lillian's life somehow, she'd feel a lot better about her own. And there's all the kudos and social media likes that come with charity work - not to mention the lure of Lillian's large spare room.  
 Lillian returns from a stay in hospital to find Charlotte's taken over the house, and is being her usual irritating self. Lillian is keen to get rid of her, but there's just one problem - she can no longer ignore the fact she is getting older and needs help around the house.  
 Guess who's ready to step up to the plate.  
 Charlotte ..... Helen Monks  
 Lillian ..... Miriam Margolyes  
 Written by: Kat Sommers and Holly Walsh  
 Producer: Lucy Armitage  
 A Giddy Goat production for BBC Radio 4, first broadcast in October 2019.  
**MON 23:00 The News Quiz (m001jsw5)**  
 Series 110  
 Episode 11  
 Andy Zaltzman quizzes the week's news. For our final episode of this series Andy is joined by panellists Chris McCausland, Andy Hamilton, Anushka Asthana and Ria Lina. This week, we'll tackle the Migrant Bill, WhatsAppgate, and The Future (how mysterious)  
 Hosted and written by Andy Zaltzman with additional material from Alice Fraser, Zoë Tomalin, Rhiannon Shaw and Jade Gebbie.

Producer: Sam Holmes  
 Executive Producer: James Robinson  
 Production Co-ordinator: Becky Carewe-Jeffries  
 Sound Editor: Marc Willcox  
 A BBC Studios Production  
**MON 23:30 Masala FM (b007jyfv)**  
 Episode 2  
 Maz Mazoo gets an offer from rival Radio Fun FM, while Madoona, the Asian Madonna is intent on making her mark on Masala FM.  
 Shanta is sick of the pair of them.  
 Asian radio station sitcom written by Meera Syal.  
 Starring:  
 Sanjeev Bhaskar  
 Nitin Sawheny  
 Meera Syal  
 Nina Wadia  
 Music by Nitin Sawheny.  
 Producer: Liz Anstee  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in September 1996.

**TUESDAY 14 MARCH 2023**

**TUE 00:00 Passenger List (m000qxm2)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 05:00 on Monday]  
**TUE 00:45 Short Works (m0003rm7)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 05:45 on Monday]  
**TUE 01:00 The Toff (b007jr60)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 on Monday]  
**TUE 01:30 Stand By For West (m000gtk1)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 06:30 on Monday]  
**TUE 02:00 Golden Child by Claire Adam (m0002z8j)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 07:00 on Monday]  
**TUE 02:15 Blowing the Bloody Doors Off by Michael Caine (m0001qh5)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 07:15 on Monday]  
**TUE 02:30 Lobby Land (m0006v00)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 07:30 on Monday]  
**TUE 03:00 Round the Horne (b007w4df)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 08:00 on Monday]  
**TUE 03:30 Yes Minister (b007k1mq)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 08:30 on Monday]  
**TUE 04:00 All the Way from Memphis (b00m52xh)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 09:00 on Monday]  
**TUE 04:30 Ring Around the Bath (b00nm9sj)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 09:30 on Monday]  
**TUE 05:00 Alan Plater - The Devil's Music (b007qx2y)**  
 1. Roll Jordan Roll  
 Rehearsing for the Brecon Jazz Festival, Megan keeps playing a certain melody.  
 But where does it come from?  
 Her musical detective trail leads to the 1880s and the visit to Swansea of a choir of emancipated slaves.  
 First of three plays inspired by the Women's Jazz Archive, written by Alan Plater.  
 Megan 5th ..... Rakkie Ayola  
 Megan 3rd ..... Margaret John  
 Megan 1st ..... Helen Griffin  
 Loudin ..... Don Warrington  
 Owain ..... Phylip HARRIES  
 Rev Davies ..... Rhodri Hugh  
 PC Thomas ..... Arwyn Davies  
 Stories based on original material researched and collected by Jen Wilson of the Women's Jazz Archive, Swansea.  
 Composer and Musical Director: Paula Gardiner  
 Music performed by:  
 Aula Gardiner  
 Richard Roberts  
 Peter Churchill  
 Nia Lynn  
 Dyfrig Morris  
 Lee Williams  
 Directed at BBC Wales by Alison Hindell  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in August 2001.  
**TUE 05:45 Three Country Stories by HE Bates (b007jv1q)**  
 Series 1  
 1. Time  
 Three old men sit and watch the world pass by - but one knows the secret of youthful vitality.  
 A selection of short stories by HE Bates.  
 Featuring some splendid local characters, set in the heart of the Bedfordshire countryside which the author knew and loved so well.  
 Abridged and read by David Neal  
 Producer: Cherry Cookson  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in September 1987.  
**TUE 06:00 The Toff (b007jr8v)**  
 The Toff and the Runaway Bride  
 2. The Finger of Suspicion  
 After bride Barbara's disappearance, the Honourable Richard Rollison faces more mystery - on the trail of Major Guy Lessing's first wife...  
 Terence Alexander stars as the Toff - upper-class amateur sleuth, the Honourable Richard Rollison.  
 John Creasey's detective novel dramatised by Roy Lomax.  
 The Toff ..... Terence Alexander  
 Jolly ..... Robert Dornin  
 Major Guy Lessing ..... Alan Cuthbertson

