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Look Out Wall Street! Tillamook Has Value Line!

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September Library Events



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Monday, September 1:
Libraries will be closed in observance of Labor Day. President Grover Cleveland signed Labor Day into law on June 28, 1894.

Wednesday, September 10:
The rodeo at the Pendleton Round-up starts today. This 97-year-old western tradition is an American classic.

Monday, September 15:
World-class author Agatha Christie was born today in 1890. She is the author of almost one hundred books, including *Murder on the Orient Express*.

Thursday, September 25: On this day in 1690 the first American newspaper was published. The first and only edition of *Publick Occurrences Both Foreign and Domestick* was published in Boston, MA. Local authorities considered the paper offensive and ordered its immediate suppression.

Tillamook Library Corner Bookstore

Whether you are looking for a special gift or wanting to expand your personal library, the Tillamook Library Corner Bookstore is the place to be. Located in the southeast corner of the Tillamook main library, the bookstore is run by volunteers from the Tillamook County Library Foundation.

Working at the bookstore is a lot of fun. The Foundation is currently looking for more volunteers in order to expand the hours the store is open. If working in a small local bookstore that supports the community sounds appealing, please call Sara Charlton at 503-842-4792 and ask about volunteering today.

Book Collectors --- Alert!

The Library Corner Book Store has the following sets of books for your perusal:

The Age of Flight

23 vol. Time-Life Books

Available as a set until 10/17: \$20, after date \$2/issue

Planet Earth

17 vol. Time-Life Books

Available as a set until 10/17: \$15, after date \$2/issue

Staff's Choice! *Soon I Will Be Invincible*



Superheroes often lose some of their greatness when they move from comic books to another medium. Often they become too campy or too serious. When they make the leap they seem to become something else. Thankfully this is not the case in the wonderful novel *Soon I Will be Invincible*.

This book is written from the perspectives of a middle aged super-villain and an up-and-coming super-cyborg woman. From these two perspectives Austin Grossman explores all the nagging questions and social issues stemming from a world with super powers. Questions like: what, logistically, do you have to do if you successfully take over the world and how

does having half your body replaced with robotic enhancements affect your self-esteem?

This wonderful book is an excellent first novel. I cannot wait for Austin Grossman's next project.



Volunteer opportunities at the Tillamook County Library System

When you share your time and talent at your local library you make a positive impact on your community. Whether it is shelving books, reading shelves or assisting with special projects, your service makes a difference.

If you would like to become a volunteer contact your local Tillamook County Library today.

Tillamook:	503-842-4792
Bay City:	503-377-0231
Garibaldi:	503-322-2100
Rockaway:	503-355-2665
Pacific City:	503-965-6163
Manzanita:	503-368-6665

Staff Profile: Sara Charlton



Hello, I am Sara Charlton. I have been Tillamook County's Library Director since June 1991. As Director, my first task was to automate the library system. At the same time I had to help from the Coastal Resource Sharing Network (CRSN), and have been on the network's board ever since. I also served as CRSN's systems manager for the seven years.

During my tenure, the South Tillamook County Library Club has opened the new branch in Pacific City and the Rockaway Friends of the Library have opened a new branch in Rockaway. As a board member of the Tillamook County Library Foundation, I

helped the 20-year-old building project come to fruition on September 30, 2006, when the new Tillamook Library opened its doors to the public.

Never wanting to be bored, I was President of the Oregon Library Association 1998-1999, and was OLA Librarian of the Year 1995. I am currently the co-chair for the **Oregon Reads 2009**.

My other life was my husband John (we met in a library!). Currently I am a slave to my English bulldog Rufus, my ten parade ferrets and my four cats. I am also a tap dancer with the Oregon Coast Dance Ladies Tap, a member of the Singing Librarians and a musician (guitar, banjo, will try anything!).