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60 Men and Women to Graduate from Saddleback College’s Nursing Program in Pinning Ceremony

Mission Viejo, CA - On Tuesday, May 17th, 60 graduates of the Saddleback College Nursing Program will be honored with a traditional candlelight pinning ceremony held in McKinney Theatre at Saddleback College.

The ceremony will begin with a Class Remembrance Speech by graduating student Shaun Lampe. Saddleback College Professor Diane Pestolesi will then formally present the class as Professors Betsy Brewington and Michele Wolff honor each graduate with the time-honored nursing pin, a symbol of a nurse’s service to others, and their induction into the nursing profession.

Graduating student Christine Betts will present the class pledge, which will be followed by acknowledgements from the Nursing Program Director, Tammy Rice. Graduating student Sarah Carpenter will give the Farewell Address to represent the end of their journey as students and the beginning of their journeys as nurses.

Saddleback College Professors Candy Nelson and Carrie Danko, together with graduating student Rebecca Seo, will preside over a candle lighting ceremony, which has symbolized the passing of knowledge from one generation to the next since Florence Nightingale first brought enlightenment to the nursing profession in the 19th century.

The graduating class of Spring 2011 is proud to include:
(All listed in alphabetical order with their city)

Tania Allen, San Diego; Amanda Anderson, Newport Beach; Linda Bell, Kahului, Hawaii; Mary Dianne Bernardino, Mission Viejo; Christine Betts, Mission Viejo; Natalie Boehm, Westminster; Vanessa Bonapart, Fountain Valley; Frances Calayan, Irvine; Erin Carey, San Clemente; Sarah Carpenter, Long Beach; Armae Catacutan, Dana Point; Mey Chau, Irvine; Leslie Crane, Ladera Ranch; Michelle Danieli, Woodland Hills; Melissa Davis, Lake Forest; Jacquelyne Davison, Poway; Annie Dien, Costa Mesa; Corrie Eichler, Laguna Niguel; Katherine Eighan; Rancho Santa Margarita; Mercedeh Esmaeili, Irvine; Michael Fettis, Rancho Santa Margarita; Adrienne Fidel, Long Beach; Sherlene Gatdula, Monterey; Marla Giakas, Newport Beach; Victoria Fallon, Orange; Dana Jensen Gonzales, Laguna Beach; Neil Thomas Gormley, Aliso Viejo; Julie Guendling, Mission Viejo; Diana Hallett, Laguna Niguel; Deirdre Hazard, San Clemente; Mydzung Hoang, Santa Ana; Pamela Karl, Aliso Viejo; Brian Kinder, Rancho Santa Margarita; Erin Kuehl, Ketchikan, Alaska; Shaun Lampe, San Francisco; Teri Levin, San Juan Capistrano; Jennifer Linehan, Huntington Beach; Ryan Livesay, Laguna Niguel; Lauren Martinez, Santa Ana; Bonnie Mavi, Laguna Niguel; Matthew Meeker, Ladera Ranch; Truc Ngo, Irvine; Mary O’Connell, Santa Ana; Paola O’Meara, Lake Forest; Cari
Osland, Manito, Illinois; Amanda Peters, Rancho Santa Margarita; Nguyen (Ricky) Phan, Garden Grove; Lisa Pierini, Laguna Beach; Jennifer Pike, Laguna Niguel; Rebecca Seo, South Korea; Courtney Sinclair, Huntington Beach; Christy Swanson, San Juan Capistrano; Donna Leigh Talan, Mission Viejo; Sue Tan, Irvine; Nicole Teter, Huntington Beach; Michelle Tran, Anaheim; Ailin Vasseur, Huntington Beach; Brian Walker, Irvine; Pamela Ward, San Clemente; Erlina Widiyanto, Rancho Santa Margarita.

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