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Library Gallery Hours: Monday–Thursday, 8 a.m.–9 p.m.
 Friday, 8 a.m.–4:30 p.m.



El Luz del Mundo by Gloria Grandy

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 March 2005

WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH

MARCH 2005

Our History Is Our Strength



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Commemorating
 85TH Anniversary of American Women
 Winning the Right to Vote
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HIGHLIGHTS AT FOOTHILL COLLEGE



**Women's History Month
 Lecture Series Part I
 Dolores M. Davison**
 "The Struggle for
 Women's Suffrage"



Cordelia Clancy
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 Celebrating Israeli Women
 in the Arts to Promote
 Social Justice"



**International
 Women's Day**
 March 8, 2005



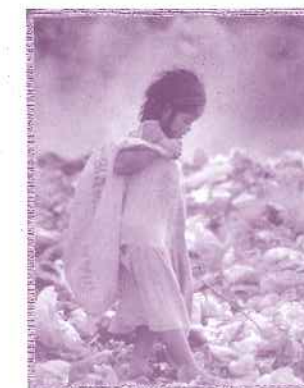
Fern Davye
 "Women's Healthy Spirit:
 An Afternoon with Fern Davye"



Andrea Lacy
 "Luv Story — From
 Homemade Brownies to
 My Own Internet Bakery"
 Book Signing, Refreshments at
 Opening Ceremony



Gloria Grandy
 Art on display in the
 Foothill College Semans Library
 throughout March



**Women's History Month
 Lecture Series Part III
 Sarah L. Bachman**
 "Working Against Child Labor:
 A History of Women & Men
 Helping Girls & Boys"
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Peninsula Women's Chorus
 "Song of Survival"
 Women's History Month
 Opening Ceremony



Kate Jordahl
 "FemPhotogs: Showcasing
 and Honoring Women
 Photographers"

Week One: March 1-4

Tuesday, March 1

Women's History Month Lecture Series Part I —

The Struggle for Women's Suffrage

2005 marks the 85th anniversary of the United States granting women the right to vote; however, the struggle for women's suffrage dates back nearly a century earlier and had its foundations in the abolition movement that sought freedom for the slaves in the American South. Foothill College Associate Professor of History & Women's Studies Dolores M. Davison will discuss the humiliation and struggles experienced by the early suffragists and the enduring strength, courage and perseverance that finally gave them — and today's generation — the victory to vote.

Time: 11 a.m. – Noon

Location: Room 3402

FREE ADMISSION

Wednesday, March 2

Women's History Month Opening Ceremony "Song of Survival" featuring Peninsula Women's Chorus

The music of *Song of Survival* was created in a World War II prison camp. Women sang the orchestral and piano masterpieces of great composers. Their music became a symbol of freedom and a tool for survival. This performance phenomenon was the creation of two women captives, Margaret Dryburgh, a natural music genius, and Norah Chambers, a skilled conductor.

Join us for this live performance and hear about events at Foothill to commemorate Women's History Month. Enjoy live entertainment, refreshments and complimentary brownies from Luv's Brownies' entrepreneur and book author, Aundrea Lacy, and meet her at the book signing.

Time: Noon–1 p.m. (College Hour)

Location: Library Quad Event Tent

FREE ADMISSION

Thursday, March 3

Women's History Month Lecture Series Part II

Feminsrael 2005: Celebrating Israeli Women in the Arts to Promote Social Justice

Producer Amit Breuer will discuss Jewish women's issues and conditions based on the films *Purity* and *Sentenced to Marriage*. She will show excerpts from each film and answer audience questions. Co-sponsored by Jews, Israelis & Friends of Foothill (JIFF) and Hillel of Silicon Valley.

Time: Noon–1 p.m.

Location: Appreciation Hall (Room 1501)

FREE ADMISSION

Week Two: March 7-10

Monday, March 7

Women's Healthy Spirit: An Afternoon with Fern Davye

Fern Davye, the highly acclaimed artist of modern and contemporary international poetry, delivers a painterly body of work by poets both well known and emerging. She delivers an afternoon of language-as-theatre, presenting women's health issues in an emotionally powerful way that creates in the listener a true rearrangement of the senses. Join her as she reveals the passionate, powerful and sensual voices of women's natural strength and spirit. Co-sponsored by the Foothill College Health Services Office.

Time: Noon–1:30 p.m.

