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Contact: Patti Swingle, Youth Services Librarian, Sequim Branch Library
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Re: *Kids Create Art* at the Sequim Branch Library

Beginning Saturday, January 21, the popular “Kids Create Art” program series will resume at the Sequim Branch of the North Olympic Library System (NOLS). These fun, introductory art workshops will take place from 10:30am to 12pm every third Saturday of the month, January through May.

Led by local artists, each Kids Create Art session—recommended for ages 7 to 12—will offer participants an opportunity to explore various artistic media. All workshops in the series are free, but with class sizes limited, **pre-registration is required**. To register, visit the Sequim Branch Library events calendar at www.nols.org, call 360.683.1161, or send an email to youth@nols.org. All materials will be provided.

Winter classes

On **January 21**, returning Sequim artist Carrie Rodlend will offer young artists an opportunity to learn and practice the skill of monoprinting. Attendees will paint an iceberg landscape, learn how to draw a penguin, create a cardboard stamp, and print penguins in their environment.

On **February 18**, Rodlend will lead participants in creating an authentic-looking pirate map—aged, folded, and crinkled! The class will spend time understanding islands and their geographic features, learning how to illustrate maps, and creating a personal key.

The **March 18** session will have artists illustrating lighthouses and, in the process, learning about light values. Rodlend will work alongside students to help them understand form, shape, perspective, and texture while using pencil, watercolor, and oil pastel.

Additional Information

For more information about the Kids Create Art program series, contact the Sequim Branch Library at 360.683.1161, send an email to Youth@nols.org, or visit www.nols.org. The Sequim Branch Library is located at 630 North Sequim Avenue in Sequim. This program is generously supported by the Friends of Sequim Library.



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