



Programme information highlights

Week 18 Saturday 29 April – Friday 5 May 2023

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We're heading into May with some premium programming this week, headlined with Sky Documentaries epic original feature on one of the most shocking terrorist acts of all time. **Hijacked: Flight 73**, from BAFTA winning director Ben Anthony, premieres this week.

Also this week, from sinking hoops in Philly to private schools in LA, we're back with the Prince in the second season of the reimagined **Bel-Air** on Sky Max. Things are getting a little bit film noir over on Sky Atlantic as **Perry Mason** returns for a new case, and Sky Sports are bringing you a sextet of **Premier League** games including the Arsenal v Chelsea London derby as the Gunners barrel on to their first championship in almost two decades.

Cover: Hijacked: Flight 73, Sky Documentaries

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On Sky Showcase this week

Showcasing new shows and familiar favourites from across Sky. It's never been easier to discover it all.

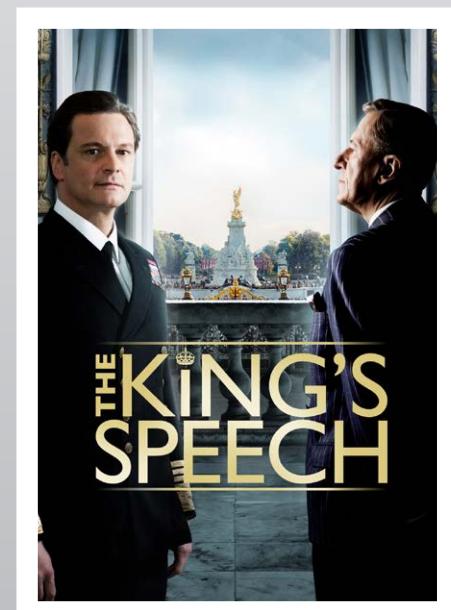
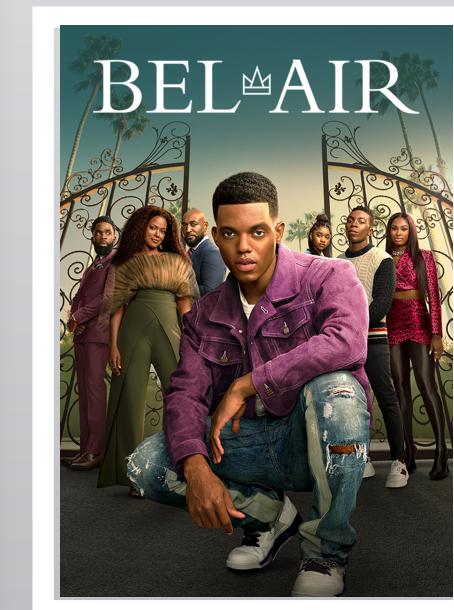
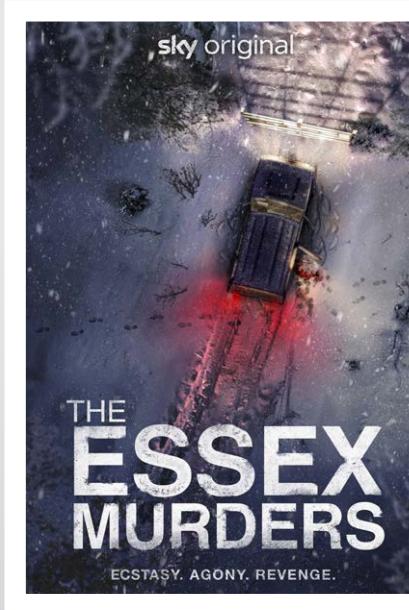
We're immersing ourselves in an incredible true story that changed air travel forever in the new epic Sky Original documentary **Hijacked: Flight 73** this week, and we conclude the compelling story of the gangland murder mired deep in 90's rave culture in **The Essex Murders**.

Jim and Nancy continue their search for these islands' most beautiful birds in **Painting Birds with Jim & Nancy Moir** courtesy of Sky Arts, and you can check out all the action from Azerbaijan in the F1 Azerbaijan GP Highlights.

And seeing as we're coming up to a very Royal occasion, we're catching up with our favourite Prince in season two of **Bel-Air**, and Sky Cinema is getting us in the mood with the film inspired by the last male monarch, as Colin Firth stars in **The King's Speech**.

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Top picks this week

sky original

Hijacked: Flight 73

"Before Pan AM 73 – people went home alive from hijackings. But after that – the game changed." Mike Thexton – Flight 73 hostage.

This epic new feature documentary tells the story of one of the most shocking hijackings of all time. In 1986, Pan Am Flight 73 was stormed by Palestinian terrorists as it sat on the tarmac of Karachi Airport. The 360 passengers of 14 different nationalities endured a terrifying 16-hour ordeal that resulted in 21 passengers being killed and many more injured.

Mixing drama and documentary, this new film by multiple BAFTA winning director Ben Anthony (Grenfell, 7/7: One Day in London, Don't Take My Baby) and executive produced by Tanya Winston, tells the story not just of the day itself, but how it led to one of the FBI's biggest manhunts against the background of the simmering political tensions between the West and the Middle East, and an evolution in the tactics of terrorism.

Sunday 30 April | 21.00 | sky documentaries NOW

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Bel-Air

Season Two, Episode 1

Set in modern-day Los Angeles, Peacock's successful one-hour drama series Bel-Air imagines the beloved sitcom The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air through a new, dramatic take on Will's complicated journey from the streets of West Philadelphia to the gated mansions of Bel-Air. Season two of Bel-Air picks up with Will at a crossroads in his life as a new figure comes into his life who challenges what he's learned in Bel-Air and competes for control of his influence. He juggles this while navigating his home life with the Banks family and trying to rebuild the trust that was broken at the end of last season.

Friday 5 May | 21.00 |
All episodes available from 5 May

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sky max **NOW**

Top picks this week

Perry Mason
Chapter Nine

Season 2, episode 1

Based on the work of Erle Stanley Gardner, this drama series traces the origins of famed criminal defence lawyer Perry Mason (Matthew Rhys). The second season picks up with Perry in the throes of the Los Angeles legal system during the height of the Great Depression. Alongside crackerjack assistant Della Street (Juliet Rylance) and hardboiled ex-cop Paul Drake (Chris Chalk), the former PI garners a reputation for taking on clients that few would dare to defend. Months after the Dodson trial shook the city, Perry is readjusting to life as a civil attorney when a high-profile murder case brings him back into the fold. As the DA homes in on a pair of brothers from a desolate Hooverville, Perry is thrust into the centre of a vast conspiracy and forced to reckon with what it truly means to be guilty.

As Perry grapples with a new career, Della keeps the firm afloat; Paul accepts a questionable job; Holcomb partners with a powerful ally.

Tuesday 2 May | 22.00 |

sky atlantic NOW

All episodes available from 2 May

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Premier League

You might want to start clearing your calendar. Sky Sports will be across six – count them – six massive games this week as we reach the “four weeks to go” point of the season.

With a commanding lead at the top of the table, Arsenal are mere points away from clinching their first Premier League title in almost two decades. Their opponents on the other hand, are experiencing their worst form in about the same time span. Chelsea are in eleventh place and have sacked manager Graham Potter after less than seven months in charge. At time of writing we do not know who his replacement will be, but the Blues will be hoping for a new manager bounce as they head into the London derby.

Then on Super Sunday, our double-bill kicks off with Fulham hosting second place Manchester City at Craven Cottage, before Liverpool entertain Tottenham at Anfield, with Spurs desperately clinging onto their hopes of a top four footage.

Onto the three weekday evening games, as Leicester – who have also sacked manager Brendan Rogers as they fight against relegation – have their backs against the wall as they play against fellow strugglers Everton at home. On Wednesday Manchester City return for their rearranged match against a West Ham side just one point from safety from the drop zone, and finally, we’re heading south as Brighton welcome Manchester United, with the visitors still in with a shot at a top four finish.

Premier League | **LIVE**

Arsenal v Chelsea | Saturday 29 April | 17.00 |

Fulham v Manchester City | Sunday 30 April | 14.00 |

Liverpool v Tottenham | Sunday 30 April | 14.00 |

Leicester v Everton | Monday 1 May | 19.00 |

Manchester City v West Ham | Wednesday 3 May | 19.00 |

Brighton v Manchester United | Thursday 4 May | 19.30 |

sky sports main event sky sports NOW

Also in week 18

sky max

sky original

A Town Called Malice
Living on a Prayer

Series 1, episode 8

Albert seems to be an unstoppable force, stopping short of nothing to reclaim his former glory – who dares stand in his way and curb his reign of terror.
Series finale.

Thursday 4 May | 21.00 | sky max NOW

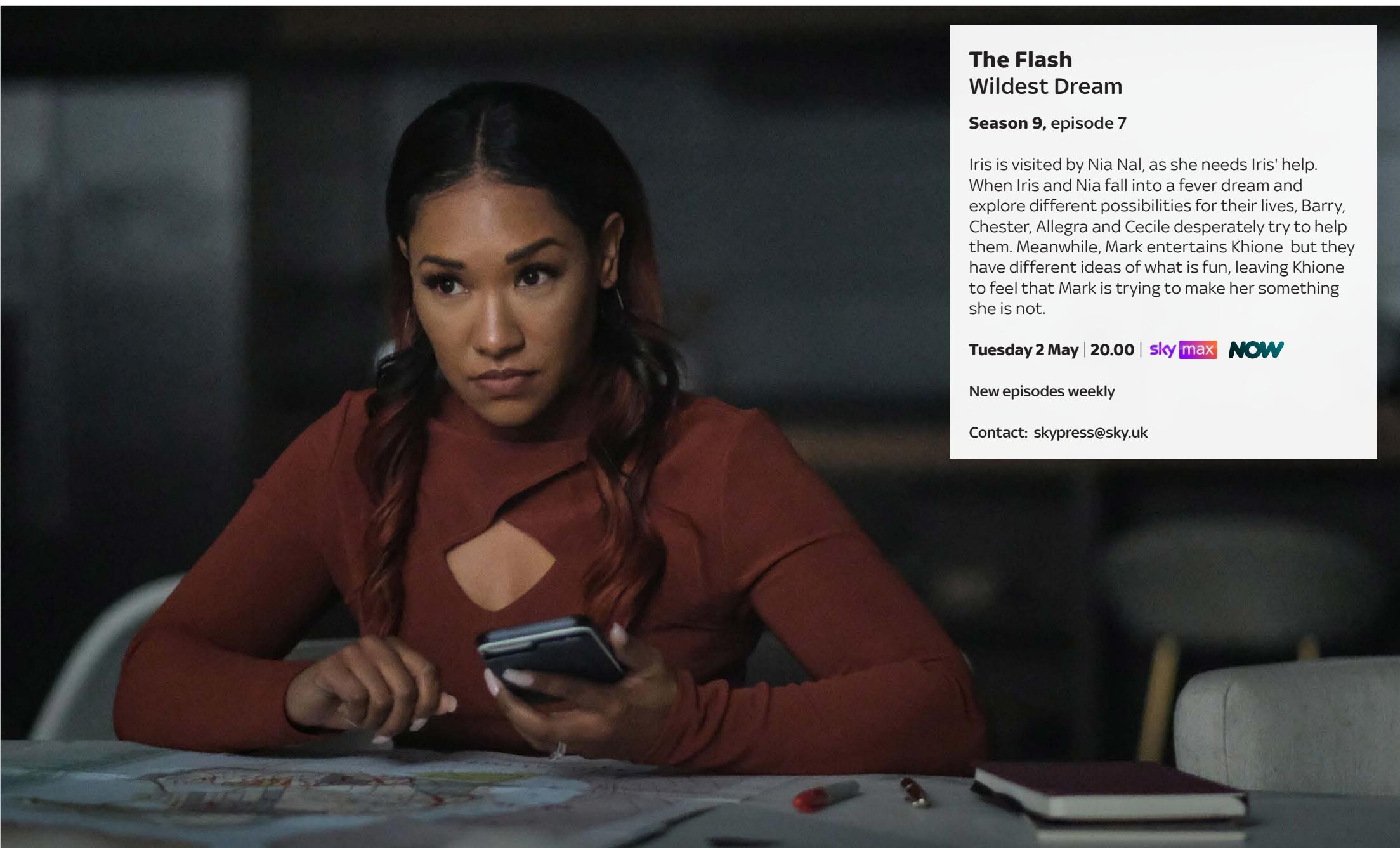
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The Flash
Wildest Dream

Season 9, episode 7

Iris is visited by Nia Nal, as she needs Iris' help. When Iris and Nia fall into a fever dream and explore different possibilities for their lives, Barry, Chester, Allegra and Cecile desperately try to help them. Meanwhile, Mark entertains Khione but they have different ideas of what is fun, leaving Khione to feel that Mark is trying to make her something she is not.

