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Lessons from the WWII Japanese American Internment

Civil rights attorney Dale Minami headed the legal team that overturned the conviction of Fred Korematsu, whose defiance of the World War II Japanese American internment order was upheld in *Korematsu v. United States*, one of the most controversial U.S. Supreme Court decisions of the 20th century. Minami will speak Monday, April 24, 12-1:30 p.m. in Appreciation Hall after a screening of excerpts from the documentary “Fight for Justice: The Coram Nobis Cases.”



Psychological Services Provides Drop-In Counseling

Psychological Services is offering drop-in counseling for students who do not already see a counselor and need referrals, safety checks, or other non-emergency assistance. Drop-in times are noon-1 p.m. Monday-Thursday. Psychological Services is located in Campus Center, Room 2120. For more information, call 650.949.7910.



Asian Pacific Islander Heritage Month

April is Asian Pacific Islander Heritage Month and Foothill is celebrating with a series of events. The college will host a yoga workshop and a lecture series featuring influential thinkers in a variety of fields. Refreshments will be served at most events. Check the events calendar for specific days and times.

Walk for Oral Cancer Awareness

The Dental Hygiene program is hosting its sixth annual fundraiser walk for oral cancer research and awareness on Saturday, April 29, 9 a.m. to noon at the stadium. Participants can stay for a few laps or the whole mile. Online pre-registration fees are \$15 for students. See foothill.edu for registration information.



Resources for Students in Need

The college food pantry is located in the Student Affairs Office (Room 2002). Students can make an appointment to visit Monday-Thursday from 8 a.m.-4 p.m. and Friday from 8 a.m.-3 p.m.

Homeless youth up to age 25 may receive immediate assistance from the Bill Wilson Drop-In Center, located at 693 S. 2nd St. in San Jose. The Drop-In Center provides meals, showers, laundry and case management, as well as a respite program for overnight stays.



Need Help? Visit the Teaching & Learning Center

The start of a new quarter can be tough. The Teaching & Learning Center is here to help! TLC offers free one-on-one tutoring sessions for all classes and group workshops on different study skills. Visit foothill.edu/tlc for more info or call 650.949.7444.



Spring Into Success with a CAP Workshop

The Community Ambassador Program (CAP) is hosting a series of workshops this quarter that focus on the many programs and services available for Foothill students. Interested in the Fine Arts & Communication Division? Attend their workshop on April 19, 1:30-2:30 in Room 2149. Want to learn more about the Umoja learning community? Stop by Room 2149 on April 26, 1:30-2:30. Check the events calendar for additional days and times.



Join a Club (Or Start Your Own)!

Clubs are a great way to meet new friends and enhance your college experience. Foothill has more than 50 student clubs. Get to know them at Club Day on Wednesday, April 19 and Thursday, April 20 from 12-1 in the Library Quad. Refreshments will be served.



Common Application Group Sessions

Learn about the admissions requirements for each college or university you're applying to. The Transfer Center is hosting small Common Application group sessions throughout the quarter. Advance sign-up is required – visit foothill.edu/transfer.



Visiting College Representatives

Representatives from several public and private universities will be on campus this month, including UC Berkeley and Pace University in New York City. In some cases, advance sign-up is required. Check the Transfer Center website for days and times.



Need Help Filing Your Taxes?

The deadline to file taxes is Tuesday, April 18. Don't wait until the last minute! You could be eligible for free tax-filing assistance through the Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) program. You may also be eligible for the California Earned Income Credit or the federal Income Tax Credit. Visit <http://caleitc4me.org/> to check your eligibility and see if you can get some cash back in your pockets.

RUN FOR ASFC

The Associated Students of Foothill College (ASFC) are looking for new leaders! Elections are coming this spring for the following positions: President, Student Trustee, VP of Finance, VP of Senate, VP of Administration, VP of Activities, VP of the Inter Club Council and Senators. Applications are available now in the ASFC offices (Campus Center, Room 2011) or can be downloaded from foothill.edu/campuslife/election. For more information, drop in or email asfcpres@foothill.edu. Applications are due Tuesday, April 18.

Second Spring Registration Starts April 24

This spring, Foothill is offering you another chance to enroll in spring classes -- helping you fit college into your busy life! Six-week, accelerated second spring courses are a smart way to earn credits. Many general education, online, prerequisite and career education courses will begin Monday, May 22. Registration starts April 24, but you can window shop using the online class schedule at foothill.edu/schedule.



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 and have paid all of your registration fees. To get a card, visit the ASFC Smart Shop (Room 2016).



Get Discounts with Your OwlCard

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).



Pedestrian Safety

For your safety, please avoid walking along the loop road at any time. Use the designated walkways and crosswalks to get to your destination.



Events Calendar

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



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