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Program Guide

Week 51

Sunday December 14th, 2014

- 5:20 am **Latin American News** - News via satellite from Television National de Chile, in Spanish, no subtitles.
- 5:50 am **Urdu News** - News via satellite from PTV Pakistan in Islamabad, in Urdu, no subtitles.
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- 8:00 am **Maltese News** - News from Public Broadcasting Services Limited, Malta, in Maltese, no subtitles.
- 8:30 am **Macedonian News** - News via satellite from public broadcaster MRT in Skopje, in Macedonian, no subtitles.
- 9:00 am **SBS PopAsia** - Features back-to-back videos from artists across Asia and all the latest news and interviews from the Korean, Japanese, Mandarin and Cantonese pop scenes. (An SBS Production) (Entertainment Series) PG
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- 1:00 pm **The World Of Jenks - Hail Mary** - Eager to learn more about the cheerleading world, Andrew moves in with Jessi, an NFL cheerleader for the Tennessee Titans. A very accomplished dancer, Jessi is not the typical cheerleader. She recently gave up a blossoming career in LA and moved to Nashville to live a more righteous life. While she has to keep the look (blonde, tan, and trim) she doesn't subscribe to a superficial lifestyle. In her spare time, she uses her cheerleader status to volunteer over 200 hours a year. Jessi provides an insight of what it takes to keep up with the demands on her body and the negative attention that can often come with the uniform. (From the US) (Documentary) (Rpt) PG



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- 1:30 pm **The Grape Escape - Rhone Nord VI** - Entertaining French sommelier Olivier Magny uncorks the mysteries of wine. Touring beautiful vineyards from Burgundy to Bordeaux, Olivier reveals the varieties and origins of some of the most popular wines and explains what makes a top tippie. There will also be tips on wine tasting along with visits to celebrity wine cellars. (From France, in English and French) (Food Series) (Rpt) G
- 2:00 pm **Foodie Planet - Destination Brazil** - Globetrotting French gourmet Julie Andrieu takes a culinary tour of some of the world's most interesting and scenic places. In this episode, Julie goes in search of a particular Brazil, the Brazil of remote villages, old colonial towns and buzzing markets, a melting-pot of characters and cultures, of flavours and fragrances, of superstitions and surprises. (From France, in French and Portuguese) (Food Series) (Rpt) PG
- 3:00 pm **London Calling - Every Picture Tells a Story** - This four-part series tells the untold story of British pop, as reflected through artistic mediums beyond music. From the fashionable androgyny of David Bowie to the psychedelic imagery of Pink Floyd, this episode explores the role of photography in pop music. (From Germany, in English) (Documentary Series) (Part 2 of 4) PG CC
- 4:00 pm **The Jo Whiley Sessions - Friendly Fires** - Celebrated DJ and BBC radio presenter Jo Whiley sits down with the hottest acts in the charts today for revealing interviews and intimate performances. Chart-topping English group Friendly Fires headline this episode. (From the UK) (Entertainment Series) (Rpt) G
- 4:30 pm **The Art Of Survival** - Four artistic adventurers compete in a gruelling contest to travel from Greece to Scotland using only their creative talents. Two cellists, an opera singer and a portrait painter are dropped into Athens with no money and no credit cards and a deadline to make their way across Europe to Edinburgh. By painting and performing, the four have just their art and inspiration to survive on, with the winners being the pair that make the most money throughout the trip. (From Denmark, in English) (Documentary Series) (Part 4 of 6) (Rpt) G
- 5:30 pm **Parks And Recreation - Road Trip** - The romantic tension between Leslie and Ben reaches dangerous levels when they take a work-related road trip to Indianapolis, Tom's "game show" creates tension between Andy and April, and Ron teaches government to a nine year old. (From the US) (Comedy Series) (Rpt) PG
- 6:00 pm **Parks And Recreation - The Bubble** - Leslie's mom makes a pass at Ben, not knowing that he and Leslie are dating. Meanwhile, Chris makes radical changes in the office, and nobody is happy with them. (From the US) (Comedy Series) (Rpt) PG
- 6:25 pm **India's Dancing Superstar** - India's Dance Superstar is the ultimate dance battle between the nation's best dancers, as they perform to win the hearts of the country, with their superlative talent. Showcasing the best solo dancers and groups India's Dance Superstar covers all styles from Bollywood to hip-hop, and contemporary to Latin. (From India, in Hindi & English) (Entertainment) G CC ****New Episode****



