

POETRY FESTIVAL PROGRAM

PREPRIMARY

Wednesday, February 15, 2006, 7:00 p.m.

Host: Carla Ravassa – Colegio Bolivar

US Nacional Anthem & Himno Nacional de Colombia

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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.
- Remain seated until the end of the performance.

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PRIMARY GROUP POETRY

Mariana Cabal, Sofía Montalvo	Colegio Bolivar	<i>Class Pest</i> , Kathy Kenny-Marshall
Juan Camilo Hurtado, Laura Daniela Vargas, Sebastián Fajardo, Victoria López	Colegio Inglés de los Andes	<i>Getting Dressed For School</i> , Kenn Nesbitt
Andrea Carvajal, Angela Maria Orozco, Daniela Rojas, Isabel Sanint, Laura Gomez	Colegio Colombo Britanico	<i>Good Morning Dear Students</i> , Ken Nesby
Andrés Felipe Becerra, Clara Ines Alvaré, Juan David Gonzalez	Colegio Colombo Britanico	<i>Jessica June</i> , Cynthia Rider
Isabella Peña, Laura Marcela Zamudio, Mariana Pelaez	Colegio Hebreo Jorge Isaacs	<i>Lost and Found</i> , Ted Scheu
Mónica Daniela Rodríguez, Valentina Villada	Cañaverales International School	<i>Lucky Trade</i> , Matthew Fredericks
Maria Jose Arbelaez, Tali Kadoch	Colegio Hebreo Jorge Isaacs	<i>Support from Others</i> , Unknown
Daniela Romero, Danilo Buriticá, Geovanny Marcelo Cortés Rendón, Jesús Andrés Henao Zapata, Laura Vivas Sastoque, Lorena García, Santiago Fayad, Shanel Torres Meneses, Valeria Prado	Colegio Bennett	<i>The Animals Cal</i> , Anonymous
María Camila Leal, Valentina Garcés	Cañaverales International School	<i>The Swing</i> , Robert Louis Stevenson
Daniel Fernando Sánchez, Gabriel Otoya, Laura Sofía Hernández	Colegio Jefferson	<i>The Toad and the Kangaroo</i> , Shell Silverstein
Camilo Andrés Cáceres, Camilo Caicedo, Daniel Iurita, Diego De Gennaro, Esteban Angel, Juan Antonio Lloreda, María Gabriela Parra, Simón Echeverri	Colegio Bolivar	<i>Turn off the T.V.</i> , Jack Prelutsky
Cristian Javier Alvear, Maria Antonia Botero, Mateo Santacoloma, Natalia Murillo, Valentina Lara	Colegio Inglés de los Andes	<i>What to Do About Grandma</i> , Davidson Arden
Alejandro Jiménez Quintero, Luis Guillermo García Otero, Luisa Ma Grisales Cruz, Ma Mercedes Posada Acosta	Colegio Bennett	<i>Workers of All Kinds</i> , adapted, J. Warren and L. Tarleton
Carolyn Taylor, Thea Aguía	Colegio Jefferson	<i>Zebra Question</i> , Shell Silverstein

PRIMARY DRAMATIC POETRY

Diego Alejandro Arango, Luis Daniel Calderón	Colegio Inglés de los Andes	<i>I Went to the Doctor</i> , Kenn Nesbitt
Guillermo A. Gamboa, Stephanie Ocampo	Colegio Bolivar	<i>My Girlfriend</i> , Kenn Nesbitt
Ana Maria Racines, Isabella Spataro, Maria Virginia Olano, Natalia Gonzalez	Colegio Colombo Britanico	<i>Never Torture Your Teacher</i> , Anonymous
Daniela Bonilla, Isabella Mejía, Valentina Bustamante	Colegio Jefferson	<i>Rock 'n Roll Band</i> , Shell Silverstein
Daniela Latorre, Ma Paula Ardila, Manuela Sadovnik, Nicolás García, Pablo Ruíz	Colegio Bennett	<i>Thanksgiving Story</i> , Unknown
Catalina Cepeda, Isabella Rentería, José Vicente Arango, Laura Herrera, María Camila Giraldo, Samantha Suárez, Sebastián Ordoñez, Valeria Gil	Cañaverales International School	<i>The Blind Men and the Elephant</i> , Unknown

Flowers and Chocolates

Saint Valentine's day,
Time to show we are real friends,
Oh, what a special date
Enjoying with no ends
Sharing a candy or a flower
With the lovely girls
Receiving a chocolate
From a handsome mate.

