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Contact: Lauren Dahlgren, Sequim Library Branch Manager
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Re: *Art in the Library* at the Sequim Branch Library

On Friday, October 7, the Sequim Branch of the North Olympic Library System will be part of Sequim's First Friday Art Walk when it features the Olympic Peaks Camera Club (OPCC) at an after-hours reception from 5pm until 8pm. The work of OPCC members will be on display, light refreshments will be available, and live music will be performed. Limited library services will be available during the after-hours reception.

This exhibit spotlights the work of over a dozen members of the Olympic Peaks Camera Club. The subject matter varies – from nature to portraiture to the abstract. Each photographer offers their distinct view of the world as seen through their camera and their inner eye. Together, this collection of photographs reflects the joy of seeing and of capturing the world around us.

The OPCC serves the North Olympic Peninsula including the communities of Port Angeles, Sequim, and Port Townsend. The club's goal is to foster interest and skill in photography among friends, doing so in an environment that encourages creativity, learning, and fellowship. Meetings are devoted to print and projected image competitions, workshops, and presentations. The club also organizes regular field trips. Above all, the club aims to encourage its members to explore, share, experiment and learn together. Meetings are the second and fourth Thursday of the month at 7pm at the Dungeness Community Church, 45 Eberle Lane, Sequim. Visitors are always welcome. Additional information can be found at the OPCC website: olympicpeaks.org.

Music for the *Art in the Library* reception will be provided by the local group *Jenny Davis Trio* from 5:30 to 7:30pm.

Art in the Library is a collaborative library/community art project featuring rotating exhibits by local artists. The program has been made possible by generous contributions from the Friends of Sequim Library, and also by the efforts of featured artist and volunteer art coordinator Randy Radock, who schedules the artists and designs the displays. The OPCC's photography exhibit will remain on display at the Sequim Branch Library through the end of November.

The Sequim Branch Library is located at 630 N. Sequim Ave in Sequim. For more information, contact Sequim Library Manager Lauren Dahlgren at 683.1161 or ldahlgren@nols.org, or go to www.nols.org.

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