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Re: NOLS Books & Locations Program

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New program Books & Locations pairs titles with Olympic Peninsula places

Sign up for a virtual kick-off party June 23; books and locations revealed weekly.

As part of the Summer Reading Program, the North Olympic Library System (NOLS) offers Books & Locations, a new spin on its popular Books & Libations program from years past. Books & Locations pairs unique and amazing North Olympic Peninsula places with book titles matched in tone and mood to each location.

Starting with a virtual kick-off party on June 23 at 7pm, readers can take part in six weeks of self-paced exploration with guidance from audio files and "tasting notes" that will be posted online every Thursday, revealing each week's location and book title. The program culminates with a virtual wrap party on August 4 at 7pm, when readers can share their favorite Books & Locations experiences and have the chance to win prizes. Visit nols.org/BL for registration and weekly audio files.

Readers can check out the titles that interest them to read at their own pace throughout the summer and beyond. The location "tasting notes" may include history facts, plant identification tips, how to spot birds or animals, and more. Each week also has an accessible alternative

location that shares something in common with the primary location while being more accessible for participants with limited mobility.

About the Summer Reading Program

This year's theme for the Summer Reading Program is "Read Beyond the Beaten Path." NOLS will offer free art, science, and literacy activities throughout the summer centered on experiences like exploring nature, learning outdoor skills, and more.

For more information about the Summer Reading Program, visit www.nols.org/srp, call 360.417.8500, or email discover@nols.org. The Summer Reading Program is generously supported by Friends of the Library groups at all four NOLS branches.



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