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## Lee's mooning about Harvey

Lee Whitlock hasn't let fame go to his head. Although he's only 14 and has worked with Elizabeth Taylor, Rock Hudson and Edward Fox. Some showbusiness talent. The cheeky London schoolboy shot to success in the popular *Shine On Harvey Moon*. With disarming modesty, he says: 'I'm just a normal kid.'

Lee (above) is back on screen tonight in the first of a new series of *Harvey Moon*, now expanded to hour-long slots instead of the previous 30 minutes.

Success rests easily on his young shoulders and he is still surprised when people stop him in the street near his Twickenham home, in Middlesex, to congratulate him on his acting. The Taylor/Hudson/Fox experience came in an Agatha Christie thriller when Lee had a small speaking part. He has also appeared in commercials, a Sherlock Holmes film, and episodes of *Cribb*, *Spoooner's Patch*, and *The Gentle Touch*.

His role as the son of demobbed RAF clerk Harvey Moon, played by Kenneth Cranham, fits him to a T. He says: 'The character is just what I'm like in real life. Director Baz Taylor largely gives me a free hand. He's a smashing person to work with. So is everyone else on the production — and I don't have too much trouble learning my lines.'

A far cry from Lee's early ambition — to become a printer like his real father. He got the acting bug after chumming his 12-year-old sister Emma to the Corona Stage School, London. She wants to become a dancer. Lee promised his father that if he got a place at the school he would pay his own fees, a promise he has kept enthusiastically.

Lee celebrated his birthday on the set of *Harvey Moon*. 'It would have been nice to have the day off but doing the series came first,' he says. 'What I didn't know was that the cast and the production team had laid on a party for me. They all contributed and bought me a new bike. When they sang *Happy Birthday* I just burst into tears. I was so happy.'

JAMES GILHEANY

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## News at 5.45

### 6.0 NEW SERIES The 6 o'clock Show

MICHAEL ASPEL  
JANET STREET-PORTER  
with FRED HOUSEGO

The return of London Weekend's live, local programme that takes a light-hearted look at the week's more amusing moments. Offbeat stories, weekend news, star guests and a studio audience. The weekend starts here! Thames Weekend News presented by Andrew Gardner and Rita Carter.

EXECUTIVE PRODUCER DAVID COX  
DIRECTORS JOHN BUSH,  
DANIEL WILES  
PRODUCER MAEVE HARAN  
EDITOR GREG DYKE  
London Weekend Television Production

### 7.0 Winner Takes All

JIMMY TARBUCK  
Tina Robinson  
Jan Michelle

Jimmy Tarbuck hosts the final edition of this gambling game and question master Geoffrey Wheeler, who devised this series, states the odds. Questions set by Deborah Sutherland, verified by Jenny Mills. Additional material by Wally Malston.

CONTESTANT RESEARCH  
SHIRLEY E JONES  
DESIGNER GORDON LIVESEY  
DIRECTOR DON CLAYTON  
PRODUCER IAN BOLT  
Yorkshire Television Production

### 7.30 Fall Guy

LEE MAJORS  
NO WAY OUT

Colt and Howie are detailed to pick up an obnoxious gambler in Las Vegas.

Colt Seavers Lee Majors  
Howie Douglas Barr  
Jody Heather Thomas  
Big Jack Jo Ann Pflug  
Warren Alexis Cesare Danova  
Crystal Michele Carey



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### 8.30 Third Time Lucky

BY JAN BUTLIN  
DEREK NIMMO  
and NERYYS HUGHES  
with ANGELA DOUGLAS  
and GERALD FLOOD

#### DON'T TALK TO ME ABOUT LOVE

George and Beth broke up yesterday. And Millie's efforts to help are not a great success.

George Hutchenson  
Derek Nimmo  
Millie King Angela Douglas  
Beth Jenkins Neryys Hughes  
Clare Hutchenson  
Debbie Farrington  
Jenny Hutchenson  
Lorraine Brunning  
Bruce Jenkins Clifford Earl  
Henry King Gerald Flood

DESIGNER MARY REA  
DIRECTOR/PRODUCER  
GRAEME MUIR  
Yorkshire Television Production

### 9.0 NEW SERIES

#### Shine on Harvey Moon

BY LAURENCE MARKS,  
MAURICE GRAN  
KENNETH CRANHAM  
and ELIZABETH SPRIGGS

GETTING RESULTS  
with MAGGIE STEED  
LINDA ROBSON  
NIGEL PLANER  
FIONA VICTORY  
and LEE WHITLOCK

February 1946. Harvey has got a job in a factory, but he's determined that his son Stanley should grow up to do better for himself. Much depends on the result of Stanley's exams. The series is developed for television by Witzend Productions Ltd.

*Harvey Moon*

Nan Elizabeth Spriggs  
Rita Moon Maggie Steed  
Lou Lewis Nigel Planer  
Maggie Moon Linda Robson  
Harriet Wright Fiona Victory  
Stanley Lee Whitlock  
Merrick Bernard Gallagher  
Connie Dudley Sutton

Hartley Christopher Benjamin  
Mr Compton Roger Brierley  
Dorothy Deborah Armstrong  
Monty Fish Linal Haft  
Lumpy Joel Baxter-Warman  
John Smith Matthew Long  
Derrick John Arthur  
Pat Vicky Ireland  
Prostitute Valerie Holliman  
Matt Peter Mackriell  
Projectionist Tony McHale  
Horace Ron Tarr  
Roper Steve Sweeney  
Snooker player Rory O'Connor

SCRIPT EDITORS DICK CLEMENT,  
IAN LA FRENAYS  
DESIGNER STANLEY MILLS  
DIRECTOR BAZ TAYLOR  
PRODUCER TONY CHARLES  
EXECUTIVE PRODUCER  
ALLAN MCKEOWN

### 10.0 News at Te

### 10.30 Sports Special

An all-action double-head featuring:

#### ATHLETICS

The European Championships from The Olympic Stadium Athens

Five more titles were decided today. Did you Briton Colin Reitz, the world's fastest steep chaser this year, win one them? Watch, too, for women's 800metres re team.

plus

#### SPORTS ACROBATICS

The Midland Bank World Championships from Wembley Arena

Prince and Princess Michael of Kent are guests of honour as seven more world titles are contested. Today's programme includes a variety of twisting, balancing and tempo routines. Medal contenders are the Americans, Russians and Chinese.

### 11.30 Night Life Presents

#### RAWHIDE

ERIC FLEMING  
CLINT EASTWOOD

#### Incident of the Dust Flower

After rescuing a man and his daughter from an accident with their wagon Peter Nolan finds himself acting as the young woman's fiancé when she disappears. (not in colour)

Gil Favor Eric Fleming  
Rowdy Yates Clint Eastwood  
Pete Nolan Sheb Woelke  
Wishbone Paul Brine  
Mushy Jim Murdoch  
Jim Quince Steve Raines  
Joe Scarlet Rocky Sharp  
Sophie Margaret Phillips  
Cartwright Arthur Shier

### 12.25 Bosom Buddies

#### KIP AND SONNY'S DATE

Kip tries to find out who Sonny thinks of him.

For cast, see Saturday

### 12.50 Close

Sit Up & Listen with actress Sian Phillips.

followed by

### Closedown