

Premieres FOR February ON



Saturday 2nd February 2019 – 19:00

THE BIG GAMBLE (1961) Directed by Richard Fleischer and Elmo Williams .

Starring: Stephen Boyd, Juliette Gréco, David Wayne and Sybil Thorndike.

An ambitious Irishman goes on a long and arduous trip to Africa, along with his wife and bumbling cousin, in the hopes of starting a trucking business.

Sunday 3rd February 2019 – 16:00

APRIL LOVE (1957)

Starring: Pat Boone, Shirley Jones, Dolores Michaels and Arthur O'Connell.

A wayward man sent to live on his relatives' farm decides to mend his ways when he falls in love with the neighbours' daughter.

Sunday 3rd February 2019 – 22:10

ARMCHAIR THEATRE: A BIT OF A LIFT (1973) Directed by Dennis Vance.

Starring: Ronald Fraser, Ann Beach, Donald Churchill and Denise Shaw.

Alec, Frank and Penelope were strangers when they came to the hotel. But a bedroom brings them all together...

Sunday 3rd February 2019 – 17:30 weekdays – Series 3!

FOR THE LOVE OF ADA (1971) Directed by Ronnie Baxter.

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

Back from their honeymoon, the wedded-bliss is short lived as Walter's radio addiction clashes with Ada's TV watching!

Wednesday 6th February 2019 – 22:00 – Series 2!

SPEARHEAD (1979) Directed by James Ormerod.

Starring: Stafford Gordon, Roy Holder and Robin Davies.

This gripping drama series about life in the army continues with series 2 – ep1: New Brooms,

Saturday 9th February 2019 – 19:55

THE SAINT: THE FICTION MAKERS (1968) Directed by Roy Ward Baker.

Starring: Roger Moore, Sylvia Syms, Justine Lord, Kenneth J Warren and Philip Locke.

The Saint is asked to act as a bodyguard to a best-selling adventure author, a young woman who uses a male pen-name.



Saturday 9th February 2019 – 22:05

THE MEDUSA TOUCH (1978) Directed by Jack Gold.

Starring: Richard Burton, Lee Remick, Lino Ventura, Harry Andrews and Alan Badel.

John Morlar is haunted by the belief that he can, through telekinesis, cause fatal disasters to occur.



Sunday 10th February 2019 – 17:20

A BOY, A GIRL AND A BIKE (1949) Directed Ralph Smart.

Starring: John McCallum, Honor Blackman, Diana Dors, Patrick Holt, Anthony Newley and Thora Hird.

Sam is the captain of the Yorkshire cycling society but love, theft and deception are about to cause havoc within the club.

Sunday 10th February 2019 – 19:10

THE CARD (1952) Directed by Ronald Neame.

Starring: Alec Guinness, Glynis Johns, Valerie Hobson, Petula Clark and Joan Hickson.

A charming and ambitious young man finds many ways to rise through the ranks in business and social standing, some honest, some not quite so. If he can just manage to avoid a certain very predatory woman.

Sunday 10th February 2019 – 22:10

ARMCHAIR THEATRE: Brown Skin Gal, Stay Home and Mind Bay-Bee (1971) Directed by Mike Vardy.

Starring: Billie Whitelaw, Donal McCann, Anna Cropper and Ann Firbank.

Ruth is a divorcee who takes Roger, as a lodger in her house. People talk, but they have no idea of what is really going on...

Saturday 16th February 2019 – 16:00

THE THIEF OF BAGDAD (1940) Directed by Ludwig Berger, Michael Powell and Tim Whelan.

Starring: Conrad Veidt, Sabu, June Duprez, John Justin and Rex Ingram.

Tricked and cast out of Bagdad by the evil Jaffar, King Ahmad joins forces with a thief named Abu to reclaim his throne.

Sunday 17th February 2019 – 12:45

80,000 SUSPECTS (1940) Directed by Val Guest.

Starring: Claire Bloom, Richard Johnson, Yolande Donlan and Kay Walsh.

On New Year's Eve, Dr. Steven Monks calls for a quarantine in the British city of Bath after diagnosing a case of smallpox.

His attention to the crisis is further compromised by his struggling marriage to Julie, who is also infected.

Sunday 17th February 2019 – 19:10

BLESS THIS HOUSE (1972) Directed by Gerald Thomas.

Starring: Sid James, Diana Coupland, Peter Butterworth, June Whitfield and Terry Scott.

Sid Abbott and his best mate Trevor enjoy home brewing, but plans to turn their hobby into a profitable, if illicit, side line come unstuck when a Customs and Excise officer moves in next door!

Sunday 17th February 2019 – 22:10

ARMCHAIR THEATRE: SAY GOODNIGHT TO YOUR GRANDMA (1970)

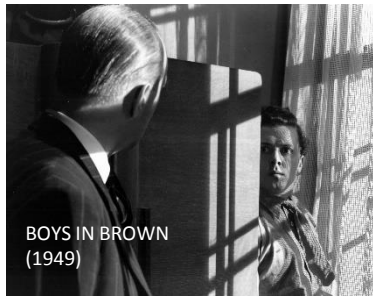
Directed by Jim Goddard.

Starring: Susan Jameson, Colin Welland, Madge Ryan and Jack Smethurst.

A dangerous game develops between three women - a wife, her mother and her mother-in-law - when they gather around the newest born addition to the family.



