



Can the Doctor (Colin Baker) convince the Inquisitor (Lynda Bellingham) that he hasn't been misusing his time?
BBC1, 5.45 pm Doctor Who

NEW SERIES

5.45 Doctor Who

starring Colin Baker
 in *The Trial of a Time Lord*
 The Tardis is taken 'out of
 time' and the Doctor is placed
 on trial. What, if any, are
 his crimes?

The DoctorCOLIN BAKER
 The Valeyard

MICHAEL JAYSTON

The Inquisitor

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What's what on Who

Doctor Who

Saturday 5.45 BBC1

Doctor Who returns in the shape of Colin Baker (right), facing trial for various crimes including interference in galactic affairs.

A new version of the Doctor Who theme – even more electronic – is available on BBC records RESL 193; a 12-inch version 12 RSL 193; or mini-cassette ZRSL 193.

Fans can join the Doctor Who Appreciation Society, which provides a monthly newsletter plus the chance to meet fellow devotees at local meetings and national conventions. For more information send an sae to The Doctor Who Appreciation Society, 57 Oldfield Lane, Greenford, Middlesex UB6 9JZ.

A Doctor Who shop, selling magazines, paperbacks, posters and other merchandise is open daily from 10.0 am to 6.0 at Longleat House, Warminster, Wiltshire, where a Doctor Who exhibition is open until 2 November.



Guess who's back at last?

WHEN Doctor Who was grounded from his time travels last year there was a public outcry – the BBC was deluged by mail and the switchboards were jammed by calls.

And even though he hasn't been seen in the role for over a year, Colin Baker, the sixth Doctor, has continued to get fan mail – 'Up to 50 letters a week

from people who write as though they saw the programme yesterday,' he says.

But there's good news this week for all fans of the show as **Doctor Who** returns with a new series of adventures (Saturday BBC1).

Although this has been the longest vacation the Doctor has ever enjoyed, he

has, in fact, appeared on television every year since the first programme in November 1963.

Colin Baker has found the break frustrating. 'I'd only just got my teeth into the part. It was certainly a jolt to stop.'

Despite his absence from our screens, Colin has still been in demand as the Doctor. He did a radio

version of the show last summer for *Pirate Radio 4* and, although he prefers television, he enjoyed the experience. 'The sets were brilliant and the costumes were wonderful,' he jokes. And, because it was radio, he didn't have to learn any lines!

He also went to six Doctor Who conventions in America where fans get a

chance to meet the stars and the people who put the show together.

'They're for people who want to talk about the programme, look at it, compare notes and dress up,' says Colin. 'At most of them you see half a dozen versions of each Doctor, the companions and the Master.' Not forgetting, of course, the Daleks »→ 85

Carry on Doctor! Katryca (Joan Sims) leads the Tribe of the Free with Broken Tooth (David Rodigan) as her right-hand man. Watch out for them as Colin Baker resumes his time travels this week



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83 ← and K9s that trundle all over the place. And there's a mammoth autographing session where every scrap of 'Who-abilia' gets signed.

In the new series the Doctor will be saying farewell to Peri and welcoming companion number 26 in the shape of Bonnie Langford.

Nicola Bryant, who plays Peri, won't say how she'll be written out of the series. 'I suggested that I should be dropped off back where I was originally found, which was in the sea, drowning,' she says, but you'll have to wait and see exactly what happens.

And while Nicola's first day of work on *Doctor Who*

in 1983 was spent swimming in the sea off Lanzarote in the exotic Canary Islands, filming for the new series has taken the cast no further than Brighton, Stoke-on-Trent and Camber, a seaside resort in East Sussex.

The show continues to attract many distinguished actors – Brian Blessed, Michael Craig and Honor Blackman are among the guests in this series. It certainly seems to be the show to appear on.

'Suddenly these actors find their children taking them seriously,' says Colin. 'At school they'll march in proudly with "My dad's appearing in *Doctor Who*!"'

KATIE GRIFFITHS



Companions in time: Peri (Nicola Bryant) with space pirates Dibber (Glen Murphy) and Glitz (Tony Selby)

BRAINBOX by Clive Doig

EIGHT DOCTORS

1. He went to Gloucester --- * ---
2. He spoke to the animals --- * ---
3. Richard Chamberlain's TV character --- * ---
4. He sold his soul to the devil --- * ---
5. A famous detective's right-hand man --- * ---
6. Boris Pasternak's hero --- * ---
7. William, Patrick, Jon, Tom, Peter and Colin --- *
8. He had a casebook --- * ---

Look to the stars for another word. What is it?