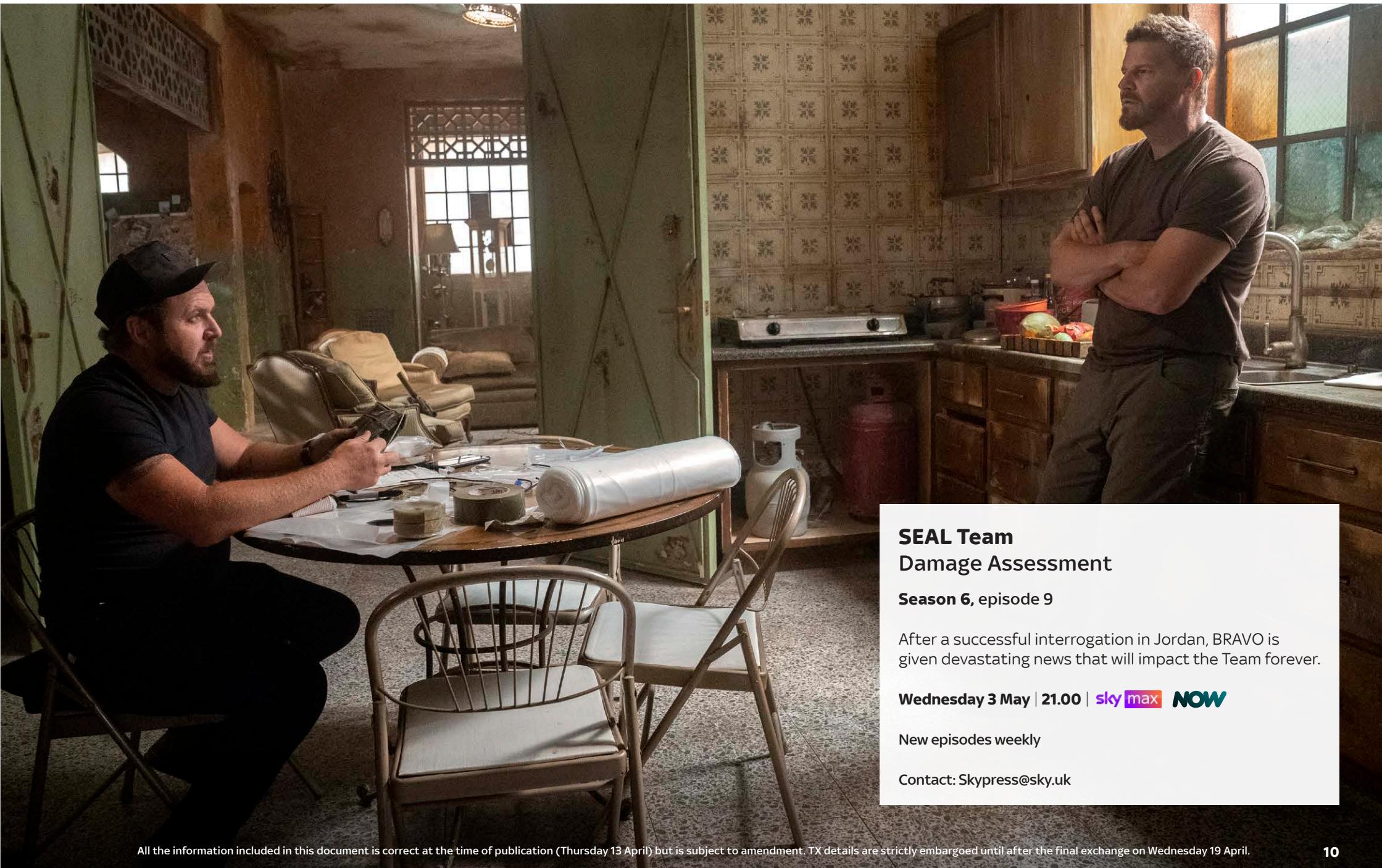
Tuesday 2 May | 20.00 | sky max NOW

New episodes weekly

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SEAL Team
Damage Assessment

Season 6, episode 9

After a successful interrogation in Jordan, BRAVO is given devastating news that will impact the Team forever.

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New episodes weekly

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SWAT
Gut Punch

Season 6, episode 15

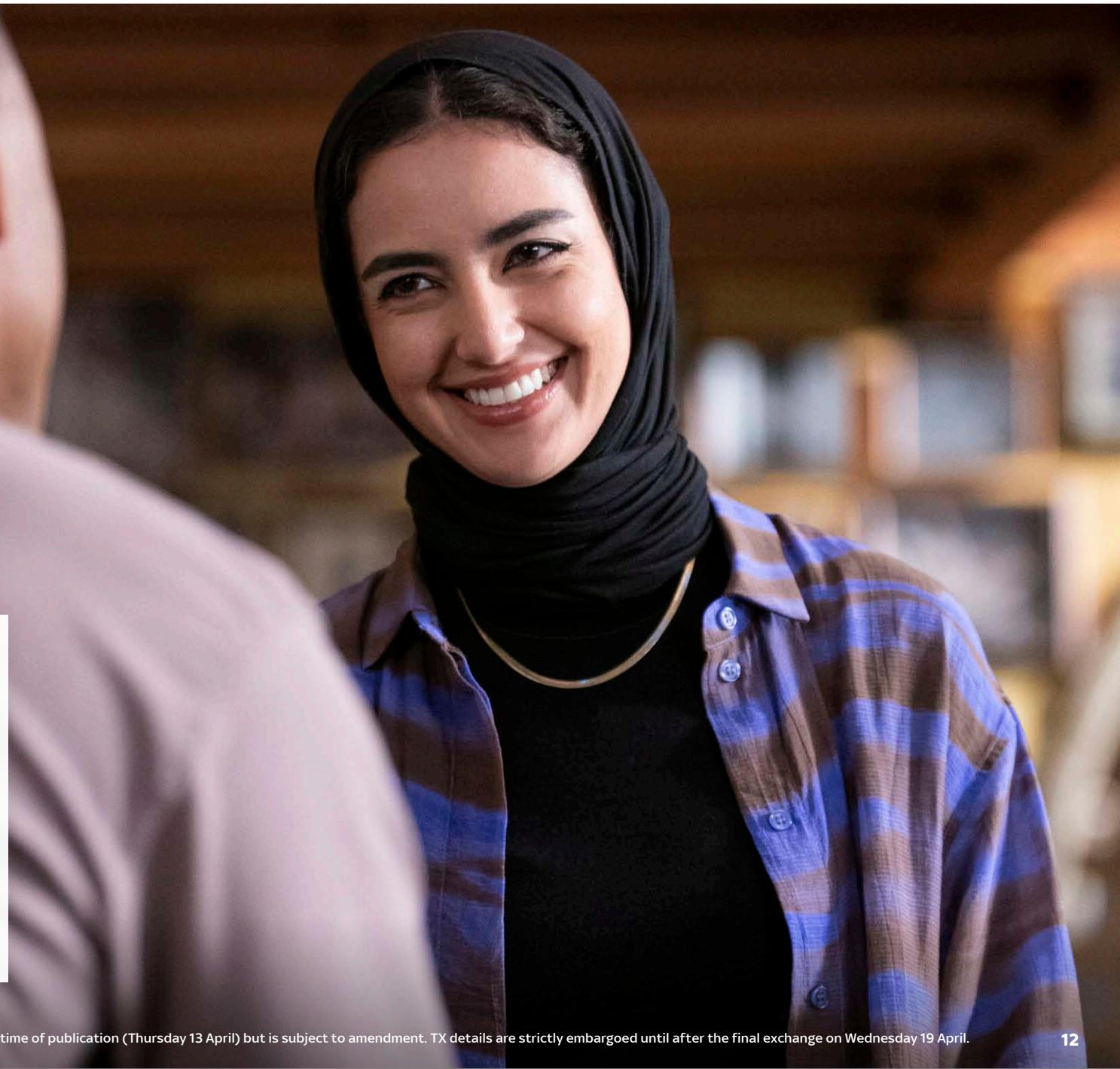
SWAT teams with Major Crimes for a high-stakes mission to extract an undercover officer from a dangerous crime ring.

Sunday 30 April | 21.00 | sky max NOW

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NCIS: LA
The Other Shoe

Season 14, episode 15

Sam Hanna must go undercover as a fighter to catch the leader of a gang dealing drugs on the streets. WWE Superstar Sheamus Guest Stars as a Quinton, a fighter.

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Succession

Season 4, episode 7

The sale of media conglomerate Waystar Royco to tech visionary Lukas Matsson (Alexander Skarsgård) moves ever closer. The prospect of this seismic sale provokes existential angst and familial division among the Roys as they anticipate what their lives will look like once the deal is complete. A power struggle ensues as the family weighs up a future where their cultural and political weight is severely curtailed.

