

OPAS Book Discussion Group

Do you enjoy reading and discussing books about the natural history, conservation, and appreciation of birds? If so, we've got great news. We hope you'll join us as we explore a variety of buzzworthy new books, literary prize winners, and influential classics. The group meets on the fourth Tuesday of the month (no meeting in December) from 4:00 – 5:30 PM at the Dungeness River Audubon Center (DRAC). The next meeting is November 27. Links to the scheduled titles, book summaries, and discussion questions will be posted at olympicaudubonsociety.org, under Events, OPAS Book Discussion Club. We anticipate spirited discussion and encourage thought-provoking input from participants.

Books on the discussion list may be available directly or via inter-library loan through your local NOLS branch. Alternatively, please consider purchase options that directly benefit OPAS or DRAC. Titles can be purchased in multiple formats through Amazon Smiles (smile.amazon.com; select Olympic Peninsula Audubon Society or Dungeness River Audubon Center as supported charity) or ordered in print format from DRAC (which benefits their educational programs) by stopping in or calling (360) 681-4076 with your credit card information. Additional information on these purchase options is provided at the link above.

We are currently recruiting book suggestions and discussion leaders for monthly meetings in 2019. Please contact Lori Moilanen (lori_moilanen@wavecable.com) to suggest a title and/or volunteer to facilitate discussion. If you're interested in being a discussion facilitator, but need title suggestions...don't worry, we've compiled a list of highly rated recent and classic titles to help you out.

For more information on the OPAS Book Discussion Group contact Judith White (drwhitej@gmail.com) or Lori Moilanen (lori_moilanen@wavecable.com)

November 27. *The Sixth Extinction: An Unnatural History*. Susan Kolbert. 2014. 336 pp. Discussion Facilitator: Bruce Fryxell

