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Eastern Hosts Benefit Concert for Soup Kitchen

Willimantic, Conn. – The local community is invited to a concert by Echo Uganda for the benefit of the Covenant Soup Kitchen on Saturday, Sept. 22, starting at 7:30 p.m. in the Betty Tipton Room of the new Student Center at Eastern Connecticut State University. Concertgoers are asked to make a donation at the door. Refreshments and door prizes also will be available.

Echo Uganda is a group of local musicians, led by Ugandan-born Gideon Ampiere, who perform their special brand of entertaining music using traditional East African instruments. They also use traditional storytelling, dance, and music performance to provide educational workshops about culture and music of East Africa.

In addition to local Connecticut performances, Echo Uganda also has performed in New York City and Toronto, Canada.

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Eastern Connecticut State University is part of the Connecticut State University (CSU) system and is the state's public liberal arts university. ECSU serves more than 5,000 students each year on its Willimantic campus.

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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