## Pick week



Ine Mowe Yojimbo

July 2 at 12:00 Noon on Star Movies tany critics believe this film represents Kurosewa at his very best. The film esteaty a Western in Samural guise. Two ere fighting for control of a feudalperiod town when a super-swordsman mural arrives. Le adda plenty of action to re fighting when he agrees to sell his and the last sides in the film as an roah to lune was the Best Actor Average he 



Speakeasy: U2 July 5 at 12:00 Noon on Channel V This weok Channel IV sesaks erdistrely with 152 from New York during their currently used America 112 discuss their latest release 202 and its ht singles Discollegue and Staring Affin Sur Shine Vialso alkwin the tour roadles and Edge's guiter technician, who share behind the scene



The Serial Chicago Hooe July 7 at 10:30 on Star Plus in Right to Life, Hancock comes under tire io save a woman's life. Hancock and Camille rush to a pregnant woman's aid when she collapses in the clinic. Using an ankauska ulisaaund monkog lancock enecks for signs of a flear bear but finds

none, Asi ne woman, Ellen Clark cominues

to experience painful contractions, the

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suggesting a massive rupture from the

## Satellite TV MUST WATCH

BBC

7:00 BBC World News 7:15 World Business Report 7:30 BBC Newshour Asia & Pacific 8:25 50 Years Of Independence 8:30 Time Out: Tomorrow's World 9:00 BBC World News 10:30 Time Out: Top Gear 11:00 The World Today 12:00mn The World Today 12:30 Hard Talk 1:00 BBC World News 1:30 World Focus : Correspondent 2:00 BBC World News 2:25 50 Years Of Independence 2:30 Time Out : Film '97 Saturday 5th July

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regulated by hand by opening and

shutting large valves. Britannia

costs 10 million a year to run. In

one half are the Royal Apartments

and in the other half 229 ratings,

called Royal Yachtsmen, where

Ceremony and pomp is what

Britannia is all about: grand

arrivals in foreign ports with the

Band of the Royal Marines

playing; splendid receptions on the

Verandah Deck for foreign

businessmen; and promoting

Britain to the rest of the world. The

set piece and grand climax of any

Royal visit is the State Banquet

when dinner for 58 is prepared in

galleys not much larger than an

The Sci Files - Battle

for the Planet

Mad cow disease, E Coli

outbreaks and the battle for the oil

platform Brent Spar are all huge

recent stories, each with serious

implications for society. They

share one major similarity they all

have science at their core,

indicating just how important

science has become for everyone.

In the new, six-part series The

Sci-Files, Vanessa Collingridge

investigates science and

Global warming is a world

problem, requiring an immediate

solution. Yet international debate

has been raging for about a

decade over whether it exists are

all and whether, crucially, man

plays a part in it. This was

confirmed just a year ago and only

now is the task of forcing the

world's nations to act being

addressed. Collingridge exposes

the big business vested interests

who have supported a handful of

sceptic scientists whose

arguments have helped delay

consensus in favour of sustaining

the status quo. July 10 at 6:30 pm

Global Report :

Hong Kong

On the weekend following the

handover, BBC Global Report will

look back at events through the

eyes of the BBC's correspondents

in the region. July 5 at 9:05 pm

on BBC

on BBC

technology issues.

average kitchen.

21 officers live and work.

Britannia

July 5 at 7:05 pm on BBC

The Royal Yacht Britannia is a

palace at sea - a ship unlike any

other in the British Royal Navy. In

the week following its departure

from Hong Kong harbour at the

ceremonies marking the handover

of the territory to China, BBC

World presents portrait of the

vessel filmed during its recent

Britannia is unashamedly old-

fashioned. Launched in 1953, she

seems still to belong to that era.

