

Haredim must end their misguided support for PM

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It's puzzling how the leaders of Israel's Haredi community in Israel are sticking to their support for Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu. In doing so, they are hurting both their community and their own legacies. In my assessment, they have exhausted whatever they can get from Netanyahu and need to initiate the formation of an alternative coalition.

I will attempt to clarify the implications of this Haredi support of Netanyahu. My argument rests on the premise that these leaders act to promote their community's interests – and their own personal ones. Let there be no doubt: I support many policies they oppose. These include ultra-Orthodox men serving in the military, the study of a (secular) core curriculum in Haredi schools, the separation of religion and state, an end to the diversion of government funding to the Haredi education system at the expense of others, and more. I am not trying to get them to “convert,” but rather to explain that even in the context of their own views, they are making a grave error.

The ultra-Orthodox are an important part of Israeli society, and the government has to consider their needs. Netanyahu is no longer doing this, however, for several reasons.

• **Netanyahu is a “weak autocrat.”** This term indicates a state of political pluralism in which there is competition between parties because the agents who seek

a dictatorship lack sufficient power to institute it. His political support is limited, and he is in desperate need of a coalition to support him. Over seven Knesset election campaigns, from 2009 to 2022, his Likud party won between 27 and 36 seats out of the Knesset's 120. On the eve of October 7, polls had it receiving 28 seats in an election. You cannot be an autocrat like Vladimir Putin, Viktor Orban or Recep Tayyip Erdogan when you have the support of only about a quarter of the voters and of the lawmakers.

In the judicial overhaul attempted by the Netanyahu government, which was supposed to serve his interests, the prime minister allowed his allies – chiefly Justice Minister Yariv Levin, National Security Minister Itamar Ben-Gvir, and Knesset Constitution, Law, and Justice Committee Chairman Simcha Rothman – to lead. That trio behaved foolishly, arrogantly and hastily and fumbled their mission. Arye Dery, chairman of the ultra-Orthodox Shas party, understood this as the events unfolded. Netanyahu was too weak to control them.

Worse yet, Netanyahu bears responsibility for creating a situation in which the Hamas attacks of October 7 could happen after allowing the organization to grow stronger and receive foreign funding for some 15 years. Against this backdrop, the Israeli public has lost confidence, and the polls now have Likud winning just 16 to 18 seats. Accelerating his

drop in support is his management of the war effort, characterized by a lack of realistic goals, constant disagreements with the defense minister and senior military officials, and political incentives biased toward the war's prolongation.

• **Netanyahu's situation is likely to further deteriorate.** U.S. President Joe Biden has begun working to get him out of power, or at least to bypass him. Contrary to Netanyahu's expectations, it isn't likely that former President Donald Trump will support him if he is elected this year. A deal with Saudi Arabia that will involve the creation of a Palestinian state. The Saudis see Netanyahu as an obstacle to the process, as they need to find a political solution to the Gaza war that will involve the creation of a Palestinian state.

But Netanyahu continues to oppose a Palestinian state, to the point of making it the key issue of his current public relations campaign. Moreover, following the International Court of Justice genocide hearings in The Hague, there is an increased likelihood that indictments will be filed against him at the International Criminal Court, in various European countries, and, under certain conditions, in the U.S., too. Netanyahu is on his way to becoming the new Slobodan Milosevic.

• **The Haredim are dependent on the economically strong parts of Israeli society,** including the high-tech sector and the high quality parts of the military, as well as on the Haredi community of New York.

Both the judicial overhaul and the Gaza war threaten the continued benefits derived from these groups. What dynamics are at play here? Ninety percent of investment in the high-tech sector is made by foreign nationals. If Israel is stuck in the Gaza mud and in other regional conflicts for the next year and Netanyahu is leading there, these investors will withdraw from Israel. High-tech emigration will rise, alongside the emigration of doctors and veterans of the Intelligence Corps and air force. The results will be government tax revenue suffering a severe blow, GDP per capita declining, and the quality of the IDF diminishing.

The Haredi community in New York is meanwhile in an ongoing conflict with government officials, in particular with New York City and New York State. The federal government has not yet used its full power in dealing with this community. Any crisis will lead to a fall in its support for the ultra-Orthodox in Israel.