Barbara Lessing ..... Rosalind Shanks  
 Doctor ..... Dennis McCarthy  
 Kevin Brennan ..... Robert Lawn  
 Superintendent ..... Godfrey James  
 Producer: John Fawcett Wilson.  
 First broadcast on the BBC World Service in June 1975.  
**TUE 06:30 Stand By For West (m000gtx3)**  
 Inspector West at Home  
 4. A Call from The Whistler  
 Chief Inspector Roger West comes face-to-face with 'Whistler' Malone - and some very useful evidence...  
 Starring Patrick Allen as Scotland Yard's youngest, smartest chief inspector.  
 Created and written by John Creasey.  
 Dramatised by Maurice Travers.  
 Chief Inspector Roger West .... Patrick Allen  
 Janet West .... Sarah Lawson  
 Mark Lessing .... Edward de Souza  
 Lois Randall .... Carol Marsh  
 Pickereff .... Robert James  
 Bill Tennant .... Anthony Jackson  
 'Whistler' Malone .... Rio Fanning  
 Mrs Fleming .... Margaret Robertson  
 Raymond Fleming .... Frederick Jaeger  
 Producer: John Fawcett Wilson  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 2 in April 1968.  
**TUE 07:00 Golden Child by Claire Adam (m0002z31)**  
 7. The Before and After  
 Paul, the son who has caused Clyde and Joy no end of problems, is still missing.  
 But at last, we finally learn what happened to him down by the riverbank...  
 Claire Adam's heartrending and lyrical debut set in Trinidad about betrayal, love and impossible choices.  
 Abridged by Sara Davies.  
 Read by Don Warrington.  
 Producer: Justine Willett  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in March 2019.  
**TUE 07:15 Blowing the Bloody Doors Off by Michael Caine (m0001qwq)**  
 2. Auditions  
 Sir Michael Caine recalls how, after years of struggling to get by, his luck began to change.  
 The Hollywood legend and British national treasure shares some stories along with some of the lessons that life has taught him in his remarkable acting career.  
 Written and read by Michael Caine.  
 Abridged by Jill Waters and Isobel Creed  
 Producer: Jill Waters  
 A Waters Company production for BBC Radio 4, first broadcast in December 2018.  
**TUE 07:30 Ed Reardon's Week (b03kpnjz)**  
 Series 9  
 Intellectual Fireworks  
 Ed appears to have stepped on the gravy train at last as he takes up a professorship at Much Wenlock Court – a prestigious writing retreat.  
 He hopes this will lead him at the very least, to a contentious Saturday Essay on Radio 4's Today Programme.  
 But, alas, this retreat has been set up by one Jaz Milvain so could Ed's change in fortune be too good to be true...?  
 The comical world of an author, pipe smoker, consummate fare-dodger and master of the abusive e-mail.  
 Starring Christopher Douglas  
 Written by Andrew Nickolds and Christopher Douglas  
 Ed Reardon.....Christopher Douglas  
 Olive.....Stephanie Cole  
 Ned.....Jonathan Coy  
 Newsreader.....Corrie Corfield  
 Jaz.....Philip Jackson  
 Rosemary.....Felicity Montagu  
 Maureen.....Carolyn Pickles  
 Suki/Waitress.....Nicola Sanderson  
 Pearl.....Alison Steadman  
 Ping/Lisa.....Barunka O'Shaughnessy  
 Stan.....Geoffrey Whitehead  
 Producer: Dawn Ellis  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in December 2013.  
**TUE 08:00 The Goon Show (b00cghns)**  
 Series 8  
 The Junk Affair  
 Neddie combs the world for junk, hoping to corner the market and make a packet.  
 Groundbreaking, surreal BBC radio comedy written by Spike Milligan.  
 With:  
 Peter Sellers  
 Spike Milligan  
 Harry Secombe  
 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: Charles Chilton  
 First broadcast on the BBC Light Programme in October 1957.  
**TUE 08:30 For Better or for Worse (b00g2glt)**  
 Series 1

Episode 1  
 Dithering Bernard tries to get engaged to his flighty partner Iris. Will she manage to persuade Bernard to buy her an engagement ring at last?  
 Starring Gordon Kaye and Su Pollard.  
 Vince Powell's sitcom about the turbulent relationship of an odd couple.  
 Iris ..... Su Pollard  
 Bernard ..... Gordon Kaye  
 Wilf ..... David Ross  
 Daisy ..... Paula Tilbrook  
 Mr Foley ..... Peter Wheeler  
 Mr Matthews ..... John Jardine  
 Miss Parker ..... Julie Higginson  
 Vince Powell (1928–2009) wrote for many popular TV sitcoms including Love Thy Neighbour, For the Love of Ada and Never Mind the Quality, Feel the Width.  
 Producer: Mike Craig  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 2 in February 1993.  
**TUE 09:00 Who Goes There? (b00fks6r)**  
 Series 3  
 Episode 3  
 Martin Young chairs the quiz which looks at the noteworthy and the notorious from history.  
 Tackling the biographical teasers are team captains Francis Wheen and Fred Housego.  
 With guests:  
 Carol Sarler  
 Rachel Holmes  
 Producer: Liz Anstee  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in January 2000.  
**TUE 09:30 The Patrick and Maureen Maybe Music Experience (b007lr4s)**  
 Episode 4  
 Unhappily married Patrick and Maureen are getting on so badly that they're forced to present their final show from separate studios.  
 But even that doesn't stop them quarrelling...  
 Starring Imelda Staunton and Patrick Barlow.  
 Special guest: Rachel Weisz  
 Written by Patrick Barlow.  
 Maureen Maybe ..... Imelda Staunton  
 Patrick Maybe ..... Patrick Barlow  
 Doctor ..... Peter Jones  
 Cleonni ..... Carla Mendonca  
 Peter Davies ..... John Ramm  
 Script associate: Nev Fountain  
 Producer: Claire Jones  
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**TUE 20:00 TED Radio Hour (m000w9sv)**  
 Series 8

Reinvention  
A journey through fascinating ideas based on talks by riveting speakers on the TED (Technology, Entertainment, Design) stage.  
Manoush Zomorodi explores the challenges posed by transitioning to the new. How do we reimagine what we thought we knew?  
First broadcast in the USA on National Public Radio in 2020.  
**TUE 20:50 Inheritance Tracks (b010j7b9)**  
Tamsin Greig  
Actress Tamsin Greig inherits 'The Pearl Fishers Duet' by Bizet and passes on 'To Make You Feel My Love' by Bob Dylan.  
**TUE 21:00 Sneakernomics (p09fy35c)**  
7. The Cri de Coeur  
Sneakernomics is a close encounter with the visionaries, artisans and journeymen who've made, and been made, by trainers. We'll follow in the footsteps of mavericks, hustlers and dreamers, and hear their tales of boom and bust, fame and infamy, hope and heartbreak.  
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The sneaker story is characterised by fierce competition and rivalry. We explore how the quest to be number one tore families and friendships apart and divided towns. Above all, this is the story of the people behind the shoes. What you'll hear is a mix of interviews with many of the key individuals who've played their part in that extraordinary story, interlaced with moments of fiction inspired by their testimonies and our research.  
Written and presented by Nicholas Smith, with 1Xtra presenter Ace. The drama is written by Al Smith.  
Ron ..... Ed Gaughan  
Nurse ..... Charlotte East  
Frank ..... Martins Imhangbe  
Phil ..... Trevor White  
Rob ..... Wilf Scolding  
Bob ..... Joseph Balderrama  
Jeff ..... Ian Dunnett Jnr.  
Production Trainee: Marithe Van Der Aa  
Assistant Producer: Ben Hollands  
Sound: Peter Ringrose  
Producer: Sasha Yevtushenko  
Special thanks: Russ Gater, Jeff Johnson, John Boulter, Mike Deegan, Gary Aspin, Neal Heath, Julie Dixon, Peter Moore, Nelson Farris, Joan Benoit Samuelson, Gina Millson, Clare Ewing and Jamie Larsen.  
First heard on BBC Sounds in 2021.  
**TUE 22:00 Mark Watson Talks a Bit About Life (m001jslm)**  
Series 4  
Thursday's Child Is...  
Multi-award winning comedian and author Mark Watson continues his probably doomed, but luckily funny quest to make sense of the human experience.  
This series is about time - the days of the week, the stages of our existence - and the way we use it to make sense of things. We make our way through the working week, tonight considering Thursday. What does it mean to have 'far to go'? What was the lowpoint of Mark's career on the Waitrose checkout? And who does his mother consider 'a waste of space'?  
Expect jokes, observations and interactions galore as Mark is aided, and sometimes obstructed, by the sardonic musical excellence of Flo & Joan. There's also a hand-picked comedy colleague each week - we are lucky tonight to have Sikisa.  
Producer: Lianne Coop  
An Impatient production for BBC Radio 4  
**TUE 22:30 The Jason Byrne Show (b01ghl2)**  
Series 2  
Animals  
Award-winning Jason Byrne muses on all beasts, including humans.  
Fast-paced stand-up comedy and sketch show.  
With:  
Laurence Howarth  
Daisy Haggard  
Producer: Julia McKenzie  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in August 2009.  
**TUE 22:55 The Comedy Club Interviews (m001k7jx)**  
Tom Ward 2/3  
From **10pm** until midnight, seven days a week, The Comedy Club has two hours of comedy. And tonight, Jon Holmes chats to the comedian Tom Ward.  
**TUE 23:00 The Damien Slash Mixtape (b08v8dy2)**  
Series 1  
Episode 2  
Multi-character YouTube star Damien Slash makes the move from online to Radio 4, in this new fast-paced, one-man sketch comedy show. From the surreal to the satirical, from the zeitgeist to the absurd, Damien serves up a range of high octane characters, all from his own voice. Adverts, actors, hipsters, trolls - no aspect of modern life is left un-skewed.

