



*Kern County*

# FAMILY WEEK

*November 12 - 18, 2006*

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September 18, 2006

Dear Principal/Teacher:

During the week of November 12, the Nation will be celebrating "NATIONAL FAMILY WEEK." In support of this celebration of the family, the Board of Supervisors will pass a resolution proclaiming November 12-18 as "KERN COUNTY FAMILY WEEK."

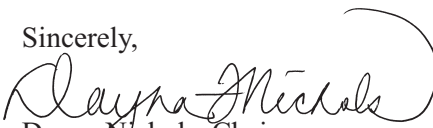
As part of our week of family activities, the Kern County Family Week Committee is sponsoring the ninth annual CREATIVE EXPRESSION CONTEST for all students in grades 1 through 12. This is an opportunity for your students to utilize their written and artistic skills in a public forum. We hope to enlist your support of this project by forwarding the attached information to classroom teachers or families. ***Each student who participates must have the completed entry form attached to their entry. ENTRY DEADLINE: Mon. October 23, 2006.***

The entries will be evaluated by a panel of judges from the community. Four Grand Prize winners will be selected, along with a first, second, and third place winner in each category for each grade one through twelve. The winning entries will be displayed at East Hills Mall during Family Week. The winners and their families will be honored by political dignitaries and press coverage at an awards ceremony on November 12, at Sequoia Middle School, 3-4:30 p.m.

All Winners will be notified by mail. Additional information concerning rules and deadlines is on the attached flier. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions at (661) 847-8484.

These may be given to individuals, families or organizations to participate.  
***Thank you for your interest and support of families in our community.  
"Today's Families . . . Tomorrow's Future!"***

Sincerely,



Dayna Nichols, Chairperson  
Kern County Family Week

Entry Deadline Monday, October 23, 2006

**Mail Entries to:** Creative Expression Contest, NOR Recreation  
405 Galaxy Avenue, Bakersfield, CA 93308

**Note:** Entries may also be delivered to the following representatives by Monday, October 24.

Bakersfield City Schools  
Sarah Futrell Baron

Kern High School District

Panama-Buena Vista Unified School District  
Kip Hearron, District Office

***"Today's Families - Tomorrow's Future"***

# CREATIVE EXPRESSION CONTEST

"Today's Families--Tomorrow's Future."

To celebrate National  
and Kern County  
**Family Week**  
November 12-18, 2006



**THEME: "What My Family Means to Me"**

- RULES:**
1. Participants may only enter in one category:
    - a) "**Creative Writing**" -- poetry, prose, or essay (200 words or less, please do not write on the back of paper).
    - b) "**Artistic Expression**" -- drawing, painting, or collage (maximum finished size is 11" x 17", unmatted, must be mailable, please do not laminate or fold).
  2. All students in grades 1-12 may enter. Entries must be student's original work.
  3. Entries must meet word or size limitations to be accepted.
  4. Entry form below must be attached to be accepted.
  5. Entries must be received by Monday, October 23, 2006 and will not be returned.
  6. For additional information, call 847-8484.

- PRIZES:**
- \* Gift certificates will be awarded to 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place winners in each category for each grade 1-12.
  - \* Four Grand Prizes winners will be awarded.
  - \* Winners will be honored at the Awards Ceremony on November 12.
  - \* Winners' entries will be displayed at East Hills Mall.

Sponsored by the **KERN COUNTY FAMILY WEEK COMMITTEE**

[Clip Here](#) \_\_\_\_\_ **(Entries accepted in any language)** \_\_\_\_\_

**ENTRY FORM . . . CREATIVE EXPRESSION CONTEST**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

School: \_\_\_\_\_ Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_

**(Please tape entry form on back side of entry)**

Check one category:

a) **Creative Writing**

b) **Artistic Expression**

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Phone: 392-2000

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# CONCURSO DE EXPRESIÓN CREATIVA

“Las Familias de Hoy--El Futuro de Mañana.”

**Para celebrar la  
Semana de Familia  
nacional y del condado de Kern  
12 - 18 de noviembre de 2006**



**TEMA:** “Lo Que Significa Mi Familia para Mí”

- REGLAS:**
1. Los participantes pueden ingresar solo en una categoría:
    - a) “**Escritura Creativa**” -- poesía, discurso, o ensayo (200 palabras o menos, por favor no escriban detras del papel).
    - b) “**Expresión Artística**” -- dibujo, pintura, o collage (maximo de 11" x 17" ya acabado, tiene que poderse mandar por correo, favor de no laminar o doblar).
  2. Todos los estudiantes del grado 1-12 pueden participar. Cada obra de arte tiene que ser el trabajo original del estudiante.
  3. Ingresos tienen que satisfacer las limitaciones de palabras y tamaño para ser aceptados.
  4. El Formulario de Ingreso tiene que ser agregado con el ingreso para ser aceptado.
  5. Las obras de arte tienen que entregarse el lunes, 23 de octubre de 2006 y no se regresaran.
  6. Si tiene preguntas o necesita mas información, llame al 847-8484.

- PREMIOS:**
- \* Premios seran repartidos a los ganadores de primero, segundo, y tercer lugar de cada categoría en grados 1-12.
  - \* Cuatro Gran Premios seran repartidos.
  - \* Los Ganadores seran celebrados en una ceremonia el 12 de noviembre.
  - \* Las obras ganadoras seran exhibidas en el East Hills Mall.

**Promovido por KERN COUNTY FAMILY WEEK COMMITTEE**

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## FORMULARIO DE INGRESO . . . CONCURSO DE EXPRESIÓN CREATIVA

Nombre: \_\_\_\_\_ Grado: \_\_\_\_\_

Dirección de Casa: \_\_\_\_\_

Ciudad: \_\_\_\_\_ Zona Postal: \_\_\_\_\_

Teléfono: \_\_\_\_\_

Escuela: \_\_\_\_\_ Maestro: \_\_\_\_\_

**(Debe pagar este formulario detras de su ingreso)**

Favor de marcar una categoría:

a) **Escritura Creativa**

b) **Expresión Artística**

Envíe por correo:

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Fin de plazo - 23 de octubre!