Shining with chrome and brass

and varnished wood, her hull is

dark blue and there is no name at

her bow or steer, just a single gold

line of 24-carat gold leaf. Britannia

is driven by steam with a top

speed of 22 knots. Her speed is

.The Sci-files: Vanessa Collingridge, starting

Hardtalk

Edward Said, Palestinian exile:

award winning writers Ben Okri

and Hanif Kureishi; Oscar winning

directors John Schlessinger and

Richard Attenborough and

feminist, Naomi Wolf are among

those who have been interviewed

in the first few weeks of this new

Every day, Tim Sebastian talks to

newsmakers, personalities and

ordinary people who find

themselves in the news. July 7 at

July 10 at 6:30 pm

daily programme.

9:30pm on BBC

visit to South Africa.



Friday 4th July 7:30am Classic : The Long Duel 12 9:30 Film Club: Thank You Jack 12 (Arabic Subtitles) 11:30 Action : Best Seller 15 1:30 Adventure: A Cry In The Wild 12 3:30 Family : Josh And S A M 15 5:30 Family Asteriz The Gaul G (Arabic Subtitles) 7:30 Aventure: Avalanche 15 (Arabic Subtitles) 9:30 UK Top Tén 10:00 Gold : Bad Girls 15 12:00 Friday Fury : One Man Army 18 2:00 After Dark : Dangerous Desire 18 4:00 Western: Bandidos 5:30 Thriller: Mr Wrong

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BAD GIRLS

Four of Hollywood's hottest actresses star in this Western as a group of wronged women who become gunfighters to win back their money, their rights and their dig-

Saturday 5th July 7:30em Family : Best Shot PG (Arabic Subittles) 9:30 Family : Eggs From 70 Million B C 12 (Hindi Subtitles) 11:30 Romance That Night 15 1:30 Family: My Friend Joe 3:30 Adventure : Kidnapped 12 5:30 Comedy: The Settlement 15 7:30 Comedy: Last Resort 15 9:30 Extreme Close-up 10:00 Thriller: The Lost Brigade 18 12:00 Thriller: Blink 15 (Hindi Subtitles) 2:00 Fright Night: Pumpkinhead II - Blood Wings 18 4:00 Future Shock : Terminal Voyage 18 5:30 Action : Black Cobra IV 15 (Hindi Subtitles)

Sunday 6th July 7:30am Classic: The Inspector General PG (Hindi Subtitles) 9:30 Family :The Day the Eiffel Tower Ran Away 11:00 The Bhaskar Ghose Show 11:30 Classic : Peyton Place 15 (Hindi Subtitles) 2:00 Action : The Last Warrior 15 3:30 Sunday Show Time: Pee-Wee's Playhouse PG 4:30 Sunday Show Time: The Typewriter, The Rifle, And The Movie Camera (15) 5:30 Sunday Family: Double Feature: Drop Dead Fred 15 (Hindi Subtitles) 7:30 Sunday Family Double Feature: Dominick and Eugene PG (Hindi Subtities) 9:30 The Bhaskar Ghose Show 10:00 Gold: Rising Sun 15 12:00 True Stories The O J Simpson Story 15 2:00 Action Helicamp 4:00 Thriller : Dark Room 18 5:30

