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Teens can share their favorite reads and find some new ones during *Books & Donuts* at the Port Angeles Main Library of the North Olympic Library System (NOLS) on Monday, July 15 and August 12 at 11am.

Teens entering grades 7-12 are invited to talk about their favorite books and hear about a few new ones! This is a great opportunity to pick up a book you might not normally read. Library staff will also share tools and tips that can help you find more books that match your style. Bring your favorite titles to share, or just sit back and enjoy a donut and juice!

More About the Summer Reading Program

The theme for the 2019 Summer Reading Program is *A Universe of Stories.* This summertime celebration, which encourages children to keep reading during the summer break from school, features a reading challenge with fabulous prizes, and a multitude of events for all ages. Research shows that children who do not read during the summer experience "summer slide" and may lose up to a month of the instructional knowledge they gained during the previous school year. Library summer reading programs have been shown to help alleviate the "summer slide" by providing access to books, enrichment activities, and encouraging young people to keep reading. The 2019 Summer Reading Program runs June 15 through August 17.

The Summer Reading Program is generously supported by the Friends of the Library at all four NOLS libraries. For more information about the Summer Reading Program and other events, visit www.nols.org/srp, call 360.417.8500, or email discover@nols.org. The Port Angeles Main Library is located at 2210 South Peabody Street.

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