

Friday 29 December 2017

12:04 All Night Programme

Including: **12:05** Music after Midnight;
12:30 Black Sheep: Epidemic (RNZ); **1:05**
The Friday Feature (BBC); **2:30** The
Sampler (RNZ); **3:05** To Jess by Alice
Tawhai (RNZ); **3:30** The Why Factor (BBC);
5:10 Witness (BBC)

6:00 Breakfast

An early miscellany of music, stories and
random thoughts with Katrina Batten.

6:14 Witness: History as told by the
people who were there (BBC)

6:35 One Quick Question: Rapid
answers to listeners' queries (RNZ)

**6:45 50 Things That Made the Modern
Economy: The Clock** Tim Harford tells
the fascinating stories of 50 inventions,
ideas and innovations which have helped
create the economic world. (BBC)

**7:10 Roads Run Through Us by John
Bluck** Thoughts on the place of roads in
the minds and lives of New Zealanders.(4
of 6, RNZ)

**6:50 50 Things That Made the
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which have helped create the economic
world (BBC)

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Bluck**

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minds and lives of New Zealanders. Part
four: Road manners (4 of 6, RNZ)

8:10 Summer Times

A holiday season of interviews, features,
music and stories with Megan Whelan.
(RNZ)

**10:30 The Halfmen of O by Maurice
Gee, told by Lloyd Scott**

(RNZ)

12:00 The World At Noon

A roundup of today's news and sport

12:12 Worldwatch

12:28 Matinée Idle

An afternoon of alleged music and
dubious entertainment with Phil O'Brien
and Simon Morris. (RNZ)

5:00 Five O'Clock Report

A roundup of today's news and sport.

**5:10 The 9th Floor: Dame Jenny
Shipley (1997-99)**

Guyon Espiner talks to the first woman to
become Prime Minister, Dame Jenny
Shipley (RNZ) The 9th Floor

6:06 Encounters

Memorable exchanges from the past year
on RNZ National

Hemi Kelly is a licensed translator and a
full time lecturer in te reo Maori at AUT.
He translated Witi Ihimaera's new novella
"Sleeps Standing" - which explores the
concluding Battle of Orakau through the
eyes of a 16 year old boy. In August 2017
Hemi told Kathryn Ryan how he
translated Witi's prose word for word,
and his te reo text now sits opposite
Witi's, page by page in a new publication.

Don Henley was a founding member of
The Eagles - the biggest-selling American
band in history. After they broke up in
1980 Henley went solo as a singer-
songwriter. He spoke to Kim Hill in
February, just before he came to perform
in New Zealand

7:06 Summer Science

CrowdScience A BBC World Service
programme that takes listener questions
about life, Earth and the universe to
researchers hunting for answers at the
frontiers of knowledge.

8:06 The Compass

**On the Black Sea #1: The Voyage
Begins**

Tim Whewell journeys across and around
the Black Sea - a region of great strategic
importance. Setting out today from
Istanbul, and sailing north through the
Bosphorus straits towards Ukraine and
the historic port of Odessa. Every sort of
ship passes through the crowded
Bosphorus, but these days one stands
out - the Russian warships of the Black
Sea Fleet bound for Syria. (BBC)

8:30 Spotlight

The NZ Music Scene (RNZ)

9:06 Country Life

Memorable scenes, people and places in rural New Zealand (RNZ)

10:00 The 10 O'clock Report

A roundup of today's news and sport

10:30 50 Things That Made the Modern Economy

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10:45 For God's Sake Saddle Me A Donkey by Dinah Priestley

Part 4. Crossing the Border (Malaysia to Thailand): Dinah Priestley recalls how a small group of travelling New Zealanders came to dine with the Maharaja of Bharatpur (4 of 19, RNZ)

11:06 The Mixtape

Musical guests compile a C60 and talk us through their selections. (RNZ)