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KINDERGARTEN DIRECTOR LEAVES POST

Nancy Rabensteine, director of Robbin's Nest Preschool and Kindergarten, will be leaving her post at the end of this month to move closer to her mother and stepfather in Laverne, Calif.

There will be an open house in her honor from 4 to 6 p.m. Friday at the preschool, 2912 Honolulu Ave., La Crescenta.

Rabensteine was born and grew up in La Crescenta. She has been a pillar of the community and is very well known by the businesses, and the people who live here, said Michelle Kurtz, owner and administrator of Robbin's Nest.

Rabensteine started as a student teacher at Robbins' Nest in 1983. She received her bachelor's degree in child development from Cal State Northridge, became a teacher and has been the director of the school for more than 15 years.

In addition, she teaches Early Childhood Education classes at Glendale Community College in the evenings. She did not just run Robbin's Nest, she also always made sure she gave back to the community by always using vendors/businesses in the area, was always there for the parents, their children, and the community as a whole, Kurtz said.

STUDENTS RECEIVE COLLEGE RECOGNITION

Armine Khachaturova of Glendale graduated from Springfield College with a Bachelor of Science degree in human services.

Daniel H. Adams of La Crescenta graduated from Colby College, receiving a Bachelor of Arts degree in sociology.

Adams is the son of **Thomas and Karen Adams** of La Crescenta and a Crescenta Valley High School graduate.

His honors include Chorale Trip, Dean's List, Distinction in major, Phi Beta Kappa, Summa Cum Laude.

Justin B. Howard of Glendale graduated from Gonzaga University in Washington with a Bachelor of Arts in broadcast and electronic media.

Kahee Park was named to the dean's list at Northeastern University in Boston. Park is majoring in international affairs.

Kristin Chan of Glendale, daughter of Dr. **Osmund T. Chan** and **Terry D. Chan**, was named to the dean's list of Emory College, the undergraduate, liberal arts college of Emory University in Atlanta.

Laura Mart of Glendale was named to the dean's list at Washington University in St. Louis. The graduate of Immaculate Heart High School in Los Angeles is enrolled in the College of Art in the