36th Annual May 4 Commemoration

Monday, May 1, 2006:

Burial of the US Constitution
8pm @ Victory Bell, KSU Commons
- The US Constitution was buried on May 1st, 1970 in protest to the crimes against the republic committed by the Nixon Administration. The Bush Administration's policies at home and abroad demonstrate an utmost disregard for the U.S. Constitution. Efforts to restore law and order by Senator Russ Feingold have fallen on deaf ears in our Congress. The May 4 Task Force will re-acknowledge the death of the US Constitution at a burial service to be accompanied by speeches from students in this symbolic ceremony.

Tuesday, May 2, 2006:

Candlelight Drum Circle
9:30 PM @ May 4th Memorial
- Join us at the May 4 Memorial (next to Taylor Hall) for an evening of reflection at this good vibes event. Bring your drum or other percussion instrument and join in!

Wednesday, May 3 2006:

Confronting War and Militarism: Strategies from the Past and Visions for the Future
7PM @ Kiva
- Join us for a panel discussion on the successes and failures of current and former activists to effect change in society. Engage in an open reflection on how we may relate the strategies, and goals of the past to the struggles of today.

Moderated by Pat Coy
Dave Airhart- Iraq War Veteran
Troy Gregorino- KSU Peace Activist arrested on May 4, 2003
Chic Canfora- KSU Anti-Vietnam War Peace Activist
Gary Lockwood- Vietnam Veteran, SDS Member

Annual Candlelight March
11 PM @ The Commons
- Please gather at the Victory Bell on the KSU Commons and join us for this solemn march. It is approximately 1.3 miles long as it winds from the Victory Bell to the Prentice Hall Parking Lot and is wheelchair and stroller accessible.

Thursday, May 4, 2006*

Annual Silent Candlelight Vigil
Midnight – 12:24 PM @ Prentice Parking Lot
- 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 half hour shifts.
- To reserve your space, please contact the May 4 Task Force.

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11AM to 2PM @ KSU Commons
The Cost of War: Then and Now

Speakers include:

Medea Benjamin: 1:40 PM
Founding Director of Global Exchange.
Co-founder of Code Pink: Women for Peace.

Mary Ann Vecchio – 1:00PM
Witness to the May 4th Shootings.

Performances by:
Emma's Revolution - 1:15 PM
EP3- 11AM

Rain Location in the KSU Ballroom

Arlington Mid-West Memorial*
All Day @ KSU Commons
Arlington MW is a memorial to the fallen soldiers of Iraq and Afghanistan. Individual tombstone markers bearing the names of every casualty will be erected to represent the human cost of war, honor the fallen, and encourage open dialogue on the cost of war.

(March is organized by KSAWC, CAN, and Portage Peace)

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