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Compilation of diary entries involving contact with the media.

Diary of: **John YATES** covering the period **30/03/2009** to **31/07/2011** whilst Assistant Commissioner Specialist Operations (ACSO)

Date	Time Start End	Details as recorded in diary	Next Appointment time	Comments
01/04/09	1800 - 1830	CANCELLED BY JY: Drink with Stephen Wright Steve E-mailed by KB on 30.03.09 to cancel this. To be re-arranged Arranged direct with KB - Steve phoned in 06.02.09 Stephen Wright, Crime Editor, Daily Mail, 2, Derry St, London W8 5TT. [REDACTED] [REDACTED]	1830 - 2000	

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28/04/09	1730 - 2000	JY not attending: Dinner mtg with SPS, Dick F & NW Luciano's Restaurant	1730 - 1800	
03/06/09	2000 - 2200	Private appt - Nick Candy/ John Yates/ Neil Reading/ Neil Wallis - Dinner x 4 Scalini's, 1-3 Walton Street, Knightsbridge, SW3 2JD	N/A	
16/06/09	1730 - 1830	FOR INFO: Summer Drinks Reception for snr media reps - hosted by the Commissioner The Orbit, ESB JY's apols sent 14.05.09 to Teresa		

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22/06/09	1830 - 2000	DINNER CANCELLED - JY to meet SPS & DF for a drink (Dinner with Sir Paul, Dick Fedorcio, Richard Littlejohn & Stephen Wright (to be there for 7.00pm))	N/A	
15/07/09	1900 - 1930	CANCELLED: Dinner with John Witherow - 7.30/8pm	1400 - 2100	
08/09/09	2000 - 2230	Dinner with John Witherow 'Sunday Times' - *8pm to meet* Tom Aikens' Restaurant, 43 Elystan Street, London, SW3	N/A	
09/09/09	2000 - 2200	Private appt - Dinner with Neil et al (spk KB) Scotts, 20 Mount Street, London, W1K 2HE (table bkd for *8pm*)	N/A	

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		Caren Cornwell - contact [REDACTED]		
10/09/09	1730 - 1930	Meet Stephen Wright	1930 - 2100	
14/09/09	1300 - 1630	CANCELLED - Lunch with JY, Wallis, KB & Caren Caren informed by KB by E-mail on 25.08.09 that this date is no longer convenient Moved from 01.07.09 - awaits Sent to Caren by KB on 02.04.09	1700 - 1730	
01/10/09	1900 - 2300	Private appt - Dinner with Nick Candy & Wallis (8pm) Cecconi's, 5A Burlington Gardens JY's conf. sent 04.09.09	N/A	
30/09/09	1900 - 1930	CANCELLED: Dinner Nick Hopkins TBC Cancelled by Nick Hopkins direct with JY	KEEP CLEAR 1800 - 2030	

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		28.09.09 Entry made by JY direct (07.09.09) - details being provided to JY		
01/10/09	1915 - 2315	Private appt - Dinner with Nick Candy & Wallis (8pm) Cecconi's, 5A Burlington Gardens	N/A	
05/10/09	1815 - 1945	DINNER CANCELLED: Justin Davenport 'Standard' [REDACTED] Email sent to Mr Davenport late on 2/10. N N	N/A	
06/10/09	1630 - 1700	CANCELLED: 1-2-1 mtg with Dick Fedorcio (re Wallis)	1700 - 1730	
07/09/09	1500 - 1600	Mr Wallis to NSY Rm 556V, NSY Arranged direct by JY	KEEP CLEAR 1600 - 1630	
14/10/09	1800 - 2000	Dinner: CMR / Dick Fedorcio / Richard Littlejohn / Stephen Wright - table bkd for 7pm	N/A	

