

Words Worth Reading Ltd

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Hi, and welcome to the July edition of the Words Worth Reading Ltd newsletter. In this edition we look at the most recent changes to the Care Quality Commission registration process, the latest Harry Potter news and an update from Troubador.



Troubador Poetry Competition

The Troubadour International Poetry competition is in its fifth year, and has grown in strength year after year. This year the prize fund for the first prize will be £2,500, thanks to sponsorship from Cegin Productions. All poems will be read by both judges, with no sifters used at any point in the selection or short-listing process. And all 23 prize winners are invited to read at a London-poetry-world celebration in the Troubadour cellar-club, which always makes for a great night! So why not pen a poem and get your entry in today!

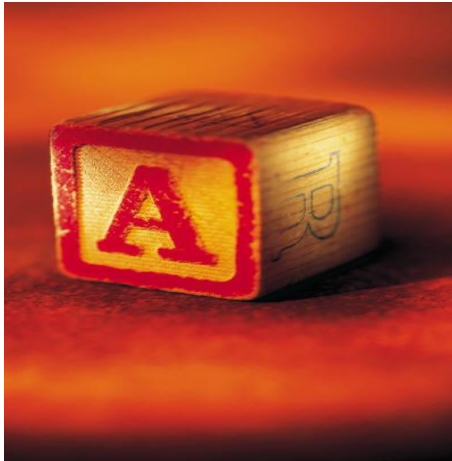
For the full story, visit our daily news blog:
www.wordsworthreading.blogspot.com

CQC Application Process is Simplified

Following a review of their registration application process, the CQC have implemented a number of changes which should simplify the paperwork and make it easier for organisations to apply for CQC registration. These changes include amending the application forms, extending the validity period of CRB declarations, and only requesting references on a risk basis. All of the changes were implemented on the 1st July 2011 however, for those providers who are part way through an application the previous versions of the forms will still be accepted until the 29th July 2011.

For help understanding the changes contact one of our [CQC experts](#)





A Grades All Round

The Words Worth Reading team are continually working to ensure they are delivering the best; one way of developing their skills is by undertaking additional study and gaining new qualifications. This month has been particularly successful for two of our team members, with Catherina gaining straight 'A's in her first proofreading assignment and Jo being awarded another A grade for work she completed as part of her creative writing diploma. Well done ladies!

J K Rowling Agent Switch

J K Rowling has 'terminated her association' with Christopher Little, the literary agent who first saw Harry Potter's potential, after 16 years

Rowling's relationship with Christopher Little represented the most commercially successful relationship of its kind, with J K Rowling having sold 450 million copies of her books and now becoming an author worth more than £568 million.

However, Rowling has now parted company with Christopher Little and is now represented by Neil Blair, a business partner of Christopher Little, at his new agency The Blair Partnership. Rowling worked closely with Blair on her new website, Pottermore, unveiled at the end of June, which will be the only place where eBook versions of her books will be sold.

Fancy writing your own best seller? See how **Words Worth Reading Ltd** can help!

In other news...

- **Don't forget that Words Worth Reading Ltd can write and distribute those all important articles to support your SEO work.**
<http://www.wordsworthreading.co.uk/article-writing.php>

- **Seven Stories children's book centre in Newcastle has benefitted from a massive £750,000 endowment donated by the Enid Blyton Trust for Children**

Seven Stories, which is the largest public collector of Enid Blyton material, was awarded the grant following a decision to close the Enid Blyton Trust and donate all its funds to a single organisation.



Spotted on Twitter...



Herefordshire CH

BBC News - Social care revamp:
Pressure on to find money -
<http://bbc.in/jc2Nti>



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The books most donated to charity shops - what does it say about our literary tastes? THE WORLD TONIGHT @22.00bbc.co.uk/programmes/b00...



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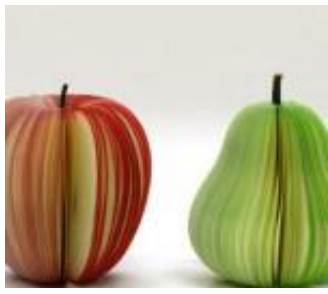
Why keeping patient safety should remain the priority in healthcare <http://bit.ly/iUzYrC>



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LONDON / The Creative Arts Networking Evening
<http://bit.ly/m0CzZr>

Things that we like this month



Apple and pear post-it notes to brighten up your desk

<http://www.d-bros.jp>



Ice jewellery - embracing the WWRL team's love of silver!
www.icejewellery.com/jodraper



Speck iPad Candyshell wrap which protects your iPad and folds back to act as a stand. Coming soon!

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