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## **KPC's Kenai River Campus hosts BAND-AID II fundraiser, hemp fiber fashion show and Celebration of the Arts**

The second annual BAND-AID II fundraiser to benefit the Kenai Senior Center, in conjunction with a runway fashion show of organic, hemp fiber original designs and the KRC Celebration of the Arts, will be held from 4-10 p.m., Saturday, May 3 at the Kenai River Campus in Soldotna. Organization of the multi-faceted event is the result of collaboration between the Phi Theta Kappa honor society, the KPC Showcase and the Art Students' League Association.

The Celebration of the Arts begins at 5 p.m. in the Brockel building with a presentation by art professor Celia Anderson titled, "KPC Arts at a Glance." Immediately following will be the. The annual student art exhibit currently on display in the gallery will be featured and honored with a closing reception bringing the artists together to interact with instructors and art aficionados. There will also be an exhibition of the Senior Portrait Project and a walking tour of the permanent art installations will be given with the dedication of informational plaques for each piece.

The runway fashion show of organic, hemp fiber original designs by Susan Evans, owner of Mountain Momma Originals, will begin at 4 p.m. in the Ward building. The

fundraising concert event of the evening, BAND-AID II, will feature popular local musicians donating their talents to benefit the Kenai Senior Center. The concert begins at 6 p.m. in the Ward Building and a \$10 donation is suggested at the door. A number of door prizes, including a custom garment donated by Susan Evans, will be awarded during the show. As part of the fundraising efforts, the BAND-AID II event has produced t-shirts that will be available at the concert.

The public can make donations for the fundraiser (door prizes, cash, or in-kind) by contacting Diane Taylor at 262-0328. Questions regarding the Celebration of the Arts activities can be directed to Celia Anderson at 262-0361.