Written by and starring Damien Slash (aka Daniel Barker)  
Additional material by Robin Morgan  
Produced by Sam Bryant  
A BBC Studios production first broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in June 2017.  
**TUE 23:15 Political Animals (b01m179f)**  
Series 1  
Humphrey  
Notoriously photo-shy Humphrey was chief mouser to the Cabinet Office from 1989 to 1997.  
With a robust vocabulary and a pretty earthy view of political life, he looks back on New Labour life at Number 10 under Tony Blair.  
Starring James Fleet.  
Series of scurrilous talks given by well-known, if unreliable, Downing Street cats.  
Tony Bagley assists each feline to relate their trials and tribulations under four different prime ministers.  
Director: Marc Beeby  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in August 2012.  
**TUE 23:30 Elvenquest (m000h106)**  
Series 1  
Episode 6  
Finally the Sword of Asnagar is found. But is Sam a traitor? It seems the Quest is near its end as the noble band reach the Rock of Sorrows. But Sam is tempted by Lord Darkness and has to decide between his friends and his home.  
More comic adventures set in lower Earth where fantasy writer Sam has been coerced into joining a band of intrepid heroes as they battle the dread forces of evil in search of the legendary sword of Asnagar!  
Fantasy sitcom written by Anil Gupta and Richard Pinto.  
Sam ..... Stephen Mangan  
Vidar ..... Darren Boyd  
Dean ..... Kevin Eldon  
Penthiselea ..... Sophie Winkleman  
Lord Darkness ..... Alistair McGowan  
Kreech ..... Kevin Eldon  
Amis ..... Dave Lamb  
Producers: Anil Gupta & Paul Schlesinger  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in June 2009.

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**WED 05:00 Alan Plater - The Devil's Music (b007qvvd)**  
2. The Great Pork Pie Mystery  
The Devil's Music  
Three plays inspired by the Women's Jazz Archive, by Alan Plater  
2: The Great Pork Pie Mystery  
Megan is tracing the path of a melody she can't stop playing. Perhaps the answer lies in the Kohinoor Tearoom, Swansea in the 1920s.  
Megan 5 ..... Rakie Ayola  
Megan 3 ..... Margaret John  
Megan 1 ..... Helen Griffin  
Megan 2 ..... Karin Diamond  
Mickey ..... Joe Caffrey  
Kelsey ..... Rhodri Hugh  
Composer and Musical Director: Paula Gardiner  
Singers: Pete Churchill, Nia Lynn, Dyfrig Morris and Natalie Williams and members of the cast  
Music performed by Paula Gardiner and Richard Roberts  
Stories based on original material researched and collected by Jen Wilson of the Women's Jazz Archive, Swansea  
Director Alison Hindell  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in August 2001.  
**WED 05:45 Three Country Stories by HE Bates (b007jv2t)**  
Series 1  
2. Chaff in the Wind  
Three Country Stories by H. E. Bates  
A selection of short stories, featuring some splendid local characters, set in the heart of the Bedfordshire countryside which Bates knew and loved so well.

