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Marshall Artists Series reels in Doris Kearns Goodwin for lecture

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Doris Kearns Goodwin is coming to the Marshall Artists Series on Oct. 26.

HUNTINGTON — Pulitzer Prize-winning author, Doris Kearns Goodwin, will be discussing her newest book at the Keith-Albee Performing Arts Center at 7:30 p.m. Friday, Oct. 26. There will be a Q&A session immediately following her presentation.

Doris Kearns Goodwin's newest book, "Leadership in Turbulent Times", was just released on Sept. 18, 2018. "Leadership in Turbulent Times" tells the journey of four of our nation's presidents: Abraham Lincoln, Theodore Roosevelt, Franklin D. Roosevelt, and Lyndon B. Johnson.

As a world-renowned presidential historian, Ms. Goodwin's newest book is a culmination of five decades of work.

Ms. Goodwin graduated magna cum laude and Phi Beta Kappa from Colby College, and was a Woodrow Wilson Fellow. She earned a Ph.D. in Government from Harvard University, where she taught Government, and, at the age of just 24, became a White House Fellow, working directly with President Lyndon Johnson. Ms. Goodwin served as an assistant to President Johnson and later in life helped him with the preparation of his memoirs.

Her work with President Johnson led her to write her first book “Lyndon Johnson and the American Dream”, which became a New York Times Best Seller in 1977.

Goodwin’s book “No Ordinary Time: Franklin and Eleanor Roosevelt: The Home Front in World War II” won the Pulitzer Prize for History in 1995. “No Ordinary Time” was also awarded the Harold Washington Literary Award, the New England Bookseller Association Award, the Ambassador Book Award and The Washington Monthly Book Award.

Steven Spielberg’s Academy Award-winning film “Lincoln” was based on Goodwin’s bestseller “Team of Rivals.” The film “Lincoln” grossed \$275 million at the box office and earned 12 Academy Award® nominations. “Team of Rivals” was the winner of the Lincoln Prize and the inaugural Book Prize for American History.

Spielberg also owns the movie rights to Goodwin’s book “The Bully Pulpit: Theodore Roosevelt, William Howard Taft, and the Golden Age of Journalism.”

Ms. Goodwin is well known for her appearances on all major television and cable networks and shows, including “Meet the Press” and “The Late Show with Stephen Colbert.” She also had a role in the FX horror anthology “American Horror Story” and on “The Simpsons” in the role of Lisa Simpson’s teacher.



Ms. Goodwin will be taking questions from the audience after her lecture.

Tickets for Doris Kearns Goodwin are \$81, \$60 and \$49. Contact the Marshall Artists Series Box Office at 304-696-6656 or order tickets online at Ticketmaster.com. You may also visit our box office located in the Joan C. Edwards Playhouse on the Marshall University campus. Box office hours are noon to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday.



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Here's a look at the other Artists Series shows this semester.

Nov. 1-4, The Fall International Film Festival will take place over four days at the Keith-Albee Performing Arts Center. Featured films include "RBG" (United States), "A Fantastic Woman" (Chile), "The Insult" (Lebanon), "Loveless" (Russia), "Back to Burgundy" (France), and "Angels Wear White" (China). Tickets are \$10 per film. No advance tickets are sold. Purchase film tickets at the Keith Albee during the festival.

At 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 6, Presented by St. Mary's Medical Center and HIMG, Brian Wilson and The Beach Boys hit the stage at the Keith-Albee Performing Arts Center. Wilson, along with his band and former band mates, Al Jardine and Blondie Chaplin, will be performing many of their biggest hits. Tickets are \$120, \$98, \$81, and \$60.

At 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 27, The Tony Award-winning Broadway musical, "Jersey Boys" at the Joan C. Edwards Playhouse. Get a glimpse inside the story of Frankie Valli and the Four Seasons as these four guys from New Jersey try to make it in the world of music. Featuring hit songs such as "Sherry," "Big Girls Don't Cry," "Walk Like a Man," and "Can't Take My Eyes off You" you'll love watching this journey from the streets of New Jersey all the way to the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame. Tickets are \$98.

At 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 4, Cabell Huntington Hospital presents soulful jazz vocalist Gregory Porter, along with a full orchestra in a tribute to Nat "King" Cole at the Keith-Albee Performing Arts Center. Influenced by the music of Nat "King" Cole since childhood, two-time Grammy winner, Gregory Porter's album, "Nat King Cole & Me" is a heartfelt tribute to the legendary singer, pianist, and Capitol recording artist. Porter and his orchestra will also perform some holiday favorites. Tickets are \$76, \$57 and \$38.

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