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ENGLAND'S EURO HEARTACHE

SPAIN BARRIER England heroes Harry Kane and Jude Bellingham after last night's 2-1 defeat in Berlin

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Wait goes on for Three Lions as Spain clinch final with late goal



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LIONS DID

» Spain pain in final defeat

» Fans' tears as dream dies



JOY George and dad Wills after Palmer scored



ON TARGET Fans share a kiss ahead of the match



GOAL PALMER Sub Cole after scoring leveller



PACKED OUT Fan zone in Berlin



IT'S ALL OVER Kane consoles upset Bellingham

BY **PAUL BYRNE** and **ANDY LINES** Chief Reporter in Berlin

THE hearts of England's Lions were broken in Berlin last night as once again they fell at the final Euro hurdle.

Gareth Southgate wanted to make supporters' dreams come true and finally bring football home, ending 58 years of hurt.

But the long wait since 1966 for England's men to win a major trophy continues.

After a cagey first half the scores were level at 0-0, but the game exploded into life when Nico Williams put Spain 1-0 up after just 69 seconds of the second period.

The Spaniards could have gone further ahead and England captain Harry Kane was replaced after an hour by Ollie Watkins, who received a huge reception from the England fans.

Nine minutes later Cole Palmer came on for

Kobbie Mainoo and sent the Three Lions fans wild two minutes later when he fired in a left foot thunderbolt from more than 20 yards to level it up. But in the 86th minute, Mikel Oyarzabal put Spain 2-1 in front to seal victory.

At the final whistle England players slumped to the floor in despair as Spain celebrated.

Southgate walked on to the pitch to console them, and then minutes later he too was consoled by a message from the King who sent his "heartfelt sympathy".

Charles told him: "Although victory may have eluded you this evening, my wife and I join all my family in urging you and your support team to hold your heads high."

"Please know that your success in reaching the European Championship final is a really great achievement in itself, one that brings with it the pride of a nation which will continue to

roar for the Three Lions today – and in the many triumphs which no doubt lie ahead."

Spain had been firm favourites after winning all their earlier games, including beating Germany, France and Italy.

And despite the support of their 50,000 fans, who created a wall of noise inside the Olympiastadion, England could not upset the odds.

The players were also cheered on by their wives, girlfriends and families and had royal support from Prince William, the FA's President, and his 10-year-old son George. In a post, William told the

England team "This time it just wasn't meant to be. We're still so proud of you."

Heartbroken fans in the stadium included singing star Ed Sheeran and his wife Cherry. Phil Foden's five year old son Ronnie was seen holding up a sign, which pleaded "Bring it home Daddy" – but it was not to be.

Prime Minister Keir Starmer was also in the crowd and later posted: "You made your country proud, England."

It came after a rollercoaster tournament for Southgate's team. The lows included a drab draw with Slovenia, after which the boss was



MY PA'S A STAR Foden's lad Ronnie

IT'S OLÉ OVER

US PROUD



HEARTBREAK
Boss Gareth Southgate



TENSE Saka's girlfriend Tolami Benson in stand



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BIT PREMATURE A
fan's hopeful leg tattoo



MESSAGE
Prime Minister Keir Starmer

pelleted with plastic cups by some fans. But there were also exhilarating highs, like Jude Bellingham's spectacular overhead equaliser against Slovakia and Ollie Watkins' last minute semi-final winner against the Netherlands.

And despite last night's heartbreak, many fans were willing to give Southgate, 53, another chance to lead the team at the 2026 World Cup.

Neil Rands, 60, an IT consultant from London, who has only missed two England games, home or away, since 1988, said: "The bottom line is that someone has to lose. But I will still back the team and will be behind the manager.

"I'm assuming he will now leave but for me

the FA should persuade him to stay because of all he has done for England."

Gary Perry and pal Mick Mooney could not get tickets for the final so watched on TV at Puschel's pub in Berlin. Spurs fan Gary, 64, who works for a removal firm said: "It's a shame we couldn't win the final. England did very well to get this far after we hadn't played very well."

Leicester City fan Mick, 70, added: "To be English in Berlin when we reached the final was pretty special. Now we can go all the way in 2026 and win the World Cup."

Carole Lewis, 68, a retired school teacher from Bishop Monkton, North Yorks, said: "I am bitterly disappointed and sad. But it has been a

great experience. The manager has done a fabulous job and brought along a lot of young players. There is a bright future."

Tom Winnington, 27, who works in digital marketing in Corby, Northants, said: "We've reached the last two Euro finals and the future is definitely bright. Our best player Kobbie Mainoo is only 19. It's all very promising."

Earlier, England fans packed the streets of Berlin, outnumbering the Spanish. Some were desperate to snap up tickets, which were advertised on resale websites for up to £6,000.

Others were happy just to soak up the atmosphere. Teaching assistant Millie Hall and boyfriend James Halliwell, both 19, from Leicester, had been on holiday in Prague and caught a 4am bus for the four-hour journey to the German capital to watch in a fan park. James, a plumber, added: "It is something we

may never experience ever again." Susan and Frank Walsh, had driven to Berlin from their holiday home in Slovenia.

Susan, 72, said: "We just had to be here. These opportunities do not come up that often."

Ex-England midfielder Jordan Henderson, 34, who plays for Dutch side Ajax, drove eight hours from Amsterdam in a hired van to watch his old teammates after struggling to find flights.

Last night's defeat was England's second successive loss in a European Championship final. Three years ago England were beaten by Italy after a penalty shoot-out in the Covid-delayed Euro 2020 showpiece at Wembley.

But England's Lionesses won their Euro 2022 final, beating Germany 2-1 at Wembley.

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LONDON

Hopeful fans early on at the O2



MANCHESTER

Primed for victory at the AO Arena



STAFFORDSHIRE

Newcastle-under-Lyme crowd as Palmer scores



CROYDON

Anguish as Spain take the lead



LEEDS

Tense for fans at Millennium Sq

WEMBLEY

Nervous moments in London



So more

BY DAN WARBURTON

FORLORN fans drowned their sorrows after another bitter Euros final blow for England's men but insisted the Three Lions were still the pride of the nation.

Millions of success-starved supporters across the UK watched in frustration as Gareth Southgate's side fell at the last hurdle for the second consecutive time after Mikel Oyarzabal's late winner in Berlin.

More than 600 miles away in fan zones in London, Manchester, Birmingham and Bristol the eager anticipation turned to familiar heartache as England fell just short.

In Newcastle, 1,800 fans flocked to Times Square where they gamely cheered their heroes on throughout. Rhys Peebles, 30, from

Frustrated fans feel the pain

Gateshead, said: "This hurts. But I'm so proud of the lads. You can't fault their effort at all.

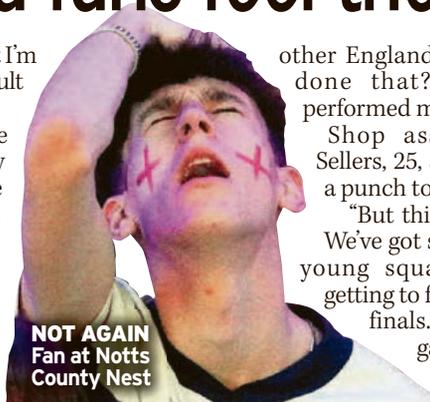
"When you boil it down, we still got to the final. How many times over the years have we been able to even come close to that? Southgate has transformed England from a laughing stock to a ruthless machine.

"We've got to the semis or final in three of the four previous tournaments. What

other England manager has done that? Southgate's performed miracles."

Shop assistant Ruby Sellers, 25, added: "It's like a punch to the stomach.

"But this isn't the end. We've got such a talented young squad who keep getting to finals and semi-finals. I hope Southgate stays on but if he doesn't,



NOT AGAIN Fan at Notts County Nest

AGONY FOR SUPPORTERS



NOTTINGHAM
Willing England on against the odds



CORNWALL
Crowd watch at Perranporth

years of hurt

as long wait for glory goes on

someone will inherit a brilliant squad for the World Cup in 2026 and we will all dream again."

Stephen Walker, 32, from Croydon, South London, said: "We always had hope but those small moments against a top Spain side floored us. The players have nothing to be ashamed of."

Fans had queued to get into pubs hours before a ball had been kicked in the nerve-jangling encounter. In London, thousands poured into Leicester Square, lighting flares but it was England who lacked any real spark on the big occasion.

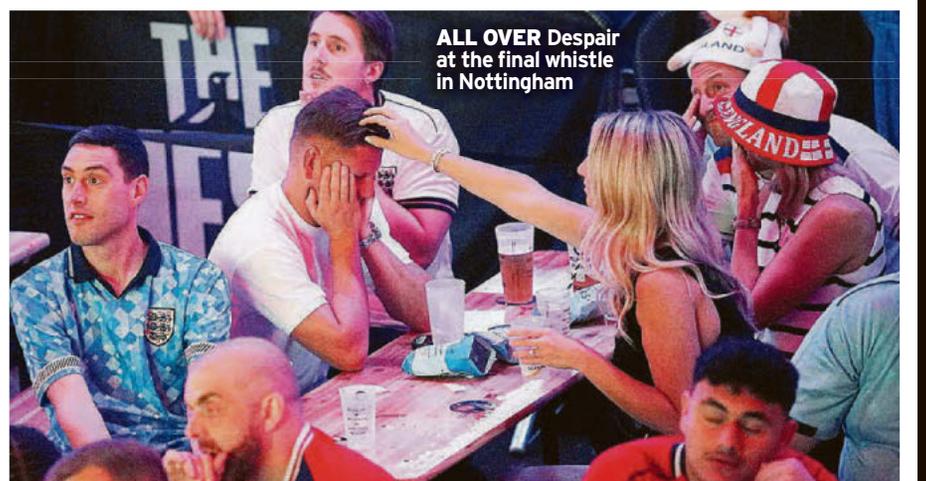
In Brighton, the 2,000-capacity 4thFans zone sold out in 27 minutes, while supporters also

packed out the Nest at Notts County FC. Hundreds even turned out on the beach at the Watering Hole, in Perranporth, Cornwall.

Retired mechanic Ryan Lund, 62, from Skipton, North Yorks, watched the chastening defeat at the 4thFans arena at the Progress Centre, Manchester. He said: "Gutted. Absolutely gutted. But this team has been incredible. They will eventually win a tournament, I've no doubt about that."

Accountant James Read, 39, from Leeds, added: "We need to hope that we hang on to Southgate."

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FAMOUS FANS

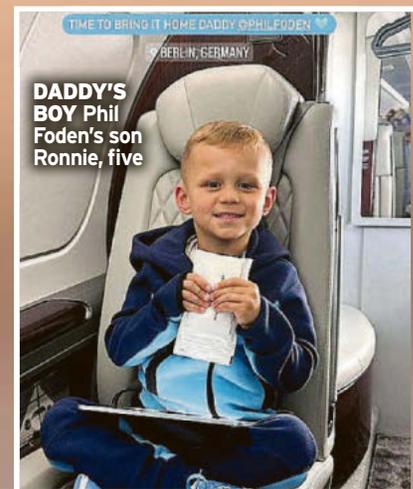
England's star prayer



ON THEIR WAY Rob Beckett and Olly Murs head for Berlin



BECK & CALL.. Movie star Kate offers a silent prayer



DADDY'S BOY Phil Foden's son Ronnie, five



KATY PERRY @katyperry

ROARING THEM ON Pop singer Katy's post

FOOTBALL IS COMING HOME 🇬🇧



FAMILY DAN The Dyers pose for pic

BY **ASHLEIGH RAINBIRD** Diary Editor

KATE Beckinsale says her Sunday prayers in an England shirt as the 50-year-old actress joins stars showing support for the team.

Actor Danny Dyer, 46, posed with his family, including daughter Dani, whose boyfriend Jarrod Bowen, 27, was in Gareth Southgate's squad.

Phil Foden's five-year-old son Ronnie was pictured on his way to Berlin, as were comedian Rob Beckett, 38, and singer Olly Murs, 40.

Even US singer Katy Perry, 39, joined in, posting: "Football is coming home."

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Kate & co share nation's hopes ahead of Euros final showdown



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Picture ANDY STENNING

TEAM GARETH



Southgate celebrates Ollie Watkins' goal against the Netherlands with backroom team: 1 Steve Holland (assistant manager); 2 Paul Nevin (coach); 3 Hailu Theodoros (fitness coach); 4 Jimmy Floyd Hasselbank (coach); 5 Martyn Margetson (GK coach); 6 Mark Williams (doctor); 7 Simon Spencer (physio) 8 Steve Kemp (lead physio)

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Gareth Southgate had succeeded even before a ball was kicked last night. He had brought us all together.

He has been a lucky general, with Jude Bellingham's last-gasp equaliser in the knockout stage against Slovakia saving England, and his job.

When Gary Lineker called Southgate's safety-first approach "s***" on a podcast, he was only summing up what many fans said during the group stage.

But the Three Lions kept on winning. And for the third time in six years, Southgate has achieved something no other UK public figure or politician has – he has restored the feel-good factor.

Even Keir Starmer will point to Southgate as proof that quiet, methodical, no-frills leadership – the US media accused the new Prime Minister of "dull competence" – is the key to success.

Yes, there has been widespread joy at the exit of the most heartless, opportunistic, chiselling Tory chancers Westminster has probably ever seen.

Southgate's achievement, however, transcends politics. No one cares who you vote for when they hug you as Ollie Watkins rams in the semi-final winner.

Or when Trent Alexander Arnold becomes the fifth player of Black heritage (Cole Palmer's dad has Caribbean roots) to score penalties under pressure in the quarter-final.

On the pitch, Southgate has turned a pessimism baked into the English psyche into a genuine belief that England can hold their own with anyone on the biggest footballing stage.

Off the pitch, he has been the best manager we could wish for to guide the men's team through a tough period of societal and political turmoil.

First, the football. We were all optimistic after that impressive opening half hour in the win over Serbia.

Then we all raised a collective eyebrow at our lack of style and cohesion in comparison to the Germans, Turks and Spanish.

We all had our hearts in our mouths against Slovakia before Bellingham's brilliant overhead kick bailed us out, followed by Harry Kane's winner.

Nothing unites a country like the outpouring of emotion that day.

The significance of the quarter-final win over the Swiss on penalties is best explained by the work Southgate has done with his young men off the pitch.

For decades our guys were burdened by the weight of expectation and fear of failure. Southgate addressed it by doing what we are telling our men and boys to do every day – he sought help and encouraged them to talk.

He consigned the macho garbage of the past to the dustbin and inspired millions of men to do likewise.

In penalty shoot-outs, you'll see evidence of his "buddy system" – a team-mate waiting to ensure no player has to make the long walk back to the centre circle alone. We all need support.

All five spot kicks against the Swiss were superbly taken. No longer do we fear the social media consequences if one of our Black players misses.

Nor are penalties a lottery, as the old guard would have you believe.

These days, the players enjoy taking them – Ivan Toney even does it without looking. Southgate has had us believing anything is possible as a nation. He has boosted the economy, with pubs



DEJECTION Southgate bounced back from Euro 96 penalty shoot-out miss



EXAMPLE With Saka and, below, taking the knee



pulling more pints than ever and super-markets selling out.

More significantly, Southgate has united a country left in pieces by the Tories' politics of division.

Remember the last Euros, when ex-PM Boris Johnson and his then-Home Secretary Priti Patel defended critics who booed players taking the knee?

Remember Southgate's Dear England open letter, warning

THE GAFFER

Southgate's real triumph? He's made England believe in itself again


BY DARREN LEWIS

critics they were "on the losing side"? He wrote: "It's clear to me that we are heading for a much more tolerant and understanding society, and I know our lads will be a big part of that."

The images of cricket fans at Edgbaston's India

v Pakistan game joining forces to will on Alexander Arnold's winning penalty made Southgate's point superbly.

We are more than three decades on from the cricket test suggested by ex-Tory cabinet minister Norman Tebbit, who questioned the loyalty of anyone with heritage outside the UK.

Tell that to those Edgbaston fans. Or to Cole Palmer, who has two flags on his boots, one of his national team and the other representing his roots. Tell it to Bukayo Saka, or Kobbie

Mainoo. Southgate has empowered his men to embrace their identities.

As a result, the England fanbase is more diverse than ever. Talk to any schoolkid and it's Saka they see as symbolic of the team, not Harry Kane.

Southgate was already England's most successful manager since 1966 before last night. Combine that with his impact off the pitch and none of his predecessors come close.

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ASSASSINATION BID: IT



AFTERMATH Scene with crowd's leftover belongings

Calm after chaos as site sealed off

FROM JEREMIAH HASSEL
in Butler, Pennsylvania

TWO Pennsylvania State Troopers in a lone squad car guard a gate on a busy country road.

Past them sits an empty field, normally used as a car park for visitors of the Butler Farm Show.

Behind that, a slightly tattered US flag hangs suspended from two giant cranes.

It was a calm scene yesterday morning and almost impossible to tell that chaos had engulfed the area hours prior. But the flag serves as a reminder of what took place and what could have been – as do the media vehicles parked nearby.

Photographers snap the flag and spotlights behind it, one slightly dimmer than the other. Witnesses said one light was hit by a stray bullet.

Attendees had to leave belongings after being shown out by the Secret Service just after Thomas Matthew Crooks was "neutralised".

Todd Gerhart was forced to leave his "Make Honey Great Again" products which he sells in Trump-shaped bottles at rallies. But he said it was the last thing on his mind as the shooting began, as he hid under tables now guarded by troopers.

Heads will surely roll for shameful security breach

COMMENT

BY CHRISTOPHER BUCKTIN US Editor



WHETHER it was while covering Donald Trump, Barack Obama or Joe Biden, I have lost count of how many times I have had both the eyes and the hands of the US Secret Service on me.

But in the run-up to an election their efforts to protect White House candidates go into overdrive.

So the lapse in security where Trump came within an inch of being killed is breathtaking.

And it highlights the danger Americans face daily from the barrel of their beloved guns.

On the approach to a Trump rally, the secret service oversees every detail, searching all attendees with scanners and patting them down.

Visible snipers act as a formidable deterrent to anyone intent on trouble.

Yet at the rally in Butler, Pennsylvania, a shooter scaled a building just 400ft away from Mr Trump, crawled on it and fired shots without being seen or stopped.

The outrageous breach raises urgent questions about the effectiveness of Trump's security. It will send shock waves among Mr Biden's team, too.

I once attended a Trump political rally in Orlando, Florida, and noticed a similarly open layout ripe for potential threats.

The Butler incident is particularly alarming. Heads will undoubtedly roll over this failure.

TRUMP MURDER ATTEMPT SHOCKS WORLD



BY CHRISTOPHER BUCKTIN US Editor

DONALD Trump yesterday credited God with saving him from "the unthinkable" after coming within an inch of death when a gunman tried to assassinate him.

The former US President and Republican frontrunner was struck in the right ear by a bullet during a rally in Butler, Pennsylvania, on Saturday afternoon.

One attendee, retired fire chief Corey Comperatore, 50, was killed as he shielded his wife and daughter from the gunfire. Two other men were critically injured.

The apparent attacker, shot dead by Secret Service snipers as he tried to flee his rooftop firing position, was identified by the FBI as Thomas Matthew Crooks, 20.

Trump, seen with blood on his face as he was bundled away, later said on his social media platform Truth: "It was God alone who prevented the unthinkable from happening.

We will FEAR NOT, but instead remain resilient in our faith and defiant in the face of wickedness. Our love goes out to the other victims and their families. We pray for the recovery of those who were wounded and hold in our hearts the memory of the citizen... so horribly killed."

Yesterday, Trump's senior campaign adviser said his life was saved because he turned his head to look at a screen.

Dan Scavino said the slight move of his boss's head meant the bullet only hit his ear.

One witness, named only as Greg, claimed he tried to warn

Greg, who was outside the grounds of the event, said he and his friends frantically tried to draw the attention of authorities when they

noticed a person with a rifle crawling on a rooftop. He claimed that minutes later the gunman managed to fire five times before the Secret Service "blew his head off".

An official who wished to remain anonymous said a local police officer climbed up to the roof and that Crooks aimed the rifle at him.

They said the officer hastily retreated down the ladder, after which Crooks fired at Trump and was then shot dead by a Secret Service sniper.

Trump's wife Melania also revealed a rare statement yesterday.

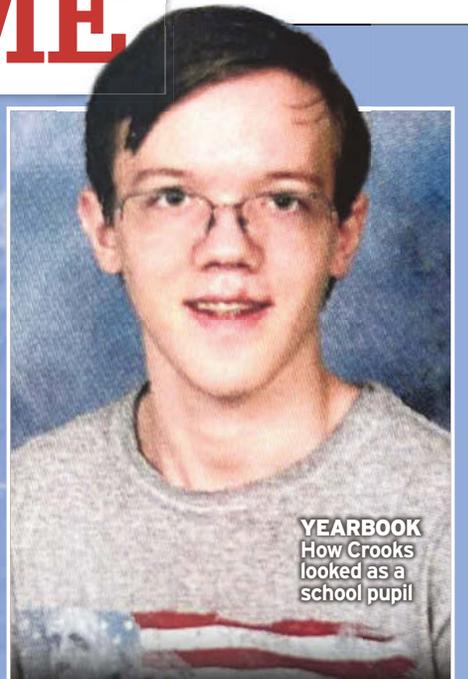
Melania, who has son Barron with Trump, said: "A monster who recognised my husband as an inhuman

political machine attempted to ring out Donald's passion – his laughter, ingenuity, love of music, and inspiration. When I watched



DANGER WARNING
Rally witness Greg

WAS GOD WHO SAVED ME



YEARBOOK
How Crooks
looked as a
school pupil

Loner and outcast who became killer

QUIET and a target for bullies, would-be assassin Thomas Crooks gave no sign of the infamy he would give his life for.

The 20-year-old was shot dead by a Secret Service sniper seconds after failing in his mission to kill former president Donald Trump, instead taking the life of a Trump supporter.

His car was found nearby with two explosive devices inside, while a third was reportedly found at his home.

The kitchen worker had virtually no presence on social media.

One high school classmate, Jason Kohler, said Crooks wore hunting outfits to school. "He was bullied almost every day," he said. "He was just an outcast."

Crooks was a "loner" who would sit alone at lunch, Kohler, 21, added.

KILLED Trump fan
Corey Comperatore



BLOOD STAINS
Trump's face
after bullet
hit his ear



LAYOUT Site of the Trump
campaign rally in Butler
and, inset, shooter on roof

that violent bullet strike my husband, Donald, I realised my life, and Barron's life, were on the brink of devastating change." She urged Americans to "ascend above the hate, the vitriol, and the simple-minded ideas that ignite violence".

Mr Comperatore's daughter paid tribute to him, saying: "He was the best dad a girl could ever ask for. My sister and I never needed for anything." And his sister added: "My baby brother just turned 50 and had so much life left to experience."

Crooks is thought to have used an AR-style semiautomatic rifle, believed to have been bought legally and been owned by a relative, possibly his father. He climbed on to the roof of a business 130 yards from the podium and opened fire six minutes into Trump's speech.

Images of Crooks wearing glasses, braces and an American flag T-shirt in yearbook headshots emerged yesterday as his family said they were unsure why he tried to kill Trump. His father,

Matthew Crooks, said he was still trying to figure out "what the hell is going on".

A registered Republican, the shooter lived in Bethel Park, around 43 miles from the rally, and worked in a nearby nursing home kitchen.

A local newspaper said he had graduated from Bethel Park High School with a \$500 prize for maths and science in 2022.

But classmate Jason Kohler, 21, said he was bullied there and had been a loner.

Last night, it emerged that Crooks' car had been found near the rally site with two explosive devices inside it. What may be a third explosive device was found at his home.

Mike Collins, a Republican congressman from Georgia, said President Joe Biden should be charged with inciting an assassination – and even claimed Biden had "sent the orders".

But the President was among many world leaders to condemn the shooting. He said: "There's no place in America for this kind of

violence. It's sick." Prime Minister Sir Keir Starmer said: "I am appalled by the shocking scenes at President Trump's rally, and we send him and his family our best wishes. Political violence in any form has no place in our societies, and my thoughts are with all the victims of this attack."

He also wished Trump well in a phone call yesterday.

Canada's Prime Minister Justin Trudeau said: "It cannot be overstated: political violence is never acceptable."

Israel Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu, who is a Trump ally, offered prayers and Argentinian President Javier Milei said: "All my support and solidarity to President and candidate Donald Trump, a victim of a cowardly assassination attempt."

Trump was seen with a bandaged ear last

night after flying to Newark Liberty Airport, New Jersey. A video posted online by one of his aides showed him disembarking from his private jet flanked by Secret Service agents and heavily armed members of the agency's counter-assault team, an unusually visible show of force by his protective detail.

Organisers of the four-day Republican National Convention, which begins today in Milwaukee, said it would go ahead as planned and Trump's campaign team said that he and Melania would attend.

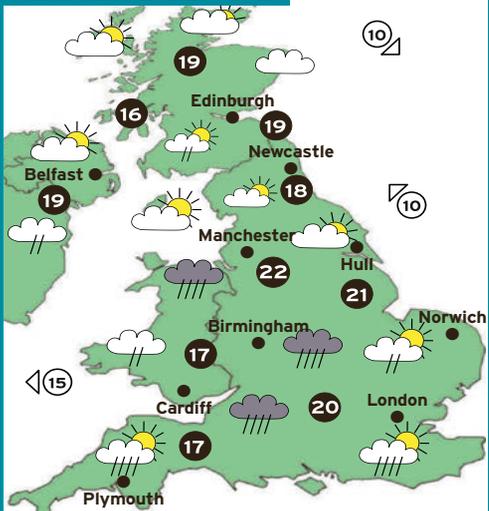
The attack was the most serious attempt to kill a president or presidential candidate since Ronald Reagan survived a shooting in 1981.



CONDEMNATION
President Joe Biden

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WEATHER & CLIMATE



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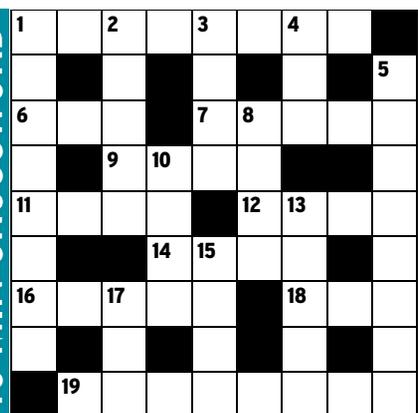
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BIGGER PICTURE

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 July 2024 average high so far: 18.4
 July historical average high: 20.4
 All averages based on CET Mean Max Temp. Historical info from 1961-1990 (Source: Met Office)
CLIMATE FACT: Heavy rainfall was recorded across some of the upper Texas coast and eastern Texas, with close to 15in (380mm) recorded in places. At least eight people have died in Texas and Louisiana, which followed at least 10 deaths across the Caribbean as a result of Hurricane Beryl.

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| 14 Approve (4) | 10 Curled pin (4) |
| 16 Attractive (5) | 13 ___ Earp, Wild West lawman (5) |
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| 19 Small warship (8) | 17 Sergeant, say (1,1,1) |

SATURDAY'S SOLUTIONS
 Across: 1 Pretty, 5 Oily, 6 Sunshade, 11 Cloth cap, 14 Magi, 15 Carlos. Down: 1 Pulse, 2 Toss, 3 Yoda, 4 Else, 7 Nil, 8 Hot, 9 Doc, 10 Opens, 11 Char, 12 Otic, 13 Hair.

THE LOTTERY

SATURDAY'S LOTTO: 22, 27, 37, 38, 49, 51
 Bonus: 59. No winner of £4m jackpot.
THUNDERBALL: 1, 22, 27, 28, 36
 Thunderball: 8. One winner of £500k top prize.
HEALTH LOTTERY: 5, 6, 19, 21, 37 Bonus: 9.
FRIDAY'S EUROMILLIONS: 12, 18, 24, 25, 39
 Lucky Stars: 8 & 10. No UK winner of £24m jackpot.
THURSDAY'S SET FOR LIFE: 7, 11, 15, 21, 32
 Life Ball: 6. No winner of £10k a month for 30yrs.

ASSASSINATION BID:

Is this the moment Trump won a second term?



BY CHRISTOPHER BUCKTIN
 US Editor

WITH blood on his face and a fist in the air, Donald Trump tells supporters "fight, fight, fight" in what will be the defining image of his campaign.

The assassination attempt has solidified Trump's image as a defiant survivor and reshaped the 2024 presidential race.

His resilience after coming so close to death has galvanised his supporters and made Democrat rival Joe Biden look more

vulnerable than ever. Trump's mugshot, taken after his arrest on election fraud charges in Atlanta, was once the emblem of his campaign – but it has now been overtaken by the image of him rising to his feet after he was shot.

The gunman's motive remains unknown but the attack lays bare the polarisation in the States.

Trump's Make America Great Again Republicans wasted no time in exploiting the situation, opting for division instead of seeking unity. JD Vance, a favourite to be

Trump's running mate, declared the shooting "not just some isolated incident".

Mike Collins, a Republican congressman, said: "The Republican District Attorney in Butler County, PA, should immediately file charges against Joseph R Biden for inciting an assassination." Ludicrously, he also posted that Biden had "sent the orders".

But Democrats found themselves struggling to respond, given Biden's recent words on Trump.

He told donors: "It's time to put

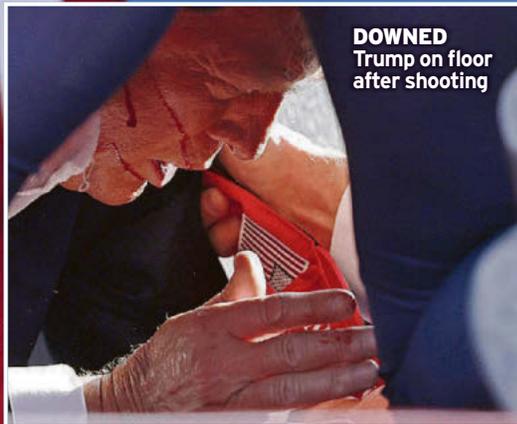
Trump in a bullseye". He backed it up with posts branding his political nemesis a would-be "dictator".

Biden moved quickly to condemn the shooting on Saturday, labelling it "sick" and declaring: "There's no place in America for this kind of violence."

But the rhetoric from Trump's camp shows no signs of cooling as they use the incident as a weapon, amplifying their base's anger and deepening the divides that already fracture the nation.

The attack was a flashpoint in

THE FUTURE FOR AMERICA



DOWNED
Trump on floor after shooting



STANDING
He is helped from stage

SURVIVOR Trump posts message about the attack

Donald J. Trump @realDonaldTrump

I want to thank The United States Secret Service, and all of Law Enforcement, for their rapid response on the shooting that just took place in Butler, Pennsylvania. Most importantly, I want to extend my condolences to the family of the person at the Rally who was killed, and also to the family of another person that was badly injured. It is incredible that such an act can take place in our Country. Nothing is known at this time about the shooter, who is now dead. I was shot with a bullet that pierced the upper part of my right ear. I knew immediately that something was wrong in that I heard a whizzing sound, shots, and immediately felt the bullet ripping through the skin. Much bleeding took place, so I realized then what was happening. GOD BLESS AMERICA!

IMAGE PROBLEM
Trump's mugshot and Biden in his disastrous TV debate

IMAGE OF DEFIANCE
Trump pumps fist and yells 'fight' after he is shot

DANGER OF TOP OFFICE

BY CHRISTOPHER BUCKTIN

STATISTICALLY, being the president is one of America's most dangerous jobs.

Of the 45 men to lead the country, eight have died in office, while those vying to occupy the White House have long been the target of assassination attempts.

Four US presidents have been killed, including Abraham Lincoln and John F. Kennedy. Three more, which now includes Trump, have been injured in attacks.

Lincoln was assassinated at Ford's Theatre in Washington DC on April 14, 1865.

He was fatally shot by John Wilkes Booth - an actor and supporter of the Confederacy who was angered by Lincoln's plan to extend voting rights to Black Americans.

CONSPIRACY

James A. Garfield was gunned down at Washington DC train station on July 2, 1881. He died two-and-a-half months later. Gunman Charles Guiteau was furious about not having been made Ambassador to France.

William McKinley was shot at a fair in upstate New York on September 6, 1901, by anarchist Leon Czolgosz, who was sentenced to death. McKinley died later of gangrene.

John F. Kennedy was shot on November 22, 1963, as his presidential motorcade made its way through Dallas, Texas. Many Americans believe shooter Lee Harvey Oswald was part of a wider conspiracy.

Ronald Reagan was the last US president hurt in an assassination attempt when he was shot outside a Washington hotel in 1981.

Would-be assassin John Hinckley Jr said he wanted to impress actress Jodie Foster.

George H.W. Bush, Bill Clinton, George W. Bush, Barack Obama and Joe Biden have also been subjects of assassination plots.

OUR MAN AT RFK'S DEATH

THE most notorious assassination of an American presidential candidate was Robert Kennedy in 1968 - and Mirror reporting legend John Pilger was in the room.

Kennedy was shot by Sirhan Sirhan in an LA hotel on June 5, 1968.

John, right, wrote: "A waitress ran in screaming 'Bobby's been shot'.

Senator Kennedy lay crumpled beside the freezer in a stream of blood."



an already volatile political climate that will have long-lasting repercussions in the 2024 election and beyond.

This assassination attempt has fundamentally changed America's political terrain to the point where the certainty that Trump will become the 47th president has never been more evident.

Trump's campaign, already outpacing Biden's, stands to gain immensely from his actions after the

bullets had been fired. Trump's ability to face the danger head-on, portraying himself as a resolute and unyielding leader, has invigorated his base and attracted those on the fringes.

But the man who should be least surprised by the attempt on his

life is Trump himself. During and after his presidency, he incited sedition and encouraged violence, culminating in the events of January 6, 2021, when rioters stormed the Capitol in an attempt to overturn the election results.

