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Press Release

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WHAT: California the Journey: Until You Walk a Mile

WHEN: October 21, 2017, 2:00 PM – 4:00 PM

WHERE: Bitwise Stadium, 700 Van Ness Avenue, Fresno

DETAILS: Fresno County Public Library (FCPL) will host a Story Jam at Bitwise Stadium on Saturday, October 21 from 2:00 PM – 4:00 PM. Members of the community have been invited to share the story of their journey to California.

This is the last part of a four part program called California the Journey. The program is supported by the California Center for the Book and with a grant from California Humanities. The goal is to engage our community in meaningful conversation and understanding about immigration as California is home to one of the most diverse populations in the country.

“Regardless of your background or where you came from, everybody has a unique story they can share,” states Kelley Landano, County Librarian.

Everyone who attends the Story Jam will receive a commemorative notebook. Complete a short survey and your name will be entered into a drawing to win a Kindle Paperwhite or a personal library of select books and DVDs.

A reception will follow the Story Jam and FCPL will have listening stations available for you to record your own story if you wish. To view the California Story, go to www.CaliforniaTheJourney.blogspot.com.

For further information, please call (559) 600-READ (7323) or visit the Library’s website at www.fresnolibrary.org.

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