Augustana offers events for Hispanic Heritage Month

In conjunction with the ongoing observance of Hispanic Heritage Month, the Augustana College Library will host events and exhibits open to the public.

The celebration includes an exhibit of artwork by local artist Leda de Guerra on the second floor of the library through Oct. 15. She has painted scenes from her childhood in Ecuador, where she was born, and Venezuela as well as still-lifes and landscapes of the Quad-City area. She has displayed her work in Venezuela and local exhibitions, including the Quad Cities Regional Art Showcase.

At 5 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 8, the Java Hut in Davenport, will host a bilingual poetry reading and presentation by Bolivian author Juan Carlos Ortíz, a current writer in residence at the International Writing Program at the University of Iowa. An award-winning writer and published author and poet, he will present his poetry in Spanish and discuss, in English, the craft of writing.

Also, Quad-City Arts Visiting Artists Sotavento will be featured in a formal performance at 3 p.m. Oct. 15 in Centennial Hall. Donation is $3.

Sarah Greene at Theo’s

Sarah Greene will appear at Theo’s Java Hut in Davenport at 9:30 p.m. Friday, Oct. 4. She rocks acoustic venues with her blues-influenced originals. Vocally, she is most often compared to Rickie Lee Jones. Her guitar playing is a hybrid of Tuck Anderson, Carlos Santana and B.B. King.

Green is touring in support of “Never Been Blue,” both solo acoustic and electric, with full band. For more information, call (515) 423-5882.

Punk rockers

Eddy punk rockers Marilyn Manson will perform at 8 p.m. Friday, Oct. 4, at the Col Ballroom, Davenport. All tickets, at $17.50, are general admission. Tickets are available at The Col, for $17.50 plus a 90-cent handling fee, or any Ticketmaster location.

“Hawkays” Herman

Michael “Hawkays” Herman’s upcoming

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