Trump discounted the loss of life that day and even praised the rioters. He has a history of mocking victims of political violence, smirking at the brutal hammer attack on ex-House Speaker

Nancy Pelosi's husband by a far-right conspiracy theorist. The assassination attempt on Trump is a stark reminder of the toxic environment the right and left have created. In a country of more than 330 million people, Americans have Trump and Biden as candidates for the next presidency. To my and many other minds, both are unfit for office. Biden simply no longer measures up but if he refuses to step down - and he cannot

be removed - Trump is assured of a return to the White House. The shooting in Pennsylvania only strengthens Trump's cause. Being a convicted felon has not seemed to alter views on him in the slightest.

But come November 5, it will ultimately be the system that seals the deal. Voting is voluntary but this assassination attempt will ensure that many of the undecided will now abstain. That will hand Trump the

keys to the White House. Despite his divisive, hostile and violent rhetoric, the fate of a presidential candidate should be decided by the ballot box, not by bullets.

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Look back with pride

THEY fought like lions - and even in the dying minutes of the game, they never gave up.

Yet once again, England tasted the bitter disappointment of defeat in a major final.

They may not have lifted the trophy but Gareth Southgate's team lifted our spirits.

Throughout the tournament they displayed the best of this country. They were modest in victory and gracious in defeat. They were determined, tenacious and fearless. Above all, they won as a team and they lost as a team.

Every individual effort, whether it was Jude Bellingham's last-gasp goal against Slovakia or Ollie Watkins' match-winner against the Netherlands, was celebrated collectively.

Nobody will be more downcast than Southgate at last night's result - but he should look back with pride on what he has achieved.

The Three Lions may not return from Germany as victors but they return as heroes.

Trump terror

AMERICA is still in shock following the assassination attempt on Donald Trump.

It is terrifying to think a bullet came within an inch of changing the course of history.

While the motives behind the shooting are unclear, there is no doubt it was an attack not just on the former president but on democracy.

And it should prompt some soul-searching on both sides of the Atlantic about the increasingly toxic atmosphere in which politics is conducted. It is a reminder of the vulnerability of those seeking election - something we are tragically aware of here after the murders of MPs Jo Cox and Sir David Amess.

Everyone should be concerned about the increasing abuse, violence and intimidation that candidates face.

Kate's just ace

TALK about a smashing return. The Princess of Wales was a very welcome sight at the Wimbledon men's final.

And the warm reception from the Centre Court crowd showed they know a good sport when they see one.

OH DEAR

Your father's that upset, he's taken the flamenco dancer off the toilet rolls..



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Stalking the corridors of power

POINTS OF DISORDER #1

In March, two people near me were shot with a crossbow 10 days apart on the same road.

We locals couldn't believe these frightening weapons could be bought easily without checks.

The assassination of BBC horse racing commentator John Hunt's wife and two daughters will, hopefully, finally trigger action.

A 2021 review launched by then-Home Secretary Priti Patel - after a crossbow threat to the Queen at Windsor Castle - never hit the target.

Labour's looking for quick wins. Gun-style licensing would be a bullseye for new Home Secretary Yvette Cooper.

GOING UP

Releasing prisoners early is unpopular but

Justice Secretary Shabana Mahmood's "guilty men" attack nailing the Cons for leaving jails full was fair and pitch perfect.

GOING DOWN

Loopy Liz Truss is the gift who keeps on giving to Labour if she keeps squealing voters were wrong and she was right.

POINTS OF DISORDER #2

Having long supported fairer voting, I'm not changing my mind just because Labour hit the jackpot this time, winning a landslide 63% of seats with 34% of votes.

But spare us the bleating of rival parties that the UK Government is somehow illegitimate when they all had to play by the same rules. Labour won. Suck it up, losers.

Balancing act can be Keir's crowning glory

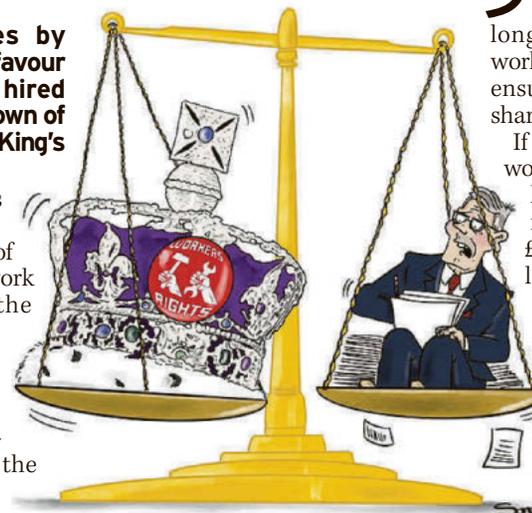
SHACKLING bad bosses by rebalancing the scales in favour of exploited, under-paid hired hands is the jewel in the crown of the government's landmark King's Speech on Wednesday.

Of 35 Bills - from proposals to build more houses to axing hereditary peers in the House of Lords - bold plans to make work pay better is potentially the most significant.

It's also a likely flashpoint, with business groups plotting to lobby like hell to water down protections while anti-trade union prejudice is in the DNA of many hostile Conservative MPs.

TUC General Secretary Paul Nowak is understandably confident that Keir Starmer and Chancellor Rachel Reeves will hold the line, despite courting corporate Britain and entrepreneurs in order to turbo-charge economic growth.

Starmer, unlike Tony Blair, is union-friendly and trade union leaders remark privately that he will



disagree with them firmly but is never hostile.

Polling has confirmed that stronger workplace rights are very popular, with widespread support for raising the £11.44 national minimum wage to a £12 real living wage.

There's also a decent business case for the fair treatment of employees, as sweat shop firms rarely do well in the

long run. And the new deal for working people reinforces the need to ensure the proceeds of growth are shared reasonably.

If Labour sink the P&Os of this world - remember the ferry operator knowingly broke the law to replace 786 sacked crew with £4.87-an-hour cheap foreign labour - the government will definitely be improving life for working people.

Governing won't be plain sailing. Left-winger John McDonnell's plan to force a vote on axing the Tories' £2.5 billion two-child benefit cap - which plunges 1.6 million kids into poverty - is a sign of choppy waters ahead.

But the King's Speech is Starmer's golden opportunity to establish a direction of travel and to increase momentum.

Delivering at work what Deputy PM Angela Rayner, an architect of the package, adoringly calls "my baby" would be a down payment on the better future Labour promises.

» The fact that Brexit was a disaster was a truth that no one dared speak during the election. So Patrick "Next slide, please" Vallance itemising how it is bad for British research, an engine of the economy, is refreshing. This isn't 2016, so David Lammy can ignore Brextremists fighting old battles by repairing some of the damage.



» Pioneering Victorian atheist MP Charles Bradlaugh, pictured left, had to be elected five times before he was finally allowed to take his Northampton seat in 1886 by affirming rather than taking a religious oath.

The anti-monarchist protest of Norwich left-winger Clive Lewis against MPs swearing allegiance to King Charles instead of we the people reminded me of Dennis Skinner muttering under his breath "and all who sail in her" after Queen Elizabeth.

There's a bust of Bradlaugh in Parliament. Win change and there might be one of Lewis in the future.

» Bumping into one-time soldier Tom Tugendhat at Tory peer Guy Black's 60th birthday bash, the ex-Security Minister appeared both pleased and worried that I consider him to be that smashed party's best hope.

Pick Badenoch, Jenrick and particularly Braverman as leader to pursue Farage and the next election is in the bag... for Labour.

MORE FARAGE PHOOEY

HARD-right Trump champion Nigel Farage outrageously blaming "liberal intolerance" for the assassination attempt was as dispiriting as it was predictable.

Political violence is an enemy of democracy fuelled by Trump himself, a self-described dictator who falsely claims he won a 2020 US presidential election lost by seven million votes to Joe Biden. He would do so again in November if the result were repeated.

Mob-provoking Trump incited the deadly January 6 attempted coup in Washington in 2021, lauded gun-toting

Proud Boy neo-fascists and played down 2017 white supremacist violence in Charlottesville.



BLAME GAME
Nigel Farage

Mercifully, Spencer Perceval in 1812 remains the only British Prime Minister assassinated (although the IRA came perilously close to killing Margaret Thatcher in 1984).

Milkshakes, tyre slashing, sledgehammer attacks and intimidation must be condemned unreservedly in Britain too but Farage, deliberately or ignorantly, ignores the fact that American hate and violence are fanned by his illiberal, intolerant mate Trump.

SPEAKER'S CORNER

"The campaign to win the next general election has started." Exhausting just to think about that when the last was only 11 days ago but Starmtrooper Jonathan Ashworth, head of Keir fan club Labour Together, is also looking for a seat after controversially losing his.

Migrant tells of horror on death dinghy

A SOMALI migrant who survived the latest Channel tragedy has described the chaos.

Four died on Friday but 63 were saved after their dinghy capsized.

Few could swim and there was just one life jacket and an inner tube.

Nimco Mohamed, 19, told The Sunday Times: "For three hours I did not know if I would die."

"I went under three times and my stomach was full of sea water. After I was vomiting. I can't believe I am still alive."

But Nimco's friend Adukali, 25, drowned.

She said: "He saved me but when he went back to save someone else, people pulled him down."

Amazon's workers in union vote

A VOTE held today could force Amazon to recognise a union in the UK for the first time.

The GMB has been balloting employees at a fulfilment warehouse.

If the 3,000 staff vote in favour, Amazon would have to negotiate with the GMB on terms, pay and conditions at the site in Coventry, West Mids.

Amanda Gearing, of the GMB, said: "This is an historic moment."

"Amazon is one of the world's most hostile and anti-union employers."

Amazon said its staff were free to join unions, adding: "We always work hard to listen, take on feedback and make continuous improvements."



Fay: My holiday romance ended with Interpol

Cold Feet star 'bugged by cops'

EXCLUSIVE
BY ASHLEIGH RAINBIRD
Diary Editor



COLD FEET actress Fay Ripley believes she was bugged by Interpol after a holiday romance with a waterski instructor.

Fay, 58, says she believed the man, called Thanos, was in love with her – but now understands he was using her as a decoy to ship stolen goods from Corfu.

Fay became suspicious she was under surveillance after she spotted a van near her home in North West London.

She recalls: "I think I was followed by Interpol. I was living above Boots on Golders Green high street."

"I swear I heard a very rare Barbra Streisand track that I was playing in my flat coming out of a van. I think they were bugging me."

Fay was speaking on Alan Carr's Life's A Beach podcast.

She told how she was "down on her luck" at the time and went on holiday with her dad during her twenties.

She fell in love with Thanos during a

whirlwind romance, despite never taking any waterskiing lessons from him.

She says: "I think I had a holiday romance with the same person everyone else had a holiday romance with."

"I was down on my luck, in my mid-twenties, and my dad said, 'Come on holiday with us, I'll pay'. I was there like a shot."

"The romance was three or four days. Thanos said he loved me and was going to come to England and live with me."

"I said I also love you, Thanos. But it seemed odd that he was coming to the airport and saying goodbye. We were all crying, he waved me goodbye, hugging."

But a fortnight later she recalls: "My dad got a call from Interpol because Thanos had robbed £75,000 worth of jewellery from other ladies at the hotel."

"I thought he loved me. I think I was just a decoy – it's sad."

"I was really taken for a ride. That was a shame."

Interpol officers had believed Thanos had passed jewellery to Fay at the airport, but she had not received anything from him.

Fay has been married to Daniel Lapaine since 2001 and the couple have two children.



TRIP Corfu, top, & Barbra Streisand

“I thought he loved me but I was just a decoy.. I was taken for a ride”
FAY RIPLEY ON HOLIDAY ROMANCE WITH CROOK

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PRINCESS OF WALES LIGHTS

THE King and Queen will tour Australia and Samoa this autumn but skip New Zealand on doctors' orders.

Buckingham Palace said the royal trip will include a visit to the Commonwealth Heads of Government Meeting in Samoa, which begins on October 21.

The Mirror exclusively revealed the tour plans last month and Charles and officials in New Zealand are said to be disappointed he cannot visit.

Charles, 75, is having weekly treatment for cancer after being diagnosed in February and only returned to public duties at the end

King to skip NZ leg of tour as he puts health first

of April. Sources said the Australia leg of the tour will be scaled back to around six days, with a break of up to two days

before the King visits Samoa for three days.

A Palace spokesman added: "As with all His Majesty's recent engagements, his programme will be subject to doctors' advice."

The King and Queen Camilla, 76, will be presented with duck eggs in place of the traditional dead birds as they start a two-day tour of the Channel Islands today. When Elizabeth II visited Jersey in 2001, she was given two mallards on a silver tray, in a tradition dating to the Middle Ages.



TRIP Charles



JOY Kate smiles as the crowds applaud her

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WINNER With Carlos Alcaraz after match

CARLOS WIN: SEE SPORT



AUNTIE Pippa and Charlotte



TENSE Princess during a point



DAY OUT Courteney and Johnny

CHAT Julia Roberts and Daniel Moder

It's

BY MATTHEW YOUNG at Wimbledon

THE Princess of Wales was a Centre Court smash, the crowds cheering her in a standing ovation as she made only her second public appearance since her cancer treatment.

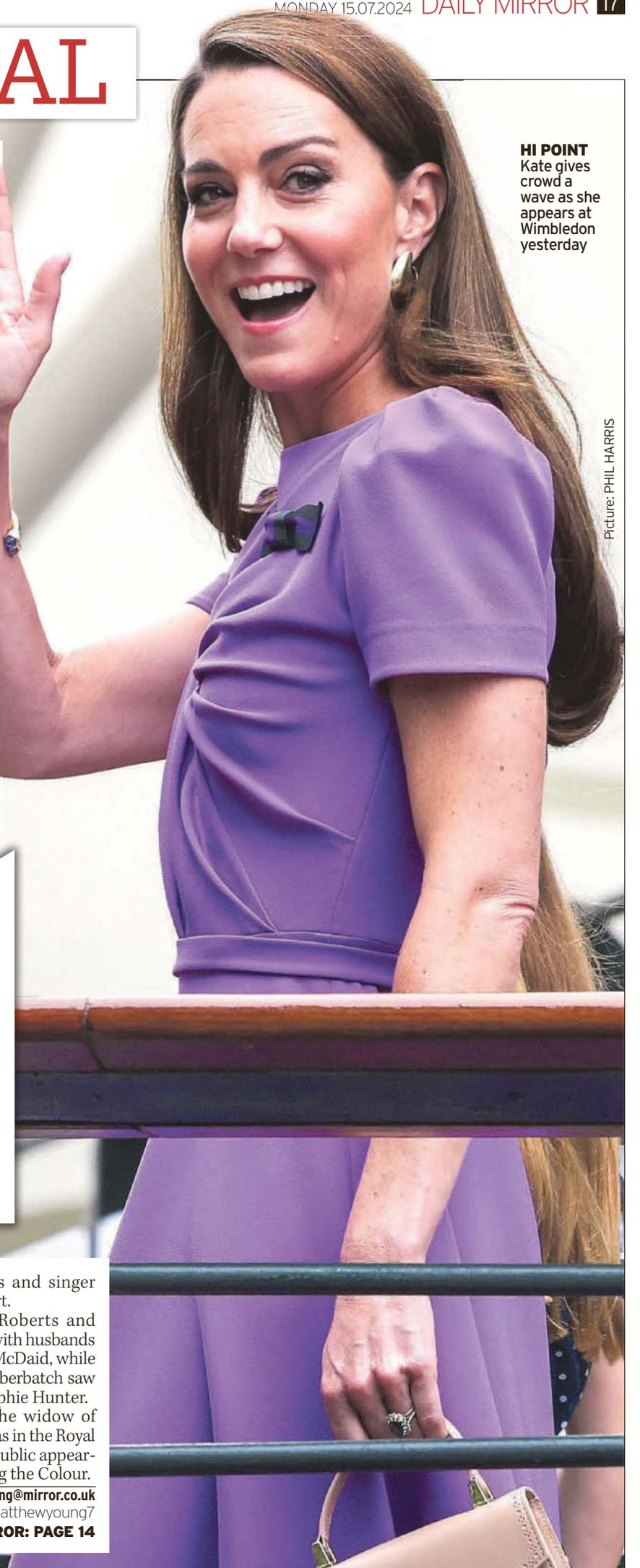
Smiling Kate, 42, took her seat in the Royal Box alongside nine-year-old daughter Princess Charlotte and her sister Pippa Middleton, 40.

Later, Kate presented the trophies after Spaniard Carlos Alcaraz, 21, beat Serb Novak Djokovic, 37, in straight sets. There was a huge buzz inside SW19

UP WIMBLEDON FINAL



CHEERS
Kate with daughter Charlotte



HI POINT
Kate gives crowd a wave as she appears at Wimbledon yesterday

Picture: PHIL HARRIS

love all

Royals have a ball as the Centre Court crowd make a racket to welcome Kate

as people gathered to catch a glimpse of Kate. She finally crossed the bridge into Centre Court at 1.45pm, waving at the crowd that had gathered below.

Jasmine Berry, 19, and mum Mandy Berry, 50, from Portsmouth, Hants, were thrilled to see her. Jasmine said: "It was

amazing and she looked fabulous. It was lovely to see Charlotte too." Mandy said: "It was so nice to see her and she's clearly well enough to be here. Hopefully, it means she's on the road to recovery."

Star-spotters had a treat, with Sir Cliff Richard, Tom Cruise, Man City winger

Jack Grealish and actress and singer Zendaya all in Centre Court.

Hollywood stars Julia Roberts and Courteney Cox were there with husbands Danny Moder and Johnny McDaid, while British actor Benedict Cumberbatch saw the action with his wife Sophie Hunter.

And Lindsey Burrow, the widow of rugby league legend Rob, was in the Royal Box with Kate, whose last public appearance was June 15's Trooping the Colour.

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SPECTATOR Dune actress Zendaya



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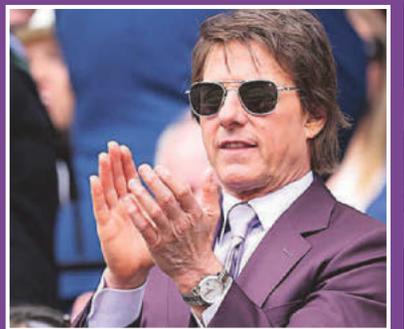
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MOCKED Ex-PM Liz Truss
Truss: Sunak sniping led to election rout

BY **DAVE BURKE**
 Political Correspondent

SHAMELESS Liz Truss said Rishi Sunak caused the landslide Tory election loss by trashing her record. The 49-day disastrous PM denied piling misery on to voters, as she hit out at her successor Mr Sunak. In July's poll, Ms Truss became the first ex-PM to lose their seat since 1935. Ms Truss, 48, said Mr Sunak "continued to trash my record and promote Labour's false narrative that the global rise in mortgage rates was somehow my fault". But Labour's Wes Streeting said: "It's always someone else's fault. Let that be the Conservative Party's epitaph. "Never forget what they did to our country. Never let them do it again."

KING'S SPEECH: PAGE 21



SKY'S THE LIMIT Jack, 16
Jumpin' Jack flash £200k charity goal

BY **JOHN KELLY**

A TEENAGE fundraiser is aiming to top £200,000 for a cancer charity before he takes a break for his exams. Jack Thompson, who is blind because of a brain tumour on his optic nerve, has already raised £169,000 through bucket collections at 195 Morrisons stores. Now he is planning a skydive to round off his fundraising efforts. The 16-year-old, from Gateshead, Tyne and Wear, said: "The challenge is £200,000 and 200 stores. "I wanted to do a skydive to come up with a nice ending before retiring and concentrating on GCSEs." The skydive is this Saturday in Peterlee, Co Durham, and cash will go to Young Lives Vs Cancer. Jack has been fundraising for the charity since he was seven.

'When bosses saw Graziano footage it was game over'

'Shocking Zara video' ends pro dancer's Strictly career

LAST WALTZ
 Zara and Graziano at PoB last year



IN A SPIN Zara & Di Prima in Strictly show last October

Show's bubble at risk of bursting

STRICTLY Come Dancing's format of forcing two strangers to be in close quarters together for an intense and lengthy period of time is looking riskier and riskier - it's an HR nightmare. Previously, the issues have been the show's notorious "curse" breaking up marriages when dancers and celebrities fall for one another behind the scenes. But accusations of bullying behaviour paint a completely different picture of

COMMENT
 BY **ASHLEIGH RAINBIRD** Diary Editor

the environment, which sits totally at odds with its image as a family-friendly, wholesome, light entertainment series. Many stars clearly have wonderful experiences in the Strictly bubble. But as it approaches its 20th anniversary, the serious allegations against Graziano Di

Prima are some of the most shocking in the show's history, and the BBC had no choice but to take immediate action. They could consider introducing chaperones for the contestants, but this would affect the chemistry that many develop as a result of training. Whatever action they choose to take, BBC bosses must ensure the upcoming series has provisions to prevent further damaging allegations.

EXCLUSIVE
 BY **TOM BRYANT**
 Head of Showbiz

BBC bosses sacked Strictly's Graziano Di Prima just 48 hours after watching a damning video of his behaviour, with one allegedly saying: "It was game over."

Executives were apparently stunned by the footage involving TV star Zara McDermott and axed Italian dancer Di Prima for gross misconduct. A source claimed: "As soon as it was viewed, it was game over for Graziano. "His Strictly career was dead and buried and there was never any way back. Everyone's stomachs just dropped when the footage became available, and our hearts went out to Zara who clearly had been suffering in silence." Former Love Islander Zara, 27, was only invited into the BBC to speak about Di Prima after production staff raised concerns independently. She is said to have spoken with BBC investigators, who included two ex-Metropolitan Police officers. Di Prima, 30, is accused of hitting, kicking and even spitting at Zara. Footage then emerged of one

“His Strictly career was dead and buried and there was never any way back for him”
 SOURCE ON MOMENT BBC BOSSES SAW DAMNING VIDEO OF GRAZIANO DI PRIMA

incident that was said to be the "final nail in Graziano's coffin". A source said of BBC bosses: "They are continuing to support Zara as there is a clear duty of care there, not least as she does a lot of work still with the BBC. "They just want to do the right thing." Sources said no one at the BBC had been made aware of Di Prima's alleged physical conduct before the video emerged, and that executives acted swiftly and decisively. Di Prima and Zara came fifth in last year's show and were seen together at the Mirror's 2023 Pride of Britain Awards. Di Prima joined Strictly in 2018. On Saturday, he said: "I deeply regret the events that led to my departure from Strictly. My intense passion and determination to win might have affected my training regime." He said there were parts of the story "involving external influences" he could not yet discuss, adding: "When the time is right, I will share my story." His sacking follows confirmation that Giovanni Pernice will not be part of the 2024 show amid allegations about his teaching methods, which he rejects. Pernice has said he is looking forward to clearing his name, adding: "I have always rejected any suggestion of abusive or threatening behaviour." The line-up changes come as Strictly marks its 20th anniversary this year. Pro Aljaz Skorjanec is also set to return following a two-year break.

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Can't get her out of the red

POP princess Kylie Minogue takes to the stage wearing head-to-toe red vinyl.

The 56-year-old Can't Get You Out Of My Head singer made quite an entrance in Hyde Park, London, having to be carried on to the stage as her heels were so high.

Debuting her new single, My Oh My, Kylie told the 65,000-strong sell-out crowd: "It has been nine years since I played this stage. And in nine years or eight years or five years or one year, so much can happen, and so much has happened for me, for you, for all of us."



EAR WE GO
Kylie Minogue gets Hyde Park crowd to join in



SPINNING AROUND
Dance moves



SCARLET LADY
She leans into look

New laws to protect shop staff

Mirror victory as King's Speech bill to target violence in stores

EXCLUSIVE

BY **DAVE BURKE**
Political Correspondent

LABOUR will this week put forward legislation to protect shop workers and clamp down on shoplifting in a tough new crime bill.

The King's Speech on Wednesday will outline the government's first programme and include an offence of assaulting retail staff.

It will also close a Tory loophole that means thefts of goods worth under £200 are less likely to result in prosecution.

This is a victory for the Mirror, which campaigned for change. The British Retail Consortium

said more than 1,300 retail staff a day suffer violence and abuse.

Paul Gerrard, of the Co-op, told the Mirror: "We've had to move a colleague from their home due to threats. We've spoken to [Home Secretary] Yvette Cooper and she was very affected by what she's heard."

There will also be a clampdown on the sale of knives and measures on violence against women.

In all, King Charles is expected to outline more than 35 bills in the speech.

These will include tackling absenteeism in schools and the setting up of free breakfast clubs.

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BILLS Keir Starmer and King Charles



FLAGSHIP Angela Rayner

Backing for zero-hours crackdown

BY **ASHLEY COWBURN**
Political Correspondent

VOTERS are right behind Labour's flagship plans to reform workers' rights.

A poll shows 72% back the proposals, spearheaded by Deputy PM Angela Rayner, to ban exploitative zero-hours contracts.

The survey also shows two-thirds want a ban on fire-and-rehire practices, which allow bosses to sack workers then offer them a new deal on worse terms. And nearly seven in 10 back a boost sick pay provisions.

STAGNATING

The proposals are likely to be included in the King's Speech, after Labour promised a New Deal for Working People within 100 days of winning power.

Trades Union Congress chief Paul Nowak said: "Working people want a government that is on their side. After 14 years of stagnating living standards, the UK needs to turn the page on our low-rights, low-pay economy."

Opinion polled 3,000 adults on behalf of the TUC. **KEVIN MAGUIRE: PAGE 14**

Ministers told to expose depth of Tory mess

CABINET Ministers have been asked to dig up the true scale of the terrible Tory inheritance and to "bring out the dead".

Top MP Pat McFadden has told

Keir Starmer's senior team they have until Friday to look under the bonnet in their departments to unearth any nasty surprises.

He said: "We must identify the

issues hanging over from the previous government which may have adverse consequences for value for money for taxpayers or good governance."

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Bey poses before hitting the shops

Beyoncé looks sheer class in this see-through suit. The 42-year-old went shopping at a record store stocked with vinyl copies of her acclaimed country album. Surely she already has a copy.



BIG BIRTHDAY
Penny and Rod

Sir Rod Stewart plans to go all out for his 80th birthday in January, with wife **Penny** warning the celebrations will last several weeks. "We'll start in Florida for Christmas then go on a big ship together to the Caribbean," she says. "It will be a wonderful journey." The Sailing jokes will get pretty tedious after all that time.

There was one spot at Wimbledon better for celeb-spotting than centre court. Evian's Mountain of Youth suite hosted celebs including Dame Helen Mirren, A.J. Odudu, Stormzy, left, and Charli XCX, who all enjoyed a quaint afternoon tea. The stars were well watered with Evian - but also plenty of Pimm's and Champagne.

Renee keen to learn her Lions

Monday, 15th July: 9st 0lb, alcohol units (best not to count), cigarettes (ditto).

Renee Zellweger has been going full native to get into character for the latest Bridget Jones film by watching England football matches down the pub.

The 55-year-old American, who has played Brit character Bridget in three films, is currently filming *Bridget Jones: Mad About The Boy*, which is due for release next year.

And to get fully immersed in British culture, she has been watching the Three Lions' Euros matches at The George pub in Hampstead, surrounded by locals.

A source said: "Renee has always managed to perfect her English accent, but she knows nothing encapsulates the country more than the football."

"Bridget would definitely feel at home watching the match in a local pub."

"She really enjoyed it and it definitely helped her feel more British." The actress

famously put on 2st for her first outing as hapless Bridget in 2001.

But in 2016, Renee revealed she was asked not to put it back on for the third film as her character had achieved her "ideal weight".

Renee said at the time: "It didn't mean her life was perfect."



ON THE BALL
Actress Renee

I wasn't sure about that one though because we all have something we think is wrong, that needs fixing, that in our own minds represents

the ideal that we are meant to obtain. And I like the idea that that stays with us throughout our lives."

Not sure if sinking pints supporting the Three Lions will help...

SLAPSTICK VIDEO GETS KATY STICK

Katy Perry has defended her "sarcastic" music video for *Women's World* after it was panned by critics for being outdated and lacking a real feminist message.

The singer explains: "We're kind of just having fun, being a bit sarcastic with it. It's very slapstick and very on the nose."

"It's like, 'Ooh, we're not about the male gaze but we really are about the male gaze'. And we're really overplaying it and on the nose."

Whatever you say, Katy. If you have to explain the joke, it probably wasn't very funny in the first place.



SHOW TIME Katy in the video

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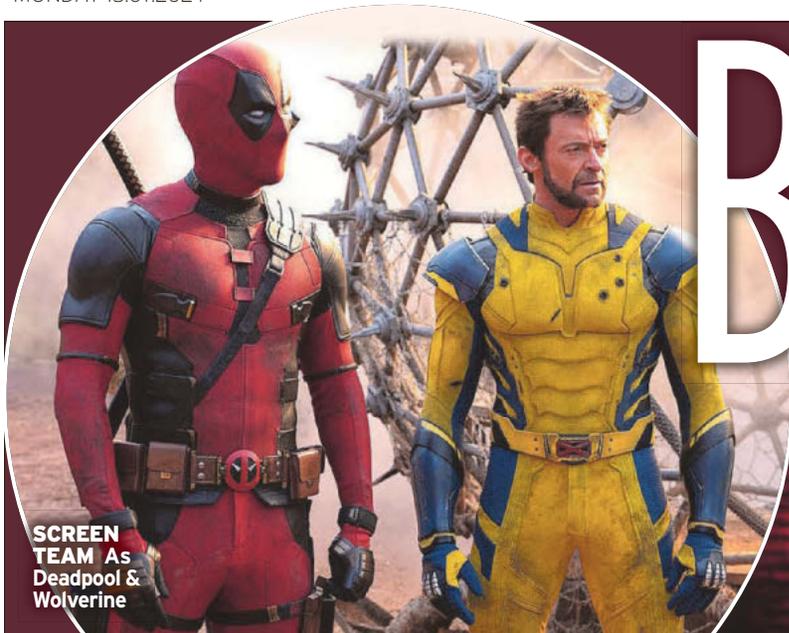


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 - 5 How old was Carry On star Kenneth Williams when he died?
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BY **MARTIN BAGOT** Health Editor

HOLLYWOOD superstars **Ryan Reynolds and Hugh Jackman** are the leading men in a new NHS appeal to find blood donors.

The actors, who are in *Deadpool & Wolverine*, the latest superhero film in the Marvel franchise, have created a short film calling on movie fans to be a "hero" and donate blood.

In the commercial, to be shown at cinemas and on social media, Ryan, 47, who plays Deadpool, says: "Our characters have spilled countless hot tubs-worth of blood in the name of entertainment. But don't worry, it's all fake."

Hugh, 55, continues: "Real blood is harder to come by. That's why the NHS needs heroes like you to donate blood."

"Just one hour of your time could save up to three lives."

The appeal comes after

the Mirror launched a campaign calling for more blood donors.

The new plea by NHS Blood and Transplant is targeting 17 to 35-year-olds, those with O negative blood and people of Black heritage.

Mark Chambers, NHSBT director, said: "Deadpool saves the day but blood donors save lives."

"We hope film fans will be inspired to become a hero in their own story by giving blood. The NHS needs more young people to become the donors of the future and more donors of Black heritage to help patients who need ethnically matched blood."

A Department of Health and Social Care spokesman said: "Blood donors are real-life superheroes."

Go to [blood.co.uk](https://www.blood.co.uk), use the GiveBloodApp or call 0300 123 23 23 to sign up.

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RED CARPET Ryan, left, and Hugh in London

The NHS needs heroes like you to give blood

HUGH JACKMAN MAKES NHS APPEAL



SHARP FORM Jackman as Wolverine



MASKED BALL Reynolds as Deadpool



VANISHED Jay Slater
Missing Jay's mum offered a movie deal

BY JOHN KELLY

THE family of missing teen Jay Slater have been approached to make a film about his disappearance.

As the search for the 19-year-old enters week five, mum Debbie Duncan, 55, said the global media interest in his case had been overwhelming.

She explained: "We have been inundated with requests for interviews, documentaries and even as far as a movie.

"In reality, we are just a normal family from Lancashire desperate to find our beautiful boy."

The family have called in a team of Dutch rescue experts to continue the search in Tenerife.

Non-profit organisation Signi Zoekhonden has sent a team of five to the island, plus four dogs, with a sixth person arriving this week.



RELIABLE Keith with car
Keith's Volvo still on road after 50 yrs

BY DAN WARBURTON

A CAREFUL driver has had the same car for 50 years, even though it broke down just after he bought it.

Keith Morgan paid £2,650 - around £24,350 in today's money - for the Volvo 145 estate in 1974.

He initially tried to return the vehicle when it malfunctioned, but the garage wouldn't take it back so he stuck with it - and says it has been "a hard worker ever since".

To celebrate the milestone, mechanic Keith, 76, plans to drive the Volvo back to the former site of Holden Motors in Norwich.

The dad-of-two, who owns Morgan's Motor Engineers in Drayton, Norfolk, said: "It's had concrete beams in the back and been through all sorts of abuse, but it still looks like a tidy car."

'INTOLERABLE'

» David Lammy calls for Gaza ceasefire on first visit to region : » Death toll of Israeli air blitz on 'humanitarian' zone hits 141



BLOWN APART
Viewing the damage at al-Mawasi yesterday

BY ASHLEY COWBURN
Political Correspondent

DAVID Lammy has called for an immediate ceasefire in Gaza on his first visit to the Middle East as Foreign Secretary.

Mr Lammy held talks with Israeli PM Benjamin Netanyahu and Mahmoud Abbas, the President of the Palestinian Authority, yesterday.

Prior to the talks, the Cabinet minister said in a statement: "The death and destruction in Gaza is intolerable.

"This war must end now, with an immediate ceasefire, complied with by both sides.

"The fighting has got to stop, the hostages still cruelly detained by Hamas terrorists need to be released immediately and aid must be allowed in to reach the people of Gaza without restrictions."

