

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 1

opening ceremony

Celebrate diversity, acceptance and great fashion sense as we kick off an LGBT heritage extravaganza! With the help of DJ Shines Like Gold, we'll open a month that strives to break down stereotypes, build bridges and look beyond the letters "LGBT," to see the people who truly comprise our community. Enjoy ASFC-sponsored food, drinks and music as we all start "Looking Beyond the Letters."

Food and refreshments provided by ASFC.

Time: Noon–1 p.m.

Location: Library Quad

THURSDAY, JUNE 2

exploring queer theory

Join Foothill Psychology Instructor Ben Stefanik and Foothill English Instructor Scott Lankford for an overview of current leading-edge theories concerning the nature of human genders and sexualities.

Food and refreshments provided by ASFC.

Time: Noon–1 p.m.

Location: Hearthside Lounge (Room 2313)

FRIDAY, JUNE 3

Terry Castle: The Professor & Other Writings

The Foothill Authors Series welcomes legendary Stanford English Professor Terry Castle, recently described by *Vanity Fair* magazine as "a Jedi knight of literary exploration and lesbian scholarship." She will read hilarious excerpts from her new comic memoir, *The Professor & Other Writings*.

Food and refreshments provided by ASFC.

Time: Noon–1 p.m.

Location: Hearthside Lounge (Room 2313)

MONDAY, JUNE 6

stand-up comic: Jamba with Julia

Julia Jackson is queerlarious! With her honest and biting sense of humor, San Francisco has voted Jackson as one of the best female comedians in the Bay Area. Have a laugh with her as she tells Foothill College about everything from addiction recovery to lesbian romance. What could possibly go wrong? Jamba Juice refreshments and food are sponsored by ASFC.

Time: 11 a.m.–Noon

Location: Hearthside Lounge (Room 2313)

TUESDAY, JUNE 7

Carla Trujillo

The director of UC Berkeley's Graduate Diversity Program and author of the novel *What Night Brings*, Carla Trujillo is an inspirational speaker who uses knowledge and experience to tear down barriers. Meet this pioneer as she illuminates just what it means to be human.

Food and refreshments provided by ASFC.

Time: 11 a.m.–Noon

Location: Hearthside Lounge (Room 2313)

TUESDAY, JUNE 7

Film screening: The Other City

The Other City is a shocking new documentary about the harsh reality of the AIDS epidemic that is festering just steps away from Congress and the White House in Washington, D.C. Watch this courageous call to action—filmed by one of the nation's premier young gay journalists, Jose Antonio Vargas.

Food and refreshments provided by ASFC.

Time: Noon–2 p.m.

Location: Room 3523

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 8

Erin Davies & The Fagbug

On the national Day of Silence, Erin Davies returned to her Volkswagen Bug only to find "U R Gay" and "fag" written on its hood and windows. Instead of becoming a victim, she drove her "fagbug" across the nation and made a documentary in which she engaged in dialogue about homophobia with the people she encountered. Now a professional activist, she comes to Foothill to talk about her experience on the road and getting creative with discrimination.

Food and refreshments provided by ASFC.

Time: Noon–1 p.m.

Location: Hearthside Lounge (Room 2313)

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 8

how to be an activist: creating change in ourselves & others

You want change? Then you make it happen! Professional activist Erin Davis will teach you strategies to make change happen. You'll learn how to be the change you want to see.

Food and refreshments provided by ASFC.

Time: 2–3 p.m.

Location: Hearthside Lounge (Room 2313)

THURSDAY, JUNE 9

poetry slam: Missy Fuego

Acclaimed performance artist and slam poet Missy Fuego published her first book, *Say It With Your Whole Mouth*, at the age of 25. Her book was nominated for the Poetry Center Book Award in 2004, and her writing has been featured in the anthologies *Revolutionary Voices*, *The Encyclopedia of Activism & Social Change* and *The Female Experience of Growing-Up Working-Class*, among others. Don't miss Fuego as she slams about cultural identity, life and sexuality. Prepare to be wowed...and for mature language.

Food and refreshments provided by ASFC.

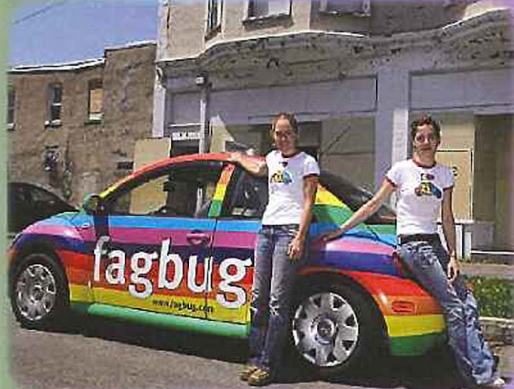
Time: 11 a.m.–Noon

Location: Hearthside Lounge (Room 2313)

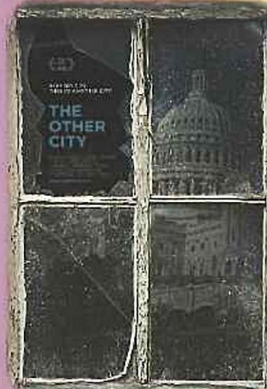
Admission is free to all events.



Julia Jackson



Erin Davis and her "fagbug"



The Other City

COMMUNITY RESOURCES:

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LOOKING BEYOND THE LETTERS



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