

El Día de los Niños El Día de los Libros Children's Day/Book Day

Saturday, May 2 • 12:30 - 3 pm
Center City Park • Downtown Greensboro

FREE

Bilingual Fun
For Everyone!

A vibrant, colorful illustration depicting a joyful scene of children and a duck. In the center, a young boy with brown hair, wearing a brown vest over a white shirt and purple patterned pants, runs happily while holding several books. To his right, a young girl with dark hair, wearing a white shirt and a purple skirt, also runs joyfully, holding an open book. In the foreground, a white duck with a crown and glasses is walking. To the left, another child in a striped shirt and dark shorts runs with a book. The background is a warm, golden-yellow color with scattered confetti and a green parrot flying in the upper left. The overall atmosphere is festive and celebratory.

Music by West End Mambo
Salsa Dancing • Pet a Llama • Piñata
Poetry Reading by Pat Mora • Prizes • Face Painting
Food Vendors • Books • ArtQuest • Library Card Sign-Up
for more info and directions visit www.poetrygso.com

Illustration from the cover of *Book Fiesta* by Pat Mora • HarperCollins/Rayo • Illustrated by Rafael López

Award-Winning Poet & Author Pat Mora



Meet Pat Mora, award-winning poet and author of books for children and adults. Pat created El Día de los Niños/El Día de los Libros as an international celebration of childhood and bilingual literacy. In 2009, Dia will celebrate its 12th anniversary. The goal of the event is to:

- honor children
- promote literacy
- involve parents
- honor home languages

Pat is a popular national speaker shaped by the U.S.-Mexico border where she was born and spent much of her life. She speaks often at conferences, universities, and schools about her books, literacy, and leadership.

Enjoy an
afternoon of
family fun at
Center City Park
in Downtown
Greensboro!
200 North Elm Street



Dia Planning Team included representatives from: Guilford County Schools, Guilford Child Development, City Art/Parks & Recreation Department, Mental Health Association, Peruvian Association, Family Life Council, Moses Cone Health System, Art Quest/ Green Hill Center, artbeat, Center for New North Carolinians, Greensboro Public Library.



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