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		La Genova Restaurant, 32 North Audley Street, Mayfair		
05/11/09	1930 - 2230	Dinner mtg with Colin Myler & Lucy Panton - table bkd for 7.30pm See entry for 13.11.09 lunch for Lucy's details The Ivy Club (upstairs from Ivy Restaurant), 1-5 West Street, London, WC2H 9NQ Lucy confirmed date - [REDACTED] (Dean 9/10)	N/A	
10/11/09	1900 - 2000	Burberry & Evening Standard Event Burberry: Horseferry House, Horseferry Road, London SW1	N/A	
12/11/09	1230 - 1500	CRA Lunch Shepherds Restaurant	MUST KEEP CLEAR 1500 - 1700	

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18/11/09	1800 - 1900	FOR INFO ONLY: Mtg with Dick Fedorcio, Commissioner and Deputy Editor of Daily Mirror Connor Hanna & Richard Wallis Dick informed KB of date/time on 28.09.09. JY's apols sent due to OMPD	N/A	
25/11/09	1800 - 2000	The CRA Event Barley Mow: First Floor Bar. Horseferry Road: London SW1 Accepted for JY who says he will try to pop in. Invite card in bring forward. N [REDACTED]	1830 - 2330	
30/11/09	1400 - 1430	*Meeting with Nick Davis 'Guardian': 30 mins only* 556 Nick Henigan to escort him from DPA. JY agreed to do this interview in a conversation with Dick Fedorcio	1430 - 1530	

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		N		
10/12/09	1830 - 2100	JY DID NOT ATTEND: Drink (or dinner TBC) with Cmsr, Dick Fedorcio, Neil Wallis & AC The Sands End, 135-137 Stephendale Road, London SW6 2PR	N/A	
14/12/09	1830 - 1930	6.30pm - Drink with Robert Winnett 'Telegraph' B-Bar, 43 Buckingham Palace Road, SW1W 0PP	N/A	
15/12/09	1200 - 1230	Mtg between JY, Dick Fedorcio & Neil Wallis Dick's office, 13th Floor, NSY Moved from 11.30am to 12 noon to accommodate JY's visit to Thames House at 11am. Conf. by Neil on 06.11.09 Conf. with Teresa on 06.11.09	KEEP CLEAR - Travel to Portman Square for lunch 1230 - 1300	
14/01/10	1830 - 2000	Drinks with James Hanning 'Deputy Editor: Independent on Sunday' - 6.30pm to meet B-Bar, Buckingham Palace Road	N/A	

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15/01/10	1300 - 1530	CRA Luncheon - StO & Nick Henegan to get a lift with JY and to meet in this office at approx 12.45/12.50pm Shepherd's Restaurant, Marsham Street	1530 - 1600	
20/01/10	1400 - 1430	*MUST KEEP CLEAR* 15 phone call with Wallis	1430 - 1500	
22/01/10	1300 - 1600	JY'S APOLS SENT: Surprise birthday lunch for Nick Candy	N/A	
10/02/10	1830 - 2100	CANCELLED: Dinner with Robert Winnett & Tony Gallagher (Editor of Daily Telegraph) - Re-arranged to 29.03.10 TBC by Robert - awaits	JY - Visit to Delhi - out on a/night flight on 10.02.10 - see notes entry on 11th Feb	
12/02/10	1300 - 1530	CANCELLED: CRA Lunch (see notes)	JY - Visit to Delhi	
19/02/10	1130 - 1230	Meeting with Alan Rusbridger 'Guardian Editor'/Paul Johnson & Dick Fedorcio The Guardian, Kings Place, 90 York Way,	1230 - 1300	

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		<p>London, N1 9GU</p> <p>Contact is Teresa in DF's office on [REDACTED]</p> <p>Dick Fedorcio WILL travel with JY to this meeting. He won't require a lift back.</p> <p>Contact PA's at the Guardian Editor's office are: Helen on [REDACTED] or Anna on [REDACTED]</p> <p>[REDACTED] Russ to book car details in for parking.</p> <p>N</p>		
29/03/10	1900 - 2200	<p>CONFIRMED: Re-arranged date for dinner with Robert Winnett & Tony Gallagher (Editor of Daily Telegraph)</p> <p>Corrigan's of Mayfair - 28 Upper Grosvenor Street, London, W1K 7EH - 8pm table</p>	N/A	
09/04/10	1300 - 1500	<p>CRA Lunch - John Twomey, Lucy Panton & Justin Davenport - Sara Cheesley attending from DPA</p> <p>Racine, 239 Brompton Road, London, SW3 2EP</p> <p>Apologies from DAC Osborne & Mr McDowall (annual leave)</p>	1530 - 1600	

