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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE RELEASE DATE: **Aug. 16, 2015** CONTACT: Ruthie Retana (562) 463-3145

Rio Hondo College to Host Nearly 260 Families for First Year Family Night to Support Incoming College Students

WHAT: Rio Hondo College will host its second annual First Year Family Night to introduce the families of new students to the College community and provide them with avenues for offering support to the freshmen.

More than 400 people, representing almost 260 Rio Hondo College families, are expected for the event.

Presentations will be offered in English and Spanish

WHEN: Wednesday, Aug. 17

- 5 p.m.: Dinner, resource fair, Lower Quad
- 6 p.m.: Formal program greetings and remarks, Wray Theater
- 6:45 p.m.: English presentation, Wray Theater
- 6:45 p.m.: Spanish presentation, Rio Café
- 7:45 p.m.: Drawing for four, \$200 book vouchers

WHERE: Rio Hondo College, 3600 Workman Mill Road, Whittier

DETAILS: Topics include financial aid, student resources and ways to support students starting their first year of college.

Coverage and/or inclusion of this event in your calendar of events is welcome and greatly appreciated.

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