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Grossmont College Hosts Fundraising Walk-a-Thon and Craft Fair

EL CAJON – Walk or run for a good cause to support Grossmont College’s Office Professional Training program, which has trained more than 2,200 people in its 26-year history.

The 5K Walk-a-Thon and Craft Fair will be held from 9 a.m. to noon April 13 on the Grossmont College campus. Registration for the Walk-a-Thon begins at 8:30 a.m. in parking lot 7. Each participant will be entered into a drawing for fabulous prizes.

Cost for registering the day of the event is \$25 for adults and \$3 for children. If you pre-pay, the cost is \$20 for adults and \$3 for children. Contact Mary Leslie at (619) 644-7533 or mary.leslie@gcccd.edu for more information.

The Craft Fair will feature a variety of vendors, including Scentsy, Cookie Lee Jewelry, Best Friend Craft Club, Selfridge Photography, GB Accessories, Kakini Leis and Treasures by Trish.

The goal is to raise \$2,000 for the OPT program, where students receive training in accounting, banking and financial services, insurance and office administrative support. OPT participants include low-income and at-risk students from a variety of age groups, socioeconomic levels and ethnic backgrounds, including laid-off workers, welfare recipients, single parents, homeless adults and the long-term unemployed.

Grossmont College is located at 8800 Grossmont College Drive in El Cajon. For driving directions and a campus map, visit “campus information” at www.grossmont.edu

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