

Monthly Newsletter FEBRUARY 2016



UNITY AND DIVERSITY-
NATIONAL DIGITAL BROAD-
CAST 13th February 2016.
Thank you to everyone who con-
tributed and helped to make this
national broadcast a big success.

Hosted by: Ana Gudalo
(Slovenian Gp)
And Daniel Chen
(Oxygen Gp)

Think Membership Renewal on Radio 4EB



4EB newsletter:
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I wish everyone all the best for 2016 and I hope you have been well during December and January. As 4EB continues to grow each day there will be subtle improvements that we hope everyone appreciates. A few of these improvements are listed below.

We have improved our membership system and have an increase in email addresses listed for members. We now have more than 1800 email addresses in our membership system. As you may be aware the postage fee increased to \$1 per letter earlier this year. As such, for every email address your group has that is a \$1 saved in postage per mailout. This saves money for your group and for 4EB. Please try to collect email addresses and assist the office in reducing the costs for your group. Contact the 4EB office to find out which members have email addresses as well as those members who do not have email addresses listed.

To further lower the cost for 4EB we have developed a system whereby membership receipts can be emailed rather than posted. If we have a member's email address then we will start emailing rather than posting their membership receipts shortly.

Another improvement at the station has been within the sponsorship system with a large amount of work occurring in the office. Panel Operators will have noticed changes to log sheets and there will be more changes to come!

I congratulate the Persian Group on extending its broadcast times with a new program being broadcast on Global Digital on Monday nights from 10pm to 11pm. Also, please note there will be a special live broadcast from the Australian Sikh Games being hosted by the Punjabi Group on Global from 9.30am to 5pm on Friday, Saturday and Sunday (25th to 27th of March). 4EB volunteers will also be out and about promoting the station to new students at the University of Queensland and the UQ Welcome Expo on the 22nd of February. If you would like to volunteer then please contact the office by Friday the 19th of February.

Another quick thank you to everyone who assisted with Radiothon as we received more than \$70,000 in donations - a magnificent effort! Funding is an integral part of every organisation and 4EB continues to campaign for the CALD communities to maintain current funding levels provided via the Community Broadcasting Foundation. Community support has been overwhelming with respect to this issue and I thank all volunteers for their input and acknowledge the strong connections that all 4EB programs have to the community as well as all of the community organisations we support in South East Queensland.

Finally, work continues on the development of the building which will be advertised for tender during March. I look forward to another entertaining year whereby we continue to connect the community and enrich the lives of our listeners, supporters and members.

Peter Rohweder
 Manager



Jason Hagen - 4EB Training Coordinator.

Training News

Welcome to 2016 and yet another busy broadcasting year ahead here at Radio 4EB and Global Digital. The first broadcast induction session of the year was held on the second of February with twenty new broadcasters joining the ranks, all very keen to start contributing to on-air programs. The next broadcast induction will be held on Tuesday evening on the first of March. The first round of panel training has also started with classes held on Monday evenings and Saturday mornings. The next round of panel training will commence in early April. I will also be running advanced audacity training sessions in the coming weeks on a Tuesday and Friday, if you would like to be involved please contact the office.

If anyone needs training in the OB Van, Studio Telephone, Portable Recorder **or anything else, don't be shy to come and see me or email me**

For more information on training visit the 4EB website and click on the Training Link.

Happy broadcasting,
Jason Hagen
jason@4eb.org.au

Next Broadcast
Training
Induction
Session will be
held on
The 1st March
2016 at 6.00pm

Panel Licence expires every two years. Please check the membership card for the expiry date. If your panel licence has expired, please contact the office immediately to organise the renewal notice to be posted or emailed. The office sends renewal letters at the end of each month.
NO LICENCE –NO PANELLING.



Radio 4EB is now using social media to reach an even bigger multicultural audience. Click the *LIKE* button on Radio 4EB and also the language program you enjoy listening to. Show your support and get the latest news and information by staying in touch through Facebook as well our Webpage 4eb.org.au



TuneIn is a privately held company based in Palo Alto, California founded as [RadioTime](#) in Dallas, Texas in 2002. TuneIn offers over 70,000 live global radio stations from every continent and has over two million on-demand programs from podcasts to concerts to interviews. In August 2012, TuneIn announced that its service had 40 million monthly **active listeners**. **RadioTime's database is updated** from automatic feeds, content management staff, and user contributions. TuneIn's primary product line, dubbed TuneIn Radio, uses the Radiotime engine in a suite of [mobile apps](#) for [iOS](#), [Android](#), [BlackBerry](#), [Samsung](#), [Windows Phone](#) devices.

