

## News release



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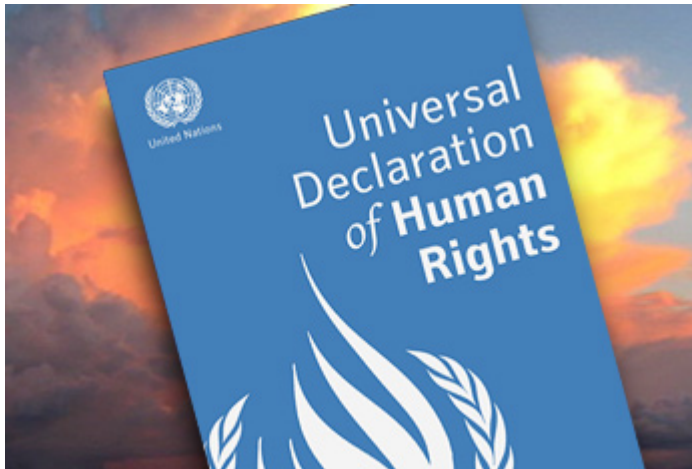
### **Evergreen Middle School is site of Human Rights celebration, Dec. 10**

*Celebrate International Human Rights Day with students and community*

On Wednesday, Dec. 10 from 5:30-7:30 p.m., county residents will celebrate *International Human Rights Day* at [Evergreen Middle School](#). Hosted by the Snohomish County Human Rights Commission, the celebration theme is “Fifty years of the Civil Rights Act of 1964: the Unfinished Agenda.”

[Fort Lewis’ Army Band](#) provides music that evening. Speakers include Snohomish County Executive John Lovick, educator Karen Shoaf-Mitchell on human trafficking in the Northwest, and Paul Pitre, Dean of Washington State University’s [North Puget Sound and Everett University Center](#), on the topic of pathways to higher education.

The family-friendly event also will include performances and presentations by local students, refreshments from Nomad Curbside’s Mobile Kitchen, music by [Fiesta Mexicana Mariachi Band](#), and activity bags for kids.



The [Universal Declaration of Human Rights](#) was adopted three years after the end of World War II. The 30-article declarative intended to prevent a repeat of the brutality of war. The United Nations brought attention to the atrocities that killed more than 50 million people during World War II.

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