Talking Pictures
TV



BOYS IN BROWN
(1949)

Wednesday 20th February 2019 – 14:35

ALL FOR MARY (1955) Directed by Wendy Toye.

Starring: Nigel Patrick, Kathleen Harrison, David Tomlinson and Lionel Jeffries.

Clive Morton and "Humpy" Miller are two bachelors who have nothing whatsoever in common—except for one thing – both men are falling for a hotel proprietor's daughter.

Thursday 21st February 2019 – 14:35

BOYS IN BROWN (1949) Directed by Montgomery Tully.

Starring: Jack Warner, Richard Attenborough, Dirk Bogarde, Jimmy Hanley, Patrick Holt.
The governor of a borstal institution tries to reform a group of juvenile delinquents.

Friday 22nd February 2019 – 17:30

GOING A BUNDLE (1976) Southern Television series.

Starring: Harry Fowler, James Villiers and guest star Bill Wyman.
Harry and James look at a day-in-the-life of the London Evening News. Also featuring Bill Wyman visiting Kew Gardens..

Saturday 23rd February 2019 – 16:00

BLITHE SPIRIT (1945) Directed by David Lean.

Starring: Rex Harrison, Constance Cummins and Margaret Rutherford.

A newly-married mystery novelist and his second wife are haunted by the ghost of his first wife, so medium Madame Arcati, tries to help by contacting the spirit..

Saturday 23rd February 2019 – 18:00

DAYBREAK (1948) Directed by Compton Bennett.

Starring: Ann Todd, Eric Portman, Maxwell Reed and Bill Owen.

A hangman conceals his true identity when he falls in love, and sets up home with his girl on a barge in the river Thames..

Sunday 24th February 2019 – 13:40

THAT HAMILTON WOMAN (1941) Directed by Alexander Korda.

Starring: Laurence Olivier, Vivian Leigh, Alan Mowbray and Gladys Cooper.

Set against the backdrop of the Napoleonic Wars of the late eighteenth century, this is the story of the scandalous adulterous affair between Lord Horatio Nelson and Emma, Lady Hamilton.

Sunday 24th February 2019 – 16:15

VOYAGE OF THE DAMNED (1976) Directed by Stuart Rosenberg.

Starring: Faye Dunaway, Oskar Werner, Lee Grant, Sam Wanamaker and Wendy Hiller.

In May 1937, nearly 900 Jewish refugees are permitted to leave Nazi Germany on the luxury liner S.S. St Louis, bound for Cuba. However, Goebbels has arranged for their landing permits to be treated as invalid, forcing them to return to Germany.

Sunday 24th February 2019 – 19:30

MURPHY'S STROKE (1980) Directed by Frank Cvitanovich.

Starring: Niall Toibin, Pierce Brosnan, T.R. Bowen and John Bardon.

Irish millionaires put together a betting coup and go to England to pursue their illicit prize in this tale based on a true story.

Saturday 24th February 2019 – 22:10

ARMCHAIR THEATRE: Will Amelia Quint Continue writing A Gnome Called Shorthouse (1971)

Starring: Beryl Reid, Richard Vernon, Norman Rossington and Sheila Steafel. Directed James Gatward.

Amelia Quint is the writer of the best children's stories. But there is another side to her character.

AND A GLIMPSE OF WHAT'S COMING IN MARCH

Saturday 2nd March 2019 – 18:15

OUT OF THE CLOUDS (1955) Directed by Basil Dearden.

Starring: Anthony Steel, Robert Beatty, David Knight and James Robertson Justice.

The personal dramas of the passengers and pilots during a typical, busy day at a London Airport.

Saturday 2nd March 2019 – 20:00

MR DENNING DRIVES NORTH (1951) Directed by Anthony Kimmins.

Starring: John Mills, Phyllis Calvert, Eileen Moore, Herbert Lom and Wilfrid Hyde-White.

A British aircraft engineer accidentally kills his daughter's boyfriend and tries to cover it up.

Sunday 3rd March 2019 – 14:55

ALIVE AND KICKING (1959) Directed Cyril Frankel.

Starring: Sybil Thorndike, Kathleen Harrison, Estelle Winwood and Stanley Holloway.

Three elderly friends run away from their nursing home looking for greener pastures to spend their twilight years.

Sunday 3rd March 2019 – 22:10

ARMCHAIR THEATRE: RED RIDING HOOD (1973) Directed by Joan Kemp-Welch.

Starring: Rita Tushingham, Keith Barron, Ursula Hirst, Arthur Hewlett and Hilda Barry.

A librarian, frustrated with nursing her sick father, is drawn into a dangerous relationship.

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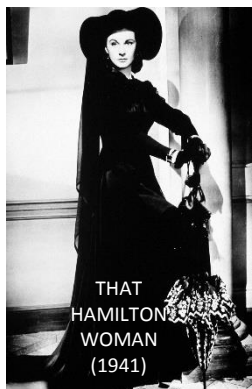
SILENT DUST (1949) Directed Lance Comford.

Starring: Stephen Murray, Nigel Patrick, Sally Gray, Derek Farr and Seymour Hicks.

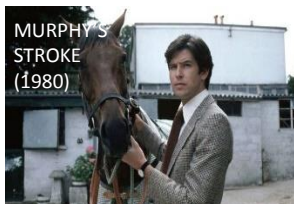
A wealthy blind man is determined to build a cricket pavilion as a memorial to his dead son, who was killed in battle in World War 2.



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