You can access both 4EB and Global through TuneIn. Just go to [TuneIn.com](#)



GREAT OFFER FOR ALL 4EB BROADCASTERS \$189.00

Now Zoom recording technology is available to everyone. And with an infinite variety of applications, you'll want to take your H1 everywhere. From musical performances, song writing sessions and rehearsals to seminars, conferences, journalism or capturing audio for video applications, the H1 gives you clean, clear stereo sound effortlessly. The APH-1 package, comes with your purchase, includes six additional accessories for the H1. The package includes a windscreen, a mic stand clip adapter, an adjustable desktop tripod, a soft case, an AC adapter (USB type) and a USB cable.



WHAT'S HAPPENING AT 4EB?

<u>FEBRUARY:</u>	<u>MARCH:</u>
15th Convenors Meeting	1st Broadcasting Induction Session
20th Women's Luncheon 20th Tokelauan Group-AGM	3rd Executive Meeting
21st Romanian Group-AGM	5th Cook Islands Group-AGM 5th Tongan-AGM 5th Indian Group-Dinner Dance
22nd OB at UQ-Welcome Student Expo	12th Board Meeting
28th Japanese-AGM	13th Scottish Group-AGM
	19th BRISBANE COUNCIL-ELECTION
	20 th Spanish Group-AGM
	21st Convenors Meeting
	25th to 28th EASTER
	25th to 27th Punjabi Group-OB Van-Australian Sikh Games

EASTER BREAK: The office will close on 24th March at 5.00pm and re-open on Tuesday 29th March 2016 at 8.30am

All pre-recorded programs for that weekend must reach 4eb on Thursday 24th at midday. Pre-recorded programs must be emailed to the following addresses:

info@4eb.org.au

manager@4eb.org.au

production@4eb.org.au



WOMEN'S LUNCHEON

DON'T FORGET 20th February at 12.30pm @ 4EB - GREAT SPEAKERS

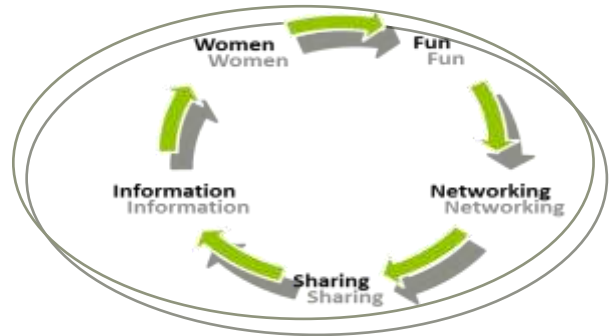
Myrla Prianes-The Importance of being a Justice of the Peace

Career Keys TBC

Eleni Seitis-Intuitive Healer and Bowen Therapist - Oasis Natural Health Foundation

FREE EVENT-FUN-INTERESTING-SOCIAL FUNCTION-COME AND JOIN US!!!

CALL 3240 8600 TO BOOK NOW!! EMAIL:info@4eb.org.au



RADIO 4EB
INDIAN PROGRAMMING GROUP
35+ YEARS CELEBRATIONS



Supporting the BUILDING FUND for Radio 4EB

35 plus year of work and celebrations

- <http://www.trybooking.com/Booking/BookingEventSummary.aspx?eid=173900>

3 Course Dinner

**\$10 (6-12 years kids)
\$30 (12+ year old and Adult)
Free (Kids upto 5 years)**

Networking Opportunity

Raffle Draw—2 return tickets to Delhi

Cultural Program — DJ And Bollywood Dance

4EB—Indian Programming Group
 "We are a community radio and want all the members of the community to be involved. We want you to use this medium to promote community events and participate in the Radio."

Saturday—5th March 2016
Sharp 6:30 pm till 9:00 pm
Macgregor State School Hall, 370 McCullough Street, Macgregor, QLD

- For tickets, sponsorship and further info:
- Shyam — 0412031301
 - Ashutosh — 0403208908
 - Rakesh — 0411289202
 - Amitha — 0422524728
 - Viral — 0410549689
 - Umesh — 0421388465
 - Kavita — 0422578654

*** Two return tickets to Delhi**

Come & Let us All Celebrate

Log on to facebook.com/RADIO4EB

News from the Dutch Radio Group

The first two meetings of 2016 are already behind us. Our committee wishes everyone at 4EB enjoyment and health for the year of 2016.

