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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Date: June 8, 2021
Contact: Kate Radigan, Marketing Coordinator
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Re: 2021 Summer Reading Program at NOLS
Attached: *Tullet poster.jpg, 2021 Shirt.png*

The North Olympic Library System is excited to announce the 2021 Summer Reading Program: *Reading Colors Your World!* Check out nols.org for an array of activities that encourage reading, inspire exploration, and provide opportunities to connect with your community.

Summer reading is great at any age, but is particularly important for young people. Kids who don't read during the summer can lose up to a third of what they learned in the previous school year. Summer Reading Program activities aim to engage young people and families to help prevent the "summer slide" and build a lifelong love of reading.

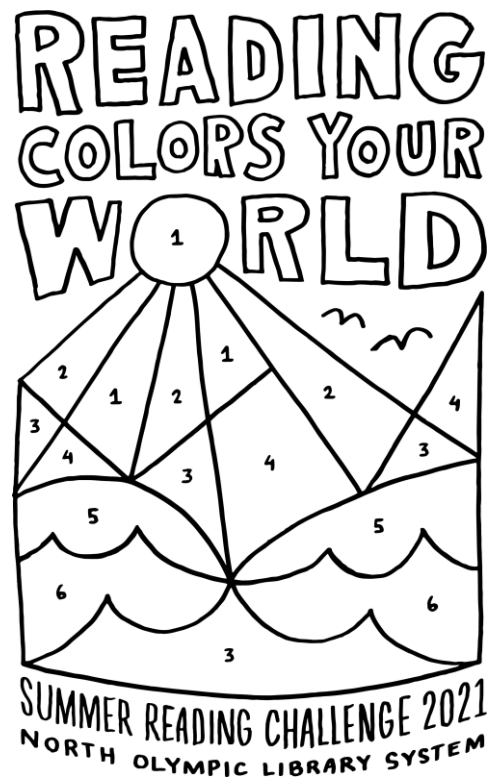
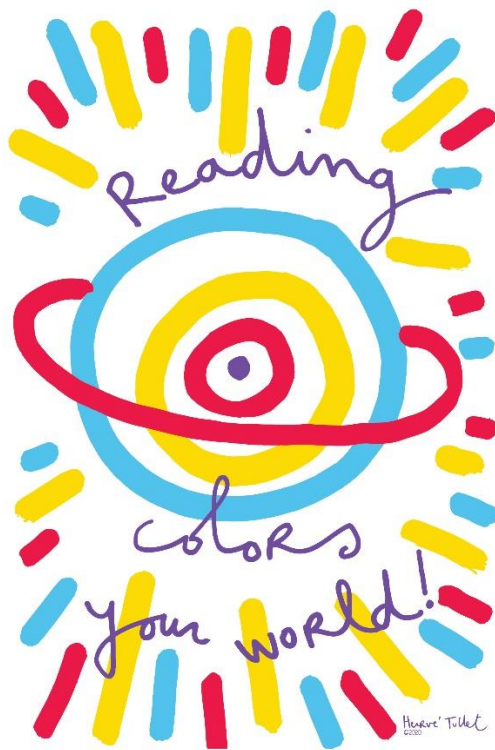
This year's Summer Reading Program includes a reading challenge with incentives to earn a free special T-shirt, chances to win awesome grand prizes, and fun events for all ages happening both virtually and in-person. Movement, magic, colorful cooking, take and make kits, and tidepool exploring-- there's summer fun for everyone!

Take the Summer Reading Challenge

Sign up at www.nols.org/srp on Monday, June 14 and set your own daily reading goal. Whether you read for 20 minutes or 20 hours, it counts as a reading day! Track your reading through August 20. Read for 30 days and earn a color by number Summer Reading Challenge T-shirt--

express your creativity by filling it in yourself! For every 30 days you read, you can receive an entry into the Grand Prize Drawing (up to two entries). Each Grand Prize Drawing winner will be able to select one of the following prizes: a \$100 gift card to a local book store or restaurant, or a LEGO® set (up to \$100 in value)!

Summer Reading Program grand prizes, T-shirts, books, and events are generously supported by Friends of the Library groups at all four NOLS branches. For more information about the Summer Reading Program, visit www.nols.org/srp, call 360.417.8500, or email discover@nols.org.



The 2021 Summer Reading Program Begins June 14!
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