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		<p>To Mr McDowall & Mr Osborne</p> <p>I would be most grateful if you could note this luncheon in your diary please.</p> <p>Many thanks.</p> <p>N</p> <p>Sara Cheesley</p>		
07/05/10	1300 - 1500	<p>TO BE MOVED (possibly to 21.05.10) - CRA Lunch</p> <p>To Mr McDowall & Mr Osborne</p> <p>I would be most grateful if you could note this luncheon in your diary please.</p> <p>Many thanks.</p>	JY - A/L 6-8th MAY -	

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		N Sara Cheesley		
19/05/10	1830 - 2000	CANCELLED BY JY DIRECT: Drink with Justin Davenport 'Standard' Venue tbc nearer time Moved from 26/4 to 19/5 at JY's request. N	N/A	
21/05/10	1300 - 1330	NOT HAPPENING - alternative date for CRA lunch (to be moved from 07.05.10) TBC	MUST MUST KEEP CLEAR 1300 - 1400	
21/05/10	1830 - 2130	Dinner with Neil..... TBC	N/A	
25/05/10	2000 - 2200	Private appt - NC/ NR/ Neil Wallis/ John Yates - Dinner x 4 Bar Boulud, Mandarin Oriental - NC confirmed booking	N/A	

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01/06/10	1615 - 1715	<p>NOT HAPPENING 01.06.10 - 4.15pm: JY & Dick Fedorcio to Meet with Andy Coulson 'Director of Communications @ No 10</p> <p>No 10 Downing St</p> <p>Contact is Teresa. JY is expecting this meeting. [REDACTED] Alternative date is 4/6.</p> <p>N</p>	<p>KEEP CLEAR</p> <p>1600 - 1930</p>	
04/06/10	1300 - 1530	<p>CRA Lunch - attending Daniel Sandford, BBC, Duncan Gardham, Telegraph, Chris Greenwood, Press Association & Nick Henegan - *StO to travel with JY - to meet here at 12.45pm*</p> <p>Racine, 239 Brompton Road, Knightsbridge, London, SW3 2EP - table bkd for 1.15pm</p>	<p>1530 - 1630</p>	
10/06/10	1900 - 2300	<p>Private appt - Dinner with Neil Wallis</p>	<p>N/A</p>	

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		Roka - Charlotte Street		
11/06/10	1300 - 1430	Lunch with Nick Hopkins: Guardian	MUST KEEP CLEAR 1430 - 1800	
02/07/10	1330 - 1500	<p>CANCELLED: CRA Lunch - table bkd for 1.00pm - those attending are Mike Sullivan, Mark Hughes & Keir Simmons & Sara</p> <p>The Bleeding Heart Restaurant, Hatton Garden</p> <p>Cancelled via Sara on 30.06.10</p> <p>To Mr McDowall & Mr Osborne</p> <p>I would be most grateful if you could note this luncheon in your diary please.</p> <p>Many thanks.</p> <p>N</p>	1330 - 1600	

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		Sara Cheesley		
06/07/10	1430 - 1530	*MUST KEEP CLEAR* The Sun, 1 Virginia Street, Wapping, London, E98 1SN	1530 - 1630	
08/07/10	1800 - 2200	The Sun Bravery Awards evening - see notes - JY to pick up Dick Fedorcio from Kilmuir House en route to Dorchester (full address in notes) - black tie The Ballroom Suite, The Dorchester Hotel, Park Lane, London, W1 - Reception @ 6.30pm; dinner @ 7.30pm; 1.00am end Have been advised by DF's office that this is a joint event hosted by The Sun Newspaper & The Police Federation Ticket rec'd 01.07.10 - in b/up RSVP sent to Jill Vale on 05.07.10 - [REDACTED] Informed this is the likely date by Dick Fedorcio on 17.05.10. Therefore, this likely to take precedence for JY over any other invites he may receive. [REDACTED]	N/A	

