

Ilkley Literature Festival

2010 Reading List



HEADLINERS

Alastair Campbell: *Prelude to Power: 1994-1997*
Carol Ann Duffy: *The World's Wife*
Terry Eagleton: *On Evil*
Jenny Eclair: *Chin Up, Britain*
Niall Ferguson: *High Financier: The Life and Times of Siegmund Warburg*
Peter Hain: *Mandela*
Simon Hoggart: *A Long Lunch: My Stories and I'm Sticking to Them*
Shappi Khorsandi: *A Beginner's Guide to Acting English*
Ellen MacArthur: *Full Circle*
Michael Parkinson: *Parky's People: The Interviews*
Brian Patten: *Collected Love Poems*
Gervase Phinn: *Road to the Dales: The Story of a Yorkshire Lad*
Louise Rennison: *Withering Tights: The Misadventures of Tallulah Casey*
Marcus du Sautoy: *The Number Mysteries: A Mathematical Odyssey Through Everyday Life*
Will Self: *Walking to Hollywood*
John Simpson: *Unreliable Sources: How the 20th Century was Reported*
Peter Snow: *To War With Wellington*

BIOGRAPHY

Juliet Barker: *The Brontës (2nd Ed.)*
Alastair Campbell – *Prelude to Power: 1994-1997*
Tamara Chalabi: *Late For Tea at the Deer Palace*
Ian Clayton: *Our Billie*
Jean Davison: *The Dark Threads*
Margaret Drabble: *The Pattern in the Carpet*
Niall Ferguson: *High Financier: The Life and Times of Siegmund Warburg*
Terence Frisby: *Kisses On a Postcard*
Lyndall Gordon: *Lives Like Loaded Guns: Emily Dickinson*
Andrew Graham-Dixon: *Caravaggio: A Life Sacred and Profane*
Stephen Grey: *Operation Snakebite*
Peter Hain: *Mandela*
Simon Hoggart: *A Long Lunch: My Stories and I'm Sticking to Them*
Jackie Kay: *Red Dust Road* (also Red poetry anthology)
Ellen MacArthur: *Full Circle*
Mike Marqusee: *If I Am Not For Myself*
Wendy Moffat: *EM Forster: A New Life*
John Ormond: *Their Spirits, My Demons*
Nicholas Phillipson: *Adam Smith: An Enlightened Life*

BIOGRAPHY cont

Gervase Phinn: *Road to the Dales: The Story of a Yorkshire Lad*
Alexei Sayle: *Stalin Ate My Homework*
Will Self: *Walking to Hollywood*
Jack Sheffield: *Village Teacher*
Stuart Tootal: *Danger Close*
Vitali Vitaliev: *Life as a Literary Device*

CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE

Carol Ann Duffy: *The Princess' Blankets*
Rob Eastaway: *Maths for Mums and Dads*
Morris Gleitzman: *Toad Surprise*
Debi Gliori: *The Trouble With Dragons, Stormy Weather* and other titles
MG Harris: *The Joshua Files: Invisible City* and other titles
Mary Hoffman: *City of Masks*
Tim Hopgood: *Tip Tap Went the Crab*
Ceci Jenkinson: *Dr Doom: Oli and Shipjack's Tales of Trouble* and other titles
Val Noble: *Elsie the Sheep* and *The Kings of the Castle*
Louise Rennison: *Withering Tights: The Misadventures of Tallulah Casey*
Tony de Saulles: *Horrible Science: Evil Inventions* and other titles
Marcus du Sautoy: *The Number Mysteries: A Mathematical Odyssey Through Everyday Life*
Peter Stamm: *When We Lived In Uncle's Hat*
Helen Stephens: *Fleabag, Poochie-Poo* and other titles

CRIME & MYSTERY

Sophie Hannah: *A Room Swept White*
Michelle Lovric: *The Book of Human Skin*

ENTERTAINMENT

Sue Birtwistle and Susie Conklin: *The Cranford Companion*
Michael Parkinson: *Parky's People: The Interviews*

FICTION

Louis de Bernières: *Notwithstanding : Stories From an English Village*
Emma Darwin: *A Secret Alchemy*
Kishwar Desai: *Witness the Night*
Roddy Doyle: *The Dead Republic*
Helen Dunmore: *The Betrayal*
Bernardine Evaristo: *Hello Mum*
Aminatta Forna: *The Memory of Love*
Robert Goddard: *Long Time Coming*
James Joyce: *Ulysses*

