



Weekly Highlights

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**Joan
Sunday &
Monday, 9pm**





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ITV Racing: Live from Newmarket
Saturday, 1pm
28th September
ITV1

Ed Chamberlin and Francesca Cumani present coverage of racing from Newmarket and Haydock including the running of the 2024 Cambridgeshire Heritage Handicap.

The feature meeting of the day at Newmarket also includes the top-level Group One Middle Park and Cheveley Park Stakes for juveniles before the ultra-competitive big-betting race - commentary for all of this racing action is provided by Richard Hoiles.



Celebrity Catchphrase
Saturday, 7.30pm
28th September
ITV1

Stephen Mulhern hosts a contemporary remake of the iconic '80s game show where contestants identify a familiar catchphrase represented by a piece of animation.

This celebrity special of the classic game show features Adjoa Andoh, Adrian Chiles, and Trevor Nelson all trying to 'say what they see' as they guess well-known phrases for the chance to win a 50,000-pound jackpot for their chosen charity, but only one can win.



The Voice UK
Saturday, 8.30pm
28th September
ITV1

This reality talent show allows thousands to audition, but only one can win as the search is on for the next singing superstar - who will win an incredible record deal?

Emma Willis hosts as coaches will.i.am, Sir Tom Jones, LeAnn Rimes and Tom and Danny from McFly return to select more singers to join their teams at the fifth round of Blind Auditions by pushing their buttons for the most exciting singing talent that the UK has.



Password
Saturday, 10.10pm
28th September
ITV1

Stephen Mangan hosts the UK version of the hit US show as resident team captains Alan Carr and Daisy May Cooper help contestants guess mystery 'passwords'.

The hilarious word association game sees teams try to get on each other's wavelengths if they are to stand a chance of winning a cash prize in the jackpot round, but will contestants Sanjay and Diana succeed in doing so in this edition of the programme?



The Killing Kind
Saturday, 11pm
28th September
ITV1

A thrilling mystery drama, based on Jane Casey's novel of the same name, about a barrister who finds that defending a dangerous client comes with consequences.

Ingrid is holed up in a secluded house and determined to work out what is happening when the unexpected arrival of her ex-fiance sows doubts about trusting him - she later visits a former colleague to help her investigation, but events take an unexpected turn.



Tipping Point: Lucky Stars
Sunday, 7pm
29th September
ITV1

Ben Shephard hosts the quiz show in which three celebrities take on an extraordinary machine in the hope of winning a massive cash jackpot for charity.

This episode sees TV personality Ollie Locke, actress and singer Denise Van Outen, and comedian Axel Blake put their wits to the test to discover if any of them have what it takes to master the machine - which of the trio will earn a chance to win 20,000 pounds?



Who Wants To Be A Millionaire?
Sunday, 8pm
29th September
ITV1

Tense game show where contestants compete for a top prize of one million pounds - they must answer 15 questions correctly and have just four lifelines to help them.

A million pounds is up for grabs and six new contestants are hoping to take it home - just 15 questions stand in their way as we find out if any of them have what it takes to win. Who will use their knowledge and lifelines to best effect in this edition of the show?



Joan
Sunday & Monday, 9pm
29th & 30th September
ITV1

Drama starring Sophie Turner as Joan Hannington, a devoted mother who seizes a chance to leave her disastrous marriage and begin a new life with her daughter.

Kent 1985 - Joan is trapped in a catastrophic relationship with criminal Gary Darvil. When she flees after he brings danger to their door and takes drastic action to keep her six-year-old daughter Kelly safe, one impetuous action at a jewellery store changes her life.



The Base: A British Army Scandal
Sunday, 10.20pm
29th September
ITV1

This documentary investigates how the prime suspect in the murder of a young mother has been able to walk free in Britain for over 12 years in an alleged cover-up.

Centred around BATUK, the home of the British Army in Kenya and one of the UK's biggest overseas bases, the film hears from soldiers who speak out and reveal that many colleagues and officers in their regiment know the name of the alleged attacker.



Tom Jones
Sunday, 11.15pm & 12.10am
29th September
ITV1

An adaptation of the classic Henry Fielding novel, set in 18th-century England, that tells a roguish story following the fortunes of foundling and outsider Tom Jones.

In the concluding double-bill of the drama series, Tom is seduced by the charms of the beguiling and dangerous Lady Bellaston before he resolves to win back Sophia's heart - however, Tom has not foreseen that Lady Bellaston is about to seek a vicious revenge...



M&S: Dress the Nation
Tuesday, 8pm
1st October
ITV1

AJ Odudu and Vernon Kay host the programme where Britain's best amateur clothes designers compete to win a dream job as a fashion designer at high street giant M&S.

It's Kidswear Week this time, but only designs that wow guest judge Vogue Williams and actual M&S customers have the chance of winning the life-changing prize of a career dressing the nation - who will thrive this week and who will be forced to leave the show?



Twisted Twins?
Tuesday, 9pm
1st October
ITV1

This series explores jaw-dropping twin crime stories and learns if the phenomenon of twinship influenced the dark events that unfolded with insightful testimonies.

Lyn Dawson has been missing since 1982 when an investigative podcast leads to the case being reopened and her husband Chris accused of murder - Chris had wanted to start a new life with his teenage lover, an affair seemingly condoned by his twin Paul.