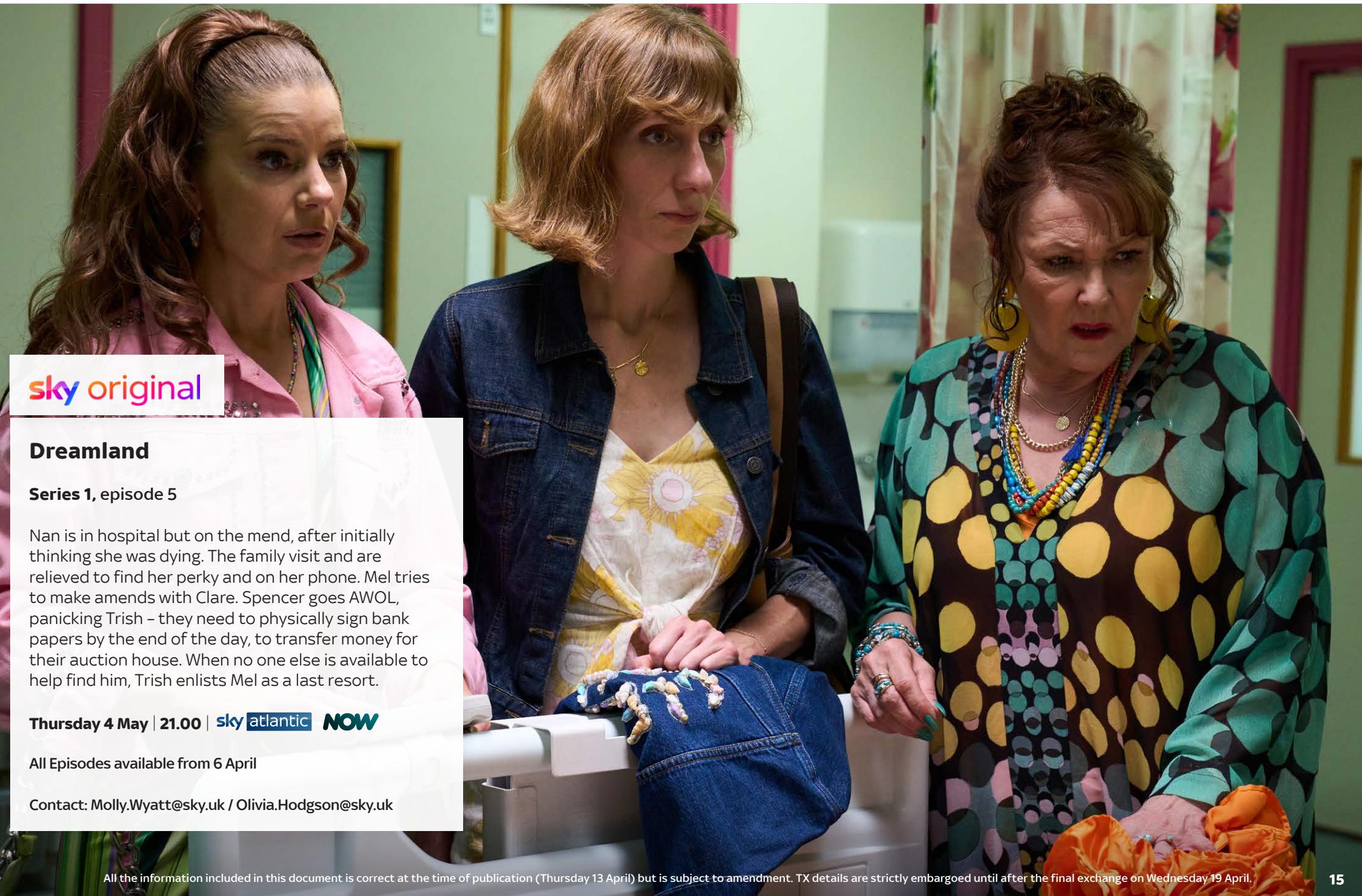
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New episodes weekly

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sky original

Dreamland

Series 1, episode 5

Nan is in hospital but on the mend, after initially thinking she was dying. The family visit and are relieved to find her perky and on her phone. Mel tries to make amends with Clare. Spencer goes AWOL, panicking Trish – they need to physically sign bank papers by the end of the day, to transfer money for their auction house. When no one else is available to help find him, Trish enlists Mel as a last resort.

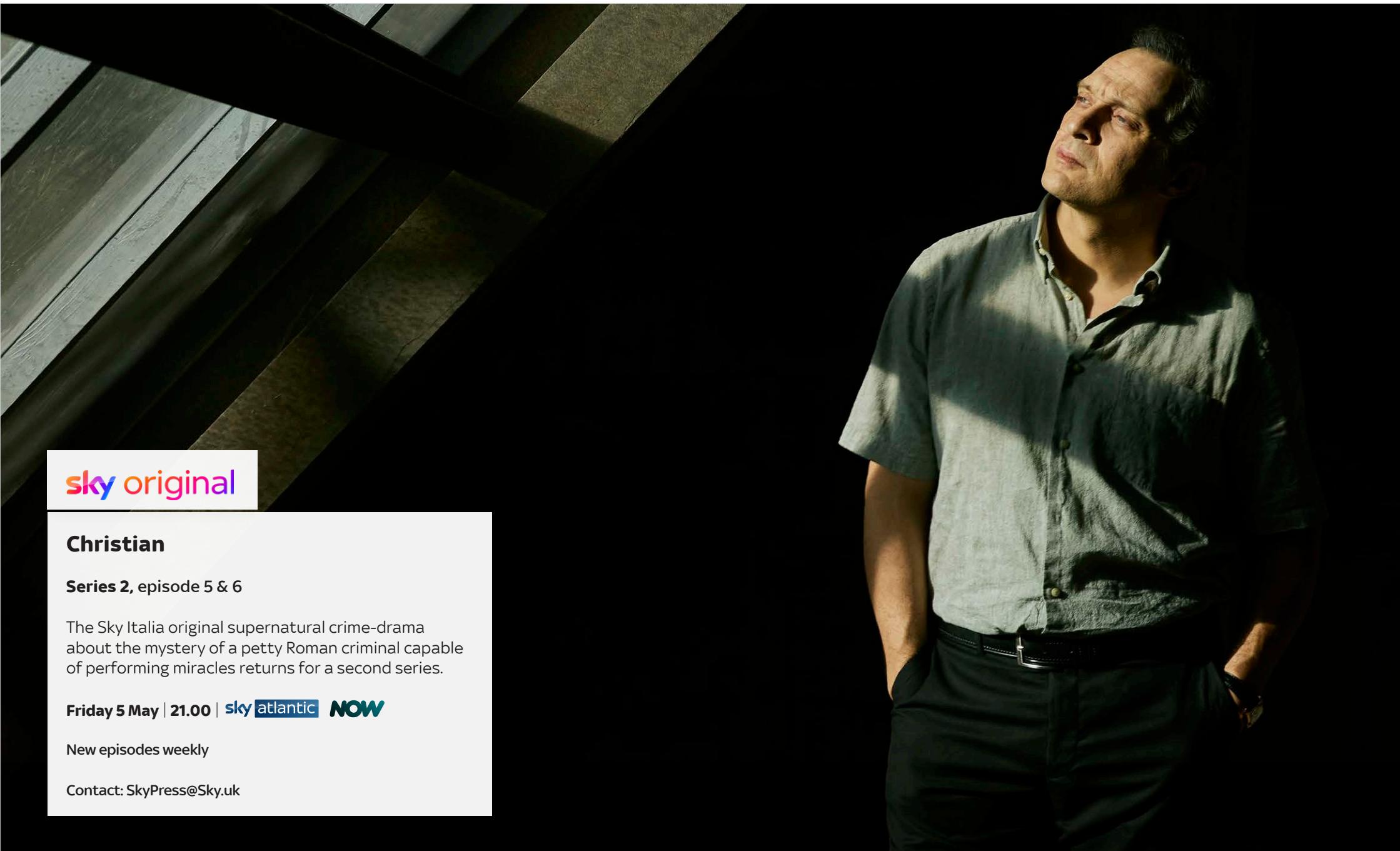
Thursday 4 May | 21.00 | sky atlantic **NOW**

All Episodes available from 6 April

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sky original

Christian

Series 2, episode 5 & 6

The Sky Italia original supernatural crime-drama about the mystery of a petty Roman criminal capable of performing miracles returns for a second series.

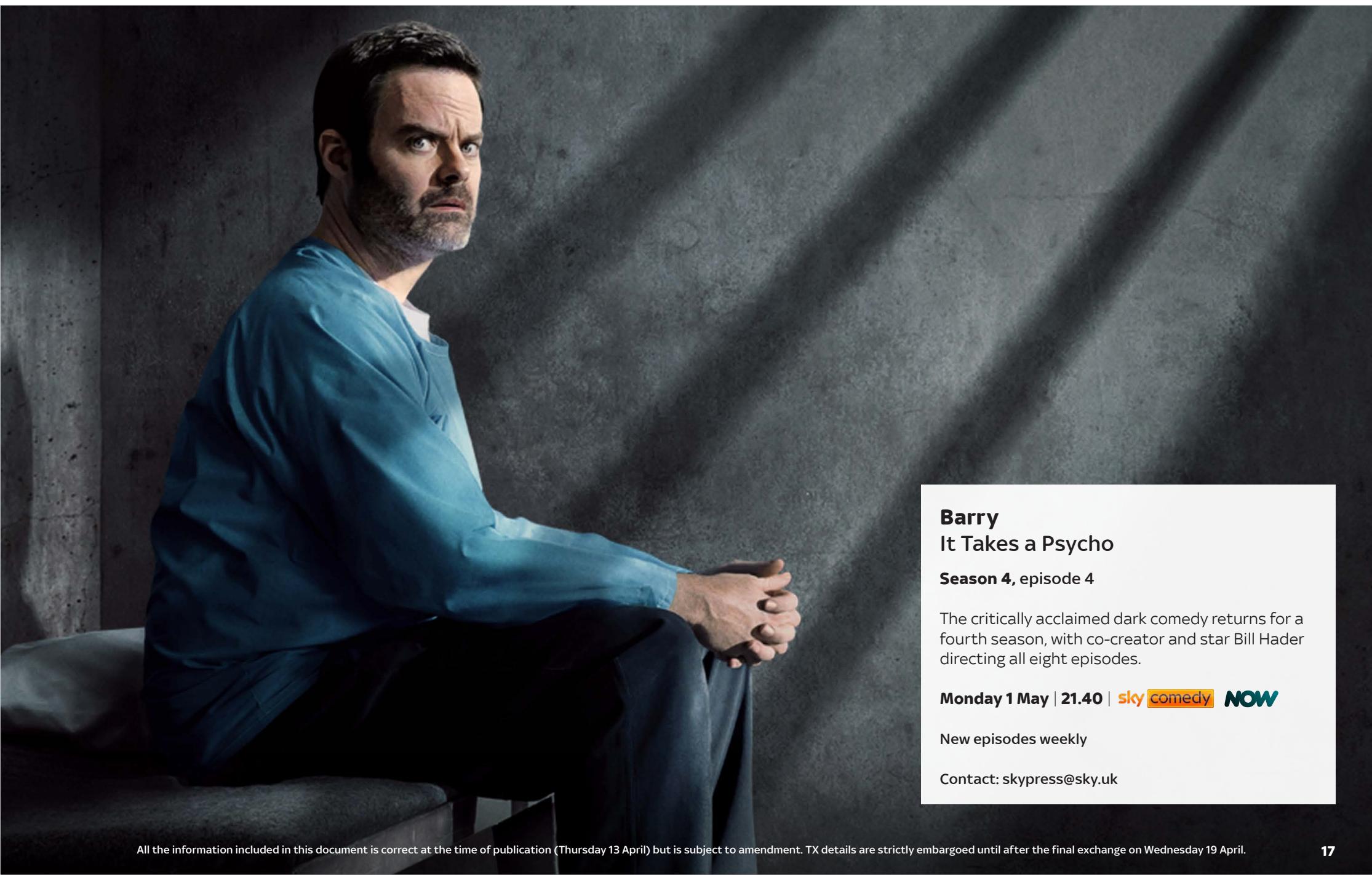
Friday 5 May | 21.00 | sky atlantic NOW

New episodes weekly

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Barry
It Takes a Psycho

Season 4, episode 4

The critically acclaimed dark comedy returns for a fourth season, with co-creator and star Bill Hader directing all eight episodes.

