

**ONGOING EXHIBIT & DISPLAY
JUNE 2-20**

AIDS/Bashing Graveyard

Conceived and designed by Foothill's Gay/Straight Alliance in memory of individuals who have been murdered due to their sexual identity ("bashed"), as well as those who have committed suicide due to discrimination and despair, and those who have died of AIDS. Special dedication given this year to Gwen Araujo, a transgender teen murdered in Newark, California in October of 2002.

Location: Cesar Chavez Plaza Area
FREE ADMISSION

MASK Project

In cooperation with the Foothill Art Department and the Gay/Straight Alliance, students are invited to create unique masks, an art form which conceals and reveals one's true identity.

Location: Wired Cafe
FREE ADMISSION

Gay/Lesbian Literature Displays

Books and other publications by a wide array of Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender authors will be on display, featuring Heritage Month guest authors and works by authors featured in professor Paul Starer's English 5, "Gay and Lesbian Literature" during 2003 Fall quarter.

Location: Campus Center and Foothill Bookstore
FREE ADMISSION

BAY AREA EVENTS

San Francisco AIDS/Lifecycle

info at www.aidslifecycle.org

San Francisco AIDS Walk

info at www.aidswalk.net

San Francisco Gay Pride Parade

info at www.sfpride.org

San Jose Pride Parade

info at www.sjgaypride.com

For additional driving and parking information access www.foothill.edu for event information, call (650) 949-7540, or access www.foothill.edu/clubs/gay-straight

COMMUNITY RESOURCES

Billy De Frank Lesbian/Gay Community Center

www.defrank.org

Gay/Straight Alliance Network

www.gsanetwork.org

Parents and Friends of Lesbians and Gays

www.pflag.com

Planet Out

www.planetout.com

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(Film)

Al & Jane Nakatani



Debra Davis

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**GAY/LESBIAN/
BISEXUAL/TRANSGENDER
HERITAGE MONTH
CELEBRATION
June, 2003**



Created by David Shabtai

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Week One: June 2-6

Monday, June 2

Opening Day Speaker: Transgender Educator Debra Davis

Debra Davis worked as a public school librarian in Minnesota for 29 years before revealing her transgender (male-to-female) identity. Remarkably, her students and colleagues greeted her transformation with acceptance and understanding. Currently Debra is Executive Director of the Gender Education Center in Minnesota.

Time: 10 a.m.–Noon

Location: Room 3525

FREE ADMISSION

Opening Day Luncheon

Lecture and discussion, featuring Debra Davis, will be followed by a luncheon.

Time: Noon–1 p.m.

Location: Room 1301

FREE ADMISSION

Tuesday, June 3

Parents and Friends of Lesbians and Gays Panel Discussion

Local representatives of the nation's largest gay rights organization will discuss their experiences as parents, family members, and friends of gay/lesbian/bisexual/transgender children.

Discussion facilitated by Shawn Townes' Foothill Speech Communication classes.

Time: 9 a.m.–Noon

Location: Room 3525

FREE ADMISSION

Wednesday, June 4

Fun in the Sun Health Festival

Join students from Foothill's Gay/Straight Alliance in supporting Health Services during Foothill's annual health fair. There will be crucial information about AIDS and STD prevention available.

Time: 11 a.m.–1 p.m.

Location: Cesar Chavez Plaza

FREE ADMISSION

Thursday, June 5

Gay Games

Students from Foothill's Gay/Straight Alliance will host a carnival-like assortment of games, contests, and semi-silly sporting events, including a Dance Machine.

Time: 11 a.m.–1 p.m.

Location: Cesar Chavez Plaza

FREE ADMISSION

Casino 'N Comedy Extravaganza

The Associated Students of Foothill will host an evening of excellence and enchantment in honor of graduating and transferring students. Comedy Sportz performance, Casino Games, prizes, food and fun.

Tickets: \$6 for Foothill Graduates & Transfer Students

\$8 General Admission

\$7 with OwlCard

Time: 6–9:30 p.m.

Location: Campus Center Main Dining Room

Information: (650) 949-7282 or visit the Student Activities Office

Friday, June 6

Gay Comedy Film Festival

Hilarious video clips from the kings and queens of gay comedy, including Eddie Izzard, Margaret Cho, and Ellen Degeneres.

Time: 10 a.m.–1 p.m.

Location: Campus Center Lounge

FREE ADMISSION

Week Two: June 9-13

Monday, June 9

Lecture & Discussion: Catfish and Mandala Author Andrew Pham

Winner of the prestigious Whiting Award, former Foothill-De Anza student Andrew Pham's book *Catfish and Mandala* traces his search for the lost memories of his family's life in Vietnam and America, including the emerging transgender identity of his older sister Chi.

