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Latina Women Will Perform a Spanish Language ‘The Vagina Monologues’

As part of the international campaign to end violence against women and girls organized by V-Day, Somos la Llave del Futuro and a group Latina women in the Hudson Valley present a Spanish language performance of The Vagina Monologues in Newburgh on April 13, and Kingston on April 20.

For those who have been in the Kingston Public library in recent weeks and wondered why a group of Latinas is loudly discussing whether their vaginas are “ancient and full of grace” or “part of the house that you don’t see or think about,” the mystery will be solved on Saturday April 13. Twelve women from the Hudson Valley will perform Eve Ensler’s inspiring Vagina Monologues. Proceeds to benefit the non-profit agency Somos la Llave del Futuro, an organization that supports the Latino community and the V-Day Campaign. Directed by Maria Jimena Concha and Mariel Fiori.

Saturday April 13, Newburgh Armory Unity Center, 321 South William St, Newburgh, NY

Saturday April 20, George Washington Elementary School, 67 Wall St. Kingston, NY

Doors open at 7:30 pm and the performance will begin promptly at 8 pm.

Tickets in advance: \$10 and \$15 at the door.

To purchase tickets: Online visit <http://monologosdelavagina.eventbrite.com/>

In Newburgh: Latinos Unidos of the Hudson Valley, Monday thru Thursday 10am to 2pm, 321 South William St. (845) 565-4812

In Kingston: Roca-Floral, Monday thru Friday 9am to 9pm, 596 Broadway. (845) 514 2678

Somos la Llave del Futuro (we are the key to the future) is a non-profit organization with a status 501 (c) (3) that has focused on creating leaders in the Latin American immigrant communities of the Hudson Valley and Catskills regions since 2003. Thanks to the work of health promoters, volunteers and coordinators, the organization currently has active programs in health (a community garden in Amenia, and a network of rural health promoters in the northeast region of Dutchess county), and in family planning (in Sullivan County). The vision of SLF is to potentiate social transformation in the immigrant communities through empowerment and leadership, by nourishing our diversity and working in recognition of human rights through education and action. <http://somoslallave.org/en/>