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**North Olympic Library System**  
**2210 South Peabody Street**  
**Port Angeles, WA 98362**

## **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

Date: August 22, 2023  
Contact: Adrienne Langan, Librarian  
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Re: World AIDS Day: Art in the Library seeks artists; deadline Sept. 1  
Attached: *WorldAIDSDayOpenCall.jpg; WorldAIDSDayFlyer.pdf*

PORT ANGELES, Wash. – The North Olympic Library System (NOLS) invites artists in the Pacific Northwest to submit artwork for the **World AIDS Day: Art in the Library** exhibition that will be displayed in the Port Angeles Main Library, 2210 S. Peabody St. Online applications at [nols.org/AIDS-day-art](https://nols.org/AIDS-day-art) will be accepted through **Friday, Sept. 1**.

Artists living with or affected by HIV/AIDS, those impacted by the journey or loss of a loved one, or individuals who have something artistic to contribute to the conversation are encouraged to apply. Works of art in any medium and format – including 2D, 3D, video, performance, music, poetry, and more – are welcome.

The exhibition opens with a reception on World AIDS Day, Dec. 1, at the Port Angeles Main Library and remains on view through Feb. 29, 2024. Selected artists will drop off work Nov. 13-18 and may choose to list their artwork for sale; the Library does not charge or take a commission. Artists may choose to remain anonymous.

For more information, visit [nols.org/AIDS-day-art](https://nols.org/AIDS-day-art), call 360.417.8500, or email [art@nols.org](mailto:art@nols.org). This program is generously supported by [Kitsap Public Health District](#).

## About Art in the Library

Art in the Library is a program sponsored by the North Olympic Library System, which provides display space for original artwork. Support comes from the Port Angeles Friends of the Library. After a hiatus due to COVID, the World AIDS Day exhibition will be the first on display since March 2020. Future exhibitions will rotate on a quarterly basis.

**NOLS.org**

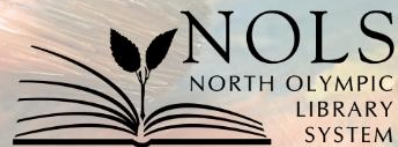
# Call for Artists

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## WORLD AIDS DAY

## Art in the Library



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