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- 8:30 pm **Brooklyn Nine-Nine - Unsolvable** - When Jake gets the weekend off, he decides to take on a cold case that everyone thinks is unsolvable, but with the help of Terry, the two try to crack the case once and for all. Meanwhile, Amy plans a romantic trip with Teddy (guest star Kyle Bornheimer) and Gina and Rosa let Charles in on one of their best-kept secrets. (From the US) (Comedy) PG CC ****Encore****
- 9:00 pm **The Birthday Boys** - A new sketch comedy show starring The Birthday Boys and guest starring Bob Odenkirk. The guys develop a scientific contraption that promises to turn them into "cool" versions of themselves. Also, we're given a sneak peek into the underground world of Amish juicing. (From the USA) (Comedy) PG ****New Episode****
- 9:30 pm **South Park** - Express from the US, the 18th season of the Emmy and Peabody Award-winning series continues on SBS, following the misadventures of four foul-mouthed, trouble-making young boys in a small town nestled in the Colorado Rockies. Known for its unbelievably immediate and ruthless responses to world events, South Park's new episodes bring up-to-the-minute news and pop culture icons to the town of South Park, for social commentary and good old-fashioned ridicule. The lives of Kyle, Stan, Cartman and Kenny are filled with wild adventures of the supernatural, the extraordinary and the insane. (From the US) (Animated Comedy Series) (class tba) ****New Episode****
- 10:00 pm **A-League Extra Time** - This weekly A League highlights show includes a weekly wrap-up which will include player interviews and match analysis. Hosted by Lucy Zelic and co-hosted by David Zdrilic. (An SBS Production)
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- 11:50 pm **Free Radio - Lance Gets a Manager** - Lance meets a new manager on MySpace and tries to muscle James for new perks befitting his new star status. In the booth, Emily Deschanel (Bones) and voice legend Don Lafontaine are drafted into a shady endorsement scheme. American Idol's Blake Lewis and UFC Champ Rampage Jackson also square off with our lovable moron. (From the US) (Comedy Series) (Rpt) PG



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- 12:15 am **24 Hours In Emergency - *Vital Organs*** - A 19-year-old is flown in with a possible penile fracture following a canal barge accident, and while his parents make jokes to try to lighten the atmosphere, the injury could have serious repercussions for his future. A man with an injured finger following a night of clubbing contemplates his upcoming gender reassignment therapy that will include taking hormones, while an 80-year-old with terminal cancer arrives after collapsing at her home. (From the UK) (Documentary Series) (Rpt) M (A) CC
- 1:10 am **Movie: *The Last Summer Of La Boyita*** - Young Jorgelina feels estranged from her boy-crazy older sister, who has entered adolescence and doesn't want to hang around with little kids anymore. Finding refuge in their Boyita camper-van, Jorgelina travels with her father to the countryside, where her lifelong playmate Mario is undergoing some unexpected changes of his own. Winner of the Special Jury Prize at the 2010 Cartagena Film Festival. Directed by Julia Solomonoff and stars Guadalupe Alonso, Nicolás Treise and Mirella Pascual. (From Argentina, in Spanish) (Drama) (2009) (Rpt) M (A,N)
- 2:50 am **CCTV News In English From Beijing - The** English language news channel from China Central Television (CCTV), the nation's largest national broadcasting network.



