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## El Paso Public Libraries Partner with Raising Cane's for National Library Week Book Drive

**EL PASO, Texas**—El Paso Public Libraries is partnering with Raising Cane's to host a community book drive in celebration of National Library Week, helping provide free books to children across the region.

The book drive will take place from 4 to 7 p.m. Thursday, April 23, at Raising Cane's, 675 Sunland Park Drive. Community members are encouraged to donate books and take part in a fun, family-friendly event.

"El Paso Public Libraries is excited to continue its partnership with Raising Cane's to foster a love of reading among our youth," said El Paso Public Libraries Director Norma Martinez. "Their continued support has helped us provide thousands of free books to local families and shows the impact strong community partnerships can make."

The event will feature special activities and services, including appearances by the Public Libraries mascot, LEA, on-site library card registration, and a visit from the Bookmobile. Families will also have an opportunity to learn more about the many resources and programs available through El Paso Public Libraries.

"We're excited to support literacy and partner with the library to make a real difference for families across El Paso," said Area Leader Lawrence Juarez. "Providing access to books helps spark curiosity and encourages lifelong learning."

Books collected during the drive will be distributed to children during the 30th annual *Día de los Niños, Día de los Libros* celebration on Saturday, April 25, at Pavo Real Park.

For more information about the book drive or El Paso Public Libraries programs and services, call (915)212-3217 or visit [EIPasoLibrary.com](http://EIPasoLibrary.com).

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