

Basic Rights Oregon speaks to Rainbow Club

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Nerissa Ediza, from Basic Rights Oregon, spoke to members of the Rainbow Club on Feb. 19 regarding a proposed bill to amend existing state statutes to include sexual orientation in the current non-harassment policy for schools.

The Rainbow Club is Clackamas Community College's support group for gay, lesbian, bisexual and transsexual students.

Basic Rights Oregon, an organization that developed from past "No on 9" and "No on 13" campaigns, is hoping to get the

Oregon statute that protects Oregon students from being harassed in regards to race, creed, religion, age and gender, extended to protect students on the basis of sexual orientation as well. Ediza urged students, friends and family members to become involved in the active lobbying that will take place in Salem.

Anyone who has experienced harassment in Oregon schools on the basis of their sexual orientation, and is willing to testify before the state Legislature, is encouraged to contact Kandi Starr, Rainbow Club Co-advisor, ext. 2504.

Clackamas to host annual High School Skills Competition

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Day classes are canceled tomorrow for the High School Skills Competition where competitors from throughout Clackamas County will gather from 8:15 a.m. to 2 p.m.; classes after 4 p.m. will continue as scheduled.

The skills contest draws high school students from all over the county to compete

in areas ranging from music to auto mechanics. Specific events include: chemistry, where students will identify the contents of dropper bottles



using basic chemistry techniques and tools; engineering, where the entrants will attempt to design and build a bridge which will be judged on a combination of lightness and weight capacity; and leadership, where

teams will compete to complete a Lego model that looks exactly like one displayed in the center of the room.

The competitions are designed so students can demonstrate skills and knowledge gained through their schooling. Participants are current high school students recommended by their schools.

The top three winners of each contest will receive a partial, one-term college scholarship to be used during the year following their graduation from high school, or during high school if they receive a statement of approval from the appropriate school district.



Aries: Today's the day to get in touch with your roots. Contemplate where you've come from rather than where you're going. Control yourself and focus your primal rage.

Taurus: A dramatic event will shake your foundation today. Breathe deeply, eat a chocolate and rest assured that all will be well in the end.

Gemini: Be supportive of your friends today. They could use a good shoulder to cry on. However tempting, try not to advise. You'll just end up chewing on your own foot.

Cancer: An atmosphere of love is about - but slow down - it may not involve you. Try to resist the urge to be the center of attention and keep your business where it belongs.

Leo: You're definitely in the groove today. Your powers are at an all time high. Use this to your advantage to capture some new territory.

Virgo: Wrap yourself in the cloak of serenity. Today, everything will go without a hitch. When you see someone in need, be sure to lend them a helping hand. Make peace with those who have scorned you.

Libra: At last your dreams are becoming reality. Your victory dance is well deserved, but don't overdo it. Humility will be the key to cresting the mountain's peak.

Scorpio: Don't be so uptight. Relax your stiff shoulders and take a moment to enjoy life's simple pleasures. If you're sad, cry. If you're really sad, cry a lot.

Sagittarius: The dream you just had might come true! Not the part where you're naked and falling off the cliff, the other part. Let your spiritual side guide you to new enlightenment.

Capricorn: It's time to put up or shut up. Either make a real commitment or stop joking around. Your foolish antics may be amusing to some, but you'll only end up hurting the ones you love most.

Aquarius: Today you should strive for cleanliness. Spruce up around the house and make yourself more presentable. A mysterious stranger will cross your path any day now.

Pisces: Be nice. You'll be tempted to tell others where to stick it, but perseverance in kindness will reward you. Turn your negative energy towards someone who really deserves it.

Announcements

Need a Tutor?: Get help before it's too late. Drop-in, one-on-one, small groups, and on-line tutors are available for most subjects. Contact Don Paul Shula in CC 122, or call X 2324.

Open Computer Lab: At the Harmony/OIT Campus in the Small Business Development Center computers are available with Internet and printer access in Room OIT 170. General operating hours Winter Term are M/W Noon-5p.m.; T/TH 9a.m.-5p.m.; Fri. 1-5pm. Call X 6447 or X 3485 for information. Check for availability/exceptions to above stated hours. Limited assistance is available. Open to all students, staff and members of the community.

Free Math Tutoring - Stop by the math lab for free tutoring from 7:30 a.m. - 9 p.m. Mon-Thurs., Fri. close at 5 p.m. and Sat. hours are 9-3.

Petitions For Graduation: Are now being accepted at Enrollment Services and the Registrar's office for students planning to complete their program at the end of Fall, Winter or Spring Term. A petition must be filed to indicate your desire to have a degree or certificate posted to your transcript. A separate petition must be filed for each certificate or degree. Info regarding the June 15, 2001 Graduation will be sent to you during Spring term. Petitions must be in the Registrar's office by April 13 to assure inclusion in the Graduation program.

