

Date	detail	Action taken	Media	Duration (if applicable)	Trigger
08.01.2011	Email from Brian Barker	None required	Esperanto gets a mention on "The Secret Life of Bob Monkhouse". This was broadcast four times on BBC 3 Television. Duration about three minutes.	-	Newly released film archive from Bob Monkhouse-
08.01.2011	Email from Hilary Chapman	None required	A response from PPG to an article that appeared in the Sentinel on 20.12.10 http://www.thisisstaffordshire.co.uk/news/Nostalgia-Letter-Celebrating-Esperanto-city/article-3076862-detail/article.html	-	Article in The Sentinel about Horace Barks
17.01.2011	Email from Joyce Bunting	None required	Bill Walker appears in a promotional video for BT Global Services using Esperanto. http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZcotlKtONCA (33 seconds in)	-	-
20.01.2011	Email from Brian Barker	None required	An article by Hilary Chapman in the Spring 2011, issue 18 of the Union PCS magazine. An electronic copy available on request from the office.	-	-
02.02.2011	Email from Hilary Chapman	Follow up by Brian	A mention of Esperanto in <i>The Times</i> . "The book in a made-up language Adam Sage . The Times Published: 02 February 2011 Life ...communication between warring peoples through tongues such as Esperanto or Volapük. Neither achieved its aim...making it especially easy to learn:Parla vos anglese? Esperanto The most widely spoken constructed language was first created"	-	Information from Martyn McClelland
04/02/2011	Cutting from Brian Barker	None required	Letter to The Editor in The Times: Brian Barker's letter is published. Copy in the office file.	-	Article by Adam Sage
10.02.2011	Email from Hilary Chapman	None required	Mention @ guardian.co.uk http://www.guardian.co.uk/global-development/poverty-matters/2011/feb/10/world-social-forum-2011-dakar-fast-crowded Includes active blog activity from Esperanto-speakers.	-	-
18.02.2011	See media content	Blog follow up	Article in the Daily Telegraph online.... Ministers can't use their £100 million Big Society fund without EU permission – perhaps NOW they'll understand what we sceptics have been complaining about . Article by Euro-MP Daniel Hannan Mention of Sir Teddy Taylor's support of Esperanto and replies by Esperanto Speakers. http://blogs.telegraph.co.uk/news/danielhannan/100076765/ministers-cant-use-their-100-million-big-society-fund-without-eu-permission-perhaps-now-theyll-understand-what-we-sceptics-have-been-complaining-about/	-	Letter to British Euro MP's with copy of the booklet "Discover Esperanto"
04.03.2011	Phone call	Passed query onto Tim Owen	Andrew Glover andrew.glover@ncjmedia.co.uk enquired about the JEB meet up in Newcastle upon Tyne. Tim O provided information for him (The Evening Chronicle – NUT)	-	Press Release Brian Barker
08.03.2011	Leaflet distribution by students in Sheffield	Follow up by Sheffield Esperanto speakers	Article in Sheffield Star evening daily newspaper http://www.thestar.co.uk/community/the-diary/bonjour_hola_ey_up_1_3154721	-	Sheffield Languages festival
09.03.2011	Email from Brian Barker	None required	The Daily Telegraph – Blog activity prior to the Eastbourne conference	-	
09.03.2011	Email from Brian Barker	None required	The star website also commented on the Sheffield Language festival, BB & HC comments http://www.thestar.co.uk/community/the-diary/bonjour_hola_ey_up_1_3154721		Press Release Brian Barker
11.03.2011	Letter by Brian O'Sullivan	None required	http://www.thestar.co.uk/community/letters/esperanto_date_1_3166071		Sheffield Languages festival
13.03.2011	Email from Brian Barker	None required	Many BBC Radio Sheffield interviews on the Sheffield language festival http://intlangfest.union.shef.ac.uk/ including many Esperanto mentions		Press Release Brian Barker
11.03.2011		None required	http://www.jusnews.co.uk/2011/03/festival-of-languages-draws-a-huge-learning-curve/		Sheffield Languages

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10.03.2011	Email from Hilary Chapman	Follow up blog activity	Article on the Guardian.co.uk ...At the Dakar forum it's fast, furious ... and crowded http://www.guardian.co.uk/global-development/poverty-matters/2011/feb/10/world-social-forum-2011-dakar-fast-crowded	-	Spin off from Dakar forum
09.03.2011	Email from Brian Barker	None required	BBC 4 and BBC 3 Television "The Secret life of Bob Monkhouse"...comedy sketch between Peter Cooke and Dudley Moore . DM wants to learn Esperanto. Now broadcast on six occasions	-	Newly released archive film footage of personal Bob Monkhouse.
