

04/20/2024 Daily OFMD Recap

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TLDR; David Jenkins; Con O'Neill; Jes Tom; Damien Gerard; Save OFMD Crew; Relax I'm From the Future; Fan Spotlight: Our Flag Means Fanfiction; Cast Cards; Colouring Pages; Articles; Love Notes;

== David Jenkins ==



We uncled the shit outta that Vanya



Img Src: David's IG / Kinga's IG





Img Src: @vannakitty's IG

== Con O'Neill ==

@sasroqueheroes

TOP BRASS



@oneill.com

Img Src: [@CorinSilvas IG](#)

== Jes Tom ==

On WED MAY 15th show at 9PM, Jes Tom will be at Asian Comedy Fest at Sugar Mouse in NYC! Want tickets? Visit [Asian Comedy Fest](#)



pps I LOVE when friends send me selfies like this ☺





Img Src: Jes Tom's IG

== Damien Gerard ==

Damien having a lovely hair down kinda day :) Img Src: Damien's IG

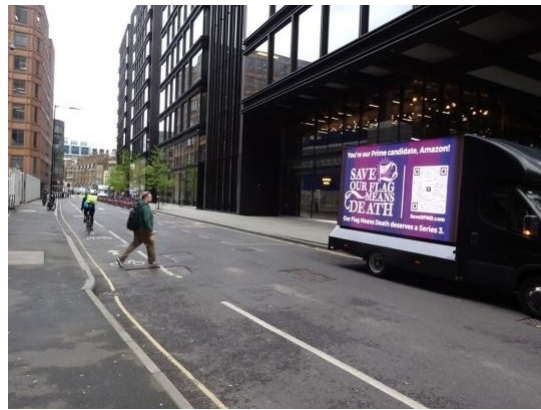


Damien Gerard @damientgerard · 9h
Today is a 'hair down' kinda day.



== Save OFMD Crew ==

Save OFMD Digital Advertising van follow up! Last month the trust overheated halfway through the paid for window so yesterday it got it's final chance to show streamers how much we want out show back. Src: [@saveofmdcrewmates](#) Tumblr



== Relax I'm From The Future! ==

Relax I'm From The Future is streaming in AONZ! Thank you [@wastingyourgum](#) for keeping us posted <3



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@WastingYourGum

#RelaxImFromTheFuture is available from today on Sky Movies in the UK, and on Netflix and Neon in Aotearoa New Zealand! #RIFTF #RhysDarby



== Fan Spotlight ==

= Our Flag Means Fanfiction =

Coming Monday 04/22, our awesome crewmates over at Our Flag Means Fanfiction will be running a "The Lore of the Ring" episode! Check it out when it comes out Monday!

Src: [Our Flag Means Fanfiction IG](#)



Dropping Monday!

that ring!

OUR
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MEANS
FANFICTION

THE
LORE OF THE RING
EPISODE

dropping
MONDAY
4/22!

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== Cast Cards ==

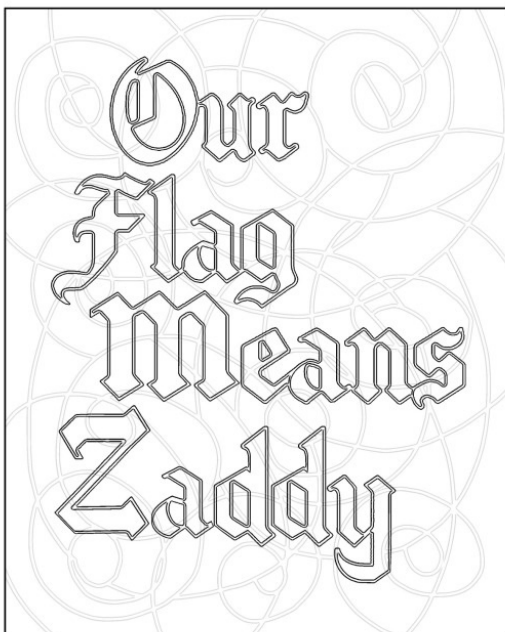
As always, our awesome crewmate [@melvisik](#) is keeping us busy with more cast cards! Today is Cerris Morgan Moyer, or otherwise known in OFMD as "Victoria Archer, who assured Mary Allamby that her future husband was not some derelict..." Thanks Mel!

