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Re:	Build It! with LEGO returns to Port Angeles and West End libraries
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Build It! with LEGO encourages storytelling

As the weather gets colder, the North Olympic Library System (NOLS) brings back an opportunity for kids and families to gather in the Library and playfully build unique LEGO creations. **Build It!** is offered monthly, October through April, at the Clallam Bay, Forks, and Port Angeles libraries. Kids are encouraged to develop a story about their creation as they build, which fosters imagination and storytelling skills.

"Over the years, we've seen this grow into a multigenerational program with grandparents building alongside grandchildren. And it's a great meeting spot for family friends. The kids share ideas and build, while the grownups chat – and build, too!" said Youth Services Librarian Jennifer Lu'Becke. "It's an easy drop-in activity with a big reward as kids exercise their creativity."

Parents or caregivers are asked to accompany all children under 8 years old. All materials are provided. LEGO[®] bricks and creations will remain in the Library at the conclusion of each program.

Drop-in Program Schedule:

Forks Branch Library

First Saturday of the month, 10:30am-4:30pm; October 7 through April 6. An additional program is offered during Winter Break on Wednesday, December 27, 10:30am-7pm.

Clallam Bay Branch Library

Third Wednesday of the month, 10:30am-4:30pm; October 18 through April 17. An additional program is offered during Spring Break, Wednesday, April 3, 10:30am-4:30pm.

Port Angeles Main Library

Third Saturday of the month, 10am-12pm; October 21 through April 20.

For more information about this and other programs for youth, visit <u>nols.org/build-it</u>, call 360.417.8500, or email <u>youth@nols.org</u>. This program is generously supported by local Friends of the Library groups.





Drop in each month for Build It! programs at the Clallam Bay, Forks, and Port Angeles libraries.

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