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Read with the Daffodil Princesses at Pierce County Libraries

PIERCE COUNTY, Washington – The Daffodil Princesses will visit several Pierce County Library System locations this spring to read with children. Members of the Daffodil Festival's Royal Court will read a story and be available for photos with children ages 3-8.

"Children love reading with the princesses and we are super thrilled to foster this love of reading and highlight strong female role models," said Pierce County Library Executive Director Gretchen Caserotti. "Our partnership with the princesses not only sparks a passion for reading in the youngest readers but also shows them that literacy is the key to success."



The Pierce County Library values its partnership with the Daffodil Festival and its court. This partnership shows the Library's commitment to relationships that support and strengthen communities.

Saturday, March 29, 11 a.m.-noon

DuPont Pierce County Library, 1540 Wilmington Drive Graham Pierce County Library, 9202 224th St. E. Milton/Edgewood Pierce County Library, 900 Meridian E., Suite 29, Milton Steilacoom Pierce County Library, 2950 Steilacoom Blvd.

Saturday, March 29, 2-3 p.m.

Orting Pierce County Library, 202 Washington Ave. S. Sumner Pierce County Library, 1116 Fryar Ave. Tillicum Pierce County Library, 14916 Washington Ave. SW, Lakewood University Place Pierce County Library, 3609 Market Place W., Suite 100

Saturday, April 12, 11 a.m.-noon

Fife Pierce County Library, 6622 20th St. E. Gig Harbor Pierce County Library, 4424 Point Fosdick Drive Parkland/Spanaway Pierce County Library, 13718 Pacific Ave. S., Tacoma

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Interim Lakewood Pierce County Library, 10202 Gravelly Lake Drive SW Key Center Pierce County Library, 8905 Key Peninsula Hwy NW, Lakebay South Hill Pierce County Library, 15420 Meridian E. Summit Pierce County Library, 5107 112th St. E., Tacoma

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About Pierce County Library System

The nationally acclaimed <u>Pierce County Library System</u> serves 680,000 people throughout Pierce County with 19 libraries and online services. The system is the fourth largest in the state and property taxes are the main funding source. People may choose from more than one million books, e-books, audiobooks, movies and other materials. Pierce County Library is committed to directing services in three primary areas: learning, enjoyment and community connection. Its services and programs spark success for Pierce County residents. People make approximately one million visits to Pierce County Libraries each year. The Library provides services and programs directly to people in adult care facilities, people who are homebound, and to children in childcare centers and schools. <u>Pierce County Libraries are located</u> at Anderson Island, Bonney Lake, Buckley, DuPont, Eatonville, Fife, Gig Harbor, Graham, Key Center, Lakewood, Milton/Edgewood, Orting, Parkland/Spanaway, South Hill, Steilacoom, Summit, Sumner, Tillicum and University Place. Pierce County Library is an independent municipal corporation and operates as a junior taxing district.

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