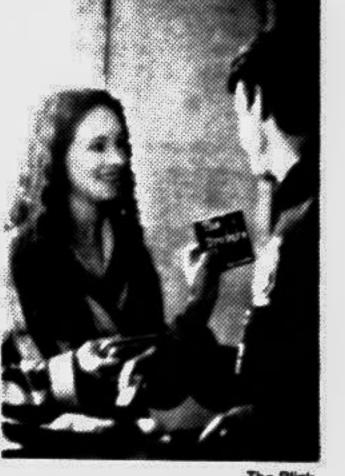
Monday 7th July

Adventure: Wizards of The Lost Kingdom II

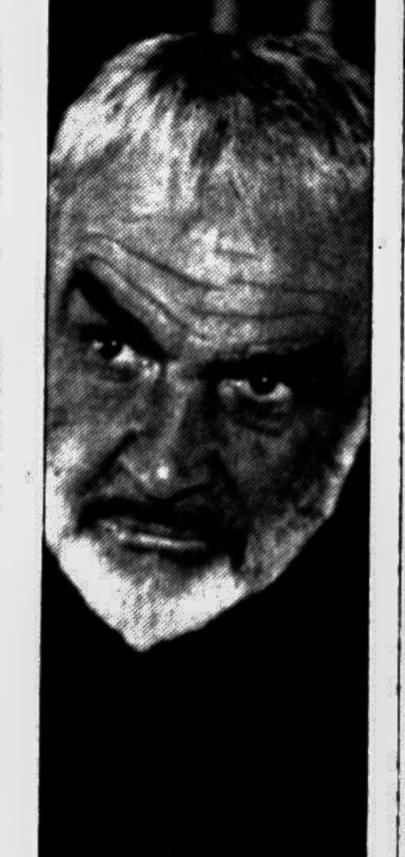
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Tuesday 8th July

7:30am Classic : Tomb of Ligeia 12 9:30 Family : Secret Places 11:30 Film Club Fun 15 1:30 Family : The Young Magician 12 3:30 Adventure : Matusalem 15 (English Subtitles) 5:30 Classic : Carve Her Name With Pride 12 7:30 Family : Journey To The Magic Cavern PG (Hindi Subtitles) 9:30 F! Features 10:00 Action: Covington Cross 15 12:00 Summer Samurai : Sanjuro 12 (English Subtitles) 2:00 Thriller : The Abominable Dr Phibes 15 4:00 Comedy Full Moon High 15 5:30 Action : Best Seller



nity. Starring Drew Barrymore, Madeleine Stowe, Andy Md-Dowall and Mary Stuart Masterson. July 4 at 10:00 pm on Star



Rising Sun

Sean Connery teams up with Wesley Snipes in this compelling mystery thriller based on the novel by best-selling author Michael Crichton. July 6 at 10:00 pm on Star Movies

Thursday 10th July

7:30am Family : Dominick And Eugene 15 (Arabic Subtitles) 9:30 Action : The Last Warrior 15 11:30 Documentary : The Directors .- John Mctieman 15 12:30 Documentary: The Typewriter, The Rifle and the Movie Camera 1:30 Adventure : A Chinese Ghost Story 15 (English Subtitles) 3:30 Family : A Time To Live PG 5:30 Thriller : Blink 15 (Hindi Subtitles) 7:30 Family : Matt The Gooseboy 9:00 Miniseries: Pride And Prejudice 10:00 Romance: Message From Nam 15 (Hindi Subtitles) 11:45 US Top Ten 12:00 Summer Samurai : The Seven Samurai 15 (English Subtitles)

The Lost Brigade The American Civil War was an incredibly violent war. More Americans died fighting each other than all of the American casualties of WWI, WWII, Korea and Vietnam, combined. Battle lines were clearly drawn between North and South. You were either Union or Confederate- - there was no in-between. But in this supernatural thriller, Union Captain John Harling is forced to investi-

gate gruesome murders taken out

on both Union and Confederate

July 5 at 10:00 pm

troops. on Star Movies The Blink

Star Plus



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McKenzie announces to his staff that he is retiring, vaguely attributing his decision to medical reasons. The others believe that McKenzie suffers from prostate cancer, leaving the chances of survival open to speculation. McKenzie later admits to Brackman that he is dving.

