Exhibit and ceremony – ‘Always Lost: A Meditation on War’

November 9, 2013

WHEN: November 11, 2013 – November 29, 2013
WHERE: University of Wisconsin-Barron County
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RICE LAKE, Wis. – In honor of Veteran’s Day, the public is invited to attend a special ceremony honoring veterans that features “Always Lost: A Meditation on War,” an arts and humanities exhibit on display at University of Wisconsin-Barron County through November.

The ceremony will take place at the university’s Megger’s Hall on the day after Veterans’ Day, Tuesday, Nov. 12, at 12:45 p.m. in the campus Commons area. The ceremony will include the presentation of colors by the Brunclik-Konop American Legion 0540 Post of Haugen, speakers, and the “Always Lost” exhibit.

The memorial honors soldiers lost in the Iraq (Operation Iraqi Freedom) and Afghanistan (Operation Enduring Freedom) wars. The heart of the exhibit is the Wall of the Dead, individual photographs with names of the more than 6,500 U.S. military war casualties since September 11, 2001. Along with the Wall of the Dead the presentation includes the 2004 Pulitzer Prize-winning collection of Iraq War combat photographs by David Leeson and Cheryl Diaz Meyer (courtesy of ‘The Dallas Morning News’) and literary work comprised of prose and poetry by Northern Nevada writers, along with historical and contemporary sayings on the subject of war from ancient philosophers to modern generals (the meditations) that accompany each combat photograph.

“Always Lost” originated as a creative writing and sociology class project at Western Nevada College (WNC), Carson City, in 2008 and evolved into a traveling exhibition. It made its national debut at UW-Marinette in fall...
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Lynne Rothrock and the Mood Swingers to perform

2010 and continues to tour colleges, universities, and veterans organizations across the nation.

The exhibit is open to the public through November on Monday through Thursday, 8 a.m. to 7 p.m., and Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

More information can be learned by contacting the campus, 715.234.8176.