What a year 2015 has been!!!

Early last year we started the new intros to our programs. This intro, the first bars of the Coronation Waltz, by André Rieu, with the voice of Jason Hagen-training Coordinator announcing the Netherlands program, was received with great enthusiasm by our listeners.

Last year we handed out survey forms to find out what people wanted to hear. The results from the surveys allowed us to fine tune our programs where possible. We were very pleased to find out that we are still on the right track. We also lobbied to maintain the required number of members to keep our broadcast hours. Fortunately, we were able to maintain our four broadcasts programs. As with other previous years, we were invited to the NAQ Dutch Club Family Day, to promote 4EB. It's always nice to meet old friends and new immigrants.

It has also been more than two years that the Dutch program has been available on digital radio, with Cees and myself presenting a program on Global, every Saturday afternoon from five till six o'clock. **During 2015, the Dutch Government had to close consulates in many States, for economic efficiencies.** This included our Honorary Netherlands Consul Captain K. Kuiper, based in Brisbane. He was a great supporter to our radio group. We also lost of our two colleagues, Lenie and Rudy van Wyk, late last year. Lenie and Rudy had volunteered at 4EB for large number of years. Lenie Van Wyk was a Life member of Radio 4EB. They were well known to many of us at 4EB and I am sure that they will be greatly missed.

2016, is shaping up to be a year of opportunities and challenges. We have recruited for panel operators and we are happy to welcome Irene Maarschall. Irene is now completing the panel operators course, in the meantime you will be able to hear her sharing a program with colleague broadcasters.

Ina Huig



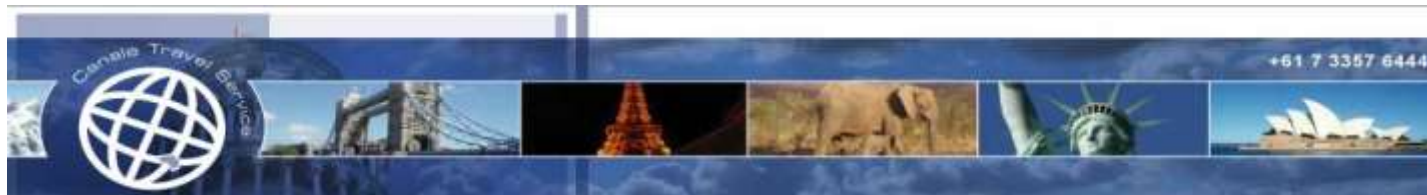
From Left: Cees Huig, Ina Huig, Helen Dykstra, Rens Broos, Bep Torkington and Greta Schimpf.

4EB would like to thank our sponsors, please support them.

The Board of Directors, Staff and volunteers would like to thank all our sponsors for their continuous support. Their contributions are a vital element of the Station.

If you wish to advertise at 4EB or Global, please email us at info@4eb.org.au or call (07) 3240 8600

The station offers competitive prices to suit sponsor's budget. We have the talented voices, production team and office staff to give advise to prospective businesses to achieve quality ads.



Next Broadcast Training
Information Session will be held on the
Tuesday 1st March 2016, at 6.00pm



Stick 'em on your fridge, Stick 'em on your car, Stick 'em on your letterbox, Stick 'em on ya dog, Stick 'em everywhere.

Be the envy of all your friends, Impress your neighbours.

The new 4EB and Global Stickers are available at the office now!

If you have any community event you want advertised just email them to info@4eb.org.au

If your group is taking the OB Van for an activity, please let the office know what would you like to take with you on the day. We can prepare memberships, program guides, stickers (when available), pens and banners. Write down any item when you complete the OB request form

Oxygen Youth Radio
Show
merchandise

Now available from 4EB Office
in sizes 10 and 12.



