ries, bis own prairies, the ghis, like any cowboy, had a zy. Genghis loved bis borses, bim. He loved the mountains. mising land.' So says Hank rts the crazed opinion that

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ecorded session and interview with Dire

nman Mark Knopfler and witty Yank Randy Newman.

For Yourself 11.30pm GLR (94.9 FM,

000 to discuss the BBC's regional service Clement, Head of Broadcasting, Arnold ad of Local Radio and Peter Armstrong, V. For example, what happened to BBC Black Londoners' programme?

DAY 10

r Yourself Phone-In 9.05am R4 (93.5 720 AM)

reen, Controller of R4, joins Nick Ross your calls on 580-4411 about the

programmes and future plans. International Guitar Festival '88 5pm World Service (648 AM)

ert recordings beginning with Victoria de es and Ichiro.

uide 11.15am World Service (648 AM) ow to improve World Service reception. ix 8.30am, 9.30pm World Service (648

nstituted 'youth programme' has the o be good (yes, a meaningless cliche) iffered from a paucity of ideas in the ditions. Long unedited interviews with explorers do not make good 'youf radio'.

NESDAY 1

r Yourself Phone-In 11am R2 (89.1 909 AM)

rriott, Controller of R2, joins Jimmy answer listeners' questions.

treet Junior 3.30pm World Service (648

a series about life in a city primary

n 2 7pm R2 (89.1 FM, 693 + 909 AM) uest is ex-Planxty member Christy



rings Attached 10.15pm R2 (89.1 FM, O AM)

a sounds from Sweet Honey In The Rock.

RSDAY

of Life 7.20pm R4 (93.5 FM, 198 + 720

eonardo Cylinders 9.30pm R3 (89.1 FM, 1215 AM)

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The Arts for Television Tate Gallery Classroom (above address) Wed Jan 11 - Thur Jan 12 10.30-5.30 A selection of TV art and arts TV from Austria. Free.

reviews

The Green Socialist Video (Take the Cake Productions, 38 mins)

With our stop-go alliance of Reds and Greens in one of its more fraternal phases, and with whales, waste and the wrecking of the Green Belt putting 'the environment' back on the party political map, this video, by Brighton's Take the Cake Prods, Shirin, living London, extolling the revolution. 10years later, she's writing in despair of its consequences for women and the war with Iraq, which no one but the superpowers seems to want. Meanwhile, Shirin and her Maltese boyfriend cope with the hassles of living in a foreign country, racism and imminent deportation. What this video has to say is pertinent; its problem is that it says it rather than showing it. So much of this is taken up with explication that you forget its fictional intent. When it does opt for a metaphor – namely 'the Caged Bird', it hangs on doggedly. See this for its potent analysis of British imperialism in an Iranian context but don't watch it as video art. (Amanda Lipman)



If the revolution is going to be televised, someone better make sure that the footage is of broadcast standard. For all the things that agit-prop videos could learn from TV's attention to the look (especially at a time when controversial tapes have been pulled off air, with low-grade visuals being cited as a convenient excuse), should they also fall in with TV's dominant styles? Put another way: should young video makers today pay the slightest bit of notice to the popular language of 'youth TV' (especially, again, when videos tricks and disruptions have increasingly fallen on Def ears)? Pictorial Heroes REFLECTIONS ON THE ART OF THE STATE plays at the ICA on Sunday in a package of tapes called 'Heads Full Of Noise'. Musing on our late '80s meshing of politics and style, it treats its livid, Last-of-England footage to all manner of flips and spins, puts its parody media-brat presenter through some classic Network 7-style boops (giddy camera angles, stop-start reportage), reads and re-reads the Riot Act to the Thatcherite Britain of the '80s and eventually ends up coming across as a kind of Rough Guide to Radical Pessimism: 'Every image of revolutionary potential is changed, absorbed, stylised.' Clever-clever, clumsy, often all at one and the same time, it at least opens up TV's youth-style soap-box to a visual arguing that doesn't wash whiter than white. See Screenings • STEVEN BODE