

# Lopez Letter

August 10th-24th



## SUNDAY August 11, 2019

### Lopez Community Picnic 12pm

This lovely event is brought to us by the Lopez Island Historical Museum, and is open to all. There will be live music, an oral history booth, the Children's Signature Quilt, Making History Timeline and more!

*Bring a picnic or have a tasty treat from El Taco Bout it or Poutine Your Mouth.*

**Lopez Historical Society 28 Washburn Pl.**

## THURSDAY August 15, 2019

### Orcas Island Chamber Music Festival 5:30pm

The annual Lopez Concert leads the final weekend of the Orcas Island Chamber Music Festival, and it promises to be a genuine treat—another World Premiere! We are honored to welcome Pulitzer Prize winning composer Kevin Puts to the Lopez stage. OICMF is the lead commissioner of Mr. Puts' new piece, composed for and performed by the Miró Quartet.

A Free Pre-Concert talk by Kevin Puts precedes the concert at 4:30 PM

*Tickets online at [www.lopezcenter.org](http://www.lopezcenter.org), Paper Scissors on the Rock, and at the Lopez Bookshop*

**Lopez Center 204 Village Rd.**

## SUNDAY August 18, 2019

### Annual Airport Day! 12pm

Don't miss this great community event!

Classic cars and airplanes – Airplane Rides – Raffle – Live Music – Concessions. Something for everyone.

Music by Bill Johnson & Friends

**Lopez Airport, Airport Rd.**

## WEDNESDAY August 21, 2019

### Breakfast with The Bats! 7:30pm

In collaboration with local ecological research organization, Kwiaht, the Library is hosting a program at dusk. We will eat breakfast when the bats and moths do, and head outside to look and listen for nocturnal creatures waking up, and daytime creatures saying goodnight. Waffles and ecology: no better combo!

**Lopez Library**

## THURSDAY August 22, 2019

### Coast Salish Speaker: Althea Wilson 6:30pm

The final speaker in this year's Coast Salish Speaker Series will be documentary filmmaker Althea Wilson. She'll be screening her film titled "Revitalizing Cultural Knowledge and Honoring Sacred Waters," which documents the oral history of the Lummi people who fished and lived at the mouth of the Nooksack River. Following the screening, she'll be speaking with a few other Lummi women featured in the film.

**Lopez Center 204 Village Rd**

## **SATURDAY August 3, 2019**

### **Art in the Library Reception 3pm**

Join us at the library for a reception of two new art exhibits. Michael Moore's comic book collection will be on display in the cases, and three generations from one family of artists—Trudy Weisenberg, Margot Kahn, and Toby Case—present their work together for the first time on the library walls. Their paintings, drawings, collages and poems draw from their three unique and intertwined perspectives as students, teachers, and family.

**Lopez Library**

## **FRIDAY August 23, 2019**

### **Blood Drive 11am-5pm**

Walk-ins welcome. Donors with appointments have priority at registration.

Info & scheduling: 468-4404.

Please bring photo ID or Blood Donor card.

11:00am – 5:00pm; closed 1:30-2:30 for lunch

**Community Church Hall, 91 Lopez Rd**

## **SATURDAY August 3, 2019**

### **3rd Annual Treetruck Story Festival 5pm**

The Treetruck festival brings together local and international storytellers to share new ideas, take risks, and build things

This year's short residency and story festival will explore the act of publishing and the tension between escaping and engaging in this time of change.

Come connect with writers, filmmakers, local activists and human rights defenders, historians, investigative journalists, potters and more.

Together we will explore how stories can help us navigate and shape the world we want to live in.

Bring curiosity and a dish/desert/drink to share.

*Everyone is welcome*

**208 Cape St. Mary Road**



When despair for the world grows in me  
and I wake in the night at the least sound...  
I come into the peace of wild things  
who do not tax their lives with forethought  
of grief. I come into the presence of still water.  
And I feel above me the day-blind stars  
waiting with their light. For a time  
I rest in the grace of the world, and am free  
—Wendell Berry "The Peace of Wild Things"





# Recurring Events

## **Woodmen Hall**

Let's Play Pinochle!

Tuesdays- 7pm-10pm

Senior Lunch

Wednesdays and Fridays- 12pm

Enchanted Quilters

2nd Tuesday of the month

9:30am-12pm

## **Fire Hall**

WIC Clinic

Thursdays -9am-5pm

**By Appointment**

Call: (360) 378-4474

## **Lopez Islander Resort**

Open Mic Jam- Thursdays 8:30pm

Wine & Watercolors

2nd & 4th Thursdays at 4pm

## **Sunnyfield Farm**

Heart of Lopez Song Circle 6:30pm

## **Grace Church**

Creaky Yoga

Mondays and Thursdays 9am-10:15

Chair Yoga

Mondays and Thursdays 10:45-12pm

Women's AA

Wednesdays 4-5pm

## **Lopez Island Library**

Literary Salon

7pm -3rd Wednesdays

Photographic Society

3rd Tuesdays 7pm

Great Decisions Discussion Group

2nd and 4th Friday 2-3:30pm

Memory Café

2nd Mondays 2pm

## **Lopez School**

Community Soccer

**Adults** Sunday 5:30pm

**Kids** Sunday 4pm

## **Lopez Grange #1060**

Farmers, Coffee & Conversation

2nd Wednesdays - 8:30am