

POETRY FESTIVAL PROGRAM

PRIMARY

Thursday, February 12, 2009, 7:00 p.m.

Host: David Fayad, Colegio Bolivar

Himno Nacional de Colombia & US National Anthem

Unpublished Poetry

Published Poetry

Group Poetry

Dramatic Poetry

Refreshments provided by the Colegio Bolivar

PLEASE REMEMBER . . .

- Turn off all cellular phones and pagers during the performance.
- Participants will be sitting on the right side of the auditorium.
- Stay seated during the recitals.
- No talking during the recitals.
- Try to keep younger members of your family in their seats and quiet during the performance.
- Applause AFTER the recital has been performed.
- Be respectful of others by remaining seated until after the performance.

...Thank You

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ORIGINAL POETRY

No Light, No Life

My life is a dark hole
There is no light at the end of the road
Everything is pain and tears
In this world of fears I have no
beliefs, or thoughts that can be valid
I have no feelings or voice that can be
heard I have an illusion,
I have confusion
Is it possible to live out this hell?
I want to escape from this dark place
But the trip is very long.
My life is like a road
With lots of obstacles to overcome
Now I'm old, I'm dying
With my mind full of despair
And without ever having felt
The air of freedom in my heart.

Laura Garcia
Colegio Jefferson

Cat

Cat, cat come to me I want to be your
friend
Cat, cat come to me are you black or
white?
Cat, cat come to me would you like to
play with me?
Cat, cat come to me let's play hide and
seek
Cat, cat come to me you catch me and I
catch you
Cat, cat follow me I want to be your friend

Santiago Ordoñez
Colegio Colombo Británico

My Friend

When I went to my house
My mom showed me a mouse,
I ran out to my cousin's house to change my
blouse,
My cousin gave me a rose I decorated with
bows.
I suppose she was exactly the one because she
never told me
Whoever gave me such fun

Natalia Leguizámon
Colegio Bennett

Cross in my house

Cross, cross in the house round the house I
run.
Cross, cross round the house waiting for my
dad.
Cross, cross round the house with my toys in
my room,
Cross, cross round the house shouting in my
room.
Cross, cross round the house, but then I see my
dad.
Happy, happy In my house In to my dad's
arms I run
Happy, happy in my house and be silent from
now on.

Carolina Vallejo
Colegio Colombo Británico

ORIGINAL POETRY

Halloween's Favorite Witch

It's Halloween, it's Halloween My gosh!
What should I wear?
My sister says it's boring
The other does not care
Should it be something used
Or should it be something new?
Oh my! What should I do?
My thoughts are just freaking me out
My head will explode so soon
My family is waiting for me downstairs
Some yelling and begging too.
My five dogs bark
My seven cats do too,
This is so exasperating
Oh, gosh, Halloween is ruined
Only two minutes until the party starts,
And soon, when I get my broom,
A good scare too,
Now everyone is saying
That witch scares me too.
My sister Juliana
Isabella Martínez
Cañaverales International School
Juliana is my sister
And in my list of friends
She is the first
Among all the sisters
She is the best
Juliana is as sweet as a banana
Juliana is as funny
As a little bunny.
And when she goes to the music shop,
She always dances Hip-Hop.
I will love her forever
Because she is my sister,
And always in my life,
We will be side by side.

María Aljure
Colegio Bolívar

My Dreams

My eyes are filled with tears
This pain won't go away
But when I think about my future I know I
must have faith
My dreams are falling apart
But I still believe in God I know if I have
faith
All my dreams can come true I wish to be
there
With all my family and friends
Without thinking about slaves
In a place where I can be happy again

Nicolás Benedetti
Colegio Jefferson

If I Could...

If I could...
Be the one who changed a person's life
I would make him smile again
I would take away all his pain.
I would gather all the families
And take away tears from their face
I would make them happier
I would give them more faith.
But the big problem is I don't have the
power to change I am only a simple girl
Who dreams of freedom on earth.

Michelle Benoit
Colegio Jefferson



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Wednesday, February 14, 2008

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UNPUBLISHED POETRY

Michelle Benoit	Colegio Jefferson	"If I Could..." By Michelle Benoit
Nicolas Benedetti	Colegio Jefferson	"My Dreams" By Nicolás Benedetti
Laura Garcia	Colegio Jefferson	"No Light, No Life" By Laura Garcia
María Aljure	Colegio Bolivar	"Halloween's Favorite Witch" by María Aljure
Camila Salcedo	Colegio Bolivar	"The Zero" by Camila Salcedo
Santiago Ordoñez	Colegio Colombo Britanico	Cat
Carolina Vallejo	Colegio Colombo Britanico	Cross in my house
María del Mar Bustamante	Inglés de los Andes	Flying in the Sky, Giancarlo Escrucería
Valentina Pulido	Cañaverales International School	I Went to a Beauty Shop
Daniela Arias	Cañaverales International School	Love in Seasons
Isabel Jordan Vanegas	Colegio Bennett	My Emotions About You
Natalia Leguizamón	Colegio Bennett	My Friend
Isabella Martínez	Cañaverales International School	My sister Juliana
Brandon Gutiérrez	Inglés de los Andes	Nshay, The Snake, Brandon Gutiérrez
Ana Lucía Guzman	Colegio Bennett	The Frog
Diana Marcela López	Inglés de los Andes	The Inspiration of my Life, Diana Marcela López