• **An important development is Haredi voters' political shift to the right.** The far-right Ben-Gvir and his party are pulling votes away from Haredi parties. Although the ultra-Orthodox and the far right are now cooperating, the former had better realize that the latter, which is supported by the needy Netanyahu, will only draw votes away and undermine their voter base. A common political error in many countries is to think that the drift to the extreme right can be avoided by adopting its ideology,



United Torah Judaism's Moshe Gafni, left, and Arye Dery of Shas at the Knesset, late last year.

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but voters will always prefer “the original.”

Another scenario that the Haredim must take into account is the possibility that after the next election, it may be possible for a 65-member coalition to be formed without them, possibly including a new party led by ex-Mossad head Yossi Cohen and for-

mer Prime Minister Naftali Bennett. If the Haredim take the initiative in the current Knesset, they can reduce this risk.

The core fundamental problems also need to be addressed. The ultra-Orthodox will ultimately come to realize the socioeconomic implications of Israel's demographic makeup. The 1.3 million Haredim make up 14 percent of the total population. In 40 years, 2065, there are projected to be 6.5 million ultra-Orthodox – 32 percent of the population.

There are currently over 156,000 yeshiva students, including more than 100,000 who have an exemption or deferral from military service. Their religious educational background doesn't facilitate their employment in high-skill professions. Thus, this large population does not bear the burdens of military service or taxes and is supported by government grants and subsidies.

This is not a sustainable

path. A fundamental change is needed, as the more prosperous population segments in Israel and New York Jewry will not provide the necessary support. The Haredim will need to change course. They could, for example, decide on a limited number of Torah students while the rest of the community joins the labor force after getting the necessary educational foundation. Netanyahu has worked to keep the Haredim from recognizing these processes. But postponing the recognition won't help. Instead, it will make the process much less controllable for them.

The same is true for the need to replace Netanyahu. They would be wise to announce that they are withdrawing their support for him now, and be instrumental in the formation of an alternative coalition. National Unity Party Chairman Benny Gantz is a realistic and reasonable prime ministerial candidate in this context. The question of a deal

to get the hostages in Gaza released could be a very good justification for such a change. It is also an opportunity to rid the government of the far right.

After the deaths of Rabbi Elazar Shach in 2001 and Rabbi Ovadia Yosef in 2013, and in the absence of comparable successors, the Haredi community is now led by politicians – mainly Dery, United Torah Judaism lawyer Moshe Gafni, and Construction and Housing Minister Yitzhak Goldknopf. This trio should secure the future of their community, its place in Israeli society, and their own place in history by acting as soon as possible to form a new coalition. This will prevent their support base from disappearing and the Haredi community from finding itself in an existential crisis.

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Wednesday
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CHANNEL KAN 11 (Y11/H11)

06.00 The Morning News 07.00 This Morning 08.00 Kaiman-Lieberman - Live Reshet Bet radio show 10.00 Today's Agenda - with Keren Neubach 12.00 Cooking with comedian Tom Yar (s.2) 13.00 A Rendezvous with Roni Kuban - Roni Kuban interviews Adina Bar-Shalom 13.30 Kupa Rashit - Israeli comedy series (s.2) 14.00 Israel at War - with Sharon Wexler & Uri Levy 15.00 The World Today - World News 16.00 Israel at War - with Maya Rachlin 16.55 On the Other Hand - with Guy Zohar 17.55 Israel at War - with Ayala Hasson 19.50 The Evening News 21.30 The Chase - Game Show (s.2) 22.35 News 23.15 Kupa Rashit - Israeli comedy series (s.2) 23.40 Hip - Comedy crime series (s.2) 00.45 The Food Ambassadors - with Chef Barak Yehezkel (s.4) 01.40 Sofa Stories - Celebrities share experiences from their personal lives

KESHET (Y12/H12)