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- 4:50 pm **Urban Freestyler - Abbas Farid** - Against the backdrop of London's gritty, urban landscape watch some of the world's top football freestylers perform amazing tricks. (From the UK) (Short) (Rpt) G
- 5:00 pm **A-League Extra Time** - This weekly A League highlights show includes a weekly wrap-up which will include player interviews and match analysis. Hosted by Lucy Zelic and co-hosted by David Zdrilic. (An SBS Production) ****Replay****
- 6:00 pm **Community - Contemporary American Poultry** - Follows a group of misfits at a community college in Greendale, Colorado. In this episode, Jeff and Troy take on the chicken finger shortage that has gripped Greendale Community College. Stars Joel McHale, Gillian Jacobs and Chevy Chase. (From the US) (Comedy Series) (Rpt) PG
- 6:30 pm **Mythbusters - Fixing a Flat** - Adam and Jamie test three impromptu remedies for fixing a flat tyre in the wilderness. These include: straw stuffing in the tyre; a makeshift sled under the tyre; and a replacement wheel carved from a log. Next they explore ways to remedy a flat tyre in an urban setting. Meanwhile, Kari, Grant and Tory investigate whether a fish on the end of a line can swim so fast that the line's reel will catch fire due to friction. (From the US) (Entertainment Series) (Rpt) PG CC
- 7:30 pm **If You Are The One** - With a viewing audience of up to 50 million per episode, this popular Chinese dating show is a cultural phenomenon. A lone male suitor has to impress a panel of 24 single women, who can then register their interest or disinterest in the man through the use of their podium lights. Popular host Meng Fei oversees the action in front of a large studio audience. (From China, in Mandarin) (Entertainment Series) (Rpt) G
- 8:30 pm **Derren Brown: Enigma** - Derren Brown's tour across the UK will leave audiences in awe of his shocking stunts and mind games. The super illusionist will create sheer open-mouthed amazement after his unfailing feats of memory and suggestion live on stage. (From the UK) (Entertainment) (Rpt) M(L)
- 9:50 pm **Lost Girl - Masks** - When Lachlan (Vincent Walsh) sends Bo (Anna Silk) on a mission to Africa to lift the curse on Nadia (Athena Karkanis), she is unaware that he plans to use her good deed to keep Lauren (Zoie Palmer) under his control. Meanwhile, Kenzi (Ksenia Solo) reconnects with a childhood crush while planning a surprise party for Bo. (S.2 Ep, 12) (From Canada) (Drama Series) PG ****New Episode****
- 10:40 pm **@midnight** - A rotating line-up of today's top comedians will battle nightly to determine who has the funniest take on the day's social media and pop culture happenings and wear the crown of funniest person on Earth. (From the USA) (Comedy) M(S)
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- 12:30 am **Frisky Dingo - *The Image Problem*** - Xander Crews and Killface both try to improve their images by going duck hunting, which Xander cannot distinguish from his annual panda hunt, but the two manage to re-connect when they get lost after an assassination ploy by Valerie. (From the US) (Animated Comedy Series) (Rpt) MAV (V,S)
- 12:40 am **Frisky Dingo - *The Miracle*** - After Valerie miraculously fails at another assassination attempt, Killface finds God and quickly ruins his campaign. Upon hearing that Simon is a homosexual, Killface renounces Christianity as a missile strikes him in the chest. (From the US) (Animated Comedy Series) (Rpt) MAV (S,V)
- 12:55 am **Russell Howard's Good News** - Filmed in front of a live studio audience, Russell Howard's Good News combines Russell's stand-up routines with funny clips from the internet and quick-fire sketches, as he presents a brand new perspective on the big stories dominating news outlets across the world. (From the UK) (Comedy Series) (Rpt) M (S,L)
- 1:30 am **Movie: *The Red Riding Trilogy - 1983*** - The final film in the trilogy once again sees an investigation going off on a tangent to reveal terrible corruption in the West Yorkshire police force. And the true evil mastermind behind the child abductions and murders of the last 14 years strikes again. Against them all, an incompetent lawyer and one remorseful policeman. Directed by Anand Tucker and stars David Morrissey, Lisa Howard and Mark Addy. (From the UK) (Drama) (2009) (Rpt) MAV (A,V,L)
- 3:25 am **RT News In English From Moscow** - RT from Moscow delivers the latest news and current affairs from around the world including special reports and entertainment news.