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03/08/10	1800 - 1900	POSTPONED - Drink with Rob McGibbon (& possibly Wallis) TBC	N/A	

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09/08/10	1730 - 1830	Drinks (not dinner) with Rajeev Syal, The 'Observer' Balls Brothers, 50 Buckingham Palace Road TBC Moved from 12/1 to 25/3. Moved from from 5/5 to 2/6. N Postponed by RS on 2/6. Awaits this new date. Moved by JY from 22/6 to 9/8.	N/A	
13/08/10	1300 - 1530	CRA Lunch - with Dave Barrett, Sun; Keir Simmons, ITN; Mark Hughes, Independent Bleeding Heart, Bleeding Heart Yard, EC1 Moved from 6/8 to 13/8 at JY's request To Mr McDowall & Mr Osborne I would be most grateful if you could note this luncheon in your diary please.	N/A	

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		<p>Many thanks.</p> <p>N</p> <p>Sara Cheesley</p> <p>All</p> <p>A few changes to the CRA lunch tomorrow - just to confirm those now attending are:</p> <p>Mike Sullivan, The Sun; Anthony France, The Sun; and Dave Barrett, Telegraph</p> <p>I will also be going.</p> <p>Thanks.</p> <p>Sara</p> <p>Sara Cheesley Senior Information Officer Specialist Operations Press Desk MPS</p> 		
16/08/10	1230 -	CANCELLED: Lunch with Vikram Dodd		

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	1430	'Guardian' Quilon Restaurant & Bar: 41 Buckingham Gate SW1 Moved from 23/7 to 16/8 at JY's request. N	1430 - 1500	
24/08/10	1830 - 2100	PRIVATE APPT: JY mtg NW @ 7pm (to leave NSY @ approx 6.30pm) Brompton Road	N/A	
25/08/10	1800 - 1830	NOT HAPPENING: Drink with James Hanning 'Independent'	KEEP CLEAR - TBC	
02/08/10	1800 - 1900	CANCELLED: Drink with Vikram Dodd 'Guardian' Ball Brothers: 50 Buckingham Palace Road SW1 Moved from 23/7 to 2/9 at JY's request. Note: If this does not go ahead an alternative date for lunch has been put in JY's diary for 17th Sept. N	N/A	

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03/09/10	1300 - 1530	<p>CRA Lunch - bkd for 1pm</p> <p>Racine Restaurant</p> <p>To Mr McDowall & Mr Osborne</p> <p>I would be most grateful if you could note this luncheon in your diary please.</p> <p>Many thanks.</p> <p>N</p> <p>Sara Cheesley</p>	1530 - 1800	
17/09/10	1300 - 1500	<p>CANCELLED: Lunch with Vikram Dodd 'Guardian'</p> <p>One Twenty One Two, The Royal Horseguards, 2 Whitehall Court, London, SW1A 2EJ</p> <p>File Note: This is an alternative date. If JY is unable to meeting Mr Dodd on 2/9, this will be an alternative as a contingency.</p>	1500 - 1600	
29/09/10	1800 -	POSTPONED: 6.15pm: Drink with James	N/A	