06.00 Today's Headlines 07.00 The Morning Show - with Nir Raskin 09.30 Special news broadcast - with Nesli Barda 12.00 Special news broadcast - with Ofir Hadad & Amalya Duek 16.55 Special news broadcast - with Rafi Reshet 17.55 Special news broadcast - with Oded Ben-Ami 19.00 Special news broadcast - with Keren Marciano 19.55 The News 21.30 What a Wonderful Country - Satire 22.50 Tonight - with Yair Sherki & Haim Levinson 00.00 While You Were Working - with Danny Peled and Dror Globerman 01.15 Fact - with Ilana Dayan 02.10 A Body That Works - Israeli drama series

RESHET (Y13/H13)

06.00 The Morning Show - with Omer Yardeni & Rotem Israel 09.30 News Flash 09.35 Starting the Day - with Elad & Yarden 10.00 News Flash 10.05 Starting the Day (cont.) 11.00 News Flash 12.05 Starting the Day (cont.) 12.00 News Flash 12.05 The 0's - Israeli comedy series 13.00 Israel at War - with Amnon Levy 15.00 Talk of the Day - with Lucy Aharish 16.50 Israel at War - with Netai Shem Tov & Almog Boker 18.55 Israel at War - with Raviv Drucker 19.55 The News 21.30 Details unavailable 22.55 The Tube - with Guy Zohar 23.30 Israel at War - with Tal Berman 00.00 Midnight & More - Podcast

HOT 3 (H3)

08.00 Vigil (s.2) 09.00 The Good Wife (s.4) 09.45 Cheaters 10.20 Mom and Dad 10.55 Vigil (s.2) 11.55 Offspring (s.3) 12.45 Cheaters 13.15 Mom and Dad 13.50 Northern Exposure 14.40 The Good Wife (s.4) 15.30 The Young and the Restless 16.10 The Bold and the Beautiful (2 eps) 16.55 The Young and the Restless 17.30 Vigil (s.2) 18.30 Offspring (s.3) 19.15 Connected (s.2) 19.40 Mom and Dad 20.20 You Shall Not Lie (s.2) 21.20 Offspring (s.3) 22.05 Head Wound 22.40 Northern Exposure 23.35 You Shall Not Lie (s.2) 00.35 The Good Wife (s.4) 01.20 Head Wound 01.55 Northern Exposure

HOT HBO (H4)

09.45 Gentleman Jack (s.2) 10.45 Reyka 11.30 Divorce 12.10 Crime 13.00 Mad Men (s.4) 13.50 Gentleman Jack (s.2) 14.50 Divorce 15.20 Reyka 16.15 Crime 17.05 Mad Men (s.4) 17.55 Gentleman Jack (s.2) 19.00 Divorce 19.30 Reyka 20.25 Crime 21.20 Paul T. Goldman 21.55 Mad Men (s.4) 22.46 Kin (s.2) 23.35 Fellow Travelers 00.35 The Tourist 01.35 The Outlaws 02.40 The Sopranos



“Infinite,” Yes Movies Comedy, 21.30.

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HOT ZONE (H5)

06.25 Magnum P.I. (s.3) 07.10 NCIS: Los Angeles (s.12) 07.55 Chicago Fire (s.9) 08.35 Chicago P.D. (s.8) 09.15 Law & Order: Special Victims Unit (s.24) 10.00 Fire Country 10.40 FBI: Most Wanted (s.4) 11.25 Chicago Fire (s.9) 12.05 Magnum P.I. (s.3) 12.50 NCIS: Los Angeles (s.12) 13.30 Station 19 (s.3) 14.15 Chicago P.D. (s.8) 14.55 Law & Order: Special Victims Unit (s.24) 15.40 FBI: Most Wanted (s.4) 16.20 Chicago Fire (s.9) 17.00 Fire Country 17.45 Chicago P.D. (s.8) 18.25 NCIS: Los Angeles (s.12) 19.10 Magnum P.I. (s.3) 19.50 Law & Order: Special Victims Unit (s.24) 20.35 FBI: Most Wanted (s.4) 21.15 Chicago Fire (s.9) 22.00 Chicago Med (s.6) 22.40 CSI: Vegas (s.2, 2 eps) 00.05 Law & Order: Special Victims Unit (s.24) 00.45 Station 19 (s.3) 01.30 Chicago Med (s.6) 02.10 Chicago Fire (s.9)

