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FORMER NFL PLAYER KEVIN EVERETT TO DISCUSS RECOVERY FROM CAREER-ENDING PARALYSIS

Proceeds to Benefit Scholarship Opportunities at MCCC

MONROE, Mich. – A former tight end for the Buffalo Bills will speak at MCCC on September 10 about the career-ending injury that changed his life.

Kevin Everett began a lucrative professional football career with the National Football League's Buffalo Bills in 2005. But three short years later, it was all taken away by one hit that left him paralyzed.

Given only a 5-10 percent chance of recovery, Everett turned the catastrophic injury into a faith-filled purpose for living. He has since regained the use of his arms and legs and now has a new life as a professional speaker, giving a voice to others who have spinal cord injuries and providing insight to doctors interested in his recovery.

Everett's presentation, entitled "Faith Speaks," will begin at 7 p.m. in the La-Z-Boy Center, Meyer Theater on the MCCC Main Campus, which is located at 1555 S. Raisinville Rd.

Tickets are \$10 for general admission, and proceeds benefit scholarship opportunities at Monroe

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County Community College. They can be purchased on the Web at www.monroeccc.edu/theater, via phone at (734) 384-4272 or in person at the MCCC Cashier's Office in the Warrick Student Services/Administration Building. There is a \$3 fee for online orders.

Tickets may also be purchased at the door, if available.

Everett's appearance is sponsored by Interventional Pain Management Associates, P.C. – Dr. Lesly Pompy, M.D., MBA, CPE, MSF.

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