

# CRAZY 8s AUTHOR TOUR

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## Albany

November 14, 2015, 2:00pm

Where: Albany Public Library  
2450 14th Avenue SE, Albany

Bookseller: Grass Roots Books and Music

## FEATURING

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### BILL CAMERON

Bill Cameron is the author of dark, gritty mysteries featuring Skin Kadash: *County Line*, *Day One*, *Chasing Smoke*, and *Lost Dog*. Bill's short stories have appeared in *Portland Noir*, *First Thrills*, *Deadly Treats*, *West Coast Crime Wave*, and *Killer Year*. His work has been nominated for multiple awards, including the Spotted Owl Award, the Left Coast Crime Rocky Award, and the 2011 CWA Short Story Dagger Award. In 2012, *County Line* was awarded the Spotted Owl for Best Northwest Mystery. *Property of the State*, a young adult mystery, will be available in June 2016 from The Poisoned Pencil. Bill also serves as webmaster for the Crazy 8s Author Tour. Learn more at [www.bill-cameron.com](http://www.bill-cameron.com).



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### K.B. DIXON

K. B. Dixon's work has appeared in numerous magazines, newspapers, and journals. The recipient of an OAC Individual Artist Fellowship Award, he is the winner of both the Next Generation Indie Book Award and the Eric Hoffer Book Award. He is the author of seven novels: *The Sum of His Syndromes* (a finalist for an Oregon Book Award), *Andrew (A to Z)*, *A Painter's Life* (also a finalist for an Oregon Book Award), *The Ingram Interview*, *The Photo Album*, *Novel Ideas*, and *Notes* as well as the short story collection, *My Desk and I*. Learn more at [www.kbdixonbooks.com](http://www.kbdixonbooks.com).



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### MOLLY GLOSS

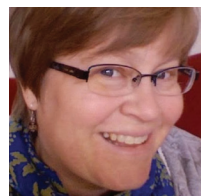
Molly Gloss is a fourth-generation Oregonian who now lives in Portland. She is the author of five novels: *The Jump-Off Creek*, *The Dazzle of Day*, *Wild Life*, *The Hearts of Horses*, and *Falling From Horses*. Her awards include an Oregon Book Award, two Pacific Northwest Booksellers Awards, the PEN West Fiction Prize, the James Tiptree Jr. Award; and a Whiting Writers Award. Her work often concerns the landscape, literature, mythology and life of the American West. Learn more at [www.mollygloss.com](http://www.mollygloss.com).



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### LISA OHLEN HARRIS

Lisa Ohlen Harris is a writer and editor living in Newberg. Her books include *The Fifth Season: A Daughter-in-Law's Memoir of Caregiving*, which was a finalist for an Oregon Book Award, and the *Middle East Memoir, Through the Veil*. Lisa teaches advanced essay and memoir writing classes online for Creative Nonfiction Foundation and is on the faculty of Southern New Hampshire University's online MA in English and Creative Writing. Learn more at [www.lisaohlenharris.com](http://www.lisaohlenharris.com).



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## LINDSAY HILL

Lindsay Hill was born in San Francisco and graduated from Bard College. Since 1974, he has published six books of poetry and his work has appeared in a wide variety of literary journals. *Sea of Hooks*, his first novel, was published by McPherson & Company in late 2013. *Sea of Hooks* won the 2014 PEN Center USA Fiction Award, the 2015 IPPY Gold Medal for Literary Fiction, and was also a finalist for the 2014 Oregon Book Award. Lindsay works in the nonprofit sector and lives in Portland, Oregon, with his wife, the painter Nita Hill. Learn more at [hill4spiral.wix.com/sea-of-hooks](http://hill4spiral.wix.com/sea-of-hooks).



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## JUSTIN HOCKING

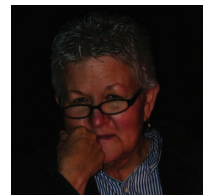
Justin Hocking is the author of *The Great Floodgates of the Wonderworld: A Memoir*, winner the 2015 Oregon Book Award for Creative Nonfiction, A Barnes and Noble Discover Great New Writers selection, and one of “Ten Brilliant Books That Grabs You From Page One” in *The Huffington Post* and *Kirkus Review*. He is also a recipient of an Oregon Literary Fellowship and the Willamette Writers Association Humanitarian Award for his work in writing, teaching, and literary outreach. He lives in Portland and teaches creative writing at the Independent Publishing Resource Center and in the MFA Program at Eastern Oregon University. Learn more at [www.justinhocking.net](http://www.justinhocking.net).



