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EGYPTIAN ART WORKSHOP FOR KIDS AT RAFFMA

SAN BERNARDINO, Calif. — This summer, the best place for a kid to be a kid will be at RAFFMA.

“The Summer Egyptian Art Workshop for Kids,” hosted by the Robert and Frances Fullerton Museum of Art at Cal State San Bernardino, will be held July 18 and 19 from 9:30 a.m.-3 p.m.

The two-day workshop is an interactive learning experience where children will conduct a mock archeological dig, recreate an Egyptian tomb, learn how to write hieroglyphs, create wall paintings, learn about the culture and customs of the ancient Egyptians, create mummy masks and sculpt clay shabtis.

While getting a close look at the largest permanent public display of ancient Egyptian art in Southern California, kids will also learn how an object goes from an artifact found in Egypt to an item being displayed at a museum.

The workshop is open to all children ages 11-13. General admission cost is \$40. CSUSB faculty, staff, students, Alumni Association members and Friends of the Museum are eligible for a 25 percent discount. The price includes materials, lunch and drinks for both days.

For more information on the Summer Egyptian Art Workshop for Kids, visit the RAFFMA website at <http://raffma.csusb.edu>, or call Candace Parks at (909) 537-7783. Space is limited, so interested students should register immediately.

About RAFFMA

The Robert and Frances Fullerton Museum is a nationally recognized museum accredited by the American Association of Museums. It is the only accredited art museum in San Bernardino, RAFFMA has accumulated a permanent collection of nearly 1,200 objects focusing on Egyptian antiquities, ceramics and

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contemporary art. Located at Cal State San Bernardino, RAFFMA houses the largest permanent and public display of Egyptian art in Southern California.

General admission to the museum is free. Suggested donation is \$3. Parking at Cal State San Bernardino is \$5 per vehicle.

The museum is open Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Saturday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Thursday from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m.; and is closed Friday and Sunday. For more information, call (909) 537-7373 or visit the RAFFMA website at <http://raffma.csusb.edu>.

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