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‘Dia de los Muertos’ OC student art exhibit now open

ODESSA (Oct. 13, 2008) – Odessa College drawing students will display their annual

“Dia de los Muertos,” a comprehensive exhibition of “Day of the Dead” images.

The works include complex pattern color marker “calavera” (skulls), dancing colorful skeletons and reproductions of “Day of the Dead” traditional folk art images .

“Dia de los Muertos” has been celebrated for at least 3,000 years. Just in time for Halloween, this colorful exhibition is open now through Friday, Oct. 31 in the north foyer of Sedate Hall at Odessa College. Gallery hours are from 8 a.m. to 9 p.m., Monday through Thursday and 8 a.m. until 1 p.m. Friday. For more information please contact Barry Phillips, the elder, art instructor at 335-6785.