By First grade students, Cañaverales International School

House in Red

I'd rather catch a bat,
I'd rather put a tiger on my bed,
I'd rather wear my father's hat
Than paint my house in red.

By First grade students, Cañaverales International School

My Mom

When my mother punishes me
I feel so bad
I go outside and I cry so much
When my mother is mad
I run to hide under my bed
And my mother says
Don't do that again
I love my mom everyday
When she is happy and
When she is mad
But the most important is that
I love my mom.

By Erick Aguirre Varela, Colegio Bilingüe Inglés de los Andes

Soccer

Soccer
I play soccer, soccer
I play soccer
Soccer outside
Soccer
I play soccer,
Soccer everyday
Soccer, soccer
I play soccer with my friends

By Antonio Aljure, Colegio Bolivar

Tilly

My Friend
little,
curly, black
friendly to everyone
cute on two legs
she's fluffy after a bath
cheeky when trying to escape Tilly

By Sabrina Amorocho, Colegio Bolivar

Play

I like to play bingo
And see through my window.
I like to play with my dog
And jump over the log
I like to play computer
And ride my scooter
I like to be with my grandmother
And dream with my mother.

By Lucia Quintero, Colegio Bolivar

Friends

There is a small bee
On a big tree
Having hot tea
with vanilla ice cream.

Then came a black cat,
With a red hat,
and a yellow hen
wearing a blue dress.

Then came a little mouse,
with a pink blouse
and a brown dog
chewing a white bone.

All of them were having fun!
Getting together as friends
dancing and eating hot cakes
in a nice and organized way!

By Preprimary Students, Colegio Hebreo Jorge Isaacs

Purim

Purim is a jewish holiday
full of fun and joy.

We get to wear crowns and masks,
to become queens, soldiers or clowns.

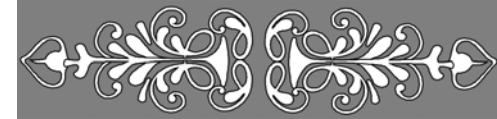
Purim is history, because
back in the good old days
A special king while looking for a wife, chose a humble girl
whose name was ESTHER.

ESTHER was Jewish
but the king didn't know
and he married this girl,
giving her all his love.

In Purim we remember
the greatness of Esther's act.
She was brave and with her courage
she saved her people showing justice from the heart.

In Purim we dance
and celebrate with music all around.
We also eat fantastic food!
With all our friends here in school.

By Preprimary Students, Colegio Hebreo Jorge Isaacs



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February 15 and 16, 2006
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7:00 p.m.***

PREPRIMARY

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UNPUBLISHED POETRY

Antonio Aljure Diana Gabriela Cruz	Colegio Bolivar Cañaverales International School	<i>Soccer</i> , Antonio Aljure <i>Flowers and Chocolates</i> , Diana Gabriela Cruz
Erick Aguirre Varela Lucia Quintero Luisa Gabriela Mayorga	Colegio Bilingüe Inglés de los Andes Colegio Bolivar Cañaverales International School	<i>My Mom</i> , Erick Aguirre Varela <i>Play</i> , Lucia Quintero <i>Flowers and Chocolates</i> , Luisa Gabriela Mayorga
Sabrina Amorocho Samuel Rodríguez	Colegio Bolivar Cañaverales International School	<i>Tilly</i> , Sabrina Amorocho <i>House in Red</i> , Samuel Rodríguez

PUBLISHED POETRY

Valeria Moncayo Valentina Tunjo Sophia Botero Paulina Alvarez Nicolás Thomson Rodríguez Naim Sadeghian Mariantonia Cadena Leonor Valentina Lopomo Soto Juan Jose Figueroa Isabella Sánchez Isabella Ramirez Rojas Gabriela Sardi Connor Eastin	Cañaverales International School Cañaverales International School Colegio Colombo Britanico Colegio Colombo Britanico Colegio Bennett Colegio Bolivar Colegio Colombo Britanico Colegio Bennett Colegio Bolivar Cañaverales International School Colegio Bilingüe Inglés de los Andes Colegio Bolivar Colegio Bennett	<i>Berry Picking</i> , Bobbi Katz <i>I Love You</i> , Unknown <i>My Little Mouse Hole</i> , Kaye Umansky <i>Cousin Reggie</i> , Roger McGough <i>My Dog</i> , A. Roberts <i>Crayons</i> , Anonymous <i>My Home the Earth</i> , Susan M. Papruki <i>My Two Little Puppies</i> , Catarina <i>I am Tired of Being Little</i> , Jack Prelustky <i>The Silver Fish</i> , Shel Silverstein <i>I Am Lazy</i> , Elaina Rogers <i>My Dog Ate my Homework</i> , Ken Nesbit <i>At the Zoo</i> , L. Field
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GROUP POETRY