Mr Lammy said the

talks with Israeli and Palestinian leaders centred on stressing the UK's ambition and commitment to play its full diplomatic role in securing a ceasefire deal and creating the space for a pathway towards a two-state solution.

He added: "The world needs a safe and secure Israel alongside a viable and sovereign Palestinian state."

His remarks came after Gaza's health ministry said 141 Palestinians have

been killed and around 400 injured by Israeli airstrikes since Saturday.

One strike, said to be targeting the suspected October 7 attack mastermind Mohammed Deif, killed at least 90 people and injured hundreds more.

Hamas described it as a "horrifying massacre" and denied Deif was killed.

Charity Action Aid UK said Saturday's devastating attack on al-Mawasi, near Khan Younis, was in a designated "humanitarian zone". As part of Mr

Lammy's visit yesterday, the Foreign Office announced it would give a further £5.5million this year to UK-Med to fund its work in Gaza.

The medical aid charity sends experienced humanitarian medics, including from the NHS, to crisis-hit regions.

This funding will be used to support its field hospitals and the emergency department at Nasser Hospital in Khan Younis, where many of those injured from the Israeli strike were taken.

Louise Wateridge, of the UN relief and works agency, praised medics yesterday. But she added: "The hospital is nothing short of a disaster. You walk in the entrance and you can smell the blood.

"All of the mattresses that patients were on were stained with blood. Very minimal in terms of sanitation, cleaning equipment, bed sheets. Dire conditions."

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STRONG WORDS Mr Lammy held meetings

"This war must end with an immediate ceasefire"
DAVID LAMMY ISSUES TOUGH STATEMENT



BLAST ZONE A man with child at al-Mawasi

Ditch the phone and keep track of Mother Nature

A TRAIN journey is a window on the world, in many ways than one. I look around at my fellow passengers, and what do I see? A nation of smartphone and laptop prisoners.

Everybody under 50 is talking on, typing on or listening to an electronic gizmo. The outside flashes by, and they see nothing of their native country.

It's only the old bozos like me who sit gazing out at the panoply of hills, fields,

PAUL ROUTLEDGE
LIFE GOES ON

woods, farms, villages and churches. And at this time of the year, weather permitting, intense agricultural activity - haymaking, with huge spindle-machines turning the grass into giant straw bobbins.

I don't suppose that's their proper name

but that's what they look like to me. Farmers pile them high, in space-age haystacks covered with black plastic they can't recycle, and call that progress.

On a journey to Darlington the other day, I watched the haymaking in full swing, though some fields were waterlogged.

Mother Nature loves rain, of course, being the chief provider, and it does wonders for trackside vegetation, though I doubt if Railtrack sees it like that. Purple

buddleia is particularly vigorous this year, blooming everywhere it can take hold, between the tracks, on banking sides.

My cross-country train continues to Edinburgh, a beguiling prospect, and came all the way from Plymouth.

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NADA FARHOUD
Environment Journalist of the Year

No excuses for barbaric cat killing contest

HANDSOME
Feral cat in Omapere, New Zealand



REGULAR readers of this column will be aware of my love of cats. But despite being wrapped around the paw of my rescue Arabian Mau most of the time, I am not blind to the destruction they can cause to wildlife.

Just a few weeks ago, Domino dragged in a tiny mouse which she dropped at my feet. Attempts to make her wear a bell on a collar have not lasted long after getting into scraps with neighbour cats.

But, thankfully, there has only been one songbird hunted, well, that I am aware of anyway.

In the German town of Walldorf, they went as far as imposing a three-month lockdown last year to help protect the endangered crested lark. Cats were only allowed to venture outside if they were kept on a leash no more than two metres long.

But in the New Zealand farming community of Canterbury, things have gone too far.

A bloodthirsty cat-killing competition was held under the guise of "conservation" last month.

The North Canterbury Hunting Competition offers prizes to hunters who slaughter wild pigs, deer, rabbits, ferrets, goats, ducks and geese. But this year, children as young as 14 were being encouraged to slaughter feral cats, whose only crime was to be born with no home.

The hunt produced its biggest haul yet, with roughly 340 animals killed - about 100 more than last year's event.

Horrific images have emerged from the competition last month showing cats strung up, while another shows a trolley full of slaughtered cats discarded like rubbish. Many look like domestic moggies, raising the question of how hunters can tell the difference between which are feral and which are pets.

New Zealand has one of the world's

highest rates for cat ownership per capita, with close to half of households owning one.

Feral cats were added to the hunting list in 2023 after event organiser Matt Bailey said it helps manage numbers which threaten native wildlife and carry diseases that put farmers' livestock at risk.

A \$500 (£235) cash prize is awarded to the hunter with the largest number of cats killed, while the largest cat caught is awarded \$1,000 (£470).

But animal welfare groups have now hit back.

Charity Network for Animals is fighting to end the horrific cat-killing competition. It said: "The hunters will tell you that this is all in the name of conservation, but this is just a poor excuse to fulfil their bloodlust. There is little evidence that feral cats pose a significant threat to native species. Rather, it is the relentless destruction of natural habitats that have devastated local wildlife.

"In the Canterbury region alone, more than half the area's land has been razed of its local flora and converted to farmlands, totalling some 2.5 million hectares. Even worse, around 90% of the region's wetlands - home to several endangered species - have been diverted

for agricultural or urban use.

"According to law, domestic and stray cats must be given food, shelter and medical care, with fines for abuse and mistreatment, yet feral cats must be trapped, shot and poisoned. With this arbitrary distinction, hunters strip hundreds of cats of their right to life."

Stray cats should be controlled through trap-neuter-vaccinate-release programmes instead of being slaughtered by hunters spurred on by prize money.



ENDANGERED The parrots Love could be in the air for rare macaws

BY JOHN KELLY

TWO parrots have been paired up in the hope of saving the endangered species from extinction.

Fewer than 300 red-fronted macaws remain in the wild, making them one of the world's most at-risk parrot species.

The pair recently arrived at Twycross Zoo in Little Orton, Leics, from Edinburgh Zoo and Welsh Mountain Zoo.

Twycross's Rhys McKie said: "In the wild, these parrots can only be found in a small region of Bolivia, making them unique amongst macaws.

"The birds feed on desert plants like cactus and are one of the main seed dispersers. I'm looking forward to our visitors getting the chance to see them and our other stunning parrot species."



DROP Discounts were given Home prices fall but boost is on horizon

BY VICKY SHAW

THE average home price has dipped by double the usual for July but experts think the new Government will get the market moving.

The typical asking price fell by 0.4%, or £1,617, to £373,493 - down from £375,110 in June, property website Rightmove said.

Sellers dropped asking prices to cut through the distractions of the election, sport and holiday season.

The number of sales being agreed and new sellers on the market is higher than a year ago.

Tim Bannister, of Rightmove, said: "A new Government with a large majority will likely help home mover confidence.

"The new Chancellor's immediate announcements on housebuilding targets and planning reform are positive signs."



SHIP SHAPE
Craig on Sirius II

Vet's sail of the century

INTREPID Army veteran Craig Wood spends some quality time with his family as he trains to become the first triple amputee to sail the Pacific solo. The 33-year-old lost both his legs and a hand aged 18 when he stepped on a bomb on his first tour in Afghanistan. He normally shares his

41ft catamaran, Sirius II, with fiancée Renata and kids Amaru, three, and Madeira, one, but will be all alone when using it for the charity sail in January. Former rifleman Craig said: "I hope I can inspire other amputees to get into sailing and change able-bodied people's perception of us."



PIRATE PLAY
With little Amaru



NHS CARE'S FORGOTTEN GENERATION

8 in 10 trusts can't meet children's demand

BY **ASHLEY COWBURN**
Political Correspondent

CRIPPLING NHS waits and rising demand risk creating a "forgotten generation" of children, a report warns today.

According to NHS Providers, more than eight in 10 trusts are unable to meet demand for children and young people's services.

Nearly all trusts said the level of demand they are experiencing has increased since the pandemic.

The report notes 5.3 million children and young people were in contact with mental health

services in 2023/24, up 8.1% on 2022/23 and 25.7% on 2021/22.

One trust said waiting time for children's autism assessments had gone from 14 months before the pandemic to 38 months.

Urging the government to make children's health a priority, NHS Providers chief executive Sir Julian Hartley said: "We're in danger of seeing a forgotten generation of young people."

"Too many young lives are **DANGER** Sir Julian Hartley

being blighted by delays to accessing vital NHS care. Long waits for services have far-reaching implications for a child's social development, school readiness and educational attainment."

The Department of Health and Social Care said: "We know waits for services are far too long."

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WITCH Star, centre, in Charmed

BY **ASHLEIGH RAINBIRD**
Diary Editor

BEVERLY Hills, 90210 star Shannen Doherty has died aged 53 after a long battle with cancer, her publicist said yesterday.

The actress played Brenda Walsh with Jason Priestley as twin brother Brandon in the hit 1990s teenage series.

She also appeared in cult hit show Charmed as one of a trio of sisters who are good witches.

Priestley, 54, paid tribute to her, saying: "She was a force of nature and I will miss her."

"Sending love and light to her family in this dark time."

Doherty was born in Memphis, Tennessee, and began acting as a child in TV series such as Our House.

She joined the cast of the long-running Little House on the Prairie at the age of 11 in 1982.

Her first major film role came in 1985 with Girls Just Want to Have Fun, which also starred Sarah Jessica Parker.

Three years later she played Heather Duke, a member of a high school clique, in cult 1988 teenage drama Heathers, also starring Winona Ryder.

GLAMOROUS

In 1990, she landed the role of Brenda in 90210, which followed a group of school pupils as they dealt with relationship issues.

She left after four seasons, with Brenda being written out to go to drama school in London.

The show made her a household name along with Priestley, Luke Perry, Jennie Garth, Tori Spelling and Brian Austin Green.

In 1995, she starred in offbeat film comedy Mallrats.

Doherty competed in Dancing With The Stars, the US version of Strictly Come Dancing, in 2010.

She was diagnosed with breast cancer in 2015 but went into remission. In 2020 she said it had returned.

In June last year, she said it had spread to her brain and revealed she had a tumour removed.

She also spoke of the lessons she had learned from relationships following her divorce from photographer Kurt Iswarienko in April 2023.

Doherty had previously married actor Ashley Hamilton and poker player Rick Salomon.

Publicist Leslie Sloane said Doherty died on Saturday "surrounded by her loved ones as well as her dog, Bowie".

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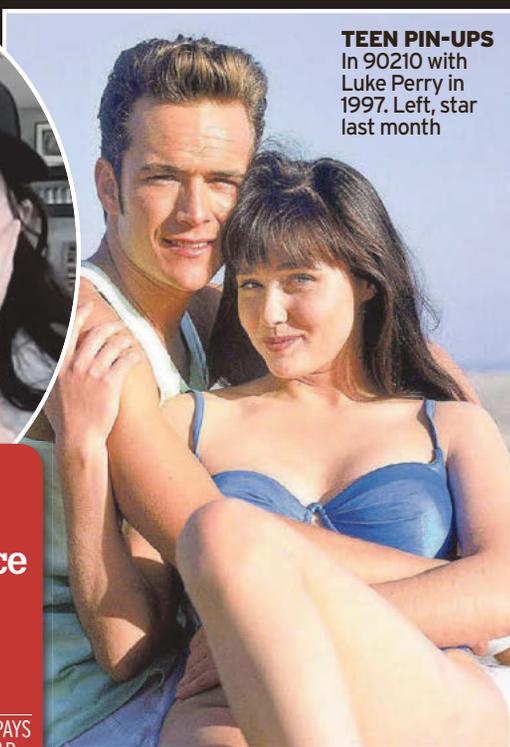
Charmed & 90210 star Shannen dies at 53

Actress in long cancer battle



“Shannen was a force of nature and I will miss her”

JASON PRIESTLEY PAYS TRIBUTE TO 90210 STAR



TEEN PIN-UPS
In 90210 with Luke Perry in 1997. Left, star last month

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Swim

Whether you're curvy, athletic or a classic pear, **EMMA JOHNSON** shares her tips for finding the perfect cossie to make you look good and feel great

Holiday season is here and hopefully sun, sea and sand are on the horizon for you. While we may all love relaxing on the beach or by the pool, few women relish having to shop for swimsuits or bikinis beforehand.

Quite apart from the question of whether your two-piece or swimming costume fits, there are many other things to consider. Like, is it supportive enough? Does it hold you in or lift you up? Is the colour or print flattering?

And is it even suitable for going in the water? You would be surprised how many swimsuits aren't.

Forget struggling into what you think you should be wearing, the experts advise simply focusing on a style that feels the best.

"The single most important aspect of choosing swimwear is comfort," says Dawn Barber, founder and managing director of UKswimwear.com.

"Getting the right size is absolutely key, as ill-fitting swimwear can not only be unflattering, it can make you feel miserable when you're supposed to be having a great time on holiday."

Once you know the style you prefer, look out for the key trends for summer 2024.

Flora Harris, swimwear buyer at Pour Moi, reveals that wet-look designs, leopard prints in tonal hues, textured pieces and gold hardware are popular.

If you love the fantastic value that supermarket fashion offers, Jessica Hoad, F&F's buying manager for ladies outerwear and swim, promises, "stylish inclusive swimwear, minimal effort with maximum impact" from the Tesco brand.

Mix-and-match bikinis there start from a purse-friendly £8, with swimsuits from £19.50.

"The swim edit brings beach-to-bar glamour, with luxe fabrics and styling," she says. "Pieces are versatile and can be worn as swim or as key outfits."

"Quality is key - all styles include padded support as standard, with tummy control on selected styles to ensure our customer feels amazing no matter what her needs are."

John Lewis has given its swimwear quite an overhaul, with three quarters of its styles, "completely new shapes for SS24," says Mark Finerty, head of swim design at the department store.

"The direction was to update and modernise silhouettes, adding new shapes so that at any age and body shape you can feel beautiful and confident while on the beach, whether that's accentuating natural curves or providing optimal support."

Read on for tips on finding the perfect swimwear for your body type and to discover gorgeous on-trend buys all for under £50.



Aruba underwired swimsuit, £48, Pour Moi



Edited by
HANNAH BRITT

Swimwear for every body

PEAR SHAPE

"A pear-shaped physique can benefit from swimwear that emphasises the waist and upper body," says Esme Stone, head of brand at JD Williams.

"Bright bandeau or halter tops, paired with solid-colour bottoms, can draw attention upwards, balancing your proportions.

"Swimsuits with plunging necklines or one-shoulder designs are especially flattering, as they highlight your waist and shoulders, creating a more balanced silhouette."

Pour Moi's Flora Harris adds: "For a little extra support, a swimsuit with a tummy control panel will offer just this. A swimsuit with ruched detail is also a flattering option."



Frill bikini top, £25, super high-waisted tummy-control briefs, £19.50, Yours



Sicily frill tummy-control swimsuit, £39, Pour Moi



Burnt orange swimsuit, £12, kimono, £15, Primark



Left: Paisley bikini top, £11, briefs, £8.50. Right: Tankini, £12.50, high-waisted briefs, £8.50, Matalan



Underwired bikini top, £23, briefs, £17, Simply Be

HOURGLASS

"This is one where your bust and hip ratios are equal, with a well-defined waist," explains Zoe Price-Smith, chief design and product officer at Boux Avenue.

"As hourglass figures have a full bust, look for a bikini top with moulded cups or which is underwired to help support and lift the bust.

"The bikini briefs should have a high leg to help accentuate and lengthen the legs, while a style with a high waistband will draw the eye to narrow waists.

"With a one-piece, we recommend a cut-out swimsuit. The fabric in the middle will highlight your slim waist while the cut-aways show off the natural curved lines of an hourglass figure."



Portofino swimsuit, £46, Boux Avenue

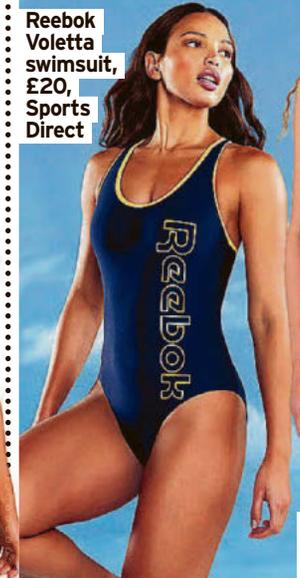
ATHLETIC

"An athletic body shape comprises broad shoulders, a small-to-medium chest, and longer torso, with an undefined waist and narrow hips," says Lynette Dear, merchandising director for Reebok Swim.

"If you have muscular shoulders, swimsuits that accentuate the legs and hips complement your shape well. I recommend the Voletta or Clara swimsuit from Reebok Swim."



Red bikini top, £15, briefs, £10, Peacocks



Reebok Voletta swimsuit, £20, Sports Direct



Anyday jacquard pineapple swimsuit, £28, John Lewis

LARGE BUSTS

"For women with larger busts and therefore requiring additional support, it's important to find a bikini style that gives you this," says Pour Moi's Flora Harris.

"Not only can you enjoy your day knowing that everything is secure, but also stop any unwanted aches and pains. We might recommend opting for a bikini top or swimsuit that comes in your cup size.

"The underwiring will give you that support and comfort. Pour Moi has cup-sized swimwear that accommodates up to a J cup.

"Another option for some extra support is to opt for a style with a halter neck top."

Bikini top with cups, £15.98, briefs, £12.50, shirt, £16, F&F



Halterneck non-wired swimdress, £28, JD Williams



Hello Sailor stripe cut-out swimsuit, £36, John Lewis



Bikini top, £12, briefs, £12, George



V by Very shape-enhancing detachable ruched swimsuit, £28, very.co.uk

SMALL BUSTS

"For small busts we have always built support into our swimsuits, and padding is a design element our customer continues to love," says John Lewis's Mark Finerty. "Most of our padded styles feature removable padding, giving versatility so customers can buy the same piece and wear it the way they prefer."

Reebok Swim's Lynette Dear adds: "For those with a smaller chest, a swimsuit with double or thicker straps works wonders, as it ensures you feel supported, comfortable and fashionable, without the V-cut or plunging necklines."

POST-MASTECTOMY

"Choosing swimwear post-mastectomy is all about finding styles that offer comfort, support, and confidence," says JD Williams' Esme Stone.

"Patterns and ruching can provide extra confidence by offering a flattering and stylish look. Consider tops with adjustable straps and underwire for added support and to achieve a secure fit.

"High-neck swimsuits or those with additional panelling can help you feel both comfortable and stylish, allowing you to enjoy your time by the water with confidence."



Bonprix non-wired post-surgery swimsuit, £22, Freemans



Post-surgery swimsuit, £14, George at Asda



Magisculpt wired bikini top, £26, high-waist tummy-control briefs, £22, JD Williams

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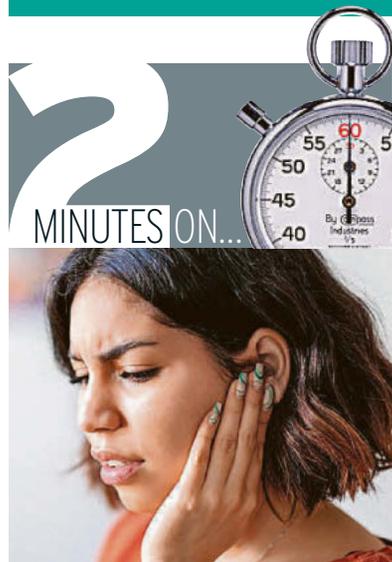
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Bowel drug breakthrough after 'holy grail' discovery

Living with inflammatory bowel disease isn't easy. It's unpredictable, with attacks of inflammation striking out of the blue, bringing severe pain and traumatic toilet visits.

It can be a condition that never leaves – grumbling on day by day with the worry that what you eat may trigger an attack.

More than half a million people in the UK have inflammatory bowel disease (IBD), the two main forms of which are Crohn's disease and ulcerative colitis, with at least seven million affected globally.

They arise when the immune system attacks the bowel, causing an array of debilitating symptoms from abdominal pain and weight loss to diarrhoea and blood in stools.

While medicines such as steroids can ease the symptoms, some patients can require surgery to remove part of their bowel.

But researchers at the prestigious Francis Crick Institute in London have now discovered a major driver of IBD and several other immune disorders that affect the spine, liver and arteries, raising hopes for millions of people worldwide. What's more, this "driver"



central to the inflammatory behaviour of macrophages and their ability to damage the bowel in IBD.

"There's been a search for some time for the central drivers of this pathogenic process, and this is what we've stumbled on," said Dr Lee.

“It's a step forward towards a world free from Crohn's and colitis

And the same mechanism is thought to drive autoimmune disorders, including ankylosing spondylitis, – which causes spine and joint inflammation in about one in 1,000 people worldwide –

and rarer autoimmune diseases that affect the liver and arteries.

The good news is some known anti-cancer drugs reduce inflammation in gut samples from patients with IBD in laboratory tests.

Ruth Wakeman, at Crohn's and Colitis UK, said: "Crohn's and colitis are complex, lifelong conditions for which there is no cure, but research like this is helping us to answer some of the big questions about what causes them."

"This research is a really exciting step towards the possibility of a world free from Crohn's and colitis."

can be treated with drugs that are already in use.

"What we have found is one of the very central pathways that goes wrong when people get inflammatory bowel disease and this has been something of a holy grail," says Dr James Lee, the group leader at the

Institute. Dr Lee's research team found a section of DNA that behaves like a volume control for nearby genes.

This "enhancer" is in immune cells called macrophages where it boosts a gene called ETS2 that increases the risk of IBD.

They then showed that ETS2 is

Perforated eardrum

What is it?

The outer ear canal is separated from the middle ear by a membrane, the ear drum, which transmits sounds to the middle ear.

It may become torn or perforated, which interferes with hearing and makes the middle ear vulnerable to infection.

What are the symptoms?

- Hearing loss
- Ringing in the ear (tinnitus)
- Spinning sensation (vertigo)
- Ear pain that may subside quickly
- Nausea or vomiting that can result from vertigo
- Mucus-like, pus-filled or bloody discharge from the ear

What causes it?

- Repeated middle ear infections due to accumulation of fluids in the middle ear.
- Putting foreign objects in your ear, such as a cotton swab or hairpin, can puncture or tear the eardrum.
- Stress on the eardrum when the air pressure inside and outside the middle ear is out of balance, such as during air travel.
- Scuba diving and a direct blow to the ear.
- Loud sounds or blasts can cause a tear in the eardrum.
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What's the treatment?

Normally a perforated eardrum will heal on its own within a couple of months and your hearing will return.

If you have an ear infection, then your GP will prescribe the appropriate antibiotic.

As the last resort, the eardrum can be repaired surgically if it isn't healing by itself.

Ask Dr Miriam

Q My GP practice has told all patients they're going to be part of "same-day GP hubs". How do they work?

A Several parts of the country, including London, have plans to introduce same-day GP access hubs so all patients contacting their GP for an appointment will be triaged (the need for urgent treatment) to get them to the right place.

Primary care networks (PCNs) will provide a hub at one of the practices in the networks, or other premises, run by primary care staff and overseen by at least one GP.

The idea is the hubs will increase same-day access to GPs and other primary care professionals for the patients who need it.



These hubs have been piloted in 10 PCNs, and while it was planned to be introduced in April, there's now going to be a phased roll-out of the scheme.

Results from the pilot scheme haven't been published just yet.

It's not going to be straightforward, though, because there's no unanimity between doctors about the advisability of the system.

WHO WOULD HAVE THOUGHT?

Air pollution and dementia

Would you believe reports that air pollution is linked to dementia?

Well, a Danish study of 30,000 nurses starting in 1993 to monitor the effects of hormone replacement therapy in menopausal women has coincidentally discovered levels of nitrogen dioxide and particulate matter (PM2.5) show positive links with the incidence of dementia.

The strongest association was with pollution caused by PM2.5, where a spike in levels of around a quarter is roughly equivalent to a 30% increased risk of dementia.

The good news is that in nurses who reported they were very active and took lots of exercise, the link between PM2.5 and dementia wasn't seen.

TOP TIPS

FOOD YOUR BRAIN LIKES

I don't like the word "superfood" because it implies they have a superpower to prevent something like cancer, which no food is capable of. What they can do is help your body function optimally.

Here are a few foods to add to your diet to keep your brain healthy.

Fish – rich in omega-3 fatty acids beneficial for learning and memory. Try salmon, tuna, herring and sardines.

Berries – contain flavanols, giving them antioxidant and anti-inflammatory effects that reduce and repair

cell damage. Also, anthocyanins, a type of pigment, can help protect brain cells from ageing. Try blueberries, raspberries and strawberries.

Wholegrains – complex carbs like wholegrains are broken down slowly, so sugar is released gradually, allowing your body to function more efficiently. They contain B vitamins, to help reduce inflammation of the brain, preserving your memory. Try brown rice, quinoa, wholegrain bread and pasta.



BUST THAT MYTH: ABOUT ENDOMETRIOSIS

'Symptoms are just a heavy period'

Far from it. This is because pain can arise in many places other than the womb during menstruation. How? Let me explain.

During the menstrual cycle, the lining of the womb thickens and

eventually bleeds, and you have a period. But in endometriosis "nests" of womb tissue have escaped to the fallopian tubes, ovaries and even the bowel.

When these nests bleed each

month there's no outlet for the blood. It's retained in cysts and they become swollen, inflamed and extremely painful. Scar tissue can form a web, fusing organs together leading to more pain.



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DEAR COLEEN



My daughter finds friend's little girl too overbearing

Dear Coleen

I have a very good friend and we both have 10-year-old daughters. Our kids aren't at school together, but my friend has always had this expectation that they should be friends.

The problem is, her daughter is not a nice kid and, yes, I know that sounds awful coming from a grown woman. But whenever she's over at ours, she's loud, rude, mean, swears a lot and is so competitive.

She takes toys away from my daughter, must have everything first and, if she doesn't get her way, she flies into a tantrum. My daughter is very laidback, but I'm starting to feel it's unfair on her and that these playdates are too stressful.

Needless to say, my friend is oblivious, or at least chooses to ignore her behaviour, but it's getting to a point where I don't want to meet up with them.

It's awkward, though, because this woman is lovely and she doesn't have it easy. She's a single mum – her daughter's father legged it when the baby was only a few months old, and her current partner is worse than useless.

Please advise on how I can make this better for everyone.

Coleen says

I don't think you're being horrible, you're just being honest about how this child's behaviour is affecting your daughter. You're the adult here



and if you believe these playdates are upsetting her, then you have to do something about the situation. She's your priority.

I'd start by trying to arrange to see your friend without the kids. And start becoming less available for playdates – I'm sure your daughter has schoolmates and activities going on.

If your friend picks you up on it, maybe that's an opportunity for a conversation. Say something like, "I know we're great friends, but the girls are quite different – your daughter is so confident, while mine is quieter and she sometimes feels a bit overwhelmed. Maybe when they're older they'll have more in common."

It's a tricky tightrope to walk

because appearing to criticise someone's child or telling them how to parent can provoke a very intense reaction.

But I do think if you just begin to be "too busy" for the playdates and you're seeing your friend on your own anyway, you'll fall into a new pattern.

As for your friend ignoring her daughter's behaviour, it's normal as she deals with it every day and it's the dynamic in their house.

But don't feel guilty about wanting to prioritise your daughter – you can't put her through hell to make your friend feel better. It's not fair.

And who knows, maybe when the kids are older and calmer they might end up being good mates.

“She's quite laidback but I feel playdates are stressful”

COLEEN'S WORDS OF WISDOM

Don't compare yourself to other people – it can lower your self-confidence by making you feel less than or inadequate. Also, it's pointless and illogical because we're all individuals with a unique set of circumstances.

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YOUR **DAILY Mirror** COMMUNITY CORNER

Let's do this together

Edited by **SIOBHAN McNALLY**

It's my kid brother's birthday today - James would have been 52.

It's been eight years since he died but I don't wonder what James would have looked like because he lost his hair young - a source of great irritation to him, and an endless supply of amusement to me.

It's funny how you remember all your late family's birthday dates and tick them off in your head, like they're still there with you.

Mum's is first, then mine, then James's, followed by my late dad's and then finally, my late husband's in November. I always used to get David's birthday date wrong, even when he was alive. And I have been known to turn up to his grave with birthday flowers a day early.

When I had to go and clear our James's squat in Crackney (as I renamed Hackney in East London) after he died in his sleep of a suspected heroin overdose and complications with various drugs, there were so few of his mostly ruined belongings I could keep. He had stacks of books, but like his clothes, they were only fit for the bin.

The only items I have of James's are his precious Levi denim jacket, two miniature statues of white cats that he surprised me with one birthday, and his battered old guitar.

Already musical anyway, The Dark Lord taught herself to play guitar on his rubbish old acoustic - the only one he had left that muggers wouldn't bother nicking when he came back home late at night from playing gig or busking. She's covered it in Foo Fighters and Red Hot Chili Peppers stickers which would have appalled James who was a classical jazz guitarist. Deeply talented, deeply sensitive, and deeply mourned by me and Mum.

Mum has her faith, but I don't, just an empty space where James should be. If he were here, he'd probably be annoying me, or asking for money, or banging on about his favourite author Will Self, which gives you some clue into the world of pain he inhabited if he read depressive Self for kicks.

I'm not a believer in signs, but out of the blue, just days before his birthday, an email arrived from Camden memorials saying my grandparents' headstone in West Hampstead cemetery had finally been re-engraved. He was interred with them in 2016, but my mum could only finally face getting his name added this year.

Until now, James existed only in our memories, but now his name will remain forever.

■ Email siobhan.mcnally@mirror.co.uk or write to Community Corner, PO Box 791, Winchester SO23 3RP.

➔ Please note, if you send us photos of your grandchildren, we'll also need permission of one of their parents to print them... Thanks!

Yours, Siobhan

PARTNER: No more cats or dogs.
ME: No worries. I have something much better in mind...



SAD LOSS Brothers Benny Jet, and inset, Benny

SWEETEST PET SELFIE

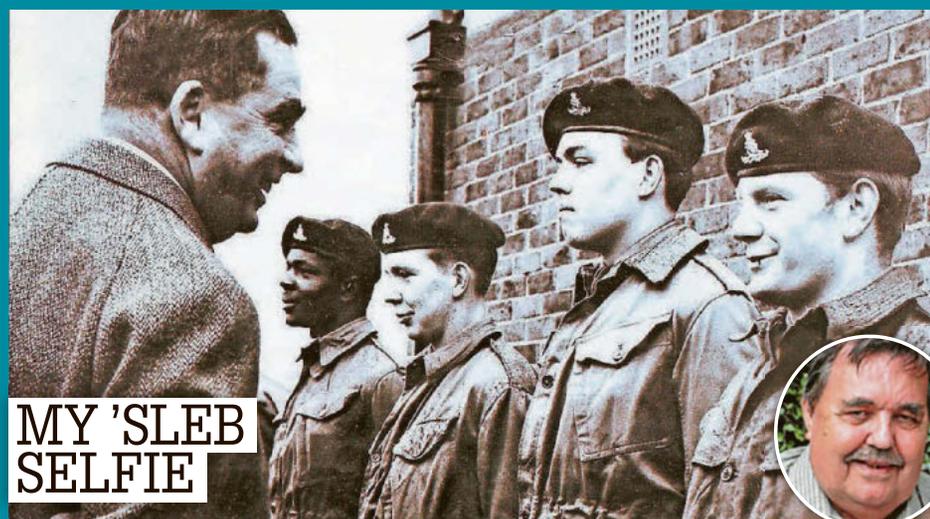
"I lost my 15-year-old cocker spaniel brothers, Benny and Jet, within five weeks of each other," writes a heartbroken Christine Spain in Buckhurst Hill, Essex.

"Tennis ball-crazed Benny could actually get them in his jaw and throw them at you to play with him," remembers Christine. "But Jet

used to get fed up with it and would take the ball off him and disappear down the garden with it.

"I lost Benny to kidney disease and Jet to cancer. I still miss them every day."

■ Send a tribute to your late pet in to me at siobhan.mcnally@mirror.co.uk



MY 'SLEB SELFIE

While Sir Keir's doing the rounds on the world political stage, Stan Thompson takes us back to a previous Labour government when he met the then-defence minister Denis Healey.

"While serving in the Royal Artillery in 1968, Healey paid us a visit at Bulford camp on the Salisbury Plain," reminisces Stan, 75, in Ruthin, Denbighshire.

"I did my basic training in 1967 at 17 Training Regiment R.A. in Oswestry, Salop.

There's been talk of them injecting more cash into the Army but when Denis was in charge, it was the opposite - he was going round disbanding regiments.

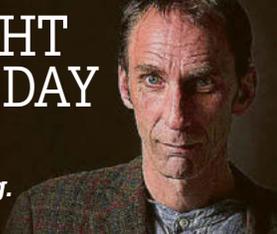
"However when he met us (left to right) bombardier Wally Knight, and gunners 'Lionel' Jeffries, me and 'Taff' Bell in the 40th Lt Regt. R.A. - we must have impressed him, cause he left us alone!"

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THOUGHT OF THE DAY

Things are only boring if you are boring.
WILL SELF



Write to reply

■ You were planning to hide your spare keys in the garden (July 3), but may I suggest you invest in a key safe. They are not just for older members of the community but come in very useful if you lock yourself out. Just remember to pick a number that is easy for you to remember.

Ann Doman, Oldbury, West Midlands

Ed: Thanks for the tip, Ann. However when I bought a bike lock, I got one that used a PIN code rather than a key, and chose the same number as my bank card. Then I changed my bank PIN and now I can't remember the bike code. It's been locked up in my garden shed for six months. I don't remember when I started being so forgetful, probably about the same time I started growing a menopausal 'tache.

■ Your mishap with the wax strips reminded me of when I used to get a sore face from using hair removing creams and bleach.

Then five years ago, after seeing the adverts, I bought a Flawless Finishing Touch (Boots £17.99) hair removal device.

I was a bit sceptical but it works really well and my sister also uses it now.