Monday 1 May | 21.40 | sky comedy NOW

New episodes weekly

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sky comedy



American Auto
Going Green / The Letter

Season 2, episode 5 & 6

Katherine and the team head to Silicon Valley to invest in green tech, including Sandbox, a potentially bogus company founded by Wesley's friend, Chase.

Katherine has to go on a listening tour after a group of younger employees demand the company stop contributing to "pro-life" politicians; the men of the office are charged with writing Payne's policies regarding abortion.

Friday 5 May | 20.00 | sky comedy NOW

All episodes available from 21 April

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Last Week Tonight with John Oliver

Season 10, episode 10

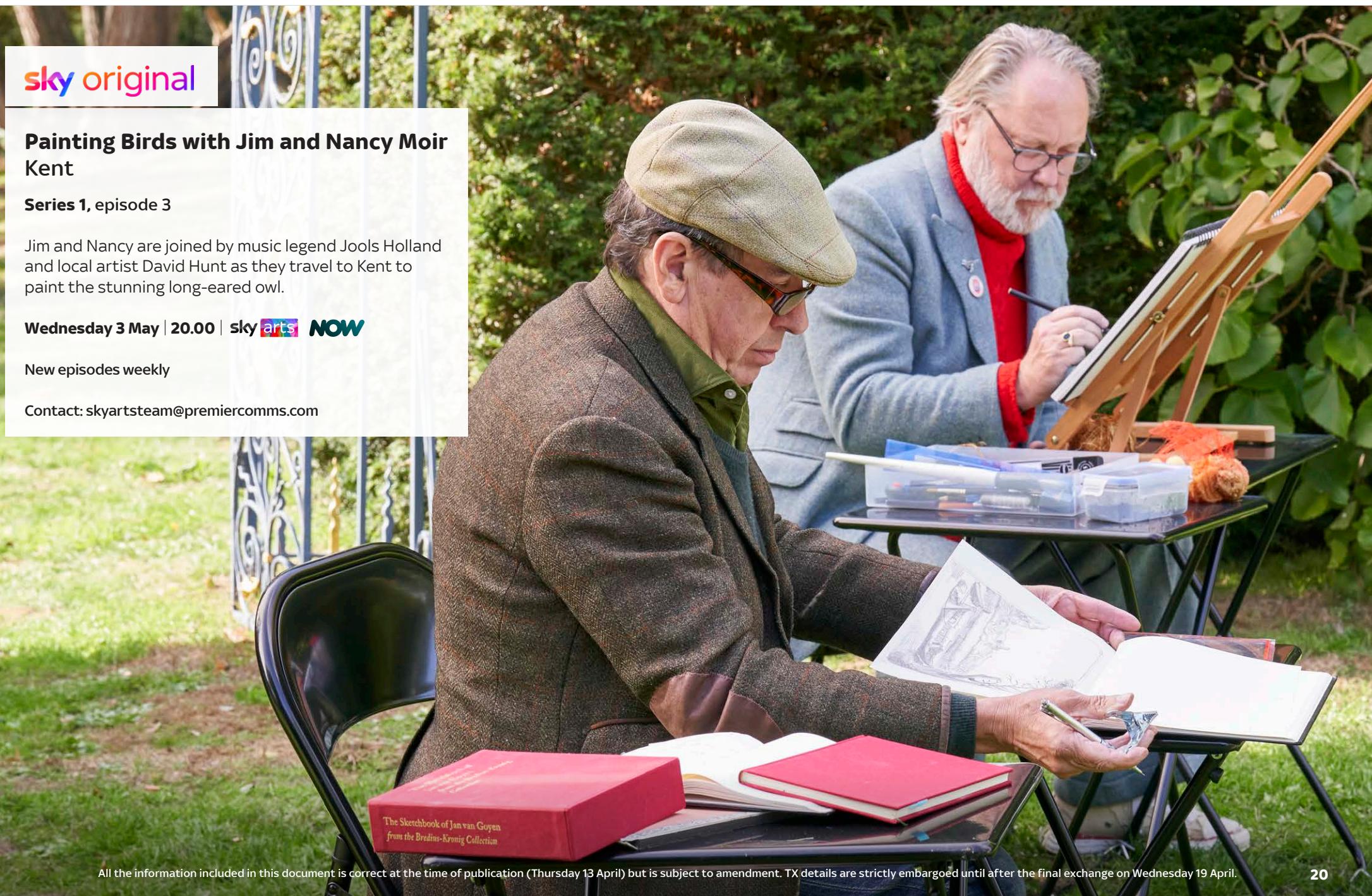
Comedian, actor, and writer John Oliver returns for a brand-new, tenth season of his acclaimed half-hour series *Last Week Tonight with John Oliver*. A satirical, insightful, and meticulously researched look at current events in the U.S. and around the globe, the weekly series features Oliver's hilarious, expertly honed perspective on today's pressing political, social, and cultural issues, as well as lesser-reported topics that both inform and entertain. Shot in New York, season ten features the show's weekly topical insights, signature deep dives, and distinctive comedy pieces.

Monday 1 May | 21.00 | sky comedy NOW

New episodes weekly

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A photograph showing two men painting birds in a park. The man in the foreground is wearing a brown tweed jacket, a green shirt, and a flat cap, and is looking down at an open sketchbook. The man in the background is wearing a blue jacket over a red turtleneck, glasses, and has a white beard, and is painting on a canvas. They are sitting at a black folding table with various art supplies, including a clear plastic tray with paint tubes and a small orange object. In the foreground, there is a red book titled 'The Sketchbook of Jan van Goyen from the Bredius-Kronig Collection'. The background shows a green lawn and some trees.

sky original

Painting Birds with Jim and Nancy Moir
Kent

Series 1, episode 3

Jim and Nancy are joined by music legend Jools Holland and local artist David Hunt as they travel to Kent to paint the stunning long-eared owl.

Wednesday 3 May | 20.00 | sky arts NOW

New episodes weekly

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The Sketchbook of Jan van Goyen
from the Bredius-Kronig Collection

All the information included in this document is correct at the time of publication (Thursday 13 April) but is subject to amendment. TX details are strictly embargoed until after the final exchange on Wednesday 19 April.

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The Equalizer
Never Again

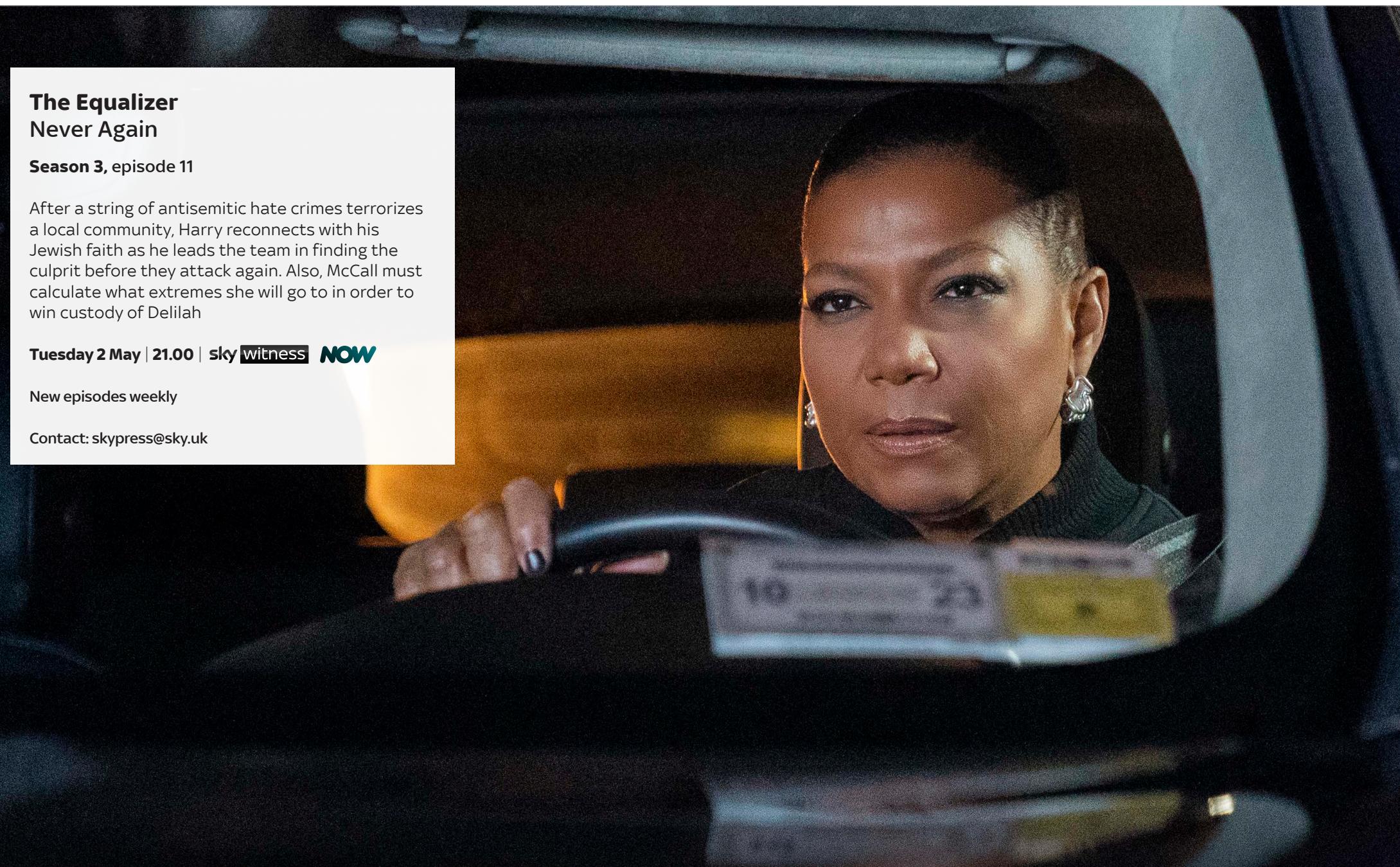
Season 3, episode 11

After a string of antisemitic hate crimes terrorizes a local community, Harry reconnects with his Jewish faith as he leads the team in finding the culprit before they attack again. Also, McCall must calculate what extremes she will go to in order to win custody of Delilah

Tuesday 2 May | 21.00 | sky witness **NOW**

New episodes weekly

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Blue Bloods
Nothing Sacred

Season 13, episode 9

Reagan family tensions run high when Frank and his grandson, Joe Hill, contend with a grievous insult to the memory of Joe's father, Joe Reagan. Also, Erin and Henry work together to bust an over-the-phone scammer targeting the elderly; Danny intervenes in an undercover assignment led by his spiralling former partner; and Eddie's captain takes suspicious interest in her efforts to locate a stolen puppy. Series star Bridget Moynahan (Erin Regan) directs this episode.