Time: 10 a.m.–Noon

Location: Room 3525

FREE ADMISSION

Andrew Pham Reception

Lecture presentation and discussion, featuring Andrew Pham, will be followed by a reception. Refreshments will be provided.

Time: Noon–1 p.m.

Location: Room 3525

FREE ADMISSION

Tuesday, June 10

Foothill Student discussion: Out on Campus

Join members of Foothill's Gay/Straight Alliance for a candid discussion on the current state of gay/lesbian/bisexual and transgender acceptance on our campus, hosted by professor Shawn Townes' speech communication classes.

Time: 9 a.m.–Noon

Location: Room 3525

FREE ADMISSION

Wednesday, June 11

Third Annual Drag Show

This year's gender-bending extravaganza will feature male impersonators (drag kings) and female impersonators (drag queens) in a traditional lip-synching pageant of passion. If you've only seen drag performers in hit films such as *Priscilla Queen of the Desert*, *To Wong Foo, Torch Song Trilogy*, or *The Bird-cage*, this is your chance to

experience these fabulous illusionists live.

Time: Noon–1 p.m.

Location: Campus Center Main Dining Room

Admission: \$3 General Admission

\$2 with OwlCard

Thursday, June 12

Campus Lobby Day

Foothill's Gay/Straight Alliance invites everyone to join us supporting the ASFC's political awareness activities. Let's fight the proposed cuts in community college funding. For information call (650) 949-7282 or visit the Student Activities Office

March

Time: 10 p.m.

Location: Cesar Chavez Plaza

Main Event

Time: 10:30–11:20 a.m.

Location: Smithwick Theatre

Reception

Time: 11:20 a.m.–12:30 p.m.

Location: Toyon Room

FREE ADMISSION

Friday, June 13

Honors Program Lecture on "Queer Theory"

Back by popular demand, straight students transferring to four year colleges agree that Foothill English Professor Scott Lankford's fascinating 50-minute introduction to Queer Theory is indispensable. Come find out about the new cutting-edge field of inquiry in the humanities

Time: Noon–1 p.m.

Location: Room 3525

FREE ADMISSION

Week Three: June 16-20

Monday, June 16

Lecture/Discussion featuring Al and Jane Nakatani

As Japanese-American parents raising a family in Hawaii, Al and Jane lost two of their sons to AIDS and a third son was murdered. Today they spend much of their lives educating others on the urgent need for acceptance, understanding, and compassion. Come and hear the unforgettable story of a true family tragedy. More information at www.honorthychildren.com.

Time: 10 a.m.–Noon

Location: Room 3525

FREE ADMISSION

Al & Jane Nakatani Reception

Lecture & discussion, featuring Al and Jane Nakatani, will be followed by a reception. Refreshments will be provided.

Time: Noon–1 p.m.

Location: Room 1301

FREE ADMISSION

Tuesday, June 17

Lesbian/Gay Parents Panel Discussion

Ever wondered what life is like for lesbian or gay parents raising their kids in families with "two mommies" or "two daddies?" Come hear the true-life stories of four local parents who have successfully raised their kids in the Bay Area. Discussion hosted by Shawn Townes' Speech Communication Classes.

Time: 9 a.m.–Noon

Location: Room 3525

FREE ADMISSION

"Trembling Before God": Judaism & Homosexuality

Join members of Foothill's Jewish Student Union for a screening of the award-winning documentary film examining the lives of gay Orthodox Jews in Israel.

Time: Noon–1 p.m.

Location: Campus Center Lounge

FREE ADMISSION

Wednesday, June 18

Third Annual Plaza Party

Join members of Foothill's Gay/Straight Alliance for a wild and whacky outdoor party featuring local dance groups, smoothies, cotton candy, popcorn, and plenty of surprises—including a DJ from WILD 94.9 FM!

Time: 11 a.m.–1 p.m.

Location: Cesar Chavez Plaza

FREE ADMISSION

Thursday, June 19

Transgender Film Festival

Three award-winning documentary films examine the realities of transgender life worldwide: Academy Award-winner *Boys Don't Cry*, all-time Australian comedy film favorite *Priscilla, Queen of the Desert*, and everyone's favorite German transsexual rockstar in *Hedwig and the Angry Inch*.

Time: 10 a.m.–1 p.m.

Location: Campus Center Main Dining Room

FREE ADMISSION

Friday, June 20

Closing Ceremony & Masked March

To mark the end of the Month, join members of Foothill's GSA for a silent masked march across campus, using the special masks created by Foothill Art Department classes for this year's celebration. The purpose is to protest the discrimination, violence, and hatred faced by many members of our community, and to celebrate the emerging identities of all those who have gained freedom, acceptance, and survival. Masks are provided!

Time: Noon–1 p.m.

Location: March Begins at Owl's Nest

FREE ADMISSION