McKenzie's illness causes Becker to consider his own mortality. He makes a date to attend church with Jane. But Becker leaves the church during the middle of the ceremony. He confesses that he is a fraud, and was more concerned with the notion of bedding Jane than confronting his spirituality. July 5 at 11:30 on Star



Yes Prime Minister, July 7, at 10 pm

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With special apparatus supplied by the Resistance and a diversion by Edith, Rene sets about photographing the invasions plans. July 9 at 10:00 on Star Plus



DYNASTY In Colorado Roulette, discovering Sean has taken the baby, Adam

and Steven go after him. Adam is absolved of suspicion in the kidnapping of his son when Leslie is able to call Adam and let him know Sean has taken the baby and is holding her captive. Finding the location of the call through a wire tap, Adam and Steven hurry to the desolatemountain cabin. There, they find Leslie badly beaten, but Sean has already taken the baby and escaped... July 6th at 11:30 on Star

Star Sports



MOTOR SPORTS STAR Sports continues coverage of the FIM World Motorcycle Championship from San Marino and Germany this month. The year long season of 125cc, 250cc and 500cc racing roars around 15 circuits and got under orders in Malaysia in April. Motor sport fans can look forward to head-spinning, heart pumping, high-speed racing as top riders power their way to the checkered flag.

July 4 9:30 pm-1:30pm Men's Singles Semi-Finals July 5 11:00-5:00 pm Ladies Singles Final Men's Doubles Final

Mixed Doubles Final July 6 10:00- 3:00 pm Men's Singles Final Ladies Doubles Final

Australia's Mick Doohan has made the world of 500cc motorcycling virtually his own in past years, and this cool rider has given no indication relinquishing his grasp on the world championship. The three-time champ raced away with five of the first six races this season windluding . his 38th Grand Prix victory with a start-to-finish win in Austria. He passed British motorcycling great Mike Hailwood into second on the list of all-time winners. Hailwood took home four World Championships and 37 Grands Prix from 1962 to 1965. Doohan still has a long way to go before he catches the legendary Giacomo Agostini, whose dazzling career included 68 Grands Prix victories and eight world titles from 1966 to 1975. San Marino Grand Prix - July 6

- LIVE: STAR Sport's LIVE motorcycling action for the month begins on July 6 at the classic Imola track in beautiful San Marino. It's no surprise to hear that Doohan was the man who captured the Imola title in last year's rain-shortened race. Doohan was speeding away with the Grand Prix when the heavens began to open, he signaled to arch-rival, Alex Criville of Spain, who agreed that it was too dangerous to continue. July 6 4:30 San Marino (Imola) Grand Prix GOLF

At the peugeot Open de France. Australian Robert Allenby will again try to win on the National Golf Club layout in Paris despite breaking his sternum in a traffic accident in Spain last October. Colin Montgomerie will be the man to beat at the Irish Open as the Scotsman received 127,000 pounds sterling for his two-stroke victory at last year's event. The golfing month closes with Loch Lomand World Invitational from Scotland. Dane Thomas Bjorn defends. July 10 11:30

Murphy's Irish Open INTERNATIONAL RUGBY

If this year's British Lions are to emulate the all-conquering 1974 tour party some major hurdles will have to be negotiated. A congested European season has left an injured list as long as

manager Frank Cotton's arm and while Neil Jenkins is recovering well from his broken arm and Tony Underwood's jaw is healing nicely, a provisional squad of 62 was named to fill any breaches. The three-Test tour is also the most arduous ever undertaken by a Lions squad - the three matches fall just a week apart on June 21, 28 and July 5.

One of the most talked-about selections has been that of Leicester centre will Greenwood who is yet to play for England, but is now challenging the likes of Jeremy Guscott, Allan Bateman, Scott Gibbs and Alan Tait for a permanent spot in the backline.

In Many ways the open style of Lions rugby is the perfect introduction to international competition and if Greenwood can repay the faith placed in him we may be seeing the genesis of a new star of the English game. July 5 9:00pmThird Test from Johannesburg -- LIVE

New Books

What Needs 70 Change Visions for Britain

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Edited by Giles Radice

Written before the recent election in Britain, this book forms part of the labour party's propaganda scheme, including an introduction by the newly elected PM Tony Blair. As it comes as a prelude to the party's takeover all the views incorporated into this book might yet promise a glimpse of Britain's future at the hands of the current administration.