HOT CHANNEL 8 (H8)

06.00 Kingdom of Dreams 06.55 Life as a Rumor 07.40 Sihat Nefesh - Psychoanalyst Yoram Yovel interviews actress Lirit Balan 08.10 Auschwitz - One Day 09.05 Apple: A Trillion Dollar Betrayal 10.00 Tech Billionaires - Jeff Bezos 10.55 Cyborg Society 11.55 Kingdom of Dreams 12.45 Auschwitz - One Day 13.40 Apple: A Trillion Dollar Betrayal 14.35 Tech Billionaires - Jeff Bezos 15.30 Cyborg Society 16.30 Kingdom of Dreams 17.30 Apple: A Trillion Dollar Betrayal 18.25 Tech Billionaires - Jeff Bezos 19.20 Cyborg Society 20.20 Auschwitz - One Day 21.15 Johnny Depp: Wild Child 22.10 Kingdom of Dreams 23.05 Money Machine 00.10 Johnny Depp: Wild Child 01.10 Kingdom of Dreams 02.05 Money Machine

YES DOCU (Y8)

07.50 Move Fast and Vape Things 09.00 Sabaya 10.35 Sipurey Badim - On the fashion industry in Israel 11.20 Painting with John (s.3) 11.45 The Invisible Pilot 12.40 Coextinction 14.15 Move Fast and Vape Things 15.25 The Other Mrs. Jordan 16.20 Q: Into the Storm 17.20 Sipurey Badim - On the fashion industry in Israel 18.05 Painting with John (s.3) 18.35 The Invisible Pilot 19.35 Rock, Paper, Scissors 20.30 You Only Die Twice 22.00 The Other Mrs. Jordan 22.55 How to Say Silence 23.55 The Plague Diaries - The Movie 01.45 Q: Into the Storm

HISTORY (Y44/H43)

05.35 The Boys 06.30 The Food That Built America (s.4, 2 eps) 08.00 Kennedy 08.40 Pawn Stars 09.25 American Pickers 10.05 The Toys that Built the World (s.2) 10.50 Alone (s.10) 11.35 The Unexplained (s.3) 12.15 The Secret of Skinwalker Ranch (s.3) 13.00 Kennedy 13.40 American Pickers 14.25 The Curse of

Oak Island (s.11) 15.10 Pawn Stars 15.50 American Pickers 16.35 The Toys that Built the World (s.2) 17.15 American Pickers 18.00 The Curse of Oak Island (s.12) 18.40 Kennedy 19.25 Alone (s.10) 20.10 The Secret of Skinwalker Ranch (s.3) 20.55 Pawn Stars 21.35 The Story of Us - The Levon Institute 21.45 The Proof is Out There (s.4) 22.30 Ancient Aliens 23.10 The Unexplained with Dan Aykroyd 24.50 Chicago Med 00.35 The Secret of Skinwalker Ranch (s.3) 01.20 The Unexplained (s.3) 02.30 Kennedy (2 eps) 02.00 The Proof is Out There (s.4)

YES TV DRAMA (Y5)

06.00 This Is Us (s.6) 06.55 Grey's Anatomy (s.19) 07.35 Station 19 (s.6) 08.25 Golden Bachelor 09.55 The Bold and the Beautiful 10.25 The Young and the Restless 11.05 Nancy Drew (s.4) 11.50 This Is Us (s.6) 12.35 Grey's Anatomy (s.19) 13.20 Station 19 (s.6) 14.05 Nancy Drew (s.4) 14.45 This Is Us (s.6) 15.30 Nancy Drew (s.4) 16.15 The Bold and the Beautiful 16.40 The Young and the Restless 17.25 Grey's Anatomy (s.19) 18.15 Station 19 (s.6) 19.05 Belgravia: The Next Chapter 19.55 The Bold and the Beautiful 20.20 The Young and the Restless 21.00 Fifteen Love 21.50 You Shall Not Lie (s.2) 22.45 Billions (s.3) 23.45 Girls (s.5, 2 eps) 00.45 Fifteen Love 01.35 You Shall Not Lie (s.2) 02.30 Billions (s.3)