2: Chaff in the Wind  
Chaff is being burnt on a cold, windy October day. A woman is leaning on a hayfork as a man comes across a field. He's looking for a place called Benacre and stands in the smoke asking for directions.  
Abridged and read by David Neal  
Producer Cherry Cookson  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in October 1987.  
**WED 06:00 The Toff (b007jrcm)**  
The Toff and the Runaway Bride  
3. No Sleep for the Wicked  
With Guy and Barbara both now murder suspects - the Toff gets a shock when he breaks into the Major's flat.  
Terence Alexander stars as the Toff - upper-class amateur sleuth, the Honourable Richard Rollison.  
John Creasey's detective novel dramatised by Roy Lomax.  
The Toff ..... Terence Alexander  
Jolly ..... Robert Dorning  
Superintendent ..... Godfrey James  
Barbara Lessing ..... Rosalind Shanks  
Police Officer ..... Clifford Norgate  
Major Guy Lessing ..... Alan Cuthbertson  
Rose Lessing ..... Denise Buckley  
Holy Joe ..... David Graham  
Producer: John Fawcett Wilson.  
First broadcast on the BBC World Service in June 1975.  
**WED 06:30 Stand By For West (m000gvkk)**  
Inspector West at Home  
5. A Girl for a Hostage  
The stakes are high, as Chief Inspector Roger West draws closer to the truth and the mystery of what he missed.  
Starring Patrick Allen as Scotland Yard's youngest, smartest chief inspector.  
Created and written by John Creasey.  
Dramatised by Maurice Treves.  
Chief Inspector Roger West .... Patrick Allen  
Janet West .... Sarah Lawson  
Mark Lessing .... Edward de Souza  
Superintendent Abbott .... Grant Taylor  
Inspector Bob Cornish .... Frederick Treves  
Lois Randall .... Carol Marsh  
Bill Tennant .... Anthony Jackson  
'Whistler' Malone .... Rio Fanning  
Producer: John Fawcett Wilson  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 2 in April 1968.  
**WED 07:00 Golden Child by Claire Adam (m0002zcj)**  
8. The Plan  
As Paul is driven away by the kidnappers, he knows that he's going to have to look after himself...  
Claire Adam's heartrending and lyrical debut set in Trinidad about betrayal, love and impossible choices.  
Abridged by Sara Davies.  
Read by Don Warrington.  
Producer: Justine Willett  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in March 2019.  
**WED 07:15 Blowing the Bloody Doors Off by Michael Caine (m0001r7m)**  
3. Success  
Sir Michael Caine examines how even disasters on a film set can offer an opportunity to learn.  
He also recalls being sacked by Joan Littlewood.  
The Hollywood legend and British national treasure shares some stories along with some of the lessons that life has taught him in his remarkable acting career.  
Written and read by Michael Caine.  
Abridged by Jill Waters and Isobel Creed  
Producer: Jill Waters  
A Waters Company production for BBC Radio 4, first broadcast in December 2018.  
**WED 07:30 Women Talking About Cars (b0939zyf)**  
Series 2  
Jo Brand  
Victoria Coren Mitchell interviews comedian and actress, Jo Brand about cars.  
Discover how Jo's rally-driving past was ended by romance; how her car became an impromptu counselling couch for comedians; the vital importance of the right kind of snacks; and when you shouldn't risk a roadside wee.  
Series in which famous women look at their lives from the perspective of the cars they have known, the journeys they've been on and the things they keep in their boot for emergencies. With contributions from our studio audience and tongue-in-cheek readings from Morwenna Banks  
Producer: Gareth Edwards  
A BBC Studios Comedy production for BBC Radio 4, first broadcast in September 2017.  
**WED 08:00 Hancock's Half Hour (b00j1wJ3)**  
Series 3  
The Pet Dog  
The Lad buys Andree a puppy for her birthday, but to his alarm - it won't stop growing!  
Ray Galton and Alan Simpson's classic comedy about the life and times of Anthony Aloysius St John Hancock.  
Starring Tony Hancock.  
With:  
Bill Kerr  
Sidney James  
Kenneth Williams  
Andree Melly

Theme and incidental music written by Wally Stott.  
Music recorded by the BBC Augmented Revue Orchestra conducted by Harry Rabinowitz.  
Producer: Dennis Main Wilson  
First broadcast on the BBC Light Programme in October 1955.  
**WED 08:30 Life, Death and Sex with Mike and Sue (b01nh82g)**  
Series 2  
Fear  
Mike and Sue invite a stressed bomb disposal expert to "hug his fear".  
Starring Robert Duncan and Jan Ravens.  
Bill Dare's daytime sofa-based sitcom.  
Mike ..... Robert Duncan  
Sue ..... Jan Ravens  
With:  
Roger Blake  
Bill Dare  
Alistair McGowan  
Sally Philips  
Music by Mark Burton.  
Producer: Jo Clegg  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in August 1997.  
**WED 09:00 Nature Table (m000fwcw)**  
Series 1  
Episode 4  
Comedian, broadcaster and writer Sue Perkins' 'Show & Tell' series celebrating the natural world and all its funny eccentricities.  
Taking the simple format of a 'Show & Tell', each episode Sue is joined by celebrity guests from the worlds of comedy and natural history. Each of the natural history guests brings an item linked to the wild world to share with the audience, be it an amazing fact or funny personal anecdote. Each item is a springboard for an enlightening and funny discussion, alongside fun games and challenges revealing more astonishing facts. We also hear from some of the London Zoo audience, a mix of London Zoo staff and members of the public, as they bring us their own natural history 'show and tells' for Sue and the guests to discuss.  
Nature Table has a simple clear brief: to positively celebrate and promote the importance of all our planet's wonderfully wild flora and fauna in a fun and easily grasped way... whilst at the same time having a giggle.  
In this episode, Sue Perkins is joined by special guests zoologist and author Lucy Cooke, fly expert Dr. Erica McAlister and comedian Kiri Pritchard-McLean.  
Written by Catherine Brinkworth, Kat Sadler and Jon Hunter  
Produced by Simon Nicholls  
A BBC Studios Production for BBC Radio 4, first broadcast in March 2020.  
**WED 09:30 The Small World of Dominic Holland (b007v2f5)**  
Shopping  
The comedian shares his thoughts on money and shopping. Six-part series illustrating the Domestic minutiae of life. Stand-up and sketches with Simon Greenall, Sally Grace and Dave Lamb.  
Producer: Maria Esposito  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in August 2000.  
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**WED 20:00 Archive on 4 (b09y6wg3)**  
The Ultimate Trip: Stanley Kubrick's Space Odyssey  
Christopher Frayling explores the lasting influence of Stanley Kubrick and Arthur C Clarke's 1968 sci-fi masterpiece.  
2001: A Space Odyssey was released into the world in April 1968. Puzzling, infuriating, inspiring and thrilling, it captivated audiences at the time and, 50 years on, continues to exert a powerful effect on our thinking about the present and the future.  
This remarkable movie was the result of a synthesis of two very different visions.  
Based on his own short story The Sentinel, it was written by British author Arthur C Clarke - a futurist of uncanny ability. The film director was Stanley Kubrick - an American working in the UK, whose previous works included gladiator epic, Spartacus and savage nuclear satire, Dr Strangelove.  
Marketed as The Ultimate Trip, 2001 became an essential experience for younger audiences - many of whom saw it multiple times, and sometimes in an enhanced state of consciousness. But alongside its wildly psychedelic visions, 2001 also presented an extraordinarily convincing and intricate vision of future space travel.  
Cultural historian and writer, Christopher Frayling travels back in time to the creation of 2001, hearing how organisations like NASA and IBM were enlisted to help Kubrick craft his vision. And he speaks to scientists, critics and filmmakers to examine the film's enduring influence on science, design and popular culture.  
Interviewees:  
\* Maggie Aderin-Pocock, space scientist  
\* Piers Bizony, science journalist  
\* Victoria Broackes, Senior Curator, V&A Museum  
\* Catherine Constable, Professor of Film Studies, Warwick University  
\* John Landis, film director  
\* Christopher Nolan, film director  
\* Georgina Orgill, Stanley Kubrick Archivist, University of the Arts London.  
Producer: Jane Long  
A Hidden Flack production for BBC Radio 4, first broadcast in April 2018.  
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Cheryl . . . . . Cecilia Appiah  
Paul . . . . . Ed Gaughan  
Production Trainee: Marithe Van Der Aa  
Assistant Producer: Ben Hollands  
Sound: Peter Ringrose  
Producer: Sasha Yevtushenko  
Special thanks: Julie Dixon, Sonny and Pam Vaccaro, John Boulter, Joe Foster, Angel Martinez, Professor Akilah Carter-Francique, Jeff Johnson, Bob Woodell, Nelson Farris, Peter Moore, Dr Todd Boyd, Paul Litchfield, Victoria Purcell, Michelle Apodaca, Clare Ewing and Jamie Larsen.  
First heard on BBC Sounds in 2021.  
**WED 22:00 Conversations from a Long Marriage (m001jt7z)**  
Series 4  
4. Every Little Thing  
Joanna Lumley and Roger Allam return in the fourth series of