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- 5:50 pm **The Office - Booze Cruise** - Michael takes the office staff on a motivational cruise, but finds his planned presentation becoming sidelined by numerous distractions, including a dance contest. Meanwhile, Jim is upset to learn that Roy and Pam have set a wedding date, and puts his own relationship with Katy at risk. Stars Steve Carell, Rainn Wilson and John Krasinski. (From the US) (Comedy Series) (Rpt) PG
- 6:15 pm **Community - The Art of Discourse** - Follows a group of misfits at a community college in Greendale, Colorado. After Pierce steps over the line with Shirley, the group is divided. Meanwhile Jeff and Britta take on some bullies - and their mother. Stars Joel McHale, Gillian Jacobs and Chevy Chase. (From the US) (Comedy Series) (Rpt) PG
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- 8:30 pm **American Weed - Weed-Jacked** - Dawn Clifford, co-owner of Emerald Pathway Wellness Center, tends to a cannabis plant at her grow. Emerald Pathway faces the threat of closure if an upcoming ballot initiative succeeds in imposing a ban on dispensaries in Fort Collins. (Part 2 of 6) (From the US) (Documentary) (Rpt) M(D,A)
- 9:30 pm **Heartless** - Ditlev's death shocks the school. Just convinces the police that it was suicide, but he knows better and starts his own investigation to identify the murder. Sofie and Sebastian are still trying to keep their secret, but know that when Nadja finds out about their curse, she will disclose their secret. Sebastian falls in love with Josefine, the serving maid. Sofie initiates a relationship with Emilie. But what if Just finds out? And who is the mysterious girl Sebastian meets in the forest? (S.1 Ep, 4) (From Denmark) (Drama Series) M (S, A, L) ****New Episode****
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- 10:50 pm **Attack On Titan – Smile: Raid on Stohess District: Part 1** - Annie has a dream of being trained by her father before waking up. In the Stohess District of Wall Sina, the Military Police are ordered to escort the Recon Corps convoy once they enter the capital. The Military Police are shown to be lazy and corrupt which one of Annie's colleagues, Hitch, reveals she joined the police for that reason. Another colleague, Marlow, is disgusted, revealing he joined the police so he could reform it to become a better organization which Annie respects since he reminds her of Eren.(From Japan) (Entertainment) (class tba) ****New Episode****
- 11:20 pm **Attack On Titan – Mercy: Raid on Stohess District: Part 2** - Days before Eren is escorted to the capital, Erwin and Armin reveal to him they have a plan to capture the person they believe is the Female Titan and is shocked when they tell him it is Annie. Back in the present, Eren, Armin and Mikasa manage to escape a tunnel collapse while being hunted by the Female Titan. Eren tries to transform but is unable to which Mikasa suspects his feelings for Annie are preventing him. When another tunnel collapse traps Eren, Mikasa and Armin distract the Female Titan away from Eren. (From Japan) (Entertainment) (class tba) ****New Episode****
- 11:50 pm **Tim And Eric's Awesome Show, Great Job! - Tennis** - Tim and Eric engage in a high stakes game of tennis, while Richard Dunn presides. (From the US) (Comedy/Sketch Series) (Rpt) M(S,D,L)
- 12:05 am **Tim And Eric's Awesome Show, Great Job!** - A fast paced, absurd collection of short films, parodies, animations, pranks and musical numbers, featuring the talents of a host of comedians, celebrities, bad actors and pets. Created by and stars Tim Heidecker and Eric Wareheim. (From the US) Comedy Series) (Rpt) M (S,L)
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- 12:55 am **Movie: Everlasting Moments** - In a time of social change, war and poverty in the early 20th century, Maria, a young Swedish working class woman, wins a camera in a lottery. Her decision to keep it alters her whole life. Nominated for the 2009 Golden Globe for Best Foreign Language Film. Directed by Jan Troell and stars Maria Heiskanen, Mikael Persbrandt and Jesper Christensen. (From Sweden, in Swedish) (Drama) (2008) (Rpt) MA (L)
- 3:10 am **France 24 News In English From Paris** - International news and current affairs television from Paris, offering a French perspective on world events.



