



LGBTQ+ MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

July 2024

Non-binary Awareness Week

July 8-14, 2024

Non-Binary Awareness Week raises awareness of Non-Binary identities and aims to create a safer and more inclusive space for Non-Binary people to share their stories and experiences. This week is a great opportunity to start conversations about gender and educate people on the spectrum of gender identities.



Other July Holidays

- July 16th: International Drag Day



Upcoming CFH Event

FREE EVENT! **FREE FOOD!**

BRIDGING FAMILIAS LGBTQ+ LATINO WELLNESS EVENT

Join us in learning about the way bullying and sexual and intimate partner violence affect LGBTQ+ Latinos & how to support our loved ones!

- Presentations (9a-12p)
- Resource Fair (12p-3p)
- Art Exhibit (12p-3p)
- Panel (12:30p-1:30p)

SATURDAY, JULY 13TH, 2024

9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

OXNARD COLLEGE

PERFORMING ARTS BUILDING

4000 S ROSE AVE, OXNARD

MUST RSVP!

SPANISH, MIXTECO, AND ASL TRANSLATION WILL BE AVAILABLE

Funding is made through Ventura County Behavioral Health, Mental Health Services Act

Bridging Familias LGBTQ+ Latino Wellness Event

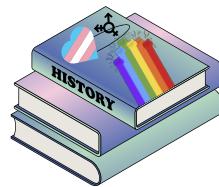
Saturday, July 13th, 2024

9:00 - 3:00 PM

Oxnard College, Performing Arts Building, 4000 S Rose Ave, Oxnard CA

[Click here for more information](#)

LGBTQ+ Quote of the Month



"We need, in every community, a group of angelic troublemakers."
–Bayard Rustin

LGBTQ+ News Links

- [Texas Supreme Court upholds ban on gender-affirming care for transgender youths](#)
- [Biden pardons LGBTQ+ service members convicted for sexual orientation](#)
- [Queer - and religious: How LGBTQ+ youths are embracing their faith in 2024](#)



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LGBTQ+ Educational Reports

THE IMPACT OF ANTI-DEI LEGISLATION ON LGBTQ+ FACULTY in Higher Education

May 2024

Abbie E. Goldberg

The Impact of Anti-DEI Legislation on LGBTQ+ Faculty in Higher Education

“Teaching and research on LGBTQ+ and diversity-related issues has become increasingly challenging amidst the anti-diversity, equity, and inclusion (DEI) legislation that is advancing across the U.S. As of spring 2024, nine states have passed anti-DEI legislation related to higher education. Currently, at least 20 other states are considering such legislation. Many of the same states are seeing a rapid expansion of anti-LGBTQ+ legislation as well, including legislation restricting gender-affirming care for youth, prohibiting discussion of LGBTQ+ topics in secondary education, and allowing health care providers to discriminate based on moral or religious convictions...”

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2024 U.S. National Survey on the Mental Health of LGBTQ+ Young People

“The Trevor Project’s 2024 U.S. National Survey on the Mental Health of LGBTQ+ Young People amplifies the experiences of more than 18,000 LGBTQ+ young people ages 13 to 24 across the United States. For the sixth year, the U.S. National Survey uncovers the reality that there is a significant association between anti-LGBTQ+ victimization and the disproportionately high rates of suicide risk – and that far too many young people struggle to access the mental health care they need. The survey critically provides data-driven ways we can all show support and acceptance for the LGBTQ+ young people in our lives, based on their own responses – as well as the potentially life-saving benefits of creating affirming spaces and communities...”

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