Barbara Parsons, Grays, Essex

Ed: Thank you for the suggestion, Barbara. I've read some reviews online, and they are mainly positive. I suppose it depends on your hair type. I've decided to grow a full beard rather than go through that agony again, which TDL says will have the added bonus of covering my receding double chin.

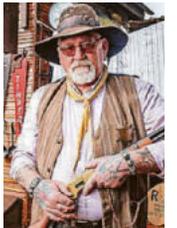
■ Western fans JR Williams (July 8) and Mike Smith (June 29) have both written in to say how many of the old films are not being shown on TV today. But even back in 2001, my late dad said they were no longer showing the Westerns he loved. Presumably, censured due to political correctness!

Gary Walker, Banstead, Surrey

Ed: I signed up for Paramount and streamed McShane's Deadwood series one last week, and I have to say it's brutal but brilliant. I'm not on commission but Paramount is offering new customers a great deal - £2.31 per month for three months, enough time to catch up on all three series.

■ I don't think there are enough Westerns on TV - I'm an 89-year-old woman and have always loved them. I check the TV magazines each day for films.

I saw the Mirror article (April 30) on the Sheriff of Sheppey, Stephen Smart (right), who spent 25 years turning his garden into a Wild West town. I sent him a letter saying I fancied being a cowgirl and riding across the prairie, and that



I loved Hopalong Cassidy and Roy Rogers.

Please, TV bosses, put more cowboys on the box - the good guys should win!

Joan Bailey, Nantwich, Cheshire

Ed: If you dream of being a cowgirl, Joan, you'll love the Deadwood series because the real Calamity Jane's story is told - and she's a rooting tooting gunslinger but with a terrible yearning for whisky. I imagine not changing your leather clothes for 10 years would do that to a gal...

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Patricia B ★★★★★

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TODAY'S TV



with TRICIA MARTIN

EMMERDALE

ITV1, 7.30pm

Lydia and Sam are conflicted, but eventually her words strike a chord and Samson heads to the police station to tell the truth. It's a relief for Moira but the situation tears the Dingles apart, leading to Sam punching Cain.

Will is shocked when Rose moves in for a kiss but when he makes his feelings clear, she questions whether he will tell Kim what happened.

And while Jai hopes for a reconciliation, he's crushed when Laurel says they should tell the kids they're divorcing.

EASTENDERS

BBC1, 7.30pm

Ian's preparing for his supposed leadership course, but Peter is glaring disapprovingly at his dad, and after the contents of his suitcase make Cindy suspicious, she asks Ian outright if he's having an affair. He swears he's not, but later she persuades George to drive her to a mystery address, with Peter also on his trail.

Elsewhere bailiffs arrive demanding Lauren pay off a credit card debt. And Felix invites Gina, Anna and Freddie to join him at the club.

PAYBACK Angry Carla gets revenge



CORONATION STREET

ITV1, 8pm

Dee-Dee and Nina are shocked when a nurse confirms that Roy's hospital visitor was a young blonde girl, and Dee-Dee later tells Bethany and Joel that the police are scrutinising CCTV footage.

At the precinct, Carla sees the gang who targeted Roy, and gives them a tongue-lashing. When one of them cycles towards her car, she opens the door and sends him flying.

And Leanne is trying to do a sales job on Amy, praising the work of the Institute.

TROUBLED Jenna as cop with a lot on her mind



PICK of the DAY

Cop determined to rock the boat

THE JETTY

BBC1, 9pm

WE'VE watched her time travelling as Doctor Who's companion Clara and as a young queen in Victoria.

Now in the latest of a long line of hit dramas, Jenna Coleman finds herself playing a present-day detective.

The Jetty is a haunting story with a stunning backdrop and plot twists sure to keep you gripped.

The story starts with recently widowed DC Ember Manning investigating a fire at a former boat hut in the lakeside Lancashire town where she grew up. But it becomes clear the crime isn't her top priority when the new owner demands an update.

"My late husband used to own it," says Ember. "Back when it was considered normal that local people owned local properties and tourists stayed in B&Bs. Now of course tourists own the properties and locals can't afford to."

DANGER

Ember tells the owner that as nobody was hurt, she's not going to focus on finding the arsonist and he should make an insurance claim.

She's more concerned about whether a local girl the same age as her own daughter Hannah is in danger.

And when Riz, an investigative reporter, reveals she's looking into the disappearance of another teenage girl Amy years earlier, it stirs up questions about local attitudes as she tells Ember: "Amy hasn't been forgotten, she's been cleared away."

Also a year on from her husband's death, Ember is realising his life before she met him is a mystery.

"It's the things I don't know, that's what haunts me," she tells her late husband's pal.

But as her investigation continues, Ember faces making discoveries that could turn her world upside down...

TASTY Jamie whips up summer grub



JAMIE: WHAT TO EAT THIS WEEK

Channel 4, 8pm

We've watched him miss out meat, cook for a quid and work with the latest must-have gadget, the air fryer. Now for his latest series, Jamie Oliver's rustling up a spread in his garden shed.

He's focusing on summer food that will work come rain or shine - which is just as well given the recent weather we've had.

So expect vibrant salads, family traybakes, barbecue treats and fruity puddings. Roasts get a look in too,

with a summertime twist. Jamie also picks fennel from his garden for a pork loin roast served with a cheesy bean and fennel gratin.

A pea risotto is also on the menu, along with rainbow slaw - featuring carrots from his vegetable patch - that goes with griddled chicken wraps. And mackerel makes an appearance on sun-dried tomato couscous with beetroot.

Jamie even creates hanging baskets with fruit and veg instead of flowers. Now the big question is whether we'll get to eat any of it outside before summer's gone.

GHOSTS US

BBC3, 8pm

Success on British TV doesn't always translate to America, but exporting the antics from Button House did.

And as Ghosts US returns for a third run it has already aired more episodes than we enjoyed across five series.

Catching up with the gang at Woodstone Manor, Sam, Jay and their haunting housemates work out who has moved on to the afterlife - and for one in particular, dealing with their

grief isn't easy. Not that Sam and Jay have a lot of time to mourn. They're hoping to turn the barn into the restaurant of Jay's dreams, but they'll have to evict an owl that has taken up residence first. And one ghost isn't in a hurry to say goodbye to the bird.

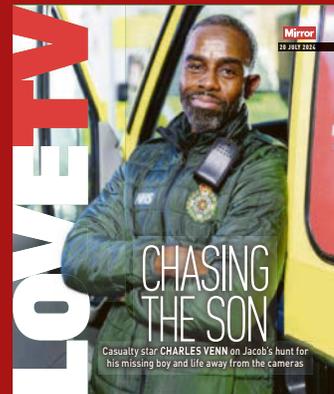
Aside from our own Mathew Baynton, who popped up in a cameo role, the US cast won't be familiar.

But if you were charmed by Alison, Mike and their houseful of spectral misfits, this award-winning reboot is worth a try.



STAR-SPANGLED SPOOKS The cast of US Ghosts

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film ratings

★★★★★ Brilliant
★★★★ Very Good
★★★ Good
★★ Average
★ Bad

(R) Repeat

BBC ONE

6.00am Breakfast News headlines.
9.30 Morning Live Magazine.
10.45 Close Calls: On Camera (R)
11.15 Homes Under the Hammer Property auctions in Coventry, Kent and Suffolk. (R)
12.15pm Bargain Hunt Catherine Southon and Mark Stacey assist the teams in Hemswell.
1.00 BBC News at One; Weather
2.00 Clive Myrie's Italian Road Trip Clive makes gelato. (R)
2.30 Animal Park It's training day for a young camel. (R)
3.00 Escape to the Country Nicki Chapman helps a couple to find a new home in the Aberdeenshire countryside.
3.45 The Repair Shop Items include a historic painting, a Beatles souvenir and a stained-glass window. (R)
4.30 The Finish Line Roman Kemp and Sarah Greene host the quiz, with Sunny, Lauren, Danny, Anna and Lesley.
5.15 Pointless Quiz show, with co-host Gyles Brandreth. (R)
6.00 BBC News at Six; Weather
6.30 Regional News; Weather

BBC TWO

6.30am Garden Rescue: Top of the Plots Eco gardens. (R)
7.15 Bargain Hunt (R)
8.00 Sign Zone: The Repair Shop Restoring an armchair. (R)
9.00 BBC News
12.15pm Politics Live The latest stories from Westminster.
1.00 Impossible Quiz show. (R)
1.45 Make Me a Dealer (R)
2.30 The Customer Is Always Right A breadmaker. (R)
3.15 Coastal Defenders (R)
3.45 B&B by the Sea Deborah Meaden checks into a Victorian villa in Ireland. (R)
4.15 Cornwall: This Fishing Life Documentary about the village of Mevagissey. (R)
5.15 Flog It! From St Albans. (R)
6.00 Robson Green's Weekend Escapes The actor explores the north-east of England. (R)
6.30 Great Continental Railway Journeys Michael Portillo's journey brings him to the Italian island of Sicily, making his way from the capital city of Palermo through the ancient town of Agrigento. (R)

ITV1

6.00am Good Morning Britain A lively mix of news, current affairs and lifestyle features.
9.00 Lorraine Entertainment and the latest fashion news.
10.00 This Morning Topical daily magazine, featuring a mix of celebrity chat, showbusiness news, advice and discussion. Including Local Weather.
12.30pm Loose Women Featuring celebrity interviews and studio discussion from a female perspective.
1.30 ITV News; Weather
1.55 Regional News; Weather
2.00 Cooking with the Stars With Kelly Holmes, Anne Hegerty, Ranj Singh and Maura Higgins. (R)
3.00 Lingo Word game. (R)
3.59 Regional Weather
4.00 Tipping Point Quiz, hosted by Ben Shephard. (R)
5.00 The Chase Bradley Walsh presents as contestants Janine, Thomas, Carol and Eli work as a team to take on one of the ruthless Chasers and secure a cash prize. (R)

CHANNEL 4

6.30am Cheers Double bill. (R)
7.20 Everybody Loves Raymond Four episodes. (R)
9.10 Frasier Four episodes. (R)
11.10 Undercover Boss USA (R)
12.05pm Channel 4 News Summary
12.10 A New Life in the Sun In Spain and France. (R)
1.10 Car S.O.S Tim and Fuzz work on a 1974 Mk 1 Ford Capri. (R)
2.10 Countdown With guest Chris McCausland.
3.00 A Place in the Sun A couple seek a home in Malaga. (R)
4.00 Renovation Nation In Warwickshire, Andrew and Mandy aim to save their crumbling stable block.
5.00 A New Life in the Sun: Where Are They Now? Restaurant owners in Portugal finally start to reap the rewards of their hard work. (R)
6.00 Come Dine with Me Mental health support worker Tracey hosts the first night. (R)
6.30 The Simpsons God and St Peter question what it takes to enter the Pearly Gates. (R)

CHANNEL 5

6.00am Milkshake! Children's TV.
9.15 Jeremy Vine Discussion.
11.30 Storm Huntley Debate.
12.45pm Friends Double bill. (R)
1.40 5 News at Lunchtime
1.45 Home and Away Nelson makes Bree an offer and Harper confides in Dana. (R)
2.20 FILM Murder in Cherry Springs (2021, PG) A reporter returns to her home town to investigate the unsolved disappearance of her childhood friend. Mystery, starring Rochelle Aytes and Keith D Robinson. ★★★
4.00 Bargain-Loving Brits in the Sun Lorna arranges a party for all the Saydo residents. Meanwhile, Lee makes a big life decision as he prepares to put his bakery up for sale. (R)
5.00 5 News at 5
6.00 Police Interceptors Officers investigate reports of someone brandishing a 12-inch blade on a residential estate and hunt down a driver who caused a crash on a dual carriageway. (R) Then 5 News Update

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7 **7.00 The One Show** Alex Jones and Jermaine Jenas present topical stories and chat.
7.30 EastEnders Cindy is suspicious of Ian as he prepares to leave for his residential course, Lauren is nervous about her interview.

8 **8.00 Panorama** In-depth current affairs report covering a story behind the headlines.
8.30 The Travelling Auctioneers Experts discover treasures in everyday homes as they help people declutter and downsize. (R)

9 **9.00 NEW The Jetty** New series. Crime drama, starring Jenna Coleman as a detective who suspects there is a predator targeting underage girls in the sleepy town she's always called home. Archie Renaux and Laura Marcus also star.

10 **10.00 BBC News at Ten**
10.30 Regional News; Weather
10.40 We Hunt Together Double bill. The hunt for serial killer the Birdman intensifies as Lola and Jackson desperately search for a link to Freddy, who is playing a dangerous game of cat-and-mouse with the killer; Freddy's games with the Birdman take an unexpected turn, as Jackson is confronted with a personal and professional crisis and Lola's suspicions of Liam intensify. Eve Myles stars.

11 **11.05 FILM The Last Right** (2019, 15) A fateful exchange on a flight has consequences for Daniel Murphy, who is left in charge of a corpse of someone he never knew. Comedy drama, starring Michiel Huisman. ★★★

12 **12.10am Peacock.** Double bill. Andy is diagnosed with low testosterone and is in a funk. Kara endorses a preworkout that has unfortunate side effects; Kara offers Andy the chance to be a fitness influencer. Last in series. (R) **1.05 Weather for the Week Ahead** **1.10-6.00am** BBC News

7.00 Grand Tours of Scotland's Rivers Film-maker, and historian Paul Murton explores the upper reaches of the River Dee, which rises higher than any river in the UK, from the Cairngorm mountains to Royal Deeside. (R)

8.00 Your Home Made Perfect Victoria and Raheel bought a four-bedroom house in Milton Keynes six years ago. Architects Damion Burrows and Will Foster compete to design a suitable space. Angela Scanlon presents. (R)

9.00 The Turkish Detective Leyla begins to remember things from before her accident and presents Mehmet with a clue that could unlock the whole story of what happened to her.
9.50 QI XS Alan Davies features in memorable moments. (R)

10.00 Spent Mia stifles her jealousy while meeting Ella, the teen now sleeping in her childhood bedroom, and later attempts to use a glamorous party to land a modelling job.
10.30 Newsnight Presented by Victoria Derbyshire.

12.45am Sign Zone: Countryfile. Matt Baker and Margherita Taylor explore Montacute House in Somerset. (R) **1.45 Sign Zone: Clean It, Fix It.** The team help create a practical dining area for a family in West Sussex. (R) **2.30 Sign Zone: The Bidding Room** **3.15-6.30am** This Is BBC Two

6.00 Regional News; Weather
6.30 ITV Evening News The day's news headlines; Weather
7.30 Emmerdale There are rifts starting to appear in the Dingle clan and Rose makes her move. Meanwhile, Jai is blindsided by Laurel.

8.00 Coronation Street The police review CCTV footage following a potential sighting of Lauren, Kit pumps Kirk for information on Craig, Carla hits back at the yobs who targeted Roy, and Leanne expresses the virtues of the Institute to Amy.

9.00 Long Lost Family The stories of Paula Beer, who is searching for the son she gave up for adoption 57 years ago, and Sharon Thomas, who is looking for the younger brother she didn't know existed until she was in her twenties.

10.00 ITV News at Ten; Weather
10.30 Regional News; Weather
10.45 FILM The Spy Who Loved Me (1977, PG) James Bond teams up with a KGB agent to recover missing British and Soviet nuclear submarines, before whoever stole them can use their warheads. Unfortunately, 007 was responsible for the death of his new ally's lover - and she is determined to make him pay before their mission is complete. Spy adventure, starring Roger Moore, Barbara Bach, Curt Jurgens and Richard Kiel. ★★★

12.55am Shop on TV **3.00 Tour de France Highlights.** Gary Imlach and the team look back on the second week of racing. **3.50 Unwind** with ITV **5.05-6.00am** Ainsley's World Cup Flavours. With guests Glenn Hoddle and Owain Wyn Evans. (R)

7.00 Channel 4 News Including sport and weather.
7.55 NEW Paris 2024 Paralympics: Meet the Athletes Swimmer Maisie Summers-Newton offers an intimate insight into her life, and her love for her sport.

8.00 NEW Jamie: What to Eat this Week Jamie Oliver demonstrates summer recipes from his garden shed, starting with a roast loin of pork with a cheesy bean and fennel gratin. He also makes pea risotto and a rainbow slaw.

9.00 24 Hours in A&E A mother-of-three is in resus after a severe asthma attack. As she is treated, the programme reveals how she has coped with life as a teenage mother with serious health problems.

10.00 The Great Triple bill. Catherine involves the peasants, nobles and merchants in a conference to bring change to Russia; Catherine fears Paul will grow up to be a ruthless and careless leader, and Archie and Elizabeth are alarmed about imperial succession; Arkady and Tatyana help Peter and Catherine through a rough patch as they clash over their son Paul. Catherine fears Paul will grow up to be a ruthless and careless leader and Archie and Elizabeth are alarmed about imperial succession.

12.20am Embarrassing Bodies (R) **1.15 FILM The Doorman** (2020, 15) Thriller, starring Ruby Rose and Jean Reno. ★★★ **2.50** Becoming Elizabeth (R) **3.55** Kirstie's Fill Your House for Free (R) **4.00** Grand Designs (R) **4.55** Frasier: double bill (R) **5.45-6.25am** Countdown (R)

7.00 Traffic Cops PC Chris Ryan follows a car that triggered an alert on the police's ANPR system as it was linked to a spate of thefts, while Sgt Steve Hughes is working with HMRC to track down a vehicle. (R); 5 News Update

8.00 Motorway Cops: Catching Britain's Speeders PCs Jan Simlesa and Jamie Leslie are called to a multi-car pile-up on the busy A1, while Sgt Dave Roberts races to a serious crash between a car and a cyclist.

9.00 NEW Police: Suspect No 1 Humberside officers are on hand when workers are left terrified when two men, one armed with a meat cleaver, the other with a kitchen knife, launch separate violent crime sprees robbing tills for cash.

10.00 Police: Hour of Duty Police rush to fire at flats and force open door of unresponsive resident. A high-speed chase leads to arrest of wanted dealer, but will lack of comment hinder case against him? (R)

11.05 Police 999: Clear & Present Danger An officer comes face to face with death during a search for a gunman, a raid on a gang ends in a daring chase, and an officer puts his life on the line as an inferno engulfs a block of flats. (R)

12.05am Traffic Cops (R) **1.00** PlayOJO Live Casino Show **3.00** Carol Klein's Great British Gardens (R) **3.50** Britain's Greatest Bridges (R) **4.40** Wildlife SOS (R) **5.05** House Doctor (R) **5.30** Entertainment News on 5 **5.40** Milkshake! Monkey (R) **5.45-6.00am** Paw Patrol (R)

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6.00am CITV **9.00** World's Funniest Videos **9.30** Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records **10.00** Love Bites **12.00noon** Dress to Impress **1.00** Wheel of Fortune **2.00** Supermarket Sweep **3.00** Charmed **4.00** Dawson's Creek **5.00** Dress to Impress. Tommy, Miguel and Jac buy an outfit for Londoner Remus.

6.00 **Celebrity Catchphrase**

7.00 **Wheel of Fortune** Doctor Ati, corporate assistant Adam and social care worker Tracey compete.

8.00 **The Masked Singer US** The singers battle it out in a Harry Potter-themed show.

9.00 **Love Island** It's the penultimate week, but who will make it to the final?.

10.05 **Olivia Attwood vs the Trolls** Exploring the world of online trolling.

11.05 **Family Guy** Animated double bill.

12.05am **American Dad!** **1.05** Shopping with Keith Lemon **2.05** Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records **2.35** Unwind with ITV **3.00-6.00am** Teleshopping

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6.00am Teleshopping **7.10** Whose Line Is It Anyway? USA **8.00** Border Force: America's Gatekeepers **9.00** Top Gear **10.00** **NEW** Extreme Salvage Squad **12.00noon** Storage Hunters UK: four episodes **2.00** Building Cars **3.00** Top Gear **5.00** Gordon's Great Escape

6.00 **Rick Stein's Far Eastern Odyssey** A culinary journey, beginning in Cambodia.

7.00 **Would I Lie to You?** Comedy panel show, hosted by Rob Brydon.

7.40 **Richard Osman's House of Games** Double bill of the entertaining panel show.

9.00 **Have I Got a Bit More News for You** Double bill. Victoria Coren Mitchell hosts; Richard Ayoade takes up the reins.

11.00 **Taskmaster** Greg Davies returns with the comedy gameshow.

12.00m't **Mock the Week.** With Angela Barnes and Rhys James. **12.40** **Would I Lie to You?** **1.20** **QI XL** **2.30** **Whose Line Is It Anyway? USA** **3.20-4.00am** **Travel Man:** 48 Hours in Venice

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6.00am **Hollyoaks** **7.00** **Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA** **9.00** **The Goldbergs** **10.00** **Young Sheldon** **11.00** **Modern Family** **12.00noon** **The Big Bang Theory:** four episodes **2.00** **The Goldbergs** **3.00** **Modern Family** **4.00** **Young Sheldon** **5.00** **The Big Bang Theory:** double bill

6.00 **The Big Bang Theory** Double bill.

7.00 **Hollyoaks** Time is ticking for Ste.

7.30 **Celebrity Come Dine with Me**

8.00 **NEW** **Below Deck** A few familiar faces are welcomed aboard the St David.

9.00 **Gogglebox** The Masked Singer and Pam & Tommy are appraised.

10.05 **Naked Attraction** Singletons from Norfolk and London hope to find love.

11.05 **First Dates: Celebrity Special for Stand Up to Cancer 2018**

12.10am **The Big Bang Theory** **1.05** **Brooklyn Nine-Nine** **2.05** **Modern Family** **2.55** **Below Deck** **3.50** **Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA** **4.40** **The Neighborhood** **5.30-6.00am** **Brooklyn Nine-Nine**

VARIATIONS & S4C

WALES As **BBC1** except: **1.35-1.45pm** BBC Wales Today; Weather **6.30-7.00** BBC Wales Today; Weather **8.30-9.00** Yarnbombers - Our Lives. The woolly creations of the Swansea Yarnbombers. **10.30** BBC Wales Today; Weather **10.40** Rewind: 60 Years of Welsh Pop **11.10** We Hunt Together **11.55** We Hunt Together **12.40-1.10am** Peacock

WALES As **BBC2** except: **7.00pm** Springwatch in Wales. A young tropical turtle stranded in North Wales needs dedicated care. **7.30-8.00pm** A Special School. Thieves break into the school and take watersport equipment.

MERIDIAN As **ITV1** except: **1.55-2.00pm** ITV News Meridian **6.00-6.30** ITV News Meridian **10.30-10.45pm** ITV News Meridian

CENTRAL As **ITV1** except: **1.55-2.00pm** ITV News Central **6.00-6.30** ITV News Central **10.30-10.45pm** ITV News Central

ITV WALES As **ITV1** except: **1.55-2.00pm** ITV News Cymru Wales **6.00-6.30** ITV News Wales at Six **10.30-10.45pm** ITV News Cymru Wales

WEST As **ITV1** except: **1.55-2.00pm** ITV News West Country **6.00-6.30** ITV News West Country.

A round-up of the latest headlines. **10.30-10.45pm** **ITV News West Country**

ANGLIA As **ITV1** except: **1.55-2.00pm** **ITV News Anglia** **6.00-6.30** **ITV News Anglia** **10.30-10.45pm** **ITV News Anglia**

WESTCOUNTRY As **ITV1** except: **1.55-2.00pm** **ITV News West Country** **6.00-6.30** **ITV News West Country** **10.30-10.45pm** **ITV News West Country.** The day's headlines so far.

S4C **6.00am** **Cyw** **12.00noon** **Newyddion S4C** a'r Tywydd **12.05pm** **Caru Siopa** **12.30** **Heno** **1.00** **Dan Do** **1.30** **Tanwen ac Ollie** **2.00** **Newyddion S4C** a'r Tywydd **2.05** **Prynhawn Da** **3.00** **Newyddion S4C** a'r Tywydd **3.05** **Colli Cymru I'r Mor** **4.00** **Awr Fawr** **5.00** **Stwnsh** **6.00** **Cegin Bryn.** Bryn Williams prepares baked scallops and a fennel salad. **6.30** **Rownd a Rownd** **6.57** **Newyddion S4C** **7.00** **Heno** **7.30** **Newyddion S4C** a'r Tywydd **8.00** **Y Byd ar Bedwar** **8.25** **Garddio a Mwy** **8.55** **Newyddion S4C** a'r Tywydd **9.00** **NEW** **Cefn Gwlad.** New series. Profile of Cardiganshire businessmen John Dalton, who is also a farmer, a father of five and a rally driver. **10.00** **Gerallt** **11.00-11.35pm** **Triathlon Cymru 2024 - Triathlon y Barri**

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6.00am Unwind with ITV **6.30** Teleshopping **7.00** Unwind with ITV **7.05** **Sugar Showdown** **7.35** **The Real Housewives of Cheshire** **8.35** **Masters of Flip** **9.35** **Buying and Selling** **10.35** **The Real Housewives of Cheshire** **11.35** **The Real Housewives of New Jersey** **12.30pm** **The Real Housewives of Orange County** **1.20** **The Only Way Is Essex** **2.05** **Dinner Date** **3.10** **Million Dollar Listing: LA** **4.05** **The Real Housewives of New Jersey** **5.00** **The Real Housewives of Salt Lake City**

6.00 **Masters of Flip** Recent episodes.

7.00 **Million Dollar Listing: LA** Altman and Tracy go head-to-head over a sale

8.00 **Dinner Date** Josh is given five menus.

9.00 **Emergency Nurses: A&E Stories** A serious cardiac arrest patient is treated.

10.00 **The Real Housewives of Miami**

10.55 **The Only Way Is Essex**

11.40 **Loaded in Paradise**

12.45am Unwind with ITV **1.00** Teleshopping **2.00-6.00am** Unwind with ITV

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6.00am Teleshopping **7.10** **London's Burning** **8.00** **Doctors** **9.15** **Classic Holby City** **10.35** **Classic Casualty** **11.40** **The Bill** **12.40pm** **Classic EastEnders** **2.00** **London's Burning** **3.00** **Born and Bred** **4.10** **Howards' Way** **5.20** **Birds of a Feather.** Tracey becomes an agony aunt.

6.00 **Waiting for God** Tom and Diana set out to expose a fake spiritualist.

6.40 **Are You Being Served?** Mr Grainger prepares to bid farewell to the store.

7.20 **Last of the Summer Wine** Howard has a gift for Marina's garden.

8.00 **The Brokenwood Mysteries** A fundraising evening at the historic Brokenwood Empire Cinema turns fatal.

10.00 **New Tricks** The team investigates the mysterious deaths of a film critic and an artist. Guest starring Barnaby Kay.

11.20 **Silent Witness** Feature-length episode. A sniper stalks London.

1.35am **Footballers' Wives** **2.40** **Classic Holby City** **4.00-6.00am** Teleshopping

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8.55am **Food Unwrapped** **9.30** **A Place in the Sun** **10.25** **A New Life in the Sun** **11.25** **Find It, Fix It, Flog It** **12.30pm** **Come Dine with Me** **3.10** **Four in a Bed:** five episodes **5.50** **Chateau DIY**

6.55 **Car S.O.S** Fuzz Townshend and Tim Shaw restore a 1991 Range Rover.

7.55 **Grand Designs** Creating a home from the ruins of a castle in Co Roscommon.

9.00 **Help! We Bought a Hotel** A couple of hoteliers in France prepare to say goodbye to their home and business.

10.00 **Homes from Hell: Caught on Camera** Real-life footage reveals some of the dangers lurking inside homes.

11.05 **24 Hours in A&E** A 52-year-old is rushed in after falling over and hitting his head on a concrete step.

12.10am **Help! We Bought a Hotel.** Hoteliers in France prepare to say goodbye to their home. **1.15** **Homes from Hell: Caught on Camera** **2.20** **24 Hours in A&E** **3.25-3.55am** **Food Unwrapped**

BBC3 Freeview 23

7.00pm **Celebrity MasterChef** The celebs are tested on their teamwork.

8.00 **Gavin & Stacey** The couple celebrate their engagement.

8.30 **NEW** **Ghosts US** The ghosts unravel the mystery of which of them has passed into the afterlife. Sam and Jay relocate an owl to turn the barn into a restaurant; The Catch Up

8.55 **The Film Fan's Guide to Liverpool** The UK's most iconic film locations, starting in Liverpool.

9.00 **Paddy & Molly: Show No Mersey** Double bill.

10.00 **Driven: The Billy Monger Story** An 18-year-old attempts to get back into motor racing after losing her legs.

11.00 **Him & Her** Double bill.

12.00m't **Gavin & Stacey** **12.30** **Paddy & Molly: Show No Mersey** **1.30** **Driven: The Billy Monger Story** **2.30** **Squad Goals: Dorking 'Til I Die** **3.00-4.00am** **Him & Her**

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7.00pm **The Pennine Way** Paul Rose explores the 268-mile national trail.

7.30 **Railway Walks with Julia Bradbury** In the Peak District.

8.00 **Digging for Britain: Iron Age Revealed** Archaeologists unearth a Yorkshire chariot burial.

9.00 **Operation Stonehenge: What Lies Beneath** Part two of two. The design of the ancient stone circle.

10.00 **A History of Ancient Britain: Orkney's Stone Age Temple** A 5,000-year-old temple in Orkney.

11.00 **Extra Life: A Short History of Living Longer** Double bill. How data acts as the first line of defense in a pandemic; communities' readiness to act upon advice. Last in series

12.50am **The Pennine Way.** Paul Rose explores the trail **1.20** **Railway Walks with Julia Bradbury** **1.50** **Antiques Roadshow** **2.50-3.50am** **Digging for Britain: Iron Age Revealed**

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6.00am **Home Shopping** **9.00** **NCIS** **12.00noon** **Law & Order** **12.55** **Entertainment News on 5** **1.00** **Law & Order.** Five back-to-back episodes.

6.00 **NCIS** Triple bill. The remains of a US Marine are discovered; a Navy Seal dies during a training exercise; a terrorist plots to kill the US president.

9.00 **NCIS: Hawai'i Kai** goes undercover with one of Hawai'i's oldest surf gangs when a petty officer who's trying to help wayward kids find a new path in the Marines is murdered. Vanessa Lachey stars.

10.00 **Law & Order: Special Victims Unit** Double bill. A murder echoes a crime committed 20 years previously. Richard Burgi guest stars; a witness in a rape case is reluctant to testify.

12.00m't **Law & Order: Special Victims Unit:** double bill **1.50** **Law & Order** **3.35** **Criminals: Caught on Camera** **4.00-6.00am** Teleshopping

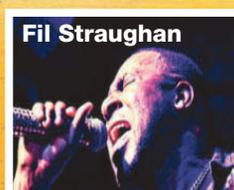
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Sport

SKY SPORTS MAIN EVENT

6.00am Sky Sports News **7.00** Good Morning Euros
9.30 LIVE Tennis Coverage of the day's action on the WTA and ATP Tours, as the season continues following the conclusion of Wimbledon. The week is set to see a total of six tournaments taking place around the world, featuring the Palermo Ladies Open and Budapest Grand Prix on the women's tour, as well as the Hamburg Open, Swedish Open, Swiss Open, and Hall of Fame Open on the men's tour.