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	1900	Hanning 'Independent' tbc		
30/09/10	1900 - 2030	Dinner with Vikram Dodd Cinnamon Club: Great Smith Street: SW1 This appointment has been moved a number of times. Alternative date is Lunch on 21st October. Cinnamon Club: Great Smith Street: SW1 Table booked for 6.30pm in Mr Yates' name.	N/A	
01/10/10	1300 - 1530	CRA Lunch - Keir Simmons, Simon Hughes & Guy Smith Bleeding Heart Restaurant - table bkd for 1.00pm	MUST KEEP CLEAR - OUT OF OFFICE 1530 - 1800	
06/10/10	1830 - 1930	JY's APOLOGIES SENT - BLACK TIE - JY attending Child Victims of Crime Annual Dinner (guests of Lucy Panton) - with SPS & Dick Fedorcio (timings TBC)	MUST MUST MUST BE KEPT CLEAR FOR JY - PERSONAL APPOINTMENT - 6.30PM	

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		<p>The Brewery, Chiswell Street, London, EC1Y 4SD</p> <p>Drinks Reception at 6.30pm Dinner at 7.30pm.</p> <p>Carriages at 1.00am</p> <p>Dress: BLACK TIE REQUIRED</p>		
21/10/10	1300 - 1330	<p>CANCELLED: 1.15pm: Lunch with Vikram Dodd</p> <p>This took place on 30th Sept.</p>	1300 - 1400	
21/10/10	1830 - 2030	<p>From 6.30pm - Leaving drink for Stephen Wright, Daily Mail</p> <p>The Old Star Pub, nr NSY (upstairs bar)</p>	N/A	
02/11/10	1800 - 2100	<p>8.00pm bkg - CONFIRMED: Dinner with Nick Candy et al</p>	N/A	

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		Scalini's Restaurant, 1-3 Walton Street, London, SW3 2JD	
03/11/10	1930 - 2230	Dinner with John Witherow - 7.30pm onwards The Greenhouse, 27A Hay's Mews, Mayfair, London, W1J 5NY	N/A
05/11/10	1330 - 1600	NOW CANCELLED: JY NOT ATTENDING: (Awaits re StO going alone) - 1.30pm - CRA Lunch Tbc Sara updated KB on 04.11.10 that this is now cancelled. Update from Katrina McKeever (DPA) to Kev (3/11/10): Venue still tbc but the attendees are: Charlotte Gill (Mail), Lucy Panton (NoTW) and Justin Davenport (ES) DAC Osborne - confirmed by Jo	1600 - 1630

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		<p>To Mr McDowall & Mr Osborne</p> <p>I would be most grateful if you could note this luncheon in your diary please.</p> <p>Many thanks.</p> <p>N</p> <p>Sara Cheesley</p>		
10/1 1/10	1800 - 2200	<p>POSTPONED: Private engagement - NW</p> <p>TBC</p> <p>Now cancelled due to other commitments</p>	N/A	
16/1 1/10	1900 - 2100	<p>JY's APOLOGIES SENT: Geordie Grieg 'Editor of the London Evening Standard' hosting 1000 Most Influential Londoners Event</p> <p>Altitude 360: 29th Floor: Millbank Tower: 21-24 Millbank, London SW1P 4QP</p> <p>Invitation in b/up</p> <p>JY said he would attend this if possible but dependent upon 'baby arrival time'</p> <p>Invite accepted for JY - reconsider attendance</p>	N/A	

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		nearer the time. N		
02/02/12	1800 - 1900	CRA Xmas drink First Floor Function Room: Barley Mow: Horseferry Road, London SW1	6.30pm for 7.00pm	
04/01/11	1230 - 1430	Lunch with Nick Hopkins 'Guardian' Cinammon Club	KEEP CLEAR 1430 - 1600	
04/01/11	1730 - 1900	5.30pm - Drink with James Hanning 'Independent' Balls Brothers, 50 Buckingham Palace Road	N/A	
05/01/11	1730 - 1900	5.30pm (time confirmed) - Drink with Robert Winnett & Tony Gallagher: 'Telegraph' Balls Brothers, 50 Buckingham Palace Road Rescheduled again from 20/12 to 5/1 at JY's request.	N/A	
20/01/11		CRA Lunch Tbc JY's apologies sent	N/A - A/L	