10.03.2011	Email from Brian Barker	None required	Article in the Jewish Chronicle http://www.thejc.com/news/uk-news/46416/speaking-hebrew-language-festival	-	Press Release Brian Barker Sheffield Festival
11.03.2011	Email from Brian Barker	None required	BBC One Television Breakfast show ...Magnus Henoch from Sweden interviewed about the Sheffield Language Festival. Special mention of Esperanto. Note It is not possible to watch BBC Television News on BBC iplayer.	-	Press Release Brian Barker Sheffield
12.03.2011		None required	JUS NEWS http://www.jusnews.co.uk/2011/03/festival-of-languages-draws-a-huge-learning-curve/ Article by student journalists	-	Language festival
25.03.2011	Meeting of Eastern Federation near Braintree	None required	Interview by Ian Wyatt to Brian Barker on BBC Radio Essex. Positive mentions of Esperanto throughout Ian Wyatt's programme. About 48 minutes in and through the morning http://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/console/p00fhcv5/Ian_Wyatt_26_03_2011	6 minutes	Press Release Brian Barker Eastern Federation meeting
01.04.2011	Sheffield Languages Festival		Article in Cosmo magazine http://cosmosheffield.com/wp/?p=24		Press Release Brian Barker
01.04.2011	Phone call	-	BCB Community Radio Bradford http://www.podcast.canstream.co.uk/bcb/ Long positive interview with comments before and after.	12 minutes	Press Release Eastbourne Conference
05.04.2011	Phone call	-	BBC Radio Sussex. Interview about Eastbourne conference. Long interview with Brian Barker "Can you swear in Esperanto etc.	About 10 minutes	Eastbourne Conference
06.04.2011	Information from Joyce Bunting	-	Article about Joyce Bunting and advocacy of Esperanto http://www.hertsad.co.uk/news/golden_celebrations_for_harpenden_couple_1_855425		JB initiative
07.04.2011	Email to various Scottish Esperanto speakers.	-	BBC Radio Scotland http://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episode/b00zt6y9/Good_Morning_Scotland_08_04_2011/		Press Release Eastbourne Conference
07.04.2011	Info from Ivor Hueting		Eastbourne Herald . Article about Alex Zamenhof and local MP Stephen Lloyd. Copy held at Esperanto House.		Press Release Eastbourne Conference
08.04.2011	Information from Hilary Chapman		Article in "Progress" magazine http://www.progressives.org.uk/columns/column.asp?c=658		Press Release Eastbourne Conference
20.04.2011	Google search	Blog follow-up	Article in The Scotsman and two blog follow- ups http://thescotsmanscotsmans.com/features/The-curious-case-of-Thomas.6754063.jp		N/A
21.04.2011	Google search		Fincancial Times Article. British drinks firm launches soft-drink brand with Esperanto name		N/A

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01.05.2011	Article following on Eastern Esperanto Federation meeting.	Blog follow up	Daily Gazette - Essex Evening Paper http://www.gazette-news.co.uk/news/9001257.Esperanto_speakers_fight_to_keep_language_alive/	Press Release Brian Barker Eastern Fed
09.05.2011	Discussion about language learning in general.	Booklet entitled "Discover Esperanto" to Nicky Campbell	Stephen Thompson. Intervention with support and mention of Esperanto from two other people on BBC Radio 5 phone in programme. Negative comments from BBC presenter Nicky Campbell that discussion of Esperanto with regard to Esperanto's educational value, in learning other languages, was a "red herring" http://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episode/b0110dtb/5_live_Breakfast_Your_Call_09_05_2011/	Intervention by Stephen Thompson