Understanding American Politics

Author: P V Deneberg Price: Tk 585

This detailed study of American political history scrutinizes each successive administration (including the Clinton presidency) to provide us a clear understanding of the policies and an impression that lend the superpower a lead over the rest of the world.



The Ideas That Shaped Post-war Britain

Author: David Marguand and Anthony Seldon Price: Tk 520

Just as the tytle suggest this book looks back on the war devastated British scenario to undertake an indepth analysis of the gradually emerging social, political and economical phenomena in the post-war Britain.



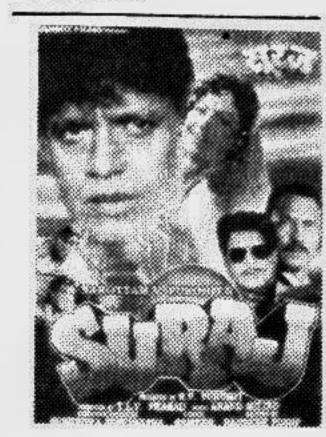
Redemption

Author: Leon Uris Price: Tk 975

A sequel to the blockbluster Trinity, Redemption is yet another vivid and empathetic portrayal of the Irish independence movement. Against the backdrop of the political uprising Uris' characters loom larger-than-life with their single minded devotion to attaining a national identity. A captivating novel with flashes of Uris' literary genius - a must read for everyone.

Courtesy: The Book worm

Video











SANJURO Our hero in this film becomes mentor to a group of young, idealistic samural trying to root out corruption in their clan administration. He



noon on Star Movies Top Ten Albums in Baugladesh RESTLESS HEART: White DESTINATION AND ANY-WHERE: Jon Bon Jovi OPEN ROAD: Gary Barlow CRYPTIC WRITINGS: Megadeth NINE LIVES: Aerosmith SECADA: Jon Secada SAVAGE GARDEN: Savage Garden. ROMEO+JULIET: (Original Sound Track) BATMAN & ROBIN: (Original Soundtrack) SPACE JAM: (Original Sound

- Jok Ten Singles in Bangladesh FOREVER LOVE: Gary Barlow TOO LATE TOO SOON: Jon Secada FOR YOU I WILL: Monica FOR THE FIRST TIME: Kenny Loggings MIDNIGHT IN CHELSEA: Jon Bon Javi FOOT'S GAME: Richard Marx MAMA: Spice Girls IWANT YOU: Savage Garden HOLE IN MY SOUL: Aerosmith CHILDREN: Robert Miles Source: Rainbow

judo is not just fighting, but spiritual discipline. Exciting combat scenes feature in this superbly made film which marked Kurasawa's feature film debut. Starring Susumu Fujita, Denjiro Okochi and Takashi Shimura. July 10 at 12:00 noon on Star Movies HIDDEN FORTRESS Pure entertainment period film set during the sixteenth century civil

wars. A young princess is trying to travel across a war-torn area with her retainer, who tricks two peasants into helping them. There's plenty of two low-life peasants while Kurosawa overturns usual period drama clinche's by having the princess dress and talk the International Critics Award Director's Prize at the 1959 Berlin Film Festival. Stars include Fujiwara and Minoru Chiaki. July 11 at 12:00

noon on Star Movies

## SUGATA SANSHIRO (Thur July 10) Martial arts film set in Meiji times in which the hero learns that

Spotlight

Samurai

Summer

opens their eyes to the fact

that they are supporting the

wrong man and are about

to expose the real evil

to be betrayed and goes on

elements at large. Starring

Toshiro Mifune and Yuzo

Kayama. July 8 at 12:00

noon on Star Movies

THRONE OF BLOOD

Shakespeare's 'Macbeth'

Isuzu Yamada and Minoru

starring Toshiro Mifune,

Chiaki. July 9 at 12:00

Japanese version of

clan treasure and her loyal humour in the antics of the like a man. The film won Toshiro Mifune, Kamatari