Memorial event to honor Eileen Channer

MEMORIAL EVENT TO honor the life of Eileen Channer will be held on Saturday, Aug. 3 from 2 to 5 p.m. at McKenna Theatre on the SUNY New Paltz campus. Channer was the founder of the Arts Community and former assistant to the dean of Fine and Performing Arts at SUNY New Paltz. She was born in London, England in 1934 and lived in New Paltz from 1968-2000. She passed away peacefully in Minneapolis, MN on Oct. 30, 2012 surrounded by her two children, David and Lisa and her four grandchildren.

The Aug. 3 event, hosted by her children and the Vanaver Caravan, will be a memorial and concert featuring artists and friends who wish to remember her life and legacy locally. All are welcome. The event is free (donations are being accepted in Channer’s name to the Vanaver Caravan scholarship fund for children).

one of Native people, one non-native allies – as a symbolic enactment of the principles of the original 1613 treaty with the Dutch settlers, represented in the Two Row Wampum belt. The Two Row Campaign will conclude on the weekend of Aug. 9-10 in New York City, as they bring their message to the United Nations.

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