Jan Etherington's award-winning comedy about a long-married couple in love with life and each other.  
This week, it seems everything is making Roger grumpy, including a neighbour putting out his bin on the wrong day; a car alarm in the night and a shortage of streaky bacon. Roger claims he's 'normal' because 'most men live lives of quiet desperation' but Joanna discovers it's her fault he's feeling fed up.  
Conversations from a Long Marriage won the Voice of the Listener & Viewer Award for Best Radio Comedy in 2020. Also, nominated for a Writers Guild Award 2023.  
Conversations from a Long Marriage is written by Jan Etherington and produced by Claire Jones. The production coordinator is Katie Baum, the studio engineer is Wilfredo Acosta and sound design is by Jon Calver. It is a BBC Studios Production.  
'Joanna Lumley and Roger Allam have had illustrious acting careers but can they ever have done anything better than Jan Etherington's two hander? This is a work of supreme craftsmanship.' RADIO TIMES  
'Peppered with nostalgic 60s hits and especially written for the pair, it's an endearing portrait of exasperation, laced with hard won tolerance - and something like love.' THE GUARDIAN  
'The delicious fruit of the writer, Jan Etherington's experience of writing lots of TV and radio, blessed by being acted by Joanna Lumley and Roger Allam. Treasure this one, produced by Claire Jones. Unlike many a current Radio 4 'comedy', this series makes people laugh' GILLIAN REYNOLDS. SUNDAY TIMES  
'You've been listening at my window, Jan'. JOANNA LUMLEY  
**WED 22:30 Jason Cook's School of Hard Knocks (b03y38kp)**  
Funerals and Sex Education  
Jason Cook helps make life more lovely for listeners, with more life lessons.  
This time Jason looks at the peculiar pressures of fitting in at funerals as well as how to tackle the tricky task of explaining the bird n' the bees.  
With Zoe Harrison and Neil Grainger.  
Producer: Sam Michell.  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in March 2014.  
**WED 23:00 Lucy Porter In The Family Way... Again (m0004lbs)**  
Radio 4 favourite Lucy Porter returns with another examination of domestic life, covering everything from the dramatic to the dreary.  
Following up last year's In the Family Way, Lucy looks at the question of legacy - what do we receive from our parents, and what do we pass on to our children?  
Lucy hasn't entirely been a winner in the genetic lottery. She has inherited dodgy knees, terrible teeth and a small third nipple. Her collection of family heirlooms consists of glass clowns, porcelain horses and offensive jam lids. Lucy does, however, want to instil in her own kids some of the values her parents taught her, including patience, courage and charity.  
Talented comedian and impressionist Luke Kempner is on hand again to help Lucy illustrate the points she wants to make. As always, he displays his range of comic voices, including an impressive impersonation of Lucy's Welsh great-grandmother.  
In The Family Way... Again is a kind of love letter from Lucy to her mum, and a tender reflection on the things our parents do that drive us mad - things we'll inevitably end up doing ourselves.  
Recorded live at Circus Stratford  
Written by Lucy Porter  
With Additional Material by Gabby Hutchinson Crouch  
Performed by Lucy Porter and Luke Kempner  
Directed by Marilyn Imrie  
Engineered and Edited by Jerry Peel  
Production Managed by Sarah Tombling  
Production Runner: Abbigayle Bircham  
Produced by Gordon Kennedy  
An Absolutely production for BBC Radio 4 first broadcast in 2019.  
**WED 23:30 This Is Craig Brown (b00dz9jn)**  
Celebrity  
Get all the gossip on the Beckhams and Barry Norman interviews Daffy Duck.  
Mixing satire, social observation and nonsense, this week Craig Brown looks at Celebrity. Barry Norman exclusively interviews Daffy Duck about his career in show business and Tony Benn tells us about the time he didn't make love to Marilyn Monroe. With Edward Fox, Rory Bremner, Harry Enfield, Mel Hudson, Geoffrey McGivern, Felicity Montagu, Hugo Weaving and Barry Norman.  
Written by Craig Brown.  
Producer: Simon Nicholls  
First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in March 2004.  
**WED 23:45 Gus Murdoch's Sacred Cows (b00fgq45)**  
2. Bank Hols  
Incisive reporter Gus Murdoch investigates the pros and cons of bank holidays.  
Written by and starring Stephen Carlin.  
With:  
Neil Edmond  
Margaret Cabourn-Smith  
Stephen Carlin  
Helen Longworth  
Chris Pavlo

Producer: Tilusha Ghelani  
 Made for BBC Radio 7 and first broadcast in November 2008.