Catalina Guzmán Salazar, Daniel Alberto Espinoza Gonzáles, Isabella Ocampo Grajales, Luis Felipe Trujillo Cardona, Ma Paula Londoño García, Natalia isabella Lopera Jiménez, Nicolás Varela Benítez, Santiago Altamar Cortina, Santiago Thomson Rodríguez	Colegio Bennett	<i>A Home for Everyone</i> , adapted by L. Bravo
Daniela Lasso, Juan Sebastián Chaucanés, Manuela Manzano	Colegio Bilingüe Inglés de los Andes	<i>Animals</i> , Anonymous
Daniela Cruz; Isabella Garcés; Penélope Bouquerin	Cañaverales International School	<i>I'd Rather</i> , Bruce Lansky
Daniela Campo, Johanna Tejada, Nathalia Bejarano	Colegio Bilingüe Inglés de los Andes	<i>Butterfly Cycle</i> , Suzy Gazly
Andrés Felipe Davis, Carolina Tellez, Isabella Losada, Juan Guillermo Duarte, Laura Pabón, Sebastián Arango, Sebastián Pinzón, Sebastián Vallecilla, Tomás Vásquez, Valentina Lotero	Colegio Bolivar	<i>Flu</i> , Terry Cooper
Camilo Alzate, Juliana Encinales, Naomi Nessim, Sofia Heim	Colegio Hebreo Jorge Isaacs	<i>Friends</i> , Unpublished
Juan Pablo Oviedo Rivera, Laura Valeria Rengifo Saavedra	Colegio Bilingüe Inglés de los Andes	<i>Get Out of Bed</i> , Diane Z. Shore
Alejandra Maria Echeverry, Daniela Torres, Laura Leon, Alicia Cohen, Gustavo Andres Bastidas, Jose Alejandro Motato, Sabrina Bonilla	Colegio Colombo Britanico	<i>Mixing Colours</i> , Eric Finney
Carlos Alejandro Zuluaga; Esteban Zapata; Isabela Martínez; Valentina Guevara	Cañaverales International School	<i>May Time</i> , Unknown

PREPRIMARY GROUP POETRY (CON'T)

Catalina Fernández Duque, Isabella Gómez Gómez, José Emmanuel Sarria Montaña, Ma del Mar Mafla Orozco, Santiago Grajales Baquero, Santiago Nohrá Nieto, Sebastián Carvajal Oliveros, Valentina Sánchez Gallón, Valentina Viveros Cucalón	Colegio Bennett	<i>Mice Squeak</i> , We Speak, adapted by T. Depaola
Isabella Fernández, Juan José Figueroa, Juan Pablo Blanco, Juan Sebastián Palma, María Alejandra González, María Antonia Recio, Mariana Mosquera, Natalia Torres, Nicolás Uribe, Valentina Tafur	Colegio Bolivar	<i>Sensing the Forest</i> , Jean Warren
Juan Sebastian Sanabria, Marianna Issa, Martin Restrepo, Nicolas Carvajal, Valentina Escobar, Valentina Mendoza	Colegio Colombo Britanico	<i>Some Advice Concerning Crabs</i> , Joe Thomas

ORIGINAL POETRY

A Catching Dog

A catching dog
Is on my job
It tries to catch me all the days
It is the pet of my friend,
It catches me in the city,
It catches me in the town,
It catches me through the job,
Look there it goes again.
A catching dog is on my job
It tries to catch me all the days
It catches me in the morning
In the afternoon and night
And even it catches my hair
It runs, runs and tries to catch
But it doesn't run away

By Mateo Maya, Cañaverales International School

Like That

Why do we have to fight
To get our rights?
Why does the butterfly
Have to fly in another sky?
Why do we have to make bad things
To be considered good kings?
Why is it easy to destroy
And to use a person like a toy?
Why do we hurt
And don't use our heart?
By Paola Andrea Botero, Cañaverales International School

Not Fair!

