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Re: Book discussion of *The Goldfinch* by Donna Tartt
at the Sequim Branch Library
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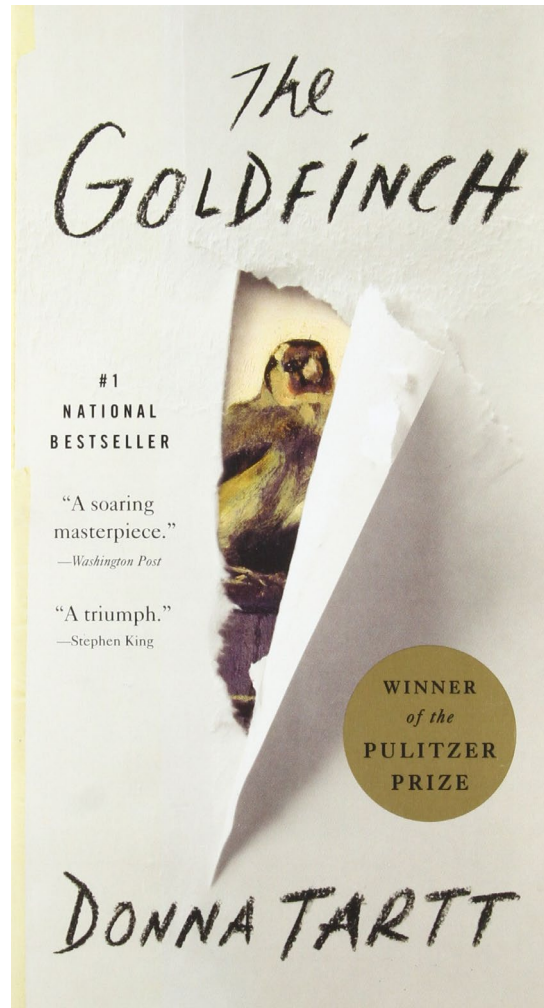
The Novel Conversations Book Discussion Group will meet at the Sequim Branch Library of the North Olympic Library System (NOLS) on Wednesday, January 22 at 4pm to discuss *The Goldfinch* by Donna Tartt. To participate, simply read the book and attend the discussion; no reservations are needed, and drop-ins are always welcome.

A young boy in New York City, Theo Decker, miraculously survives an accident that takes the life of his mother. Alone and abandoned by his father, Theo is taken in by a friend's family and struggles to make sense of his new life. In the years that follow, he becomes entranced by one of the few things that reminds him of his mother: a small, mysteriously captivating painting that ultimately draws Theo into the art underworld. Composed with the skills of a master, *The Goldfinch* is a haunted odyssey through present-day America, and a drama of almost unbearable acuity and power. It is a story of loss and obsession, survival and self-invention, and the enormous power of art.

Copies of this title are available in various formats including regular print, large print, audiobook, and downloadable eBook, which may be requested online by visiting the library catalog at www.nols.org. A limited number of copies of each book discussion selection are available at the Library the month prior to each meeting.

This program is generously supported by a donation made in memory of Sally Albiso, and the Friends of Sequim Library. The Sequim Branch Library is located at 630 North Sequim Avenue.

For more information about this and other programs for readers and book lovers, visit www.nols.org, email Discover@nols.org, or call 360.683.1161.



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