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Children's Day Celebration & Resource Fair Planned for Saturday

Evansville – More than 30 community organizations will be participating in the Día de los Niños (Children's Day) Celebration and Resource Fair this Saturday, April 26, from 10 a.m. – 2 p.m. at Stockwell Park. The event is hosted by Evansville Vanderburgh Public Library, Centro Latino + Americano, LIGA Link, and the Immigrant Welcome & Resource Center.

"This annual celebration began in Mexico and is a day that recognizes children, pays homage to their importance in society, and endorses their well-being," said Eric Ardell Smith, Community Outreach Specialist, EVPL. "This event also coincides with Día de los Libros (Book Day), which made this a particularly exciting hosting opportunity for EVPL."

Event partners include community organizations focused on well-being, learning, recreation, and fun for children and families. The event aims to introduce families to community resources and organizations and will include materials in several languages.

LIGA Link, the Tri-State Latino soccer league, will introduce children and families to Futsal, a fast-paced version of soccer played on a hard court. The Evansville Fire Department will have a fire truck on site for children to explore, and AMR will be present with an open ambulance and safety information. The Boom Squad will be performing around 1 p.m. Outdoor games, music, face painting and other free fun for children will be part of the event, and food trucks will have refreshments available for purchase.

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