

## **South Sound Reading Foundation**

# May 2018 E-Bulletin



### **BOOKS FOR THE BREAK**

Help SSRF get books to local low-income and homeless kids for summer vacation! We need volunteers to deliver new books to the schools listed (right) for our Books for the Break program. If you'd like to lend a helping hand, please contact our team at read2me@nthurston.k12.wa.us, or give us a call at (360) 412-4499 or (360) 412-4411 ext. 35003. Books will be available for pick up at the SSRF office from 9AM to 5:30PM, June 12th, 13th, and 14th unless other arrangements are made. Books must be delivered by **9AM on Friday, June 15th**. Our volunteers make this program possible-thanks for your help!

NORTH THURSTON	OLYMPIA	TUMWATER YELM	
Lacey Elementary	Boston Harbor Elem.	Black Lake Elem. & Head Start Mill Pond Elementary	
Lakes Elementary	Lincoln Elementary	Peter G. Elem. & Head Start Ft. Stevens Elementary	
Lydia Hawk Elementary	McKenny Elementary	Littlerock Elementary Lakamas Elementary	
Horizons Elementary	Garfield Elementary	East Olympia Elem. McKenna Elementary	
Seven Oaks Elementary	Roosevelt Elementary	Tumwater Hill Elem.	Southworth Elem.
Mountain View Elem.	Hansen Elementary	Michael T. Simmons Elem. Prairie Elementar	
Pleasant Glade Elem.	McLane Elementary		
Olympic View Elem.	Madison Elementary	ROCHESTER	TENINO/RAINIER
Evergreen Forest Elem.	LP Brown Elementary	Rochester Primary	Parkside Elementary
Meadows Elementary	Pioneer Elementary	Grand Mound Elem.	Tenino Elementary
South Bay Elementary	Centennial Elementary	Rainier Elementar	
Woodland Elementary	Marshall Middle		
Chambers Prairie Elem.	Good Shepherd	GRIFFIN WA HE LUT	
Komachin Middle	ORLA	Griffin School	Wa He Lut School
	West Olympia Head Start		

#### **COMMUNITY EVENT CALENDAR**

Look for our van, mascot, free books, and/or literacy materials at these locations!

We have a NEW online calendar for volunteers located at: <a href="https://teamup.com/ksdvmjawvrhyetr984">https://teamup.com/ksdvmjawvrhyetr984</a>. If anything there catches your interest, you can sign up directly on the website! We'll follow up with more information about the event.

