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Congratulations to Pierce County Library System card design contest winners!

PIERCE COUNTY, Washington – Congratulations to Logan Wilcox, of Brouillet Elementary in Puyallup, and Eliana Parks, a homeschool student from Gig Harbor, for their winning designs in Pierce County Library System’s Card Design Contest! The public cast more than 8,000 votes to select the winning designs. People may view the winning artwork online at [cardcontest.pcls.us](#).



“We were blown away by the talent of the students who participated in this contest,” said Pierce County Library Executive Director Georgia Lomax. “Thank you to the more than 8,000 people who cast votes for all of the creative entries, and congratulations to Logan and Eliana!”

Nearly 300 students living or attending school in Pierce County submitted original designs in the free contest. Professional artists reviewed entries and selected six finalists for two age groups: elementary and middle school/high school.

For perspective of just how many people may soon be carrying library cards designed by Wilcox and Parks, nearly 363,000 people have active Pierce County Library cards. Active cards mean that the cardholder or someone in their family has used the card in the past two years. In 2019, the Library issued 37,000 new cards.

In the coming months, people may choose from these two new student-designed cards.

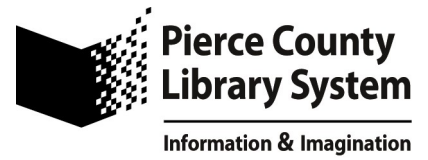
With a free [Pierce County Library](#) card people have access to 1.1 million books, e-books, audiobooks, movies and other materials.

About Pierce County Library System

The nationally acclaimed [Pierce County Library System](#) serves 620,000 people throughout Pierce County with 20 libraries and online services. The system is the fourth largest in the state and is funded primarily through property taxes. People may choose from 822,000 million, 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. More than 2 million people visit 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. [Pierce County Libraries are located](#) at Anderson Island, Bonney Lake, Buckley, DuPont, Eatonville, Fife, Gig Harbor, Graham, Key Center, Lakewood, Milton/Edgewood, Orting, Parkland/Spanaway, Pierce County Library Administrative Center, 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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