09.05.2011	Phone call from BBC Radio WM	As above contacted Paul Gubbins who will liaise with Nicole	BBC WM Birmingham Nicole Pullman 0121 5676014 Wanted to speak with someone re the featured article on BBC Radio 5 live 'learning another language' http://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episode/b0110dtb/5_live_Breakfast_Your_Call_09_05_2011/	
	Phone call from BBC Radio	Contacted Paul Gubbins who will liaise with John	BBC Radio Newcastle John Harle 0191 2441457 Wanted to speak with someone re the featured article on BBC Radio 5 live 'learning another language' http://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episode/b0110dtb/5_live_Breakfast_Your_Call_09_05_2011/	
12.05.2011	Email from member		Takeshi's Castle Japanese game show on Challenge TV in which contestants try to storm the castle and win cash prizes. Narrated by Craig Charles. Game Show/Quiz , One of contestants is Esperanto speaker.	N/A
21.05.2011	Meeting of North Western Esperanto Federation	Contact Paul Gubbins	Half hour interview with Paul Gubbins on Preston FM at 11 30 am http://www.yourprescap.org.uk/your-preston-fm/schedule/	Press Release N.W.Spring Conference
29.05.2011	Email from Max Marzec	N/A	Article in Danish publication http://sprog museet.dk/festival/sprogfestivalen-i-sheffield/	Sheffield Language Festival
09.06.2011	Email from Father Weatherby	Blog follow up	Article in "This is Staffordshire " by Peter Wetherby http://www.thisisstaffordshire.co.uk/Yoursfaithfully/story-12730886-detail/story.html?random=7024859	Letter from BB
10.06.2011	Google search.	Additional info supplied	Positive article in British Council publication http://languagerichblog.eu/2011/06/09/what-do-they-know-of-english-those-who-only-english-know/	From Sean O'Riain
10.06.2011	Endangered Languages Week interview.	Replied by post and info sent by email	Negative interview by Professor Peter Austin of SOAS - decline of Esperanto. http://soasradio.org/sites/default/files/podcasts/ELW_2011_-_Armando_interviews_Peter_Austin_edited_0.mp3	Email from faigos - reago
22.06.2011	Hilary Chapman initiative	Reply by blog	http://www.creativetimes.co.uk/events/the-modernist-magazine-launch	Not known
24.06.2011	From Brian Kaneen Via reago google activist group.	Email direct to author by BB	Financial Times article by Simon Kuper. http://www.ft.com/cms/s/2/e3e18a60-9c71-11e0-a0c8-00144feabdc0.html#axzz1QGHDGTUG Replied to author with positive response from author	From Brian Kaneen
23.06.2011	Possible Feature in the Yorkshire Evening Post	Sourcing Leeds based Esperantists willing to be interviewed	An email from Jayne Dawson (Features Editor) at the Yorkshire Evening Post requesting details of Leeds based Esperantists. Jayne has been given the details of one of our Life members in Wakefield. We're awaiting reply from a Leeds based Esperanto speaker who teaches (she's on holiday at the moment)	Press Release York Federation Meeting

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29.06.2011	Interview via BBC Western House in London (BBC Radio York)		Interview with Brian Barker with John Wells CD – about one hour 55 minutes in http://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/console/p00hjzph with Adam Tomlinson		Press Release York Federation meeting.
07.07.2011	Article in the Yorkshire Evening Post	None required	Article in the Yorkshire Evening Post. (not published as at 12.07.2011), Geoffrey Wood has been interviewed. The researcher is to contact a couple more people in the area. Viv has provided group photographs. http://www.yorkshireeveningpost.co.uk/news/latest-news/central-leeds/what_s_the_point_of_esperanto_1_3579222		Press Release. York Federation meeting.