**Lorraine Kelly:
40 Unforgettable Years
Wednesday, 9pm
2nd October
ITV1**

Lorraine Kelly marks four decades on British television and ITV with this documentary exploring her enduring career as one of the UK's leading broadcasters.

The film uncovers archive gems from Lorraine's early broadcasting career and beyond, explores Lorraine's childhood and early life in Glasgow, and features interviews with her family, friends and colleagues alongside a very personal interview with Lorraine herself.



**The Sinking of a Superyacht:
How Safe is Your Voyage?
Thursday, 9pm
3rd October
ITV1**

A documentary featuring a dramatic minute-by-minute analysis of the Bayesian sinking and interviews with witnesses and experts examining potential factors.

The film also questions what the sinking means for anyone thinking of stepping onto a boat, sheds light on the challenges facing boats large and small that passengers and crew should be aware of, and asks what lessons we can all learn from the tragic incident.



**Love Your Friday
with Alan Titchmarsh**
Friday, 2pm
4th October
ITV1

Join Alan Titchmarsh for a stroll down memory lane as he revisits highlights from his popular Love Your Weekend show that include interviews with top celebrity guests.

The programme begins with the very first episode of Love Your Weekend, broadcast in September 2020, when the multi-talented Jason Donovan and Craig Revel Horwood were Alan's guests at Manor Farm and helped celebrate the great British countryside.



Joker
Friday, 9pm
4th October
ITV1

The network premiere of Todd Phillips' Oscar-winning psychological thriller film, starring Joaquin Phoenix and Robert De Niro, about aspiring stand-up Arthur Fleck.

Arthur balances his ambitions with taking care of his mother Penny, but he spirals out of control when he learns more about his mental illness and his past - dealing with society's negativity and bullying, Arthur shows how his alter ego the Joker came to be...



Big Brother's Biggest Best Bits
Thursday, 8pm
3rd October
ITV2

AJ Odudu and Will Best relive another round of moments from inside the Big Brother house including memorable housemates, iconic tasks, and vicious diary room rants.

With all-new Big Brother just around the corner, there's never been a better time for AJ and Will to look back at highlights from the last series of the programme and more historic highlights from the archive - which housemates will feature this time around?



American Dad!
Monday, 9.30pm & 10pm
30th September
ITV2

US animated comedy series about the escapades of Stan Smith, an extreme right-wing CIA agent dealing with family life and keeping America safe in absurd ways.

The first of two new-to-ITV2 episodes of the show sees Stan swayed to get some cosmetic work done to maintain his 'prime', and that's followed by Francine going inside Stan's body when Stan goes too far to keep a friend she's made at work away from her.

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The Only Way Is Essex
Sunday, 9pm
29th September
ITVBe

A real-life soap opera that focuses on a group of Essex characters where drama unfolds against a backdrop of nail bars, wine bars, flash cars and designer gear.

Harry is heartbroken and turns to his mum Karen for support, Joe and Junaid's relationship is blossoming as Junaid makes his feelings very clear, and there's trouble in paradise for Dan and Ella as Ella didn't turn up to meet Dan and he is fuming about it.



The Real Housewives of Atlanta
Monday & Tuesday, 9pm
30th September & 1st October
ITVBe

Reality show following a group of affluent and ambitious women in Atlanta, Georgia as they organise challenging careers, motherhood, and enviable social calendars.

The first episode in this week's double-bill features Sheree calling everyone together for a Gucci brunch when she feels stuck in the middle of the ladies' drama - in the second, Sheree meets up with Kandi to clear the air and Marlo goes on a date with a young chef.



Maryland

Tuesday & Thursday, 11.05pm

Wednesday, 11.10pm

1st-3rd October

ITV3

A moving, funny, and at times difficult exploration of family dynamics, this series is an intricately observed relationship drama with a love story between two sisters.

Becca and Rosaline have forged ahead with their lives, growing distant through time and circumstance until the discovery of their mother's body on the Isle of Man reunites them - can Becca and Rosaline now learn to love and respect one another all over again?



Vera: Blood and Bone

Thursday, 8pm

3rd October

ITV3

Crime drama about DCI Vera Stanhope, who is obsessive about her work and tackles each new case with unparalleled gusto and professionalism with her colleagues.

When charred remains are discovered in an abattoir furnace, Vera is called upon to investigate the horrific circumstances that led to the murder and is soon given a useful tip-off that leads her to uncover a grim world of corrupt cops and treacherous friends.



**LaLiga Live:
Atletico Madrid v Real Madrid
Sunday, 7.30pm
29th September
ITV4**

Semra Hunter is joined by Gaizka Mendieta and Guillem Balague for a standout fixture of the 2024-25 LaLiga season as Atletico Madrid entertain neighbours Real.

Barcelona are setting the early pace, but new Real Galactico Kylian Mbappe has started to establish himself in the side while Conor Gallagher and Julian Alvarez are sure to be important to Atletico - commentary comes from Sam Matterface and Terry Gibson.



**Snooker: British Open 2024
Saturday, 12.45pm & 6.45pm
Sunday, 12.45pm
28th & 29th September
ITV4**

Jill Douglas presents coverage of the 2024 British Open from the Centaur in Cheltenham, the only World Snooker Tour tournament that features an open draw.

Saturday's coverage of all the action from the semi-finals played over the best of 11 frames is followed on Sunday by the opening frames of the best-of-19-frames final that will conclude on ITV3 from 6.45pm - commentary is from David Hendon and Phil Yates.