

Library News – Summer 2017 Edition

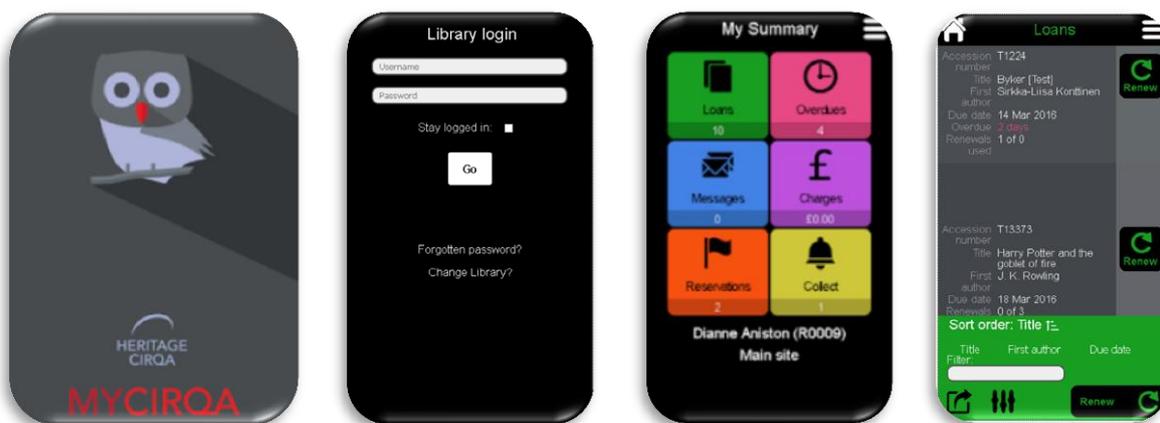
Welcome to Library News, delivering service updates and ideas to make work and study a little bit easier.

In this issue we dive deep with OpenAthens, introduce you to the new library app, and provide suggestions for a nice long summer read.

The Library App is Here!

It has never been easier to renew your library books – you can now do it from your phone regardless of opening hours with the MyCirqa app. The app is available on Apple and Android phones.

When selecting the library, look for Bradford and Airedale Libraries. If you have not set up online access with the library then get in touch and we can do this for you.



Dive Deep with OpenAthens

There is far more to the internet than Google would have you believe. If you haven't already signed up for an OpenAthens account (free to NHS staff) then this short video might be worth watching.

An OpenAthens account gives you access to over 30,000 journals and over 300 e-books. The video explains other benefits and looks at the difference between searching using Google and searching using the Healthcare Databases Advanced Search.

Copy this link into Google Chrome to watch the video: <https://youtu.be/smP6rkj2qG0>

Library Survey

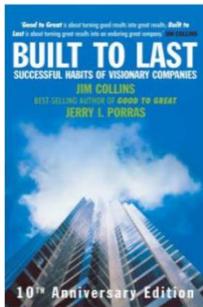
This is your chance to provide us with feedback on the service we offer. We send out this survey once a year to find out your opinions on our collections, training, customer service and study space.

There are nine questions, mainly multiple choice, and a short consent form, so it should only take a few minutes to complete. Here is the link: <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/PJC7LTK>

The survey will close on 31st July.

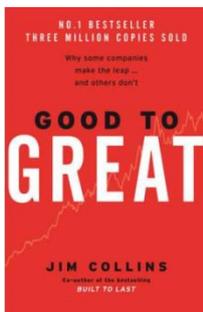
Rising Stars

We have recently purchased a selection of books recommended for those enrolled on the Rising Stars course. Below are extracts from each book's synopsis, and the shelfmark.



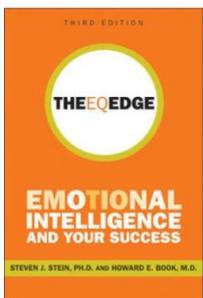
'Drawing upon a six-year research project at the Stanford University Graduate School of Business, Collins and Porras took eighteen truly exceptional and long-lasting companies and studied each company in direct comparison to one of its top competitors. They examined the companies from their very beginnings to the present day - as start-ups, as midsize companies and as large corporations. Throughout, the authors asked: 'What makes the truly exceptional companies different from other companies?''

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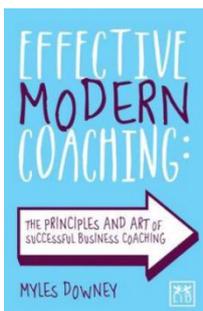
'After a five-year research project, Collins concludes that good to great can and does happen. In this book, he uncovers the underlying variables that enable any type of organization to make the leap from good to great while other organizations remain only good. Rigorously supported by evidence, his findings are surprising - at times even shocking - to the modern mind.'

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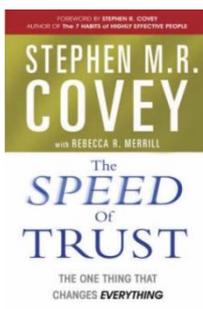
'Authors Steven J. Stein and Howard E. Book show you how the dynamic of emotional intelligence works. By understanding EQ, you can build more meaningful relationships, boost your confidence and optimism, and respond to challenges with enthusiasm-all of which are essential ingredients of success.'