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- 6:15 pm **Community - Modern Warfare** - Follows a group of misfits at a community college in Greendale, Colorado. In this episode, members of the study group discuss the sexual tension between Britta and Jeff, and friendships are tested when an early registration contest begins. Stars Joel McHale, Gillian Jacobs and Chevy Chase. (From the US) (Comedy Series) (Rpt) PG
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- 8:30 pm **Movie: Wild Bill** - Out on parole after eight years in gaol, Bill finds his young sons abandoned by their mother and drug-dealing for local villains. Unwilling to play Dad, he has to decide what he wants to be: a good father, or a free one. (From the UK) (Film) (Drama) (2011) MA (V, L, D) ****Movie Mayhem with Mar Fennell****
- 10:20 pm **Movie: Bronson** - The notorious life of the UK's 'most violent prisoner' serves as the subject of director Nicolas Winding Refn's brutal biopic. Nineteen-year-old Michael Peterson, who was sentenced to seven years in prison for robbing a post office, ends up spending 30 years in solitary confinement. During this time, his own personality is supplanted by his alter ego, Charles Bronson. Nominated for the Grand Jury Prize at Sundance, 2009. Stars Tom Hardy, Kelly Adams and James Lance. (From the UK) (Biography) (2009) (Rpt) MAV (L,N,V) CC ****Movie Mayhem with Mar Fennell****



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- 12:00 am **Robot Chicken - *Book Of Corrine*** - From creators Seth Green and Matthew Senreich, Robot Chicken is stop motion animation with a demented twist. Sketches include a dissatisfied Gobots nerd giving his analysis on a recent R.C. Gobots sketch, a new game show in which people are decapitated, a young mother whose apocalyptically melodramatic reaction frightens her resistant baby into eating, Vince Vaughn Bangs Your Mom, Big Bird having the bird flu, bees with attitude, and Seth Green and Matthew Senreich asking for financial support in getting a third season in a telethon that goes horribly awry. (From the US) (Comedy/Sketch Series) (Rpt) MA(S,A)
- 12:15 am **Robot Chicken - *Junk in the Trunk*** - In this twisted take on pop culture, action figures come to life in a series of comedy sketches. See what happens after the cameras stop rolling on Rachel Leigh Cook's memorable public service announcement. Also, witness the tragic end to one of the most beloved Transformers of all time, Optimus Prime. (From the US) (Animated Comedy Series) (Rpt) M (L)
- 12:30 am **Russell Howard's Good News** - Filmed in front of a live studio audience, Russell Howard's Good News combines Russell's stand-up routines with funny clips from the internet and quick-fire sketches, as he presents a brand new perspective on the big stories dominating news outlets across the world. (From the UK) (Comedy Series) (Rpt) M (S,L)
- 1:05 am **Movie: *Black Book*** - In the Nazi-occupied Netherlands during World War II, a Jewish singer infiltrates the regional Gestapo headquarters for the Dutch resistance. Winner of the Young Cinema Award for Best International Film at the 2006 Venice Film Festival. Directed by Paul Verhoeven and stars Carice van Houten, Sebastian Koch and Thom Hoffman. (From the Netherlands, in Dutch and German) (Thriller) (2006) (Rpt) MAV (N,V) CC
- 3:35 am **DW News In English From Berlin - News** and analysis of the top international and European news and current affairs from Berlin.



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- 5:00 am **French News** - News via satellite from FT2 Paris, in French, no subtitles.
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- 7:00 am **Russian News** - News via satellite from NTV Moscow, in Russian, no subtitles.
- 7:30 am **Polish News** - Wydarzenia from Polsat in Warsaw via satellite, in Polish, no subtitles.
- 8:00 am **Maltese News** - News from Public Broadcasting Services Limited, Malta, in Maltese, no subtitles.
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- 3:05 pm **Greek News From Cyprus** - News via satellite from CyBC Cyprus, in Greek, no subtitles.
- 4:05 pm **Iron Chef – Natto: Fermented Soy Beans** - Chefs from all over the world come to Kitchen Stadium to do culinary battle with one of Chairman Kaga's "Iron Chefs." Both the challenger and the Iron Chef have one hour to prepare a meal in which each course must prominently include the featured ingredient for that day's show. (From Japan, in Japanese) (Food/Entertainment) G



