

Merseydoc

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Episode Overview

Episode 1 – The Phantom Penis

Episode 2 – Attack of the Boners

Episode 3 – Revenge of the Spliff

Episode 4 – A New Pope

Episode 5 – The Camp Liar Strikes Back

Episode 6 – Return of the Goody

Episode 1 – A documentary crew have come to Merseydoc, and within two minutes they have had most of their equipment stolen by the local “scally bastards.” It is a vain attempt by Les to get some good publicity after the recent allegations of his antics with a young Taiwanese ladyboy. However, nothing is going to run smoothly. Between the ditzy Sasha getting duped into a bit of phone sex and Charlie and her goons attempting to deliver the baby of a woman who is clearly not pregnant, no one is going to end up looking good, least of all Sue who is tricked into inviting her father for a spot of felching...

Episode 2 – Team building. All staff are miserable...as ever. Charlie comes in and happily explains that he has organised a team building activity at Thuxton Manor. After accidentally killing an old lady with a gatepost, Eddie (who is convinced he is Mr T) remains more than optimistic about the Valentine’s weekend away. Harry hopes this might finally be the night he can have time alone with Sasha, but unfortunately she is banned from the premises after being mistaken for a prostitute. Meanwhile, Sue is slipped a couple of sexual stimulation pills, and ends up humping anything in sight. When Harry gets Sasha alone, a dodgy curry thwarts his plans once more, as he ends up naked and stuck in her toilet. Back at Merseydoc, Graham is convinced he has won the lottery. It’s just a shame it’s the wrong week...

Episode 3 – Flog It! comes to Crossley. Complete with David Dickinson. The Merseydoc centre is base for this momentous event due to it being the only public venue in Huyton that still has doors. They share the waiting room with the patients and meet an array of punters most of whom are out of breath and asking how much they ‘can get for this car radio and sat nav?’ Meanwhile Harry becomes unable to breathe and is triaged to care within 24 hours by Sandra and told to take a seat, where he reads a copy of Hello – the Charles and Diana wedding edition. The local hypochondriac Irish nun is sure she has Landry Guillain Barre syndrome...

Episode 4 – The local hypochondriac nun, the bane of the medical centre’s lives, finally kicks the holy bucket. When she doesn’t turn up one day, the doctors are convinced there must be something wrong. After a visit to a party loving funeral directors (‘for a lady of the cloth there’s not much there’), it is time for the funeral which Harry misses due to a hostage stand off with an angry pit-bull. It is however attended by many people of the cloth...along with a long line of lovers...a whole lot of colleagues from the local lap dancing club... Peter Stringfellow... and many more dark secrets from her past. All is well until a church candle is knocked into the open casket. Meanwhile back on a home visit, Graham is keen to have his photo taken with a dying celebrity... Ali is working for the Samaritans and unfortunately everyone kills themselves as they mishear him.

Episode 5 – Colleen’s leaving party. Will Harry finally get his girl? Will Dr Lichit get there first? Will everyone be too pissed to care? Will Cameron finally get his revenge on the homophobic Graham with nothing a camera phone, two Rohypnols and a Viagra? Will the Spice Girl tribute band get any of the words right? Will Sue really believe that the full Monty is an Irish jig? And will life be the same once Colleen is dead?

Episode 6 – Renewal date for the contract is close at hand, and the Merseydoc centre looks like shit. A quick coat of paint later, Merseydoc still looks like shit, but with more paint. The ‘new look’ centre is unveiled on a fundraising event in a vain attempt to gain public support. They are helped out by none other than top showbiz celebrity, Jade Goody, who after consuming a large amount of the free Cava, entreats the crowd to believe she is ‘not a minger’ before falling drunkenly through the ribbon and pulling off the new plaque. Two hours later, during a game of spin the bottle she finds herself naked except for her knickers. ‘I can’t believe I’m doing this again...’