**THURSDAY 16 MARCH 2023**

**THU 00:00 Alan Plater - The Devil's Music (b007yqgd)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 05:00 on Wednesday]  
**THU 00:45 Three Country Stories by HE Bates (b007jv2t)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 05:45 on Wednesday]  
**THU 01:00 The Toff (b007jrcm)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 on Wednesday]  
**THU 01:30 Stand By For West (m000gvkk)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 06:30 on Wednesday]  
**THU 02:00 Golden Child by Claire Adam (m0002zcj)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 07:00 on Wednesday]  
**THU 02:15 Blowing the Bloody Doors Off by Michael Caine (m0001r7m)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 07:15 on Wednesday]  
**THU 02:30 Women Talking About Cars (b0939zyf)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 07:30 on Wednesday]  
**THU 03:00 Hancock's Half Hour (b00j1wj3)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 08:00 on Wednesday]  
**THU 03:30 Life, Death and Sex with Mike and Sue (b01nh82g)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 08:30 on Wednesday]  
**THU 04:00 Nature Table (m000fwcw)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 09:00 on Wednesday]  
**THU 04:30 The Small World of Dominic Holland (b007v2f5)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 09:30 on Wednesday]  
**THU 05:00 Alan Plater - The Devil's Music (b007qss0)**  
 3. Beacons  
 The Devil's Music  
 The conclusion of Alan Plater's three dramas, inspired by the Women's Jazz Archive  
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 Megan's search for the roots of a melody she keeps playing comes full circle when her grandmother arranges a surprise.  
 Megan 5 ..... Rakie Ayola  
 Megan 3 ..... Margaret John  
 Frederick Loudin ..... Don Warrington  
 Michael ..... Phylip Harries  
 Megan 2 ..... Karin Diamond  
 Mickey ..... Joe Caffrey  
 Composer and Musical Director: Paula Gardiner  
 Singers: Pete Churchill, Nia Lynn, Dyfrig Morris and Natalie Williams and members of the cast  
 Music performed by Paula Gardiner, Lee Goodall, Richard Roberts and Ian Williams  
 Stories based on original material researched and collected by Jen Wilson of the Women's Jazz Archive, Swansea  
 Directed in Wales by Alison Hindell  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in August 2001.  
**THU 05:45 Three Country Stories by HE Bates (b007jxtx)**  
 Series 1  
 3. The Maker of Coffins  
 Three Country Stories by H. E. Bates  
 A selection of short stories, featuring some splendid local characters, set in the heart of the Bedfordshire countryside which Bates knew and loved so well.  
 3: The Maker of Coffins  
 Every Sunday, a mother awaits the arrival of her eldest son Luther. He visits her to play the fiddle after finishing his job as a coffin maker. He dreads the day when he'll be measuring her up.  
 Abridged and read by David Neal  
 Producer Cherry Cookson  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in October 1987.  
**THU 06:00 The Toff (b007jrfz)**  
 The Toff and the Runaway Bride  
 4. Death Is No Alibi  
 As the murder count mounts, the police hunt Richard - and there's a discovery in the River Thames...  
 Terence Alexander stars as the Toff - upper-class amateur sleuth, the Honourable Richard Rollison.  
 John Creasey's thriller dramatised by Roy Lomax.  
 The Toff ..... Terence Alexander  
 Jolly ..... Robert Dorning  
 Inspector Ellerby ..... Roger Gartland  
 Sergeant ..... Michael Shannon  
 Inspector Reno ..... Godfrey James  
 Robert Lawn ..... Kevin Brennan  
 Barbara Lessing ..... Rosalind Shanks  
 Producer: John Fawcett Wilson.  
 First broadcast on the BBC World Service in June 1975.  
**THU 06:30 Stand By For West (m000gvjw)**  
 Inspector West at Home  
 6. Clue from a Captive  
 'Whistler' Malone may be in a police cell but this case is far from sewn up. As Roger West says, it's got more twists than a corkscrew.  
 Chief Inspector Roger West is the creation of John Creasey, who authored more than 40 Roger West novels between 1942 and 1973.  
 Much like Paul Temple, West - "Scotland Yard's youngest, smartest chief inspector" - has a long-suffering wife who also gets involved with the action. A total of six novels were adapted for radio by Maurice Travers.

Chief Inspector Roger West ... Patrick Allen  
 Janet West .... Sarah Lawson  
 Superintendent Abbott .... Grant Taylor  
 Inspector Bob Cornish .... Frederick Treves  
 'Whistler' Malone .... Rio Fanning  
 Assistant Commissioner Sir Guy Chatsworth .... Maurice Hedley  
 Producer: John Fawcett Wilson  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 2 in 1968.  
**THU 07:00 Golden Child by Claire Adam (m0002zqn)**  
 9. The Wrong Boy  
 Don Warrington continues Claire Adam's heartrending and lyrical debut set in Trinidad about betrayal, love and impossible choices.  
 Today, finally the ransom demand comes. But have the kidnapppers got the right boy?  
 Reader: Don Warrington  
 Writer: Claire Adam  
 Abridger: Sara Davies  
 Producer: Justine Willett  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in March 2019.  
**THU 07:15 Blowing the Bloody Doors Off by Michael Caine (m0001rnp)**  
 4. Alfie  
 Hollywood legend and British national treasure Sir Michael Caine shares some of the lessons that life has taught him in his remarkable career.  
 One of our best-loved actors, Michael Caine has starred in a huge range of films, including some all-time favourites, from the classic British movies Alfie, Zulu and The Italian Job to the Hollywood blockbusting Dark Knight trilogy, Dirty Rotten Scoundrels, Hannah and Her Sisters and Cider House Rules. Michael Caine recalls his first publicity tour in America and also summarises some of the skills an actor needs to achieve enduring success.  
 Written and read by Michael Caine  
 Abridged by Jill Waters and Isobel Creed  
 Produced by Jill Waters  
 A Waters Company production for BBC Radio 4  
 First broadcast in 2018.  
**THU 07:30 Guilt Trip (b07mxt9d)**  
 Episode 3  
 On day 10 of the walk, they spot a narrow boat that reminds Laura of the Rosie and Jim boat she remembers from the children's TV show.  
 But when the owner invites them aboard, it doesn't all go quite as they might have expected.  
 Comedy drama written by Katherine Jakeways with Felicity Montagu and Olivia Nixon.  
 A mother and daughter are undertaking a two week sponsored walk along The Thames Path to raise money for the dead father's charity.  
 But the mother and father divorced nine years ago and he'd remarried, so relationships between them all have been strained. Things come to a head at any mention of the French Oak gable table that Ros and her now dead ex bought together in Camden. This has somehow ended up in the stepmother's house, much to Ros's annoyance: "I mean she sits at it! It's my table and she sits at it."  
 Ros ..... Felicity Montagu  
 Laura ..... Olivia Nixon  
 Stepmother ..... Katherine Jakeways  
 Boat Owner ..... Juliet Cowan  
 Producer: Jane Berthoud  
 A BBC Comedy production for BBC Radio 4 first broadcast in July 2016.  
**THU 08:00 The Burkiss Way (b007jqxd)**  
 Series 3  
 Son of the Burkiss Way  
 Film 77 presents the premiere of the BBC's first ever motion picture for radio  
 Starring Fred Harris, Jo Kendall, Nigel Rees and Chris Emmett  
 .  
 Cult sketch comedy series which originally ran from 1976 to 1980.  
 Written by Andrew Marshall and David Renwick.  
 Producer: John Lloyd  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in December 1977.  
**THU 08:30 The World As We Know It (b00fd7zl)**  
 The End  
 Donna, Johnny, Patrick and Abigail woke up on Saturday morning to find they were the last four people left on earth. Two days later and the implications of what has happened are beginning to sink in, as they start the first week of the rest of their lives...  
 Sitcom by Luke Sorba.  
 Johnny ..... Toby Longworth  
 Donna ..... Meera Syal  
 Patrick ..... Luke Sorba  
 Abigail ..... Carla Mendonca  
 The Stranger ..... Simon Greenall  
 Producer: Elizabeth Anstee  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in May 1999.  
**THU 09:00 The Unbelievable Truth (m000czlr)**  
 Series 23  
 Episode 2  
 David Mitchell hosts the panel game in which four comedians are encouraged to tell lies.  
 They compete against one another to see how many items of