09.07.2011	Article in the Daily Mail	None required	Quentin Letts: This article appeared http://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-2012726/King-Lear-Curtain-Sir-Ian-McKellen-caught-napping-.html		
13.07.2011	Article in the Liverpool Daily Post	None required	See http://www.dailypost.co.uk/news/north-wales-news/2011/07/13/appeal-to-find-esperanto-speakers-55578-29042666/		Brian Barker Press Release
			http://www.walesonline.co.uk/news/local-news/llandudno/2011/07/13/appeal-to-find-esperanto-speakers-91466-29042663/ Wales on line website		Brian Barker Press Release
20.07.2011	Article in the News and Star	None required	http://www.newsandstar.co.uk/opinion/write-stuff/one-way-to-cut-bill-1.859425?referrerPath=opinion/ Article by Stephen Blease		Brian Barker Press Release
20.07.2011	Radio interview	None required	http://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/p00hy8vb Malcolm Jones and June Campbell interviewed by BBC Radio Leeds. 1 hr and 37 minutes into the programme	15 minutes	Brian Barker Press Release
26.07.2011	Article in the Financial Times	None required	See: http://www.ft.com/cms/s/0/0d08c0b8-b6ab-11e0-ae1f-00144feabdc0.html#		Esperanto Day Press Release (Brian Barker)
26.07.2011	Phone-in on BBC Radio Scotland	All Scottish members on e-mail notified on Tuesday morning.	http://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episode/b012rf5x/Call_Kaye_26_07_2011/ BBC Radio Scotland. Phone-in on the Kaye Adams show. Ed Robertson and Brian Barker converse in Esperanto live on-air 58 minutes into the show.	13 mins	Esperanto Day Press Release (Brian Barker)
26.07.2011	Radio Interview	None required	Elizabeth Stanley to be interviewed at 8.15 am on BBC Radio Gloucestershire http://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episode/p00j08wm/Chris_Baxter_Esperanto/		Esperanto Day Press Release (Brian Barker)
26.07.2011	Radio Interview	None required	Ian Carter was interviewed by Rony Robinson on BBC Radio Sheffield. http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UqYk5nA8U4M	4 mins	Esperanto Day Press Release (Brian Barker)
26.07.2011	Radio	None required	Radio 4. The Today Programme with John Humphries and David Blunkett. They spoke to Bill Chapman live from the UK in Copenhagen http://news.bbc.co.uk/today/hi/today/newsid_9548000/9548479.stm The programme ended with "The programme ended with the comment "We have had lots of emails about Esperanto, so perhaps it is useful after all""		Esperanto Day Press Release (Brian Barker)
26.07.2011	Radio	None required	Interview with Brian Barker on BBC Radio Cumbria		Esperanto Day Press Release (Brian Barker)
26.07.2011	Radio	None required	Interview with Brian Barker on BBC Radio Wales at 2 pm http://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/b012b08f		Esperanto Day Press Release (Brian Barker)
26.07.2011	Radio Interview	None required	Interview with Tim Owen in the BBC Radio Coventry and Warwickshire studio for the Vic Minett show (2hrs 19 mins in) http://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episode/p00j0bv3/Vic_Minett_26_07_2011/		Esperanto Day Press Release (Brian Barker)

26.07.2011	Radio Interview	None required	Interview with Brian Barker on BBC Radio Manchester at 11.20 http://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episode/p00j5jir/Heather_Stott_26_07_2011/		Esperanto Day Press Release (Brian Barker)
26.07.2011	Radio Interview	None required	BBC Radio Tees enquiry. Interview failed due to lack of immediate response by potential interviewee.		Esperanto Day Press Release (Brian Barker)
26.07.2011	Radio Interview	None required	Radio Broadcast by Downtown Radio, Northern Ireland.		Esperanto Day Press Release (Brian Barker)
26.07.2011	Radio Interview	None required	Interview with Ed Robertson on BBC Radio Scotland for the 4.20 programme. http://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/b012rfh7		Esperanto Day Press Release (Brian Barker)
