

Sixth Annual
Massachusetts
Commemorative Ceremonies
on the Anniversary of
September 11, 2001



Deval Patrick
Governor

Tim Murray
Lieutenant Governor

Kevin M. Burke
*Secretary of
Public Safety*



In collaboration with
The Massachusetts
9/11 Fund, Inc.

Massachusetts Remembers
Massachusetts Honors

Program

Tuesday, September 11, 2007

Wreath Laying Ceremony, 7:30 am

Boston Public Garden, 9/11 Contemplative Garden

Mayor Thomas M. Menino, presiding

All are invited to attend the subsequent ceremonies taking place in front of the State House and in the Chambers of the House of Representatives. Please proceed to the right hand side entrance of the State House on the Beacon Street side, and go through the security checkpoints. Staff and volunteers will be there to assist you.

For those needing a handicap accessible entrance, please proceed to the Bowdoin Street side entrance of the State House.

Flag Lowering, Moment of Silence and Reading of Names, 8:30 am

Front Steps of the Massachusetts State House

Governor Deval Patrick, presiding

Raising of the American Flag, National Anthem
Sgt. Jamie Connor, Massachusetts State Police, vocals

The Flag will be lowered to half staff in honor of those who died on September 11, 2001

Taps
Ken Jones and Beverly Perriccio

Moment of Silence

Reading of the Names of our Family Members and Friends
Readers: Governor Deval Patrick, William K. Connors, Jeff Filipov, Dorothy Grodberg, Farah Salie, Sinan Salie, Alicia Curran, George MacFarlane, George Smith, Judy Smith, Pat Trentini Malatesta, Della Trentini Spadafora, Rina Zarba; bell by Teresa Mathai.

Bell provided by Battleship Cove, Fall River, MA.

Please note, names are read in alphabetical order with the exception of the relatives of the readers.

Commemoration Observation & Sweeney Award for Civilian Bravery Presentation, 10:00 am

Massachusetts State House Chambers of the House of Representatives

Musical Tribute to Family Members
Commonwealth Brass Quintet

Welcome
Diane Hunt

National Anthem
Frank Zarba, vocals
Christopher Zarba, Sr., keyboard

Invocation
Reverend Sean M. Connor

Opening Remarks
Lieutenant Governor Tim Murray

Remarks from
Martin Meehan, Chancellor of the University of Massachusetts, Lowell

Recipients of scholarships and awards
Karen Jenkins, Shelly Bathe Lenn and Stephen Bentley

A Video Tribute to Loved Ones*
There will be a slight break before the video if you wish to step outside during the tribute

Presentation of the Madeline “Amy” Sweeney Award
for Civilian Bravery
Awarded to Peter M. Muthua

Closing Thoughts
Reverend John Lombard

“On Eagle’s Wings”
Vocals performed by Frank Zarba

Adjourn

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*\*Please note: inclusion in video montage and memorial/organization listing is voluntary. Please contact the MA 9/11 Fund for more information.*

# **In Their Honor**

*Through their love, dedication and tireless efforts, families and friends have honored their loved ones through the awards, events, facilities, foundations, funds, lectures, memorials, music, programs, scholarships and other organizations listed below.\**

## **Awards**

Jeffrey D. Bittner Book Award

Christine Lee Hanson Memorial Undergraduate Prizes in Literary Scholarship

Peter Hanson Humanities Award at Joel Barlow High School

Peter Burton Hanson Memorial Undergraduate Prizes in Literary Scholarship

14 wishes for Make-A-Wish Foundation of Massachusetts in name of Jennifer Kane

Madeline Amy Sweeney Award for Civilian Bravery

## **Events**

Susan L. Blair Walk and Rainbow Kids Day

Captain Gerald F. DeConto USN 5K Run/Walk to benefit Scholarship Fund

Donald Freeman Greene Memorial Regatta

Sacred Heart Golf Classic in memory of William Christopher Hunt

Annual Jennifer Kane Memorial Golf Tournament

Annual Jennifer Kane Plymouth Girls Softball Tournament

Robin Kaplan Golf Tournament

Robin Kaplan Crohns & Colitis Foundation Association Freedom Trail Walk

Ralph Kershaw Tournament of Friends

Laura Lee Morabito Charity/Golf Tournament

James Trentini Memorial Scholarship Fundraiser

Annual Golf Tournament - Jim & Mary Trentini Memorial Scholarship Fund for Triton Regional High School

## **Facilities**

Paige Farley-Hackel Memorial Playground, adjacent to the Salvation Army's Children's Learning Center, Dorchester, MA

Christine Lee Hanson Treatment Room – Pediatrics Department, Boston Medical Center

Christine Lee Hanson's Playground in Groton, MA

Connecticut's Beardsley Zoo - Hanson (Peter, Sue Kim and Christine Lee) Exploration Station and Backyard Habitat

