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Contact: Mary Coté, Customer Service Specialist, Sequim Branch Library
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Re: Book discussion of "A Thousand Acres" at the Sequim Branch Library

"A Thousand Acres" by Jane Smiley will be discussed at 3pm on Saturday, October 8, at the Sequim Branch of the North Olympic Library System (NOLS). All are welcome to join!

About the book

"Smiley lovingly creates an idyllic world of family farm life in Iowa in 1979: the neat yard, freshly painted house, clean clothes on the line, and fertile, well-tended fields. The owner of these acres is Larry Cook, who abruptly decides to turn the farm over to his two eldest daughters... Dark secrets surface after the property transfer, and the family's careful world unravels... (Library Journal Reviews)."

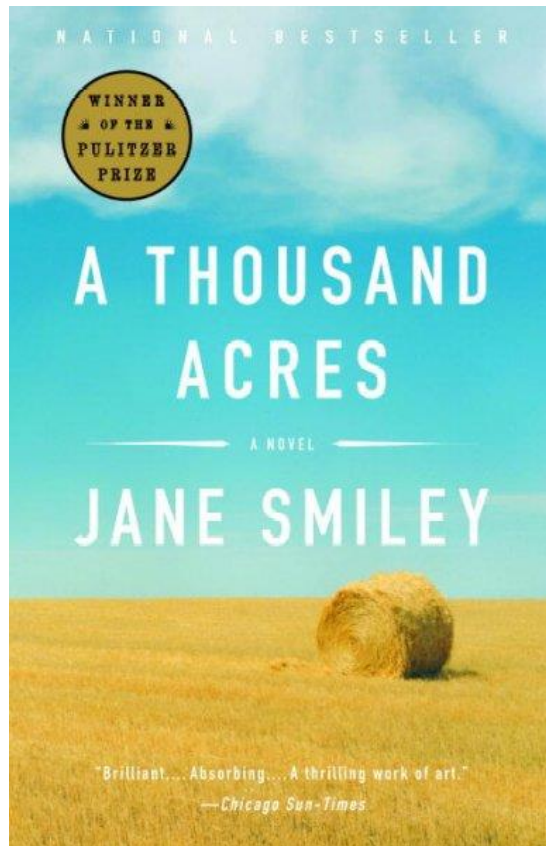
"An ambitious reimagining of Shakespeare's 'King Lear' cast upon a typical American community in the late twentieth century. 'A Thousand Acres' takes on themes of truth, justice, love, and pride, and reveals the beautiful yet treacherous topography of humanity" (Random House)."

More information

Copies of "A Thousand Acres" are available in various formats, including regular print and downloadable e-book; they can be requested online by visiting the Library catalog at www.nols.org.

The Sequim Branch Library is located at 630 North Sequim Avenue in Sequim. For more information about this and other programs for readers and book lovers, visit www.nols.org and

select “Events” and “Sequim,” or contact the Sequim Branch Library at 360.683.1161 or Sequim@nols.org. This program is generously supported by the Friends of Sequim Library.



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