

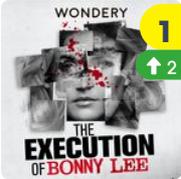


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Rank	Podcast	Publisher	Power Score™
1	 <p>Hosts Tracy Pattin, Josh Lucas</p> <p>The Execution of Bonny Lee Bakley</p> <p>True Crime On May 4, 2001, Bonny Lee Bakley was found fatally shot in a car on a dark North Hollywood street. The prime suspect was her husband, famed actor Robert Blake. But Bonny, a longtime con artist, had plenty of enemies. She left behind a trail of men she'd scammed, and she had a volatile...</p> <p>ART19</p>	Wondery	76
2	 <p>Hosts Josh Mankiewicz, Andrea Canning</p> <p>Dateline: Missing In America</p> <p>True Crime Are you the key to solving a mystery? That question is at the heart of this all-new original series from Dateline. Correspondents Josh Mankiewicz and Andrea Canning report on perplexing missing person cases brought to Dateline's attention by our social media followers. Each episode will...</p> <p>Simplecast</p>	NBC News	75
3	 <p>Host Evan Ratliff</p> <p>Persona: The French Deception</p> <p>True Crime What does it feel like to pick up the phone and scam someone out of \$50 million? This is the story of Gilbert Chikli, one of the greatest con artists of all time. Host and award-winning journalist Evan Ratliff investigates how Chikli duped some of the world's most powerful people into handing over...</p> <p>ART19</p>	Wondery Pineapple Street Studios	75
4	 <p>Host Keith Morrison</p> <p>The Seduction</p> <p>True Crime It's a twisted love story that unspools like a film noir, where lust and obsession lead to murder and a classic double cross. This original series from Dateline's Keith Morrison takes us into the troubled mind of a young man, and the cold heart of a woman who needed her husband dead. If onl...</p> <p>Simplecast</p>	NBC News	75
5	 <p>Host Hedley Thomas</p> <p>The Teacher's Trial</p> <p>True Crime From Hedley Thomas and the journalists at The Australian, The Teacher's Trial follows the events in the trial of Chris Dawson, who is accused of the murder of his wife Lynette Dawson. To read The Australian's ongoing coverage of the trial search The Teacher's Trial or click here.</p> <p>Omny Studio</p>	The Australian	74



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6	 <p>Pod Meets World Hosts Rider Strong, Danielle Fishel, Will Friedle TV We're sending you to 1993 when TGIF reigned supreme and "Boy Meets World" first premiered. Danielle, Will and Rider are going back to school as they rewatch every episode of the iconic series, sharing memories, behind the scenes moments, and all the "Boy Meets World" stories...</p>	iHeartPodcasts	74
7	 <p>The Jeff Gerstmann Show - A Podcast About Video Games Host Jeff Gerstmann Video Games Jeff Gerstmann brings his extreme knowledge of video games, the video game industry, and energy drinks to you each and every week.</p>	Jeff Gerstmann	73
8	 <p>Hot Money: Who Rules Porn? Hosts Patricia Nilsson, Alex Barker Sexuality When Financial Times reporter Patricia Nilsson started digging into the porn industry, she made a shocking discovery: Nobody knew who controlled the biggest porn company in the world. Now, Nilsson and her editor, Alex Barker, have figured out who the guy was, and much mor...</p>	Pushkin Industries	73
9	 <p>Facing Evil Hosts Rasha Pecoraro, Yvette Gentile True Crime Back in 2019, sisters Rasha Pecoraro and Yvette Gentile revealed the true story of their dark family history in the hit podcast Root of Evil. Now, Pecoraro and Gentile are back with Facing Evil, a new weekly true crime show which focuses on different but equally resonant stories.</p>	iHeartPodcasts	72
10	 <p>Project Unabom Host Eric Benson True Crime Decades after Ted Kaczynski was caught, society is still asking some of the same questions about him: Is Ted a genius who went astray? Or simply a madman who murdered three people in cold blood? Project Unabom takes an in-depth look back at the Unabomber saga and...</p>	Apple TV+ / Pineapple Street Studios	70



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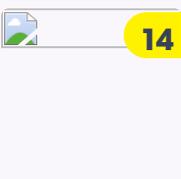