TRACKWORD

How many words of three letters or more can you find by tracking from one square to the next, going up, down, sideways or diagonally in order? You may not go through the same letter square again in any one word. No plurals, proper nouns or foreign words are allowed. What is the hidden nine-letter word? Brainbox: 71 words; average: 40

C	E	T
T	O	A
O	R	D

Last week's answers – Seven bits: BITTERN, RABBIT, ORBIT, CUBIT, AMBITION, DEBIT, EXHIBIT = BROCADE.
Trackword: KINETICAL

5.45-6.10

Doctor Who

starring **Colin Baker** in
The Trial of a Time Lord

A 14-part adventure

Part 2 by ROBERT HOLMES

The Doctor has been placed
on trial by the Time Lords. If
found guilty, he will forfeit
his remaining lives!

The Doctor.....COLIN BAKER

Valeyard.....MICHAEL JAYSTON

Inquisitor .LYNDA BELLINGHAM

Balazar.....ADAM BLACKWOOD

Merdeen.....TOM CHADBON

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Pyramids of Mars, BBCV/B 2014

The Seeds of Death, BBCV/B 2019

The Five Doctors, BBCV/B 2020

Revenge of the Cybermen,

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The 'Black Light' system is
failing! Will the Doctor help?

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Balazar.....ADAM BLACKWOOD

PeriNICOLA BRYANT

GlitzTONY SELBY

Dibber.....GLEN MURPHY

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Part 4 by ROBERT HOLMES

Can the Doctor save Ravolox
from destruction?

The DoctorCOLIN BAKER

PeriNICOLA BRYANT

MerdeenTOM CHADBON

GrellTIMOTHY WALKER

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A 14-part adventure

Part 5 by **PHILIP MARTIN**

The Doctor and Peri arrive on
the planet Thoros-Beta,
where an old enemy awaits.

The Doctor.....**COLIN BAKER**

Valeyard.....**MICHAEL JAYSTON**

Inquisitor **LYNDA BELLINGHAM**

Peri**NICOLA BRYANT**

Frax.....**TREVOR LAIRD**

Crozier**PATRICK RYECART**

Yrcanos**BRIAN BLESSED**

Matrona Kani...**ALIBE PARSONS**

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Incidental music **RICHARD HARTLEY**

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Producer **JOHN NATHAN-TURNER**

Director **RON JONES**

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starring Colin Baker in
The Trial of a Time Lord

A 14-part adventure

Part 6 by PHILIP MARTIN

Why is the Doctor behaving
so strangely?

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The DoctorCOLIN BAKER

PeriNICOLA BRYANT

CrozierPATRICK RYECART

Matrona Kani...ALIBE PARSONS

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Rogue chieftain with the evil eye: Brian Blessed as Yrcanos
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Part 7 by **PHILIP MARTIN**

Why is the Doctor helping his enemies? Has the evidence been falsified, as the Doctor insists, or has he betrayed his friends?

Peri**NICOLA BRYANT**

The Doctor**COLIN BAKER**

Yrcanos**BRIAN BLESSED**

Lukoser**THOMAS BRANCH**

Valeyard**MICHAEL JAYSTON**

Inquisitor..**LYNDA BELLINGHAM**

Kiv**CHRISTOPHER RYAN**

Crozier**PATRICK RYECART**

Sil**NABIL SHABAN**

Matrona Kani...**ALIBE PARSONS**

Tuza**GORDON WARNECKE**

Frax**TREVOR LAIRD**

Theme music composed by

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Part 8 by PHILIP MARTIN

The transplant operation on

Kiv has been a success.

However, Crozier fears

another body will shortly be

required. Whose will it be?

PeriNICOLA BRYANT

Lukoser.....THOMAS BRANCH

YrcanosBRIAN BLESSED

The Doctor.....COLIN BAKER

Valeyard.....MICHAEL JAYSTON

Inquisitor .LYNDA BELLINGHAM

Frax.....TREVOR LAIRD

TuzaGORDON WARNECKE

KivCHRISTOPHER RYAN

CrozierPATRICK RYECART

Matrona Kani...ALIBE PARSONS

Sil.....NABIL SHABAN

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with

Bonnie Langford

in *The Trial of a Time Lord*

A 14-part adventure

Part 9 by PIP AND JANE BAKER

At last the Doctor is able
to present his evidence.

It takes place in the future
with a new companion and
new problems.

The DoctorCOLIN BAKER

Inquisitor .LYNDA BELLINGHAM

Valeyard.....MICHAEL JAYSTON

Professor Lasky

HONOR BLACKMAN

JanetYOLANDE PALFREY

RudgeDENYS HAWTHORNE

Grenville.....TONY SCOGGO

KimberARTHUR HEWLETT

BruchnerDAVID ALLISTER

GuardHUGH BEVERTON

MelanieBONNIE LANGFORD

Atza.....SAM HOWARD

EdwardesSIMON SLATER

CommodoreMICHAEL CRAIG

DolandMALCOLM TIERNEY

Ortezo.....LEON DAVIS

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Incidental music MALCOLM CLARKE

Designer DINAH WALKER

Producer JOHN NATHAN-TURNER

Director CHRIS CLOUGH

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Bonnie's just what the Doctor ordered!

