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Re: Bad Art Night at Clallam Bay and Forks Branch Libraries

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This fall, the North Olympic Library System (NOLS) continues to offer Bad Art Night, an evening of fun for community members to be creative without any pressure or expectation of how an art piece should look. This program is great for adults, teens, and families! There will be a theme for each evening event and participants will have one hour to create.

At the Clallam Bay Branch Library, Bad Art Night begins at 4:30pm on Tuesday, Oct. 3, with the theme "Spooky Autumn Vibes," and on Tuesday, Dec. 19, with the theme "Cozy Winter."

The event begins in the Forks Branch Library at 5:30pm on Monday, Nov. 6, with the theme "Service," and on Monday, Dec. 4, with the theme "Holidays."

Paint, brushes, and general supplies are provided so that all ages can create something imperfect. Participants are welcome to bring additional supplies to enrich their bad art experience. At the end of the event, participants will cast a good-natured vote on the art that is so bad it's good. The winner will receive a small prize and bragging rights.

For more information, visit nols.org/bad-art, call 360.417.8500, or email Discover@nols.org. This program is generously funded in part by the Friends of Forks Library and Clallam Bay Friends of the Library.



Clallam Bay Library patrons paint on canvas panels at Bad Art Night.



Forks Library patrons add ribbon and pom-poms to their paintings at Bad Art Night. # # #