Shelfmark: WLM 210 STE



'[T]his book provides authoritative and proven guidance and techniques for any manager, executive or indeed coach who wants to bring out the full potential of their employees and clients through coaching...The author looks at the art of coaching from different perspectives and provides practical tips and models (such as the "Spectrum of Coaching Skills" and "GROW"). It also includes sample dialogues of how to handle various coaching situations.'

Shelfmark: WX 432 DOW



'Trust, says Stephen M. R. Covey, is the very basis of the 21st century's global economy, but its power is generally overlooked and misunderstood. Covey shows you how to inspire immediate trust in everyone you encounter - colleagues, constituents, the marketplace - allowing you to forego the time-killing and energy-draining check and balance bureaucracies that are so often relied upon in lieu of actual trust.'

Shelfmark: WX 224 COV

Literature Searching Sessions

If you would like to learn how to search our subscription databases to find journal articles and systematic reviews, please contact us to request either a one to one or group literature searching session.

One to one sessions can be arranged at fairly short notice and if you are unable to take time away from your desk, you can request that we visit you and work from your PC. We can show you the basics in half an hour and we can provide a longer session if required.

We can also show you how to make the most of free online resources and search engines by demonstrating how to search for, retrieve and evaluate online information. Group sessions can be arranged using one of the Education Centre rooms. Group sessions could be added onto the end of a team meeting or held as standalone sessions depending on the needs and availability of your team.

Pushed for time? If you are looking for information to support you in your role then we can carry out a search for you. Please contact us for more details.

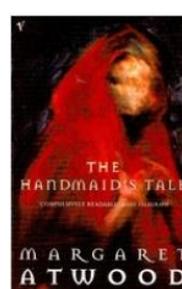
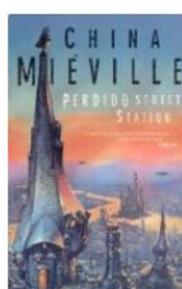
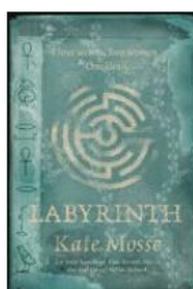
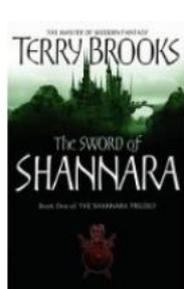
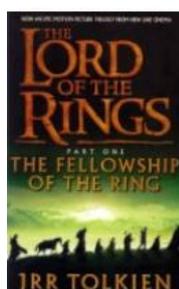
The Long Summer Read

If you're going on holiday or spending evenings reclining in the garden, you're likely to want something engaging to read. It's a great time of year to pick up one of those big books that have until now seemed too daunting.

In the library at Airedale we have a modest fiction collection for your perusal. Perhaps you may finally decide to read the Lord of the Rings trilogy which we have in three instalments. Already read that? How about the Shannara trilogy, starting with *The Sword of Shannara*? Other long reads in our collection include *Labyrinth* by Kate Mosse and *Perdido Street Station* by China Mieville.

Have you been watching *The Handmaid's Tale* on Channel 4? Would you now like to read the novel? We have that as well as several other titles by Margaret Atwood, including *Cat's Eye* and *Alias Grace*. Why not read them all? You are allowed to borrow up to six books at any one time.

If you don't find anything that interests you in our spinner racks then try browsing the shared catalogue. As a member of Airedale Library, you are entitled to borrow from Bradford Royal Infirmary and Lynfield Mount Library, including their fiction titles. Go to <http://bradford.nhslibraries.com> (or use the new MyCirqa app) and search using the keyword **fiction**. If you find something that you would like to borrow and the catalogue shows that it is held at a site other than Airedale then ask either Martyn or Paul to request it for you. Don't be without a book this summer.



Patient Information

Helen Roberts has created a video to explain forthcoming changes to the approval process for patient information and the support that is available. Copy this link into Google Chrome to watch the video <https://youtu.be/JPu1armbSk0>

Twitter Challenge

The Education Centre twitter account is @AGH_Education. Occasionally we use this to tweet messages about the library so it is worth following if you are a Twitter user. This summer we would like to see you tweet a photo of yourself holding up a copy of your favourite book using the hashtag #AGHSummerBookFun

Library Computers

We have 20 PCs available in the library for you to use. These do not need to be booked in advance, just turn up and log on. Any member of staff can use them for work and educational purposes. If you are working on a project and need a change of scenery, a quiet space to work without the interruption of telephones then this may be the place for you.

FutureLearn e-learning

FutureLearn provides free online courses that are designed to provide an overview of a topic you may be interested in. Most courses are designed by UK universities and last 2 to 6 weeks with a suggested study time of 1 to 4 hours per week. Participation in discussions is optional and you could just view the course content. As with any new learning, you may find information that is useful for your current role or you may find inspiration for a new project or career plan.

Upcoming courses include:

- Food as medicine
- Challenges in antibiotic resistance: point prevalence surveys
- Challenges in antibiotic resistance: gram negative bacteria
- Genomic medicine: transforming patient care in diabetes
- Compassionate care: getting it right
- The Genomics Era: the future of genetics in medicine

<https://www.futurelearn.com/>

We hope that you have found the content of this issue interesting and informative. The library is open 9am to 5pm, Monday to Friday (with 24/7 access to the computer room and study area), you can also contact us in the following ways:

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