OFFICE HOURS:

Monday to Friday
8.30am to 5.00pm

Public Holidays
CLOSED

Listen to Oxygen on Friday 9.15pm to 10.00pm

CAXTON LEGAL CENTRE will be conducting some free Community Legal Information Sessions within the community, including a road trip to the coast. The following dates has been scheduled as per below:

Thursday 3 March 2016 : 10am – 12noon	Brisbane Square Library
Friday 8 April 2016 : 10am – 12noon	Broadbeach Branch Library
Road Trip	
Monday 18 April 2016	Noosaville Library Free Community Legal Education 10am – 12noon
Tuesday 19 April 2016	Hervey Bay Library Free Community Legal Education 1pm – 3pm Free Outreach 3pm – 5pm
Wednesday 20 April 2016	Bundaberg Library Free Community Legal Education 10am – 12noon Free Outreach 1pm – 3pm
Thursday 21 April 2016	Maryborough Library Free Community Legal Education 10am – 12noon
Road Trip	
Thursday 5 May 2016 10am – 12noon	Beenleigh Library
Thursday 12 May 2016 10am – 12noon	Ipswich Library - Barry Jones Auditorium
Thursday 2 June 2016 10am – 12noon	Logan North Library

For more information contact **CAXTON LEGAL SERVICE**

Tel: 07 3214 6333

Fax: 07 3846 7483

Email: caxton@caxton.org.au

Office Hours: Monday to Friday 9.00 am to 4.30 pm

26 MARCH 2016 DINKA AGAAR'S LAKES STATE COMMUNITY CULTURAL FESTIVAL

Community social coherence and harmony

Come join us in what will be a divine day in Brisbane, With many different South Sudanese groups showcasing their unique ethnic dances, songs and enrich cultural stories and attributes!

Address: 16 Noel street, Slacks Creeks, off Kingston Road

From 12noon to 11.00pm



“South Sudan History
through cultural attributes”



INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY 8 MARCH 2016

International Women's Day is celebrated in many countries around the world. It is a day when women are recognised for their achievements without regard to divisions, ethnic, linguistic, cultural, economic or political. International Women's Day first emerged from the activities of labour movements at the turn of the twentieth century in North America and across Europe. *Ref: United Nation <http://www.un.org/en/events/womensday/history.shtml>*

In recent years, International Women's Day has evolved to a new global dimension for women in both developed and developing countries. It is no surprise that the Station celebrates this day with a passion. Currently our database shows that there are more than 1,600 women as members, with approximately 377 women volunteering at 4EB. These figures are very close in comparison with their counter male numbering 402.

4EB caters well for the women population with its popular show on Friday midday. **WOMEN'S PROFILE**. The program targets women from all cultural background and different walks of life. We have the privilege to offer a place to talk to women about the common issues they face throughout their lives. Topics covered during the programs include, but not limited to, domestic violence, careers, education, sports and women in the work force, both volunteers and paid positions making a difference in our society. Live and weekly interviews add an exciting element to the segments. You can listen to **WOMEN'S PROFILE**-on Fridays from 12noon to 1.00pm

In addition, FOCUS Program on Thursdays from 12noon to 1.00pm, enhances and complements the **Women's Profile program by conducting interviews with prominent women in Brisbane. Focus is a community interest program interviewing a variety of personalities from government, private and community sector. Tune into FOCUS on Thursdays from 12noon to 1.00pm**



THE UNIVERSITY OF QUEENSLAND IS HOSTING A STUDENT WELCOME EXPO on MONDAY 22 FEBRUARY 2016 at St Lucia Campus. The event will commence at 10.00am to 1.00pm. Students will have an opportunity to visit all the information stalls on the day and ask questions regarding their studies, accommodation and other amenities. Radio 4EB will be there with the OB Van distributing information about the station; encouraging young people to get involved; making a presence amongst university students.

Other information stalls include Student Flights, Surf Life Saving Qld, ATO, Accommodation, International House, Legal Aid Qld, Translink and many more.

Please inform your community of this event and invite them to visit RADIO 4EB.



LOOK FOR THE 4EB STALL AT UQ
STUDENT WELCOME EXPO
Monday 22 February 2016

From 10:00am to 1:00pm

Do you want to participate? Do you have time from 10.00am to 1.00pm on the 22nd? Volunteers are welcome. Call the office by Friday 19 February 07 3240 8600

Zillmere Community Centre presents
A CELEBRATION OF CULTURAL DIVERSITY
Saturday 12th March 2016, 10am – 3pm
Zillmere Community Centre 54 Handford Road, Zillmere
Phone 3865 2880

FREE EVENT FOR EVERYONE

ACTIVITIES:

Morning tea
Fun Activities for the children
Entertainment
Multicultural Food, Raffle and
Yarning, Information Stalls and more

