# LATINO HERITAGE MONTH

Reconocimiento: Latino Graduation Celebration Date: Thursday, June 23 Time: 5:30 p.m. Location: Campus Center Dining Room (Room 2201)

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You are never strong enough that you don't need help.

- Cesar Chavez

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#### Immigration Reform: March & Rally

March through Mountain View to build awareness and gather support for community leaders who are advocating immigration reform. To ensure that the community sees us as a unified group, bring American flags to respectfully display and wear white clothing. Following the 4.7-mile march, our group will return to Rengstorff Park to hold a rally featuring remarks from Mountain View Mayor Patricia Showalter, Foothill College student Estephania Maupome and other honored guests.

Date: Sunday, May 1 Time: 4–6:30 p.m.

Location: Rengstorff Park, 201 S. Rengstorff Avenue, Mountain View

#### Opening Ceremony: ¡Sí Se Puede!

You've likely heard of César Chavez, but what do you really know about this famous American farm worker, labor leader and civil rights activist? Learn about this historic icon and enjoy a cultural performance by Ballet Folklorico Costa de Oro. Complimentary refreshments.

Date: Tuesday, May 3 Time: 12 noon – 1 p.m. Location: Campus Center Dining Room (Room 2201)

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#### College Hour: May the Fourth Be With You, Si Se Puede!

Latino Heritage Month partners with Foothill's Student Services Division to provide cultural cuisine for the May the Fourth Be With You family event. As part of the worldwide celebration of the Star Wars saga, Foothill's event will bring "younglings" on campus for fun, Jedi-inspired activities. Complimentary refreshments.

Date: Wednesday, May 4 Time: 12 noon-1 p.m. Location: Campus Center Plaza (adjacent to the bookstore)

#### Voice Your Vote: Political Panel

The upcoming presidential election is important for all Americans, including Latinos in the U.S., so we're encouraging students, faculty and staff to register to vote. To keep our politicians accountable and ensure adequate representation, our goal is to increase the turnout of college students at the polls. Attend this nonpartisan, respectful event to learn more about the candidates and the elections process so that you can make informed decisions when you vote. Cosponsored by the Foothill College Community Ambassador Program (CAP). Complimentary refreshments. Date: Thursday, May 5 Time: 11 a.m. -1 p.m.

Location: Campus Center Hearthside Lounge (Room 2313)

#### Lecture Series I: Flor Y Canto

Listen to provocative verse from award-winning poets, Leticia Hernandez and Joseph Rios. Leticia Hernandez, a local author from the Mission in San Francisco, will read from her latest book, *Mucha Muchacha*. A Fresno native, Rios will read from his two forthcoming books, *The Opening Bell* and *Shadowboxing: Poems and Impersonations*. Bring your own poetry or poems by your favorite poet to read at our open mic, too! Complimentary refreshments. Date: Wednesday, May 11 Time: 10 a.m. -12 noon

Location: Campus Center Hearthside Lounge (Room 2313)

#### College Hour: Mental Health Awareness Fair

Did you know that more than 43 million adults, age 18 and older, have been diagnosed with a mental illness, and of those diagnosed, more than 15 percent are Hispanic\*? As part of National Mental Health Month, learn more about community mental health resources, play interactive games and expand your own mental health awareness. Co-sponsored by Foothill Psychology Club and Foothill College Psychological Services & Personal Counseling Office. \*According to data released by the National Institute of Mental Health Date: Wednesday, May 11 Time: 12 noon-1 p.m.

Location: Library Quad

#### College Hour: Job Fair

Looking for an internship or a job? Meet employers who are ready to hire students for part- and full-time jobs and/or internships, including employers

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who are hiring Spanish-speaking employees. Dress professionally and bring copies of your resume. For more information, visit foothill.edu/internships. Live performance by Neksuss Rock. Co-sponsored by the Foothill College Internship Program. Complimentary refreshments. Date: Wednesday, May 18 Time: 12 noon-1 p.m. Location: Library Quad

#### Softball Game: Students vs. Faculty & Staff

Roberto Clemente, Juan Marichal, Manny Ramirez and Sammy Sosa are just some of the talented Latino athletes who have a long storied history with baseball in America. Bring your bat and glove, and swing for the fences in this friendly softball competition. Co-sponsored by the Foothill College CAP. Complimentary refreshments.

Date: Friday, May 20 Time: 12 noon-3 p.m.

Location: Foothill Softball Field (adjacent to PSEC Building)

#### **Global Gala: Cultural Celebration**

A student showcase of Foothill's cultural diversity, Global Gala celebrates our diverse student population through cultural cuisine and a talent show tribute by students who come from countries all over the world. Co-sponsored by the ASFC Activities Board.

Tickets: Advance discount tickets are \$5, general; \$3, with OwlCard through May 6 only. After May 6, tickets are \$8, general; \$6, with OwlCard. Tickets also sold at the door for \$10.

Date: Friday, May 20 Time: 6-9 p.m.

**Location:** Smithwick Theater (Room 1001)

#### Lecture Series II: Immigration Reform Panel

Panelist María Marroquín, who worked as a grassroots activist to establish Mountain View's Day Worker Center, will discuss the day worker program and how it advocates improving day laborers' socio-economic conditions through fair employment, education and job-skills training. Foothill-De Anza Board of Trustees Vice President Laura Casas, also a community activist, will speak about the current state of U.S. immigration reform and how these policies will impact you and your community. Co-sponsored by Foothill College CAP. Date: Monday, May 23 Time: 12 noon-1:30 p.m.

Location: Campus Center Hearthside Lounge (Room 2313)

#### Film Screening I: Ruben Salazar, Man in the Middle

Watch the mesmerizing story of Ruben Salazar, a leader in the Chicano Civil Rights Movement or El Movement. A Mexican-American journalist, Salazar was killed by a Los Angeles County Sheriff's deputy during the National Chicano Moratorium March against the Vietnam War in 1970. Complimentary refreshments.

Date: Tuesday, May 24 Time: 12 noon – 2 p.m. Location: Campus Center Dining Room (Room 2201)

#### College Hour: Closing Ceremony

Play Latin carnival-style games, and participate in creative Latin traditions by making your own piñata and paper-mâché mask. Complimentary refreshments. Date: Wednesday, May 25 Time: 12 noon-1 p.m. Location: Library Quad

#### Film Screening II: Cuba, Cubano, Cañibano

Latino Heritage Month hosts a rare U.S. visit by Cuban photographer Raúl Cañibano, who will present his short film, *Cuba, Cubano, Cañibano*. Featuring haunting and surreal images of his life and work in Cuba, the 28-minute film was produced during Cañibano's visit to Foothill College in 2015. **Date:** Wednesday, May 25 **Time:** 2-3:30 p.m. **Location:** Room 5001

Admission to all events is free, unless otherwise noted. Please present your valid OwlCard Student ID when necessary.