Not fair!
Not fair!
Not fair at all!
Everything goes
To people who are tall.
Older than my age
We are never on the same page
I don't think it's fair

Nobody agrees with my prayer.
Older than my age
We are never on the same page
I don't think it's fair
Nobody agrees with my prayer.
They get a tv in their room
I've got nothing, nothing that go zoom
Nor a computer that can go bong
That's why I dedicate my time to this song.
Wo are these intruders?
They're my parents,
the consumers!

By Mariana Correa, Colegio Bolivar

My Pet Poem

My dog is sad,
he wants his dad.
I hugged him with my arms,
he feels happy by the time.
I wash it with soap,
he runs to the door.
I dry it, I comb it,
now it is ready to play all day long.

By Juana Díaz, Colegio Bolivar

Colombia

My country
Bogotá capital
Majestic mountains
Fabulous flora
Incredible fauna
Friendly citizens
Historic Indians
Immaculate beaches
Tourist attractions
Unforgettable weather
Aromatic coffee
Delectable food

By María Camila Pérez, Colegio Bennett

Colombia

Tourist places
Amazing food
Unforgettable country
Beautiful traditions
Excellent customs
Democratic country
Honest people
Crystalline oceans
Magnificent music
Plant variety
Nice relationships
Intelligent students

By Juan Manuel Montoya, Colegio Bennett

PRIMARY

Thursday, February 16, 2006, 7:00 p.m.

UNPUBLISHED POETRY

Abraham Sucovsky	Colegio Hebreo Jorge Isaacs	<i>My Song</i> , Abraham Sucovsky
Estefanía Antía	Colegio Jefferson	<i>The Wounds of a Slave</i> , Estefanía Antía
Juan Felipe Murgueitio	Colegio Jefferson	<i>I Remember</i> , Juan Felipe Murgueitio
Juan Manuel Montoya	Colegio Bennett	<i>Colombia</i> , Juan Manuel Montoya
Juana Díaz	Colegio Bolivar	<i>My Pet Poem</i> , Juana Díaz
María Camila Pérez	Colegio Bennett	<i>Colombia</i> , María Camila Pérez
María Jose Karaman	Colegio Colombo Britanico	<i>My Doggy Cat</i> , María Jose Karaman
Mariana Correa	Colegio Bolivar	<i>Not Fair!</i> , Mariana Correa
Mateo Maya	Cañaverales International School	<i>A Catching Dog</i> , Mateo Maya
Paula Alejandra Peñaranda	Colegio Inglés de los Andes	<i>My Sunshine</i> , Paula Alejandra Peñaranda
Paula Andrea Botero	Cañaverales International School	<i>Like That</i> , Paula Andrea Botero
Sebastián Alejandro Dueñas	Colegio Inglés de los Andes	<i>If I Were a Scientist</i> , Sebastián Alejandro Dueñas
Sebastian Rojas	Colegio Colombo Britanico	<i>Never Give Up</i> , Sebastian Rojas

PUBLISHED POETRY

Arleng Aristizabal	Colegio Inglés de los Andes	<i>The Aliens Have Landed</i> , Kenn Nesbitt
Catalina Mendoza	Colegio Colombo Britanico	<i>Excuses, Excuses</i> , Gareth Owen
Daniela Arias	Cañaverales International School	<i>Alligators are Unfriendly</i> , Jack Prelutsky
Daniela Nauffal	Colegio Bolivar	<i>Get Out of Bed</i> , Diane Z. Shore
Gabriel Pelaez	Colegio Hebreo Jorge Isaacs	<i>My Lunch</i> , Kenn Nesbitt
Ghila Translateur	Colegio Hebreo Jorge Isaacs	<i>Miss Me But Let Me Go</i> , Unknown
Jacob Sanz	Colegio Colombo Britanico	<i>The Lion</i> , Roald Dahl
Joel Taboch	Colegio Hebreo Jorge Isaacs	<i>No Person Is Ever Truly Alone</i> , Richard Fife
Juan Manuel Montero	Colegio Colombo Britanico	<i>It's Behind You</i> , David Hammer
Juliana Castaño Perea	Colegio Inglés de los Andes	<i>A Bad Case Of Sneezes</i> , Bruce Lansky
Juliana Guzmán	Colegio Bennett	<i>Some People</i> , R. Field
Julio César Mantilla	Colegio Bennett	<i>The Shell</i> , D. McCord
Kimberly Garcia	Colegio Inglés de los Andes	<i>Inside A Pen</i> , Arden Davidson
Laura Hernández	Colegio Jefferson	<i>My Dad's a Secret Agent</i> , Shell Silverstein
Luís Miguel Martínez	Colegio Jefferson	<i>One Day We Went Walking</i> , by Valine Hobbs
Margarita Zambrano	Colegio Bolivar	<i>Sick</i> , Shel Silverstein
María Alejandra Florez	Colegio Inglés de los Andes	<i>Little Eyes Upon You</i> , Unknown
Martín Vanín	Colegio Bolivar	<i>The Lord of the Rings</i> , J.R.R. Tolkien
Sebastián Muñoz	Cañaverales International School	<i>The Hard Way</i> , Ken Nesbit
Sebastián Otálora	Colegio Jefferson	<i>Dreams of Freedom</i> , Belinda Schuler-Chin
Tammy Taboch	Colegio Hebreo Jorge Isaacs	<i>My Teacher Calls Me Sweetie Cakes</i> , Kenn Nesbitt
Valentina Garcés	Cañaverales International School	<i>What a Princess Is</i> , Joe Thompson
Valeria Valencia	Colegio Bennett	<i>Country Road, Spring Walk</i> , F. Asch

