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BEAUTY BASH BY NORDSTROM — Hundreds of Nordstrom shoppers enjoy breakfast and complementary skincare consultations and learned about the latest trends in make-up and fragrance while waiting for the grand opening of the new Nordstrom.

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certificate and a commemorative golden apple in recognition of their completion of the first leg of the Teacher TRAC program.

Graduates from the program included Josephina Alvarez, Vanessa Andre, Jacqueline Anguiano, Nicole Bansberg, Michelle Bourret, Janet Choe, Karam Chung, Geysell Cisneros, Diana Echeverria, Taleeda Fleming, Ana Fletes, Angelica Godinez, Erika Hernandez, Abigail Jovel, Danielle Kimbrel, Christopher Lara, Laura Larios, Jose Leon, Antonio Lopez, Adriana Maldonado, Melissa Meza, Andrea Morales, Guadalupe Moran, Chavonne Mosqueda, Kelsie Nichols, Frank Nuno, Rebecca O'Connell, Linda Osibu, Patricia Perez, Roxana Prado, Monica Quintero, Sara Ramirez, Mary Ravindranathan, Mary Ann Rios, Yasmeen Rizk, Cecilia Rodriguez, Celena Roldan, David Roper, Kelly Ryan, Serena Sedillo, Amanda Signer, Melissa Sito, Anna Solis, Holly Stafford, Krystal Stanton, Christine Tamer, Stephanie Tello, Veronica Vazquez, Suzette Vega, Giovanna Ventura, and Maria Villalobos.

Scholarship awards were

also presented during the event. Ana Fletes, Rebecca O'Connell and Kelly Ryan each received an Eruditio Scholarship for \$1,000 each; Anthonio Lopez received the Esther Espinoza Scholarship in the amount of \$1,000, and Karam Chung received a \$1,000 Fred Gaskin Scholarship with a \$1,000 match

from CSULB.

Dr. O'Connor congratulated the students and thanked their family for the support in both English and Spanish.

Anita Maxon, a Teacher TRAC alumna from the class of 2002 and sixth year teacher in LAUSD, provided closing remarks and encouraged the class of 2010.

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from emerging and of the moment designers such as Elizabeth and James, Alice + Olivia and T by Alexander Wang; a Sunglasses Shop with eyewear by Roberto Cavalli, Bulgari and Oliver Peoples; and a David Yurman jewelry shop.

In addition to the great selection of clothing, accessories, cosmetics and footwear, Nordstrom at Los Cerritos Center offers a number of services to enhance the shopping experience. These amenities include a beauty studio in

Cosmetics (new to the store) for personalized skincare services, in-store alterations and tailor shop, certified bra and prosthesis fitters, complimentary gift boxes and Personal Stylist — a complimentary wardrobe and shopping service. The store will also feature two food offerings: Cafe Bistro (also new), a restaurant featuring bistro-style cuisine, and an espresso bar.

During the opening day activities started at 8:00 am with Nordstrom hosting a Beauty

Bash outside the store's mall entrance. Shoppers enjoyed complimentary skincare consultations and learned about the latest trends in makeup and fragrance. When the store opened at 10:00 am, more than 400 excited employees cheered enthusiastically to welcome customers through the doors.

Earlier in the week, Nordstrom underwrote and held an opening gala that raised more than \$75,000 for two local nonprofits: the Long Beach Museum of Art and the Community Family Guidance Center.

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