



# A Summer of Discovery Summer Camps and Programs, 2006

For Ages 7-10

For Ages 11-14

## Dr. Mossbreath's Natural History Mystery

Session A: June 26 – 30

Session B: July 10 – 14

9:30 am – 4:00 pm

Cost: \$195/ 10% discount for Burke members

This year the mysterious Dr. Mossbreath has left behind a map and clues to his secret treasure! He knows all about plants, birds, insects, rocks, AND secret hiding places., Follow maps, peer through microscopes, and use your observation skills to discover clues from animal tracks, bird songs, and the “wild” outdoors along with the museum’s collections. Help us solve Dr. Mossbreath’s natural history mystery!

## Stories and Tellers

Session A: July 24 – 28

Session B: July 31 – Aug. 4

9:30 am – 4:00 pm

Cost: \$195/ 10% discount for Burke members

Join us to learn how to become a compelling storyteller! People around the world use stories in many ways – to explain why the earth quakes, how tigers got stripes, and sometimes just for fun! You will create stories using traditional methods, everyday objects, and nature. Field trips, hands-on projects, and performances by a local storyteller will make this a week to remember and retell!

**TO REGISTER OR FOR MORE INFORMATION  
ABOUT SUMMER PROGRAMS, CONTACT:**  
Burke Education  
206-543-5591,  
or email [burked@u.washington.edu](mailto:burked@u.washington.edu)

**PRE-REGISTRATION DEADLINE: JUNE 9  
DROP-OFF TIME 9:00-9:30 AM**

## Reading the Landscape

Session A: July 17 – 21

Session B: July 24 – 28

9:30 am – 4:00 pm

Cost: \$250/ 10% discount for Burke members

How can we learn to interpret the landscape around us? Through writing, sketching, and photography, we will learn ways to look at and read the stories of the environment and history of Magnuson Park. The week will culminate in both individual and group projects that help us develop a stronger connection to the Seattle landscape.

## Investigating DNA and the Albatross

Session A: July 31 – Aug. 4

Session B: Aug. 7 – 11

9:30 am – 4:00 pm

Cost: \$250/ 10% discount for Burke members

Learn the basics of how DNA is used to find answers about conservation questions around the world. In this one-week intensive (but fun) hands-on class, lab activities using Burke collection specimens from a bird salvage project will make you the investigator in a real life research project. The class is led by Burke scientists using UW labs, and will give students the introductory skills for future work in genetics.

Class size is limited to 10 students each week.

**NEW EXHIBIT COMING  
THIS SUMMER!  
June 24 – September 4  
Wildlife Photographer of the Year**  
Special children and family programs  
throughout the summer bring this  
inspiring exhibit to life.  
You won't want to miss it!