

College of Education Diversity Newsletter

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Asian Heritage Month

The Asian Students of ISU are hosting yet another Asian Night (Asian SpringFest) on Saturday, March 30th. Students, faculty, and staff are welcomed to come and enjoy a night of cultural fun. There will be dinner served with foods from the various Asian countries, prepared by the students themselves. Entertainment will follow consisting of native dances, fashion show of traditional clothing, instrumental playing and much more. Dinner starts at 5:30 pm and entertainment 7:00 pm in the Wood River Room and ballroom at PSUB. Cost is \$5 for students, \$7 faculty, children 7 and under free. Tickets have been on sale since March 11th at the PSUB lobby by information desk or at the door. Contact Jin Lo at lojin@isu.edu for more info.

Halo Plans Event

HALO is sponsoring a dinner and dance on the 13th of April. A dancing group from Arizona will be performing. The dinner and dance are co-sponsored by La Voz Latina (The Latin Voice) show on Channel 12 public television. Also, the 29th of April is Dia de los Ninos (Day of the Children).

Teaching Tolerance Web Site

Teaching Tolerance is a national education project dedicated to helping teachers foster equity, respect, and understanding in the classroom and beyond. The web site is complete with teaching resources, classroom activities, and opportunities to share ideas. The site can be found at:
http://www.splcenter.org/teachingtolerance/tt_index.html

Women's History Month

March celebrates Women's History Month and there are/were several events on campus:

Panel Discussion: March 28, "Women in ISU's History" 7pm, PSUB Wood River Room, Sponsored by Women's History Month Committee in conjunction with ISU Centennial Celebration; Jo Parris, 282-3164.

Performance: March 29, "An Evening with Rosalie Sorrels," 7pm Westside Players Warehouse, 1009 South Second Avenue. Sponsored by Women's History Month Committee; Cathy Loupy, 234-0798.

Lecture: April 1, Josephine Jones, "20th Century Idaho Women," 7pm PSUB Salmon River Suite. Sponsored by Idaho Humanities Council Speakers Bureau and Women's History Month Committee; Emily Price, 478-9567.

Campus Resources

Idaho State University will be sponsoring a human rights program during the 2002-2002 school year. Heidi Oliver in the Pond Student Union Building is working on a grid of potential human rights topics. In order to provide feasible topics she needs to know where our campus resources lie. Heidi is asking for people who give speeches/presentations on human rights issues and what those issues are. This will help to utilize what we have here on campus while providing more accurate topics for the grid. To have questions answered Heidi can be reached at x-2427 or olivheid@isu.edu.