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Eastern Set to Celebrate Women's History Month

Willimantic CT—Throughout the month of March, Eastern Connecticut State University will be celebrating Women's History Month. Students, faculty and staff will be provided with an opportunity to participate in a number of events.

Sarah Weddington, a Texas attorney and lecturer who gained worldwide fame at the age of 27 when she represented Jane Roe in the landmark Roe vs. Wade case, will come to present on March 15. Weddington will be delivering her lecture, "Some Women are Born Leaders" at 7 p.m. in the Paul E. Johnson Sr. Community Conference Room located on the second floor of the J. Eugene Smith Library. The public is invited. A reception will be held at 5:30 in Wood Support Services.

A Menarche Party will take place on Thursday, March 16, location (to be announced). This event is focused on the many facets of health menstruation, shame reduction, promotion of comfort, education of women about their bodies, and history of menstruation and menstrual products.

From March 27 to 31 there will be a Menstrual Hut on Webb Hall lawn that will take place each afternoon. Women can gather to discover alternative and traditional menstrual products and enjoy chocolate and salty foods.

Women's History Month will end with a Coffee House event on March 30, 8 a.m.-11 a.m. in the Women's Center. Come and drink coffee, read, relax, listen to acoustic music, and view the art work of Eastern's students.

It is the policy of Eastern Connecticut State University to ensure equal access to its events. If you are an individual with a disability and will need accommodations for this event, please contact the office of University Relations at (860) 465-5735.

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