PUBLISHED POETRY

Juan Felipe Tobón	Colegio Jefferson	"Haircut" By Allan Ahlberg
Juan Manuel Sinisterra	Colegio Jefferson	"I Wrote Myself A Letter" By Kenn Nesbitt
María Pía Gallego	Colegio Bolivar	"Mosquitoes" by Jack Prelutski
Daniela De Angulo	Colegio Bolivar	"My Shadow" by Robert Louis Stevenson
Juan Camilo Hoyos	Colegio Gimnasio La Colina	Above the Bright Blue Sky, Albert Midlane
Juan Diego Gomez	Colegio Colombo Britanico	Bedtime song, Quentin Blake
María Antonia García Soler	Gimnasio La Colina	Careers - Mabel Chandler Duch
Daniel Saavedra	Colegio Gimnasio La Colina	Chinese Rain Dragon, Ann Bonner
Andrea Agudelo	Cañaverales International School	Garreta Lancaster
Luisa Gabriela Mayorga	Cañaverales International School	Good Night and Good Morning, Richard Monckton Milnes
Lucas Frappier	Colegio Colombo Britanico	I froze my mum, Ted Cheu
Katherine Battiston	Colegio Bennett	I Wrote an Awful poem, K. Nesbitt
Ma Mercedes Posada	Colegio Bennett	I'm Not Afraid of the Dark, K. Nesbitt
Valerie Bigio	Colegio Hebreo Jorge Isaacs	Imaginary friend, by Kenn Nesbitt
Mariana Molina	Colegio Gimnasio La Colina	Little Things, Julia Carney
Daniel Ernesto de la Cruz	Inglés de los Andes	My Excellent Education, Kenn Nesbitt
Thali Bensus	Colegio Hebreo Jorge Isaacs	My mohter was a hippy, by Kenn Nesbitt
Daniela Cajares	Colegio Ingles de los Andes	Puppy Eyes, Sonya Florentino
Isabella Carmona	Colegio Gimnasio La Colina	The Canary, Elizabeth Turner
Gabriela Rengifo Jaramillo	Gimnasio La Colina	The Old Good Days - Mabel Chandler Duch
María José Espinosa	Colegio Gimnasio La Colina	Things Bright and Beautiful, Cecil Frances

GROUP POETRY

Ana Maria Sierra, Isabella Vera, Laura Sofia Delgado, Natalie Hernandez	Colegio Jefferson	"Fairies" By Rose Amy Fyleman
Juan Esteban Molina, Juan Pablo Paz, Sebastian Guerrero	Colegio Jefferson	"Picking Teams" By Allan Ahlberg
Santiago Celis, Sebastián Caicedo	Colegio Bolivar	"Boring" by Jack Prelutski
Daniela Jaramillo, Isabella González, Isabella Libreros, Isabella Santos, Paula Lewis	Colegio Bolivar	"What is a family?" by Mary Ann Hoberman
Carlos Mario Varón Tapias, José Alejandro Motatto Sánchez, Melissa Chapman Mejía, Perlita Esquenazi Yaker, Shani Kadoch Wertheimer	Colegio Hebreo Jorge Isaacs	Be careful what you wish for, Arden Davidson
Colleen Guzman, Laura Fernanda Murcia, Laura Ma Gutierrez, Santiago Patiño, Sara Gallego	Colegio Bennett	Be Glad your Nose Is on Your Face, J. Prelutsky
Carolina Gomez, Veronica Hernandez	Colegio Colombo Britanico	Double trouble, June Crebbin
Bella Corkidy, Dana Cojocarú, Daniela Guevara, Eliana Bello, Hannah Sofia Esquenazi, Juan Camilo Sanchez, Linor Kadoch, Menajem Toledo, Nessim Esquenazi, Santiago Varon	Colegio Hebreo Jorge Isaacs	Gareth Lancaster
Daniela Torres, Laura Inés Quiñones, Laura Manuel, Santiago Ochoa, Sofia Guerrero, Tania Payán, Tomás Alfonso Gómez, Valentina Penagos	Colegio Bennett	We Are Different, But Alike, Author Unknown
Camila Valencia, Herich David Arboleda, Juan Fernando Medina, María Camila Giraldo, Ruby Joana Calvo	Inglés de los Andes	Where Did You Come From, Baby Dear?, George MacDonald
Daniela Larrañaga, María José Soto, Mariana Favaroni	Colegio Colombo Britanico	Who's that?, James Kirkup

