Tuesday, May 3, 2005:

All day May 3-4th, Fields across from Prentice Hall Parking Lot
"Arlington West: On The Road"

7pm-9:30pm, KIVA
"Looking Back, Looking Forward"

11pm: Commons
Annual Silent Candlelight March*
Please gather at the Victory Bell on KSU Commons at 10:30 pm. March led by KSU Prof. Dr. Jerry Lewis departs KSU Commons at 11pm. March is approximately 1.3 miles. Stroller and wheelchair accessible.

Wednesday, May 4, 2005:

Midnight – 12:24pm – Prentice Hall Parking Lot
Annual Silent Candlelight Vigil*
The Annual Silent Candlelight vigil will be held in the spaces where the four slain students fell in the Prentice Hall Parking Lot. Participants stand for 1/2 hour shifts. To reserve your space, please contact the May 4 Task Force.

9 am – 11am; The Commons
Historic Site Tours
Tours of the historic site will leave every half hour from The Victory Bell located in The Commons.

9:30am-11am: Rm. 317, Kent State Student Center
"Women In Activism"
A gathering devoted to women who are active in social justice issues. Women of all ages will share ideas on how to get their messages across to their audiences more effectively.

Noon-3pm: The Commons
35th Annual May 4 Commemoration*
"Tell Me Father, Did They Aim?"
The Victory Bell will be rung 15 times at 12:24 pm in honor of the students slain at Kent and Jackson State.

The families and friends of our the four slain students will speak, including:
Russell Miller (Jeff’s brother); Nancy Tuttle (Bill’s sister);
Barry Levine (Allison’s boyfriend); Mike Alewitz (Sandy’s friend)

Keynote Speaker: Dr. William Schulz, Executive Director of Amnesty International USA.

Other speakers include: Gene Young, Jackson State massacre eyewitness 1970; Ken Hammond, Kent SDS; Marc Lenc, Vietnam Era Veteran; Chad Salamon, Iraq Veterans for Peace; with performances by Ashley Touissant and The Waterband.

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May 4 Task Force; Box 49, Campus Life; Kent State University; Kent, OH 44240
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Join us for panel discussions focusing on the events leading up to the May 4, 1970 shootings.
Learn what happened to set the stage for the tragedy Kent State

1-3 pm, KIVA Auditorium
"Vietnam - Cambodia - Kent State"*
A panel discussion focusing on Vietnam Era Veterans who were stationed in SouthEast Asia at the time of the shootings, or were participants in the Kent State events of May 1 - 4, 1970.

4-6 pm, KIVA Auditorium
"SDS Reunion"*
An educational panel discussion focusing on the Kent State Chapter of the Students for a Democratic Society (SDS).

Also included in the program is the debut of a documentary film by Dr. Daniel Miller of Oregon, "Fire in the Heartland - A History of Dissent at Kent State University" featuring oral histories of student activists at Kent during the 1960s and 1970s.

7:30 - 9:30 pm, KIVA Auditorium
"I Was There"*
A panel discussion focusing on different viewpoints from individuals who were involved in the events of April 29 - May 4, 1970 at Kent State University.

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7:30 - 9:30 pm, KIVA Auditorium
"Looking Back, Looking Forward"

Wounded students Jim Russell, Joe Lewis and Dean Kahler and witness Rita Rubin-Long from 1970 and current Kent State students Greg Schwartz and Erin Roof discuss parallels in American culture between then and now.

* This panel will also be televised on the C-Span cable television networks.

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Join us for the 35th Annual Kent State Commemoration*
Noon, Kent State Commons

Featuring Keynote Speaker:

Dr. William F. Schulz,
Executive Director of Amnesty International USA.

Dr. Schulz was a student minister assigned to the Kent Unitarian Universalist Church in downtown Kent at the time of the shootings.

He will speak about his experiences during that time and his current work on social justice issues with Amnesty International USA.

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