My doggy cat

Doggy cat, doggy cat,
Why are you like that?
Middle dog, middle cat,
Are you sitting on my hat?
When you are alone I play.
With your doggy cat ball.

I love you my pet.

Even when you are wet,
And run all over my bed

You look silly doggy cat.

At the same time,

You Meaow... and you bark.

Doggy cat, Doggy cat,
Why are you like that?
Middle dog, Middle cat.
You have all my heart.

By María José Karamán, Colegio
Colombo Británico

ORIGINAL POETRY

My Sunshine

My sun always brights
Brights brights in the sky
It gives me warm when cold I am
It gives me light when the day is dark

And when it's raining...

Don't you know that I feel so sad?

Don't you know that I need warm?

Don't you know that I want to see the sunshine?

Don't you know that I need you, sun?

I would like to have you in my house

I would like to have you in my school

I would like to have you everywhere

But what am I saying?

If I have you in all my earth.

By Paula Alejandra Peñaranda, Inglés de los Andes

The Wounds of a Slave

Oh Africa!

I keep you in my memory.

I remember my home, my family,

My life, and all the things that surrounded me.

Those melodious sounds of the birds

That I heard in the dawn of each morning.

The scent of the plants, and the

nature that I used to see around.

Now I have been taken apart from my family.

Alone with all my memories.

With people that I don't know.

Oh! How I would like to be at home,

Sharing with my family,

And without being forced to work.

But these are only wounds of a poor nigger,

Who doesn't have the right to express his feelings.

I wish to be free, as a bird flying in the sky.

Oh! How I wish to be free!

By Estefanía Antía, Colegio Jefferson

If I Were a Scientist

If I were a scientist

I would find a solution

to the sickness of the world

and help humans in all.

If I were a scientist

I would be famous and helpful

by giving food to the poor

and medicine to the sick.

If I were a scientist

the world would love me

and I would live in peace

with my family.

I'm not a scientist yet

what I can do now

is to give my love

to everybody.

That is my dream!

By Sebastián Alejandro Dueñas, Inglés de los Andes

I Remember

I wonder how much time has passed.

How many years have I been a slave?

Oh Africa! I miss you so much!

I miss your freedom; I miss your beautiful days.

Africa! I remember my family, my friends.

I wonder where they are, or if I am the only one alive.

Oh Africa! I miss you so much!

I miss your nights; I miss my family.

Every morning I pray; I pray for you.

I pray for my family, and I ask God

To help me to hold on, but I can't.

I'm nothing without you, without my family.

Now I pray to go with God.

By Juan Felipe Murgueitio, Colegio Jefferson

My Song

This is my song

The song of my life

It has guitar, saxophone and piano

It's in jazz

The peaceful jazz

I love jazz

Because it's my favorite music

Music, music, music

The great music

I love music

It really makes me happy

My song expresses feelings

Feelings like friendship

Songs, songs, songs

I love to have a song

By Abraham Stern, Colegio Hebreo Jorge Isaacs

Never give up

You are the strongest

You are the best

You are from the ones

Who never take out their

chest

Never give up

Because you are not a

looser

You are as strong as a truck

So give the war

Do not let the words

Bring your feelings down

Go on with your work

and walk slowly

Through the road

Because from the race

You will only finish tired

Play with your soul

And all will be done

Because you are a

champion

You are a king

You came to this earth

Only to win

By Sebastián Rojas Cabal,

Colegio Colombo Británico