Jennifer Kane Concession Stand for Plymouth Girls Softball

Jennifer Kane Pavilion located at Girl Scout Camp Wind in the Pines, Plymouth, MA

Jennifer Kane Challenge Course located at Camp Wind in the Pines, Plymouth, MA

Fallen Heroes Fund construction of rehab center for Iraq veterans with catastrophic injuries - Donation in honor of Jennifer Kane

Donation to Homes for our Troops for construction of handicapped accessible house for Iraq veteran with catastrophic injury - in honor of Jennifer Kane

Brian Kinney Memorial Field

Betty Ann Ong Recreation Room at the Woh Hei Yuen Park, San Francisco, CA

*(facilities, cont.)*

Dianne B. Snyder Tennis Complex and Memorial Garden, Westport, MA

## **Foundations**

Ace Bailey Children's Foundation

Mark Bavis Leadership Foundation

Jeffrey Coombs Memorial Foundation

Peter M. Goodrich Memorial Foundation

Corporate Angels Network (CAN) – in memory of Donald Freeman Greene

Jennifer Kane Scholarship and Charitable Trust

McGinty Scholarship Foundation

Shawn M. Nassaney Memorial Foundation

Kathleen Ann Nicosia Memorial Foundation

Betty Ann Ong Foundation

David E. Retik and Christopher D. Mello Charitable Foundation

Matthew C. Sellitto Foundation

Heather Smith Foundation, Inc.

Tyler Ugolyn Foundation

## **Funds**

David Bernard Memorial Fund

Jeffrey D. Bittner Memorial Fund

Michael Cauty Memorial Fund

Gerard P. Dewan Memorial Fund

Paige Farley-Hackel Free Care Fund - Victory Programs

Lynn Goodchild Memorial Fund at Kennedy-Donovan Center, Attleboro, MA

Melissa Harrington Hughes Endowment Fund

Jennifer Kane Endowed Campership Fund for Girl Scout summer camp

Jennifer Kane Endowed Campership Fund for Old Colony YMCA Camp Clark

Glenn D. Kirwin September 11th Fund at University of Virginia

Judy Larocque Camilla Fund for Entrepreneurial Women in Technology at MIT

Karen Ann Martin Memorial Fund

Captain John Ogonowski New Farm Families Endowment Fund

Michael B. Packer Memorial Fund for Prizes and Scholarships for Excellence in

Piano Studies at the Longy School of Music, Cambridge, MA

Marie Pappalardo/Maria Koutny Animal Assistance Fund

Jean D. Rogér Student Support Fund

Jean D. Rogér Memorial Fund

Rick Thorpe Memorial Fund, Wilbraham, MA

Eric (Rick) Thorpe '89 Memorial Fund for Community Outreach, Lafayette

College

James and Mary Trentini Memorial Fund

## **Lectures**

Al Filipov Peace & Justice Forum

Peter Burton Hanson Memorial Reading and Lecture

Sue Kim Hanson Lectureship in Immunology

## **Memorials**

Boston College 9/11 Memorial Labyrinth for Alumni Victims:

Patrick M. Aranyos, Bryan C. Bennett, Thomas M. Brennan, John B. Cahill, Kevin P. Connors, Welles Remy Crowther, Danielle A. Delie, John J. Doherty, Thomas J. Fitzpatrick, Christopher J. Hanley, Gary Lasko, Sean P. Lynch, Stacey Sennas McGowan, Daniel W. McNeal, William G. Minardi, Peter J. Mulligan, John J. Murray, Edward J. Papa, Bradley H. Vadas, Edward R. Vanacore, Joseph G. Visciano, Kevin M. Williams

David Bernard Memorial Garden - IRS Building Courtyard, Washington, D.C.  
Susan Blair memorial stone and garden at Needham High School, Needham, MA

John Brett Cahill Memorial Bench, Emerson Garden, Brookline, MA  
Plaque and bench at "Neilie Point", Nobska Lighthouse, Woods Hole, MA, in memory of Neilie Anne Heffernan Casey

Jeffrey Coombs Memorial in Woods Hole Cemetery

Jeffrey Coombs memorial granite stone and plaque - Pocasset Beach, MA

John J. Corcoran Memorial on Pond Island, Augusta, ME

Lisa Fenn Gordenstein Memorial Garden, Needham High School, Needham, MA

TJX Companies Lisa Fenn Gordenstein Memorial Garden

Karleton Fyfe memorial bench - at the University of North Carolina

TJX Companies Linda George Memorial Garden

Outdoor throwing circle at Bates College in memorial to Peter Goodrich

Douglas Gowell Memorial Garden

Christine Lee Hanson's Tree at The Old Academy Nursery School, Easton, CT

Congregation Church of Easton - Hanson Family memorial stones

Groton Community Hanson Family Memorial -Peter, Sue and Christine Hanson, Groton, MA

