



NEWS RELEASE

TRAVIS COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

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9/11 Ceremony To Be Held At Akins High School

On September 11, 2008, at 8 am, in the main lobby of Akins High School, 10701 South First Street, there will be a ceremony honoring those peace officers who lost their lives in New York City on September 11, 2001.

The Akins High School Air Force Junior ROTC, led by Criminal Justice Teacher, and Constable Precinct 3 Reserve Deputy, David Lopez, will conduct the 25 minute ceremony honoring those fallen peace officers.

Criminal Justice Teacher, Brian Platts, who is also a Reserve Peace Officer with the City of Bastrop Police Department, will read the biography of Richard Rodriguez, New York Port Authority Officer, as his background has ties to the Air Force and who perished inside Tower One helping to save others.

The contact person for this event is David Lopez (512) 563-5397.

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