Src: [@melvisik's Twitter](#)

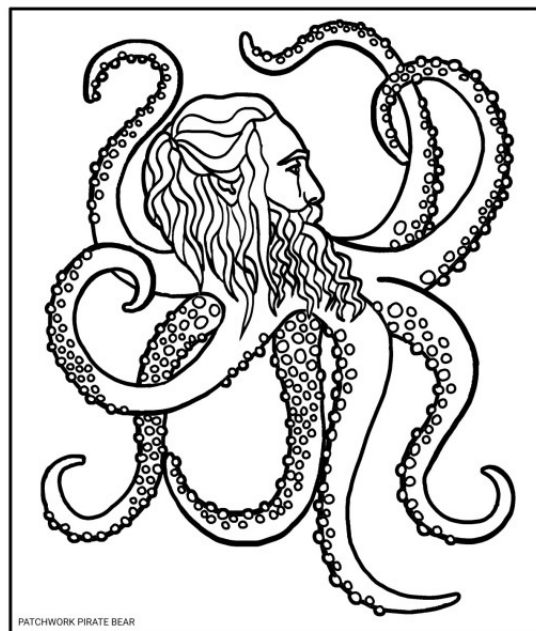


= OFMD Colouring-In Pics =

More colouring pages from our lovely crewmate [@patchworkpiratebear](#)! Get your creativity on and color in some OFMD related art! I may or may not be printing these off for my son and I to work on tomorrow...[PatchworkPirateBear's Tumblr](#)



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== Articles ==

Our friends over at [@adoptourcrew](#) on twitter highlighted some great articles over on twitter. [AdoptOurCrew Twitter Article Thread](#)

[Forbes Article on Black Sails \(mentions OFMD\)](#)



[When I wrote about *Vikings* coming to Netflix I added a similar update recommending *Norsemen*](#), a hilarious take on the Viking historical subgenre. Well, *Our Flag Means Death* is to *Black Sails* what *Norsemen* is to *Vikings*, though the humor in the two shows is quite different.

Like *Black Sails*, *Our Flag Means Death* is loosely based on true historical figures. In this case, Stede Bonnet, the Gentleman Pirate, played by the always-hilarious Rhys Darby.

Bonnet—an incompetent pirate who leaves his privileged life behind to sail the high seas—and his ragtag crew eventually cross paths with the notorious pirate captain Edward Teach (known more famously as Blackbeard) played by the wonderful Taika Waititi. Humor, chaos and unexpected romance ensues.

If you want a little dash of levity with your grim pirate seafaring adventures, add [this one](#) to the list. You won't regret it.

7 Shows Like The Great

Our Flag Means Death



Taika Waititi and Rhys Darby, *Our Flag Means Death* Aaron Epstein/HBO Max

Another show with a passionate fanbase! A runaway hit in 2022 and 2023, this queer historical comedy stars New Zealanders [Taika Waititi](#) and [Rhys Darby](#) as a pair of iconic 18th century pirates, Blackbeard and Stede Bonnet. In real life these guys did in fact co-captain a crew, but otherwise *Our Flag Means Death* plays fast and loose with historical fact, pairing the two pirates in a melodramatic yet adorable romance. *Our Flag* packs a wealth of material into 18 half-hour episodes, balancing goofy hijinks with sociopolitical commentary, pirate genre parodies, and an addictively compelling love story. Plus, it's widely seen as one of the best queer shows of the past few years.

[Sun Article on Historical Series](#)



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Today, historical series seem to be more susceptible to cancellation than other shows. Earlier this week, *Domina*, the MGM+ female-led period drama was cancelled after 2 seasons. #OFMD was mentioned to illustrate a trend in streamer decision making.

the-sun.com/tv/11139587/be...

DEAD END

Historical-based TV series have seemingly been on the chopping block as of late.

Last month, the streaming service Max officially canceled *Our Flag Means Death*.

The pirate comedy [reached the end](#) after its second season ended in October 2023.

David Jenkins, the show's creator, shared an emotional post on [Instagram](#) to announce [the ending](#).

== Love Notes ==

Happy Saturday my dears! I hope you are finding some time to relax today-- it feels like this past week was like a month long! We're coming up on the beginning of the week again so please remember to get some rest tonight if you can.

Do you ever feel anxious for seemingly no reason? Do you feel like you start talking to a group and then somehow everything just feels 10 times heavier? I know I do a lot. That's the part of our brains that have been dealing with so much crap for so long that it's trying to protect us from potential emotional harm again. It's been trained to question whether or not we've said the right thing, if our tone was non-offensive enough, if we're annoying someone.

It's doing it out of protection for us, but it can make things a lot harder in the long run. If you're

feeling that kind of anxiety, please remember that it may just be your brain chemistry...and most likely no ones upset with you, or feeling like you're awkward, even if you yourself feel that way. You haven't done anything wrong with engaging with others, and you certainly deserve a chance to do so. Tell your brain to take a break too-- take a shower, or a bath, or heck, just splash some cold water on your face. We are our own worst critics lovelies, and sometimes we have to put a mute button on our own inner voice to get some peace.

You're doing great lovelies. Remember that. Don't let the anxiety succeed at making you feel like you're not good enough. You are good enough, and you're doing great. Finally, here's your gentle reminder to please go eat something, and definitely drink some water. I know it's a lot just to exist sometimes, but you're making it happen, be proud of yourself for that. You got this <3 Sending love and good vibes <3.