Groton Painted Post Road – Hanson Family Memorial, Groton, MA

Groton Public Library - Hanson Family Memorial Garden, bronze tablet and flag

Hanson Family Memorial Bench, Beardsley Zoo

Memorial Garden and Obelisk at Joel Barlow High School in Redding, CT - Hanson Family

Memorial stone and garden in Groton Rotary Circle - Hanson Family, Groton, MA

Old Academy Nursery School Memorial garden with statue of an angel - Hanson Family

Bridgeport Zoo memorial bench in honor of Peter, Sue Kim and Christine Lee Hanson

Sue Kim Hanson Memorial at South Pasadena High School, South Pasadena, CA

Eternal flame on the West Springfield Town Common in memory of Melissa Harrington Hughes

Melissa Harrington Hughes 9/11 Walkway and stone tablet in Red Rock Canyon, NV

Melissa Harrington Hughes Bench and Peace Garden at Dickinson College

*(memorials, cont.)*

Emergence Consulting - memorial plaque and flags - in memory of Ted Hennessy

Flag of Honor in Kingston (MA) Town Hall, donated in memory of William Christopher Hunt

William Christopher Hunt Memorial Plaque, Kingston (MA) Town Hall

Two cherry trees planted in memory of William Christopher Hunt, Sacred Heart High School Kingston, MA

Memorial tree at Thayer Academy honoring Jennifer Kane

Memorial bench at Plymouth Harbor honoring Jennifer Kane

Memorial bench at Villanova University honoring Jennifer Kane

Stained glass window at Corr Chapel, Villanova University honoring Jennifer Kane

Memorial tree at Plymouth VFW Post #1822 honoring Jennifer Kane

Jen's Cabin located at the Old Colony YMCA Camp Clark

Jennifer Kane paver for "Walkway of Friends" at Jordan Hospital

Jennifer Kane Peace Garden at Federal Furnace Elementary School

Flag of Honor in Plymouth (MA) Town Hall donated in memory of Jennifer Kane

Jennifer Kane paver at Plymouth Public Library

Jennifer Kane paver at Garden of Peace Memorial to Victims of Homicide, Boston, MA

TJX Companies Robin Kaplan Memorial Garden

Beech Tree in Manchester, MA Harbor planted in memory of Ralph Kershaw

Brian Kinney Square Memorial, Lowell, MA

Bethany Congregational Church - Michael McGinty Memorial plaque and tree

Stuart Meltzer Engraved walkway in Veterans' Memorial Park

Raymond Metz Memorial plaque and tree

Brian Joseph Murphy Garden and inscribed stone at Wilbraham Monson Academy

Brian Joseph Murphy Peace and Meditation Garden at Genesis Center

Brian Joseph Murphy Riverdale Country School Athletic Field

Thomas Pecorelli Audio/Visual Room at Newburyport High School

Pittsford High School scoreboard and plaque – in honor of Todd Pelino

Sigma Chi Fraternity - Colgate University - Todd Pelino memorial benches and tree

Todd Pelino Stone archway at the Colgate University soccer field

Wellesley Free Library Patrick Quigley Reading Room

Colgate University soccer field entryway and wall – in honor of David Retik

David Retik Memorial plaque and tree - Children's Hospital, Boston, MA

David Retik Memorial Bench, donated by class of 1986, Weston High School, Weston, MA

First Church of Christ Jean D. Rog er memorial bench

Jean D. Rog er memorial tree at the Center School

Longmeadow Country Club Jean D. Rog er memorial bench and garden

Richard B. Ross Memorial Garden, Newton, MA

Richard B. Ross Memorial Book Shelf - Temple Israel, Boston, MA

Richard Barry Ross Memorial from SITE (The Society of Incentive & Travel Executives)

*(memorials, cont.)*

Clock dedicated to Town of Sharon, MA in Memory of Michael C. Rothberg  
New Colony Baptist Church - Jessica Sachs prayer garden  
Jessica Leigh Sachs Memorial Bench at Heroes Memorial, Fenton City Park,  
Fenton, Missouri  
Granite stone and tree in memorial of Diane Bullis Snyder, James Madison  
Garden, Madison Green, Madison, CT  
Conant School - Madeline Amy Sweeney memorial bench and tree  
Madeline Amy Sweeney memorial park in Acton, MA  
Hemenway Landing - Michael A. Uliano memorial bench and flag  
Crocker Park - William Michael Weems memorial benches

## **Music**

“Christine’s Lullaby - An Elegy for Orchestra” – Written by Carl Schroeder  
A Gift of Music in Honor of Peter Burton Hanson  
“My Best Friends” - An original composition with words and music/guitar by  
Chris Clark - in honor of Peter, Sue and Christine Hanson  
“The Magic Kingdom” - An original composition in honor of the Hanson  
Family, with words and music/piano vocals by Gary Andreadis  
“Palm Sunday” Memorial Symphony  
“Sinfonia de Camera” Memorial