26.07.2011	Radio Interview	None required	BBC Radio nan Gaidheal (Scotland's Gaelic radio station) Interview with Alasdair MacCaluim on the morning new programme: Aithris na Maidne. URL to follow		Esperanto Day Press Release (Brian Barker)
26.07.2011	TV Interview	None required	BBC Alba (Scotland's Gaelic TV station) Alasdair MacCaluim was interviewed on <i>An Là</i> , the evening news programme. http://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/gd/episode/b012pb67/An_La_26_07_2011/ 16.28 into the programme.	2.5 mins	Esperanto Day Press Release (Brian Barker)
26.07.2011	Radio Interview	None required	BBC Radio Jersey: Brian Barker interviewed at 17.45. http://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episode/p00j02fi/Christina_Ghidoni_26_07_2011/		Esperanto Day Press Release (Brian Barker)
26.07.2011	Newspaper article	None required	Esperanto speaker, John Murray talks to the Belfast Telegraph. http://www.belfasttelegraph.co.uk/breaking-news/offbeat/oap-marks-esperanto-124th-birthday-16028217.html This article published in 32 local newspapers.		Esperanto Day Press Release (Brian Barker)
26.07.2011	Celebrity tweet	None required	Comedian Jimmy Carr mentioned Esperanto in this tweet: http://twitter.com/#!/jimmycarr "26 July 1887. Esperanto is established. Some say it's the ideal universal language. But they're just talking nonsense." He has over a million followers so although his tweet is negative, a lot of people will now be aware of its existence.		unknown
26.07.2011	Radio Interview	None required	BBC Radio Derby spoke to Jill Gubbins at the UK in Copenhagen. it was at 1245 UK time on Tues on the Aleena Naylor mid-morning show. 2hours 45 minutes into the programme. http://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/console/p00j02l6	5 mins	Jill works for BBC Radio Derby
26.07.2011	News Agency report	None required	http://www.iewy.com/31128-esperanto-%e2%80%93-124th-anniversary-of-a-universal-tongue.html/comment-page-1#comment-63926 Article by News Agency		Unknown
26.07.2011	News Agency report	None required	Teachers Magazines http://www.teachermagazines.co.uk/teacher-news/oap-marks-esperanto-124th-birthday-belfast-telegraph/#comment-183		Brian Barker Press Release
26.07.2011	News Agency report	None required	http://www.politicshome.com/uk/article/32707/mi_nomigas_david!.html Dot Commons Diary – Info blog for British MP's		Brian Barker Press Release
26.07.2011	News Agency report	None required	http://www.politicshome.com/uk/article/32704/david_blunkett_jokes_that_he_nearly_got_arrested_for_speaking_esperanto.html DODS Politics Home		Brian Barker Press Release
27.07.2011	Repeat Television broadcast.	None required	On Watch Television at 3pm. Repeat of ITV programme. "Tales from the Country" with Selina Scott		N/A
08/08/2011	Article in 'The Daily Telegraph' p. 18	None required	http://www.telegraph.co.uk/comment/8687918/Dont-knock-Esperanto-fans-theyve-got-the-right-idea.html	8 column inches	International Congress of

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06/08/2011	Article in the Economist	None required	http://www.economist.com/node/21525371		Unknown
07/08/2011	Letter published in the Catholic Times	None required	Hard copy on file in the office. A supportive letter from Catherine Venture of Birmingham		n/a
11.08.2011	Article published	None required	Aricle in the <i>Isle of Man</i> examiner re Marown School/Springboard to Languages.		Pat Burgess
23/08/2011	Radio Interview	Emails and/or texts sent to H Eason/Harry Barron/Rob Hawkins & Hilary Chapman	BBC Radio Cymru Breakfast prog called requesting a speaker. Ben 02920322213 Hilary Chapman gave interview. Listen again here http://news.bbc.co.uk/welsh/hi/newsid_9570000/newsid_9570800/9570852.stm		BB Press Release re Cardiff meeting
