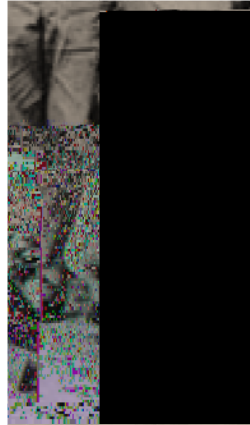


DENIS RODILL: A FILM



4:00 - 5:00 p.m.
Sunday, September 10
Social Hall, Hawaii's Plan
94-695 Waipahu St, Waipahu

Reception to follow
Free and Open to the Public

Denis Rodill, a 14-year-old runaway from Manila, Hawaii, was rescued by the U.S. Army transport ship. He was among the earliest Filipinos to arrive in the United States, arriving well before the crest of the Great Depression. His saga includes working in Seattle's 1908 water treatment plant, Kodiak's 1915 salmon canneries, and the logging industry. His story reveals a rascal youth whose adventures propelled him to overcome enormous challenges.

This presentation about the life of Denis Rodill, 1915-1995, tells the mostly unrecorded lives of early Filipinos who came to Hawaii to fulfill the American dream.



Dr. Diane Rodill lives in Seattle and is a volunteer in Sorsogon, Philippines. She works in the Office of Health & Human Services and has served in the U.S. Army, D.C. and Peace Corps in Nauru. The discrimination of WWII Filipino Merchant Marines inspired her to conduct research on her father's life.

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