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- 5:50 pm **The Office - The Secret** - Jim starts to regret telling Michael about his crush on Pam, and tries bonding with him over lunch in an effort to keep his feelings a secret - but his efforts are doomed to failure. Meanwhile, Dwight conducts an investigation into Oscar's absence from work. Stars Steve Carell, Rainn Wilson and John Krasinski. (From the US) (Comedy Series) (Rpt) PG
- 6:15 pm **Community - English As a Second Language** - Follows a group of misfits at a community college in Greendale, Colorado. In this episode, Greendale employs a new Spanish teacher after a secret about Señor Chang is revealed, and Troy discovers he has a talent for plumbing. Stars Joel McHale, Gillian Jacobs and Chevy Chase. (From the US) (Comedy Series) (Rpt) PG
- 6:40 pm **American Ninja Warrior** - American Ninja Warrior is the ultimate obstacle course. Watch each week to see who earns a chance to win \$500000 cash. (From the US) (Entertainment) PG
- 7:30 pm **If You Are The One** - With a viewing audience of up to 50 million per episode, this popular Chinese dating show is a cultural phenomenon. A lone male suitor has to impress a panel of 24 single women, who can then register their interest or disinterest in the man through the use of their podium lights. Popular host Meng Fei oversees the action in front of a large studio audience. (From China, in Mandarin) (Entertainment Series) (Rpt) G
- 8:30 pm **South Park** - Express from the US, the 18th season of the Emmy and Peabody Award-winning series continues on SBS, following the misadventures of four foul-mouthed, trouble-making young boys in a small town nestled in the Colorado Rockies. (From the US) (Animated Comedy Series) (class tba) ****Encore****
- 9:00 pm **South Park - Child Abduction Is Not Funny** - The news on television isn't good, children are being abducted from their homes. The parents in South Park are so worried that they get the local Chinese restaurant owner to build a wall around the city to keep all strangers out. But when the latest news reveals that most abductors are someone the child knows, they begin to distrust each other. When another study shows it can even be parents, they send their children away so they'll be safe. (From the US, in English) (Animated Comedy Series) M (A) (Rpt) CC WS
- 9:30 pm **All Of Me** - The 'Girls' have been friends for years, bonding over hopes, dreams, food, and the shared experience of being obese. But, now, as some pursue weight-loss surgery, their center has shifted and upset everything they knew about happiness, friendship, and love. (From the USA) (Documentary) PG ****Premiere****



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- 10:55 pm **Heartless - Mask** - Ditlev's death shocks the school. Just convinces the police that it was suicide, but he knows better and starts his own investigation to identify the murder. Sofie and Sebastian are still trying to keep their secret, but know that when Nadja finds out about their curse, she will disclose their secret. Sebastian falls in love with Josefine, the serving maid. Sofie initiates a relationship with Emilie. But what if Just finds out? And who is the mysterious girl Sebastian meets in the forest? (S.1 Ep, 4) (From Denmark) (Drama Series) M (S, A, L) ****Encore****
- 11:50 pm **Aqua Teen Hunger Force** - The misadventures of a milkshake, an order of fries, a meatball, and their retired next door neighbour in the suburbs of New Jersey. (From the US) (Animated Comedy Series) (Rpt) M(S,V)
- 12:05 am **Aqua Teen Hunger Force - Video Ouija** - Follows the adventures of the aptly named Aqua Teen Hunger Force, a group of mystery-solving fast food items. This episode, Meatwad's new video game allows him to contact the dead. (From the US) (Animated Comedy Series) (Rpt) MA(S,A,V)
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- 12:55 am **Movie: Gainsbourg** - Eric Elmosnino delivers a memorable performance as French musician Serge Gainsbourg in this inspiring biopic by debut director Joann Sfar. The film opens during World War Two as a young Gainsbourg - the child of Russian Jewish parents - negotiates the terrors of Nazi-occupied Paris. Gainsbourg develops into a rising young star and unlikely womaniser who charms a married Brigitte Bardot and eventually weds Jane Birkin and fathers actress Charlotte Gainsbourg. Winner of three César Awards in 2011, including Best Actor and Best First Film. Also stars Lucy Gordon and Laetitia Casta. (From France, in French) (Biography) (2010) (Rpt) M CC
- 3:05 am **NHK World News In English From Tokyo** - News and information on Japan's politics, business, culture, entertainment and more.



