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- PAA and PGA available for faculty and staff participation.

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HERITAGE MONTH CELEBRATION

June 2006

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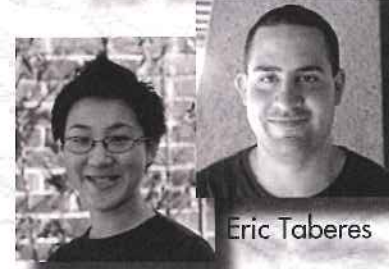
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Comedian



Religious Panel
Rabbi Mychal Copeland



Drag Contest & Plaza Party



AIDS Awareness
Alexander & Jane Nakatani



San Jose Gay Pride Parade

FILM FESTIVAL SERIES



Rent



Connie & Carla



Brokeback Mountain


Week One: June 1-4**Thursday, June 1****Official Opening Ceremony:****Lecture Series I: Jane & Alexander Nakatani**

Join Japanese-American parents Jane and Alexander Nakatani as they share a story of loss. After losing one son to murder and two sons to AIDS, the Nakatani's story is told in the book and film *Honor Thy Children* that illustrates their amazing transformation of loss and tragedy into hope and inspiration to create public awareness. Their mission is also realized by non-profit organization, Honor Thy Children. For more information, access www.honorthychildren.com. Co-sponsored by Health Services Office.

Lecture: 10 a.m.–Noon, Room 3523

Reception: Noon–1 p.m., Room 6601
Japanese Cultural Center

Friday, June 2**Gay Film Festival I: Rent**

Rent, the musical that revolutionized Broadway comes to the big screen. A rock musical based on Puccini's classic opera *La Boheme*, *Rent*, starring Tracie Thoms and Rosario Dawson, tells the story of a group of bohemians struggling with the AIDS epidemic, poverty, drugs, not selling their art, and trying to pay the rent. See the Pulitzer Prize-winning story about friends trying to "measure their lives in love." Free refreshments.

Time: Noon–2 p.m.

Location: Room 5942

Week Two: June 5-11**Wednesday, June 7****Foothill Student Discussion: Out on Campus**

Join members of Foothill's Gay-Straight Alliance for a discussion of the current state of lesbian/gay/bisexual and transgender acceptance on our campus. Foothill Speech Instructor Shawn Townes and students enrolled in Foothill speech communication classes host the presentation.

Time: 10 a.m.–Noon

Location: Krause Center for Innovation
(Room 4002)

Jen Kober: Comedian

Join us for a break from the serious with Jen's hilarious comedy. Her powerful performance weaves together a Southern-style musical tale of love lost at the buffet, road trip adventures at The Waffle House, and midnight mishaps at Wal-Mart. She has performed with a variety of comedians, including Damon Wayans, Chris Tucker, Wayne Brady, Kevin Pollack, Dana Carvey, Paul Provenza and Sinbad. Free refreshments.

Time: Noon–1 p.m. (College Hour)

Location: Library Quad

Got Holes? Body Modification Within the Gay Community

A symposium addressing both the history of, and present controversy surrounding piercing and body modification pertaining to the gay community. This event will feature Fakir Musafar, who is regarded as the father of the modern body piercing movement. He will speak as well as address audience questions. This event may not be suitable for children. Free refreshments.

Time: 7–8:30 p.m.

Location: Appreciation Hall (Room 1501)

Thursday, June 8**Speech & Debate Team: Open Mic**

We hear about controversial "gay" topics in the news, but it's often being spun by politicians. At this event, students from Foothill's award-winning Speech & Debate Team will present material relevant to the LGBT community. Co-sponsored by Speech & Debate Team. Free refreshments.

Time: 1:30–2:30 p.m.

Location: Room 1219

Friday, June 9**Gay Film Festival II: Connie & Carla**

Nia Vardalos and Toni Collette star in *Connie & Carla* as two struggling Chicago dinner theater performers who accidentally witness a mafia hit. The pair subsequently hit the road and end up pretending to be men pretending to be women. *Connie & Carla* is the comedy that proves if you follow your dream, there's no telling what you'll become. Free refreshments.

Time: Noon–2 p.m.

Location: Room 5942

Sunday, June 11**2006 San Jose Gay Pride Festival & Parade "Loud & Proud"**

Join the Gay-Straight Alliance in marching in San Jose's 31st Annual Gay Pride Parade. The day begins with the parade and continues with top entertainers performing throughout the day at the festival grounds. Parade check-in begins at 9 a.m. sharp. Parade begins at 11 a.m.

Time: 9 a.m.–Noon

Location: San Jose Victory Parking Lot,
64 N. Market Street, San Jose

Week Three: June 12-16**Wednesday, June 14****Lecture Series II: Gay Professional Panel**

Ever wonder if gay professionals have different experiences in the work place than you have? Do they enter the same careers that you do? Do they receive the same treatment? Join us to discuss what it's like for gay professionals in the real world. Foothill Speech Instructor Shawn Townes and students enrolled in Foothill speech communication classes host the presentation.

Time: 10–11 a.m.

Location: Krause Center for Innovation (Room 4002)

Gay Day: "Drag" Contest, Plaza Party & Closing Ceremony

Foothill students, faculty and staff compete in the 2nd annual Foothill College Drag Contest. Prizes will be awarded to all participants with big money for first, second and third place winners. Sign up at the Student Activities Office. Be part of Foothill's Gay Day and celebrate diversity under the summer sun. Straight/Lesbian/Gay/Bisexual/Transgender/Queer/Questioning/Everybody is invited.

Time: Noon–1 p.m. (College Hour)

Location: Library Quad

Thursday, June 15**Religious Perspectives: Panel & Discussion**

Is your religion accepting of gays? What does your religion's scripture or text actually say about homosexuality, acceptance and tolerance? Join us for a panel discussion on how different religions view homosexuality. Free refreshments. Co-sponsored by Jews, Israelies & Friends at Foothill (JIFF)

Time: Noon–1 p.m.

Location: Library Quad Tent

Friday, June 16**Gay Film Festival III: Brokeback Mountain**

Winner of three Oscars and starring Heath Ledger and Jake Gyllenhaal, *Brokeback Mountain* explores the lives of two young men, a ranch hand and a rodeo cowboy, who meet in the summer of 1963 and unexpectedly forge a lifelong connection. The complications, joys and heartbreak they experience provide a testament to the endurance and power of love. Free refreshments.

Time: Noon–2 p.m.

Location: Room 6502

Additional Bay Area Events**San Jose Pride Parade**

www.sjgaypride.com

San Francisco AIDS/Lifecycle

www.aidslifecycle.org

San Francisco AIDS Walk

www.aidswalk.net

San Francisco Gay Pride Parade

www.sfpride.org

Community Resources**Billy De Frank Lesbian/Gay****Community Center**

www.defrank.org

Gay-Straight Alliance Network

www.gsanetwork.org

Planet Out

www.planetout.com

Admission is free to all events.