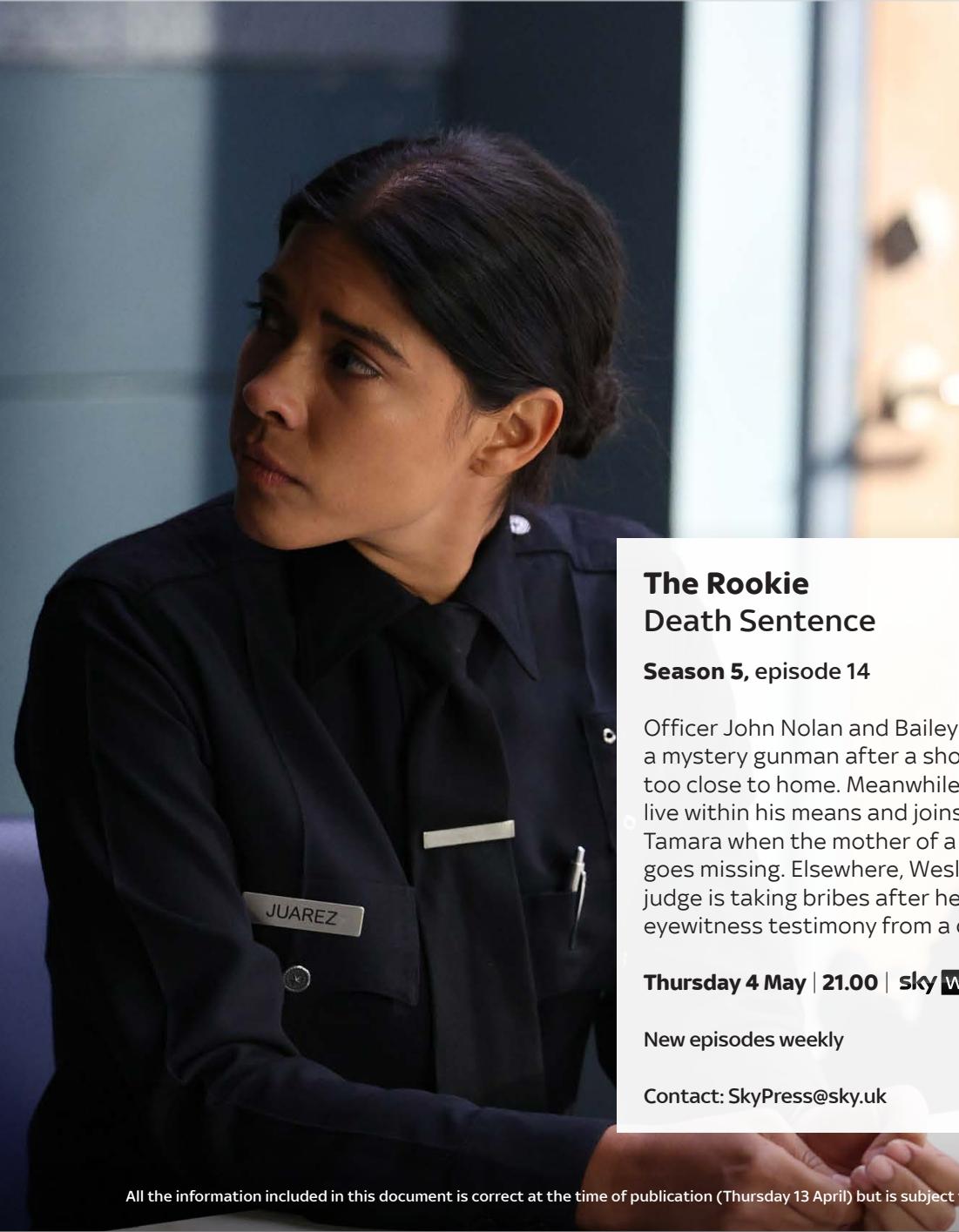
Monday 1 May | 21.00 | sky witness NOW

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The Rookie **Death Sentence**

Season 5, episode 14

Officer John Nolan and Bailey are on the hunt for a mystery gunman after a shooting hits a little too close to home. Meanwhile, Aaron struggles to live within his means and joins Lucy to help Tamara when the mother of a child she babysits goes missing. Elsewhere, Wesley suspects that a judge is taking bribes after he excludes valuable eyewitness testimony from a case.

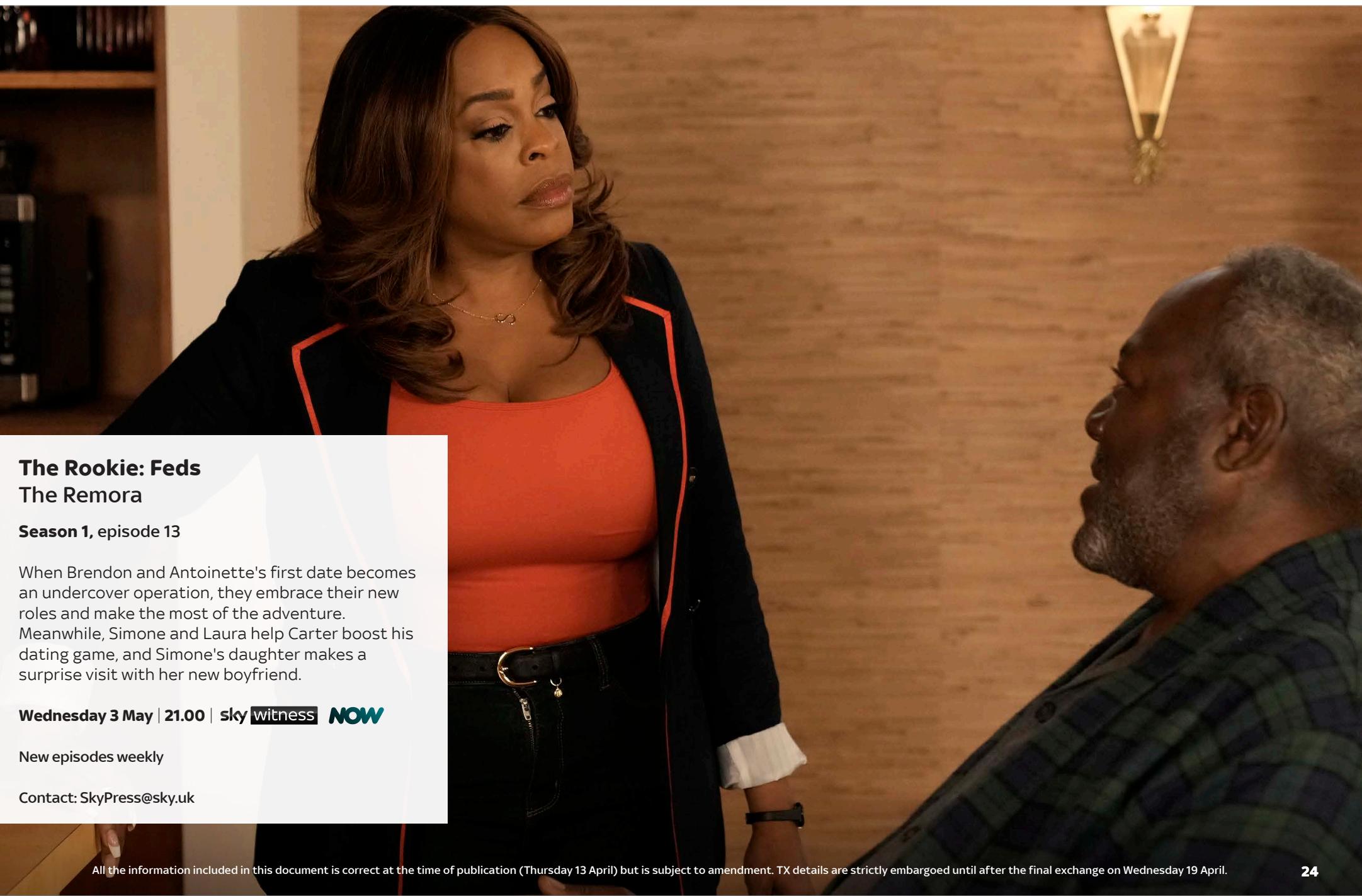
Thursday 4 May | 21.00 | sky witness NOW

New episodes weekly

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The Rookie: Feds

The Remora

Season 1, episode 13

When Brendon and Antoinette's first date becomes an undercover operation, they embrace their new roles and make the most of the adventure.

Meanwhile, Simone and Laura help Carter boost his dating game, and Simone's daughter makes a surprise visit with her new boyfriend.

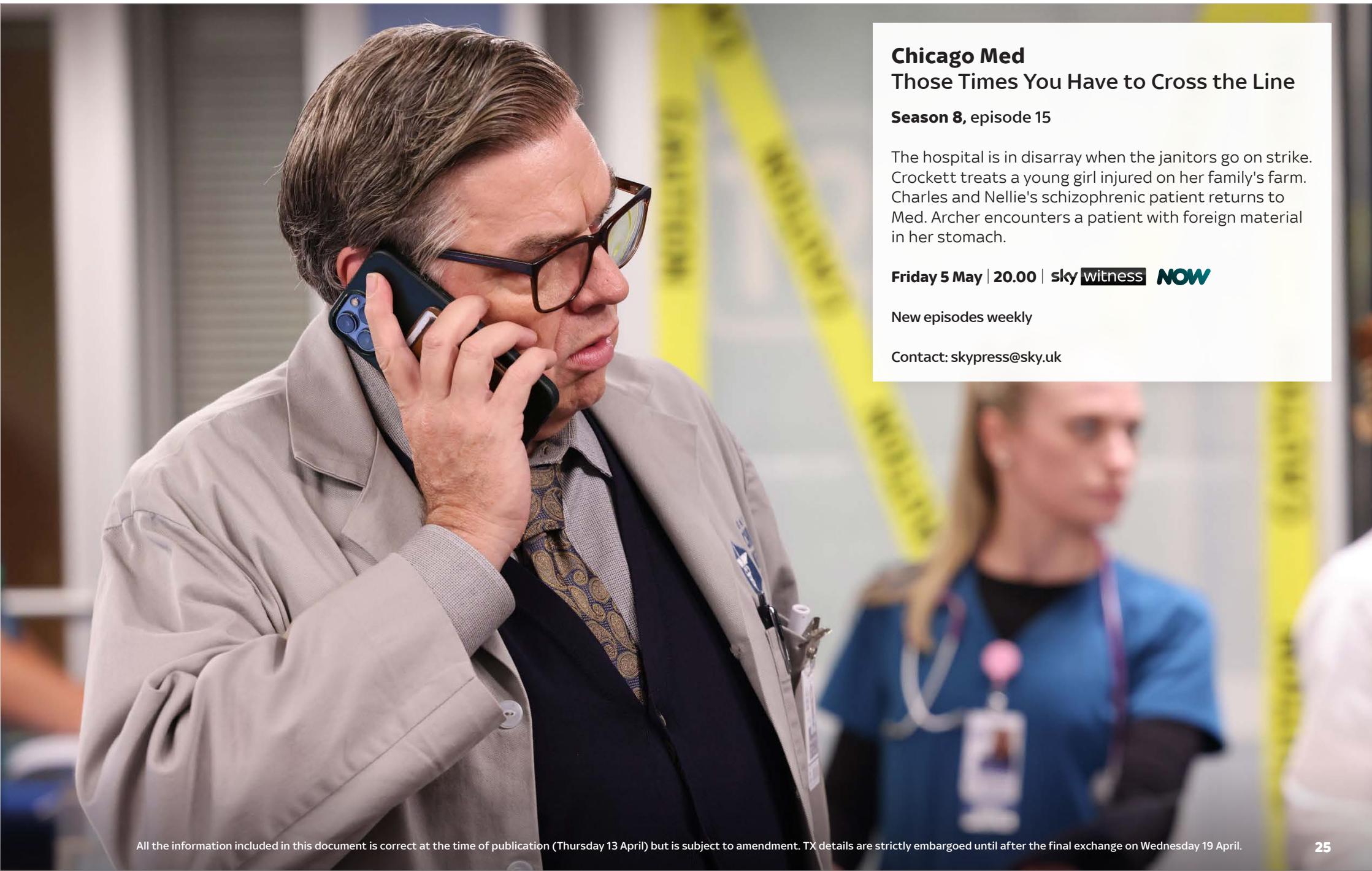
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Chicago Med
Those Times You Have to Cross the Line

Season 8, episode 15

The hospital is in disarray when the janitors go on strike. Crockett treats a young girl injured on her family's farm. Charles and Nellie's schizophrenic patient returns to Med. Archer encounters a patient with foreign material in her stomach.

