

- 1) What I value most about the BBC is its coverage of political news, drama general news i.e. documentaries, educational aspects. I am bored by football and a lot of other sport and am sorry I have to put up with so much. I have lived for years at a time in other countries. Nowhere do they have this asset. The BBC is part of my way of life.
- 2) The BBC is a public service and ^{must} ~~to~~ maintain its status, or most of it status it must be rigorous in the way it is run administratively. When it embarks on commercial enterprises they must ~~be~~ be similarly maximised. Rupert Murdoch and others will use every way they can think of to undermine it and Rupert Murdoch never seems to lose to me.
- 3) I am not really well versed enough to see how the commercial world will go. Many people whom you would think know better indulge in these trashy programmes many of which are listed on the multifarious stations listed in the Radio Times. I shall probably install the set digital box but not go any further
- 4) The radio is still one of the most rewarding aspects of my cultural etc. life. Radio 4 has improved under the new lady.
- 5) I think the BBC has to be SEEN to be accountable to the public. Great fan though I am ^{pro} the BBC I don't ^{think} the Governors for example gave the right impression for this day and age. A bit remote and not hands on. Although I was concerned about the appointment of Greg Dyke I came to the view that he was very good. He seemed to ~~introduce~~ introduce more economic accountability and humanity. His predecessor was not what we want at all in my view.
- 6) I study politics. We have a job on our hands stopping this government get their way over control. I was ready for a change from the previous Administration but this lot are control freaks and not at all efficient, in my view.

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