

wear blue:
run to remember®



177

run, walk, bike, swim, row or time = 177

TOGETHER, LET'S CLOSE THE MONTH OF MARCH with a powerful community effort, called **the wear blue Piestewa Challenge**, to honor **the 177 women** who have given their lives in our continued combat operations around the globe. Named in honor of SPC Lori Piestewa, the first American Indian service member to be killed in combat on foreign soil, and as the first female service member killed in Iraq.

On this day, **23 March 2024**, marks the **21st anniversary of SPC Piestewa's** sacrifice. We invite our community to create teams (of 4-8) and collectively run 177 miles, to honor the lives of the 177 women killed in action in the Global War on Terror.

Each step is in remembrance of the women who made the ultimate sacrifice. Please join us and unite our community with a shared effort of purpose, health and connection.



JOIN A TEAM

MARCH 22, 2024

» 11 a.m.-2 p.m.
Mel Lindbloom Student Union (SU)

CHALLENGE WEEK

MARCH 23-29, 2024

» 11 a.m.-2 p.m.
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In-person table:
March 22 and 29 only, located in the SU

circle of remembrance:

On **MARCH 29TH** we invite GRC to gather at the **Kennelly Commons, 12 p.m.** to join in reading the names of the 177 women killed in action.

« Scan QR Code for information and to donate
greenriver.edu/piestewa-challenge

This challenge is in collaboration with GRC's Indigenous Student Success Center, Veteran Services, College Relations, Student Life & The RAC

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