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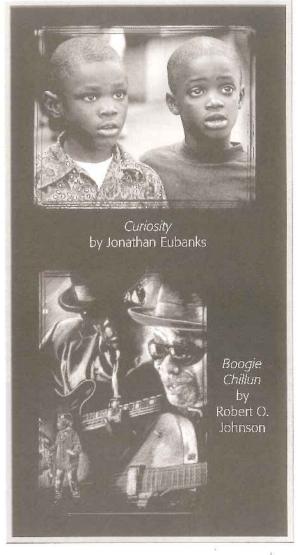
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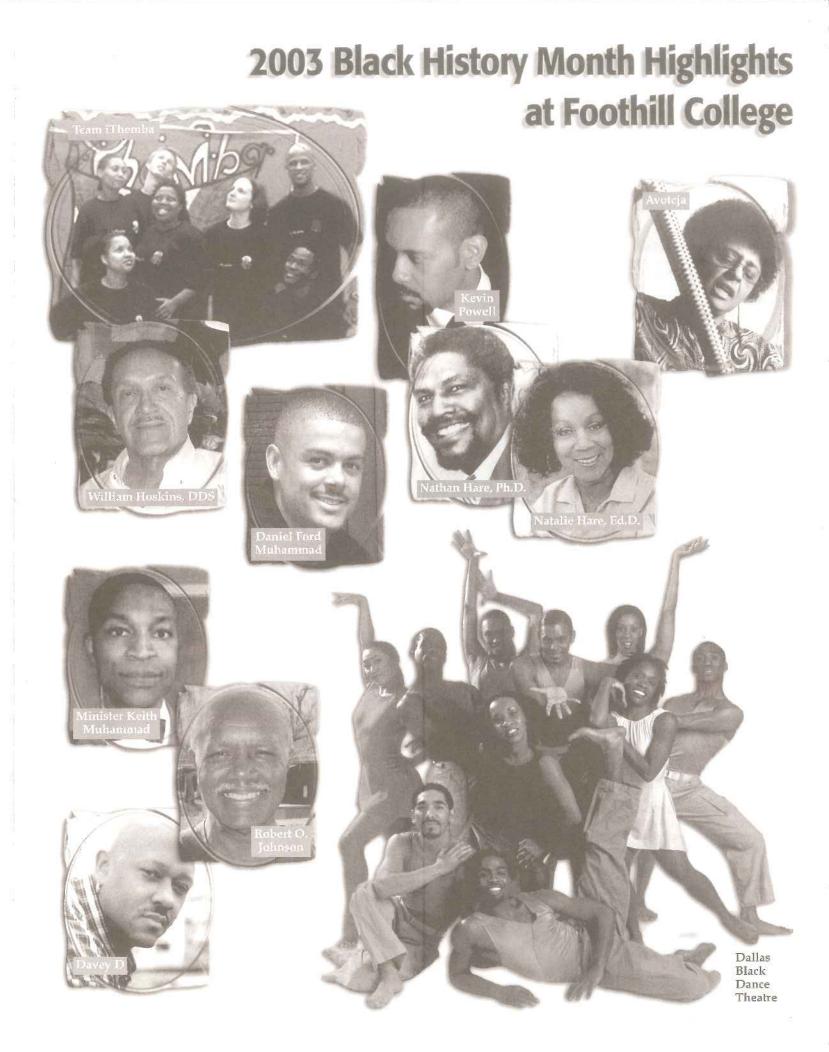
Black **History Month** 2003

Learning from the past, understanding the present, creating the future



On display in the Foothill College Semans Library throughout February.





Week One: February 2-8

Monday, February 3

African American Literature Read-In

Featuring Avotoja, poet and multi-percussionist, accompanied by Kash Killion on sarangi and cello, and Sandy Poindexter, violinist. Select and be prepared to read from the work of your favorite African American poet or author. Co-sponsored by the National Council for Teachers of English and the Language Arts Division.

10 a.m.-2 p.m.

Location: Appreciation Hall, Room 1501

FREE ADMISSION

Wednesday, February 5 Black History Month Official Opening Ceremony Featuring Diamano Cauro, West African Dance

Company and student speakers.

Time: Noon-1 p.m.

Location: Campus Center, Dining Room

FREE ADMISSION

Meet the Artists Reception

Experience the mixed media works on exhibit in Semans Library throughout February. The exhibit includes the series Eye of the Lens: Black Bay Area Photographers, which is on loan from the San Francisco African American Historical and Cultural Society Museum. Eye of the Lens features 17 outstanding artists covering a variety of themes

with both black and white, and colored photos.

The exhibit also features selected paintings by Robert O. Johnson. 1-2 p.m. Time:

Location: Semans Library FREE ADMISSION

Thursday, February 6 Dallas Black Dance Theatre Lecture/Demonstration

This event is designed exclusively for middle-school-age students from Bay Area schools and community dance programs,

10 and 11 a.m. Location: Smithwick Theater FREE ADMISSION

Friday, February 7 Meet the Artist Reception

Featuring the artist whose work is on exhibit in

Semans Library throughout February.

6-7:30 p.m. Time: Location: Semans Library

FREE ADMISSION

Dallas Black Dance Theatre in Performance

This contemporary dance company with a repertoire of modern, jazz, ethnic and spiritual work returns to Foothill for the ninth year for an evening of elegance and enjoyment.

Time: 8 p.m.

Location: Smithwick Theater

Tickets: \$25, general; \$15 students with OwlCard.

To purchase tickets, call (650) 949-7360.

A reception follows the performance

in the Campus Center.

