Saddleback College Announces the Book Reading of “Teatro Chicano: A Collective Memoir and Selected Plays.”

Mission Viejo, CA - Saddleback College announces the book reading of “Teatro Chicano: A Collective Memoir and Selected Plays,” which will be read by Sandra M. Gutierrez and Kathy Requejo, a local union president and advocate workers’ rights, on September 16, 2008 from 12:00 p.m to 1:00 p.m in the Student Services Center, Room 212.

“Teatro Chicana: A Collective Memoir and Selected Plays,” written by Laura E. Garcia, Felicitas Nunez and one of the guest readers, Sandra M. Gutierrez focuses on the 1970’s and 1980’s awakening of social awareness and political activism in Mexican American Communities. The book is compiled of experiences from a San Diego group that participated in a political teatro, also known as a play.

Ana Castillo, author of “The Guardians” and “So Far from God,” said of the authors work, “Their work in teatro is an important contribution to the preservation of the spirit and energy that made the Chicano Movement.”

The event is sponsored by Saddleback College’s Anthropology Lecture Series, Cross Cultural Studies and the Associated Student Government. In addition to the reading, Gutierrez and Requejo will read from the book and engage with audience in a discussion. The book will be available for purchase at the event.


Where: Room 212 of the Student Service Center at Saddleback College

When: Tuesday, September 16, 2008

Time: 12:00 p.m to 1:00 p.m
For more information about the event please call (949) 582-4500 or visit www.saddleback.edu.

Located in Mission Viejo, Saddleback College is celebrating its 40th year of providing quality higher education to the south Orange County community. For more information on the college and its programs, please visit www.saddleback.edu.

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