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CSU Next Steps Workshop

CSU East Bay is hosting a free workshop to walk students through the next steps in the CSU application process on Thursday, April 7 at 12 noon in Toyon, room 2020. Important deadlines, financial aid, and other items will be discussed. Advanced signup is required and available on the Transfer Center website.



Foothill Screening Documentary Featuring Undocumented Students

Foothill is hosting a screening of *Don't Tell Anyone (No Le Digas a Nadie)*, a 75-minute documentary that chronicles the journeys of undocumented students on Wednesday, April 13 at 6 p.m. in the Smithwick Theatre. Called a celebration of inclusion and diversity, *Don't Tell Anyone (No Le Digas a Nadie)* focuses on Angy Rivera, who since age four, has lived in the U.S. with a secret that threatens to upend her life: she is undocumented. Just 24 years old when the film was made, Rivera, from Colombia, becomes an activist for undocumented youth with a popular advice blog and YouTube channel. Following the film, a panel discussion will take place. Admission is free with your RSVP.



Spring Graduation Deadline: May 1

The deadline to petition for spring graduation is Sunday, May 1. If you intend to graduate, you're responsible for scheduling a required 30-minute petition consultation with a Foothill counselor. Appointments may be scheduled online or via phone.



Need Help Filing Your Taxes?

The deadline to file taxes is coming up soon—Monday, April 18! You may be eligible for free tax preparation assistance through the Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) program. If you made less than \$13,870 last year, you may be eligible for the California Earned Income Credit. Made more than \$13,870? You may still qualify for the federal Income Tax Credit. Visit the CalEITC4Me website to find out if you are eligible and how to claim the tax credits for free!



Help Us Pick a New College President

Foothill College is searching for a new president and wants your input! Students are invited to attend a series of forums, April 12-14 at 3 p.m. in the Hearthside Lounge. Attendees will have a chance to meet the three finalists, ask questions, and provide input. The forums will also stream live via the Foothill College website.



Join a Club – You Know You Want To!

Clubs are a valuable part of your college experience – meet new friends, experience new activities, and boost your resume! Talk to club members from more than 50 student clubs at Club Day on Wednesday, April 20 and Thursday, April 21 from 12 noon – 1 p.m. on the Library Quad. Free food will be served!



Audition Now for Global Gala

The Associated Students are hosting auditions for the annual Global Gala, a student showcase celebrating Foothill's cultural diversity. If you are interested in performing, make plans to attend one of the following auditions:

- Wednesday, April 6, 2–5 p.m., Hearthside Lounge
- Tuesday, April 7, 2–5 p.m., Hearthside Lounge
- Wednesday, April 8, 2–5 p.m., Hearthside Lounge
- Monday, April 11, 2–5 p.m., Hearthside Lounge
- Tuesday, April 12, 2–5 p.m., Campus Center Plaza
- Wednesday, April 13, 2–5 p.m., Campus Center Plaza



Need Help? Visit the Teaching & Learning Center

It's the beginning of a new quarter and you are struggling with some of your classes. The Teaching & Learning Center (TLC) can help! Students needing assistance can make a free, 20-minute, one-on-one tutoring session with one of the center's many faculty members! The TLC is located in Parking Lot 5 (room 5999) and is open five days a week. Call or go online to schedule an appointment.



Oral Cancer Awareness Walk

Dental hygiene students are hosting their Fifth Annual Oral Cancer Awareness Walk on Saturday, April 9 on the college track. Every day more than 100 people in the U.S. are diagnosed with oral cancer, with the fastest growing number of cases occurring in young adults who are non-smokers. Early detection increases survival rates to 80–90 percent. Walkers can drop in for a few laps or stay for the whole event. Each lap is one-quarter mile. Complimentary refreshments and T-shirts will be provided to all registered participants. Register online at the events calendar.



Get Involved! Run for an ASFC Office

Interested in getting more involved with the college? Associated Student elections are just around the corner. Candidates must file an application no later than Thursday, April 21 and elections will take place during the first week of May. Available positions range from president and student trustee to senator and vice president of athletics. For more information, visit the Campus Life section of the college website.



ASFC Welcomes New Students to Campus

The Associated Students are hosting a Week of Welcome (WOW) during the first week of the spring quarter, April 4-7. Between 8 a.m. – 1 p.m., representatives will be throughout campus handing out snacks, campus maps, and other helpful information. Evening students can take advantage of the help on Monday and Tuesday evenings, from 4:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.



Asian Pacific Islander Heritage Month

April is Asian Pacific Islander Month and Foothill College is celebrating with a series of events. Join ASFC on Wednesday, April 6 at 12 noon in the Library Quad for a luau featuring a free lunch, scavenger hunt, and Polynesian dance performance. The celebration will conclude with an Indonesian Food Festival on Saturday, April 30 from 12 noon – 4 p.m. in the Campus Dining Room. Check the events calendar for a full list of activities.



Eco Pass

Foothill students are eligible for an Eco Pass/ Clipper Card, which gives you unlimited rides on VTA buses and light rail in Santa Clara County. You must be enrolled in the current quarter, live in Santa Clara County, and have paid all of your registration fees. To get a card, visit the ASFC Smart Shop (Room 2016).



Get Discounts with Your Owl Card

Show your OwlCard student ID to get great discounts in the cafeteria, Design Center and Smart Shop, as well as reduced admission to Foothill theatre performances and athletic events, and discounted movie tickets. To get your OwlCard, visit the Smart Shop (room 2016) with your registration receipt and photo ID.



An Evening with Author Frances Dinkelspiel

Foothill is hosting an evening with author Frances Dinkelspiel, author of *Tangled Vines: Greed, Murder, Obsession, and an Arsonist in the Vineyards of California*, on Wednesday, April 27 at 5:30 p.m. in the Lohman Theatre. Tickets are \$50 and include a book signing and reception. All proceeds will benefit student scholarships. To RSVP, visit the events calendar.



Events Calendar

For a full listing of events, visit foothill.edu/events.



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