DOCTOR WHO doing press-ups in the Tardis! It could happen, for joining Colin Baker in **The Trial of a Time Lord** is Bonnie Langford, who plays the Doctor's energetic 26th companion Melanie.

Physical fitness is an important part of Bonnie's role, and in this week's **Doctor Who** (Saturday 5.45 BBC1) Melanie will put the Doctor on a diet and make him do keep-fit exercises because she thinks he's out of shape.

Melanie, or Mel as the Doctor calls her, is a computer programmer who comes from the village of Pease Pottage (yes, it's a real name) in West Sussex.

She's already part of the Tardis crew at the start of this week's episode. 'It's set in the Doctor's future,' says Bonnie. 'You never learn how I got to travel with him.'

'Melanie is a bit headstrong and nosey, so although she recognises the Doctor is the leader, she helps out by running off and investigating things for herself. She ends up in awful trouble and the Doctor has to save her.'

Bonnie says *Doctor Who* is

a very happy series to work on, 'and we had lots of wonderful guest stars like Honor Blackman, Lynda Bellingham and Michael Jayston'.

Bonnie shot to fame at the age of six after an appearance on *Opportunity Knocks*.

She is currently on tour in Britain with the musical *Peter Pan*, which for a month over Christmas will be at Eastbourne.

'I'll be just along the road from Colin Baker who'll be doing pantomime at

Brighton [written and directed by *Doctor Who* producer John Nathan-Turner]. No doubt we'll bump into one another.'

For the future she says she'd like 'to break away from the kind of work people expect me to do'... starting this week with *Doctor Who*.

PATRICK MULKERN

**Come in number 26!
Colin Baker with his
new companion
Bonnie Langford**



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with **Bonnie Langford**
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Part 10 by PIP AND JANE BAKER

As the *Hyperion III* continues
its journey, more mysterious
deaths occur.

MelanieBONNIE LANGFORD

EdwardesSIMON SLATER

First guard.....HUGH BEVERTON

Second guard.MARTIN WEEDON

ValeyardMICHAEL JAYSTON

Inquisitor .LYNDA BELLINGHAM

The DoctorCOLIN BAKER

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Professor Lasky

HONOR BLACKMAN

RudgeDENYS HAWTHORNE

CommodoreMICHAEL CRAIG

BruchnerDAVID ALLISTER

JanetYOLANDE PALFREY

Duty officer .MIKE MUNGARVAN

Atza.....SAM HOWARD

Ortezo.....LEON DAVIS

KimberARTHUR HEWLETT

Grenville.....TONY SCOGGO

MutantBARBARA WARD

Theme music composed by

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Incidental music MALCOLM CLARKE

Designer DINAH WALKER

Producer JOHN NATHAN-TURNER

Director CHRIS CLOUGH

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with

Bonnie Langford

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Part 11 by PIP AND JANE BAKER

On board the space-liner

Hyperion III, a murderer is

at work. The Doctor and

Melanie intend to discover

the culprit, but who is the

mutant locked in the

isolation room?

The DoctorCOLIN BAKER

MelanieBONNIE LANGFORD

Professor Lasky

HONOR BLACKMAN

GuardHUGH BEVERTON

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First VervoidPEPPI BORZA

Second Vervoid...BOB APPLEBY

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Part 12 by PIP AND JANE BAKER

The *Hyperion III* is heading
straight towards the Black
Hole of Tartarus. How can the
space liner and its passengers
avoid disaster?

The DoctorCOLIN BAKER
Professor Lasky

HONOR BLACKMAN

CommodoreMICHAEL CRAIG

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Don Smith

*Glamorous passenger on a space liner hurtling to disaster:
Honor Blackman plays suspect scientist Professor Lasky
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with **Bonnie Langford**

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A 14-part adventure

Part 13 by **ROBERT HOLMES**

The Doctor's evidence is complete and he has been charged with genocide. Can friends from his past and future aid the Doctor's cause?
Keeper of the Matrix

JAMES BREE

Inquisitor **LYNDA BELLINGHAM**

Valeyard**MICHAEL JAYSTON**

The Doctor**COLIN BAKER**

Glitz**TONY SELBY**

Melanie**BONNIE LANGFORD**

Master**ANTHONY AINLEY**

Mr Popplewick

GEOFFREY HUGHES

Theme music composed by

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with **Bonnie Langford**
in *The Trial of a Time Lord*
by PIP AND JANE BAKER

The final part of this epic
adventure. The Doctor and
the Valeyard have entered
the world of the Matrix. Can
the Doctor defeat the evil
incarnation of himself?

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