

Ilkley Literature Festival

2011 Reading List

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HEADLINERS

Simon Armitage: *Seeing Stars, Sir Gawain and the Green Knight, Selected Poems*
Martin Bell: *For Whom the Bell Tolls: Light and Dark Verse*
Melvyn Bragg: *The Book of Books: The Radical Impact of the King James Bible 1611-2011*
Peter Conradi and Mark Logue: *The King's Speech*
John Cooper Clarke: *Zip Style Method (CD)*
Evan Davis: *Made in Britain*
Lord Digby Jones: *Fixing Britain: The Business of Reshaping Our Nation*
Hugh Fearnley-Whittingstall: *Veg: River Cottage Everyday*
Sir Ranulph Fiennes: *My Heroes*
Tim Harford: *Adapt: Why Success Always Starts with Failure*
Adam Hart-Davis: *The Book of Time*
Roy Hattersley: *David Lloyd George: The Great Outsider*
Alan Hollinghurst: *In Conversation*
Simon Jenkins: *A Short History of Britain*
Andy Kershaw: *No Off Switch*
Nigel Lawson: *Memoirs of a Tory Radical*
Chris Mullin: *Decline & Fall: Diaries 2005-2010*
Jeremy Paxman: *Out of Empire: What Ruling the World did to the British*
Mark Radcliffe: *Reelin' in the Years: The Soundtrack of a Northern Life*
Janet Street-Porter: *Various*
Sir Roy Strong: *Visions of England*
Mark Thomas: *Extreme Rambling: Walking Israel's Separation Barrier. For Fun.*

ART, ARCHITECTURE & PHOTOGRAPHY

Simon Garfield: *Just My Type: A Book About Fonts*
Tim Smith & Irna Quereshi: *The Grand Trunk Road - Delhi to the Khyber Pass*

BIOGRAPHY

Jane Brown: *The Omnipotent Magician: Lancelot 'Capability' Brown, 1716-1783*
John Cooper: *The Queen's Agent: Francis Walsingham at the Court of Elizabeth I*

Katherine Frank: *Crusoe: Daniel Defoe, Robert Knox And The Creation Of A Myth*
Roy Hattersley: *David Lloyd George: The Great Outsider*
Matthew Hollis: *Now All Roads Lead to France: The Last Years of Edward Thomas*
Fiona MacCarthy: *The Last Pre-Raphaelite: Edward Burne-Jones and the Victorian Imagination*
Hilary Spurling: *Burying the Bones: Pearl Buck in China*
John Spurling & Richard Kenwood Herriott: *A Book of Liszts: Variations on the Theme of Franz Liszt*
John Sutherland: *Lives of the Novelists*
Clare Tomalin: *Charles Dickens: A Life*

CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE

CHILDREN (under 12)

Emma Barnes: *How (Not) to make Bad Children Good*
Michael Cox: *Why Headless Chickens Run*
Anne Fine
Anita Ganeri: *Horrible Geography Series*
Mairi Hedderwick: *Katie Morag and the Dancing Class*
Hilary James & Simon Mayor: *I'm a Parrot / Gobble! Gobble! Gobble! (Sing and Read CD Books)*
Gillian Rogerson: *You Can't Scare a Princess*
Caro King: *Kill Fish Jones*
Martin Kiszko: *Green Poems for a Blue Planet*
Jon Mayhew: *The Demon Collector*
Natasha Narayan: *The Shaman's Secret: A Kit Salter Adventure*
Liz Pichon: *The Brilliant World of Tom Gates*
Mitchell Symons: *On Your Farts, Get Set, Go! and Do Igloos Have Loos?*
Titania Woods: *Glitterwings Academy Collection*

YOUNG PEOPLE (12+)

David Almond: *The True Tale of the Monster Billy Dean*
Martyn Bedford: *Flip*
Melvyn Burgess: *Kill All Enemies*
Jennifer Donnelly: *Revolution*
Meg Rosoff: *There is No Dog*
Cat Clarke: *Entangled*
David Logan: *Lost Christmas*

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CRIME & MYSTERY

Mark Billingham: *Good as Dead*
Val McDermid: *The Retribution*
Martyn Waites: *Speak No Evil*

ECONOMICS & BUSINESS

Evan Davis: *Made in Britain*
Lord Digby Jones: *Fixing Britain: The Business of Reshaping Our Nation*
Tim Harford: *Adapt: Why Success Always Starts with Failure*
Dr Maurice Mullard: *The Politics of Recession*

ENTERTAINMENT & MUSIC

Colin Grant: I & I: *The Natural Mystics: Marley, Tosh & Wailer*
Johnny Green: *A Riot of Our Own: Night & Day with The Clash*
Andy Kershaw: *No Off Switch*
Mark Radcliffe: *Reelin' in the Years: The Soundtrack of a Northern Life*
John Spurling & Richard Kenwood Herriott: *A Book of Liszts: Variations on the Theme of Franz Liszt*
Francine Stock: *In Glorious Technicolor: A Century of Film and How it has Shaped Us*

FANTASY

Ramsey Campbell: *Ghosts Know*
Peter Crowther: *Darkness Falling: Forever Twilight Book 1; By Wizard Oak*
Mark Morris: *Long Shadows, Nightmare Light*

FOOD & DRINK

Melissa Cole: *Let Me Tell You About Beer: A Beginner's Guide to All Things Brewed*
Hugh Fearnley-Whittingstall: *Veg: River Cottage Everyday*
Elisabeth Luard: *A Cook's Year in a Welsh Farmhouse*
Pen Vogler: *Penguin's Great Food series*
Victoria Moore: *How to Drink at Christmas*

GARDENING

Jane Brown: *The Omnipotent Magician: Lancelot 'Capability' Brown, 1716-1783*
Mirabel Osler: *The Rain Tree*
Katherine Swift: *The Morville Year*

