



## **LOVEABLE KIDS' TV SHOW 'MOLEY' RETURNS WITH NEW EPISODES ON BOOMERANG**

***MOLEY WILL ALSO AIR ON FREEVIEW CHANNEL POP FOR THE FIRST TIME IN DECEMBER***

***ANIMATED SHOW PROVIDES FUN FOR ALL THE FAMILY!***

**Tuesday 1 November 2022** - The world's most loveable mole is back in 13 new episodes of the fun-filled animated series *Moley*, coming to Boomerang on 5 December 2022. Next month *Moley* will also be coming to Freeview for the first time, with the Xmas special airing on the POP channel, and the series' first 26 episodes to follow at a later date.

Voiced by Warwick Davis, Moley is a charming, optimistic young mole who lives in a deep burrow under Windsor Castle in the hustling, bustling city of MoleTown. The series follows the life of MoleTown's most famous mole. He is forever in demand. Each day he's invited to participate in events, make appearances, learn about new mole cultures and customs from moles of diverse backgrounds, and share his knowledge of the human world above.

In these new episode's *Moley's* eponymous hero takes on some incredible and intriguing challenges including competing against his fellow residents in the MoleTown Races, acting in a play, hunting for treasure, and starring as the guest of honour in a fashion show.

Luckily, Moley has his best friends to help him find his way through these tricky situations. Mona Lisa (Gemma Arterton's) brains and class help him navigate the public eye, while his plucky best friend Dotty (Jessica Henwick) does a great job helping him in all his adventures.

Moley's top tier cast of talent returns for this new batch of fun-filled adventures with Stanley Tucci (Mishmosh), Richard E. Grant (The Gardener), Charles Dance (Mr James Moley), Julie Walters (Mrs Elizabeth Moley), Trevor Dion Nicholas (Lester), Togo Igawa (Mystic

Mole) and Hilary Whitehall (Miss Petunia) all joining Warwick Davis on his subterranean hijinks.

*Moley* is the brainchild of creator James Reatchlous, born out of bedtime stories he told to his daughters and wrote down in his journals. Years later when he suffered from lymphoma, his daughters brought the journals to hospital to lift his spirits and eventually the *Moley* animation was born.

Following the release of the first 26 episodes of *Moley*, this next batch delivers the following 13 of an eventual 52 in total. *Moley* is produced by Nottage Productions and is directed by Leon Joosen, who has previously worked on classics including *The Little Mermaid*, *Space Jam* and *Scooby-Doo*.

The first episode, 'Rally Ho' features the annual MoleTown Races, where each of the town's residents have their own unique car to compete for the grand prize. But how will Moley cope when he finds out there are no rules? Other episodes include 'Paper Moleche', 'Mole in One' and 'Double Oh Moley'.

When asked what he enjoys about *Moley*, Warwick Davis said: "The stories are such wonderful creations and I love the idea that MoleTown exists beneath the planet, a place where moles from different countries and backgrounds come together. I think that's a terrific idea in today's world."

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### **Notes to editors**

Download the press pack [here](#).

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### **Episode Synopsis**

#### **Episode 27 - Rally Ho**

It's the annual MoleTown Races, and each of the residents have their own unique car to compete for the grand prize. But how will Moley cope when he finds out there are no rules?

#### **Episode 28 - Paper Moleche**

Dotty discovers that Mystic has found a lost treasure map from the great above and persuades Moley and Manny to help in the search.

#### **Episode 29 - Mole in One**

MoleTown is becoming lazy and so Dotty helps Moley exercise, giving the Gardener an idea, he sets up a Golf Course to trap Manny, but things don't go to plan.

#### **Episode 30 - Little Lizzie**

When Moliere's travelling spectacular comes to MoleTown, it brings with it a rather unique guest, which soon becomes very attached to Dotty.

### **Episode 31 - Double Oh Moley**

When Moley finds an old movie poster about a human hero, Manny's magic conjures up an entire world of action and adventure.

### **Episode 32 - Mona's Monstrous Makeover**

Mona Lisa is hosting an extravagant fashion show and she wants Moley to be the guest of honour, but what will Moley wear for the show?

### **Episode 33 - Gardener and Mole**

Things take a dramatic turn when the Gardener and Moley magically switch places, leading to a very bored Moley and a very tired and frustrated Gardener.

### **Episode 34 - Moley's Wild Ride**

MoleTown has a spectacular fun fair and at its heart is a huge Ferris wheel created by Mishmosh, but after Manny speeds things up, Moley has to save the day.

### **Episode 35 - MoleTown's a Stage**

Mrs Moley is directing a small play, with Moley cast as the hero, but his fear gets the better of him and so Manny conjures up a spell which turns all residents into their characters, now Moley must save them for real.

### **Episode 36 - Sidekick Roadtrip**

Moley and the Gardener each head off for a road trip, leaving Manny and Squirm home alone, but it isn't long before the two of them take an adventure of their own.

### **Episode 37 - Mrs Moley's Manic Movers**

When Mrs Moley needs a wardrobe picking up from Miss Petunia's, Moley and Dotty must figure out how they can transport the beast from the other side of town.

### **Episode 38 - Camp Counselor**

Dotty persuades Moley and Mishmosh to head out for a spot of camping, meanwhile the Gardener has his own plans.

### **Episode 39 - Mission Impossible**

Mystic Mole leaves Moley and Dotty in charge of the temple, meanwhile the Gardener hatches an ingenious plan to get his hands on Manny!

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