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11	 <p>Hosts Mick Foley, Conrad Thompson</p> <p>Foley Is Pod</p> <p>Wrestling 'The Hardcore Legend' Mick Foley and 'The Podfather' Conrad Thompson are teaming up for a brand new podcast, "Foley Is Pod," available on Podcast Heat or wherever you download your podcasts. Foley, whose physical and extreme style of professional wrestling made him a can't...</p> <p>Nox Solutions</p>	PodcastOne	69
12	 <p>Host V Spehar</p> <p>V Interesting with V Spehar</p> <p>News Sometimes TikTok superstar V Spehar needs more than a minute to bring you the news. The Under the Desk News anchor is bringing their sharp outfits and sharper commentary to a new, twice-weekly show with Lemonada Media. On Tuesdays, V highlights the interesting parts of stories we often...</p> <p>Omny Studio</p>	Lemonada Media	67
13	 <p>Film Quentin Tarantino and Roger Avary invite you to become a customer at Video Archives, the store that started it all. Joined by their announcer Gala Avary, they'll travel back in time to revisit old classics and discover new favorites, pulled from the actual VHS tapes that Quentin and Roger used t...</p> <p>Simplecast</p>	Quentin Tarantino & Roger Avary, Stitcher	67
14	 <p>Host Kim Goldman, Producer Jackie MacDougall</p> <p>Media Circus with Kim Goldman</p> <p>True Crime Media Circus takes an inside look at private tragedy in the public eye, and explores how the media got it right, got it wrong, and got in the way. In each episode, Victim Advocate and Author Kim Goldman gives us a fresh, behind-the-scenes look into high profile crimes you think you...</p> <p>Omny Studio</p>	Kast Media Kim Goldman	67
15	 <p>Hosts Pandora Sykes, Sirin Kale</p> <p>Unreal: A Critical History of Reality TV</p> <p>TV Journalists Pandora Sykes and Sirin Kale explore how reality TV shapes our lives and the ethical questions raised by the format, featuring iconic shows and stars.</p> <p>BBC</p>	BBC Radio 4	67



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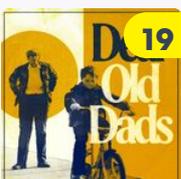


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16	 <p>Hosts Ken White, Joshua Barro</p> <p>Serious Trouble</p> <p>Society An irreverent podcast about the law from Josh Barro and Ken White.</p> <p>Substack</p>	Josh Barro and Ken White	66
17	 <p>Host Amber Rose-Gill</p> <p>Amazing Starts Here</p> <p>Non-Profit You know Peter Parker got bitten by a radioactive spider and that was how he became Spiderman, but what about the origin stories of real-life superheroes? Amber Rose-Gill has got you covered with inspiring stories from ordinary people who do extraordinary things with a little help from Th...</p> <p>Omny Studio</p>	The National Lottery	66
18	 <p>Host Chris Cuomo</p> <p>The Chris Cuomo Project</p> <p>News The Chris Cuomo Project is the official podcast of award-winning veteran broadcast journalist Chris Cuomo. Every Thursday, Chris presents his signature take on today's pressing current events — and explores how these stories are being covered by all sides of the media. Featuring in-depth interviews wit...</p> <p>Megaphone</p>	Chris Cuomo	65
19	 <p>Hosts Thomas Smith, Eli Bosnick, Tom Curry</p> <p>Dear Old Dads</p> <p>Culture Hey kids, get ON our lawn! Dear old Dads is a podcast examining and deconstructing all things Dad. From parenting to patriarchy; manning the grill to manning up; Dear Old Dads asks – what even is a dad anyway? What does it mean to be a good man in today's world? What should it mean?...</p> <p>Libsyn</p>	Eli Bosnick, Thomas Smith, Tom Curry	65
20	 <p>Host Branden Morgan</p> <p>X Marks the Spot: The Legend of Forrest Fenn</p> <p>Games Cavalry Audio has unveiled a real-life digital treasure hunt - the clues to which are hidden across the nine episode first season of X Marks The Spot. The prize for solving? \$50,000. Make sure that you're subscribed to the podcast and following all of Cavalry's social accounts as to not miss any clues...</p> <p>Megaphone</p>	Cavalry Audio	65



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21	<p>Host Bill Simmons</p> <p>The Bill Simmons Podcast: The Interviews</p> <p>Sports The Ringer’s Bill Simmons has spent the last six years talking to some of the biggest celebrities, athletes and media staples on “The Bill Simmons Podcast.” Whether you’re listening to these interviews for the first time or revisiting a favorite episode featuring the likes of Tom Hanks, Denzel Washington or Julia...</p> <p>Megaphone</p>	The Ringer	64
22	<p>Host Duncan McCue</p> <p>Kuper Island</p> <p>True Crime An 8-part series that tells the stories of four students: three who survived and one who didn’t. They attended one of Canada’s most notorious residential schools – where unsolved deaths, abuse, and lies haunt the community and the survivors to this day. Hosted by Duncan McCue.</p> <p>Triton Digital</p>	CBC Podcasts	64
23	<p>Host Catherine Townsend</p> <p>Blood Money</p> <p>True Crime Catherine Townsend, writer, licensed PI, and host of the hit true crime podcast Hell and Gone, hosts this weekly series about red collar crime, and con artists who kill.</p> <p>Simplecast</p>	Catherine Townsend	64
24	<p>Host Zayd Dohrn</p> <p>Mother Country Radicals</p> <p>True Crime Zayd Dohrn was born underground - his parents were radicals and counter-culture outlaws, on the run from the FBI. Now Zayd takes us back to the 1970s, when his parents and their young friends in the Weather Underground Organization declared war on the United States government. They...</p> <p>Megaphone</p>	Crooked Media	64
25	<p>Host Lenny Rachitsky</p> <p>Lenny's Podcast: Product Growth Career</p> <p>Technology Lenny Rachitsky interviews world-class product leaders and growth experts to uncover concrete, actionable, and tactical advice to help you build, launch, and grow your own product.</p> <p>Substack</p>	Lenny Rachitsky	63



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