Beverly remembers: Endicott students commemorate 9/11 through community service

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A flag memorial at Endicott College honors the lives lost on Sept. 11, 2001. Students participate in Day of Caring in remembrance.

Beverly, MA -- Endicott College is pleased to announce plans to commemorate the 11th Anniversary of 9/11 by mobilizing students, faculty, staff, and community members to promote random acts of kindness, community service initiatives, and an opportunity for personal reflection.

This special tribute is part of the nationwide 11th anniversary of 9/11 Day of Service and Remembrance, called 9/11 Day. Those interested in participating can get more information and sign up at 911day.org.

All across the nation and in many other countries as well, millions of people and countless organizations are asked to pay tribute this 9/11 by engaging in good deeds, supporting charities and volunteering. Organizers of 9/11 Day, which include the 9/11 nonprofit MyGoodDeed and HandsOn Network, hope to mobilize as many as five million people in charitable service in remembrance of the 9/11 victims and in honor of the many who rose in service in response to the attacks a decade ago.

Other prominent groups leading the effort include the 9/11 Memorial, Business Civic Leadership Council (BCLC) of the U.S. Chamber of Commerce, The Mission Continues, and AARP, among others. Funding has come entirely from private sector contributions by individuals and major corporations including American Express, GlaxoSmithKline, and JPMorgan Chase & Company.

Today, Tuesday, Sept. 11, Endicott's LIGHThouse (Learning to Inspire Guide Help and Teach) Leadership Society is sponsoring 12 Hours of LIGHT. Students will participate in random acts of kindness and good deeds.

Be on the lookout for these students around Beverly today. Then, at 5 p.m., Endicott will hold a Remembrance Ceremony at the Campus Amphitheater. This is open to the public.

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