7.00pm LIVE World Matchplay Darts Coverage of day three, held at Winter Gardens in Blackpool, featuring the final four first-round matches. Ryan Searle was particularly impressive at this stage last year, recording a three-dart average of over 105 as he overcame Raymond van Barneveld 10-4. He was followed onto the oche by two-time world champion Peter Wright, who prevailed by the same scoreline against Andrew Gilding.
11.00pm-6.00am Sky Sports News

SKY SPORTS CRICKET

6.00am T20 Blast 2010 **9.00** Test Cricket
2.00pm Women's International T20 Cricket
6.00 Best of England v Windies **6.50** My Icon
7.00 Test Cricket **8.00** Test Cricket **9.00** Test Cricket **10.00** Test Cricket **11.00** Test Cricket
12.00m't T20 Blast 2010 **3.00** Best of England v Windies **3.50** My Icon **4.00** Vitality T20 Blast Cricket **5.00-6.00am** Best of ICC WT20

SKY SPORTS FOOTBALL

6.00am Retro League One **8.45** EFL Greatest Games **10.00** EFL Cup Highlights **11.00** Bundesliga Highlights Show **1.00pm** WSL
1.30 Women's Championship Show **2.00** Scottish Premiership Round-Up **2.30** EFL Cup Retro **3.30** EFL Cup Final 16 **4.30** EFL Cup Final 17 **5.30** EFL Cup Retro **6.30** Bundesliga Highlights Show **7.30** WSL **8.00** WSL **8.30** Scottish Premiership Round-Up **8.45** Scottish Premiership Round-Up **9.00** EFL Cup Highlights **10.00** EFL Cup Highlights **10.30** EFL Greatest Games **10.45** EFL Greatest Games **11.00** EFL Greatest Games
12.00m't EFL Play-off Final C'Ship 15/16 **1.00** EFL Play-off Final League 1 15/16 **2.00** EFL Play-off Final League 2 15/16 **3.00** EFL Greatest Games **4.00-6.00am** EFL Cup Retro

TNT SPORTS 1

6.00am AFL **12.00noon** International Rugby Union
1.30 MLB Highlights **2.30** The WRC Magazine **3.00** MotoE Highlights **3.30** The FA Disability Cup **4.30** Sign Up - Into Football **5.30** UEFA Champions League Greatest Nights
6.30 LIVE Ultimate Pool Group 5 of the Ultimate Pool Pairs Cup, which takes place at the Players Pool & Snooker Lounge in Newcastle-under-Lyme.
9.30 International Rugby Union. USA v Scotland.
11.00 WWE Raw Highlights. Wrestling action.
12.00m't WWE SmackDown Highlights
1.00 LIVE WWE Monday Night Raw Watch CM Punk, Drew McIntyre, Seth Rollins, Rhea Ripley, Becky Lynch and more of your favourite WWE Superstars face-off inside the ring.
4.15 What Went Down. This career of The Undertaker. **5.15** UEFA Champions League - Stories of the Finals **5.45-6.00am** What I Wore

TNT SPORTS 2

6.00am WSL Challenger Tour **7.00** World Championship of Legends Cricket **8.00** V8 Supercars Highlights **10.00** MotoGP **1.30pm** MotoGP Chequered Flag **2.30** V8 Supercars Highlights **4.30** World Championship of Legends Cricket **5.30** TNT Sports Cricket Reload **5.45** Major League Cricket Highlights
7.45 LIVE Major League Cricket Seattle Orcas v San Francisco Unicorns. Coverage of the T20 match from Church Street Park in Morrisville.
11.45 TNT Sports Cricket Reload. A look at the best bowling action from the third Test between India and England. **12.00m't** MLB Highlights. Major League Baseball action.
1.00 LIVE MLB The 2024 Home Run Derby, which takes place at Globe Life Field in Arlington, Texas.
3.00 MLB Plays of the Week **3.30** Fishing: On the Bank **4.30** Original Documentary **5.30-6.00am** Major League Cricket Highlights

EUROSPORT 1

6.00am Tour de France - The Breakaway **6.30** Tennis: Wimbledon **8.00** Cycling: Desafio China by La Vuelta **9.00** Cycling: Women's Giro d'Italia **10.00** Tennis: Wimbledon **11.30** Cycling: Tour de France **12.30pm** Tour de France - The Breakaway. A round-up following stage 15.
1.00 LIVE Cycling: Tour de l'Ain Stage three, a route of 153.1km from Lagnieu to Ile Chambod.
2.45 Cycling: Omloop Het Nieuwsblad **3.00** Climbing World Cup **5.00** Teqball Show. A show dedicated to Teqball, a game that resembles table tennis with players using a football-like ball on a curved table. **5.30** E Sports World Cup **6.00** Snooker: Shanghai Masters. Action from the second session on day one. **8.00** Cycling: Tour de l'Ain. Stage three from Lagnieu to Ile Chambod. **9.00** Tennis: Wimbledon **10.30** E Sports World Cup. A round-up of the gaming news from Riyadh. **11.00** Cycling: Tour de l'Ain **12.00m't** Climbing World Cup **2.00** Cycling: Second to None **3.00** Snooker: Shanghai Masters **5.00-6.00am** Cycling: Tour de France

Entertainment & Factual

ITV3 Freeview 10

6.00am Classic Emmerdale **7.00** Classic Coronation Street **8.05** Agatha Christie's Poirot **10.30** The Royal **11.40** Heartbeat
1.40pm Classic Emmerdale **2.40** Classic Coronation Street **3.50** Inspector Morse
6.00 Heartbeat **8.00** McDonald & Dodds
10.00 Unforgotten **11.50** The Royal **12.40-2.30am** Upstairs, Downstairs

ITV4 Freeview 26

6.00am Football Rivalries **6.15** Minder **7.15** The Professionals **8.20** Dempsey and Makepeace **9.20** Magnum, PI **10.20** Kojak
11.25 The Protectors **12.00noon** Tour de France Highlights **1.00** Made in Britain **1.30** The Champions **2.35** Kojak **3.40** Minder **4.50** The Professionals **6.00** BattleBots **7.00** Tour de France Highlights
8.00 Made in Britain **9.00** FILM My Rembrandt (2019/12) ★★★★★ **11.25** The Motorbike Show **12.25am** Motorsport UK **1.20** Auto Mundial **1.50-2.45am** From Dusk Till Dawn

GOLD



Gavin & Stacey GOLD, 8.45pm
 Another chance to see the first-ever episode of the comedy. After flirting for months on the phone, Stacey (Joanna Page, left) travels from Wales to London to meet Gavin (Mathew Horne) in person.

9.00 Classic FM Live: Classical Anthems
11.00 Pavarotti in Central Park **1.15am** David Hockney: 50 Years on Film **2.15** FILM My Rembrandt (2019/12) ★★★★★ **4.10** A Play in a Day **5.10-6.00am** The Art of Architecture

GOLD

7.10am The Fosters **8.05** Only Fools and Horses **8.40** The Green Green Grass **9.20** My Hero **10.00** Are You Being Served? **10.40** Still Open All Hours **11.20** Last of the Summer Wine **12.40pm** The Green Green Grass **1.20** My Hero **2.00** Still Open All Hours **2.40** Dad's Army **3.20** Are You Being Served? **4.00** Last of the Summer Wine **5.20** Still Open All Hours **6.00** The Green Green Grass **6.40** Dad's Army **8.00** dinnerladies **8.45** Gavin & Stacey **9.20** Not Going Out **10.00** The Office **10.35** Ghosts **11.15** dinnerladies **12.00m't** Not Going Out **12.35** Gavin & Stacey **1.15** The Office **1.55** The Cockfields **2.30-3.00am** Ghosts

YESTERDAY Freeview 27

6.10am Secrets of the Transport Museum
8.00 Abandoned Engineering **10.00** The Buildings That Fought Hitler **11.00** Secret Nazi Bases **12.00noon** Find It, Fix It, Flog It **1.00** Antiques Roadshow **2.00** Bangers & Cash: Restoring Classics **4.00** The Buildings That Fought Hitler **5.00** Secret Nazi Bases **6.00** Antiques Roadshow **7.00** Find It, Fix It, Flog It. Items include a Peugeot 205. **8.00** Abandoned Engineering **9.00** American History's Biggest Fibs with Lucy Worsley **10.00** Bangers & Cash: Restoring Classics **11.00** Abandoned Engineering **12.00m't** Great British Railway Journeys **1.00-3.00am** Secrets of the Transport Museum

ALIBI

7.15am Murdoch Mysteries **9.00** The Doctor Blake Mysteries **10.00** Elementary **11.00** Hudson & Rex **12.00noon** Father Brown **1.00** Death in Paradise **2.00** Murdoch Mysteries **4.00** Elementary **5.00** Father Brown **6.00** Hudson & Rex **7.00** Elementary **8.00** Death in Paradise. Caribbean detective drama.
9.00 Father Brown **10.00** Pretty Hard Cases **11.00** Elementary **12.00m't** CSI: Vegas **12.55** Murdoch Mysteries **2.50-4.00am** The Gulf

SKY MAX

6.00am NCIS: Los Angeles **7.00** SEAL Team **8.00** The Flash **9.00** Stargate SG-1 **11.00** NCIS: Los Angeles **12.00noon** The Flash **1.00** MacGyver **3.00** Hawaii Five-0 **4.00** S.W.A.T **5.00** SEAL Team **6.00** Stargate SG-1 **8.00** Flintoff: Lord of the Fries

Radio

BBC RADIO 1

97.6-99.8MHz 6.57am Newsbeat **7.00** Radio 1 Breakfast with Greg James **11.00** Rickie, Melvin and Charlie **12.45pm** Newsbeat **1.00** Matt and Mollie **3.30** Newsbeat **3.32** Going Home with Vick, Katie and Jamie on Radio 1 **5.45** Newsbeat **6.00** Radio 1's New Music Show with Jack Saunders **8.00** Radio 1's Future Artists with Sian Eleri **10.00** Radio 1's Power Down Playlist with Sian Eleri **11.00** Rock Show with Daniel P Carter **1.00am** BBC Introducing Rock on Radio 1 with Alyx Holcombe **2.00** Radio 1's Future Alternative **3.00** Radio 1 Relax in Love **4.00** Radio 1's Pop Anthems **5.00-6.57am** Radio 1 Early Breakfast with Dean McCullough

BBC RADIO 2

88-91MHz 6.30am The Zoe Ball Breakfast Show **9.30** Vernon Kay **12.00noon** Tina Daheley **2.00** Scott Mills **4.00** Sara Cox **6.30** Sara Cox's Half Wower **7.00** Jo Whaley's Shiny Happy Playlist **7.30** Jo Whaley **9.00** The Blues Show with Cerys Matthews **10.00** Trevor Nelson's Magnificent 7 **10.30** Trevor Nelson's Rhythm Nation **12.00m't** OJ Borg **2.30** One Hit Wonders with OJ Borg **3.00-4.00am** Pick of the Pops

BBC RADIO 3

90.2-92.4MHz 6.30am Breakfast **9.30** Essential Classics **1.00pm** Classical Live **4.00** Composer of the Week: Robert Schumann **5.00** In Tune **7.00** Classical Mixtape **7.30** Radio 3 in Concert

CHOICE

The Zoe Ball Breakfast Show Radio 2, 6.30am
 Zoe launches Let's Move It, a six-week fitness campaign across the station which aims to motivate the nation to get moving. Whether it's walking, running, dancing, swimming or anything related to fitness, listeners will be asked to pledge their personal goal alongside some of the Radio 2 presenters.

9.45 The Essay: Sounds of Wild Poland **10.00** Night Tracks **11.30** 'Round Midnight **12.30-6.30am** Through the Night

BBC RADIO 4

FM 92.4-94.6MHz 6.00am Today **9.00** Orwell vs Kafka **9.30** Natalie Haynes Stands Up for the Classics **10.00** Woman's Hour **11.00** Behind the Crime **11.45** Child **12.00noon** News **12.04** You and Yours **12.57** Weather **1.00** The World at One **1.45** Escape from the Maze **2.00** The Archers **2.15** Ed Reardon's Week **2.45** Gambits **3.00** A Good Read **3.30** Searching for Butterflies **4.00** The Club Nobody Wants to Join **4.30** Rewinder **5.00** PM **5.57** Weather **6.00** News **6.30** Mark Steel's in Town **7.00** The Archers **7.15** Front Row **8.00** The Briefing Room **8.30** BBC Inside Science **9.00** History's Secret Heroes **9.30** To Catch a Scorpion **10.00** The World Tonight **10.45** Book at Bedtime: Yellowface **11.00** The System **11.30** Lights Out **12.00m't** News **12.30** Child

9.00 FILM RoboCop (1987/18) Sci-fi action thriller. ★★★★★ **11.00** Warrior **12.00m't** The Walking Dead **1.00** Road Wars **2.00** Brit Cops: War on Crime **3.00** Hawaii Five-0 **4.00** S.W.A.T **5.00-6.00am** Highway Patrol

SKY ATLANTIC

6.00am Richard E Grant's Hotel Secrets **7.55** Six Feet Under **10.05** Gomorrah **12.15pm** Game of Thrones **1.20** The Sopranos **3.30** Six Feet Under **5.40** Gomorrah **7.55** Game of Thrones **9.00** House of the Dragon **10.05** Succession **11.15** Winning Time: The Rise of the Lakers Dynasty **12.25am** Watchmen **1.30** The Leftovers **2.50** Game of Thrones **4.00-6.00am** Richard E Grant's Hotel Secrets

SKY WITNESS

6.00am Sun, Sea and A&E **7.00** Border Patrol **8.00** Stop, Search, Seize **9.00** Highway Cops **10.00** Send in the Dogs **11.00** Blue Bloods **12.00noon** New Amsterdam **1.00** Chicago Fire **2.00** FBI: Most Wanted **3.00** Send in the Dogs **4.00** Nothing to Declare **8.00** Blue Bloods **9.00** The Cleaning Lady **10.00** Coroner **11.00** Chicago Fire **12.00m't** For Life **1.00** The Good Doctor **2.00** The Equalizer **3.00** The Force: North East **4.00** Paramedics **5.00-6.00am** Sun, Sea and A&E

SKY COMEDY

8.00am Will & Grace **9.00** American Auto **10.00** In the Long Run **10.30** Vice Principals **11.40** Ballers **12.50pm** Eastbound & Down **2.10** Vice Principals **3.20** Ballers **4.30** In the Long Run **5.00** Will & Grace **6.00** The Office (US) **7.00** American Auto **8.00** Will & Grace **9.00** Micky Flanagan - An' Another Fing Live **11.00** Sex and the City **12.15am** Real Time with Bill Maher **1.25** Silicon Valley **2.35-3.45am** Yvonne Orji: A Whole Me

DISCOVERY

6.00am How It's Made **7.00** Deadliest Catch **8.00** Blowing Up History **9.00** How the Universe Works **10.00** Iron Resurrection **11.00** Wheeler Dealers: Dream Car **12.00noon** Wheeler Dealers World Tour **1.00** Treehouse Masters **3.00** Mystery at Blind Frog Ranch **4.00** Flying Wild Alaska **5.00** Salvage Hunters **6.00** Iron Resurrection **7.00** Bad Chad Customs **8.00** Wheeler Dealers World Tour **9.00** NEW Shorty's Dream Shop **10.00** Jaws vs Leviathan **11.00** Great White Serial Killer: Sea Of Blood **12.00m't** Mystery at Blind Frog Ranch **1.00** Shorty's Dream Shop **2.00-3.00am** Jaws vs Leviathan

NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC

8.00am Food Factory USA **9.00** Air Crash Investigation **10.00** WW2: Hell Under the Sea **11.00** Hitler's Secret Underground Factory **12.00noon** Car S.O.S **1.00** Drain the Oceans: Secrets of the Civil War **2.00** Air Crash Investigation **3.00** Hitler's Last Stand **4.00** Lost Treasures of Egypt **5.00** Car S.O.S **6.00** Seconds from Disaster **7.00** Air Crash Investigation **8.00** Construction Fails **9.00** Air Crash Investigation: Special Report **10.00** Air Crash Investigation. Aviation catastrophes. **12.00m't** Banged Up Abroad **1.00** Wicked Tuna **2.00** Lords of War **2.30** Abandoned **3.20** Food Factory **4.10-5.00am** Secrets of the Zoo: Keeper Tales

Movies

FILM4

11.00am The Holly and the Ivy (1952/U) Drama, starring Ralph Richardson. ★★
12.40pm Gunman's Walk (1958/PG) Western, starring Van Heflin and Tab Hunter. ★★
2.35 San Demetrio, London (1943/PG) Fact-based Second World War drama, with Arthur Young and Walter Fitzgerald. ★★
4.35 Robin and Marian (1976/PG) Medieval adventure, starring Sean Connery. ★★★★★
6.45 Instant Family (2018/12) Comedy, starring Mark Wahlberg and Rose Byrne. ★★★★★
9.00 The Eyes of Tammy Faye (2021/12) Premiere. True-life drama, starring Jessica Chastain and Andrew Garfield. ★★
11.35 Anchorman 2: The Legend Continues (2013/15) Comedy sequel, starring Will Ferrell and Christina Applegate. ★★
1.55-3.55am The Farewell (2019/PG) Comedy drama, starring Awkwafina and Tzi Ma. ★★

SKY CINEMA PREMIERE

6.00am Sky Cinema Preview-July 2024
7.00 Please Don't Destroy: The Treasure of Foggy Mountain (2023/15) See 2.20pm for details. ★★★★★
8.40 Sometimes I Think About Dying (2023/12) See 3.30am for details. ★★★★★
10.25 Aporia (2023/15) See 12.00am for details. ★★
12.20pm The Nun II (2023/15) See 8.00pm for details. ★★
2.20 Please Don't Destroy: The Treasure of Foggy Mountain (2023/15) Comedy, starring Martin Herlihy and John Higgins. ★★★★★
4.05 Anyone But You (2023/15) Romantic comedy, starring Sydney Sweeney. ★★★★★
6.00 Five Nights at Freddy's (2023/15) Horror thriller, starring Josh Hutcherson. ★★
8.00 The Nun II (2023/15) Horror sequel, with Taissa Farmiga and Storm Reid. ★★
10.00 LaRoy, Texas (2023/15) Comedy crime caper, starring Steve Zahn. ★★
12.00m't Aporia (2023/15) Sci-fi drama, starring Judy Greer and Edi Gathegi. ★★
1.50am Drift (2023/15) Drama, starring Cynthia Erivo and Alia Shawkat. ★★
3.30 Sometimes I Think About Dying (2023/12) Comedy drama, starring Daisy Ridley and Dave Merheje. ★★★★★
5.10-7.10am LaRoy, Texas (2023/15) See 10.00pm for details. ★★

SKY CINEMA DRAMA

5.20pm Zero Dark Thirty (2012/15) Drama, starring Jessica Chastain. ★★★★★
8.00 Field of Dreams (1989/PG) Fantasy, with Kevin Costner and Ray Liotta. ★★★★★
10.00 Bonus Track (2023/15) Comedy, with Joe Anders and Samuel Small. ★★
11.45 Out of Africa (1985/PG) Drama, with Meryl Streep and Robert Redford. ★★★★★
2.30am The Last Rifleman (2022/15) Drama, starring Pierce Brosnan. ★★
4.25-6.25am Wildhood (2021/15) Drama, with Michael Grejeyes and Steve Lund. ★★

SKY CINEMA FAMILY

4.00pm Scooby-Doo 2: Monsters Unleashed (2004/PG) Comedy adventure sequel, with Sarah Michelle Gellar and Matthew Lillard. ★★
5.40 Hotel for Dogs (2009/U) Comedy, starring Emma Roberts and Jake T. Austin. ★★
7.25 Ella Enchanted (2004/PG) Fantasy adventure, starring Anne Hathaway. ★★
9.10 Robo-Dog (2015/PG) Family sci-fi adventure, starring Michael Campion. ★★
10.50 Daphne & Velma (2018/U) Crime comedy, starring Sarah Jeffery. ★★
12.15am The Tiger Rising (2022/PG) Family drama, starring Dennis Quaid. ★★
2.05 Save the Cinema (2022/12) Drama, with Samantha Morton and Tom Felton. ★★
4.00 The Secret Kingdom (2023/PG) Fantasy adventure, starring Sam Everingham. ★★
5.45-7.35am Blueback (2022/PG) Drama, with Mia Wasikowska and Eric Bana. ★★

TALKING PICTURES TV

4.00pm Piccadilly Incident (1946/U) Melodrama, starring Anna Neagle. ★★
7.00 The Footage Detectives
8.00 Enemy at the Door Drama series.
9.05 Cabin Boy (1994/12) Fantasy comedy, starring Chris Elliott and Ann Magnuson. ★★
10.45 Picnic at Hanging Rock (1975/PG) Period mystery, starring Rachel Roberts, Dominic Guard and Helen Morse. ★★★★★
12.55am Max Wall: It's Got to Be Funny **2.00** Maigret Mystery, with Bruno Cremer. **4.00-5.00am** Justice Legal drama.

GREAT! MOVIES

4.55pm Ape vs Monster (2021/12) Sci-fi adventure, starring Quinn Baker. ★★
6.50 Bewitched (2005/PG) Romantic fantasy comedy, starring Nicole Kidman. ★★
9.00 Kingdom of Heaven (2005/15) Historical epic, starring Orlando Bloom. ★★
11.55pm The Shanghai Job (2017/15) Action thriller, starring Orlando Bloom. ★★
2.00am Earthfall (2015/PG) Sci-fi thriller, with Pressly Coker and Raffaello Degruttola. ★★
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YOUR MEMORIES

This is a treasured picture of my beautiful daughter, Paula Rushton, with singer Michael Bolton. It was taken in 1995 after my other daughter Sarah had entered us into a competition to see him in Manchester. We also got to meet him after the show. It was such a magical night and one that I will never forget. A couple of years later Paula was diagnosed with multiple sclerosis, and after a long fight, she sadly passed away in July 2021. **Anne Owens, Seaforth, Liverpool**

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NHS needs urgent kiss of life by Wes

THE long-running dispute by junior doctors should have been nipped in the bud months ago.

I find it shocking that the Government at the time failed the junior doctors, the NHS and the British public by not coming to an amicable resolution. It was indicative of a government that had lost its way and had no interest in sorting out the mess it created.

At that time they asked for a 35% pay increase – a figure they came to after 15 years of below inflation rises. A lot could have been done at that time to sort the matter out. Since then, the NHS has suffered a great deal of disruption. If there is one thing the new Labour government needs to do, it is to carry on discussions and come to some middle ground.

Philip Allford, Wincanton, Somerset

It isn't difficult to work out why junior doctors have been striking. Well below inflation pay rises, the cost-of-living crisis and below-par working conditions post pandemic have all had an effect.

I simply cannot believe junior doctors were offered a below inflation pay rise of just 2% in 2022. That is an insult to all those hard-working doctors. What incentive do they have to stay in the job if that is how little they are thought of?

The pressures junior doctors are under is immense and I think for far too long, that has been ignored. This is why so many leave to work abroad because they become so disillusioned and fed up. I completely back what

THE BIG ISSUE

Health Secretary Wes Streeting has begun pay talks with junior doctors which offer hope of an end to strikes that have crippled the NHS. This followed a five-day strike by junior doctors - their 11th of the current dispute - which caused 62,000 appointment cancellations. The British Medical Association said the meeting was a "positive first step". You say...



the junior doctors are asking for and I hope Wes Streeting continues to fight for them.

Marcus Telford, Bromsgrove, Worcs

I can only hope Labour supporters don't expect rapid change because after 14 years of total chaos, it's going to take a while to steady the ship.

But after just a short while in power, we already see positivity with the Health Secretary sitting down with junior doctors to discuss pay claims.

We now look to the future under Labour to get things done.

Alan Robinson, Liverpool

Finally we have a government that is open to communication and willing to sit and listen to what is needed to finally end the rolling disputes by junior doctors.

I really do hope this time some progress will be made and an amicable resolution can be found that suits both sides.

It is an incredibly emotive issue and sensitivity is needed.

Pat Cummings, Chesterfield, Derbys

Wes Streeting has appointed Lord Ara Darzi, an eminent surgeon, to conduct a review. This

shows a commitment to getting to the heart of the matter and finding out what really does need fixing within the NHS.

This could be the way the 20-month dispute over pay could finally come to an end.

It has been a long time coming after being let down by the previous government for so long.

The Tory government has left Labour with a lot of work to do, but I have faith that they will stick to their election pledges and get the job done.

It won't be an easy task and it will take time, but negotiating with junior doctors needs to be a priority and done immediately.

Don Masters, Wolverhampton

A more proactive approach to health is needed. Once the pay dispute with junior doctors has been resolved, we must have a more targeted look at the health problems facing so many in this country.

The physical and mental health of so many are in a poor state, and chronic illness costs the NHS a massive amount of money.

Ron Moore, Tavistock, Devon

THE BIG QUESTION

Every day we'll be asking your opinion on one of Britain's big talking points. You can have your say and vote at mirror.co.uk

Labour MP Clive Lewis was called a "coward" after he protested against the monarchy as he was sworn into the House of Commons. The MP for Norwich South used the opportunity to express his disdain for the monarchy and his hope for a democratic republic.

Was Lewis a "coward" for staging a protest against the monarchy?

YES 50%

NO 50%

Yes. In years gone by what he said would have been called treason and he would be sent to the Tower. **RUSTY53A**

No. MPs should now be forced to take an oath to the monarchy in order to be sworn in. It is good that he made a stand. **BLUEAPE**

Yes. Either do it and mean it properly or stand by your beliefs and don't become an MP. It seems like he wants it all. **SLOWLYLOSINGFAITH**

No. Well said, Clive Lewis. I concur 100%. Time this anachronistic, dysfunctional and overprivileged institution was ended. **CONTRARIAN VIEWPOINT**

Yes. Here is a suggestion, if you want to live in a republic, go and live in one. **FITZ 50**

No. What's the problem? He took the oath (under protest). It doesn't mean it hinders his job being an MP. **CRINKLECUT**



Respect for Will homeless work

I have nothing but admiration for Prince William in his pursuit to end homelessness. This is a subject he has been passionate about for years. He has a five-year programme called Homewards and I think it will make a huge difference to so many people. The aim is to bring together charities and businesses with the homeless. His mother took him to a homeless shelter when he was 11 to see what hardships they have to deal with - this has clearly left a mark. **Clare Foster, North London**

Yes to child benefit cap

Why would the Government axe the two-child benefit cap? If you can only afford two children, why would you have more, especially when families are having to use foodbanks? I was one of seven and there was no help, but parents were more resourceful then. If you didn't work, you didn't get. How times have changed.

Mary Taylor Fairburn, North Yorks

Tweet of the day

Labour MP Nadia Whittome pays tribute to the three women who were killed in the Bushey crossbow attack...

@NadiaWhittomeMP - My heart breaks for Carol, Hannah and Louise. A woman is killed by a man every three days in the UK. They're not a statistic, but people whose lives and dreams were cruelly stolen from them. Male violence and misogyny are endemic. We demand a world where women are safe and free.

It's time for President Joe Biden to step down. How much longer will America allow a clearly unwell man to remain in power? In the latest embarrassing incident, he called Ukraine's Zelensky "President Putin" at the Nato summit. Not only that, he called Vice President Kamala Harris "Vice President Trump". It's sad to see him stumbling over his words and disorientated for much of the time. **Viv Poulter, Farnham, Surrey**

Pub quiz answers

How many of our daily pub quiz brainteasers did you manage to get right?
1. Karma
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3. The Chemical Brothers
4. Leo Tolstoy
5. 62

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It's Rob joy as great Scot pips Scott to win Open warm-up



BOBBY DAZZLER
MacIntyre celebrates his winning putt before getting his hands on the trophy (inset)

HOME favourite Robert MacIntyre took full advantage of an extraordinary stroke of luck to win the Scottish Open at the Renaissance Club.

MacIntyre, denied the title 12 months ago by Rory McIlroy's stunning finish, produced one of his own after trailing Adam Scott by two shots with three to play.

The left-hander made an eagle on the par-five 16th following a brilliant approach shot, albeit only after a free drop from knee-high rough after discovering a sprinkler head near his ball.

That took MacIntyre alongside Scott on 17 under par and, to the delight of a raucous home crowd, he holed from 20 feet for birdie on the 18th to complete his triumph.

MacIntyre, who let out a roar of delight after his winning birdie, said: "I think I lost my voice after the scream on that hole. I thought I was short. I

got a bit of luck on 16 that you need to win tournaments.

"I've put a lot of work into this. I wanted The Scottish Open. I'm going to celebrate this one hard."

MacIntyre began the day two shots behind Ryder Cup team-mate Ludvig Aberg and his challenge looked to have fizzled out as he covered his first 13 holes in one over par.

A long birdie putt on the 14th green saw MacIntyre close the gap to Scott (below) to a single shot before the Australian doubled his lead thanks to a birdie on the 16th.

The former world No.1 looked a certain winner



at that point, especially with

MacIntyre driving into heavy rough on the par-five 16th, but after taking a practice swing MacIntyre discovered a sprinkler near his ball.

The Ryder Cup star was allowed a free drop and took full advantage, hitting a stunning approach from 247 yards to six feet and calmly rolling in the eagle putt.

A gracious Scott paid tribute to MacIntyre, saying "There was a lot of good stuff for me this week.

"It's hard to complain about anything. I'm pleased for Bob. This is a big win. That's awesome for him but hopefully I take some good form into next week."

England's Richard Mansell equalled the course record of 61 to book his place in the Open at Royal Troon next week.

DARTS WORLD MATCHPLAY, BLACKPOOL

WADE: DON'T WRITE ME OFF

BY **RICHARD LEWIS**
JAMES WADE booked himself a duel with defending champion Nathan Aspinall at the Betfred World Matchplay Championship - and insists that he is far from finished.

Mirror columnist Wade (right) was in fine form as he beat Dutchman Danny Noppert 10-5 in the first round yesterday to set up a clash with Aspinall, who defeated Luke Woodhouse 10-8 on

Saturday. Wade, 41, lifted this trophy in 2007 and 17 years later he remains one of the sport's big names.

He said: "If anyone believes that my ability and how I am as a player should be on the last cusps then I



can't alter that opinion or that view.

"I haven't been very well for a long time. I've only just got over it pretty much. I was No.3 in the world up until two years ago. There's a lot of things that go on behind the scenes that a lot of people don't see."

Dimitri Van den Bergh, the 2020 champion, sent the Winter Gardens crowd wild with a sensational nine-darter on his way to seeing off Martin

Schindler 10-6. Van den Bergh hit the perfect leg to go 4-3 up and could not hide his delight.

"I am in disbelief," said the Belgian, after double 12 saw him become the ninth player to land the nine-darter in the tournament's history.

It was a sensational second day in Blackpool with Rob Cross beating Dutchman Gian van Veen 13-12, while Stephen Bunting hit seven 180s as he overcame Ryan Joyce 12-10.

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RESULTS & PRICES

CUP RACES FOR ARREST

BY JASON HEAVEY
FORMER Derby favourite Arrest is to be aimed at some of the leading staying races by John and Thady Gosden.

Sent off favourite for last year's Derby before finishing second in the St Leger, the son of Frankel is yet to get his head in front in three starts this year.



GRAND PRIX Arabie wins the Prix Robert Papin at Chantilly

BY JASON HEAVEY
KARL BURKE bagged another big prize yesterday with victory in the Prix Robert Papin to continue his stellar season.

him. He's been like that all the way along. But his homework has definitely improved from his last run going into this one and I was pretty bullish that he'd run a big race.

including Fallen Angel's Irish 1,000 Guineas victory. He has an exciting bunch of two-year-olds and won both the Queen Mary Stakes and Norfolk at Royal Ascot with Leovanni and Shareholder.

STRATFORD

1.30: INVINCIBLE WISH (J Best 11-1) 1; Lonimoss Bareliere (40-1) 2; Buck Of Maine (22-1) 3. 11 ran. 100-30f Mystic Man.

1; Fever Dream (7-4) 2; Dalileo (7-1) 3. 10 ran. 2 1/2. (R M Smith). Tote: £5.00; £1.30, £1.40, £2.10. Tote Exacta: £12.60, Tricast: £45.73.

1; Game Beana (4-1) 2; Sergeant Wilson (14-1) 3. 11 ran. 5-2f Global Esteem. 11, 214, (A Nicol). Tote: £26.00; £4.90, £1.80, £4.00.

GREYHOUND RESULTS
YARMOUTH. - 11.01 Indigo Slowcoach 6-1

3.00: BATTLE OF OMDURMAN (C Ward 15-2) 1; Rogue King (100-30) 2; Masonbrook Meadow (18-1) 3. 6 ran. 11-10f Mill Street. 2 1/4, 13l. (Deborah Cole). Tote: £8.80;

16.30: AIEWTOSEA (K Woods 15-2) 1; Ingennio (18-1) 2; Unwanted Attention (3-1) 3. 12 ran. 11-4f Coconut Twist. 1 3/4, 1 1/2. (D Kilahena & G McPherson). Tote: £9.20; £2.50, £5.40, £1.60. Tote Exacta: £118.40, Tricast: £496.87.

3.30: DON RAFAEL (S Bowen 100-30) 1; Timeforiron (28-1) 2; Belle Montrose (12-1) 3. 12 ran. 5-2f R S Ambushi. 5-2f Electric Eddie. 3 1/4, 6l. (M Keighly). Tote: £4.30; £1.40, £5.90, £3.30. Tote Exacta: £114.80, Tricast: £1137.80.

4.00: SIX AND OUT (James Davies 5-1) 1; Finest View (15-8) 2; Finisk River (12-1) 3. 8 ran. 3 1/4, 6l. (D Weston). Tote: £6.00; £1.60, £1.10, £2.80. Tote Exacta: £14.60, Tricast: £100.56.

11.18 Taylor-made Bono 3-1 (6-3-4, £11.32, TC: £56.14); 11.34 Mortimer Girls 5-1 (3-5-6, £54.78, TC: £154.83).

4.30: HAMMER DAN (J Tardor 9-4f) 1; No More No (6-1) 2; Eric Curmen (12-1) 3. 10 ran. 3 1/4, 8l. (D Pipe). Tote: £3.25; £1.50, £2.50, £3.50. Tote Exacta: £17.80, Tricast: £130.24.

11.27 Hawkfield Sava 11-4 (3-4-5, £15.99, TC: £32.92); 11.43 Kilbreed Spike 1-2f (1-6-2, £2.75, TC: £3.84); 12.01 Clagneathy Izzy 5-2f (1-4-5, £15.27, TC: £36.93).

5.00: INSPECTOR LYNLEY (S Twiston-Davies 9-4f) 1; Joker Du Chenet (7-1) 2; Borderline (10-1) 3. 9 ran. nk, 4l. (N Mulholland). Tote: £3.25; £1.30, £1.90, £2.80. Tote Exacta: £14.60, Tricast: £127.24.

11.27 Punk Rock Sheena 7-4f (1-5-2, £8.30, TC: £0.00); 2.41 Riverside Ava 6-5f (2-1-4, £4.96, TC: £0.00); 3.01 Sleepy Lane 7-1 (5-1-4, £34.10, TC: £65.70); 3.19 Riverside Gin 5-1 (2-1-3, £16.77, TC: £0.00); 3.38 Punk Rock Hippo 7-2 (3-5-1, £17.89, TC: £0.00); 3.57 Loughandun 2-1 (1-6-5, £10.90, TC: £0.00); 4.16 Gungs Angels 9-2 (4-3-5, £19.07, TC: £0.00); 4.34 Noirs News 5-4f (5-2-6, £4.17, TC: £0.00); 4.53 Kingsley Pearl 5-2 (4-1-3, £13.61, TC: £21.00); 5.12 The Hill 11-4 (3-5-4, £16.68, TC: £0.00); 5.31 Ishtok 12-1 (3-2-5, £46.94, TC: £0.00); 5.49 Grante Brillante, Hugueneau.

Jackpot: Not won.
Placepot: £22,729.30. Quadpot: £45.50.

11.27 Heaton Pip (6-4-1) 11.43 Fitzys Panther (1-4-2) 12.01 Tommy Brock (2-5-6) 12.18 Express Fury (1-3-2) 12.34 Ravenswell King (2-5-1) 12.51 Nice Guy (6-4-3) 1.08 Gians Agony (5-2-3) 1.26 Dapper Ruby (2-5-6) 1.42 Cronody Bilipji (3-1-2) 1.59 All Long (Nap) (3-5-1) 2.75 Smokstack Pixie (6-2-5) 2.84 Heres Buddy (1-6-4)

PERTH
2.15: KANDOR (P W Wadge 9-1) 1; Step Out (10-11) 2; Backdoorflush (4-1) 3. 12 ran. 1 1/4, 11l. (L Russell). Tote: £10.70; £2.20, £1.10, £1.50. Tote Exacta: £23.30, Tricast: £80.20.