DRAMATIC POETRY

Daniel Burgos, Juan Martin Burgos, Rafael Velasco, Santiago Escobar	Colegio Jefferson	"If I Were The Principal" By Kenn Nesbitt
Catalina Campo, María Antonia Mosquera	Colegio Bolivar	"Bella's Umbrella" by Eve Merriam
Carlos Alejandro Zuluaga, Esteban Zapata, Juan Manuel Ledesma	Cañaverales International School	Grandparents mmwt the need, Jhonna Fush
Isabella Restrepo, Laura Daniela Franco, Valentina Henao	Cañaverales International School	Mother Nature,
Giancarlo Escrucería, Juan José Tamayo, Luisa María Rodríguez, Valentina Rodríguez	Colegio Ingles de los Andes	Our Grat Excuses, Giancarlo Escrucería. Victoria López. Luisa María Rodríguez. Valentina Rodríguez. Juan José Tamayo.
Isabella Martínez, Valentina Pulido	Cañaverales International School	Sisters Heart to Heart, Jhonna Fush
Ana Catalina Cardozo, Catalina Velasquez, Daniela De Angulo, Laura Naomi Gallego, Mariana Gomez, Natalia Madriñan	Colegio Colombo Britanico	The Months, Sara Coleridge
Andrea Arango, Daniela Narváez, Rebecca Paz	Colegio Bennett	We Thank Thee, R.W. Emerson

The Frog

I saw a frog looking for a fly
 I saw the frog eating a fly
 Oh, no, please don't eat the fly
 It is an inoffensive animal
 I saw a frog eating a fly again
 I have to catch this frog

Ana Lucía Guzmán
 Colegio Bennett

My Emotions About You

I love you in the bad times.
 I love you in the good times
 You are incredible in my heart
 You are funnier every day
 You are a very smart class
 You are all that a classmate could want
 Thank you, friends!

Isabel Jordan Vanegas
 Colegio Bennett

The Zero

Which is the number that is like a ball,
 Round like an egg,
 Sweet like an apple,
 And makes me want to play outside?
 Of course it's the zero.
 Did you think of it?
 It's yummy like my orange,
 And crunchy like my cookie,
 We live in a zero – our planet Earth,
 A ball, a bracelet, a disk and a tire are
 zeros!

Camila Salcedo
 Colegio Bolivar

Love in Seasons

Love is in the springtime
 When all is green and new,
 Love is in the summer
 When sky is turning blue.
 Love is in the autumn
 When leaves are falling down,
 Love me in the winter
 When snow is all around.
 Love is always there.
 It is everywhere,
 It is a kiss,
 Even in a sneeze.
 It is when I'm happy,
 Even when I'm sad
 It is when I'm good
 And when I'm so bad.
 It helps me when I fall
 And even when I stand.
 Love is in the seasons,
 I believe in that.
 I'm thinking on the seasons
 For when I love you more,
 But I just have decided,
 That I love you in all.

Daniela Arias
 Cañaverale International School

I Went to a Beauty Shop

I went to a beauty shop
 And started to dance Hip-Hop,
 The police came and said to me "Please, stop it".
 So, I began to lick a lolly pop
 And I went to my house. I cooked my lunch
 Then I played with a ball And made a goal.

Valentina Pulido
 Cañaverale International School

I Love To Play Soccer

I love to play soccer, it's very cool!
 I play with my friends, I play very good!
 We practice every day in the park of the school.
 We play a championship game with other schools.
 We will win the championship if we play very good.
 My favorite sport is SOCCER for sure!

Itay Kadoch
 Colegio Hebreo Jorge Isaacs

I am Hyper

My Doctor said I am hyper, because I move like a
 viper.
 I think he is mad.
 Because I am not that!
 I just prefer to play "play station" rather than study
 for my evaluation!
 I am interested on reptiles and soccer, politics,
 geography and poker.
 I am outgoing, talkative and funny, and my mom
 says I make rainy days sunny!
 And even though I can't stay still I am so cool, that I
 chill!
 So maybe my Doctor is right. But being hyper makes
 me bright!

Marcos Esquenazi
 Colegio Hebreo Jorge Isaacs

To Be FREE

The soldiers in war, the slaves in cages, they
 want to be FREE.
 They are not animals, they are not toys.
 They are humans like you and me.
 They want to be FREE!
 To be FREE is the best thing that can be.
 We have to find the key to be FREE!

David Bigio
 Colegio Hebreo Jorge Isaacs

My Mom

My mom is nice and sweet with me and my
 brother.
 My mom is always at home waiting for us to
 come from school.
 And surprise!
 Although my mom is not famous, not big nor
 strong...
 She will always be my mom
 And I will love my mom forever.

Sofia Heim
 Colegio Hebreo Jorge Isaacs

The Inspiration of my Life

I am sad
 Because I lost my rhyme
 Everybody knows that I am feeling so bad
 I'm looking for a word to inspire my lines
 looking for the happiness that is around my
 life.
 I saw my mom walking in my house and now
 I know she is the inspiration of my life.

Diana Marcela López
 Ingles de los Andes