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Public Libraries and Great Khalid Foundation Announce Mother's Day Writing Contest Winners Essay Contest Celebrates Mothers and Mother Figures

WHO: El Paso Public Libraries and The Great Khalid Foundation

WHAT: Mother's Day Essay Contest Awards Ceremony

WHEN: 4:30 p.m. Friday, May 9

WHERE: Main Public Library, 501 N. Oregon

The El Paso Public Libraries, in partnership with The Great Khalid Foundation, invite media to an awards ceremony honoring the winners of the Mother's Day Essay Contest. The event will take place at 4:30 p.m. Friday, May 9, at the Main Library, 501 N. Oregon.

The bilingual essay contest invited young writers to express their appreciation for their mothers or maternal figures, including aunts, grandmothers, older sisters, or any individuals who have provided a motherly influence. Participants competed in two age categories: ages 5-10 and ages 11-18.

This year, the contest received more than 150 heartfelt entries. Winners will be recognized at the ceremony, where they will read their award-winning essays to an audience of peers, family members, and community supporters. Each winner will receive a prize package they can present to their mother or maternal figure in celebration of Mother's Day.

For more information about the Mother's Day Essay Contest and other programs and services offered by El Paso Public Libraries, please visit www.ElPasoLibraries.org.

About the Great Khalid Foundation

The Great Khalid Foundation is committed to impacting the lives of children by alleviating a burden of need. We are reaching out when it matters most, when a supportive gesture can make all the difference.

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