## **Programs**

Rick’s Place, Grieving Program for Children, in honor of Rick Thorpe

## **Scholarships**

Trudi M. Alagero Scholarship Fund at Providence College, Providence, RI  
Scholarship in memory of Myra Joy Aronson, class of 1971, at Miami University  
of Ohio  
Christine J. Barbuto Memorial Scholarship Fund  
Jeffrey D. Bittner Class of 1996 Scholarship, Middlebury College  
Jeffrey D. Bittner Class of ‘88 Memorial Scholarship  
Susan L. Blair ‘88 Memorial Scholarship Fund  
John Brett Cahill Memorial Scholarship Fund at Boston College  
Jeffrey Coombs Scholarship at Dedham High School, Dedham, MA  
Jay Corcoran Memorial Scholarship Fund  
Captain Gerald F. DeConto Scholarship Fund, Sandwich High School,  
Sandwich, MA  
Donald A. DiTullio Memorial Sports Scholarship, Lynn Vo Tech, Lynn, MA  
Paige Farley-Hackel Memorial Scholarship at Deepak Chopra Center for Well  
Being, La Jolla, CA  
Stephen Fenn & Lisa Fenn Gordenstein Memorial Scholarship Award at  
Brookline High School, Brookline, MA  
Paul J. Friedman Small Acts of Kindness Memorial Fellowship, NYU Stern  
Consulting Corps  
Karleton D. B. Fyfe Scholarship Fund, University of North Carolina at Chapel  
Hill  
Peter A. Gay Perpetual Scholarship

*(scholarships, cont.)*

Linda George Memorial Scholarship Fund at St. Peter-Mariann High School,  
Worcester, MA

Lynn C. Goodchild Memorial Scholarship

Peter M. Goodrich Scholarship at Bates College

Peter Burton Hanson Social Justice Scholarship

Melissa Harrington Hughes Scholarship at Junior League of San Francisco

Melissa Harrington Hughes Annual Scholarship at Dickinson College

Melissa Harrington Hughes Annual Scholarship, West Springfield, MA

Todd R. Hill Scholarship at University of Massachusetts - Amherst

William Christopher Hunt Annual Scholarship, Sacred Heart High School,  
Kingston, MA

Amy N. Jarret Scholarship, St. Mary Academy, Bay View, Riverside, RI

Amy N. Jarret Memorial Scholarship - Mt. St. Charles Academy, Woonsocket,  
RI

Jennifer Kane Endowed Scholarship at Villanova University

The Robin Kaplan Worcester State College Scholarship

Brian Kevin Kinney Scholarship at University of Massachusetts, Lowell

N. Janis Lasden Scholarship Fund, Peabody Memorial High School

Sean P. Lynch Scholarship Fund

Susan MacKay 9/11 Memorial Scholarship, Westford Academy

Michael McGinty Memorial Scholarship at Foxboro Regional Charter School

Brian J. Murphy Class of 1980 Memorial Scholarship

Leah E. Oliver Memorial Scholarship

Thomas Pecorelli Memorial Scholarship Fund sponsored by Fall  
Brook/Samoset PTO

Carrie Beth Progen Scholarship Fund, Mount Wachusett Community College

Michael C. Rothberg September 11th Memorial Scholarship at Sharon High  
School

Price-Waterhouse Coopers Jessica Leigh Sachs Memorial Scholarship at UMass  
Amherst

Rahma Salie Scholarship Fund at Wellesley College

Dianne B. Snyder Scholarship for study in education, Bishop Stang and  
Westport (MA) High Schools

Amy Todd Sweeney Scholarship at Nashua South High School

Kevin T. Szocik Scholarship Fund at Lunenburg High School

James & Mary Trentini Scholarship at Burlington High School, Burlington, MA

James & Mary Trentini Scholarship at Everett High School, Everett, MA

Thayer Symphony Orchestra - Christopher R. Zarba, Jr. Scholarship Music  
Fund

Edith G. Colantuono and Amelia and Henry DeAngelis Scholarship Trust Fund

## **Other Organizations**

September 11<sup>th</sup> Families for Peaceful Tomorrows

Marriott World Trade Center Survivors Group

Families of September 11<sup>th</sup>



*Boston Public Garden 9/11 Contemplative Garden*

Musicians:

Commonwealth Brass Quintet  
*Musical arrangement by Rick Hammett, trumpet, leader  
Greg Whitaker, trumpet; Bob Marlatt, french horn;  
Dennis Lambert, trombone; Ken Amis, tuba*

Luncheon Reception music provided by  
*Cameron Sawzin, violoncello*

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*Thank you for sharing the day with us.*