**DON'T MISS THE ZILLMERE MULTICULTURAL
FESTIVAL**



Other important dates in February and March

16th February Lithuania Day
19th February BEMAC presents First Nations Roots Music from
Canada, Digging Roots
21st February International Mother Language Day

6th March-Clean Up Australia
8th International Women's Day
11th BEMAC presents Women of the World
11th French Film festival
17th March St Patrick's Day
19th March Brisbane City Council Elections
19th National Close the Gap Day
21st Persian New Year-Nowruz Festival
21st Harmony Day
25th to 28th March Easter Weekend
Sunday 27 March National Neighbour Day

The Rotary Club of Sumner Park invites you to participate in a free workshop. **REINVENTING YOURSELF AFTER CHILDREN**-Looking at balancing work and family information

When: Tuesday 8th March 2016
Time: 10.00am to 2.00pm
Address: Windermere Room, Jindalee Hotel.

If you wish to participate email to:
eventsjindalee@gmail.com



Frosty-
Fresh Crew

UFC fighter
Mark "Super
Samoaan"
Hunt

**FRESH CREW IN ACTION Sa-
moan Youth program Thursdays
6.00am to 7.45am**

The FRESH CREW-Samoan Youth program has been busy interviewing UFC fighter Mark Hunt known as "Super Samoaan" Mark is releasing his autobiography as he leads to his fight in Brisbane, on Saturday 20th March 2016.

Lets get behind Mark to achieve another step forward in his career. Speaking of Youth programs, and as the Youth NEMBC and 4EB representative, I am calling for youth broadcasters to participate within your language program or Oxygen program

Are you under 30 years old?
Do you like to talk and socialise?
Do you think the youth in your community aren't being heard?
Do you want to voice youth issues?
Are you interested in networking and building lifelong connections?
If you like to explore any of these areas of your life and expand your knowledge as well your social circles, then yes WE ARE LOOKING FOR YOU!!! Please contact me so we can discuss your interest and I can give you some information on how to become a member and do training at 4EB. To our faithful "Youth" presenters, it is time to get together and reflect on our past experience. Ideas such as holding a Forum, Social Meetings, or have your own YOUTH DINNER DANCE. That will be awesome!!!
My contact is:
sarah.liowillie@gmail.com or 4EB (07)3240 8600



Tofiga
Faaleava,
Fresh Crew

UFC fighter
Mark "Super
Samoaan"
Hunt



**Sarah Lio Willie
Fresh Crew,
NEMBC and Radio
4EB Youth representa-**

I have a privileged to interview Michael El-Bacha.

Michael is the Quikstrike Brand Ambassadors, President at "I AM Alright" and Author of "Oh My God Am I Alright?" Past: Convict - The Film and Sydney Gay & Lesbian Mardi Gras.

The Arabic Radio Group interviewed Michael El - Bacha, author of "Oh My God Am I Alright?" who came to Brisbane from NSW to meet us and talk about his book.

Michael was born in Parramatta, Sydney to a traditional Lebanese family; he married at 19-years old in the old traditional way as an arranged and 'forceful' marriage. He did not know what love was and did not have any sexual experience, according to the book: 'I my heart beating hard, and forty minutes later we were husband and wife, I was under so much pressure.'

His marriage failed because of his sexual orientation, soon after he walked out on his family, he realised he was gay. He says: "I didn't have to try so hard anymore, it just came naturally to me, that's when I realised I liked boys and why I just couldn't be with my wife anymore."

He has a son and it broke his heart that he couldn't be there for him. During the interview, when he read the dialogue that took place between him and his son he wept.. "I love my son."

He said: "'Oh my God am I Alright?'" is a true account of my life. My sexuality is between me and God, He will judge me in the end no one else. I want to help other people with my story so I can help them be true to themselves and not live a lie, I hope I find love, it's what has been missing for years and what would complete me.'

'I know it was challenging, but I spoke for the first time about my story in the Arabic language thanks to Brisbane's 4EB Radio Station (Ethnic Radio Station) and especially thanks to Dina Hanhan. The interview was very interesting and enjoyable, Dina you are a great interviewer and I felt comfortable talking about my personal life with you. Thank you for helping me express myself in Arabic, it made my first experience speaking publicly about my sexuality and my book much easier.

My response to Michael was:

Michael you are a lovely person, but I must admit that I was worried about having you on my show, especially when talking about such a controversial topic such as homosexuality. I presented a lot of facts for the listeners to understand more about it, but I also wanted to make sure to broadcast an unbiased show, where it doesn't judge or condemn but also does not support either. I was merely presenting a social topic I felt it was good to target and great to learn about. I understand that a lot of conservative audiences listen to the show and this made me weary of how to present the topic but I believe it was a very successful and informative interview.