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FICTION cont

Maria McCann: *The Wilding*
Jill McGivering: *The Last Kestrel*
Rose Melikan: *The Mistaken Wife*
R N Morris: *A Razor Wrapped In Silk*
Blake Morrison: *The Last Weekend*
William Nicholson: *All the Hopeful Lovers*
Audrey Niffenegger: *Her Fearful Symmetry*
David Nobbs: *Obstacles to Young Love*
Elizabeth Noble: *The Way We Were*
Joseph O'Connor: *Ghost Light*
Michèle Roberts: *Mud: Stories of Sex and Love*
Helen Simpson: *In-Flight Entertainment*
Barbara Trapido: *Sex and Stravinsky*

FOOD & DRINK

Pete Brown – *Hops and Glory: One Man's Search for the Beer that Built the British Empire*
Sereena Walker, Alexa Goodwin, Priya Kachroo: *The Three Sisters Indian Cookbook*

GARDENING

Joe Maiden: *Grow With Joe: Gardening in Yorkshire*
Anna Pavord: *The Curious Gardener*
Yorkshire Gardens Trust - *With Abundance and Variety*

HISTORY

Christopher Andrew: *The Defence of the Realm: The Authorized History of MI5*
Diane Atkinson: *Elsie and Mairi Go To War*
Christopher Frayling: *Horace Walpole's Cat*
Victoria Glendinning and Judith Robertson: *Love's Civil War*
Alexandra Harris: *Romantic Moderns*
Daisy Hay: *Young Romantics*
Gillian Hovell: *Visiting the Past*
Bettany Hughes: *The Hemlock Cup*
Keith Jeffery: *MI6: The History of the Secret Intelligence Service 1909-1949*
Matthew Kelly: *Finding Poland*
Jim al-Khalili: *Pathfinders: The Golden Days of Arabic Science*
Ben Shephard: *The Long Road Home*
Peter Snow: *To War With Wellington*
Jean Stevens: *Flying With the Moon*

HUMOUR

Jenny Eclair: *Chin Up, Britain*
Robin Ince: *Robin Ince's Bad Book Club*
Shappi Khorsandi: *A Beginner's Guide to Acting English*
John O'Farrell: *An Utterly Exasperated History of Modern Britain*
Matthew Parris & Andrew Bryson: *Parting Shots*

LINGUISTICS

Robert McCrum: *Globish: How the English Language Became the World's Global Language*

POETRY

Simon Armitage: *Seeing Stars*
Carol Ann Duffy: *The World's Wife* and *Collected Love Poems*
Antony Dunn: *Bugs* and other poetry collections
Douglas Dunn: *New Selected Poems*
Rebecca Goss: *The Anatomy of Structures*
Ruth Padel: *The Soho Leopard* and other poetry collections
Don Paterson: *Shakespeare's Sonnets*
Brian Patten: *Collected Love Poems*
Mary Robinson: *The Art of Gardening*
Peter Sansom: *Selected Poems*
Michael Schmidt: *Collected Poems*
Jo Shapcott: *Of Mutability*
Jackie Kay, Nii Ayikewei Parkes and Simon Murray:
Kadija Sesay & Kwame Dawes (eds) - *Red: Contemporary Black British Poetry*

SCIENCE & NATURE

Andrew Bibby & John Morrison: *The Backbone of England: Landscape and Life on the Pennine Watershed*
Horatio Clare: *Single Swallow*
Tim Dee: *The Running Sky*
Charles Emmerson: *The Future of the Arctic*
Richard Fortey: *The Hidden Landscape*
Jacquetta Hawkes: *A Land*
Jim al-Khalili: *Pathfinders: The Golden Days of Arabic Science*
Christopher Lloyd: *What on Earth Happened?*
Paul Murdin: *Secrets of the Universe*
Francis Pryor: *The Making of the British Landscape*
Ian Vince: *The Lie of the Land*

SPORT

Andrew Collomosse – *Magnificent Seven: Yorkshire's Champions of the Championship Years*

SOCIETY, POLITICS & PHILOSOPHY

Philip Barclay: *Zimbabwe: Years of Hope and Despair*
Tim Butcher: *Chasing the Devil: The Search for Africa's Fighting Spirit*
Stephen Coleman & Jay G Blumler: *The Internet and Democratic Citizenship*
Ariel Dorfman: *An Aesthetics of Hope*
Terry Eagleton: *On Evil*
James Fergusson: *Taliban*
Anatole Kaletsky: *Capitalism 4.0: The Birth of a New Economy*
Avi Shlaim: *The Great Powers and the Middle East*
John Simpson: *Unreliable Sources: How the 20th Century was Reported*
Polly Toynbee & David Walker: *The Verdict: Did Labour Change Britain?*