

PICKS OF THE DAY

**Documentary:** The Man Putin Couldn't Kill, C4, 10pm

An investigation into the incident that took place in August 2020 when Russia's opposition leader Alexei Navalny (left) was taken ill during a flight to Moscow, having been poisoned. Navalny, a long-time critic of Vladimir Putin, was left fighting for his life in intensive care. While world leaders struggled to get him the treatment he needed, journalists began to piece together the events, discovering that not only was Navalny poisoned by a Russian security service hit squad, but that they had been following him for years while developing new variants of the banned chemical weapon Novichok – used in a 2018 attack in Salisbury.

**Nature:** Animals with Cameras, BBC2, 8pm

In episode two of this groundbreaking wildlife series Chris Watts teams up with biologists and researchers to design bespoke cameras tough enough to endure the Australian landscape, withstanding the climate and the height of the animals' habitat. In New South Wales, Gordon comes across a marsupial facing a complex set of challenges when he meets a population of kangaroos (left) that are being pushed to the very brink by a coastal development boom.

**Nature:** Wild Brazil, BBC4, 8pm

In celebration of Brazil's wildlife, Stephen Mangan narrates this three-part documentary capturing the lives of capuchin monkeys (above), giant otters and racoon-like coatis as they strive to raise their families. The first episode sees the young animals taking their first steps in some of the world's most remarkable habitats, where they have to beware of dangerous predators, including the jaguar and caimani.

**Drama:** Romeo & Juliet, Sky Arts, 9pm

The National Theatre put their own unique spin on one of Shakespeare's most well-known romantic tragedies. The production brings to life the stunning backstage spaces of the National Theatre and stars an award-winning cast, including The Crown's Josh O'Connor, and Jessie Buckley (both above), in the title roles. Also featuring Friday Night Dinner's Tamsin Greig, Hustle's Adrian Lester, and Fisayo Akinade.

Film: Wild Rose, Film4, 9pm

After being released from prison, Glaswegian singer Rose-Lynn Harlan chases her dreams of becoming a country music star, with help from posh new boss Susannah. Rose-Lynn wants to travel to Nashville where she believes she can make it as a musician. But with two children to look after and little money to get there, it's proving more difficult than she thought. Inspiring musical drama directed by Tom Harper, starring Jessie Buckley (right), Julie Walters and Sophie Okonedo.