YES TV ACTION (Y6)

06.00 Law & Order: Special Victims Unit (s.22) 06.45 Resident Alien (2 eps) 08.15 Law & Order: Organized Crime (s.2) 09.00 La Brea (s.2, 2 eps) 10.30 Rabbit Hole 11.20 Special Ops: Lioness 12.15 Resident Alien (2 eps) 13.45 La Brea (s.2, 2 eps) 15.15 Law & Order: Special Victims Unit (s.22, 2 eps) 16.40 Resident Alien (2 eps) 18.10 Rabbit Hole 19.00 Special Ops: Lioness 19.55 Law & Order: Organized Crime (s.2) 20.35 La Brea (s.2, 2 eps) 22.00 Vigil (s.2, 2 eps) 23.05 House of the Dragon 01.00 Banshee (s.3, 2 eps) 02.45 Snowfall (s.6)

YES TV COMEDY (Y7)

06.00 Veep (s.4, 2 eps) 07.10 Night Court (2 eps) 08.00 Young and Hungry (s.3, 2 eps) 08.50 The Buzaglos (s.8) 09.20 Veep (s.4, 2 eps) 10.20 Night Court (2 eps) 11.10 Hot in Cleveland (s.5, 2 eps) 12.00 The Buzaglos (s.8) 12.30 The Office (s.3, 2 eps) 13.20 Friends (s.6, 2 eps) 14.10 Married with Children (2 eps) 15.00 Hot in Cleveland (s.5, 2 eps) 15.50 Young and Hungry (s.3, 2 eps) 16.40 The Buzaglos (s.8) 17.10 The Office (s.3, 2 eps) 18.00 Friends (s.6, 2 eps) 18.50 Hot in Cleveland (s.6, 2 eps) 19.40 Married with Children (2 eps) 20.30 The Buzaglos (s.8) 21.00 Frasier 21.30 The Office (s.3,

2 eps) 22.20 Friends (s.6, 2 eps) 23.00 The Buzaglos (s.8) 23.30 Married with Children (2 eps) 00.20 Frasier 00.50 The Righteous Gemstones (s.3) 01.35 Night Court (2 eps)

EUROSPORT (Y61/H59)

06.30 Alpine Skiing - World Cup in Chamonix, France 07.30 Snooker - German Masters 09.30 Biathlon - World Cup in Hochfilzen, Austria 10.00 Biathlon - World Cup in Lenzerheide, Switzerland 11.00 Biathlon - World Cup in Antholz, Italy 14.40 Cyclo-Cross - Competition in Belgium 15.45 Cyclo-Cross - World Championship in Tabor, Czech Republic 15.55 Cyclo-Cross - Competition in Belgium 17.15 Biathlon - World Cup in Antholz, Italy 17.50 Biathlon - World Cup in Nove Mesto, Czech Republic 20.10 Alpine Skiing - World Cup in Willingen, Germany 22.00 Biathlon - World Cup in Nove Mesto, Czech Republic 23.30 Cyclo-Cross - Competition in Belgium 01.00 Cycling - Volta a la Comunitat Valenciana 02.30 Biathlon - World Cup in Nove Mesto, Czech Republic

MOVIE CHANNELS

HOT CINEMA 1 (H16)

