



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

Date: April 17, 2018  
Contact: Jennifer Knight, Youth Services Librarian  
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Re: NOLS Celebrates *Día de los Niños (Children's Day)*  
Attached: *Dia 2018.png*

On Monday, April 30, the North Olympic Library System (NOLS) will join hundreds of libraries across the nation in celebration of *El día de los Niños (Children's Day)*. The Port Angeles Main Library and Forks Branch Library will celebrate this holiday with special events. The Forks Branch Library celebration will be held from 4-5pm and feature games, treats, and lots of fun! The celebration at the Port Angeles Main Library will start at 6pm and feature a bilingual music performance by Eli Rosenblatt. Children who attend these programs will receive a free book in honor of the holiday.

### **Celebrate *Día!***

*Día*, is a nationally recognized initiative that emphasizes the importance of literacy for all children from all backgrounds. It is a daily commitment to linking children and their families to diverse books, languages and cultures. *Día* is also known as *El día de los niños/El día de los libros (Children's Day/Book Day)*. *Día* happens year-round, since sharing good books with children should take place every day. On April 30, libraries, community partners, and families have extra special celebrations to mark the *Día* year.

NOLS has a wide range of books for all ages available in Spanish. In addition, patrons may request books in other languages from libraries around the country through the interlibrary loan service.

### **About Eli Rosenblatt**

Get ready to move with Eli Rosenblatt's signature mix of global sounds! Eli Rosenblatt and two members of his band will perform at the Port Angeles Main Library Monday, April 30 at 6pm in celebration of Día de los Niños. Eli's original songs feature his signature mix of global sounds including salsa, reggae, hip-hop, American folk music and funk. His music highlights messages of love and acceptance of all people and the planet while creating interactive experiences that inspire free self-expression and spontaneous, joyful community. Rosenblatt will also give a solo performance at the Sequim Branch Library on Saturday, May 12 at 10:30am.

All Día events are generously supported by Friends of the Library groups in Port Angeles and Forks. For more information about this and other programs for youth email [youth@nols.org](mailto:youth@nols.org), call 360.417.8500, or visit [www.nols.org](http://www.nols.org). The Forks Branch Library is located at 171 South Forks Avenue and the Port Angeles Main Library is located at 2210 South Peabody Street.



*Eli Rosenblatt will perform high-energy bilingual tunes at the Port Angeles Main Library at 6pm on April 30.*



NOLS Celebrates Día de los Niños/ El día de los Libros (Children's Day/Book Day) on Monday April 30.

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