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08/02/11	1800 - 1900	<p>Rescheduled Drinks with Philip Johnston 'Telegraph' - see notes</p> <p>Moved from 9/7 to 20/10 at JY's request. Again moved from 7/12 to 6/12 at JY's request.</p> <p>Cancelled by JY on 6/12, moved to 8/2 drinks.</p>	<p>KEEP CLEAR</p> <p>1900 - 1930</p>	
08/02/11	1930 - 2230	<p>CONFIRMED: PERSONAL - Dinner with Nick Candy - 8pm start time</p> <p>Dinner by Heston Blumenthal, Mandarin Oriental - to be confirmed x 4 - [REDACTED]</p>	N/A	
11/02/11	1300 - 1330	<p>CANCELLED: CRA Lunch</p> <p>Katrina [REDACTED] called to say that this lunch is being cancelled by the CRA attendees due to crime reporting issues having arisen for this day.</p> <p>Mr Osborne's office informed.</p> <p>N</p>	<p>MUST KEEP CLEAR</p> <p>1300 - 1400</p>	

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04/03/11	1300 - 1330	Canc: CRA Lunch - awaits if to be cancelled Tbc	1330 - 1400	
08/04/11	1300 - 1530	JY's APOLS SENT: CRA Lunch Tbc	JY TO TAKE THIS DAY OFF A/L	
11/04/11	1800 - 1900	6pm - Drink with Duncan Gardham 'Telegraph' Moved from 10/1 to 7/3 at JY's request Moved again from 7/3 to 24/3 at JY's request Moved from 24/3 to 11/4 at JY's request	N/A	
13/05/11	1300 - 1530	CRA Lunch (moved from 06.05.11) - with Lucy Panton, Keir Simmons & Justin Davenport	KEEP CLEAR	

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		<p>Bleeding Heart, Bleeding Heart Yard, Greville Street, London, EC1N 8SJ</p> <p>Cat and Nick from DPA attending.</p> <p>Dear All</p> <p>Apologies, could we make this lunch a slightly later start of 1.30pm on 13th May please?</p> <p>Many thanks</p> <p>Karen</p> <p>*****</p> <p>Sara / Gareth / Jo</p> <p>This has now been moved to 13th May at 1.00pm, venue TBC. Nick informs me that those likely to be attending are John Twomey, Keir Simmons & Justin Davenport.</p> <p>Many thanks</p> <p>Karen</p>	1530 - 1630	
16/05/11	1830 - 2030	<p>Dinner with Robert Winnett & Tony Gallagher 'Editor' Telegraph</p> <p>Tinello, 87 Pimlico Road, London, SW1W 8PH</p>	N/A	

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		(booked under the name of Gallagher)		
17/05/11	1800 - 2100	JY NOT ATTENDING: CONFIRMED: Drinks with Cmsr, Dick Fedorcio, Steve Wright & Richard Littlejohn The Meridian Hotel, 21 Piccadilly, London (6-9pm) Dick Fedorcio arranging - requested date via Key on 26.04.11 - awaits confirmation of this date/time	N/A	
25/05/11	1730 - 1830	Drink with James Hanning 'Independent' Ball Brothers Wine Bar: Buckingham Palace Road SW1 Moved from 19/5 to 25/5 JY to choose venue.	N/A	
03/06/11	1300 - 1530	CANCELLED: CRA Lunch The Bleeding Heart Apologies from DAC Osborne	1530 - 1630	
01/07/11	1300 - 1530	JY's apols sent: CRA Lunch	1530 - 1630	

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		Tbc		
07/07/11	1800 - 2230	*JY ATTENDING THIS* - The Police Bravery Awards Dinner - 6.30pm reception / 7.30pm dinner / 1.00am carriages (BLACK TIE OR FULL UNIFORM DRESS) The Lancaster Ballroom, The Savoy Hotel, Strand, City of London, WC2R 0EU	N/A	
08/07/11	1500 - 1600	Interview with Sunday Telegraph 13th Floor	N/A	

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