07.05 The Catcher Was a Spy (USA, 2018). Drama. Dir: Ben Lewin. With Paul Rudd, Mark Strong, Tom Wilkinson. 08.40 Body of Lies (USA, 2008). Action. Dir: Ridley Scott. With Leonardo DiCaprio, Russell Crowe. 10.50 The Accountant (USA, 2016). Crime action. Dir: Gavin O'Connor. With Ben Affleck, Anna Kendrick, J.K. Simmons. 12.55 Suburbicon (UK/USA, 2017). Crime drama. Dir: George Clooney. With Matt Damon, Julianne Moore, Oscar Isaac. 14.40 The Usual Suspects (USA, 1995). Thriller. Dir: Bryan Singer. With Kevin Spacey, Stephen Baldwin, Gabriel Byrne. 16.25 The Kings Man (UK/USA, 2021). Dir: Matthew Vaughn. With Ralph Fiennes, Gemma Arterton, Rhys Ifans. 18.35 Lila & Eve (USA, 2015). Crime action. Dir: Charles Stone III. With Viola Davis, Jennifer Lopez. 20.10 The Last Stand (USA, 2013). Action thriller. Dir: Kim Jee-woon. With Arnold Schwarzenegger, Forest Whitaker, Johnny Knoxville. 22.00 Infinite (USA, 2021). Thriller. Dir: Antoine Fuqua. With Mark Wahlberg, Chwetel Ejifor. 23.45 Up in the Air (USA, 2009). Drama. Dir: Jason Reitman. With George Clooney, Vera Farmiga. 01.35 The Gunman (USA/Spain/UK/France, 2015). Action crime. Dir: Pierre Morel. With Sean Penn, Idris Elba, Jasmine Trinca.

HOT CINEMA 2 (H17)

07.30 Detective Knight: Redemption (USA, 2022). Action thriller. Dir: Edward Drake. With Bruce Willis, Lochlyn Munro, Miranda Edwards. 09.05 Fall (UK/USA, 2022). Thriller. Dir: Scott Mann. With Grace Caroline Currey, Virginia Gardner, Mason Gooding. 10.55 Last Man Down (Sweden/UK, 2021). Sci-fi action. Dir: Fansu Njie. With Daniel Stisen, Olga Kent. 12.20 The Legend of Hercules (USA, 2014). Adventure. Dir: Renny Harlin. With Kellan Lutz, Gaia Weiss. 14.00 The Man from U.N.C.L.E. (USA/UK, 2015). Action. Dir: Guy Ritchie. With Henry Cavill, Armie Hammer, Alicia Vikander. 15.55 Dungeons & Dragons: Honor Among Thieves (USA/Canada/UK, 2023). Adventure. Dir: Chris Pine, Michelle Rodriguez, Rege-Jean Page. 16.40 Fortress: Sniper's Eye (USA, 2022). Action thriller. Dir: Josh Sternfeld. With Jesse Metcalfe, Bruce Willis, Chad Michael Murray.

HOT CINEMA 3 (H18)

08.20 Night at the Museum: Secret of the Tomb (USA/UK, 2014). Adventure. Dir: Shawn Levy. With Ben Stiller, Robin Williams, Owen Wilson. 10.00 Rocket Science (USA, 2007). Comedy. Dir: Jeffrey Blitz. With Nicholas D'Agostino, Anna Kendrick. 11.40 The Break-Up (USA, 2006). Comedy. Dir: Peyton Reed. With Vince Vaughn, Jennifer Aniston. 13.25 Fools Gold (USA, 2008). Adventure. Dir: Andy Tennant. With Matthew McConaughey, Kate Hudson. 15.20 Office Christmas Party (USA, 2016). Comedy. Dir: Josh Gordon, Will Speck. With Jennifer Aniston, Jason Bateman, Olivia Munn. 17.05 Rumor Has It... (USA, 2005). Comedy. Dir: Rob Reiner. With Jennifer Aniston, Kevin Costner. 18.40 Wanderlust (USA, 2012). Comedy. Dir: David Wain. With Jennifer Aniston, Paul Rudd. 20.20 Prince & Me II: The Royal Wedding (USA, 2006). Romantic comedy. Dir: Catherine Cyran. With Luke Mably, Clemency Burton-Hill. 22.00 A Lot Like Love (USA, 2005). Romantic comedy. Dir: Nigel Cole. With Amanda Peet, Ashton Kutcher. 23.45 Forces of Nature (USA, 1999). Romantic comedy. Dir: Bronwen Hughes. With Ben Affleck, Sandra Bullock. 01.30 Jaccass 3 (USA/Romania, 2010). Action comedy. Dir: Jeff Tremaine. With Johnny Knoxville, Steve-O.