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- 6:15 pm **Community - Pascal's Triangle Revisited** - Follows a group of misfits at a community college in Greendale, Colorado. In the final episode, Britta and Professor Slater fight for Jeff's affections, and Troy is confused when Abed does not invite him to move into his dorm room. Stars Joel McHale, Gillian Jacobs and Chevy Chase. (From the US) (Comedy Series) (Final) (Rpt) PG
- 6:40 pm **Mythbusters - Let There Be Light** - Based on a scene in the film, The Mummy, Adam and Jamie test whether a system of mirrors can be used to reflect sunlight into an underground area and illuminate it sufficiently to allow safe passage. Meanwhile, Kari, Grant and Tory check whether it is possible to safely stop an out-of-control car by pulling in front of it and slowing down. (From the US) (Entertainment Series) (Rpt) PG CC
- 7:30 pm **If You Are The One** - With a viewing audience of up to 50 million per episode, this popular Chinese dating show is a cultural phenomenon. A lone male suitor has to impress a panel of 24 single women, who can then register their interest or disinterest in the man through the use of their podium lights. Popular host Meng Fei oversees the action in front of a large studio audience. (From China, in Mandarin) (Entertainment Series) (Rpt) G
- 8:30 pm **Ali G: Remixed** - Ali G:Remixed features star creator and writer Sacha Baron Cohen giving new original introductions to every episode of BAFTA Award winning series Da Ali G Show, as well as The Best of Ali G. (From the UK) (Comedy) M(S,L)
- 8:55 pm **Nathan For You** - Nathan places a controversial ad in a pet cemetery, takes tips from a focus group in order to become more likeable and devises a method to clean a house in six minutes flat. (From the USA) (Comedy Series) PG ****New Episode****
- 9:20 pm **Sex In The World's Cities – Sao Paulo** - In Sao Paulo, beautifying the body has been elevated to the rank of religion, even though morals remain exacting; a guided tour in the company of an explosive drag queen. A city of delights and distress, Sao Paulo is the largest metropolis in the southern hemisphere. Its economic power attracts a fortune-seeking crowd, and its sex trade is one of the most thriving in the world. In the city, churches abound, but so do transvestites. (From France) (Documentary) MA (S, N, A) ****New Episode****



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- 10:50 pm **Chubby Chasers** - Over the last 50 years, the luscious curves and soft bodies once so popular on women have disappeared and in their place is beauty that is sharp, hard and, crucially, thin. But why did the beauty ideal change? And when? 'Chubby Chaser' follows filmmaker Jeff Sterne as he finds out what happened to "big girl beauty" - and his coming out as what he calls a "Chubby Chaser" in a world that is shocked by his love for fat and even considers him a pervert. (From Canada, in English) (Documentary) (Rpt) MA(N) CC
- 11:45 pm **Him And Her - The Morning** - On the morning of Laura's wedding to Paul Becky and Steve are staying in a hotel and are not happy to be woken up at five to seven by the strident bride. Becky joins her and the other bridesmaids - including Shelly, who has overdone the fake tan - for drinks whilst Steve tries to wake Paul. However the groom is nowhere to be found and everybody blames Steve, who left him in the pub on his own because he found him boring. To make things worse for Steve all the girls prefer Becky's ex-boyfriend Lee to him. Eventually Steve sights Paul, who is topless and kissing another...(From the UK) (Comedy Series) (Rpt) M(S,L)
- 12:15 am **SBS PopAsia** - Features back-to-back videos from artists across Asia and all the latest news and interviews from the Korean, Japanese, Mandarin and Cantonese pop scenes. (An SBS Production) (Entertainment Series) PG
- 2:15 am **NHK World News In English From Tokyo - News** and information on Japan's politics, business, culture, entertainment and more.



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- 8:00 am **Hungarian News** - News via satellite from Duna TV (DTV) Budapest, in Hungarian, no subtitles.
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- 1:00 pm **Hyundai A-League - Round 11: Newcastle Jets V Adelaide United** - Newcastle Jets take on Adelaide United live from Hunter Stadium, Newcastle, in Round 11 of the Hyundai A-League. ****Encore****
- 3:00 pm **Venice 24 / 7** - Venice is one of the most beautiful cities in the world, but how do the rescue services cope working within the multiple waterways with no set addresses for any of the local residences? This fast-paced series goes behind the scenes to see how the emergency services keep Venice safe. (From Italy, in English & Italian) (Factual Entertainment) (Rpt) PG CC
- 3:30 pm **Departures - Ethiopia: Saints and Snakes** - Scott and Justin explore the spiritual side of Ethiopia. In Lalibella, they visit ancient churches carved entirely out of stone, and Justin tries teaching a class of school children some new words. (From Canada) (Documentary/Travel) (Rpt) PG



