Evan Thomas to Talk About His Book on Sandra Day O'Connor at NCC Breakfast Event, Register Soon

Author: David Gurliacci

Categories : Books & Authors

Tagged as: Barrett Bookstore Events 2019, Evan Thomas, First: Sandra Day O'Connor, Norwalk

Community College Events 2019, Norwalk Community College Foundation Events 2019

Date: March 28, 2019

Historian Evan Thomas will discuss his new biography of former Supreme Court Justice Sandra Day O'Connor at a breakfast event Monday, April 22 at Norwalk Community College.

Tickets (\$65 plus a \$5.59 fee) are <u>available online</u> up to this coming Wednesday, April 3). Seating is limited. <u>Barrett Bookstore</u> is a co-sponsor of the event.

The event takes place in the East Campus Atrium at 181 Richards Ave., Norwalk. A portion of ticket sales will benefit a scholarship fund at NCC for paralegal students.

1/3

Darienite

News for Darien

https://darienite.com

At the breakfast, from 7:30 to 9 a.m., former Connecticut Supreme Court Associate Justice Joette Katz will moderate a discussion with Thomas.

Historian <u>Evan Thomas</u>' biography of Sandra Day O'Connor, America's first female Supreme Court justice, draws on exclusive interviews and first-time access to O'Connor's archives.

O'Connor's story is that of a woman who repeatedly shattered glass ceilings—doing so with a blend of grace, wisdom and humor. This is a remarkably vivid and personal portrait of a woman who built a bridge forward for all Americans.

- "Before Ruth Bader Ginsburg, there was Sandra Day O'Connor, and O'Connor's story has everything.
- "In Evan Thomas's brilliant and compelling book, we are given an intimate and gripping account of a pioneering American woman successfully seeking to thrive in an all-male world.
- "Noble and flawed, selfless and ambitious, Justice O'Connor sought a more perfect union amid imperfect choices.
- "Written with fluidity and grace, Thomas's book is required reading for anyone interested in the role of women in America, the course of justice, and the nature of our politics.
- "This is a landmark achievement about an American original that's also, blessedly, a delight to read."

—Jon Meacham, Pulitzer Prize-winning author of *The Soul of America*

2/3

Darienite News for Darien https://darienite.com

The scholarship fund for paralegal students at NCC is run by the Norwalk Community College Foundation. NCC offers the only American Bar Association approved paralegal program in lower Fairfield County.

3/3