TOP DOG'S BEST
ROMFORD 11.01 Rice Rice Baby (5-2-1) 11.18 Luminous Flyer (Nap) (2-4-1) 11.34 Black Eyed Tana (6-4-2) 11.52 Haverhill Matt (1-5-6) 12.09 Pufftor (1-4) 12-6 12.26 Mucho Macho Jess (6-1-4) 12-42 Codename Am (4-5-2) 12.59 Monbeg Bosco (1-5-3) 1.17 Droopys Naughtly (5-1-3) 1.33 Jeopardy Blaze (3-2-7) 1.53 Faskally Woods (3-1-5) 2-07 Bubbly Charm (2-3-5)

3.15: GALATA BRIDGE (C Hammond 11-4f) 1; Tigga Time (8-1) 2; Malangen (4-1) 3. 10 ran. 6 1/2, 1/2. (Dr R Newland & J Insole). Tote: £3.75; £1.20, £3.00, £1.60. Tote Exacta: £28.10, Tricast: £88.35.

SWINDON 11.09 Ashway Ebony (2-3-1) 11.27 Mt Heaton Pip (6-4-1) 11.43 Fitzys Panther (1-4-2) 12.01 Tommy Brock (2-5-6) 12.18 Express Fury (1-3-2) 12.34 Ravenswell King (2-5-1) 12.51 Nice Guy (6-4-3) 1.08 Gians Agony (5-2-3) 1.26 Dapper Ruby (2-5-6) 1.42 Cronody Bilipji (3-1-2) 1.59 All Long (Nap) (3-5-1) 2.75 Smokstack Pixie (6-2-5) 2.84 Heres Buddy (1-6-4)

3.45: CAP DU NORD (N Schotfield 11-2) 1; Everyday Champagne (7-2) 2; Wassell Dundalk (15-2) 3. 8 ran. 4 1/2, nk. (Christian Williams). Tote: £6.50; £1.50, £1.60, £2.20. Tote Exacta: £16.50, Tricast: £139.72.

2.41 Elderberry Syd (6-5-2) 3.01 Swift Eaglestone (6-2-4) 3.19 Mindyourmanners (6-3-4) 3.38 Yama Rose (1-6-2) 3.57 Vixons Kiki (5-1-4) 4.16 Meteoric Star (5-3-1) 4.34 Bit View Barry (Nap) (5-1-4) 4.53 Superstar Aria (3-5-1) 5.12 Elderberry Hazard (2-3-6) 5.31 Winterfield Guy (6-4-5) 5.49 Heres Buddy (1-6-4)

4.15: BUY SOME TIME (Ben Smith 4-1)

2.41 Elderberry Syd (6-5-2) 3.01 Swift Eaglestone (6-2-4) 3.19 Mindyourmanners (6-3-4) 3.38 Yama Rose (1-6-2) 3.57 Vixons Kiki (5-1-4) 4.16 Meteoric Star (5-3-1) 4.34 Bit View Barry (Nap) (5-1-4) 4.53 Superstar Aria (3-5-1) 5.12 Elderberry Hazard (2-3-6) 5.31 Winterfield Guy (6-4-5) 5.49 Heres Buddy (1-6-4)

WOLVERHAMPTON

5.40 FREE DIGITAL RACECARD AT RACEDAY-READY.COM MAIDEN FILLIES' STAKES (5) 7f £3,942 (12 run)

Table with 2 columns: Race number and horse name/jockey. Includes entries like 1 (12) 80- ADVINDI (222) S C Williams 3 9-2, 2 (1) 3 ANGEL PASS (14) Sir M Prescott 3 9-2, etc.

BETTING: 11-4 Dubai Treasure, 3 Heart Of The City, 7-2 Santa Croce, 7 Sulala, 12 Angel Pass, Samra Star, 14 King's Ginger, 16 Sealar.

6.10 GET RACEDAY READY HANDICAP (5) (3-Y-0) 7f Winner £3,716 (9 run)

Table with 2 columns: Race number and horse name/jockey. Includes entries like 1 (7) 1-166 BENGURION (18) (H) C Johnston 9-11 (D) (EW), 2 (1) 4-5169 SHELBORNE (20) (H) G Scott 9-9, etc.

BETTING: 7-2 Sheila's Paradise, 4 Zipster, Giorgio M, 5 Commander Of Life, 7 Beveragino, 10 Bengurion, 12 Shelbourne, 16 Never Fear, 20 Eco Power Boy.

6.40 DOWNLOAD THE RACEDAY READY APP CLASSIFIED STAKES (DIV 1) (6) 7f Winner £5,234 (10 run)

Table with 2 columns: Race number and horse name/jockey. Includes entries like 1 (8) 252371 KODEBREAKER (5) M Herrington 5-10 (D) (EW), 2 (3) 222133 COCONUT BAY (8) T Davidson 5 9-9 (BF) (CD) (F), etc.

BETTING: 5-2 Kodebreaker, 4 Coconut Bay, Evoluic, 7 Miss Calculation, 8 Top Button, True Nation, 16 Just Typical, 20 Cut To The Chase, Iconic Knight, 50 Storm Master.

IN FORM

TRAINERS: P Nicholls 3-4 (75%), S bin Suroor 2-4 (50%), Sir M Prescott 7-14 (50%), D & C Kyal 8-20 (40%), K Burke 2-5 (40%), P & O Cole 2-5 (40%), J Chapple-Hyam 2-6 (33%), A King 5-16 (31%), W Knight 5-17 (29%), S & E Crisford 5-18 (28%), A Balding 17-65 (26%), J & T Gosden 8-31 (26%).

JOCKEYS: Jack Tudor 4-10 (40%), Tom Cannon 3-8 (38%), Jason Watson 8-22 (36%), Mia Nicholls 3-9 (33%), Shane Gray 6-19 (32%), Sean Bowen 8-29 (28%), William Buick 13-46 (28%), Oisin Murphy 18-68 (26%), Liam Wright 2-8 (25%), Rossa Ryan 10-44 (23%), P J McDonald 2-9 (22%), Harry Cobden 3-14 (21%), Sean Kirrane 4-19 (21%).

7.10 DOWNLOAD THE RACEDAY READY APP CLASSIFIED STAKES (DIV 2) (6) 7f Winner £5,234 (10 run)

Table with 2 columns: Race number and horse name/jockey. Includes entries like 1 (3) 821341 USTATH (7) R Fell & S Murray 8 9-13 (C) (F), 2 (1) 9790-8 BLUE JAY WAY (40) (B) J Riches 4 9-9, etc.

BETTING: 11-4 Ustath, 3 Scarfo, 9-2 Split Eevens, 6 Shaka, 10 Rebel Redemption, 14 Danehill Star, Fantasy Navigator, Alibi Warning.

7.40 DOWNLOAD THE RACEDAY READY APP RACEDAY READY HANDICAP (5) (3-Y-0) 1m 6f Winner £3,716 (8 run)

Table with 2 columns: Race number and horse name/jockey. Includes entries like 1 (6) 15-266 FREDS MATE (25) (B) C Johnston 9-11, 2 (4) 88-70 EASY DANCER (59) R Hanon 9-7, etc.

BETTING: 7-2 Jenni, 4 Coast, 11-2 Lady Dreamer, 7 Granny B, Daytona Lady, 8 Dusk Dame, Court Drive, 12 Kensington Agent, 14 Machiavellian Lady.

8.10 TIPS FOR EVERY RACE AT RACEDAY-READY.COM FILLIES' HANDICAP (5) 6f Winner £3,716 (9 run)

Table with 2 columns: Race number and horse name/jockey. Includes entries like 1 (1) -54875 LADY DREAMER (16) (B) T Ward 4 10-2 (CD), 2 (2) 842217 DAYTONA LADY (14) R Carr 4 10-1 (CD), etc.

BETTING: 7-2 Jenni, 4 Coast, 11-2 Lady Dreamer, 7 Granny B, Daytona Lady, 8 Dusk Dame, Court Drive, 12 Kensington Agent, 14 Machiavellian Lady.

8.40 GET THE INSIDE TRACK WITH RACEDAY-READY.COM HANDICAP (6) (3-Y-0) 1m 1f Winner £2,983 (9 run)

Table with 2 columns: Race number and horse name/jockey. Includes entries like 1 (5) -11545 NOTRE DAME (17) J Feilden 9-11 (EW), 2 (1) 46614 CROWN'S LADY (9) Craig Lidster 9-11 (SF), etc.

BY road, Newmarket, Suffolk-based George Scott sends RIYADH (2.18) on a 360-mile trip to Ayr.

NEWSBOY

- 5.40 HEART OF THE CITY
6.10 SHEILA'S PARADISE (NB)
6.40 EVOLUIC
7.10 USTATH
7.40 NANCY P
8.10 COURT DRIVE
8.40 CROWN'S LADY

BOUVERIE

- 5.40 HEART OF THE CITY
6.10 GIORGIO M
6.40 COCONUT BAY
7.10 SCARFO
7.40 NANCY P
8.10 GRANNY B
8.40 CROWN'S LADY

TRAINER TARGETS (won today's race at least twice in last 10 days): None.

15T TIME BLINKERS: 7.40 Freds Mate, 8.10 Granny B, 8.40 Curleuan Summer, Lady Dreamer, Machiavellian Lady, 8.40 Curleuan Summer.
CHECKPIES: 6.10 Beveragino, Giorgio M*, 6.40 Iconic Knight, Kodebreaker, True Nation, 7.10 Fantasy Navigator, 7.40 Almudena, Starshine Legend, Unregulated*, 8.10 Daytona Lady, Dusk Dame.
TONGUE STRAPS: 5.40 Arabian Rose*, 6.10 Giorgio M, 6.40 Top Button, 7.10 Battleofbaltimore, 8.10 Dusk Dame, Lady Dreamer, 8.40 Curleuan Summer, True Blue Gent, (=1st time).
15T TIME SINE WIND OP: None.
15T TIME HOODS: 6.10 Bengurion.
PROFITABLE RACES FOR FAVS: 7.40.

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- NORTHERNER'S NAP
FIB ON FIRE
(2.18 Ayr)
TOPSPOT
IN THIS WORLD
(3.05 Newton Abbot)
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(6.50 Windsor)
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TODAY'S ABC GUIDE TO FOUR UK MEETINGS

Table with 4 columns: Meeting name, Race number, Horse name/jockey, and odds. Includes meetings like Ayr, Newmarket, Windsor, and Perth.

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FOUR PLAY Alfa Kellenic is aiming for a four-timer

Alfa all set to hit top gear

NEWSBOY'S DAILY DOUBLE

ALFA KELLENIC is fancied to rack up a four-timer in the Fergie & Myra Happel Ayr Gold Cup Trial Handicap (3.28) at Ayr.

Craig Lidster's daughter of Havana Grey, a 66-1 third at Chelmsford City last November on her only start at two, returned with a fourth at Southwell at the start of January before making it third time lucky with a four-length call at Newcastle 11 days later.

Alfa Kellenic returned from a 142-day break to start life in handicaps at Thirsk on June 7 and proved ahead of an opening mark of 70 with a two-and-a-quarter-length defeat of Baileys Polka Dot.

A week on, my selection carried a 6lb penalty to a cosy success at York, having the same margin to spare over Flaccianello. A revised mark of 85, 9lb higher than for her latest win, demands more, but Tom Eaves' (above) mount is a fair way from the bottom of the barrel and can go in again.

At Wolverhampton, Sheila's Paradise looks poised for a first career triumph by beating eight opponents for the Get Race Day Ready Handicap (6.10). Another of Havana Grey's progeny, Sheila's Paradise didn't get the breaks on his handicap debut when second to Desfondado at Kempton Park last month and a 1lb nudge up the weights may not stop him from going one better.

GOING: Good. COURSE: Left-handed oval course of 1m 4f, races of 1m 3f start on a chute, straight 6f track. DRAW: Middle to high numbers are favoured on the straight course. TOP TRAINERS: J Goldie 71-637 (11.1%), I Jardine 48-422 (11.4%), R M Smith 35-430 (8.1%), D O'Meara 34-254 (13.4%), R Fahy 30-300 (10.0%), K Ryan 23-198 (11.6%), M Dods 23-262 (8.8%), K R Burke 20-141 (14.2%). TRAINER TARGETS (won today's race at least twice in last 10 years): J Goldie won the 4.03 in '17 and '21.

TOP JOCKEYS: Paul Mulrennan 63-409 (15.4%), Andrew Mullen 34-263 (12.9%), Jason Hart 27-211 (12.8%), Connor Beasley 20-195 (10.3%), Patrick Mathers 20-204 (9.8%), Sam James 12-102 (11.8%), Clifford Lee 11-94 (11.7%). CHEEKPIECES: 2.53 Braes Of Doune, Golden Valour, Island Of Skye, My Harrison George, 3.28 Batal Zabeel, Jump The Gun, Mythical Phoenix, Tinto, 4.03 Amerigo Vespucci, Earn Your Stripes, 5.10 Busby Leap Year Lad. TONGUE STRAPS: 4.03 Wee Fat Mac, 5.10 Tilsitt. (*=1st time). PROFITABLE RACES FOR FAVS: 4.03.

Table for 2.18 HOSPITALITY AT SCOTTISH SUN LADIES NIGHT NOVICE STAKES (5) (2-Y-O) 6f £3,725 (9 run). Includes race details and jockey names.

Table for 2.53 AYRSHIRE CANCER SUPPORT HANDICAP (6) 1m Winner £3,664 (9 run). Includes race details and jockey names.

Table for 3.28 FERGIE & MYRA HAPPEL AYR GOLD CUP TRIAL HANDICAP (3) 6f Winner £15,462 (11 run). Includes race details and jockey names.

NEWSBOY 2.18 RIYADH 2.53 YOUNG FIRE 3.28 ALFA KELLENIC (NAP) 4.03 WATER OF LEITH 4.35 MAKALU 5.10 HORTZADAR BOUVERIE 2.18 FRED ON FIRE 2.53 JKR COBBLER 3.28 BATAL ZABEEL 4.03 RAMON DI LORIA 4.35 CODE PURPLE 5.10 EMPIRE OF LIGHT

Table for 4.03 AFTERNOON TEA AT WESTERN HOUSE HOTEL HANDICAP (6) 6f Winner £3,664 (13 run). Includes race details and jockey names.

Table for 4.35 AYR RACECOURSE SUNDAY MARKET HANDICAP (6) 7f Winner £3,664 (9 run). Includes race details and jockey names.

Table for 5.10 SCOTTISH SUN LADIES NIGHT HANDICAP (5) 1m 2f Winner £4,187 (11 run). Includes race details and jockey names.

WINDSOR JACKPOT

NEWSBOY 5.15 THE DRAGON KING 5.45 BOLD IMPACT 6.20 UNDER SEIGE 6.50 ROI DE FRANCE 7.20 HAVANA PUSEY 7.50 RED HAT EAGLE 8.20 SILVER GUNN 8.50 WOOTTON'S JEWEL BOUVERIE 5.15 THE DRAGON KING 5.45 BOLD IMPACT 6.20 UNDER SEIGE 6.50 ROI DE FRANCE 7.20 MEZZO SOPRANO 7.50 ROGUE ENCORE 8.20 EXPERT WITNESS (NB) 8.50 WOOTTON'S JEWEL (NAP)

GOING: Good to Firm-Good in places. COURSE: Figure-of-eight course of 1m 4f, straight final 5f, 6f races start on an extension to the straight. DRAW: Low best up to a mile. TOP TRAINERS: R Hannon 34-256 (13.3%), A Balding 32-165 (19.4%), R Beckett 28-136 (20.6%), W Haggas 26-102 (25.5%), J & T Gosden 22-73 (30.1%), E J-Houghton 20-148 (13.5%). TOP JOCKEYS: Tom Marquand 57-309 (18.4%), Osin Murphy 48-243 (19.8%), William Buick 34-125 (27.2%), Rossa Ryan 33-198 (16.7%), Rob Hornby 29-258 (11.2%). TRAINER TARGETS (won today's race at least twice in last 10 years): None. CHEEKPIECES: 7.20 Zero Carbon, 7.50 Lyndon B, 8.20 Diamond Ranger, Monteria, New Heights, Spirit Of The Bay. TONGUE STRAPS: 6.50 Anhydrous, Endeavour, 8.20 Expert Witness, Monteria, Silver Gunn. (*=1st time). 1ST RUN SINCE WIND OP: 6.50 Endeavour, 7.50 Rogue Encore. 1ST TIME HOODS: 5.15 Mademoiselle. PROFITABLE RACES FOR FAVS: 5.45.

Table for 5.15 DOWNLOAD THE RACING APP 43 NOW NURSERY (4) (2-Y-O) 5f Winner £5,653 (6 run). Includes race details and jockey names.

Table for 5.45 TRUST TRAILFINDERS WITH ALL YOUR TRAVELS, EBF NOVICE STAKES (GBB RACE) (5) (2-Y-O) 6f Winner £3,672 (12 run). Includes race details and jockey names.

Table for 6.20 THAMES NOVICE STAKES (GBB RACE) (DIV 1) (5) 1m Winner £4,320 (10 run). Includes race details and jockey names.

Table for 6.50 THAMES NOVICE STAKES (GBB RACE) (DIV 2) (5) 1m Winner £4,320 (9 run). Includes race details and jockey names.

BEST LONGSHOT (Today's best each-way bet): PHONE TAG (7.50 Windsor).

STAT OF THE DAY Trainer Wilf Storey and jockey Paula Muir have a 100 per cent strike rate when teaming up at Ayr - 3 wins from 3 runners for a level-stake profit of +£50.25pts. So look out for GOING UNDERGROUND (2.53).

NEWTON ABBOT

SKY

NEWSBOY 2.30 MR ESCOBAR 3.05 IN THIS WORLD 3.40 CLEARANCE 4.15 BEGIN THE LUCK 4.50 GETMETOTHEMOON 5.25 KONIGIN ISABELLA 5.55 PURE SEDUCTION BOUVERIE 2.30 MR ESCOBAR 3.05 FEEL THE PINCH 3.40 MELTON MOSSY 4.15 FAT SAM 4.50 GETMETOTHEMOON 5.25 KONIGIN ISABELLA 5.55 ABSENCE OF MALICE

GOING: Soft-Heavy in places. COURSE: Left-handed flat, light track of 1m, seven fences per circuit and a run-in of 300 yards. TOP TRAINERS: P Nicholls 46-158 (29.1%), F O'Brien 31-111 (27.9%), D Pipe 21-146 (14.4%), E Williams 16-100 (16.0%), H Fry 12-37 (32.4%), Skelton 11-55 (20.0%), P & M Bowen 11-51 (21.6%), N Hawke 9-85 (10.6%), K Burke 9-36 (25.0%). TOP JOCKEYS: Harry Cobden 43-169 (25.4%), Sean Bowen 19-80 (23.8%), Sam Twiston-Davies 18-90 (20.0%), Harry Kimber 15-89 (16.9%), Adam Wedge 13-91 (14.3%), Gavin Sheehan 12-91 (14.8%), Jack Tudor 11-70 (15.7%), Nick Schotfield 10-68 (11.4%), David Noonan 10-147 (7.1%). TRAINER TARGETS (won today's race at least twice in last 10 years): None.

Table for 2.30 VISIT ATTRACHES.COM MAIDEN HURDLE (GBB RACE) (4) 2m 2f 110yds Winner £4,955 (12 run). Includes race details and jockey names.

Table for 3.05 WATCH SKY SPORTS RACING ON SKY 415 HANDICAP CHASE (3) 2m Winner £10,905 (5 run). Includes race details and jockey names.

Table for 3.40 PAR INN CORNWALL HANDICAP HURDLE (4) 2m 1f Winner £7,209 (5 run). Includes race details and jockey names.

Table for 4.15 WELL DONE ENGLAND EURO CHAMPIONS 2024 HANDICAP CHASE (4) 2m 5f Winner £5,360 (7 run). Includes race details and jockey names.

Table for 4.50 NEWTON ABBOT RACECOURSE ON FACEBOOK NOVICES' LIMITED HANDICAP HURDLE (DIV 1) (5) 2m 2f 110yds £6,416 (11 run). Includes race details and jockey names.

Table for 5.25 NEWTON ABBOT RACECOURSE ON FACEBOOK NOVICES' LIMITED HANDICAP HURDLE (DIV 2) (5) 2m 2f 110yds £6,416 (11 run). Includes race details and jockey names.

Table for 5.55 ST AUSTELL BREWERY MARES' OPEN NH FLAT RACE (GBB RACE) (4) 2m 1f Winner £3,812 (8 run). Includes race details and jockey names.

SINGLE-SHOT STAR (Top in-form jockey with just one booked ride) Sam Twiston-Davies: KONIGIN ISABELLA (5.25 Newton Abbot)

TOUR DE FRANCE BASTILLE DAY DRAMA

VING CAUGHT OFF GAARD



TADEJ POGACAR produced a storming run on Bastille Day to extend his Tour de France lead.

Victory on stage 15 delivered another huge blow to defending champion Jonas Vingegaard.

Pogacar left his main rival behind five kilometres from the summit of the climb to the Plateau de Beille and rode clear to win by 68 seconds. His overall

advantage is now three minutes and nine seconds going into today's rest day.

The battle for the stage win once again came down



to a head-to-head between the outstanding riders of the last four Tours.

And when Vingegaard (above) took a look behind at his rival in yellow, Pogacar read it as a moment of weakness and raced clear of a man who is riding in his first race since suffering horrible injuries in a crash in April.

Six stages now stand between the 25-year-old and a

third Tour crown, one that would make him the first rider to complete a Giro-Tour double since Marco Pantani in 1998.

"I would never have imagined this kind of outcome after the second week at the beginning," Pogacar (left) said.

"I'm super happy with my shape... I've had a lot of stage victories in the Pyrenees. Somehow I like them and they like me back - so I am pretty satisfied."

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Alcaraz shows his delight after winning the tiebreak and earning a great victory

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Alcaraz		Djokovic
3	Sets	0
5	Aces	8
6	Double Faults	4
59%	1st Serves In	70%
84%	Win% on 1st Serve	66%
51%	Win% on 2nd Serve	40%
42	Total Winners	26
24	Unforced Errors	25

IT'S A DREAM COME HEW

ALFIE HEWETT clinched an emotional first Wimbledon wheelchair singles title with a comprehensive 6-2 6-3 victory over Spain's Martin de la Puente.

Hewett was beaten in the 2022 and 2023 singles finals as he tried to complete the career Grand Slam.

But the Brit (right) erased

the memories of his defeat on Court One last year with a sublime display of hitting to delight the home crowd.

"I am speechless. These last few years have been difficult," Hewett admitted.

"I was a ball of nerves because I didn't want to walk away with another loss. I'm proud of my performance."



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HE'S WON CARLOS III

Brilliant Alcaraz thumps Djokovic to retain his crown

BY NEIL McLEMAN
@NeilMcLeman

CARLOS ALCARAZ thrashed Novak Djokovic to retain his Wimbledon title but said he is not yet at the top table of champions because he has won only four Grand Slam titles.

The Spaniard saw off the seven-time champion in a five-set epic last year when he was a point away from falling two sets down.

This time Alcaraz, 21, outplayed the greatest male player of all time 6-2 6-2 7-6 in only two hours and 27 minutes.

Just over a month after knee surgery, Djokovic (above) was far from his ruthless best as he suffered his second-worst defeat in 37 Grand Slam finals – and only his fifth in straight sets.

But in front of the Princess of Wales and sporting and Hollywood royalty, Alcaraz's smile lit up Centre Court like his shots as he was crowned the King of Wimbledon again.

And while he stopped Djokovic's latest bid to win a record 25th Grand Slam singles title, the stats surrounding Alcaraz's win are as impressive as his irrepressible style.

He is only the second man in the Open era after Roger Federer to win his first four Grand Slam

finals. And he is only the third man after Bjorn Borg and Boris Becker to win two Wimbledon titles before the age of 22 – and the fourth along with Mats Wilander to win four Grand Slams by the age of 21.

And now he is only the sixth man in the Open era to complete the Channel Slam of Roland Garros and Wimbledon in the same year after Rod Laver, Bjorn Borg, Radfa Nadal, Roger Federer and Djokovic.

But after a warm embrace with Djokovic at the net, Alcaraz claimed: "It is a huge honour for me to be part of those players who have achieved Roland Garros and Wimbledon in the same year.

"I don't consider myself a champion yet. Not like them.

"I consider champions to be the guys who have won 14, 15, 20 Grand Slams. Those guys are eating at the big table.

"Four Grand Slams, two Wimbledon. It is a great achievement, I am not going to lie, but I want to keep going. Hopefully one day I can stay close to these champions and eat at the big table."

Alcaraz had needed 32 minutes to win his first game in his first Wimbledon final. This time he broke Djokovic in a 14-minute opening

service game – "That set the tone for the match," the Serb said – and then sent down a 136mph serve in his first service game.

The only time the outcome was briefly in doubt was when Alcaraz served for the match at 5-4 in the third set. He missed three Championship points, starting with a double fault and ending with a fan shouting out as Alcaraz missed a volley.

It was the first and last time Djokovic broke his serve.

"It was not the time to be down," said Alcaraz, who recovered to play a brilliant tiebreak.

He produced a forehand drop shot to set up three more Championship points – and took the first when Djokovic's backhand service return hit the net.

High praise from Nova

BY NEIL McLEMAN

NOVAK DJOKOVIC is targeting Olympic and US Open success after admitting Carlos Alcaraz was "the better player".

"I was inferior on the court," said Djokovic. "He was the better player from the beginning till the end."

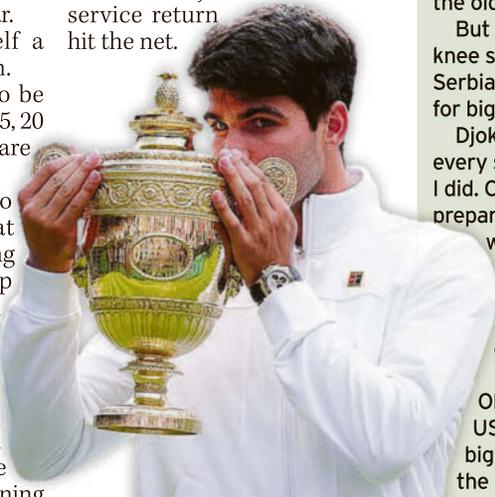
Djokovic was bidding to equal Roger Federer's male record of eight Wimbledon singles titles – and to become the oldest champion aged 37.

But after only undergoing knee surgery on June 5, the Serbian was simply not ready for big hitting Alcaraz, 21.

Djokovic said: "He played every single shot better than I did. Of course my preparation for Wimbledon

wasn't as I would have normally prepare myself. I was just half a step behind him in every sense."

And he added: "The Olympic Games and US Open are the two big goals for the rest of the year."



EMMA HAD IT SO HARD

BY NEIL McLEMAN

BARBORA KREJCIKOVA believes it was easier for her than Emma Raducanu to win a second Grand Slam because the Brit started so young.

The Czech No.31 seed made her Major breakthrough aged 25 at the 2021 French Open and has now doubled her total by beating Jasmine Paolini at

Wimbledon. Raducanu won the 2021 US Open at the age of 18 and will return to the world's top 100 after reaching the fourth round of a Major for the first since her New York victory.

"It must have been hard for Emma to win a Grand Slam so young with the expectations," Krejčíková (right) said. "I was 25 and it was good timing. I was

able to manage it and got to be No.2 in the world.

"You have to be able to be a leader. Some have that in them. Others are followers."

The Williams sisters won 12 of the first 17 Wimbledon this century but Krejčíková is the eighth consecutive different women's singles winner at Wimbledon.



CRICKET LIFE AFTER LEGEND ANDERSON



WOAKES IS COMING OF AGE WITH ENGLAND

BY MIKE WALTERS

CHRIS WOAKES assumed the mantle as elder statesman of England's attack after Jimmy Anderson's retirement and admitted: "It makes me feel incredibly old."

At 35, the 'Wizard' is suddenly the wise owl in a unit shorn of 1,308 wickets by the final curtain falling on Anderson at Lord's on Friday and Stuart Broad's exit last summer.

Woakes (above left, with Anderson) could win his 50th cap in the second Test against West Indies at Trent Bridge on Thursday after taking a break following the death of his father, Roger, two months ago.

He is making no assumptions about making England's Ashes squad in 2025-26, mainly because his record in away Tests (36 wickets at 51.89 each) is much poorer than at home (114 wickets at 22.04).

But in the short term, as the senior citizen among Ben Stokes' crop of seam and pace bowlers, he might even get choice of ends.

He said: "It's been a tough couple of months.

"It's one of those things in life that you think is never really going to happen until it does.

"Getting back into cricket, it's been quite hard to focus, but once you get

out there and particularly when you're putting on the England whites, it reminds you how lucky we are to do what we do."

Anderson's emotional passing-out parade, three weeks before his 42nd birthday, has given Woakes hope his England career is only maturing instead of heading for the sunset.

But after the changing of the guard over the last 12 months, he admitted: "It makes me feel incredibly old! I've been very fortunate to have played over such a long period of time with Jimmy.

"Obviously I've been in and out of the side quite a bit, but the lessons and little nuggets that I've learned from him across the years have certainly made me a better player."

Woakes topped the England bowling averages in the Ashes last summer, with 19 wickets at 18.15 each, but his record overseas means he is by no means certain to go to Australia in 16 months.

He said: "As soon as you start looking too far ahead, you get caught up in it and all of a sudden you're a million miles away and forgetting what you need to do in the here and now.

"For now, all I'm looking at is Trent Bridge and that's as far as I can look."

RUGBY LEAGUE

COME WHAT MAY FOR FAMILY GUYS

EXCLUSIVE by DAVE CRAVEN

HULL KR'S Tyrone May has spoken about brother Taylan's clouded future – and admits he would love to play alongside him.

The Robins stand-off has proved a big hit since joining from Catalans while younger sibling Taylan (right) is staying with him in the UK after being released by NRL champions Penrith.

The Samoa centre was stood down last month by the NRL's 'no fault' policy following domestic violence offences charges earlier this year.

May is due to stand trial in March, but could

play in Super League subject to visa and RFL approval. KR – who defeated derby rivals Hull 24-10 on Saturday – have distanced themselves from an approach, but he is understood to be interesting others, including Catalans.

Tyrone May said: "I'd love to have him here, but that just can't work out with quota spots. If he does get a visa, I'm sure he'll explore any options.

"He's happy to just chill and focus on getting his mind right. It's a tough time for him, but he's got to work through it and let whatever the courts say happen."





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European Championships Final

SPAIN (0)..... 2 ENGLAND (0)..... 1
Williams 47 Palmer 73
Oyarzabal 86

Copa America 3rd/4th Place Play-Off

CANADA (1)..... 2 URUGUAY (1)..... 2
Kone 23 Bentancur 9
David 81 Suarez 90
2-2 AET: Uruguay win 4-3 on pens.

CRICKET

T20 BLAST - NORTH GROUP—Durham v Northamptonshire (Riverside): Durham 90-5 (8.0 overs), Northamptonshire 91-4 (7.1 overs), Northamptonshire (2pts) beat Durham by 6 wickets.

Leicestershire v Nottinghamshire (Grace Road): Nottinghamshire 160-6 (20.0 overs), Leicestershire 161-5 (19.0 overs; L P Goldsworthy 67), Leicestershire (2pts) beat Nottinghamshire by 5 wickets.

Warwickshire v Derbyshire (Edgbaston): Warwickshire 198-2 (20.0 overs), Derbyshire 154 (19.2 overs), Warwickshire (2pts) beat Derbyshire by 44 runs.

Worcestershire v Yorkshire (New Road): Worcestershire 205-6 (20.0 overs; J A Chohan 4-30), Yorkshire 208-4 (19.3 overs; D J Malan 93no), Yorkshire (2pts) beat Worcestershire by 6 wickets.

SOUTH GROUP—Essex v Surrey (Chelmsford): Surrey 189-9 (20.0 overs; W G Jacks 86), Essex 176-8 (20.0 overs; A M Rossington 78), Surrey (2pts) beat Essex by 13 runs.

Gloucestershire v Glamorgan (Cheltenham): Gloucestershire 206-6 (20.0 overs), Glamorgan 85 (15.5 overs), Gloucestershire (2pts) beat Glamorgan by 121 runs.

Hampshire v Somerset (The Rose Bowl): Hampshire 157-7 (20.0 overs; T Banton 79no), Somerset (2pts) beat Hampshire by 9 wickets.

FIFTH TWENTY20 INTERNATIONAL—Zimbabwe v India (Harare): India 167-6 (20.0 overs; S V Samson 58); Zimbabwe 125-10 (18.3 overs), India win by 42 runs.

DARTS

WORLD MATCHPLAY (Winter Gardens, Blackpool) **1st rd:** R Smith (Eng) bt J Rock (Nir) 10-4, J Wade (Eng) bt D Noppert (Ned) 10-5, D van den Bergh (Bel) bt M Schindler (Ger) 10-6, S Bunting (Eng) bt R Joyce (Eng) 12-10, R Cross (Eng) bt G van Veen (Ned) 13-12, J Cullen (Eng) bt B Dolan (Nir) 10-4, A Gilding (Eng) bt P Wright (Sco) 10-5, K Ratajski (Pol) bt D Chisnall (Eng) 10-2.

GOLF

DP WORLD TOUR & USPGA TOUR GENESIS SCOTTISH OPEN (The Renaissance Club, North Berwick, Scotland)—(Gbr & Irl unless stated, Par 70): **262** R MacIntyre (Sco) 67 65 63 68, **263** A Scott (Aus) 67 65 64 67, **265** R Langasque (Fra) 66 68 67 64, **266** Sung-Jae Im (Kor) 63 67 67 69.