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- 4:30 pm **Planet Sport - Indonesia** - In spite of its 15,000 islands and a population of almost 250 million people, Indonesia is not, on the face of it, a great sporting nation. The country has never shone in the Olympic Games and its athletes are unknown outside its borders. And yet far from the well-trodden paths, Manuel discovers unusual sports which are deeply rooted in the multifarious and colourful Indonesian culture. At every stop on the way, he dives into strange worlds and shares the daily life of the people he meets while getting to know their games and sports. The voyage starts in Java, in a Koranic school where boys and girls learn together the traditional martial art of Pencak Silat. (From France, in French) (Documentary) (Sport) (Rpt) PG
- 5:30 pm **The Office** - Michael (Golden Globe winner Steve Carell) suspects Donna (guest star Amy Poehler) is cheating on him and puts P.I. Dwight Schrute (Rainn Wilson) on the case. Meanwhile, Andy (Ed Helms) is frustrated when no one takes his customer's complaint seriously. (From the USA) (Comedy) PG
- 5:55 pm **Movie: Spirited Away** - Won numerous awards including the Best Animated Feature Academy Award, the Golden Bear at the Berlin Film Festival and the Best Film at the San Francisco Film Festival. Chihiro and her family are on their way to their new house in the suburbs, on their way, they stumble upon a tunnel that leads them into a fantasy world full of ghosts, and strange creatures. Directed by the legendary Hayao Miyazaki, voices by Daveigh Chase and Suzanne Pleshette. (From Japan, in English) (Adult Animation) 2001 (Rpt) PG CC WS
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- 9:10 pm **Don't Tell My Mother... – Beirut** - Join Diego in "Don't Tell My Mother I Am In Beirut," as he travels from the sun kissed seaside to the snowcapped mountains, meeting some rough rebels, some baby beauties, and some fun loving freedom fighters as he explores the city's many cultural extremes. (From France, in English) (Documentary) PG ****New Episode****
- 9:40 pm **Don't Tell My Mother... – Cairo** - In Cairo Diego Bunuel travels through space and time exploring the ancient and modern. He survives the stench of a real Garbage city to learn about the Coptic way of life; Meets a Muslim sexologist who says that the Koran is her guide to sexual satisfaction; and learns how to pull punches from Cairo's elite team of Ladyguards. Join Diego as he explores the ingenious ways that Cairenes are surviving and thriving in this Megalopolis. (From France, in English) (Documentary) PG ****New Episode****



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- 10:10 pm **Movie: *Jackpot*** - At a Christmas tree factory in Norway, three dangerous ex-cons win 1.7 million kroner playing lotto. As friendships quickly dissolve, guns are loaded, knives are sharpened, and division of the money begins. (From Norway, in Norwegian) (Drama) (Movie) (2011) MA (V) ****Premiere****
- 11:45 pm **Carrier: *Another Day In Paradise - All Hands*** - Carrier is a 10-part Emmy Award-winning series about a six-month deployment aboard the aircraft carrier, USS Nimitz. On a bright May morning, 5,000 sailors and Marines bid farewell to their loved ones before the mammoth USS Nimitz pulls out of Coronado, California, and sets a course for Hawaii and beyond. The program includes extensive footage shot aboard ship, as well as interviews with many of the crew about their various experiences, in addition to their own personal concerns and fears about the trip ahead. (From the US) (Documentary Series) (Rpt) M (L)
- 1:15 am **Movie: *Mediterranean Food*** - At fifteen years old, promising young chef Sofia falls in love with two men. Unable to choose between them, she marries Toni and takes Frank as her lover. Toni proves to be the perfect husband and father, while Frank acts as confidant and mentor to Sofia, who is emerging as a world-class chef. Directed by Joaquín Oristrell and stars Olivia Molina, Paco León and Alfonso Bassave. (In Spanish, English subtitles) (Comedy) (2009) (Rpt) MA(S)
- 3:05 am **CCTV News In English From Beijing** - The English language news channel from China Central Television (CCTV), the nation's largest national broadcasting network.