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North Olympic Library System  
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## **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

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Contact: Antonia Krupicka-Smith, Youth Librarian, Sequim Branch Library, 360.683.1161 or [akrupicksmith@nols.org](mailto:akrupicksmith@nols.org)  
Re: Storytimes Gearing Up for Fall at the Sequim Branch

Starting Wednesday, September 26 at 10am, storytimes will resume at the Sequim Branch of the North Olympic Library System. It is recommended that children 0-3 years attend the 10am toddler storytime session and those 3-5 years attend the 11am preschool session.

Library storytimes create critically important early literacy opportunities for young children and their parents or caregivers. Toddler and preschool storytimes feature age-appropriate books, rhymes, and songs along with a simple craft for children to take home.

“The Youth Services librarians are great at leading babies and parents through rhymes, body movements, and songs that support early literacy,” says Library Director Paula Barnes. “This is a great way to get kids hooked on books and reading at an early age.” Storytimes are generously funded by the Friends of the Sequim Library.

### **Toddler Storytimes**

*For children ages 0-3 years*

September 26 – December 19

Wednesdays, 10:00 am

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### **Preschool Storytimes**

*For children ages 3-5 years*

September 26 – December 19

Wednesdays, 11:00 am

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For information on storytimes or other early literacy programs at the Library, go to [www.nols.org](http://www.nols.org) and click on “Youth”, or contact Youth Services Librarian Antonia Krupicka-Smith at 360.683.1161 or [Sequim@nols.org](mailto:Sequim@nols.org).

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