23/08/2011	Radio Interview resulting in other media exposure	Emails and/or texts sent to H Eason/Harry Barron/Rob Hawkins & Hilary Chapman	<p>Emma (02920323374) BBC Radio Wales requested an interview (early morning) . Rob Hawkins was interviewed which resulted in the following media coverage:</p> <p>http://billionaires.forbes.com/article/00rR87EdGjdQ3?q=Miami http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-wales-14626877 BBC feature http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-wales-south-east-wales-14626876 BBC Feature and listen again</p> <p>An article in the North Korea Times: http://story.northkoreatimes.com/index.php/ct/9/cid/dd8845aa60952db2/id/47965914/ Featured on the BBC News Red button service: (<i>Brian, is this correct?</i>)</p>		BB Press Release re Cardiff meeting



23/08/2011	Radio Interview	Emails and/or texts sent to H Eason/Harry Barron/Rob Hawkins & Hilary Chapman	ITV Wales contacted the office looking for Welsh Esperanto speakers - James.Wolley@itwales.com 08448810213		BB Press Release re Cardiff meeting
23/08/2011	Radio Interview	Emails and/or texts sent to H Eason/Harry Barron/Rob Hawkins & Hilary Chapman	Media Wales called the office looking for Welsh Esperanto speakers- Matt Withers 02920 243609/07919 093814		BB Press Release re Cardiff meeting
03/09/2011	Letter Published	None required	Letter from Brian Barker published in the Economist http://dr.economist.com/node/21528215 The letter is a response to the article published on the 6 th August (see above).		-
02/09/2011	Radio Interview	Contacted Gaynor Voiels and Graham Blakey	Contact from Ryan 07793 983 619 at BBC Radio Manchester. Wants to interview someone re the SLEG AGM in Southport on the 10 th September. Graham Blakey, as NW Fed Chair to contact Ryan and feedback to us/		BB Press Release
17/09/2011	Newspaper article	None required	http://www.ft.com/cms/s/0/a5e2b7b0-dec1-11e0-a228-00144feabdc0.html Article in the Financial Times. To read the article you need to have 'log-in' details.		-
26/09/2011	Mention on TV	Letter from Brian Barker to thank the BBC for a positive presentation of Esperanto.	Esperanto was mentioned twice during the first show in the new Stephen Fry series, 'Planet Word' – shown on the BBC.		-
07/10/2011	Radio Interview	None required	Radio interview with BBC Radio Manchester – Brian Barker. Was prior to the NW FED meeting http://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/console/p00kj0j7 . mp3 on file.	1.5mins	Press release prior to NW Fed meeting
17.10.2011	Leicester Mercury	None required	http://www.thisisleicestershire.co.uk/Railway-buff-inspired-Fat-Controller/story-13565592-detail/story.html?ito=SPF		
02.11.2011	Blog article	None required	http://theshriekingviolets.blogspot.com/ issue 16. Hilary Chapman gets a mention: "Bill Chapman, who has been speaking Esperanto since 1967, got in touch with me offering an insider's perspective on an article I wrote about the Esperanto for <u>the modernist issue 1</u> . During our subsequent exchange of emails, he sent me a historic photo of the Manchester Esperanto society and told me about the adventures Esperanto has enabled him to have. Esperanto celebrates its 125th anniversary next year, and I asked Bill to expand on his stories in article form for the Shrieking Violet. Bill is a magistrate in north Wales and has worked for many years in education and training, most recently in the field of lifelong learning. He is enjoying being a grandfather."	-	-
03.11.2011	BBC Radio 4 mention	Mp3 made for our records	http://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/console/b016ljlz A joke in Esperanto was told on the Rory Bremner show on BBC Radio 4. 9 minutes and 30 seconds into the show.		-
04.11.2011	Press enquiry	Information sent	Sophia Charalambous from the Essex Chronicle contacted me re the Autumn meeting (the date has passed). Information re contacts in Essex sent. Sophia.charalambous@essexchronicle.co.uk		An old BB Press Release
08.23 2011	BBC Radio Stoke	Mp3 made for our records	Interview with Tim Owen about Esperanto House. http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-england-stoke-staffordshire-16084493		

