



## A Contra Costa County *Equity Initiative*

*An initiative championed by Superintendent of Schools, Karen Sakata*



## Join us...

Please join us for a screening of the film "And Then They Came for Us" (2017), by social justice filmmaker Abby Ginzberg, featuring actor George Takei, who was interned as a child in an American camp for Japanese American citizens. The film warns that building walls and banning Muslims echo the World War II disaster of incarcerating innocent Japanese Americans.

*Directed by Abby Ginzberg and Ken Schneider*

### **The screening will be followed by a Panel Discussion.**

#### **Panelists include:**

- Abby Ginzberg, Director
- Karen Korematsu, Founder & Executive Director of the Fred T. Korematsu Institute
- Satsuki Ina, Psychotherapist & Professor Emeritus, California State University Sacramento
- Zahra Billoo, Executive Director, SF Bay Area Council on American-Islamic Relations

#### **Moderated by:**

Pamela Comfort, Ed.D., Deputy Superintendent, CCCOE

**Monday, October 30, 2017**

**4:00 – 6:00 p.m.**

**Acalanes High School Theater,  
1200 Pleasant Hill Rd., Lafayette CA**

**Register today for this free event!**

**[https://cccoe-andthentheycameforus.  
eventbrite.com](https://cccoe-andthentheycameforus.eventbrite.com)**

The Contra Costa County Office of Education is proud to sponsor the year-long initiative on equity and diversity entitled:

### *Allies & Advocates*

The initiative will feature several events and activities throughout the school year including four *Equity Leadership Retreats* designed to support educational leaders to develop their own capacity to become effective champions of equity.



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