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Highlights: Week beginning Monday 12th February 2018

Monday 12th February 2018 – 10:30

CAN-CAN (1960)

Director: Walter Lang

Starring: Shirley MacLaine, Frank Sinatra, Maurice Chevalier and Louis Jourdan. Montmartre, 1896: The Can-Can, the dance in which the women lift their skirts, is forbidden. Nevertheless Simone has it performed every day in her night club. Her

employees use their female charm to let the representatives of law enforcement look the other way. But then the young ambitious judge Philippe Forrestier decides to bring this to an end...



Monday 12th February 2018 – 17:35

HELPMATES (1932)

Director: James Parrott

Starring: Stan Laurel, Oliver Hardy and Blanche Payson.

Oliver's house is in a shambles after a wild party, and his wife is due home at noon. He calls Stanley to help him fix the place up and the typical catastrophes ensue!



Monday 12th February 2018 – 18:00

ROONEY (1958)

Director: George Pollock

Starring: John Gregson, Muriel Pavlow and Barry Fitzgerald.

The life of James Ignatius Rooney, a Gaelic sportsman at the weekends and a Dublin rubbish collector during the week.



Tuesday 13th February 2018 – 12:10

FOR THE LOVE OF ADA (1972)

Director: Ronnie Baxter

Starring: Irene Handl, Wilfred Pickles, Jack Smethurst and Barbara Mitchell.

Walter and Ada Bingley are celebrating their first wedding anniversary unaware that their friends and family are planning a surprise party for them. Big screen version of the situation comedy series.



Tuesday 13th February 2018 – 18:00

THREE CASES OF MURDER (1955)

Director: Wendy Toye, George More O'Ferrall and David Eady

Starring: Eamonn Andrews, Orson Welles, John Gregson and Elizabeth Sellars.

Three stories of murder and the supernatural introduced by Eamonn Andrews in this portmanteau film.



Wednesday 14th February 2018 – 18:00

THE WOMAN IN QUESTION (1950)

Director: Anthony Asquith

Starring: Dirk Bogarde, Jean Kent, Susan Shaw and Duncan Macrae.

A fortune-teller Astra is found murdered. Detective Lodge questions Astra's housekeeper, who portrays her in a favourable light. Yet upon speaking with Astra's sister and her husband, a less appealing image of the victim is revealed.



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THE DARK MAN (1951)

Director: Jeffrey Dell

Starring: Maxwell Reed, Edward Underdown, Natasha Parry and William Hartnell.
A Scotland Yard inspector hunts a seaside killer who is out to silence an actress who witnessed him commit murder.



Thursday 15th February 2018 – all day!

SAM KYDD DAY on Talking Pictures TV

A celebration of one of the greatest British character actors who appeared in 240 films! Proceeding each film are *all new interviews* with Sam's son, actor **Jonathan Kydd**. The days film selection; **08:35 RADIO CAB MURDERS (1954)**, **10:15 THE HOUSE IN MARSH ROAD (1960)**, **11:40 THE VOICE OF MERRILL (1952)**, **13:30 SALLY ANN (1979 TV)**, **16:20 VENGEANCE IS MINE (1949)**, **18:00 SMOKESCREEN (1964)**, **19:45 THE STEEL KEY (1953)**, **21:20 WHERE THERE'S A WILL (1955)** and at **23:00 CHANCE OF A LIFETIME (1950)**.



Friday 16th February 2018 – 16:00

PYGMALION (1938)

Director: Anthony Asquith, Leslie Howard

Starring: Leslie Howard, Wendy Hiller, Wilfrid Lawson and Marie Lohr.

A Victorian dialect expert makes a bet that he can teach a cockney flower girl to speak proper English and pass as a lady in high society.



Friday 16th February 2018 – 18:00

THE LEAGUE OF GENTLEMEN (1960)

Director: Basil Dearden

Starring: Jack Hawkins, Richard Attenborough, Nigel Patrick and Roger Livesey

Hyde is a former military officer who decides to rob a bank and recruits a number of ex-army men to join in on the scheme. Along with Lexy, Race and others, Hyde meticulously plans the heist, with preliminary missions resulting in tense and ridiculous situations, including a quest for much-needed explosives before the day approaches...



Friday 16th February 2018 – 20:20

YIELD TO THE NIGHT (1956)

Director: J Lee Thompson

Starring: Diana Dors, Yvonne Mitchell, Michael Craig and Geoffrey Keen.

In the shadow of her impending execution, an anguished woman recounts the chain of events which drove her to murder.



Saturday 17th February 2018 – 09:35

BUSY BODIES (1933)

Director: Lloyd French

Starring: Stan Laurel and Oliver Hardy.

Stan and Ollie do battle with inanimate objects, their co-workers and the laws of physics during a routine work day at the saw mill. One of Laurel and Hardy's most fondly Remembered short features during their Hal Roach "golden period."

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HUNGRY HILL (1947)

Director: Brian Desmond Hurst

Starring: Margaret Lockwood, Dennis Price and Cecil Parker.

Life becomes a tragedy for the wife of an Irish heir to a 19th-century family feud that has lasted for more than 50 years. Based on the novel by Daphne du Maurier.



Saturday 17th February 2018 – 18:00

THE LONG MEMORY (1953)

Director: Robert Hamer

Starring: John Mills, Elizabeth Sellars, John McCallum and Geoffrey Keen.

Released from prison after 12 years, a wrongfully convicted British man seeks revenge on the witnesses who lied at his trial.



Sunday 18th February 2018 – 09:35

TIT FOR TAT (1935)

Director: Charley Rogers

Starring: Stan Laurel, Oliver Hardy, Mae Busch and Charlie Hall.

Stan & Ollie have set up their own electrical repair store. Unfortunately, for them, the grocery store opposite is run by a couple they had a misunderstanding with once before!



Sunday 18th February 2018 – 14:25

DEATH DRUMS ALONG THE RIVER (1963)

Director: Lawrence Huntington

Starring: Richard Todd, Marianne Koch and Albert Lieven.

Inspector Sanders is a hard-nosed, no-nonsense river policeman whose job is to keep things quiet at his station in Africa. While investigating a murder in an African hospital his enquiries lead him to the discovery of a hidden silver mine...



Sunday 18th February 2018 – 16:05

LOST (1956) aka Tears For Simon

Director: Guy Green

Starring: David Farrar, David Knight and Julia Arnall.

U.S. Embassy employee Lee Cochrane and his wife, Sue receive a shock when they discover that their 18-month-old son, Simon, has disappeared in London. He was last seen with their nanny, and the couple seemingly have no leads that might help police...



Sunday 18th February 2018 – 18:00

THE ROCKING HORSE WINNER (1949)

Director: Anthony Pelissier

Starring: John Howard Davies, Valerie Hobson, John Mills and Ronald Squire.

Shy, young Paul escapes his mother's incessant whining about his family's lack of wealth by riding his rocking horse. While rocking at a lightning speed, Paul discovers he has the ability to pick winners at the racetrack...

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