Neek Two: February 9–15 (Traditional Black History Week)

Tuesday, February 11 The Colored Museum: Film & Panel Discussion

Mainstream black theater has evolved since George C. Wolfe's, 1979 production The Colored Museum opened off-Broadway and deflated black stereotypes in America. Three of the eleven original vignettes will be discussed and facilitated by Natalia Menedez, M.A., Foothill College English Instructor and Harry Saterfield, Ph.D.,

Foothill College Psychology Instructor. 10-11 a.m. Time: Location: Room 3525

FREE ADMISSION

Wednesday, February 12

Bridge the Gap Forum: A Forum on Social & Personal Responsibility & AIDS Awareness featuring Kevin Powell Kevin Powell, hip-hop historian, journalist, book author, editor, political activist and commentator is best recognized as one of the original cast members of MTV's Real World. Co-sponsored by Health Services.

Time: 10 a.m.

Location: Smithwick Theater

FREE ADMISSION

Question & Answer Session

Time: 11 a.m.

Location: Campus Center Lounge FREE ADMISSION

Reception

Noon-1 p.m. Time:

Location: Campus Center Lounge

FREE ADMISSION

Thursday, February 13 African & African American History Lecture Series Part I: From Our Perspective

Featuring a select group of Foothill faculty and staff, who will reflect on history and future prospects for continuing the struggle for achieving civil rights and economic opportunities for people of African descent in America.

Noon-1 p.m.

Location: Campus Center Lounge

FREE ADMISSION

Friday, February 14-Monday, February 17 Presidents' Holiday Observance; campus closed.

Week Three: February 16-22

Tuesday, February 18

Symposium: The Juvenile Justice System &

African American Youth

Featuring Dr. Nathan Hare and Dr. Julia Hare, of the Black Think Tank, Cleveland Prince, Deputy Probation Chief of Santa Clara County and a Foothill alumnus, and Steve Mitchell, Counselor, San Mateo County Juvenile Hall. Breakout sessions will be incorporated into the program. The symposium will give participants an opportunity to learn about the California Juvenile Justice System and its impact on African American and Latino youth who are disproportionately entering the system when measured against the general population of California youth. Co-sponsored by the Caribbean Club.

Noon-2 p.m. Time:

Location: Campus Center Lounge FREE ADMISSION

Wednesday, February 19

Bridge the Gap Forum II: The Life & Legacy of Malcolm X Learn about the life, legacy and lessons by examining the life of Malcolm X. Featured speaker is Minister Keith Muhammad. Co-Sponsored by the Muslim Student Association.

Noon-1 p.m. Time: Location: Room 3525

FREE ADMISSION

Thursday, February 20

African & African American History Lecture Series Part II: Hip-Hop's Influence on Popular World Culture featuring

Davey D, radio personality and journalist, will give insight to the effects that hip-hop has on society while he speaks about the world from a hip-hop perspective.

Noon-1 p.m. Time:

Location: Smithwick Theater FREE ADMISSION

Saturday, February 22 Make A Joyful Noise XIV Gospel Concert

Continuing in the Black History Month tradition of celebrating culture, take a walk through history from Negro spirituals to Gospel.

Time: 7 p.m. Location: Smithwick

Tickets:

Theater \$10, general; \$7 students with OwlCard. To purchase tickets, call (650) 949-7360.

A reception

follows the performance in the Campus Center.

Week Four: February 23-28

Wednesday, February 26

5th Annual African American Achiever Awards Ceremony Recognizing outstanding scholars, leaders and achievers of African descent from Foothill College, San Mateo and Santa Clara county high schools. The program includes campus tours that end in the Campus Center where visiting students will have lunch and watch the iThemba South African performance, Daniel Ford Muhammad, Foothill alumnus from the class of '89 is the featured speaker.

9-11 a.m.

Location: Smithwick Theater **FREE ADMISSION**

iThemba South African Performers

Noon-1:30 p.m. Location: Campus Center

FREE ADMISSION

Friday, February 28 African Odvssev

Featuring African dance, fashion, crafts, poetry, spoken word and cuisine. Co-sponsored by Shades of Africa.

7-9:30 p.m.

Location: Dining Room, Campus Center

Tickets: \$12, general; \$10 students with OwlCard.

Additional Events & Activities

 Art Exhibitions & Displays. For more information, call (650) 949-7218. FREE ADMISSION.

The Black History Month Semans Library Art Exhibit features two exciting series this year. First, Eye of the Lens: Black Bay Area Photographers, William E. Hoskins, DDS, Executive Director of the San Francisco African American Historical and Cultural Society Museum, curator. This photographic journey showcases outstanding African American Bay Area photographers. It is on Ioan to Foothill College from the San Francisco African American Historical and Cultural Society Museum. Seventeen artists are featured in this multi-media exhibition covering themes with both black and white and colored photographs. Artists such as Asual Asawd, Tracy Bartlow, Roger Burke, Tracy Collins, Duane M. Conliffe, Jim Dennis, Kirmara Dixon, Jonathan Eubanks, Dolores Gray, Idris Hassan, David Johnson, Michael Johnson, Keba Armand Konte, Sa'longo Lee, Saida Hogan Nassirruddin, Joeonna Bellaorado-Samuel, Opal Palmer, Patricia Patterson, Tasin Sabir and Clarence Towers demonstrated an uncanny ability to capture the essence of the world we live in through the eye of the camera lens. Additionally, this year's exhibit presents paintings by Robert O. Johnson, who is a fine artist working in realism using charcoal, and featuring portraits and landscapes. His gallery is located in San Jose.

Hours: Monday-Thursday, 8 a.m.-9 p.m. Friday, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

Saturday, 9 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

 For additional event, driving and parking information access www.foothill.edu or call (650) 949-7282.

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- PAA and PGA available for faculty and staff participation.