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Contact: Lauren Dahlgren, Manager, Sequim Branch Library
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Re: Book discussion of ***The Kite Runner*** by Khaled Hosseini at the Sequim Branch Library

The Kite Runner by Khaled Hosseini will be discussed at 3pm on Saturday, December 10 at the Sequim Branch of the North Olympic Library System.

The Kite Runner tells the heartbreaking story of an unlikely friendship. Amir and Hassan are boys of different class, education, and religion, yet they live and play together, not simply as friends, but as brothers without mothers. Their intimate story traces across the expansive canvas of history, 40 years in Afghanistan's tragic evolution, like a kite under a gathering storm. The reader is blown from the last days of Kabul's monarchy – halcyon days in which the boys' lives are occupied with school, welcome snows, American cowboy movies, and the annual traditional kite-flying tournament – into the atrocities of the Taliban, which turned the boys' green playing fields red with blood.

Multiple copies of the book are available at the Sequim Branch Library and can be requested online through the Library catalog at www.nols.org. Pre-registration for this program is not required, and drop-ins are always welcome.

The Sequim Branch Library is located at 630 North Sequim Avenue. For more information on this and other programs for readers and book lovers go to www.nols.org and click on "Events" and "Sequim", or contact Branch Manager Lauren Dahlgren at 360.683.1161 or Sequim@nols.org.

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