FICTION

David Almond: *The True Tale of the Monster Billy Dean*
Michael Arditti: *Jubilate*
Isabel Ashdown: *Hurry Up and Wait*
Martyn Bedford: *Flip*
Tim Binding: *The Champion*
Justin Cartwright: *Other People's Money*
Marika Cobbold: *Drowning Rose*
Joanna Briscoe: *You*
Melvyn Burgess: *Kill All Enemies*
Charles Dickens: *Nicholas Nickleby*
Jennifer Donnelly: *Revolution*
Patricia Duncker: *The Strange Case of the Composer and His Judge*
Roopa Farooki: *Half Life*
Mark Haddon: *Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-time*
Niall Griffiths: *Rhonabwy's Dream*
Tessa Hadley: *The London Train*
Alan Hollinghurst: *The Stranger's Child*
Amer Hussein: *The Cloud Messenger*
Sam Leith: *The Coincidence Engine*
Jill McGivering: *Far From My Father's House*
John Mayhew: *The Demon Collector*
Julie Myerson: *Then*
Moni Mohsin: *Tender Hooks*
David Nobbs: *It Had To Be You*
Jane Rogers: *The Testament of Jessie Lamb*
Meg Rosoff: *There is No Dog*
Jacob Ross: *Pynter Bender*
Sunjeev Sahota: *Ours are the Streets*
Helen Simonson: *Major Pettigrew's Last Stand*
Janice Galloway: *All Made Up*
Simon Scarrow: *The Legion*
Laurence Sterne: *The Life and Opinions of Tristram Shandy, Gentleman*
Michael Symmons Roberts and Paul Farley: *Edgelands*
Sue Vickerman: *Special Needs*
Alex Wheatle: *Brixton Rock*

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HISTORY

C.P. Belliappa: *Victoria Gowramma: The Lost Princess of Coorg*
Georgina Boyes: *The Imagined Village: Culture, Ideology & the English Folk Revival*
Alex Cockshott: *Ilkley Past & Present*
Matthew Cobb: *The Resistance: The French Fight Against the Nazis*
Lizzie Collingham: *The Taste of War: World War Two and the Battle for Food*
Peter Conradi and Mark Logue: *The King's Speech*
Wade Davis: *Into The Silence: The Great War, Mallory and the Conquest of Everest*
Richard Gott: *Britain's Empire: Resistance, Repression and Revolt*
David Horspool: *The English Rebel: One Thousand Years of Trouble-making from the Normans to the Nineties*
Ian Kershaw: *The End*
Fiona MacCarthy: *The Last Pre-Raphaelite: Edward Burne-Jones and the Victorian Imagination*
Barbara Mellor: *Resistance: Memoirs of Occupied France*
Sheila Rowbotham: *Dreamers of a New Day: Women who Invented the 20th Century*
Simon Scarrow: *The Legion*
Frederick Taylor: *Exorcising Hitler*

HUMOUR

Martin Bell: *For Whom the Bell Tolls: Light and Dark Verse*
Justin Cartwright: *Other People's Money*
Janice Galloway: *All Made Up*
Helen Simonson: *Major Pettigrew's Last Stand*
Mark Thomas: *Extreme Rambling: Walking Israel's Separation Barrier. For Fun.*

LINGUISTICS

David Crystal: *The Story of English in One Hundred Words*

SPORT

Anthony Clavane: *Promised Land: A Northern Love Story*
Jason Cowley: *The Last Game: Love, Death & Football*
Alastair Hignell: *Higgy: Matches, Microphones and MS*
Colin Speakman: *Walk! A Celebration of Striding Out*
Joe Simpson: *The Sound of Gravity*

POETRY

Simon Armitage: *Seeing Stars, Sir Gawain and the Green Knight, Selected Poems*
Martin Bell: *For Whom the Bell Tolls: Light and Dark Verse*
Paul Bentley: *Largo*
Jean 'Binta' Breeze: *Third World Girl*
Helen Burke: *The Ruby Slippers*
Debjani Chatterjee: *Animal Antics, Masala and Let's Celebrate!*
Jonathan Davidson: *Early Train*
Matthew Hollis: *Now All Roads Lead to France: The Last Years of Edward Thomas*
Gwyneth Lewis: *The Meat Tree*
Liz Lochhead: *Dreaming Frankenstein; True Confessions and New Clichés; Bagpipe Muzak and The Colour of Black and White*
Aiofe Mannix: *Heritage of Secrets*
Char March: *The Thousand Natural Shocks*
Ian McMillan: *This Lake Used to be Frozen: Lamps*
Victor Rodríguez Núñez: *The Infinite's Ash*
John Siddique: *Full Blood*

SCIENCE & NATURE

Philip Ball: *Unnatural*
Adam Hart-Davis: *The Book of Time*
Litmus: *Short Stories from Modern Science*
Chris Stringer: *The Origin of our Species*

SOCIETY, POLITICS & PHILOSOPHY

Melissa Benn: *School Wars: The Battle for Britain's Education*
Anne Oakley: *A Critical Woman: Barbara Wootton, Social Science and Public Policy in the Twentieth Century*
Sir Roy Strong: *Visions of England*

TRAVEL

Yvette Huddleston and Walter Swan: *A Day in a Dale*
Tim Smith & Irna Quereshi: *The Grand Trunk Road - Delhi to the Khyber Pass*
Mark Thomas: *Extreme Rambling: Walking Israel's Separation Barrier. For Fun.*

WORLD AFFAIRS

Noel Brehony: *Yemen Divided: The Story of a Failed State in South Arabia*
Paul Moorcraft: *Shooting the Messenger: The Political Impact of War Reporting*