

## Summer Reading Begins!

It is time for summer reading to begin, and this year we have many great programs for all ages to participate. Summer reading programs began in the 1890's to encourage children to read during the summer break and not lose what they had learned during the year. Since then, summer reading has grown to encourage all ages to read and use their library, and we plan to provide something for everyone. You may sign up for any program at any branch. Kids may sign up immediately, while Adults and Teens can sign up beginning June 11. Please sign up at only one branch, though you are welcome to attend special programs at any library location. **Check the library website at [www.tillabook.org](http://www.tillabook.org) for a complete list of special programs.** All library locations will be participating, so be sure to check out what is going on in your area.

### Kid's Summer Reading

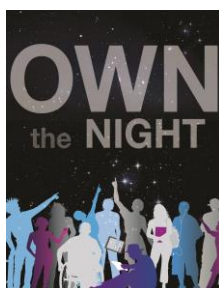


This year's theme is "Dream Big—Read!" The reading goal is 12 hours. Children will receive prizes at 4 hours and 8 hours, and when they have completed their reading log,

they will get a summer reading t-shirt and completion certificate. If you read beyond twelve hours in the summer, you'll get extra treats from Fat Dog pizza. There are special performances all summer long at all libraries, including Reptile Man, Puppet Shows, Jugglers, and Sing-Alongs.

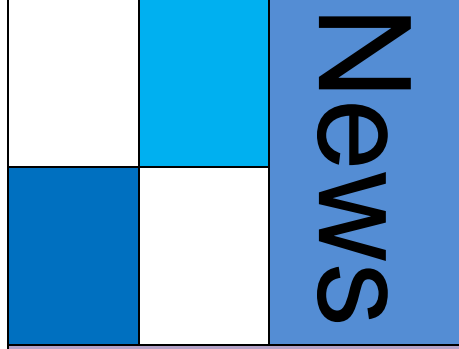
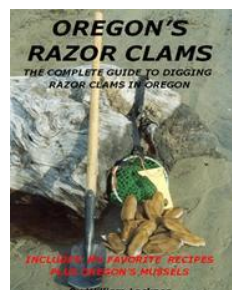
### Teen Summer Reading

This summer's theme is "Own the Night." Teens (ages 13-18) will enjoy a variety of night themed activities including a live action Clue game after hours! To participate, teens who sign up and read 20 hours will receive a t-shirt and book. Extra reading and program attendance will give you more entries for the grand prize drawing, which will include a kindle!



### Adult Summer Reading

Even Adults can join the fun! Our gardening theme is "Read and Seed—Grow your Brain at the Library." The first 500 sign-ups will receive a strawberry plant, and all participants will receive a plantable bookmark when finished. Adults must read eight books to enter the grand prize drawing. Our next program is the popular Clamming Clinic to be held June 2 at 11:30am at the Tillamook Library. We will have a field trip to clam in Netarts Bay on June 3 at 6:30am.



## June Library Events

**June 2:** Clamming Clinic at Tillamook Library, 11:30am to 1:30pm.

**June 3:** Clamming field trip. Meet at intersection of Whiskey Creek Rd. and Netarts Bay Rd. at 6:30am. Please purchase shellfish license before arrival.

**June 13:** Kid's Sing Along with Mr. Bill at Garibaldi Library, 12:30pm.

**June 16:** Chris Leebrick, storyteller at Rockaway Library, 1pm.

**June 19:** Dragon Theater Puppets at Pacific City Library, 4pm.

**June 21:** Nocturnal Trivia Twister for Teens at Tillamook Library, 5:30pm.

**June 22:** Kid's Sing Along with Mr. Bill at Bay City Library, 1pm.

**June 23:** All About Bats at Rockaway Library, 1pm.

**June 26:** Japanese Writing for Teens at Pacific City Library, 6pm.

**June 28:** Will Hornyak, Storyteller for children at Tillamook Library, 2pm.

**June 28:** Frankenmonsters Teen Activity at Tillamook Library, 5:30 pm.

**June 29:** Reptile Man at Gar. and Manz. Library, 12:30 and 3pm.

**June 30:** Pajama Party with Cuddly Pals at Rockaway Library, 1pm.


## Kid's Library Card Art Contest Winner!



During the month of March, we asked Tillamook County children to help us design a new library card for kids. As announced, the

winner was Rachel Whittles. Here is the proud artist with the finished product. We are still issuing brand new cards to both adults and children, so if you have not received your new card, come into any Tillamook Library branch to sign up.

## Pop-Up Book Display

Miss Melanie has a wonderful collection of pop-up books on display in the Children's room at the Tillamook Library. If she is there, she'll happily show you the other pages. Stop by and check it out.

# Thank You!

## Goodbye Carol!

Library Assistant Carol Laurich is a familiar face at many of our library branches, especially Manzanita and Rockaway. Carol is retiring this month, and we want to thank her for her many years of service. Carol began as a library volunteer and we have really enjoyed working with her. We wish you the best, Carol!

## Come to the June Dairy Parade!

Your Tillamook County Library Bookmobile will be participating in the June Dairy Parade on June



23, 2012. The parade runs through downtown Tillamook and begins at 11am. Come down to see the bookmobile and wave to your library staff!

## FREE BOOKS!



Come by the Corner Bookstore at the Tillamook Library and peruse the collection of free fiction and non-fiction books available! In addition to free materials, the bookstore sells books, CD's and movies on everything from sports to crafts to poetry. Come by and check out all the bookstore has to offer.

The Corner Bookstore is run by the Tillamook Library Foundation, with all proceeds benefiting the Tillamook Library. The store is staffed by dedicated volunteers. If you would like to volunteer at the bookstore please call 503-842-4792. The bookstore is open from 11am to 3pm Monday through Friday.

## Live and Learn

Highlighting new books worth reading



*Elizabeth the Queen: the Life of a Modern Monarch*

by Sally Bedell Smith

Celebrate the Diamond Jubilee of England's Queen with this extensive and up to date book. Imagine taking the throne at 26, then guiding a country through wartimes. Get an in-depth look at a person who is never not the queen. Includes photographs and interviews.

## Would you like to share your collection in our display case?



Call the Tillamook County Library 503-842-4792 and ask for Lynette



### On Display Now:

**Upstairs Case:** Historic Local Yearbooks from the Tillamook County Pioneer Museum

**Foyer Case:** Recycled Rugs by Spike Klobas

**Downstairs Cabinet:** Kids and Teens Summer Reading