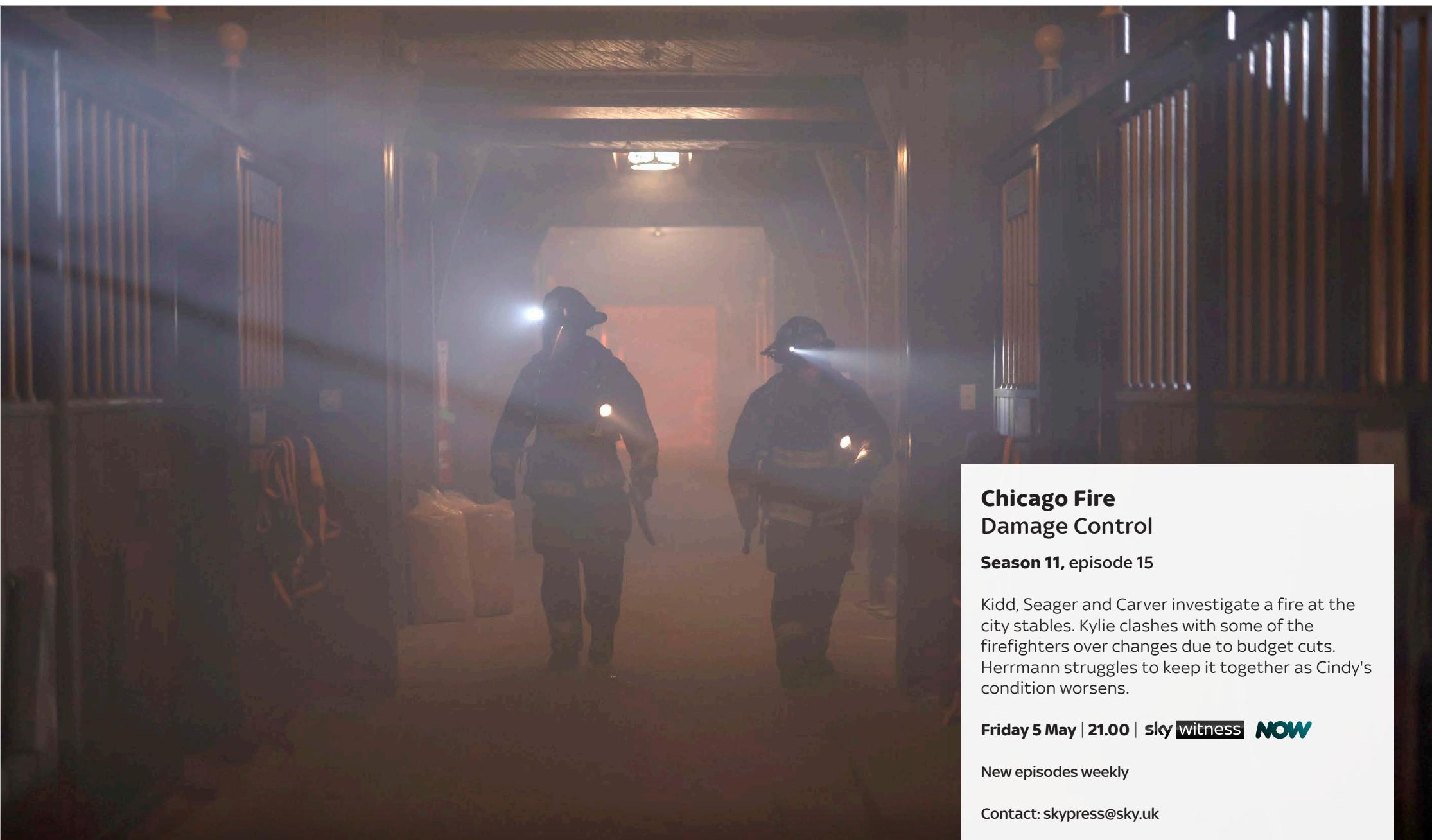
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Chicago Fire
Damage Control

Season 11, episode 15

Kidd, Seager and Carver investigate a fire at the city stables. Kylie clashes with some of the firefighters over changes due to budget cuts. Herrmann struggles to keep it together as Cindy's condition worsens.

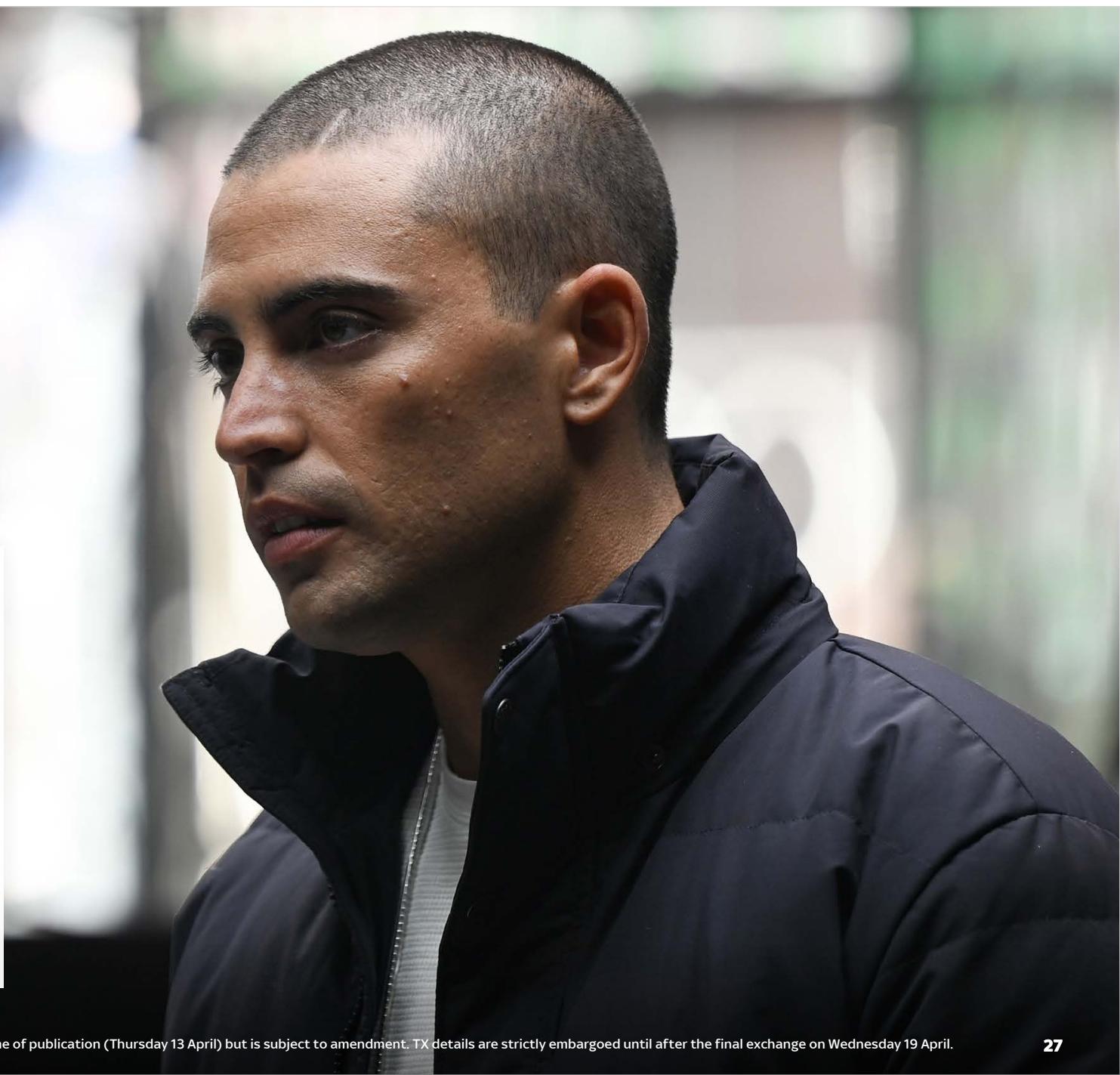
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Chicago PD
Blood and Honor

Season 10, episode 15

When a family is poisoned in their home, the team discovers a connection to the Becks. Ruzek goes undercover to work for their business and as he gets closer to Samantha, chilling information about her father, Richard, comes to light.

