



## Today's TV picks by Doug Whelan

### MUSIC

#### The Brit Awards 2015,

UTV Ireland, 8pm

The Brit Awards is a dreadfully uncool affair these days. Gone are the controversial days of Oasis v Blur, Jarvis Cocker upstaging Michael Jackson, or art-ravers The KLF's notorious 1992 performance that left the entire British music industry in stunned silence (look it up - you'll be glad you did). All we can look forward



to is a supergroup tribute to David Bowie, which the man himself would almost certainly have hated. But that's hardly a reason not to watch, is it.

### DRAMA

#### Grey's Anatomy,

Sky Living, 10pm

Following the customary mid-season break for 'Grey's Anatomy', we're back to Seattle for the lives and loves of those dreamy doctors. Now in its 12th season, the show has found its way somewhat after a few years in the wilderness, where writers depended too much on implausible events to



drive storylines: plane crashes, terrorist attacks and earthquakes were a common occurrence. The focus is back on the characters now, plus there's a special guest behind the camera for this episode, directed by Denzel Washington.

### FOOD

#### Neven Maguire:

#### Healthy Home Chef,

RTE One, 7.30pm

The man from Cavan is back on screens with more tips and recipes for healthy food, and the topic tonight is **gluten-free** cooking. This can be a revelation for people with certain conditions such as Celiac Disease, but there are said to be certain benefits for

people without the condition also. **Denise** O'Callaghan from Cork's **Delicious Gluten Free Bakery** joins Neven with tips on baking, while Neven himself demonstrates how to make Irish hake with an Asian twist and a Red Thai pork curry.



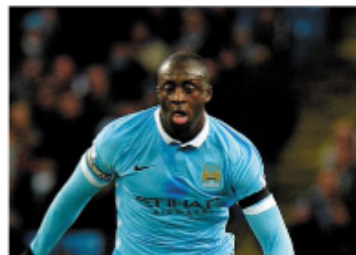
### SPORT

#### Live Champions

#### League, RTE2, 7.30pm

The first leg clashes in the Europe-wide tournament's round of 16 continue, as Ukraine's Dynamo Kiev host Manchester City. Man City is a club in a state of flux, as outgoing boss makes way for Spanish legend Pep Guardiola, who arrives in Manchester

at the beginning of next season. Ahead of that, outgoing manager Manuel Pellegrini will be determined to leave the club on a high note and an away goal or two tonight would certainly be a step in the right direction.





**Rush Hour (1998)**

★★★★★

3e, 10pm

The pickings are somewhat slim in the film department this evening, so unless you're in the mood for disturbing European arthouse horror 'Funny Games' (1997) on Sky Arts at 10pm, you could do worse than buddy-cop action movie 'Rush Hour', starring Chris Tucker and Jackie Chan. The fish-out-of-

water plot is one we've seen a thousand times before: a Hong Kong detective (Chan) travels to Los Angeles to investigate a kidnapping, whereupon he is assigned a liaison to (Tucker) keep him out of trouble. Sure enough, after a brief rivalry, the duo hit it off in time to punch, kick and shoot their way to solving the case. It may be clichéd, but Jackie Chan is unmatched for his stunt work and choreography (he never uses a double), and Chris Tucker makes a good comic foil. Co-starring Tom Wilkinson and the late Chris Penn.