11th annual event devoted to peace and justice

Sponsored by Veterans for Peace, Chap. 115, Red Wing



Saturday, July 13,

all day event starting at 9:00 am



GUEST SPEAKERS

Kathy Kelly

Kathy is a tireless peace activist, pacifist, author, founder of Voices in the Wilderness and now a co-leader and co-founder of Voices for Creative Nonviolence.

Kelly was in Bagdad when the 2003 Iraq War started and she experienced the "Shock and

Awe" with her Iraqi friends. Kelly more recently has done work with the Audacity of Hope flotilla to Gaza and numerous trips to Afghanistan to learn from the Afghanis themselves about their hardships and suffering caused by unending war. Come and listen to her stories of hope and reconciliation as only she can tell.



Jack Nelson-Pallmeyer

Jack is an Associate professor of Peace and Justice Studies at the University of St. Thomas in St. Paul. Jack is an activist academic whose life and work are focused on addressing the political, economic, faith, and foreign policy dimensions of hunger and poverty.

Jack is the author of 13 books, including Authentic Hope: It's the End of the World as We Know It but Soft Landings Are Possible, now available from Orbis Books.

Jack is a founder of the Minnesota Arms Spending Alternatives Project (www. mnasap.org), a grassroots initiative to build a state-wide movement to shift federal spending priorities from militarization and war to meeting essential needs.

Misty Rowan

Misty is a poet and an activist who has been involved in many community campaigns and events as both participant and performer, including The Peoples Bailout Coalition, The Committee to Stop FBI Repression, Occupy Wall Street (MPLS), and the Anti War Committee(.org).



William Blum

Bill left the State Department in 1967 over his opposition to the Vietnam war, and began writing a series of critiques of America's interventions since WWII. In 1999, Bill received a Project Censored Exemplary Journalism award. In 2006, sales of his book Roque State

skyrocketed following Osama Bin Laden's recommendation that Americans read the book to understand why the U.S. is so hated in the Middle East.

Bill's monthly newsletter, Anti-Empire Report, provides current analyses of ongoing American misadventures overseas. Learn more at: www.williamblum.org

Day's events include:

speakers; workshops; noon lunchwagon; evening supper included; beautiful gardens; free camping but no hookups; music; bonfire.

Misty won the VERVE grant for spoken word poetry in 2012. Misty thinks of the

spoken word as a storytelling medium and she writes poetry that entertains,

educates, and inspires. You can check out Misty's work at missteatree.com

Relax and bring your own comfortable chair if you wish. Sunday morning breakfast for those staying overnight.

Cost: \$30 per person, \$50 per couple, students \$10; no one refused entry for inability to pay

Event location: Windbeam Farm N2934 750th St., Hager City, Wisconsin www.windbeamfarm.com

For more information: www.peacestockvfp.org

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