HOT CINEMA 4 (H19)

07.30 Third Person (USA, 2013). Drama. Dir: Paul Haggis. With Liam Neeson, Mila Kunis, Adrien Brody. 09.45 Armageddon Time (USA/Brazil, 2022). Drama. Adventure drama. Dir: James Gray. With Anne Hathaway, Jeremy Strong, Anthony Hopkins, Banks Repeta. 11.35 The Leisure Seeker (Italy/France, 2017). Adventure comedy. Dir: Paolo Virzì. With Helen Mirren, Donald Sutherland, Christian McKay. 13.30 Flag Day (USA, 2021). Drama. Directed by and starring Sean Penn. With Dylan Penn, Kathryn Winnick. 15.20 Parallel Mothers (Spain/France, 2022). Drama. Dir: Pedro Almodóvar. With Penelope Cruz, Milena Smit, Israel Eliejalde. 17.20 The Roads Not Taken (UK/Sweden/Poland/Spain/USA, 2020). Drama. Dir: Sally Potter. With Javier Bardem, Elle Fanning. 18.45 The Sunlit Night (Germany/Norway, 2019). Romantic drama. Dir: David Wnendt. With Jenny Slate, Alex Sharp. 20.10 The Time Traveler's Wife (USA, 2009). Drama. Dir: Robert Schwentke. With Rachel McAdams, Eric Bana. 22.00 Valentine's Day (USA, 2010). Romantic comedy. Dir: Garry Marshall. With Julia Roberts, Jamie Foxx, Anne Hathaway. 00.00 Serendipity (USA, 2001). Romance. Dir: Peter Chelsom. With John Cusack, Kate Beckinsale. 01.35 Resistance (UK/France/Germany/USA, 2020). Biography drama. Dir: Jonathan Jakubowicz. With Jesse Eisenberg, Clémence Poésy, Matthias Schweighöfer.

YES MOVIES DRAMA (Y1)

07.30 Last Love (Germany/Belgium/USA/France, 2013). Comedy drama. Dir: Sandra Nettelbeck. With Michael Caine, Michelle Goddet, Jane Alexander. 09.25 The African Queen (UK, 1951). Adventure drama. Dir: John Huston. With Humphrey Bogart, Katharine Hepburn. 11.15 Respect (USA/Canada, 2021). Biography musical drama. Dir: Liesl Tommy. With Jennifer Hudson, Forest Whitaker, Marlon Wayans.

19.50 Top Gun: Maverick (USA, 2022). Action drama. Dir: Joseph Kosinski. With Tom Cruise, Jennifer Connelly, Miles Teller. 22.00 Replicas (UK/China/Puerto Rico/USA, 2018). Sci-fi drama. Dir: Jeffrey Nachmanoff. With Keanu Reeves, Alice Eve, Thomas Middleditch. 23.45 Mission: Impossible - Ghost Protocol (USA/United Arab Emirates/Czech Republic, 2011). Action. Dir: Brad Bird. With Tom Cruise, Jeremy Renner, Simon Pegg. 01.55 The Counselor (USA/UK, 2013). Crime thriller. Dir: Ridley Scott. With Michael Fassbender, Penelope Cruz, Cameron Diaz.

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08.20 Night at the Museum: Secret of the Tomb (USA/UK, 2014). Adventure. Dir: Shawn Levy. With Ben Stiller, Robin Williams, Owen Wilson. 10.00 Rocket Science (USA, 2007). Comedy. Dir: Jeffrey Blitz. With Nicholas D'Agostino, Anna Kendrick. 11.40 The Break-Up (USA, 2006). Comedy. Dir: Peyton Reed. With Vince Vaughn, Jennifer Aniston. 13.25 Fools Gold (USA, 2008). Adventure. Dir: Andy Tennant. With Matthew McConaughey, Kate Hudson. 15.20 Office Christmas Party (USA, 2016). Comedy. Dir: Josh Gordon, Will Speck. With Jennifer Aniston, Jason Bateman, Olivia Munn. 17.05 Rumor Has It... (USA, 2005). Comedy. Dir: Rob Reiner. With Jennifer Aniston, Kevin Costner. 18.40 Wanderlust (USA, 2012). Comedy. Dir: David Wain. With Jennifer Aniston, Paul Rudd. 20.20 Prince & Me II: The Royal Wedding (USA, 2006). Romantic comedy. Dir: Catherine Cyran. With Luke Mably, Clemency Burton-Hill. 22.00 A Lot Like Love (USA, 2005). Romantic comedy. Dir: Nigel Cole. With Amanda Peet, Ashton Kutcher. 23.45 Forces of Nature (USA, 1999). Romantic comedy. Dir: Bronwen Hughes. With Ben Affleck, Sandra Bullock. 01.30 Jaccass 3 (USA/Romania, 2010). Action comedy. Dir: Jeff Tremaine. With Johnny Knoxville, Steve-O.

