Be Aware Fair set for March 5 at RCC’s Redwood Campus

“Shedding Light on the Issues of Women in Society” is the title of the 2004 Be Aware Fair at Rogue Community College.

The annual gathering is scheduled from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. March 5 on the Redwood Campus, Grants Pass. The fair provides an opportunity to explore issues facing women and girls, with a strong emphasis on abuse and healing.

Workshops, which will also address empowerment and self-care, will be appropriate for college and high school students as well as teachers, community agency members, and the general public.

“An important goal of the conference is to understand each other's needs in an effort to create the best possible environment for continuing growth,” said organizer Alexa Priddy, an AmeriCorps member.

Registration fees are on a sliding scale of $5 to $20, and scholarships are available. When registering please include a check payable to the Moving On Scholarship Fund and mail to RCC Discovery Programs, 3345 Redwood Hwy., Grants Pass, OR 97527. Deadline for registration is Feb. 27.

Sponsoring the event are RCC Discovery Programs, Associated Students of RCC, Women’s Crisis Support Team, Asante Domestic Violence Program, and Illinois Valley Safe House Alliance. All proceeds from the Be Aware Fair registration fee will go to the Moving On Scholarship fund to provide resources for students to continue their education.

To register or for more information contact Alexa Priddy at apriddy@roguecc.edu or call 956-7323.

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