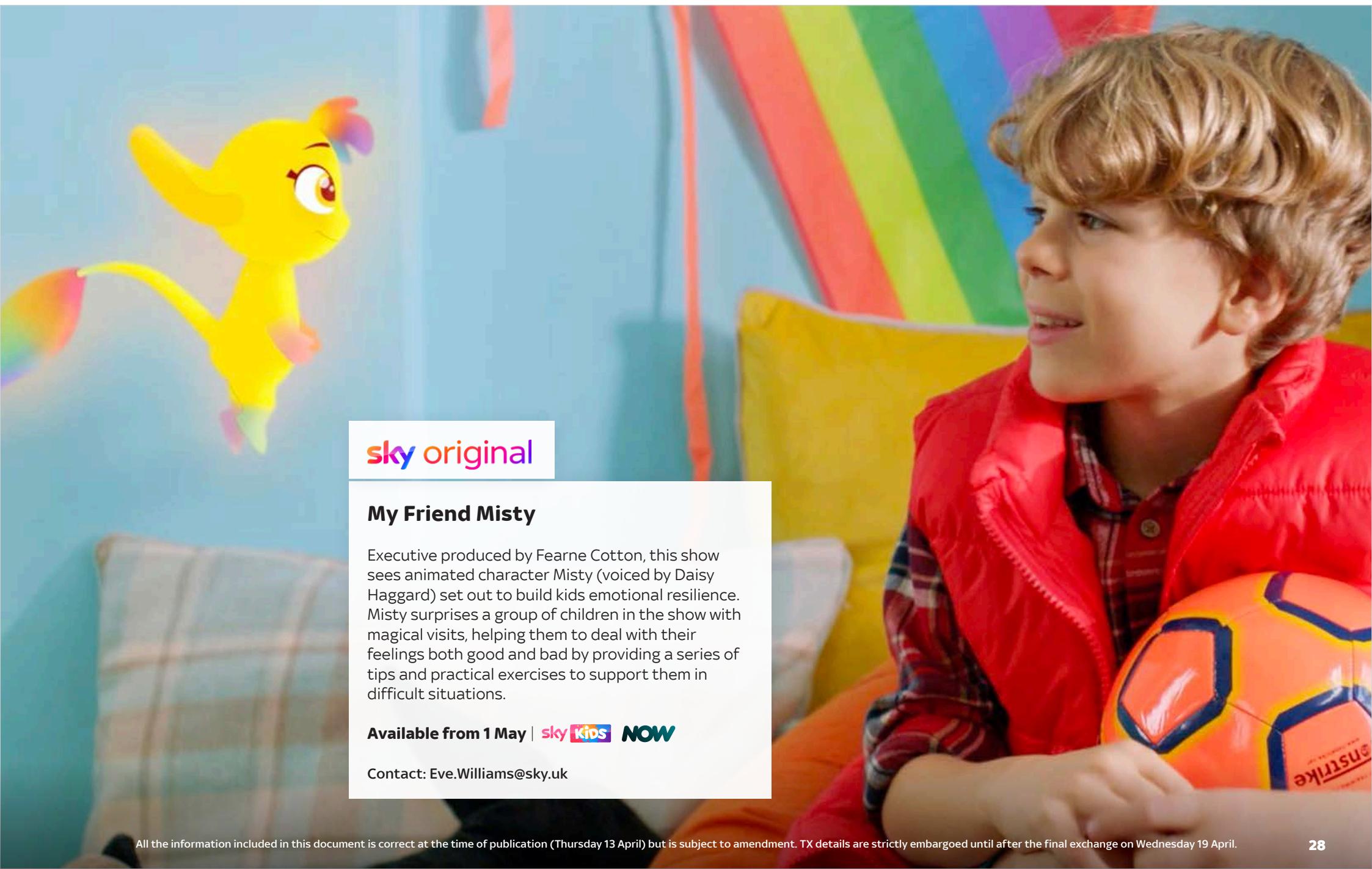
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sky original

The Essex Murders Truth and Justice

Part 3 of 3

In the final episode of the series, The Essex Murders follows the hunt for an alternative suspect in the notorious assassination of the Essex Boys, uncovering explosive revelations that could change everything we know about a case that has divided people for 26 years. As he continues building an appeal for the two men convicted of the murders, private investigator David McKelvey must sift through a world of new theories, motives and potential alternative killers, made more complicated by a social media frenzy that has sprung up around the case. It's a journey that will ultimately take him into the dark underbelly of organised crime.

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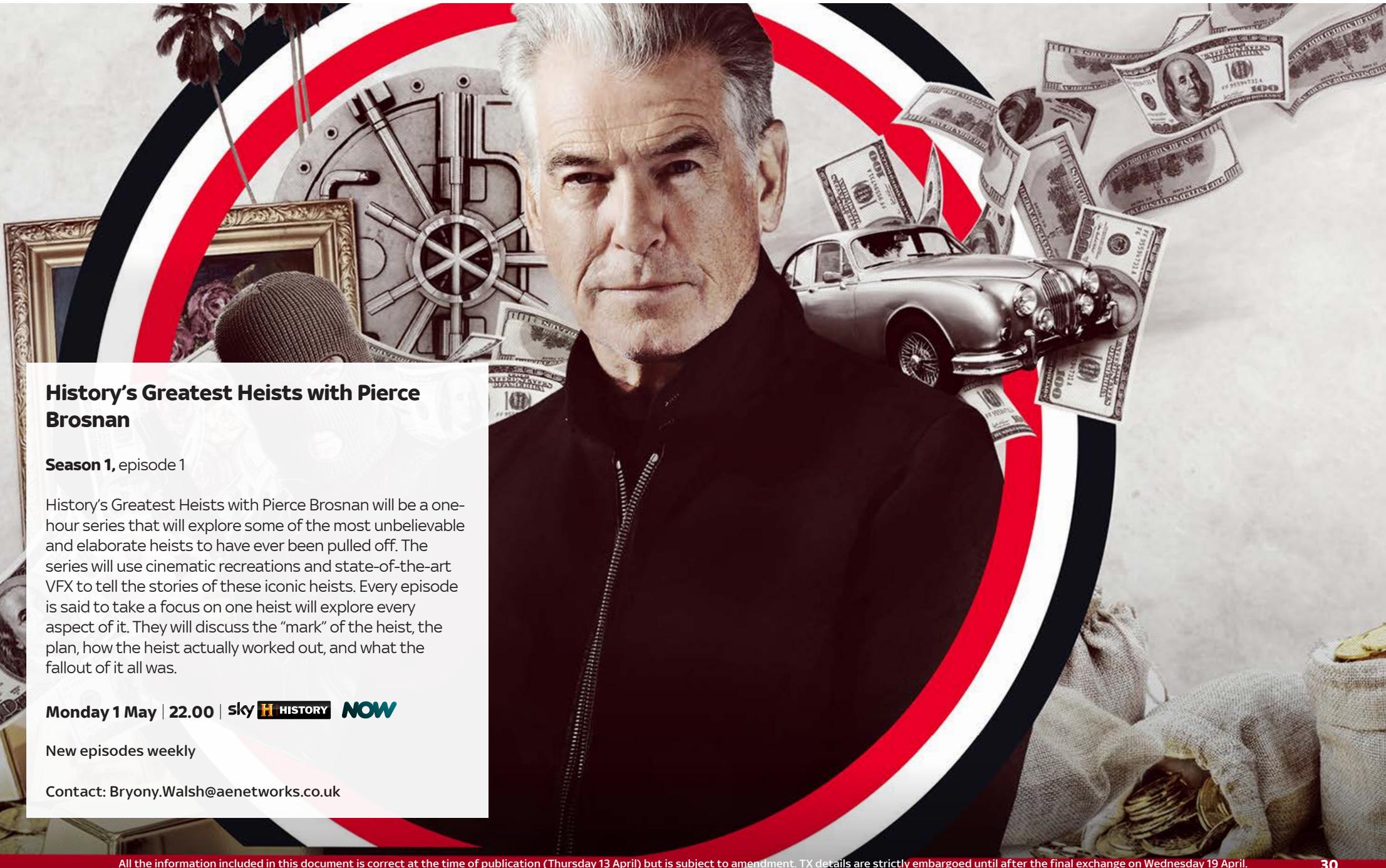
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sky **H** HISTORY



History's Greatest Heists with Pierce Brosnan

Season 1, episode 1

History's Greatest Heists with Pierce Brosnan will be a one-hour series that will explore some of the most unbelievable and elaborate heists to have ever been pulled off. The series will use cinematic recreations and state-of-the-art VFX to tell the stories of these iconic heists. Every episode is said to take a focus on one heist will explore every aspect of it. They will discuss the "mark" of the heist, the plan, how the heist actually worked out, and what the fallout of it all was.

Monday 1 May | 22.00 | sky **H** HISTORY **NOW**

New episodes weekly

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Deep Water Salvage

Season 2, episode 1

Deep Water Salvage offers a rare and in-depth look at the demanding world of marine construction firms around the globe on missions to salvage ships in peril from extreme ocean weather.

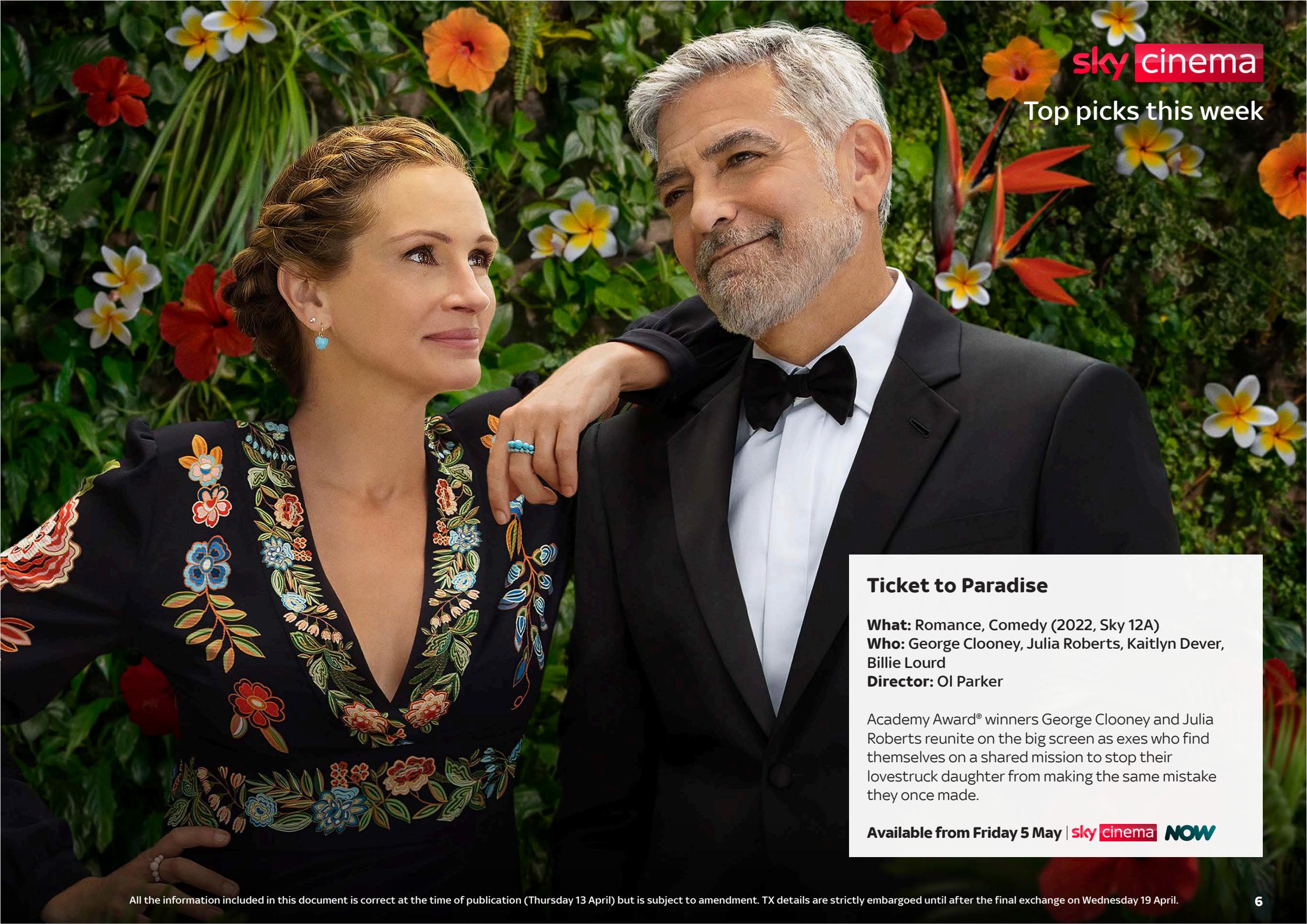
Each episode is an immersive, revealing, and exciting adventure in which viewers get access to the closed and sometimes secretive world of marine salvage. Through exclusive admission to salvage companies operating in regions including the USA, Central America and the UK, the docuseries offers a look into the tough and unrelenting world of the salvage crews. Body cams and diving helmets equipped with HD cameras, combined with footage captured by production crews embedded in the action, allow audiences to go along on these high-pressure missions.