truth they're able to smuggle past their opponents.  
 The panellists are obliged to talk with deliberate inaccuracy on subjects as varied as actors, rules, dogs and Finland.  
 Susan Calman  
 Graeme Garden  
 Sindhu Vee  
 Lloyd Langford  
 Produced by Jon Naismith  
 A Random Entertainment production for BBC Radio 4, first broadcast in January 2020.  
**THU 09:30 Clare in the Community (b00j0h07)**  
 Series 5  
 It's Good to Talk  
 An old university friend visits Clare and has a confession to make. Whilst at work Clare has to deal with Tibetan Singing Bowls and a team leader seeking brutal and honest feedback. Sally Phillips plays Clare Barker the social worker with all the politically correct jargon but none of the practical solutions.  
 Clare ..... Sally Phillips  
 Brian ..... Alex Lowe  
 Helen ..... Liza Tarbuck  
 Ray ..... Richard Lumsden  
 Megan/Nali ..... Nina Conti  
 Irene ..... Ellen Thomas  
 Simon ..... Andrew Wincott  
 Michael ..... Chris Pavlo  
 Carol ..... Donna Hughes  
 Written By Harry Venning And David Ramsden  
 Producer: Katie Tyrrell  
 First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in March 2009.  
**THU 10:00 Alan Plater - The Devil's Music (b007qss0)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 05:00 today]  
**THU 10:45 Three Country Stories by HE Bates (b007jxtx)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 05:45 today]  
**THU 11:00 The Toff (b007jrfz)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 today]  
**THU 11:30 Stand By For West (m000gvjw)**  
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 [Repeat of broadcast at 08:00 today]  
**THU 13:30 The World As We Know It (b00fd7zl)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 08:30 today]  
**THU 14:00 The Unbelievable Truth (m000czlr)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 09:00 today]  
**THU 14:30 Clare in the Community (b00j0h07)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 09:30 today]  
**THU 15:00 Alan Plater - The Devil's Music (b007qss0)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 05:00 today]  
**THU 15:45 Three Country Stories by HE Bates (b007jxtx)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 05:45 today]  
**THU 16:00 The Toff (b007jrfz)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 today]  
**THU 16:30 Stand By For West (m000gvjw)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 06:30 today]  
**THU 17:00 Golden Child by Claire Adam (m0002zqn)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 07:00 today]  
**THU 17:15 Blowing the Bloody Doors Off by Michael Caine (m0001rnp)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 07:15 today]  
**THU 17:30 Guilt Trip (b07mxt9d)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 07:30 today]  
**THU 18:00 The Burkiss Way (b007jqxd)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 08:00 today]  
**THU 18:30 The World As We Know It (b00fd7zl)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 08:30 today]  
**THU 19:00 The Unbelievable Truth (m000czlr)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 09:00 today]  
**THU 19:30 Clare in the Community (b00j0h07)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 09:30 today]  
**THU 20:00 Mastertapes - Access All Areas (m000m0ty)**  
 [Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 on Saturday]  
**THU 21:00 Sneakernomics (p09fy38g)**  
 9. Footnotes  
 Sneakernomics is a close encounter with the visionaries, artisans and journeymen who've made, and been made, by trainers. We'll follow in the footsteps of mavericks, hustlers and dreamers, and hear their tales of boom and bust, fame and infamy, hope and heartbreak.  
 Across nine episodes, Sneakernomics tells the extraordinary origin stories of some of the world's biggest brands, and how sponsorship deals and celebrity culture redefined our relationship with products. It's also a business story – how leisure has evolved into a multi-billion dollar industry; a sports story – how games became organised and grew into a global spectacle; and it's a story of invention – how enthusiastic hobbyist-pioneers often took extraordinary risks that changed the course of sport and fashion.  
 The sneaker story is characterised by fierce competition and rivalry. We explore how the quest to be number one tore families and friendships apart and divided towns. Above all, this is the story of the people behind the shoes. What you'll hear is a mix of interviews with many of the key individuals who've





## Episode 4

Simon Mayo hosts the comedy show that pits the comic generations against each other to find out which is the funniest. Team captains Jon Richardson, Ed Byrne and Johnnie Casson are joined by Mike Woziak, Robin Ince and Ted Robbins. Producers: Ashley Blaker and Bill Matthews.

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in February 2010.

**FRI 09:30 Bleak Expectations (b00p3380)**

## Series 3

Lives Lost, Ruined, Wrecked and Redeemed

Pip and Ripely find themselves facing a vast and evil undead army.

England has only one hope - that Miss Sweetly Delightful can melt Mr Benevolent's cruel, undead heart.

Mark Evans's epic Victorian comedy in the style of Charles Dickens.

Sir Philip ..... Richard Johnson

Young Pip Bin ..... Tom Allen

Gently Benevolent ..... Anthony Head

Harry Biscuit ..... James Bachman

Bishop Wackwallop ..... Geoffrey Whitehead

Ripely Bin ..... Sarah Hadland

Miss Sweetly Delightful ..... Raquel Cassidy

The Duke of Chelsea ..... Mark Evans

Producer: Gareth Edwards

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in December 2009.

**FRI 10:00 Gaston Leroux - The Mystery of the Yellow Room (b01gy10j)**

[Repeat of broadcast at 05:00 today]

**FRI 11:00 The Toff (b007jrjk)**

[Repeat of broadcast at 06:00 today]

**FRI 11:30 Stand By For West (m000gw78)**

[Repeat of broadcast at 06:30 today]

**FRI 12:00 Golden Child by Claire Adam (m0003001)**

[Repeat of broadcast at 07:00 today]

**FRI 12:15 Blowing the Bloody Doors Off by Michael Caine (m0001s16)**

[Repeat of broadcast at 07:15 today]

**FRI 12:30 The Wilsons Save the World (m000360d)**

[Repeat of broadcast at 07:30 today]

**FRI 13:00 Mr Willow's Wife (m000q4t0)**

[Repeat of broadcast at 08:00 today]

**FRI 13:30 Babbewick Hall (b01n2111)**

[Repeat of broadcast at 08:30 today]

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[Repeat of broadcast at 09:00 today]

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[Repeat of broadcast at 09:30 today]

**FRI 20:00 Food in the Frame (b055dzbm)**

Baker and art student Ruby Tandoh explores the fascinating, evolving role played by food in art over the centuries.