RUGBY LEAGUE

Betfred Super League		Catalans..... 20 SALFORD..... 0					
HULL..... 10 HULL K R..... 24		LEIGH..... 20 HUDDERSFIELD..... 16					
	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Wigan.....	16	14	0	2	443	182	28
Warrington.....	17	12	0	5	436	231	24
Hull K R.....	17	12	0	5	421	226	24
St Helens.....	17	11	0	6	441	186	22
Catalans.....	17	11	0	6	323	234	22
Salford.....	17	11	0	6	317	328	22
Leeds.....	17	9	0	8	309	316	18
Leigh.....	16	6	1	9	290	266	13
Huddersfield.....	17	6	0	11	314	385	12
Castleford.....	17	5	1	11	280	455	11
Hull.....	17	2	0	15	228	520	4
London.....	17	1	0	16	176	649	2

RUGBY UNION

International Match

SATURDAY	
ARGENTINA.....	33 FRANCE..... 25
AUSTRALIA.....	36 WALES..... 28
NEW ZEALAND.....	24 ENGLAND..... 17
SOUTH AFRICA.....	24 IRELAND..... 25

TENNIS

ALL ENGLAND LAWN TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIPS (Wimbledon)

SATURDAY
Women's Singles finals: (31) B Krejickova (Cze) bt (7) J Paolini (Ita) 6-2 2-6 6-4. **Men's Doubles finals:** H Heliouaara (Fin) & H PATTEN (Gbr) bt (15) M Purcell (Aus) & J Thompson (Aus) 6-7 (7-9) 7-6 (10-8) 7-6 (11-9). **Women's Doubles finals:** (4) K Siniakova (Cze) & T Townsend (USA) bt (2) G Dabrowski (Can) & E Routliffe (Nzl) 7-6 (7-5) 7-6 (7-1).

YESTERDAY
Men's Singles finals: (3) C Alcaraz (Spa) bt (2) N Djokovic (Ser) 6-2 6-2 7-6 (7-4). **Mixed Doubles finals:** (7) J Zielinski (Pol) & S Hsieh (Tpe) bt S Gonzalez (Mex) & G Olmos (Mex) 6-4 6-2. **Men's Wheelchair Singles Final:** (2) A HEWETT (Gbr) bt (4) M De la Puente (Spa) 6-2 6-3. **Men's Wheelchair Doubles Final:** (1) A HEWETT (Gbr) & G REID (Gbr) bt (2) T Miki (Jpn) & T Oda (Jpn) 6-4 7-6 (7-2).

TODAY'S DIARY

Friendly Matches
Rosenborg v Man Utd (5pm).....



BORTHWICK WANTS A RUTHLESS STREAK

Red Rose coach says near misses need to be turned into victories

New Zealand 24 England 17
FROM ADAM HATHAWAY in Auckland
STEVE BORTHWICK admitted his side need to develop a ruthless streak or keep falling short against the big boys of Test rugby.

For a second week in a row, England had their feet on New Zealand's throats but let them off the hook. That is four close games they have lost in recent times with last weekend's 16-15 loss in Dunedin, added to the 33-31 loss to France in the Six Nations and the heart-breaking World Cup semi-final, 16-15, reverse to South Africa.

England have New Zealand first up in the autumn, on November 2 at Twickenham, followed by clashes against

Australia, South Africa and Japan. And Borthwick insists his side need to become cutthroat after their series of misfires which cost them the first chance of a win on Kiwi soil since 2003. The coach will also hold urgent talks



with veteran 37-year-old prop Dan Cole (below) to keep him trucking, with England short of tight-head options.

The head coach said: "We have 35 Test matches between now and the World Cup. I can't get more games. I can't buy experience in international rugby.

"Against the top-four sides, we have won one by a point against Ireland, lost two by one point and another one we lost by two points and there's seven points on Saturday. In each of those games, we've been in a leading position late in the game. We need to keep the scoreboard ticking but we didn't do that on Saturday, and we didn't in Dunedin."

Borthwick added: "I'll have a conversation with Coley and see

what he wants to do. But clearly, we need to find some more tight-heads."

England had a golden chance to bust the All Blacks' 30-year unbeaten run at Eden Park but came up short. And questions will be asked if they don't turn the tables against the Kiwis this autumn.

Fly-half Marcus Smith, who banished his first Test demons with three successful kicks, added: "It was close but no cigar last week and then this week, again. We're bitterly disappointed.

"At 60 minutes, being in that position - leading 17-13 - we need to learn how to close out games. We're all chomping at the bit to get a shot at them again in the autumn." Borthwick has been down this road before

with Leicester, winning the league title in 2022 when they had been coming up short in tight games a year earlier. He also performed the trick with Saracens as a player.

"Go back a couple of years to my time at Leicester," he said.

"The year before we won the Premiership, we lost games by very small margins, seven points or fewer, to scores late in the game. The next season we turned those games around. I think we lost 50 per cent of our games by less than a score and then the following season we were turning those into wins and that turned out to be a very successful season.

"At Saracens, we lose the Premiership in 2010 and then win it the next year in 2011. But this is painful now."

INTERNATIONAL ROUND-UP

FARRELL SALUTES GUTSY IRISH AFTER BOKS TO THE WALL VICTORY

ANDY FARRELL hailed Ireland's first-half performance as being "as good as it gets". A famous 25-24 win over South Africa was the perfect way to mark Farrell's 50th match as head coach. The Six Nations champions roared into a 16-6 lead at the break

against the world champions and weathered the fightback before Ciaran Frawley (circle) landed two late drop goals to snatch a 1-1 series draw. "As far as drama and the pressure we put on ourselves to perform, it's right up there because they're a wonderful team,"

Farrell (right) said. "First-half performance was outstanding, as good as it gets. We've made enough mistakes to lose three games in that second half. "But you just know when you're hanging in there that there's always going to be a chance with



this team because of the guts, the bravery they've got. The character we showed, that's what sport's about really." There was further disappointment for Wales in Melbourne. Skipper Dewi Lake touched down twice but Wales lost their ninth

successful Test as Australia wrapped up a 2-0 series win with a 36-28 success. Lake vowed: "We are learning quickly, but those little opportunities we are missing we have to take. We have got that never-say-die attitude, it is just those little inaccuracies that are costing us."



EURO '24:



Suga will add spice to Saints

SOUTHAMPTON have signed Japan defender Yukinari Sugawara on a four-year deal.

The 24-year-old right-back (top) joins from Dutch club AZ Alkmaar, where he played nearly 200 first-team games after joining from Japanese club Nagoya Grampus in 2019.

"To come to Southampton and to play in the Premier League is one of my biggest dreams since I was young, so I am really excited to be here," said the 13-times capped Sugawara.

"I felt Southampton is a really good club. When Southampton gave me an offer, I said yes after one second." Former



Saints, Arsenal and Aston Villa defender Calum Chambers (above) has joined Championship club Cardiff.

The 29-year-old, who won three caps for England in 2014, has signed a three-year contract with the Bluebirds after leaving Villa earlier this week.

"I'm absolutely delighted, and I can't wait to get started," said Chambers.

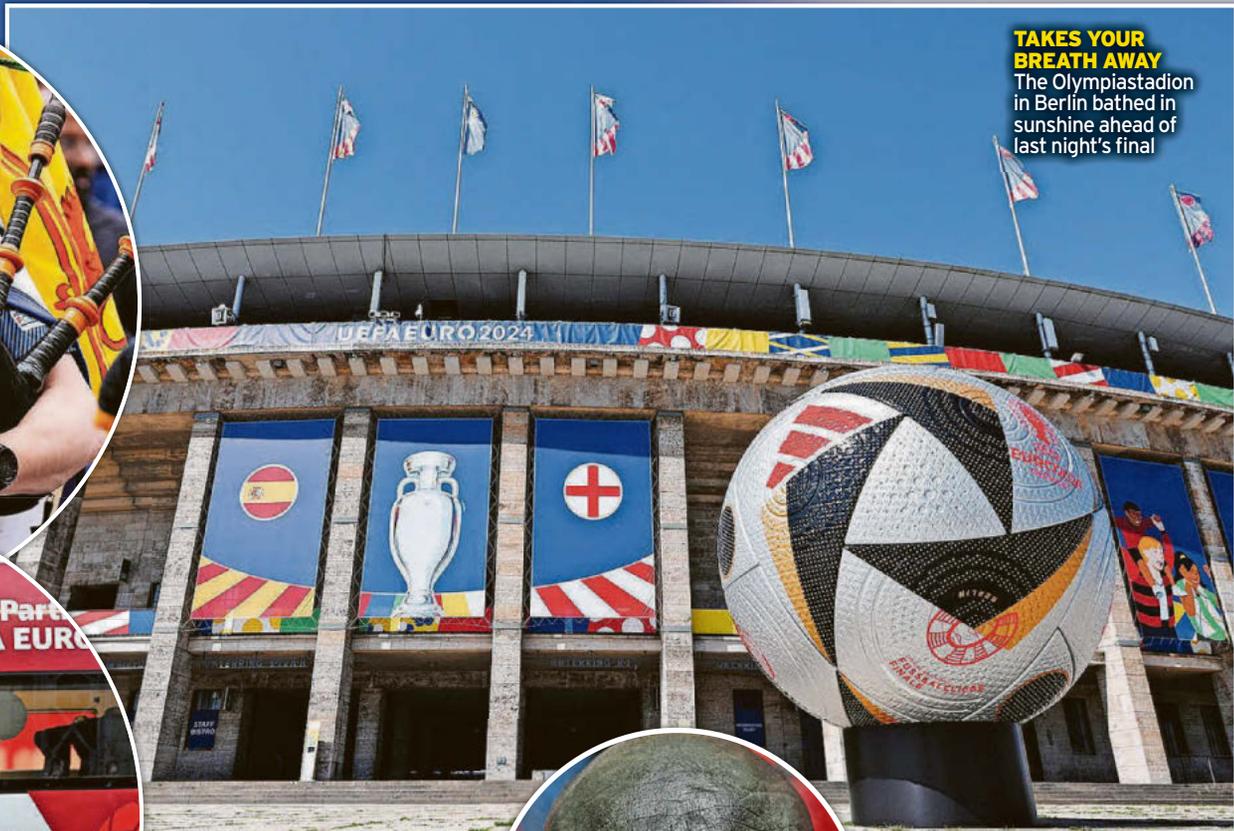
"I'm at a stage in my career where I want to be ambitious and create memories for myself as well. It was a good time for us both to meet at this point."



KILT TRIP The Tartan Army won plenty of friends



DORTMUND DELUGE Rain stops play as storm hits



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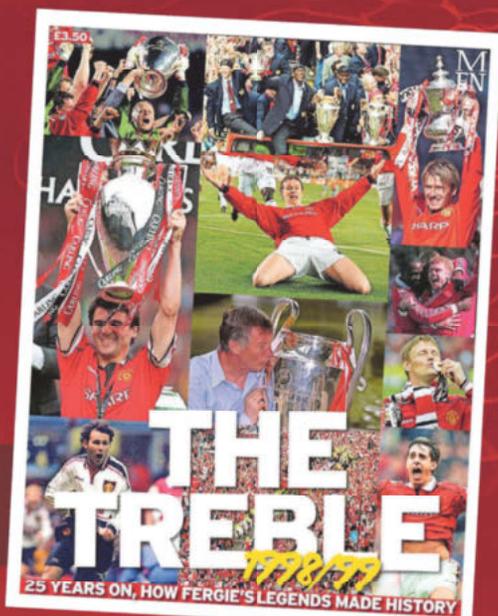
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BY KEITH WEBSTER
AND like that, it was gone.

Thirty-one days of goals and celebrations, own goals and commiserations, wonder-goals and over-elaborations.

When the dust settled last night in Berlin, the German Euros had done what every other major tournament does – sent one team home delirious and the rest in misery, wondering what might have been.

But it had also left players and supporters with memories for a lifetime and reasons to raise a stein of frothing Bavarian ale to the hosts.



So farewell Germany...

Farewell to a nation whose passion for the game matches that of any in world football.

Farewell to the Tartan Army invasion. Scotland's contribution to the tournament may have been another group-stage exit but it was also another predictably exuberant showing from its kilted road warriors, with social media mischief at one point claiming the German parliament was trying to pass emergency legislation barring them from leaving the country.

Farewell to a train system that tried to cope but at times was bursting at the seams, with the numbers of fans in the country just there for the party far outweighing those with tickets and catching authorities by surprise.

Farewell to the weather, as Germany suffered an early summer as wet as we have seen in Britain, the most spectacular showing being the lightning storm over Dortmund when ref Michael Oliver was forced to take Germany and Denmark off the field for their safety.

Farewell to the fastest goal in Euros history, when Nedim Bajrami of Albania latched on to Federico Dimarco's dreadful throw-in and hammered his side in front of Italy after just 23 seconds. Italy came back to win 2-1.

Farewell to going left, then right, then left, then right, then...well, then just as mad as you wish.

The Dutch support was the most colourful in the tournament and social media almost broke into pieces trying to handle the traffic over the many videos of thousands in unison going "links, rechts, links, rechts" before an explosion of joy. A party for the ages.

Farewell to semi-automated off-sides, although this one will be welcome back at any VAR-officiated game in any competition. If VAR must be part of football then a system – a reliable one – for quickly making calls on offside has to be part of it. It appeared to be a huge success in this tournament. Farewell to Giorgi Mamardashvili, the busiest keeper in the tournament with 29 saves in four games but whose character endeared him to fans of all

Best and wurst of Germany's football festival

SO, FAREWELL TO A SHOW WE WILL NEVER FORGET

nations and whose presence helped Georgia become the 29th team to reach the knockout rounds of a Euros.

Farewell to Turkey keeper Mert Gunok's gravity-defying save against Austria that brought back memories of Gordon Banks denying Pele in 1970.

And finally, farewell to those who likely will not grace this stage again: Cristiano Ronaldo, Toni Kroos, Christian Eriksen, Thomas Muller and Pepe.

Farewell Germany, it's been emotional.

FAST TIMES
Bajrami scored for Albania against Italy after 23 seconds



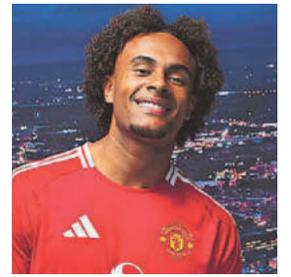
LAST GOODBYE
Portugal's Pepe and Ronaldo are unlikely to grace this stage again



LIKE BANKS
Stunning save from Turkey's Gunok



BUSY Georgia keeper Giorgi Mamardashvili



Zirk: I'll be quick off mark

BY DAVID McDONNELL
JOSHUA ZIRKZEE has vowed to hit the ground running to help Manchester United chase more success.

The Dutch forward has signed from Bologna for £36.5million on a contract that runs until June 2029, with the option to extend for a further year.

The 23-year-old (above) was the Italian club's top scorer last season and featured for the Netherlands at Euro 2024, including briefly in their semi-final exit to England.

Zirkzee said: "Having had discussions with the manager and the leaders of the club, I know how exciting the future is going to be here.

"I cannot wait to play my part in achieving success for Manchester United.

"I am a player who has always dedicated everything to winning; I'm ready for this next challenge, to go to another level in my career and win more trophies.

"It is a privilege to join such an iconic club. I have to take a short break now after being with the national team, but I'll be coming back ready to make an impact straight away."

United sporting director Dan Ashworth said: "Securing a forward to enhance our already strong group of attacking players was a key aim.

"We are delighted that we've managed to sign a player of Joshua's calibre this early in the transfer window. Joshua is an outstanding talent who is ready to make an impact for Manchester United.

"His ability and desire to grow into a world-class player means that he will be a great addition to the squad that we are building for the exciting season ahead and beyond.

"Having already achieved a significant amount in his career, we will provide Joshua with the perfect platform to reach the next level under the guidance and support of Erik ten Hag and the coaching staff.

"We look forward to seeing Joshua thrive."

The fee will be payable over three years after United triggered the striker's release clause.



EURO 2024 FINAL

SPAIN 2

Williams 47, Oyarzabal 86

ENGLAND 1

Palmer 73

It's cry Harry for England & St George as Spain make it so much pain for Kane

HARRY KANE, for once, had won the ball but could still not contain his frustration, sending his studs on to the ankle of Fabian Ruiz.

He protested the yellow card (below) but the look on his face suggested he knew, knew it had been the slightly petulant act of someone utterly fed up with not being able to produce his best.

Time – and some frank reflection – will tell if he had been carrying a physical problem through this tournament but to see him labour on the grandest stage was sad.

And to see Gareth Southgate persevere with a labouring Kane was to see an England coach indulging a big name at the expense of his team's chances of lifting a major trophy. Simple as that.

That Kane (having a shot blocked, right) had more first-half touches in his own penalty area than he did in Spain's penalty area told you all you need to know.

A lot has been made of Kane's leadership of this England team – and rightly so. He has been an exemplary captain.

But his leadership in Germany has been mainly off the pitch, speaking eloquently on behalf of team-mates who have, despite their achievement in getting to a final, been besieged by criticism. That the



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two back-up strikers, Ollie Watkins and Ivan Toney, have made a considerable impact when coming on but have known that Kane's starting slot has not been up for negotiation is one of the few aspects of Southgate's management that can be seriously questioned.

Not that Kane was the only one who struggled on a momentous occasion.

And it said a lot about

England's early contribution to this contest that the one moment of quality inside the first quarter of the match was a John Stones block of a Nico Williams cross.

That just about summed it up, to be fair. It was decent, but it was routine.

Over the whole tournament, the dynamic between manager Southgate and the supporters – and the pundits, for that

matter – has been a difficult one. No one is ungrateful for what Southgate has done, bringing England back to the top table of international football. No one underestimates the challenges he has faced and overcome. No one takes it for granted that the team now arrives in the later stages of tournaments as a matter of course.

But outside the Olympiastadion, the talk amongst the rank

and file fans was of an England that is still too cautious, an England that still fails to maximise the mercurial individual talent in its ranks.

And the first half in Berlin last night, when Premier League quality was absent and Three Lions torpor clear, was painful evidence of exactly that.

Sure, England had to be respectful of the quality of Spain, who had won all six

matches in the run-up to the final. Sure, they were up against a team that pressed with an intensity that has been beyond every other team in this competition. Sure, they were wary of the speed and potential threat of the opponent's counter-attacking operation.

But England were so passive in possession, so reluctant to take a risk in midfield, that it was painful to watch, like many of their games in this Euro 24 tournament

Ironically, the one player who ignored Southgate's fabled hand-brake approach was a man who had not started a football match for five months.

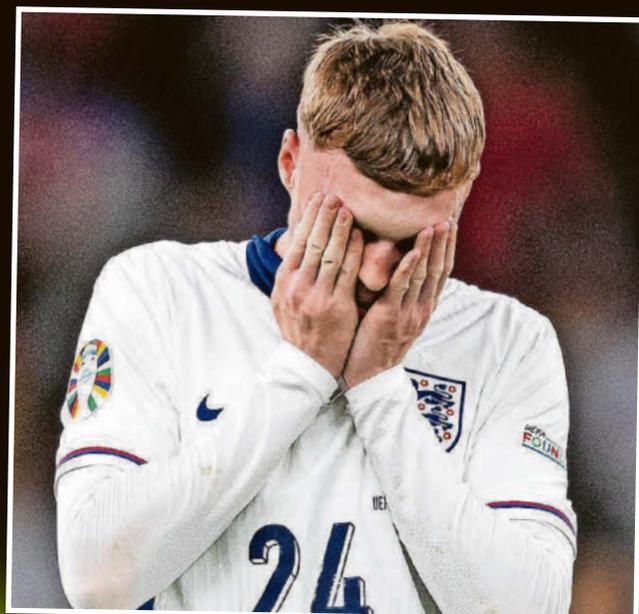
On the face of it, Southgate's decision to field Luke Shaw, who last began a game in early February, was a gamble, but the Manchester United defender performed with a zest that was missing from others. Most notably, sadly, from Kane.

And while no one could question Southgate's decision to hook his skipper after an hour, it was still a sad sight to see such a fantastic servant of English football – an English record-breaker – take off his armband and head for the bench.

Southgate's loyalty to Kane, Southgate's faith in Kane, was understandable.

But, on an agonising night, it ultimately cost him dear.





KANE AND UNABLE

It was agony for England in the end but joy for the likes of Spain's Nico Williams



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SPAIN 2
Williams 47, Oyarzabal 86

ENGLAND 1
Palmer 73

LION HEARTS



FROM **JOHN CROSS** in Dortmund
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THE heartbreak and agony gets worse and more painful each time.

Another defeat in a Euros final will not stop us dreaming, but it will leave us wondering when England's time will come. Gareth Southgate and his heroic England players only deserve praise after their remarkable rollercoaster ride in reaching the final in Berlin's Olympiastadion. But that will not offer any consolation to the players, who slumped to the

pitch at the end as a chance to write their names into English football folklore passed by. Instead, England's men only have the memories of the 1966 World Cup triumph, which now seems further away than ever. It's 58 years of hurt and still counting. England have lost in the final for the past two Euros and this, their first major tournament final on foreign soil, almost felt worse than three years ago against Italy at Wembley. Every big defeat and disappointment gets harder. But this time it felt so cruel because

England hauled themselves back into the contest – only to then lose it with just four minutes left. It was heartbreak again. And it never gets any easier. At the final whistle, England's players sank to their knees in despair while Spain celebrated their win. Southgate gambled on Luke Shaw – his first start in 148 days after a hamstring injury – and

England reverted to a back four after the recent successes playing with three at the back. Shaw did a good job in keeping Lamine Yamal quiet in the first half – but that was never going to last. And when Rodri was forced off at half-time – the Manchester City midfielder twisted his knee blocking a shot from Harry Kane – it suddenly felt as if things were going England's

SPAIN		ENGLAND	
65%	POSSESSION	35%	
6	SHOTS ON TARGET	4	
5	SHOTS OFF TARGET	2	
10	CORNERS	2	
1	OFFSIDE	0	
11	FOULS	5	
0	CARDS	3	0

Referee: Francois Letexier



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BERLIN

BROKEN

Late Spanish winner sinks Southgate's stars after superb Palmer strike revived final hope

RATINGS by SIMON MULLOCK mirror.co.uk/sport/football

SPAIN		ENGLAND	
SIMON	6	PICKFORD	8
Athletic Bilbao keeper was forced into making just one routine save as England struggled to make chances		England's best player had no chance for both goals but produced two excellent saves to deny Yamal	
CARVAJAL	7	WALKER	6
Scored in Real Madrid's Champions League triumph and another solid display to win another European title		Relished showing Williams that he can't be beaten for pace but dragged out of position as winger scored	
LE NORMAND	7	STONES	6
France-born Real Sociedad centre-back was ruthless in the air and on the ground when dealing with Kane		Booked Vital early tackle to snuff out Williams and cleared a Morata effort off the line after the break	
LAPORTE	7	GUEHI	7
Another Spaniard born in France. The ex-Man City centre-back showed he is far too good for Saudi Pro League		One of England's players of the tournament maintained his form on the biggest night of his career	
CUCURELLA	7	MAINOO	6
Public enemy No 1 in Germany - and he won't be popular in the Premier League after setting up the winner		Huge lesson in elite-level football for the teenager who only made his first Man United start last season	
RODRI	6	RICE	6
Had not lost with Spain for 15 months so looked like a big blow when forced off at the break by injury		Typically industrious but struggled to come to terms with slick Spaniards and missed a great late chance	
RUIZ	7	SAKA	6
Ensured that Spain didn't suffer with loss of Rodri. Stepped up and never wasted a pass or missed a tackle		Started brightly against Cucurella but England couldn't get him on the ball enough	
YAMAL	6	FODEN	6
Celebrated 17th birthday on Saturday - and then 24 hours later set up the goal that opened the scoring		Closed down the midfield space that Rodri often exploits. Volleyed a decent chance straight at Simon	
OLMO	6	BELLINGHAM	6
Very lucky not to see red for an ugly hip-high challenge on Rice that only earned a yellow card		Seemed like a big night too far for the Champions League winner - until he teed up Palmer for the equaliser	
WILLIAMS MOTM	8	SHAW	7
Made no mistake when given space and time to fire Spain ahead early in the second half and always a threat		First start of tournament. Took an aggressive approach with Yamal but lost him once - and it was fatal	
MORATA	5	KANE	5
Another striker who failed to show up. Skipper subbed after getting no joy from Stones and Guehi		Booked Only kick of the game left Ruiz nursing a sore shin and earned the England captain a yellow card	
SUBS		SUBS	
Zubimendi (Rodri 46) 6		Watkins Booked (Kane 61) 6	
Oyarzabal (Morata 68) 7		Palmer (Mainoo 70) 7	
Nacho (Le Normand 83)		Toney (Foden 89)	
Merino (Yamal 89)			

2-1
Mikel Oyarzabal slides home Spain's winning goal past Jordan Pickford



way. But then within two minutes of the restart, Yamal - who turned 17 on Saturday - got inside Shaw, his lay-off found Nico Williams and the Spain winger slammed a low shot beyond Jordan Pickford and into the far corner. Incredibly, that was Yamal's fourth assist of the tournament.

Suddenly, after looking solid, England were undone. Southgate showed his ruthless streak again as he brought on the last-gasp hero of the semi-final, Ollie Watkins, for Kane in the 61st minute. It was actually hard to watch Kane. He is England's

best goalscorer, one of the all-time greats and yet was so sluggish again that he looked horribly off the pace.

You have to be pretty heartless if you cannot feel an ounce of sympathy for a player who is clearly not fit.

Pickford kept England in the game with brilliant saves. It was all Spain. But, in this tournament, England have been at their best when their backs have been against the wall.

And once again, it was a Southgate substitution which worked a treat.

Bukayo Saka worked some

space down the right, Jude Bellingham's lay-off set up Cole Palmer and his low drive took the slightest of deflections off Martin Zubimendi and into the far corner.

That should have been the cue for England to kick on. But Spain reasserted their authority.

Marc Cucurella's low cross unlocked the England defence, and Spain substitute Mikel Oyarzabal got there first to steer home.

England nearly saved themselves again in a goalmouth scramble when Marc Guehi's header was cleared off the line

by Dani Olmo and then Declan Rice put the rebound over.

But England should still be proud. They should remember the highs and lows of this tournament and take great heart.

Southgate has brought the fanbase together again. From throwing beer cups at the England manager to celebrating with them after knocking out Switzerland and Holland.

It was a gamble to bring such a young squad to the Euros, but they grew together, developed a mentality together. Southgate has shown they can still have a bright future.



DREAM IS OVER

Battling Lions edged out as Spain crowned champions for fourth time



From **ANDY DUNN** in Berlin
ENGLAND'S dream of ending 58 years of hurt turned to heartbreak in the final minutes in Berlin last night.

Gareth Southgate's side suffered defeat for the second Euros final in a row as Spain sub Mikel Oyarzabal (right) met an 86th-minute cross from Marc Cucurella to beat Jordan Pickford.

England had gone 1-0 down 69 seconds after the restart through Nico Williams. But sub Cole Palmer equalised in the 73rd minute only three minutes after replacing Kobbie Mainoo.

Spain became the first nation to win the European Championship four times. Kane – taken off on the hour – said: "Tough game – to concede late on is really hard to take."

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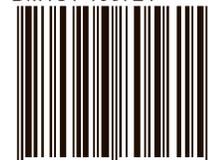
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Phil Foden and boss Gareth Southgate after England's heartbreaking defeat



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Quizword & Crossword

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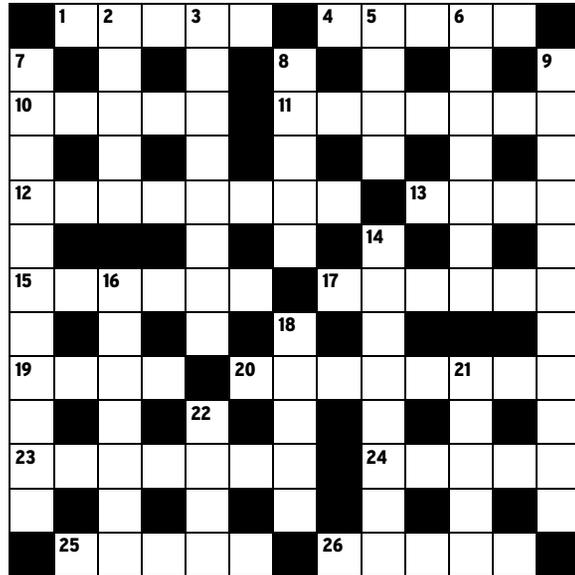
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ACROSS

- 1 Frank -, US musician and composer who co-wrote and co-directed 1971 film fantasy 200 Motels (5)
- 4 and 11 1984 romcom starring Michael Caine and Joseph Bologna (5,2,2,3)
- 10 The -, Greek epic poem describing the siege of Troy (5)
- 11 See 4 Across
- 12 Belt of light winds, sudden storms and calms along the equator (8)
- 13 West African republic; capital Bamako (4)
- 15 1900 stage drama by August Strindberg (6)
- 17 White-flowered European plant of the parsley family whose leaves are used for flavouring food (6)
- 19 and 25 Best Actor in a Leading Role Oscar nominee for 1968's The Fixer (4,5)
- 20 Small town in Walloon Brabant, central Belgium near which an 1815 battle was fought (8)
- 23 SI unit of electric charge (7)
- 24 Island off the NW coast of Venezuela; part of the Netherlands Antilles until 1986 (5)
- 25 See 19 Across
- 26 Agile hoofed mammal of Africa and Asia such as the rock - or tree - (5)

DOWN

- 2 Airy spirit in William Shakespeare play The Tempest (5)
- 3 Martin -, cyclist; 2006 Tour of Britain winner (8)
- 5 Anita -, author of novels No Mother to Guide Her and Gentlemen Prefer Blondes (4)
- 6 Town in Trapani, Sicily associated with the 1860 Expedition of the Thousand in the Italian Risorgimento (7)
- 7 George Eliot novel subtitled A Story of Provincial Life (11)
- 8 City and resort in SE Florida, US (5)
- 9 1970s US television cop series starring Angie Dickinson as Sgt Suzanne 'Pepper' Anderson (6,5)
- 14 and 22 2007 crime drama film starring Casey Affleck and Michelle Monaghan (4,4,4)
- 16 Either of the two large flat triangular bones also called a shoulder blade (7)
- 18 1942 Walt Disney film animation based on a story by Felix Salten (5)
- 21 Niki -, 1975, 1977 and 1984 Formula One World Drivers' Championship winner (5)
- 22 See 14 Down



Crossword

ACROSS

- 1 Ending in death (5)
- 4 Watch band (5)
- 10 In the lead (5)
- 11 Trade ban (7)
- 12 Slaughterhouse (8)
- 13 Poker stake (4)
- 15 Hire for work (6)
- 17 Fine mortar (6)
- 19 Yes votes (4)
- 20 Period of 366 days (4,4)
- 23 Ancestry or parentage (7)
- 24 New (5)
- 25 Distance downwards (5)
- 26 French underground (5)

DOWN

- 2 Stadium (5)
- 3 Mathematical skill (8)
- 5 Cylinder (4)
- 6 Fix up (7)
- 7 Mild analgesic drug (11)
- 8 Satan (5)
- 9 For an instant (11)
- 14 Reaction (8)
- 16 Silly and childish (7)
- 18 Banquet (5)
- 21 Young eel (5)
- 22 Clenched hand (4)

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Two-speed coffeebreak

Two sets of clues - but the answers are the same.

Cryptic clues

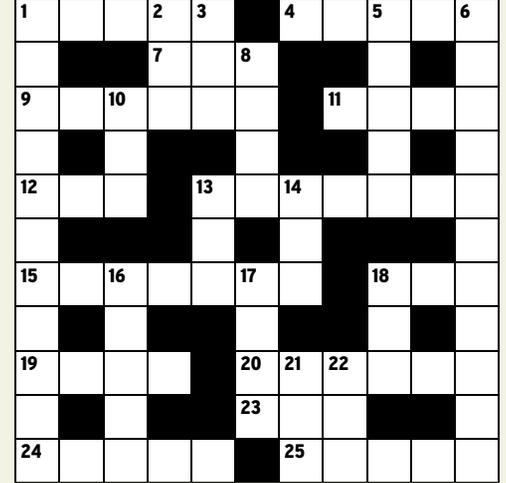
ACROSS

- 1 Words collapsed before weapon (5)
- 4 Creature tamed by Shakespeare (5)
- 7 Heard beer was trouble (3)
- 9 Yearn to hold you at last with energy, then laze around (6)
- 11 Bachelor's soreness (4)
- 12 One worked for a long time (3)
- 13 A quiet new pearl dress (7)
- 15 Cat is part-hen, strangely (7)
- 18 Scarf is smelly and acrid at first (3)
- 19 Marched around building (4)
- 20 Box on right shows sign of damage (6)
- 23 Question the method (3)
- 24 It happened in the Seventies (5)
- 25 Feel depressed underneath (5)

DOWN

- 1 Metal crockery gets expensive coating (6,5)
- 2 Rushed out of France (3)
- 3 Enjoy some archaeology (3)
- 5 Reappear concerning dog (5)
- 6 Turn to stop argument in conveyance (11)
- 8 Pale sort of spring (4)
- 10 Run off to get receptacle (3)
- 13 Has turned into tree (3)
- 14 Same level within department (3)
- 16 Crane made of mother-of-pearl (5)
- 17 Every teacher has it (4)
- 18 Flyer makes a racket (3)
- 21 Steal broken orb (3)
- 22 Wonder inside drawer (3)

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Quick clues

ACROSS

- 1 Sabre (5)
- 4 Mouse-like mammal (5)
- 7 Afflict (3)
- 9 Living room (6)
- 11 Pain (4)
- 12 Era (3)
- 13 Attire (7)
- 15 Feline (7)
- 18 Snake (3)
- 19 Curved structure (4)
- 20 Bomb hole (6)
- 23 In what manner? (3)
- 24 Occurrence (5)
- 25 Underneath (5)

DOWN

- 1 Precious veneer (6,5)
- 2 Sprinted (3)
- 3 Delve (3)
- 5 Happen again (5)
- 6 Garden implement (11)
- 8 Jump (4)
- 10 Vase (3)
- 13 Powder found in the hearth (3)
- 14 Equal (3)
- 16 Mother-of-pearl (5)
- 17 Every (4)
- 18 Halloween mammal? (3)
- 21 Thief (3)
- 22 Amazement (3)

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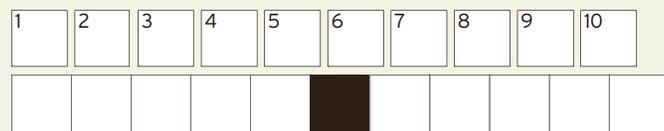
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BOX1: Which EastEnders actress is the niece of Angie Best, the former wife of footballer George Best?
Emma Barton (X)
Rita Simons (E)
Samantha Womack (S)

BOX4: Which actor links the films Terminal Velocity and Lonely Hearts?
Jared Leto (O)
Charlie Sheen (Q)
James Gandolfini (I)

BOX5: Who wrote the classic western novels The Searchers and The Unforgiven?
Alan Le May (E)
Frank Bonham (R)
Frank Gruber (X)

BOX6: Geoffrey Howe was the longest-serving cabinet minister under which UK prime minister?
Margaret Thatcher (S)
James Callaghan (J)
Edward Heath (V)

BOX7: In the Garfield cartoon strips, which character was the original owner of Jon's dog Odie?
Nermal (O)
Lyman (P)
Liz (S)

BOX8: What colour was the Grinch?
Red (A)
Green (C)
Silver (O)

BOX9: Casa Loma is a Gothic Revival style mansion in which Canadian city?
Toronto (R)
Vancouver (N)
Montreal (P)

BOX10: Haley Bennett (pictured) appeared in which 2022 historical drama film directed by Chinonye Chukwu?
Till (L)
Emancipation (O)
The Woman King (X)



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Boost your brain power with our 30-second test. Start with the number on the left and follow the instructions. Beginners should aim to complete the puzzle in 30 seconds. Intermediates should finish their own puzzle and the Beginner's Challenge. Genius players have 30 seconds to complete their own plus the Intermediate. Good luck!

