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On the 5th of April, the Small Grants Program sponsored the very popular local TV show called "Azmong Hai -e- Zehn" (Brain Contest Event). The event was implemented by the educational department of RTA. Five hundred people attended the program, which included 4 segments; informative, competitive, speed of action, and a theatre performance about the Candidate Nomination Period.

On 17th of April, the SGP sponsored a "Poetry Contest" between 3 girls' schools in Khushal Khan Town, District # 5 of Kabul city. An estimated 300 students and their parents had participated in this event where a Q&A contest was held.



On the 23rd of April, the Afghan Women's Education Organization implemented a women's gathering in the Reshkhor Area. About 120 people, both men and women, were in attendance. During the event, JEMB Commissioner Najla Ayubi gave a speech about the 2005 elections.

On the 27th of April, the Writers and Poets Association of Afghanistan implemented a poetry session at the Ministry of Information and Culture Press Hall. At this event, 200 audience members looked on as famous Afghan poets recited their creative works and the Deputy Minister of Information and Culture gave a speech about the 2005 elections.



On the 29th of April, a project titled "Electoral Awareness" was implemented by the Afghan Liberty Foundation. The event was held in the Dasht-e-Barchi district of Kabul City. Over 1100 people, both men and women, participated in this event. During this event, the Youth Theatre Group performed a skit regarding the 2005 elections.

On the 1st of May, a women's project was implemented by the Health Development Center for Afghan Women in Bagh-e-Zanana (the Women's Park). An estimated 200 women gathered for this event. The Students of Girls School conducted a theatrical performance covering elections topics for this event.