\*\*\*Highlighted events could use volunteer assistance\*\*\*

M 5/7	Rochester Toddler Time	9:45-11	Rochester Library	
M 5/7	Creative Writing Club	4:30-5:30	Lacey Boys and Girls Club	
Tu 5/8	Tuesday Volunteer Opportunities	10-12	SSRF	
Tu 5/8	Family Partnership Center AM Story Time	10:20-11:20	Family Partnership Center	
Tu 5/8	Adopt a Daycare @ Tutor Time	11:30-1	Tutor Time, Hawks Prairie	
Tu 5/8	Lydia Hawk Clubhouse	3-3:40	Lydia Hawk Elementary	
W 5/9	Hawks Prairie Head Start AM Storytime	9:20-11	Hawks Prairie Head Start	
W 5/9	Busy Bees Storytime	10-11	Busy Bees Daycare	
W 5/9	Hawks Prairie Head Start PM Storytime	2:15-2:45	Hawks Prairie Head Start	
W 5/9	Olympia Boys & Girls Club	3:30-4	Olympia Boys & Girls Club	
W 5/9	Evening Volunteer Opportunities	5:30-6:30	SSRF	
Th 5/10	CIELO Storytime	4:30-5	CIELO Shelton	
F 5/11	Family Partnership Center PM Story Time	1-2	Family Partnership Center	
F 5/11	Tumwater Boys & Girls Club	3:30-4	Tumwater Boys & Girls Club	
Sa 5/12	Columbus Park Community Fun Fair	8:30-3	Columbus Park, Olympia	
Sa 5/12	Saturday Volunteer Opportunities	10-12	SSRF	
M 5/14	Pleasant Glade Clubhouse	3:30-4	Pleasant Glade Elementary	
Tu 5/15	Tuesday Volunteer Opportunities	10-12	SSRF	
Tu 5/15	Tumwater OTC	4:30-5	Tumwater Old Town Center	
W 5/16	Debbie's Daycare	11-12	Debbie's Daycare	
W 5/16	Adopt a Daycare at Head Start	11:30-1	Head Start Lacey	
Th 5/17	Rochester Head Start	12-1:30	Rochester Head Start	
Th 5/17	ROOF	4-4:30	ROOF, Rochester	
Th 5/17	Rochester Boys & Girls Club	4:30-5	Rochester Boys & Girls Club	
F 5/18	Peter G. Schmidt Head Start AM Storytime	9:40-10:10	Peter G. Schmidt Elementary	
F 5/18	Meadow Blossom Storytime	11-11:30	Meadow Blossom Daycare	
F 5/18	Peter G. Schmidt Head Start PM Storytime	1-1:30	Peter G. Schmidt Elementary	
F 5/18	Tumwater Youth Program	7-9:30	Tumwater Middle School	
Sa 5/19	Lacey Spring Fun Fair	10-3	St. Martins University	
M 5/21	Rochester Toddler Time	9:45-11	Rochester Library	
M 5/21	Griffin Head Start Storytime	2:20-2:50	Griffin School	
M 5/21	Creative Writing Club	4:30-5:30	Lacey Boys & Girls Club	
Tu 5/22	Tuesday Volunteer Opportunities	10-12	SSRF	
Tu 5/22	Squaxin Island Storytime	11-11:45	Squaxin Child Care Dev Ctr	
Tu 5/22	Adopt a Daycare @ Tutor Time	11:30-1	Tutor Time, Hawks Prairie	
Tu 5/22	Lacey Boys & Girls Club	4:30-5	Lacey Boys & Girls Club	
W 5/23	West Olympia Head Start AM Storytime	11-12	West Oly Head Start	
W 5/23	Nisqually Pulling Together for Success Dinner	5:30-7:30	Nisqually	
W 5/23	Evening Volunteer Opportunities	10-12	SSRF	
Th 5/24	Day of Champions	9:15-1:30	South Sound Stadium	
Th 5/24	Hood Canal Spring Carnival	5:30-6:30	Hood Canal School	
Th 5/24	Harry Potter Night	6-7:30	Garfield Elementary	
F 5/25	Purple Up Family Night	6-8	Meadows Elementary	
Tu 5/29	Tuesday Volunteer Opportunities	10-12	SSRF	

#### **EVENT SPOTLIGHT**



Get outside and enjoy the sunshine with SSRF! Volunteers needed for shifts at two outdoor Saturday events this month. Help staff engage kids and families with literacy, and give away free books! Sign up at our online volunteer calendar (find the link under 'Community Event Calendar').

- · Columbus Park Community Fun Fair
  - -Saturday May 12<sup>th</sup>
  - -Four shifts at 9am, 10:30am, 12pm, and 1:30pm.
- Lacey Spring Fun Fair @ St. Martin's
  - -Saturday May 19<sup>th</sup>
  - -Three shifts at 10am, 12pm, and 1:30 pm.

#### **VOLUNTEERS OF THE MONTH**



Over the school districts' Spring Break, a dedicated group of Washington Reading Corps members donated their time and energy at the SSRF office. They helped pick up, sort, and sticker a huge donation of 2,287 teen books. Our YA section has never looked better! Thanks to our WRC volunteers for helping us get free books to teens.

Overall, volunteers worked a total of 202.75 hours in the month of April, saving SSRF an amazing \$5,887.86! Thank you for all the time and energy you donate each month.

#### HELP NEEDED

Literacy Bookshelf delivery position open! Join the ranks of our incredible volunteers who pick up boxes of books from our office each month and deliver them to our bookshelves around the community. Open position would deliver to downtown Olympia. Contact read2me@nthurston.k12.wa.us to get involved!





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