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WHO: Office of Student Affairs at Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi
WHAT: Memorial Observance Marking 10th Anniversary of September 11, 2001 Attacks On World Trade Center and Pentagon
WHEN: Thursday, Sept. 8, at 12:30 p.m.
WHERE: Dr. Hector P. Garcia Plaza adjacent to the Mary and Jeff Bell Library

Memorial Observance at Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi to Mark 10th Anniversary of Attacks on World Trade Center, Pentagon
Brief ceremony will include narration of timeline and student remembrances

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas – Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi will hold a brief memorial observance marking the 10th anniversary of the terrorist attacks on the World Trade Center and Pentagon, on Thursday, Sept. 8, at 12:30 p.m. in the Dr. Hector P. Garcia Plaza adjacent to the Mary and Jeff Bell Library.

The ceremony will open with the posting of colors by the ROTC Islander Battalion and the singing of the national anthem led by music student Lauren Rader. Following remarks by University President Flavius Killebrew, Don Luna, professor of theatre, will narrate a timeline of the events of Sept. 11, 2001, when more than 2,700 people died when hijackers crashed two airliners into the World Trade Center in New York City and another into the Pentagon in Washington, D.C.

In addition, several students will recount their remembrances of that day. The service will close with a song performed by Dan Sheppard and Marcus Pacheco.

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