Monday 1 May | 20.00 | sky **H HISTORY **NOW****

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sky cinema

Top picks this week

Ticket to Paradise

What: Romance, Comedy (2022, Sky 12A)
Who: George Clooney, Julia Roberts, Kaitlyn Dever, Billie Lourd
Director: Ol Parker

Academy Award® winners George Clooney and Julia Roberts reunite on the big screen as exes who find themselves on a shared mission to stop their lovestruck daughter from making the same mistake they once made.

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Resurrection

What: Thriller, Drama (2022, Sky 15)

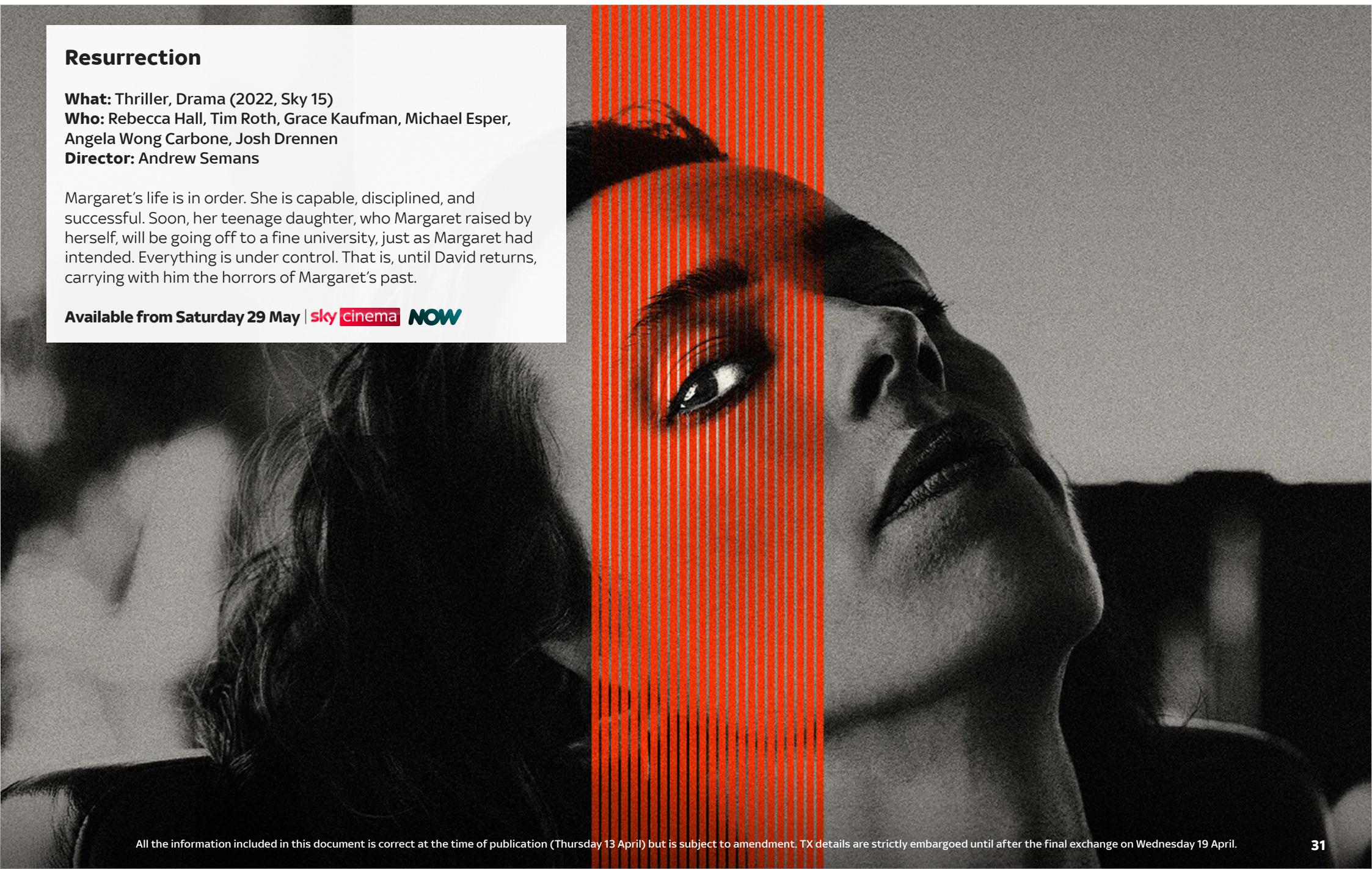
Who: Rebecca Hall, Tim Roth, Grace Kaufman, Michael Esper,

Angela Wong Carbone, Josh Drennen

Director: Andrew Semans

Margaret's life is in order. She is capable, disciplined, and successful. Soon, her teenage daughter, who Margaret raised by herself, will be going off to a fine university, just as Margaret had intended. Everything is under control. That is, until David returns, carrying with him the horrors of Margaret's past.

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Piggy

What: Horror (2022, Sky 15)

Who: Laura Galán, Richard Holmes, Carmen Machi, Irene Ferreiro

Director: Carlota Pereda

With the summer sun beating down on her rural Spanish town, Sara hides away in her parent's butcher shop. A teenager whose excess weight makes her the target of incessant bullying, she flees a clique of capricious girls who torment her at the town pool, only to stumble upon them being brutally kidnapped by a stranger, who drives off with them in his van. When the police begin asking questions, Sara keeps quiet. Intrigued by the stranger - an interest that's mutual - she's torn between revealing the truth and protecting the man who saved her.

Available from Sunday 30 May | sky cinema **NOW**



Magic Mike's Last Dance

What: Comedy, Drama (2023, Sky 15)

Who: Channing Tatum, Salma Hayek, Caitlin Gerard, Gavin Spokes, Ayub Khan-Din, Jemelia George

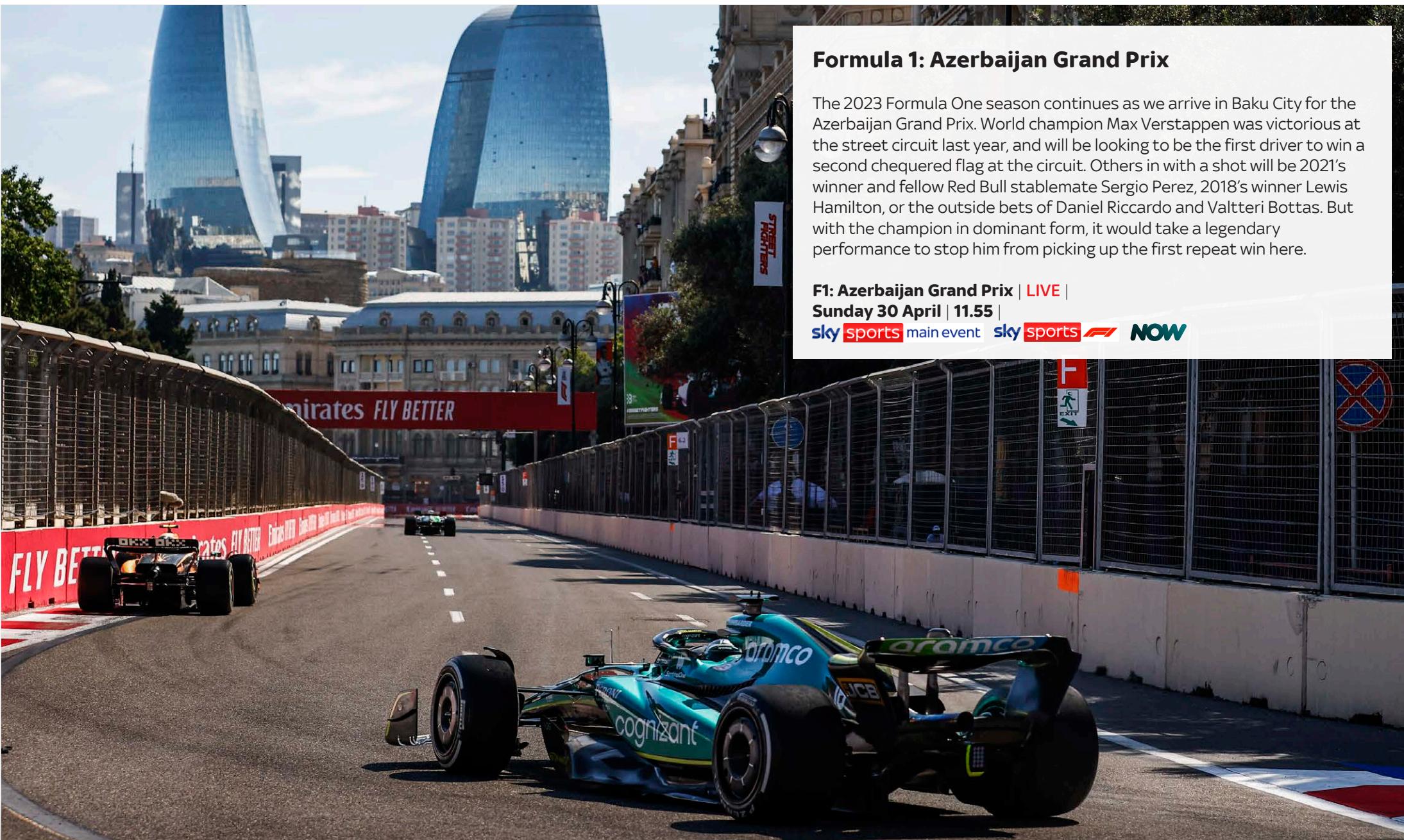
Director: Steven Soderbergh

"Magic" Mike Lane (Channing Tatum) takes to the stage again after a lengthy hiatus, following a business deal that went bust, leaving him broke and taking bartender gigs in Florida. For what he hopes will be one last hurrah, Mike heads to London with a wealthy socialite (Salma Hayek Pinault) who lures him with an offer he can't refuse... and an agenda all her own. With everything on the line, once Mike discovers what she truly has in mind, will he - and the roster of hot new dancers he'll have to whip into shape - be able to pull it off?

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Formula 1: Azerbaijan Grand Prix

The 2023 Formula One season continues as we arrive in Baku City for the Azerbaijan Grand Prix. World champion Max Verstappen was victorious at the street circuit last year, and will be looking to be the first driver to win a second chequered flag at the circuit. Others in with a shot will be 2021's winner and fellow Red Bull stablemate Sergio Perez, 2018's winner Lewis Hamilton, or the outside bets of Daniel Ricciardo and Valtteri Bottas. But with the champion in dominant form, it would take a legendary performance to stop him from picking up the first repeat win here.

F1: Azerbaijan Grand Prix | LIVE |

Sunday 30 April | 11.55 |

sky sports main event sky sports F1 NOW

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