Dina Saleem Hanhan
Convenor of the Arabic Group



Dina Hanhan and Michael El-Bacha at Radio 4EB Studios.

If you capture the essence of local Australian community broadcasting you could win a share of \$3,000 in cash prizes!

Who is the Community Broadcasting Foundation?

The Community Broadcasting Foundation (CBF) has been supporting local independent community broadcasting for more than 30 years.

We are Australia's largest funder of community radio and TV stations, managing over \$191M of funding to the sector since 1984.

A not-for-profit charity organisation, the CBF supports over 450 community broadcasting stations across the country - metro, suburban, regional and remote.

What can I win?

You will win \$1,000 CASH if your photo is judged as the overall best image!

There are 4 CASH PRIZES of \$500 each, one prize for each category and an additional \$500 cash prize for the best overall photo.

Another \$500 cash prize will be awarded to the station connected with the image judged to be the best overall.

Entries close 9am 2 May 2016.

Categories

Focus on Station exterior or interior - an image of the interior or exterior of a station
(contact your [local station](#) first for access)

Focus on Production or transmission equipment - an image of production equipment
(some transmission equipment is in restricted spaces - contact your [local station](#) for access)

Focus on Volunteers and/or staff - an image of the people that make the station

Focus on Listeners/Viewers - photos of the people that consume local community broadcasting

Judging Criteria

These images are being sourced for use on our website, annual report, social media, fundraising collateral and other uses as required.

Images must represent local community broadcasting, so lively, bright and fresh images are what we looking for.

They must also represent the CBF's vision: Community broadcasting is a thriving independent media sector for all Australian communities.

And stand for the pillars that local community broadcasting upholds: access, diversity, independence, localism, multiculturalism, inclusion and social justice.

All entrants must agree to the Terms and Conditions as listed in the entry.

www.cbf.com.au



4EB FM SHARING THE WORLD WITH YOU ON 98.1 FM

4EB is a not-for-profit community radio station that is formally known as the Ethnic Broadcasting Association of Queensland Limited (EBAQ). Radio 4EB was formed by a group of Brisbane residents interested in creating an ethnic radio station with broadcasting commencing in 1979.

The station has made its mark as one of the most successful ethnic community radio stations in Australia with over 4500 members in more than 50 cultural groups from around the world.

The success of the station is due to a combination of more than 400 volunteers, a small but dedicated team of staff and state of the art technology to broadcast information, entertainment and education out to listeners.

The Radio 4EB signal range is from Northern NSW and the Gold Coast sweeping up the coast through Brisbane, Toowoomba and all the way up to Gympie, informing our listeners of the many local events, services and activities within our communities.

Digital Program Guide for Global

Monday

The Wire	5.30pm to 6pm
Italian	6pm to 7pm
Korean	8pm to 9pm
Filipino	9pm to 10pm
Persian	10pm to 11pm

Tuesday

The Wire	5.30pm to 6pm
Persian	7pm to 8pm
Filipino	9pm to 10pm

Wednesday

The Wire	5.30pm to 6pm
Romanian	7pm to 8pm
Filipino	9pm to 10pm

Thursday

Fair Comment	1.30pm to 2pm
Maori	2pm to 4pm
The Captain Hrs	4pm to 5pm
The Wire	5.30pm to 6pm
Punjabi	6pm to 8pm
Fijian	8pm to 9pm
Filipino	9pm to 10pm
Studio D'Essai	10pm to 11.00pm

Friday

Men's Stories	3pm to 4pm
Multicultural	4pm to 5pm
The Wire	5.30pm to 6pm
Vietnamese	6pm to 7pm
Bollywood Show	7pm to 9pm
Japanese	9pm to 10pm

Saturday

Samoan	10am to 3pm
Slovenian	3pm to 5pm
Dutch	5pm to 6pm
French	6pm to 7pm
TAK	7pm to 7.30pm
Cantonese	7.30pm to 9pm

Sunday

Telugu	8am to 9am
Swara Lahari	9am to 10am
Indian	11am to 12noon
Scottish	2pm to 3pm
Punjabi	4pm to 6pm
Telugu	7pm to 8pm
Samoan	8pm to 11pm