YES MOVIES ACTION (Y2)

07.55 Rocky III (USA, 1982). Boxing drama. Directed by and starring Sylvester Stallone. With Talia Shire, Burgess Meredith. 12.05 Shane (USA, 1953). Drama. Dir: George Stevens. With Alan Ladd, Jean Arthur. 11.35 A Fistful of Dynamite *Giù la testa* (Italy, 1971). Adventure. Dir: Sergio Leone. With James Coburn, Rom Steiger. 14.10 The Last of the Mohicans (USA, 1992). War drama. Dir: Michael Mann. With Daniel Day-Lewis, Madeline Stowe, Russell Means. 16.05 Robin Hood (USA/UK, 2010). Action. Dir: Ridley Scott. With Russell Crowe, Kate Blanchett. 18.40 Bloodshot (USA, 2020). Sci-Fi action. Dir: David Wilson. With Vin Diesel, Eiza González, Sam Heughan. 20.30 Last Man Down (Sweden/UK, 2021). Sci-fi action. Dir: Fansu Njie. With Daniel Stisen, Olga Kent. 22.00 John Wick: Chapter 4 (Germany/USA, 2023) Action. Dir: Chad Stahelski. With Keanu Reeves, Laurence Fishburne, George Georgiou. 00.45 Hard Kill (USA, 2020). Action. Dir: Matt Eskandari. With Jesse Metcalfe, Bruce Willis, Lala Kent. 02.25 The Pope's Exorcist (USA/Spain/UK, 2023). Horror. Dir: Julius Avery. With Russell Crowe, Daniel Zovatto, Alexandra Essoe.

YES MOVIES COMEDY (Y3)

07.35 Operation Fortune: Ruse de Guerre (UK/USA/China, 2023). Action comedy. Dir: Guy Ritchie. With Jason Statham, Aubrey Plaza, Cary Elwes. 09.30 Ocean's Eight (USA, 2018). Action. Dir: Gary Ross. With Sandra Bullock, Cate Blanchett, Anne Hathaway. 11.20 Self Reliance (USA, 2023). Comedy thriller. Directed by and starring Jake Johnson. With Anna Kendrick, Andy Samberg, Bjorn Johnson. 12.55 My Favorite Wedding (USA, 2017). Romantic comedy. Dir: Mel Damski. With Maggie Lawson, Paul Greene. 14.25 Ticket to Paradise (UK/Japan/USA, 2022). Romantic comedy. Dir: Ol Parker. With George Clooney, Julia Roberts, Sean Lynch. 16.10 What's Love Got to Do with It? (UK, 2022). Romantic comedy. Dir: Shekhar Kapur. With Mim Shaikh, Iman Boujelal. 18.00 Runaway Bride (USA, 1999). Romantic comedy. Dir: Garry Marshall. With Julia Roberts, Richard Gere, John Cusack. 19.55 The Big Wedding (USA, 2013). Comedy. Dir: Justin Zackham. With Robert De Niro, Diane Keaton, Katherine Heigl. 21.30 Love Again (USA, 2023). Romantic comedy. Jim Strouse. With Priyanka Chopra Jonas, Sam Heughan. 23.15 Love Actually (UK/USA, 2003). Romantic comedy. Dir: Richard Curtis. With Colin Firth, Emma Thompson, Hugh Grant, Keira Knightley. 01.30 New Year's Eve (USA, 2011). Comedy. Dir: Garry Marshall. With Sarah Jessica Parker, Jessica Biel, Ashton Kutcher.

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