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BEGINNER	31	-14	x3	-45	x9	+12	5/6 of this	-9	50% of this	ANSWER
INTERMEDIATE	190	60% of this	+68	4/7 of this	-83	Reverse the digits	x11	+188	7/10 of this	ANSWER
ADVANCED	476	6/7 of this	-56	Increase by 75%	-88	8/11 of this	+168	7/12 of this	-257	ANSWER

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Just a bit of fun

Which one of our three definitions is correct?

STEMMA

- 1 A family tree
- 2 Cross-timber in a shaft
- 3 Peg of whisky and soda

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Scribble pad

Wordsearch

Can you find all the listed astrological terms in the grid?

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| HOUSE | VIRGO |
| LEO | ZODIAC |

Arrow Word

Arrow Words are like crosswords, but the clues are printed inside squares on the grid. Write your answers in the blank squares in the direction indicated by the arrows.

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Present	King, actress	Wadia, pictured	Soap suds	Transgression	Sofa	Lynam, TV host	Ecstatically happy
				Perfect			
Unfasten and separate		High rocky hill	Belief				Very much (4,2)
				Island in the Med	Let it stand		
Carry On actress, Windsor	Action on Smoking and Health (abbr.)	Fogle, pictured	Australian bird		Night before Courts		
					Unwelcome plant		
Asian country	Data	Generation	Star sign			Unruly child	Human creativity
				Places to dine out	Block, hinder	Mineral spring	Employ
Hard sweet	Woodwind instrument	Ordinary members (5,5)	Just				de Janeiro, city in Brazil
					Vehicle	Excessively sentimental	Additional
							Go wrong
Large snake			Disperses				One run in cricket
							Container
Twelve months	Greek letter			Macabre	Countries	Religious image	Pistachio, e.g.
			Buenos Aires, the capital of				Strongly opposed
			Opera song	Perceive with the ear		Biting insect	Bury
					End part		Yashmak, e.g.
							Evaluate
Tie the get married						At no time	
					On strike		Epoch
Catch sight of				Local area network (abbr.)		Be alive	
					Polite form of address for a man		Sheltered side



Niner

Each number from 1 to 9 represents a different letter. Solve the clues and insert the letters in the appropriate squares to discover a word which uses all nine letters.

- 167757 gives a European country
- 923742 gives a Spanish city
- 426879 gives an English county

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
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Su-doku corner

EASY SU-DOKU

9x9 grid for Easy Su-doku with some numbers filled in.

The rules for Su-doku couldn't be easier. All you have to do is fill the empty squares so that each row, column and 3x3 block contains all the numbers 1 to 9.

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SU-DOKU TOUGHIE

9x9 grid for Su-doku Toughie with some numbers filled in.

The rules for Su-doku are easy, but this one's a toughie! Each number from 1 to 9 must appear only once in each horizontal and vertical line, and only once in each 3x3 grid.

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KILLER SU-DOKU

9x9 grid for Killer Su-doku with numbers in some cells and dots in others.

Killer Su-doku is based on the traditional grid and every column, every row and every 3x3 box must contain the digits 1 to 9. But the dotted squares must be filled with numbers that add up to that in the left corner.

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FUTOSHIKI

5x5 grid for Futoshiki with comparison symbols (>, <, ^, v) between cells.

Insert the numbers one to five in each row and each column, making sure that no number is repeated. The only symbols to guide you are the "greater than" (>) and "less than" (<) signs.

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Word Ladder

Word Ladder puzzle with clues: Sever, Enclose, Prepare food, Tilt to one side, Ready an arrow. The ladder starts with CHIP and ends with NICK.

Brickwork

Brickwork puzzle with 7 numbered layers of a wall to be filled with letters.

Enter the solutions to the clues in their numbered layers of the wall. Each word must be an anagram of its neighbours, plus or minus one letter.

- 1 Breed of deer
2 Above
3 Impelled
4 Animal herder
5 Wandered
6 Bird of peace
7 Female deer

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SATURDAY'S SOLUTIONS

EASY SU-DOKU

Solution for Easy Su-doku.

SU-DOKU TOUGHIE

Solution for Su-doku Toughie.

KILLER SU-DOKU

Solution for Killer Su-doku.

GOGEN 1

GOGEN 1 solution grid.

GOGEN 2

GOGEN 2 solution grid.

CELLS

CELLS solution grid.

WORDSEARCH

WORDSEARCH solution grid.

FILL IN

FILL IN solution grid.

FUTOSHIKI

Solution for Futoshiki.

JIGSAW SU-DOKU

Solution for Jigsaw Su-doku.

KAKURO

Solution for Kakuro.

LOOP

Solution for Loop.

BATTLESIPS

Solution for Battleships.

DOUBLE JIGWORD

Solution for Double Jigword.

CROSSWORD

Solution for Crossword.

COLOSSAL CROSSWORD

ACROSS: 12 Come to light, 13 Course, 14 Entire, 16 Flog, 17 Take issue, 18 Poser, 19 Bout, 20 Ill temper, 22 Minus, 23 Top flight, 27 Lay down, 30 Bang on, 31 Hand, 32 Roast, 35 Went, 36 Run down, 38 Rove, 39 Produce, 42 Amused, 45 Worst, 46 Galleon, 47 Real, 48 Clad, 50 Minutes, 52 Amble, 54 Hasten, 56 Drawing, 57 Beef, 59 Picks up, 61 Rats, 64 Usage, 66 Lest, 67 Rattle, 69 Get down, 72 Carried on, 73 Store, 74 Mandatory, 79 Scat, 81 Tolls, 82 Level best, 83 Miss, 85 Impair, 86 Crease, 87 Got together. DOWN: 1 Toil, 2 Height, 3 Tom-tom, 4 Pickled,

5 Choir, 6 Forerunner, 7 Tripe, 8 Sees round, 9 Redraft, 10 Stab, 11 Draughts, 15 Asking, 21 Leave, 24 In order, 25 Favour, 26 Shovel, 28 Dates, 29 War, 33 Knowing, 34 Wrench, 37 Notes, 40 Chase, 41 Release, 43 Miler, 44 Demand, 46 Grasp, 49 Dowager, 51 Treaty, 53 Buckle, 55 Shred, 58 First-class, 60 Pie, 62 Tower, 63 Recollect, 65 Search me, 68 Thrive, 70 Western, 71 Talents, 75 Dotage, 76 Tomato, 77 Ashen, 78 Allot, 80 Trap, 84 Shed. PATHFINDER Spice Girls, Atomic Kitten, The Offspring, No Doubt, Nirvana, Red Hot Chili Peppers, Pearl Jam, Foo Fighters, Blur,

Depeche Mode, Daft Punk, System of a Down, Backstreet Boys, Nickelback, Savage Garden, The Prodigy, Massive Attack, The Cardigans, Take That, Jamiroquai, The Corrs, Garbage. 30-SEC BRAIN TEASER Beginner 83; Intermediate 48; Advanced 247. HONEYCOMB 1 Master, 2 Savage, 3 Garage, 4 Arches, 5 Seethe, 6 Trench, 7 Nitric, 8 Terror, 9 Ornate, 10 Tamper, 11 Return, 12 Reruns. ANAGRAM CROSSWORD ACROSS: 1 Lambs, 4 Abridge, 9 Pardoned, 10 Also, 11 Sextile,

12 Dines, 14 Graduates, 18 Organ, 19 Alcoves, 22 Sari, 23 Appoints, 24 Seventh, 25 Nerds. DOWN: 2 Abates, 3 Bidet, 5 Buds, 6 Imagine, 7 Gusset, 8 Include, 13 Wallops, 15 Realise, 16 Create, 17 Tested, 20 Olive, 21 Halt. BRICKWORK Age, Rage, Range, Regnal, Angel, Glen, Legn. WORD SPIRAL 1 Verb; 2 Bung; 3 Glen; 4 Neck; 5 Kerb; 6 Burn; 7 Nazi; 8 Idol; 9 Long; 10 Gala; 11 Army; 12 Year; 13 Rots; 14 Stub; 15 Bird; 16 Dual. Keyword: Italian CIRCLEGRAM The letter represented

by the question mark is K. Kestrel, cockerel, skylark, all birds. CLOCKWORD 1 Gambol, 2 Unveil, 3 Instil, 4 Laurel, 5 Damsel, 6 Enamel, 7 Normal, 8 Sandal, 9 Thrill, 10 Earful, 11 Rascal, 12 Nickel. Hidden name: Guildenstern QUIZWORD ACROSS: 1 Omphale, 7 Annie, 8 Brenner, 9 Thebes, 11 Polio, 13 Pass, 14 Aral Sea, 15 Hall, 16 Strip, 17 Racing, 21 Hogarth, 22 Usain, 23 Stripes. DOWN: 2 Mark O'Meara, 3 Hannibal, 4 Leek, 5 Ankh, 6 Limb, 9 Tease, 10 Easy Virtue, 12 Magog, 13 Pastrami, 18 Cash, 19 Neil, 20 Bolt.

CROSSWORD ACROSS: 1 Infancy, 7 Penal, 8 Another, 9 Forest, 11 Chill, 13 Airs, 14 Phantom, 15 Save, 16 Brake, 17 Stalls, 21 Wet suit, 22 Cross, 23 Strange. DOWN: 2 Nonchalant, 3 Antelope, 4 Chef, 5 Zero, 6 Cane, 9 Froth, 10 Sprinkling, 12 Oasis, 13 Ambrosia, 18 Acra, 19 Lost, 20 Pest. TWO-SPEED COFFEEBREAK ACROSS: 1 Broom, 5 Hares, 9 Rip, 10 Aside, 11 Ideas, 12 Don, 13 Den, 14 Ode, 16 Tea, 18 Ernest, 21 Sore, 23 Hood, 26 Primer, 29 Let, 31 Emu, 32 Nan, 34 Ram, 36 Toast, 37 Olive, 38 Tie, 39 Octet, 40 Dread.

DOWN: 1 Brides, 2 Ride, 3 Opener, 4 Mason, 5 Hides, 6 Ado, 7 Rent, 8 Soda, 15 Denim, 17 Ego, 19 Rep, 20 The, 22 Owe, 24 Ornate, 25 Dented, 27 Remit, 28 Muted, 29 Ludo, 30 Trot, 33 Asia, 35 Ale. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE QUIZ 1 A dungeon, 2 1993, 3 Charles II, 4 Hadrian's Wall, 5 Martin Luther King, 6 Silver, 7 Scissor Sisters, 8 Percussion, 9 Ethan Hunt, 10 Vietnam War, 11 Don McLean, 12 Mike Myers, 13 Carbon dioxide, 14 Asia, 15 The ribs, 16 Swallow, 17 Joule, 18 Orchid, 19 Glenn Hoddle, 20 Chess, 21 Snooker, 22 United States, 23 1990s, 24 Fourteen,

25 Munster, 26 Rhode Island, 27 Winding curve, 28 Italy, 29 Sierra Leone, 30 Pacific Ocean. NAME GAME SEERSUCKER 1E, 2R, 3S, 4S, 5R, 6K, 7E, 8C, 9U, 10E. WORD WHEEL BEANFEAST JUST A BIT OF FUN 1 Lively jig-like dance for couples MIRRORGRAM LEGITIMATE SUMTHING 8+7=15, 8+2=10, 1+9=10. FRIDAY'S SPEEDBREAKER 1=Q, 2=J, 3=P, 4=Y, 5=L, 6=N, 7=B, 8=W, 9=C, 10=D, 11=T, 12=M, 13=H, 14=S, 15=G, 16=U, 17=Z, 18=R, 19=E, 20=O, 21=F, 22=X, 23=K, 24=I, 25=V, 26=A.

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Aries March 21-April 20

It's exhausting when your family seem to be constantly at odds with each other. You aren't going to be able to change a relative's opinions so why waste any more of your time trying? Instead, focus on building relationships with people who do share your values and opinions.

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Taurus April 21 - May 21

Minor squabbles and misunderstandings early on should not derail your plans for the day. Taking a diplomatic approach will help a lot in resolving any conflicts. In conversations with a parent or older relative do not be too pushy when trying to get them to understand your perspective.

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Gemini May 22 - June 21

A senior colleague who admires your skills will offer you a better position. As tempted as you might be by their offer, don't be reluctant to negotiate a better salary than the one they initially suggest. Your powerful charisma will help you achieve a better deal. You deserve it.

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Cancer June 22 - July 23

Someone will request a favour from you that you aren't comfortable with. Be honest and let them know you would rather not help them out this time. If they get upset, don't let this make you feel guilty. If a friend can't respect your boundaries, they only have their own selfish interests in mind.

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Leo July 24 - August 23

Keeping out of the public eye will not help you resolve a conflict. You need to get to the root of the problem and you can only do this by talking about it. Schedule a meeting with those involved. Being open about the frustrations you feel is more likely to lead to a positive outcome.

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Virgo Aug 24 - Sept 23

Are you looking for something new to get you motivated? An offer to take on a leadership position should be taken seriously. Leading a team will present its own challenges and this could be just what you need to feel you are doing something worthwhile with your time.

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Libra Sept 24-Oct 23

Cultivating a negative mindset can have a detrimental impact on work opportunities. Don't tell yourself you aren't ever going to be successful. Regardless of whether you are unemployed or managing your own business, you need to keep a positive outlook towards future prospects.

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Scorpio Oct 24 - Nov 23

Keep going with plans and agreements already in place. If you're handling financial or travel matters, don't be tempted to make alterations without consulting other people involved. Making changes at this point could cause confusion. Take a straightforward approach to business.

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Sagittarius Nov 23 - Dec 21

Handle financial and legal matters as and when they arise. If a partner is procrastinating on issues that require immediate attention, insist that they make a decision by the end of the day. You both need to stay on top of everything if you are to prevent future complications.

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Capricorn Dec 22 - Jan 20

You have noticed how a partner or best friend has been showing less interest in pastimes you have always enjoyed together. This makes you feel this relationship could be slipping away. Travel, sports or exploring new joint activities could breathe new life into a friendship.

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Aquarius Jan 21 - Feb 19

You have patiently listened to a friend or colleague's gripes and grumbles. Now their rants are starting to irritate you. They are taking it for granted that you agree with their views when you don't. They need to be told you don't want to know. It is wrong of them to put you through this.

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Pisces Feb 20 - Mar 20

Finding happiness at home is difficult when you dislike the place you live or the people you are living with. If you've been thinking about buying a home, moving to a new area or ending an existing lease, start looking into the options available that will allow you to bring about this desire.

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- 300g cherry tomatoes
- drizzle olive oil
- 2 eggs
- 284ml pot double cream
- handful basil leaves, shredded, plus a few small ones left whole for scattering
- 50g parmesan (or vegetarian alternative), grated

FOR THE PASTRY

- 280g plain flour, plus extra for dusting
- 140g cold butter, cut into pieces

1 To make the pastry, tip the flour and butter into a bowl, then rub together with your fingertips until completely mixed and crumbly. Add 2-4tbsp water, or enough to bring everything together until just combined. Roll into a ball and use straight away or chill for up to 2 days. The pastry can also be frozen for up to a month.

2 Roll out the pastry on a lightly floured surface to a round about 5cm larger than a 25cm tin. Use your rolling pin to lift it up, then drape over the tart case so there is an overhang of pastry on the sides. Using a small ball of pastry scraps,

push the pastry into the corners of the tin. Chill in the fridge or freezer for 20 mins. Heat oven to 200C/fan 180C/gas 6.

3 In a small roasting tin, drizzle the tomatoes with olive oil and season with salt and pepper. Put the tomatoes on a low shelf of the oven.

4 Lightly prick the base of the tart with a fork, line the tart case with a large circle of greaseproof paper or foil, then fill with baking beans. Blind-bake the tart for 20 mins, remove the paper and beans, then continue to

cook for 5-10 mins until biscuit brown.

5 When you remove the tart case from the oven, take out the tomatoes, too.

6 While the tart is cooking, beat the eggs in a large bowl. Gradually add the cream, then stir in the basil and season. When the case is ready, sprinkle half the cheese over the base, scatter

over the tomatoes, pour over the cream mix, then finally scatter over the rest of the cheese. Bake for 20-25 mins until set and golden brown. Leave to cool in the case, trim the edges of the pastry, then remove from the tin. Scatter over the remaining basil and serve in slices.

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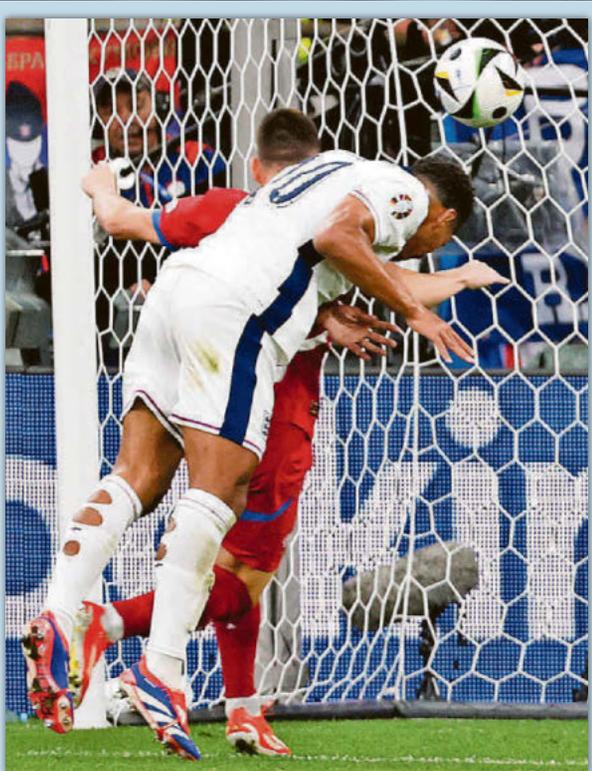
EURO 2024 FINAL   **SPAIN 2 ENGLAND 1**

BERLIN WAIL

England made us proud
but its herr-endous for
Lions in Germany



SOUND AS A BELL
Bellingham celebrates his goal against Serbia which got England off to a winning start



**GROUP C, GAME ONE
SERBIA 0 ENGLAND 1
GELSENKIRCHEN
SUNDAY, JUNE 16, 2024**

IT started much as Gareth Southgate would have hoped - early goal, should have had a second, three points secured - but this was no stroll in the park.

An incisive move and powerful finish 13 minutes into the game appeared to signal exactly what England fans wanted. Kyle Walker's defence-splitting pass invited Bukayo Saka to run on to it. His cross took a nice deflection on its way into the box.

The ball sailed over Harry Kane's head but sat up perfectly for Jude Bellingham who met it six yards out and he planted his header firmly into the net.

Serbia grew into the game as England struggled to find cohesion and Aleksandar Mitrovic threatened Jordan Pickford's goal.

Kane could - and should - have made it 2-0 in the second half. Jarrod Bowen was brought on to inject some pace into England's attack and when he found space down the right and teased a cross to the back post, the England captain had the goal at his mercy.

He powered a header goalwards only for keeper Predrag Rajkovic to tip it on to the bar.

England's performance asked more questions than it answered but nobody argues with a win in the opening group game.

Up and running. Bring on Denmark.



SLOW START... BUT STILL ON TOP



Jude Serbs up a brilliant winner... then Lions let Great Danes off the leash... and Slovenia draw is our lowest point



GROUP C, GAME TWO
DENMARK 1 ENGLAND 1
FRANKFURT

THURSDAY, JUNE 20, 2024

THERE were worrying signs for England despite, or perhaps because of, taking an early lead.

Victor Kristiansen went to sleep and was robbed by smart-thinking Kyle Walker, whose ball into the box took two defensive deflections before falling to Harry Kane who was not going to miss from six yards.

That however, appeared to induce the old England failing

of retreating into their shell once ahead and, with the midfield pairing of Declan Rice and Trent Alexander-Arnold looking ill-advised, they invited Denmark into the game.

Kane, dropping ever deeper, went from scorer to provider - for the opposition. He fielded a

Kieran Trippier throw just outside his own area and hit a dreadful crossfield pass that was intercepted by Kristiansen who found Morten Hjulmand and his laser-like 30-yard strike went in off the left upright.

Phil Foden hit a post in the second half but more and

more England became sloppy and offered chance after chance to the Danes.

Ollie Watkins replaced Kane with 20 minutes left and almost won the game in a preview of what was to come in the semi-finals. Bellingham's exquisite 30-yard pass found Watkins' perfectly-time run inside the box in the right channel. Kasper Schmeichel saved well but that move and that run would serve Watkins well three weeks later on the best night of his football life.

Awkward and stumbling. A missed opportunity.



GROUP C, GAME THREE
ENGLAND 0 SLOVENIA 0
COLOGNE

TUESDAY, JUNE 25, 2024

THE worrying signs had been there for England after the draw against the Danes denied them the opportunity to wrap up the group - but what was to follow was far worse.

Slovenia offered little to an uninspiring game but it was England who failed to live up to the billing as their midfield experimentation continued to struggle and their talented front line fell flat.

Trent Alexander-Arnold was dropped and replaced by Conor Gallagher but he was replaced at half-time by Kobbie Mainoo as England floundered.

There was a flash of

inspiration between Phil Foden and Declan Rice as they worked a superb one-two on the left of the area and Foden zipped a pass across the six-yard box for Bukayo Saka to score, only for a flag to rule him offside.

England had a late chance to win it with the best move of the game. Anthony Gordon's pass from halfway was backheeled by Mainoo to Harry Kane, who fed Cole Palmer on the edge of the area but his tame effort was easily saved.

England's limp performance was jeered at points throughout and when Gareth Southgate went to thank the fans, beer cups were thrown at him among the booing.

Confused and ineffective. Inspiration required.



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- 1960 - USSR
- 1964 - Spain
- 1968 - Italy
- 1972 - West Germany
- 1976 - Czechoslovakia
- 1980 - West Germany
- 1984 - France
- 1988 - Holland
- 1992 - Denmark (below)



- 1996 - Germany (above)
- 2000 - France
- 2004 - Greece
- 2008 - Spain (below)



- 2012 - Spain
- 2016 - Portugal
- 2020 - Italy
- 2024 - Spain

THE HURT GO



ES ON... AND ON



KNOCKOUT

**JUST FOR KICKS**

Bellingham's last-gasp overhead kick saved England against Slovakia in the last 16



ROUND OF 16
ENGLAND 2 SLOVAKIA 1
GELSENKIRCHEN
SUNDAY, JUNE 30

JUDE BELLINGHAM's role on this night will forever be held up as the moment it all fell into place.

Countless pundits were busy rejoicing in the fact England, by chance, had ended up on what they deemed to be the "better half of the draw", simply because Spain, France, Portugal and Germany were on the other side.

But England fans know

how poorly they perform against teams that put everyone behind the ball and an awkward Slovakia proved the point.

Worse than that, Slovakia took an early lead when John Stones and Marc Guehi got in a mess and allowed David Strelec to play in Ivan Schranz who slotted past Jordan Pickford.

Strelec had a chance to deliver a knockout blow when he chipped Pickford from 52 yards only to see his effort go wide, and he

was made to pay. With England limping out of the tournament and the referee about to put them out of their misery, Guehi headed on Kyle Walker's throw and Bellingham bicycle-kicked home from nine yards out for a goal that will be replayed for years to come.

In the first minute of extra time, Ivan Toney headed back across goal for Harry Kane to head home the winner.

Salvation. Bellingham, who else? Move on.



FOOTBALL

The do-or-die games... when Jude turned the tournament on its head... the fearless Lions made penalties look easy (without looking) and Watkins put us in touching distance of the Ollie grail

SEMI-FINAL HOLLAND 1 ENGLAND 2 DORTMUND WEDNESDAY, JULY 10

FOR the third time in 11 days England had to dig deep and find a way to win, having fallen behind. This Gareth Southgate side does not know when or even how to quit.

This time it was Xavi Simons who put them in arrears after just seven minutes, dispossessing Declan Rice before unleashing a thunderbolt from the edge of the area.

But when Harry Kane went airborne to fire on goal and Denzel Dumfries hung out a leg to attempt a block, the Dutch defender was adjudged to have fouled the England captain, who duly found the bottom left corner from the penalty spot.

England were now in the form fans had been waiting for and Foden was on fire, jinking through defenders in the box before his shot was stopped on the line.

Dumfries almost made amends when he headed against the bar and Foden was inches away when his curling left-footer from 25 yards struck the left upright. And that was just the breathless first half!

Virgil van Dijk brought out the best in Jordan Pickford and Bukayo Saka had a winner chalked off for offside, but that only made the winning moment even sweeter for England.

With extra time a minute away, from 30 yards out on the right wing, Cole Palmer teased a perfect pass into the area for Ollie Watkins. He had his back to goal, 12 yards out, on the right, with Stefan de Vrij covering him. There was no danger, was there?

Even as he turned, the angle appeared impossible but the Aston Villa striker hit it perfectly into the only place where he could score and looked shocked himself when it nestled inside the far post.

Wat a finish! Wat a night! On to Berlin.



QUARTER-FINAL ENGLAND 1 SWITZERLAND 1 (aet, 5-3 on pens) DUSSELDORF SATURDAY, JULY 6

FOR all the criticism about style, there was no denying England's substance and they proved yet again that they have the minerals when it comes to tournament football.

In a tight game, they fell behind 15 minutes from time when Breel Embolo bundled in at the back post, but Bukayo Saka came to the rescue five minutes later with a 20-yard effort which curled in off the far post.

Extra time was endured rather than enjoyed by England fans as Xherdan Shaqiri hit the bar/post directly from a corner and Zeki Amdouni stung Jordan Pickford's hands with a rasping

drive. And so to penalties, England's dread under previous regimes but now, it appears, a challenge to be met and relished.

Cole Palmer set the tone with a no-fuss, no-fear kick before Pickford saved from Manuel Akanji.

Jude Bellingham rolled his into the bottom right corner. Saka found redemption from 2021 when he pierced the right side-netting with his kick. Ivan Toney took one step and slotted home without even looking at the ball.

And so to Trent Alexander-Arnold. Dropped earlier in the group phase, he delivered magnificently, whipping his penalty high into the left corner.

Unconvincing in the game. Unstoppable in the shoot-out.



UEFA EURO 2024 RESULTS

GROUP A		GERMANY	SCOTLAND	HUNGARY	SWITZERLAND
GERMANY 5	HUNGARY 1	Wirtz 20, Musiala 19, Havertz 45+1 pen, Fullkrug 68, Can 90+3		Varga 66	
SCOTLAND 1	SWITZERLAND 3	Rudiger 87 og		Duah 12, Aebischer 45, Embolo 90+3	
GERMANY 2	SCOTLAND 1	Musiala 22, Gundogan 67		McCominay 13	
HUNGARY 0	SWITZERLAND 1			Shaqiri 26	
SWITZERLAND 1	SCOTLAND 0	Ndoye 28			
GERMANY 1	HUNGARY 1	Fullkrug 90+2		Csoboth 90+10	

GROUP B		SPAIN	CROATIA	ITALY	ALBANIA
SPAIN 3	ITALY 2	Morata 29, Ruiz 32, Carvajal 45+2		Bastoni 11, Barella 16	
CROATIA 0	ALBANIA 1			Bajrami 1	
CROATIA 2	SPAIN 1	Kramaric 74, Gjasula 76 og		Calafiori 55 og	
ALBANIA 2	ITALY 0	Laci 11, Gjasula 90+5			
CROATIA 1	ALBANIA 0	Modric 55			
ITALY 1	SPAIN 1	Zaccagni 90+8		Torres 13	

GROUP C		SLOVENIA	SERBIA	DENMARK	ENGLAND
SLOVENIA 1	SERBIA 0	Janza 77			
DENMARK 1	ENGLAND 1	Eriksen 17		Bellingham 13	
SLOVENIA 1	DENMARK 1	Karnicnik 69		Hjulmand 34	
SERBIA 1	ENGLAND 1	Jovic 90+5		Kane 18	
ENGLAND 0	DENMARK 0				
SLOVENIA 0	SERBIA 0				

GROUP D		POLAND	HOLLAND	AUSTRIA	FRANCE
POLAND 1	AUSTRIA 0	Buksa 16			
HOLLAND 2	FRANCE 1	Gakpo 29, Weghorst 83		Wober 38 og	
POLAND 1	HOLLAND 0	Piatek 30			
AUSTRIA 3	FRANCE 0	Trauner 9, Baumgartner 66, Arnautovic 78 (pen)			
HOLLAND 2	FRANCE 1	Gakpo 47, Depay 75		Mbappe 56 pen	
AUSTRIA 3	POLAND 1	Malen 6 og, Schmid 59, Sabitzer 80		Lewandowski 79 pen	

GROUP E		ROMANIA	BELGIUM	SLOVAKIA	UKRAINE
ROMANIA 3	BELGIUM 0	Stanciu 29, Marin 53, Dragus 57			
UKRAINE 0	SLOVAKIA 1		Schranz 7		
SLOVAKIA 1	BELGIUM 2	Schranz 17	Tielemans 2, De Bruyne 80		
UKRAINE 2	ROMANIA 0	Shaparenko 54, Yaremchuk 80			
SLOVAKIA 1	UKRAINE 0	Duda 24			
ROMANIA 1	BELGIUM 0	Marin 37 pen			

GROUP F		TURKEY	GEORGIA	PORTUGAL	CZECH REP
TURKEY 3	PORTUGAL 2	Muldur 25, Guler 65, Akturkoglu 90+7		Hranac 69 og, Conceicao 90+2	
GEORGIA 1	CZECH REP 1	Mikautadze 32		Provod 62	
GEORGIA 1	TURKEY 0	Mikautadze 45 (pen)			
CZECH REP 1	PORTUGAL 3	Schick 59	Bernardo Silva 21, Akaydin 28 (og), Bruno Fernandes 56		
CZECH REP 1	GEORGIA 2	Soucek 66	Kvaratskhelia 2, Mikautadze 57 pen		
TURKEY 2	PORTUGAL 0	Calhanoglu 51, Tosun 90+4			

ROUND OF 16

GAME 37	GERMANY 2-0	DENMARK
	Havertz 53 pen, Musiala 68	
GAME 39	SPAIN 4-1	GEORGIA
	Rodri 39, Ruiz 51, Williams 75, Olmo 83	Le Normand 18 og
GAME 41	PORTUGAL 0-0 (aet)	SLOVENIA
	PORTUGAL WIN 3-0 ON PENALTIES	
GAME 43	ROMANIA 0-3	HOLLAND
	Gakpo 20, Malen 83, 90+3	

GAME 38	SWITZERLAND 2-0	ITALY
	Freuler 37, Vargas 46	
GAME 40	ENGLAND 2-1 (aet)	SLOVAKIA
	Bellingham 90+5, Kane 91 ET	Schranz 25
GAME 42	FRANCE 1-0	BELGIUM
	Vertonghen 85 og	
GAME 44	AUSTRIA 1-2	TURKEY
	Gregoritsch 66	Demiral 1, 59

SEMI-FINALS

GAME 49	SPAIN 2-1	FRANCE
	Yamal 21, Olmo 25	Muani 8
GAME 50	HOLLAND 1-2	ENGLAND
	Simons 7	Kane 18 pen, Watkins 90+1
GAME 51	SPAIN 2-1	ENGLAND
	Williams 47, Oyarzabal 86	Palmer 73

QUARTER-FINALS

GAME 45	SPAIN 2-1 (aet)	GERMANY
	Olmo 51, Merino 119 ET	Wirtz 89
GAME 47	HOLLAND 2-1	TURKEY
	de Vrij 70, Muldur 76 og	Akaydin 35

GAME 46	PORTUGAL 0-0 (aet)	FRANCE
	FRANCE WIN 5-3 ON PENALTIES	
GAME 48	ENGLAND 1-1 (aet)	SWITZERLAND
	ENGLAND WIN 5-3 ON PENALTIES	



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