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Reflect and remember



9/11 Tribute Memorial
Located at Red Run Park
12143 Buchanan Trail East
Waynesboro, PA 17268



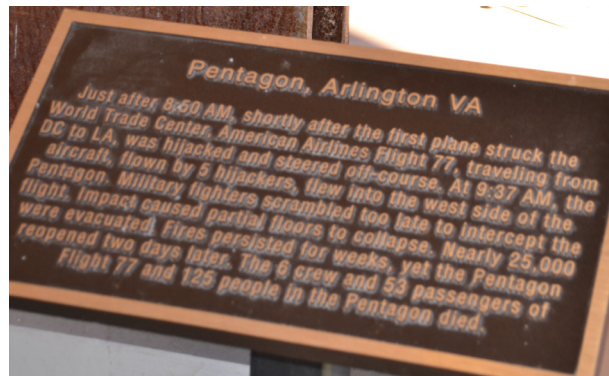
The Project



As America united after September 11, 2001, the Waynesboro area residents came together to create the 9/11 Tribute. This project was to remember the events of September 11th, the victims, the heroes, and American's ability to respond, to persevere and to rise to the occasion.

The World Trade Center I-beam was in Washington Township's possession on September 21, 2011, and a location for the memorial was identified as Red Run Park in the township. The rock from the Shanksville, PA Flight 93 crash site and the limestone from the Pentagon were acquired on December 13, 2011, and January 13, 2012, respectively.

A committee was created and met for the first time on October 18, 2011. Design, public relations, and fundraising subcommittees were created. With community input, the committee reviewed concepts and decided on a final design. Public relations and fundraising efforts commenced. The project gained momentum.



Fund raising included donation containers placed in local businesses, chicken barbecues and a radiothon. The people and businesses of the greater Waynesboro area made the 9/11 Tribute a reality.

The \$210,000 project was a true community collaboration with individual and corporate citizens donating funds, materials and in-kind services to the project and Washington Township providing manpower.

The 9/11 Tribute was dedicated on the evening of September 11, 2013, with more than five hundred people in attendance.

Fast Facts: The Department of Homeland Security was created in response to September 11 and merged 22 governmental agencies into one, including the Customs Service, the Immigration and Naturalization Service, the U.S. Coast Guard and the Federal Emergency Management Agency.



History

On Tuesday, September 11, 2001, a vibrant blue sky framed the familiar Twin Towers of the World Trade Center, the tallest buildings in New York City and centerpieces of the skyline. Forty thousand people began their work day as they ordinarily would but the events to follow would forever change America. The memorial to remember the events of September 11th and to honor the people who died and who saved lives became a fixture at Red Run Park in Waynesboro, PA on September 11, 2013. It will have many meanings to many people. Some will see it as a place of reverence. Others will see it as a solemn remembrance and still others will see it as an educational place to teach young students about the terrorist attack on America.

The two surprise attacks on U.S. soil which were Pearl Harbor and 9/11 have thrust the country into very different wars. Pearl Harbor and 9/11 have often been the subject of comparison by historians and those who served during wartime. What has happened on 9/11 is fading into yet another memorable date on history's calendar, like Dec. 7, 1941, the bombing of Pearl Harbor. But it will long be a significant moment in history. 9/11 much like the attack on Pearl Harbor on Dec. 7, 1941, will forever live in infamy as a day that our enemies attacked our country on American soil.

