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**North Olympic Library System**  
**2210 South Peabody Street**  
**Port Angeles, WA 98362**

## **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

Date: November 3, 2016  
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Re: *Second Saturday Science* at the Sequim Branch Library

“Second Saturday Science” at the Sequim Branch of the North Olympic Library System (NOLS) will now be offered every second Saturday of the month through May 2017! Each program will take place from 10:30am to 12:30pm and offer children ages 7-12 fun, hands-on opportunities to explore concepts related to science, technology, engineering, and math (STEM).

All classes in the series are free, and **preregistration is required for all sessions** due to limited space. To register, visit the Sequim Branch Library events calendar at [www.nols.org](http://www.nols.org), call the library at 360.683.1161, or send an email to [youth@nols.org](mailto:youth@nols.org). All materials will be provided.

### **Upcoming programs**

Brick Animation taught by the Clay Animation Network (C.A.N.) of Seattle will be offered in two sessions on **November 12**. The first session will take place from 10:30am to 12:30pm at the Sequim Branch Library, followed by a second session from 2:30pm to 4:30pm at the Port Angeles Main Library. Students will use iPads to create an animated LEGO® story from still images, using concepts of set, character, and story construction to create the film. All materials will be provided. (LEGO® is not affiliated with, and does not sponsor or endorse, the services or products of C.A.N.)

On **December 10**, tiny Ozobot robots will be on the loose at the Sequim Branch Library! Participants will learn how to program the Ozobot robots during this “Hour of Code™” event. The Hour of Code™ is a nationwide initiative by Computer Science Education Week and Code.org to introduce millions of students to one hour of computer science and computer programming. Ozobot kits have been generously provided by the Washington State Library. Game, chat, and learn to code with Ozobots at the library.

Second Saturday Science will kick-off the New Year with Brad Griffith’s craft stick creations on **January 14**. According to Brad, “the first rule in craft stick bending is that there are no rules. Your goal is to be as adventurous and creative as possible. Stretch your imagination to make creative, fun crafts.” Attendees will go home with a Flintstones-inspired car constructed at this whimsical session!

### **Additional Information**

For more information about the Second Saturday Science program series, contact the Sequim Branch Library at 360.683.1161, send an email to Youth@nols.org, or visit [www.nols.org](http://www.nols.org). The Sequim Branch Library is located at 630 North Sequim Avenue in Sequim; the Port Angeles Main Library is located at 2210 South Peabody Street in Port Angeles. This program is generously supported by Friends of the Library groups in Sequim and Port Angeles.



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