Location: Smithwick Theater

FREE ADMISSION

Tuesday, March 8

International Women's Day

Celebrated around the world and commemorated at the United Nations, this day is a time to reflect on progress made, call for change and celebrate acts of courage and determination by ordinary women who have played an extraordinary role in the history of women's rights.

Women's History Month Lecture Series Part III —

Working Against Child Labor: A History of

Women & Men Helping Girls & Boys

Accompanied by haunting images on slides, Sarah L. Bachman, award-winning freelance reporter, editor and assistant director of Child Labor & the Global Village: Photography for Social Change, will talk about modern child labor in the context of international efforts by women and men to get children out of dangerous and exploitative work. A complimentary reception follows in the Theater Patio.

Time: Noon–1 p.m.

Location: Appreciation Hall (Room 1501)

FREE ADMISSION

Wednesday, March 9

Scholarships—A Wealth of Untapped Dollars for Women

Learn more about the numerous financial aid and scholarship opportunities for women by attending a presentation by Foothill College Financial Aid Outreach Coordinator Josephine Christensen. Co-sponsored by the Foothill College Financial Aid Office.

Time: Noon–1 p.m. (College Hour)

Location: Appreciation Hall (Room 1501)

FREE ADMISSION

Thursday, March 10

Meet the Artist Reception

Meet Gloria Grandy, an inspirational, creative spirit whose prolific work with multicultural influences in various media, is on exhibit in the Semans Library throughout March. As a freelance artist, she is an illustrator, costume designer, and arts and crafts designer whose techniques use fabrics and textiles, acrylics, watercolors, prisma pencil, pen, pencil and photography. Her crafting skills include tile, ceramic and glass painting, woodwork, jewelry making and cloth dolls. She creates fabric art and creative clothing using quilting, fabric collage, silk painting, appliqué, embroidery and beading. A complimentary reception follows in the Library Patio.

Time: Noon–1 p.m.

Location: Semans Library

FREE ADMISSION

Week Three: March 14-17

Monday, March 14

Self-Defense Training

Cordelia Clancy, director of Training for the Concrete Jungle Self-Defense Training Organization, is the first hand-to-hand combat woman instructor to train the bodyguards for the Pentagon's Chairman of the Joint Chiefs Gen. Richard Myers. Gain confidence, freedom and peace of mind and empower yourself with the same street-effective skills used by bodyguards, police officers and special forces teams. Co-ed training and all fitness levels welcome.

Time: Noon–1 p.m.

Location: Library Quad Event Tent

FREE ADMISSION

Tuesday, March 15

Debate by the Foothill Speech & Debate Team

Hear our award-winning team debate important women's issues. Co-sponsored by Foothill Speech & Debate Team.

Time: Noon–1 p.m.

Location: Room 1220

FREE ADMISSION

Wednesday, March 16

Closing Ceremony for Women's History Month

FemPhotogs: Showcasing & Honoring Women

Photographers

Award-winning Foothill College Photography Instructor Kate Jordahl, who is also the co-director/founder of PhotoCentral, will showcase and honor the rich and varied bodies of work of notable female photographers worldwide. Hear Jordahl's own intriguing involvement in documenting UNESCO World Heritage Sites.

Foothill's Women of the Year Recognition Ceremony

Foothill's Women's History Month Committee invites you to participate in their recognition ceremony for Foothill's Women of the Year. Participate by nominating a female student, staff, or faculty member who has been inspirational in your life. This event will feature entertainment, music and refreshments.

A complimentary reception follows in the Theater Patio. For more information, or to nominate someone, call (650) 949-7064, or visit the ASFC Student Government Office, Room 6401.

Time: Noon–1:30 p.m. (College Hour)

Location: Appreciation Hall (Room 1501)

FREE ADMISSION

Ongoing Programs & Events

Library Gallery Exhibit

Featuring Gloria Grandy: Creative Spirit

March 1-18

Gloria Grandy's art is her second language. View the strength, individuality, creativity, beauty and diversity of a woman whose goal is to communicate the universality of the creative spirit.

Women of the Year Nominations Accepted

March 2 through March 9

Nominate a female student, faculty or staff member from Foothill College who has touched your life for the Women of the Year Recognition Ceremony. One woman from each category will be recognized at the ceremony. Nominations will be accepted

Wednesday, March 2 through Wednesday,

March 9. Nomination boxes are located around campus and at the student tables in the Library Quad.

For more information, or to nominate someone, call (650) 949-7064, or visit the ASFC Student Government Office, Room 6401. The ceremony takes place **March 16.** Read the related event listing in this brochure.