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Hello, and welcome to the June edition of the Words Worth Reading Ltd newsletter. Summer is finally here, even if the beautiful weather hasn't stuck around for it. In this month's edition we have details on the best summer reads, ready for your holiday. While at the Words Worth Reading Ltd offices, we are keeping busy helping healthcare professionals complete essential documentation.

The Queens Birthday Honours Recognises Novelists

This month saw the publication of The Queens Birthday Honours and, brilliant news, a number of novelists have been recognised for their work and contribution to literature.

Jackie Collins, Joanne Harris and Kate Mosse have all been honoured for services to literature. Jackie Collins and Kate Mosse have been awarded CBEs and Joanne Harris has been made an MBE.

Joanne Harris said: 'It is always nice for the world of literature when writers get an acknowledgement or an honour. It gets the message to people that writing is important and that it deserves praise.'

In the world of arts and entertainment, amongst the well-known names who received honours were: Blackadder duo Tony Robinson (knighthood) and Rowan Atkinson (CBE); artist Anish Kapoor (knighthood); artist Grayson Perry (CBE); comedian Rob Brydon (MBE), and singers Aled Jones (OBE), Adele (MBE) and PJ Harvey (MBE).



Former Deputy Chief of the CQC Denies Cover-Up

Jill Finney, former deputy chief executive of the Care Quality Commission says she was not involved in any decision to hide a critical internal review.

An independent report into the CQC's investigation of the deaths of babies at Furness General Hospital found evidence of a possible cover-up. But Finney and two other senior colleagues have denied that they suppressed the review, saying only that it required further work before it was published.

The hospital, run by Morecambe Bay NHS Trust, was investigated by the CQC in 2010, and passed the review. But an internal review was ordered by the regulator in 2011 into how the deaths and injuries had gone unnoticed. This review was not made public because it was too critical of the CQC.

Health Secretary Jeremy Hunt has said the CQC was flawed when it was set up four years ago, but the leader of the British Medical Association, Dr. Mark Porter, said changes that have been made to the CQC should be allowed to take effect.

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Spotted on Twitter



Poetry Society

@PoetrySociety

Alice Oswald on longlist for Warwick Prize for Writing

<http://fb.me/2plFclTuK>



NHS Alliance

@nhsalliance

News: Will the CQC survive its latest crisis? <http://bit.ly/15xZJEe>



The Reading Agency

@readingagency

RT @heidishewell: Find out more about #summerreadingchallenge volunteering opportunities Wed 26 June Meadows Library, drop in anytime 4-6pm.



The BMA

@TheBMA

If you missed Mark Porter's speech to #armlive this morning you can watch it here: <http://bit.ly/10fUIRU>

As usual, it looks like we are in for another typical British summer, well for the next few weeks anyway. It is still cold and wet outside, but that doesn't mean you can't get your summer reading ready for your holiday.

Even if you aren't jetting off to somewhere exotic, you can always escape into your imagination, especially with the thrilling books on the Richard and Judy Book Club list this year.

The ten brilliant book recommendations that have made the list include an incredible seven debut authors:

The Age of Miracles, by Karen Thompson Walker

Close My Eyes, by Sophie McKenzie

This is How it Ends, by Kathleen MacMahon

Natural Causes, by James Oswald

The Light Between Oceans, M.L. Stedman

The Sea of Change, by Joanna Rossiter

The Universe Versus Alex Woods, by Gavin Extence

The Girl Who Fell from the Sky, by Simon Mawer

The Sea Sisters, by Lucy Clarke

Tigers in Red Weather, by Liza Klausmann

To read more about these books and the reviews, visit

<http://richardandjudy.whsmith.co.uk>

A UK Man Secures One of 'The World's Best Jobs'

A Brighton man has been offered one of the six so called "best jobs in the world."

Rich Kean beat off competition from 330,000 candidates in 196 countries to become the "taste master" for Western Australia.

He will spend the next six months sampling food and drink for the Australian tourist board, with a £61,000 salary. Other top jobs advertised included park ranger, lifestyle photographer and even "chief funster".

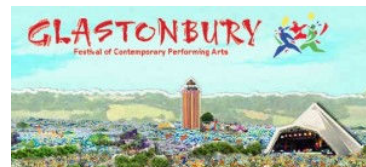
Rich, already has an impressive CV, he has worked at Disneyland, Pinewood studios and London toy store Hamleys. He has said that this new challenge is absolutely perfect, as it ties his passion for food, travel adventure and creating things. He was quoted saying "I'm really, really stoked."

If you are looking for your dream job and would like help securing it, visit us at [Words Worth Reading Ltd](http://WordsWorthReadingLtd).

In other news...

- Research carried out by top UK business coach, psychologist **Ros Taylor**, says that creativity in the workplace is critical to enable businesses to survive. Taylor's latest book ***Creativity at Work*** challenges the traditional definition of creativity and highlights how firms are stifling innovation, at a time when it is essential for businesses to allow a creative environment.
- Don't forget to book your ticket for the Writers & Artists' *How to Get Published* Conference on Saturday 6th July. The Man Booker Prize-winning author Howard Jacobson will speak at the conference with a whole host of other impressive speakers. Visit [the Writers & Artists Website](#) for more details.

Things that we like this month



The Telegraph's Way with Words Festival at Dartington Hall, takes place from 5th – 15th July 2013.

http://www.literaryfestivals.co.uk/dartington.html#_UchPaxZZFUQ

About.com puts Glassdoor.com at the top of their list for the best job site 2013. Check out all 5 search engine sites that made the list.

<http://jobsearch.about.com/b/2013/06/09/top-5-best-job-sites-2013.htm>

Glastonbury Festival 2013 is only days away, running from 26th - 30th June. We love live music!

<http://www.glastonburyfestivals.co.uk/information/tickets/2013-ticket->

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