

## Family Celebration in Ecuador

Hello this is Jack reporting from the Annual Family Celebration in Quito, Ecuador. People are having a wonderful time. Most men are cooking a traditional dish called Fanesca. Some women are playing hide-and-seek with their children. The elderly are listening to old music and telling stories from the past.

I am here with Mario Velasco, the event organizer, and I want to ask him a couple of questions:

**Reporter:** Mario, how long is the event?

**Mario:** Well, it started yesterday at 7 am and it'll finish tomorrow at 9 pm with a concert.

**Reporter:** Is this event meaningful for Ecuadorian families?

**Mario:** Yes, absolutely. Just look at the people. They are laughing, dancing or just relaxing.

**Reporter:** Thank Mario for your time and for the event.

That is all for now. I am Jack Baker. Bye-bye.

How often does this celebration take place?

¿Cada cuánto toma lugar esta celebración?

- Once a month
- Once a year
- Every other year

How long is the event?

¿Cuánto tiempo es el evento?

- one day
- two days
- three days

What is "Fanesca"?

¿Qué es "Fanesca"?

- a typical Ecuadorian food
- a game
- a kind of music

Who is talking about the past?

¿Quiénes están hablando del pasado?

- The children
- The men
- The old people

What are the children doing?

¿Qué están haciendo los niños?

- they are eating.
- They are playing.
- They are cooking.

Who are Jack and Mario?

¿Quiénes son Jack y Mario?

- Jack is a reporter and Mario is the person who organized the event
- Jack is a tourist and Mario is the event organizer
- They are reporters