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## **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

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Subject: Teen Summer Events  
Attached:

As part of the annual Summer Reading Program, the North Olympic Library System (NOLS) is hosting a series of special virtual events for teens. Activities include trivia, virtual escape rooms, games, dance parties, book chats, cosplay, and door prizes. Registration is required to receive Zoom login for each event. Register at [www.nols.org/teen-summer-fun](http://www.nols.org/teen-summer-fun), call 360.417.8500x2, or email [discover@nols.org](mailto:discover@nols.org). Teens can also follow @nolsteens on Instagram for more opportunities to learn, create, and connect with us!

**Friday, July 10 at 6:30pm: Kahoot! Pop Culture Trivia Party** It's time for trivia! Test your pop culture knowledge of music, Young Adult books, movies, TV shows, with prizes!

**Friday, July 31 at 6:30pm: National Teen Lock-In** Join Teens from around the country at this virtual event filled with trivia, games, Young Adult author chats, crafts, prizes, and more.

**Friday, August 28 at 6:30pm: Marvel-ous Masquerade Cosplay** Put on your best superhero or Marvel mask or costume, compete in a Virtual Escape Room and join some friendly competition in Marvel movie trivia.

### **About the Summer Reading Program**

The theme for the 2020 Summer Reading Program is *Imagine Your Story*. 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 virtual 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 2020 Summer Reading Program runs through August 15.

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](http://www.nols.org/srp), call 360.417.8500, or email [discover@nols.org](mailto:discover@nols.org).

*NOLS Teen Summer Fun; virtual events on Zoom.*

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