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## JODY SEAY

Transplanted Texan, Jody Seay, has been living and writing in Oregon since 1988. Her first book, *The Second Coming of Curly Red*, won First Prize for Fiction at the Mendocino Coast Writer's Conference and then became a Finalist in the Oregon Book Awards. Earlier, her essays appeared in Susan McElroy's NY Times best sellers, *Animals as Teachers & Healers* and *Animals as Guides for the Soul*. In 2012, Portland's BroadArts Theatre produced Jody's lesbian cowgirl musical, *Bunkin' With You in the Afterlife*. Jody's most recent book, a screamingly funny memoir called *Dead in a Ditch*, is about a childhood full of double-dog dares. If Jody Seay's face seems familiar, it's because she hosted the Oregon TV show about writers, BACK PAGE, for ten years. Learn more at [jodyseay.com](http://jodyseay.com).



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## MOLLY BEST TINSLEY

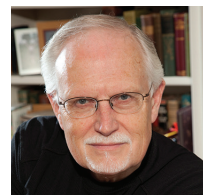
Air Force brat Molly Best Tinsley, author of *Broken Angels*, *Entering the Blue Stone*, and co-author of *Satan's Chamber*, taught on the civilian faculty at the United States Naval Academy for twenty years and is the institution's first professor emerita. Author of *My Life with Darwin* (Houghton Mifflin) and *Throwing Knives* (Ohio State University Press), she also co-authored the textbook *The Creative Process* (St. Martin's). Her fiction has earned two fellowships from the National Endowment for the Arts, the Sandstone Prize, and the Oregon Book Award. Her plays have been read and produced nationwide. She lives in Oregon, where she divides her time between Ashland and Portland.



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## GEORGE BYRON WRIGHT

George was born in The Dalles, Oregon, lived there until age seven, followed by short periods in Baker City, Tillamook and Roseburg. After a career in the nonprofit sector, he began work on novels set in those towns of his youth. His first novel, *Baker City 1948*, was followed by *Tillamook 1952*, and *Roseburg 1959*. George then moved on to contemporary fiction with his fourth novel, *Driving to Vernonia* before writing *Newport Blues*, *A Salesman's Lament*. *In the Wake of Our Misdeed* is his sixth novel. He and his wife Betsy live in Portland. Learn more at [www.c3publications.com](http://www.c3publications.com).



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An OREGON AUTHOR TOUR: 8 TOWNS • 8 BOOKSTORES • 8 EVENTS, and 27 AMAZING AUTHORS

### EUGENE

**September 12, 2015 • 3:00 p.m.**

Eugene Public Library  
100 W 10th Avenue  
Eugene, OR 97401  
The Duck Store

### SALEM

**September 24, 2015 • 7:00 p.m.**

Salem Public Library  
585 Liberty Street SE  
Salem, OR 97301  
The Book Bin

### STAYTON

**October 22, 2015 • 7:00 p.m.**

Stayton Public Library  
515 N First Avenue  
Stayton, OR 97383  
Friends of the Library Used Book Store

### BEAVERTON

**November 5, 2015 • 7:00 p.m.**

Beaverton City Library  
12375 SW 5th Street  
Beaverton, OR 97005  
Jacobsen's Books

### COTTAGE GROVE

**September 18, 2015 • 6:00 p.m.**

Cottage Grove Public Library  
700 E Gibbs Avenue  
Cottage Grove, OR 97424  
Books on Main

### CORVALLIS

**October 15, 2015 • 7:00 p.m.**

Corvallis-Benton County Public Library  
645 NW Monroe Avenue  
Corvallis, OR 97330  
Grass Roots Books

### SEASIDE

**October 29, 2015 • 6:00 p.m.**

Seaside Public Library  
1131 Broadway Street  
Seaside, OR 97138  
Beach Books

### ALBANY

**November 14, 2015 • 2:00 p.m.**

Albany Public Library  
2450 14th Avenue SE  
Albany, OR 97322  
Grass Roots Books