Cars for Sale! The Automotive Department has several cars for sale. Call Nick X 2569 or Pam X 2354 for more information, or stop by the Automotive Department.

Volunteer Tutors Needed: Help adults with basic skills. Opportunities include many types of interesting students, from Americans who need to learn or improve reading, to people from other

countries needing to learn English as a Second Language. Call 657-6958 X 3143.

Tutors Needed: Earn \$8.96/hr and receive Co-operative Work Experience credit while tutoring Professional/Technical and Transfer students on campus, one-on-one, small groups, or on-line. Great experience for Education Majors. Contact Don Paul Shula in CC 122, or call X 2324.

Musicians Wanted Scholarship Funds Available
PEP BAND - Drums, Guitar, Bass, Keyboards, Horns of any type. **JAZZ COMBO** - Funk/Fusion/Latin/Jazz music in small groups, all instruments. No audition necessary. Join a small band and learn how to play rhythm, solo, group, and improvise. **JAZZ ENSEMBLE** (Instrumental) - CCC's leading instrumental performing group. This group performs in the Northwest, has recorded, and has toured Europe. **BAND at NOON (Large Ensemble)** - All wind, string, and percussion instruments welcome. Call Tom X 2160.

CCC Scholarship Open Enrollment: Scholarship application forms are now available in the Community Center at the scholarship kiosk and the Financial Services office. Scholarships are for new, returning and transferring students. There are more than 60 individual scholarships with over \$200,000 in scholarship money. Last year, 200 scholarships were awarded. The deadline for submitting your application to the Financial Services Office is Monday, March 12, by 5 p.m.

Scholarship Workshops Wednesdays, Feb. 21, Feb. 28, 12:30-2 p.m. in P104. The workshops cover the CCC scholarship application process, the Oregon Student Assistance Commission Scholarship (OSAC) Application, tips on how to write a personal statement, how to request a winning letter of recommendation, provide schol-

arship resources and answer questions. For information contact Chippi Bello, Scholarship Coordinator, at 503-657-6958, X 2373.

Oregon Student Assistance Commission Scholarship (OSAC): OSAC scholarship application forms are now available in the Community Center at the scholarship kiosk. OSAC has over 200 individual scholarships. To be considered for these scholarships, which include the Ford Scholar and the Ford Opportunity Scholarship, you just need to complete one scholarship application form. Application deadline is March 1, 2001.

Check the scholarship kiosk in the Community Center building for other scholarship opportunities.

Lost anything lately? Check out the Lost and found in CC 140.

Hungry? Come and look for a snack in the Student Activities Office. We have popcorn, candy, and pop (while supplies last). All profits go to help fund childcare Grants.

Club Corner

The Environmental Club Helping Everyone's Environment Live (HEEL) is alive and well! Meetings will be held on Fridays from 10-11a.m. in P104. Help out your ecosystem. Contact Jaime or Bobbi at X 2247.

Native American Student Club: Meetings are Tuesdays, from noon until 1pm, B114. All interested staff and students are encouraged to attend. Contact MshkolahneeManito/G. SpiritHawk, X 5139 or spirithawk@clackamas.cc.or.us

Campus Crusade for Christ meets on Thursdays in P103 from noon-1pm. Please come, you are totally wanted there!

The 7 C's Cat Club is dedicated to helping feral cats of Clackamas County. Call X 2154 for more information.

Campus Bible Study: 12-12:50 pm Tuesday in B 113, Wednesday Randal Lounge special subject "Christ on Trial- The Case for Christ," Friday in B114. For more info. contact Vic Morris at 657-4806.

Chrysalis Poets & Writers: Every Wednesday women writes gather to share their work from noon- 2 p.m. in M 253.

Phi Theta Kappa: Applications are in the Student Activities Office (CC140) or in the office of Kate Gray X 2371, S122, or Dave Arter X 2210, P124i. Apply today.

The Rainbow Club: for Gays, Lesbians, Bi, Trans, and Allies meets on Mondays at noon in P104. The topic for Feb. 26th is "Awareness" with a guest speaker. Then on March 5th we will have a discussion about the different resources that are available to our community. For more info contact Kandi Starr X 2504 or Wade Bird X 2258.

Writers' Club: Meetings are held Thursdays in Deli of Haggen's from 5-7 p.m. or call Allen Widerburg X 2359.

1988 Mercury Tracer: 4 dr, 4 cyl, auto, A/C, new radiator, hoses, water pump, runs/drives good. Min. bid \$700. Call Nick @ x2569 or Pam @ x2345 or come down to automotive for more info.

History books for sale: Time-Life Series: including World War II (complete); Flight; Civil War; Seafarers; Old West (complete). 503-723-9682 eves and wknds for more info.

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Early Spring Registration for Returning Students February 27, 2001

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