Not many art installations have to be sealed in containers and driven deep into the desert because they smell so bad - but when art and food collide the results are often powerful and surprising.

Dating back as far as Egyptian tomb art and the Ancient Greek and Roman civilisations, the use of food as a subject has allowed artists to demonstrate their virtuosity as well as deliver religious, metaphysical and political commentary.

Food historian Gillian Riley explains to baker and food writer Ruby Tandoh how paintings can offer invaluable clues about what was eaten and how it was eaten in numerous cultures.

Ruby visits Tate Britain to look at key examples from the collection there with curator Alison Smith.

And learns from 20th century expert Janine Catalano about the way the likes of the Futurists and Surrealists took food from the canvas and turned it into an agent of anxiety and modernity - with examples including the Futurist Cookbook and Dalí's 'Autumn Cannibalism'.

She finds out how the act of eating itself has more recently become an artistic pre-occupation, and speaks with contemporary artists Hayley Silverman and contemporary artist Caroline Hobkinson, who incorporates the power of noise to change our perception of flavour in her installation feasts.

Producer: Geoff Bird

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 2015.

**FRI 20:30 Soul Music (m000lg3c)**

## Series 30

Harvest Moon

It's a love song about growing old. Neil Young's Harvest Moon released in 1992 is a nod to the 1970s country rock.

It's loved by music blogger Alyson Young. It's also a grown up song about love says singer-songwriter Ricky Ross.

How do you make the magic last and how do you keep love alive? People tell their stories about what the song means to them: jazz singer Maureen Washington danced to the song with her late husband.

Amanda Legere played it to her premature baby daughter when she went to see her in the ICU. She knows the baby responded to that song. Mary Divine and her husband were serenaded on their wedding anniversary during lockdown. The whole neighbourhood came out to watch a teenage neighbour play Harvest Moon for them.

Margy Waller drove to work at the White House on the final days of Bill Clinton's Presidency listening to Harvest Moon because she needed to cry. For her it's a song about loss. She is still touched by it today during the pandemic in what she describes as another period of great loss.

Versions include Harvest Moon by

Neil Young

Cassandra Wilson

Maureen Washington

Nils Lofgren

Neil Young Unplugged

Produced by Maggie Ayre

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 2020.

**FRI 21:00 Val McDermid - The Distant Echo (b00v9qsr)**

Four students stumble upon the body of a dead girl, in the snow, late one night. Twenty-five years later the police mount a 'cold case' review of the unsolved case, and the friends finally have an opportunity to clear their names once and for all. Until one of them dies in a suspicious house fire, and another in a burglary gone bad.

It seems someone is still pursuing their own brand of justice. If the remaining two are to avoid becoming the next victim they need to find out what really happened back there in the snow, themselves.

CAST:

Lawson .... Jimmy Chisholm

Graham .... John Paul Hurley

Alex .... Steven Cartwright

Weird .... Michael Nardone

Davey .... Matthew Pidgeon

MacLennan .... Crawford Logan

Brian .... Simon Donaldson

Karen .... Claire Knight

Helen .... Kirsten Murray

Lynn .... Gayanne Potter

Written by Val McDermid

Dramatised by Bert Coules

Director Lu Kemp

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 2005.

**FRI 22:00 The Ultimate Choice (m001k077)**

## Series 1

## Episode 4

Steph McGovern is in Newcastle to ask some seriously funny minds for their definitive answers to the great questions of our age. Or not. Welcome to the world's most devious game of Would You Rather? With guests Pippa Evans and Dave Johns.

Host: Steph McGovern

Guests: Pippa Evans and Dave Johns

Devised and written by Jon Harvey & Joseph Morpurgo

With additional material from Laura Major

Researcher: Leah Marks

Recorded and mixed by David Thomas

Producer: Jon Harvey

Executive Producers: Ed Morrish and Polly Thomas

Photo: Carolyn Mendelsohn

A Naked production for BBC Radio 4.

**FRI 22:30 Beauty of Britain (b01064yj)**

## Series 2

## Laurelmead

'A British care home is basically a big house named after a tree' observes Beauty, as she decides to take a job at Laurelmead. A change from her usual live in work, but working for the care home brings its own difficulties.

There is some good news - her church choir is through to the regional finals of 'Go for Gospel'.

Starring Jocelyn Jee Esien.

Beauty's adventures continue as the Featherdown Agency sends her to provide care for the elderly.

Beauty's Zimbabwean Shona background has taught her to respect age. She sees Britain at its best and its worst

Written by Christopher Douglas and Nicola Sanderson

Beauty ... Jocelyn Jee Esien

Kriss ... Felix Dexter

Neville ... Clive Swift

Mrs Gupte ... Indira Joshi

Anil ... Paul Sharma

Worship Leader Wayne ... Lloyd Thomas

Uncle Custard ... Chris Douglas

Sandra ... Nicola Sanderson

Music by The West End Gospel Choir.

Producer : Tilusha Ghelani

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in April 2011.

**FRI 23:00 John Kearns (b05wykhz)**

## 3. Lunch Break

John and his work colleagues test each other's patience at the Dinosaur Museum.

The third of four 14-minute vignettes in a series from John Kearns, the winner of the main prize at the 2014 Edinburgh Comedy Festival, as well as the Best Newcomer Award in 2013.

Producer: Arnab Chanda

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 2015.

**FRI 23:15 Poets' Tree (b00snx7d)**

## Episode 3

Islington-based poet Paul Hamilton hears poetry written by a computer and conducts a rare interview with the legendary poet Celia Tierny.

He also meets the English teacher who inspired him to try poetry.

Poetry spoof by Kevin Eldon and Stewart Lee.

Starring Kevin Eldon.

With:

Olivia Colman

Peter Serafinowicz

Producer: Ed Morrish

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in April 2008.

**FRI 23:30 Listen Against (b0089j50)**

## Series 1

## Episode 2

The show that prises the back off your radio, fiddles around with the programmes inside and then puts it all back together the wrong way round.

Alice Arnold and Jon Holmes get meddling with the Proms, JK and Joel, Any Answers and The Archers.

The brain-child of writer, comic and broadcaster Jon Holmes.

Producer: Bill Dare and Jon Holmes

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in November 2007.