



Eurovision 2024: Israel entrant Eden Golan booed at semi-final rehearsal

Description

Despite being booed during a dress rehearsal, Israel's Eurovision contestant, Eden Golan, says she will not be put off. She was rehearsing her song "Hurricane" in Sweden, ahead of the semi-finals. Golan says she is proud to represent her country.

Some people want to stop Israel from being in the contest due to the current war in the Middle East. However, the group running the event (the European Broadcasting Union) has said Israel can still compete.

Controversy has also arisen about Golan's original song "October Rain" that was switched to "Hurricane". Golan has also received threats, causing her to stay in her hotel room for safety.

Despite the controversy, the show must go on, as they anticipate political protests in Sweden during the contest.

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Vocabulary List:

1. **Contestant** // (noun): A person who competes in a competition or contest.
2. **Rehearsal** // (noun): Practice session to prepare for a performance.
3. **Represent** // (verb): To act or speak officially for someone or something.
4. **Controversy** // (noun): Disagreement or argument over a particular issue.
5. **Threats** // (noun): Statements of intent to harm or damage someone or something.
6. **Anticipate** // (verb): To expect or look ahead to something happening.

Vocabulary quizzes

Multiple Choice (Select the Correct answer for each question.)

1. What activity involves testing a hypothesis or trying out a new method?
Option: A. Protesting
Option: B. Experimenting
Option: C. Acquired
Option: D. Arrested
2. What type of film presents factual information about a subject?
Option: A. Threats
Option: B. Documentary
Option: C. Transparency
Option: D. Success
3. What term is used to describe a prolonged public dispute or debate?
Option: A. Contestant
Option: B. Controversy
Option: C. Represent
Option: D. Pledged
4. Which word refers to a single event or occurrence?
Option: A. Zero-tolerance
Option: B. Episode
Option: C. Transparency
Option: D. Intimidating
5. What are expressions of intent to cause harm or loss to another?
Option: A. Threats



- Option: B. Power dynamic
- Option: C. Clashed
- Option: D. Protests

6. What word means to stand for or act on behalf of someone or something?

- Option: A. Cancellation
- Option: B. Represent
- Option: C. Intimidating
- Option: D. Uncertain

7. What means expressions of objection or disapproval?

- Option: A. Rehearsal
- Option: B. Protests
- Option: C. Arrested
- Option: D. Acquired

8. What term describes a situation where the outcome is not known or guaranteed?

- Option: A. Subsequently
- Option: B. Uncertain
- Option: C. Intimidating
- Option: D. Acquired

9. What word means to buy or obtain something for oneself?

- Option: A. Success
- Option: B. Acquired
- Option: C. Disagreement
- Option: D. Transparent

10. What is the act of ending something previously planned or scheduled?

- Option: A. Threats
- Option: B. Public dispute
- Option: C. Cancellation
- Option: D. Zero-tolerance

Gap-Fill (Fill in the blanks with the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

11. The _____ presence of the security personnel made the protestors uneasy.
12. In the election campaign the candidate _____ to reduce unemployment by half.
13. After years of hard work the team finally achieved _____ in the latest competition.



14. He completed his studies and _____ started his own business.
15. The actors had a final _____ before the big performance.
16. The two political parties _____ over the proposed tax reforms.
17. Understanding the _____ in a relationship is crucial for effective communication.
18. The school has a _____ policy towards bullying to ensure a safe environment for all students.
19. The suspect was _____ by the police after the investigation.
20. The company promotes _____ in its operations to build trust with customers.

Matching Sentences (Match each definition to the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

21. Scientists study the vast expanse of space and everything in it known as the .
22. To expect or look forward to something is to its occurrence.
23. A conflict or argument resulting from opposing views is called a .
24. The act of expressing objection or disapproval often in a public manner is known as .
25. When customers return a product they may be eligible to receive their money back also known as being .
26. Achieving a positive outcome or reaching a desired goal is considered a .
27. The decision to call off or terminate an event or arrangement is a .
28. Operating in a way that allows others to see and understand what is happening is practicing .
29. When a company buys or gains possession of another business it has it.
30. An extended public dispute or debate over a matter of opinion can create a .



Answer

Multiple Choice: 1. B. Experimenting 2. B. Documentary 3. B. Controversy 4. B. Episode 5. A. Threats
6. B. Represent 7. B. Protests 8. B. Uncertain 9. B. Acquired 10. C. Cancellation

Gap-Fill: 11. intimidating 12. pledged 13. success 14. subsequently 15. rehearsal 16. clashed 17. power
dynamic 18. zero-tolerance 19. arrested 20. transparency

Matching sentence: 1. universe 2. anticipate 3. disagreement 4. protesting 5. refunded 6. success 7.
cancellation 8. transparency 9. acquired 10. controversy

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