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## Movie about Hobart Marine premieres Sunday in Madison

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MADISON — A documentary about a Hobart Marine and his family will premiere Sunday at the Wisconsin Film Festival on the fourth anniversary of his death in Iraq.

**ADVERTISEMENT** "Jerabek" — a film about the family of Marine Pfc. Ryan Jerabek — was screened last year at the Tribeca Film Festival in New York and will make its premiere in Madison at the 2008 Wisconsin Film Festival.

Jerabek was killed April 6, 2004, in combat in Ramadi, Iraq, when insurgents ambushed his patrol.

The 76-minute film chronicles the Pulaski High School graduate's family over two years and the community.

The varsity athlete and honors student enlisted in the Marines immediately after graduating from high school, partially inspired by what happened on Sept. 11, 2001. Jerabek was the first Brown County casualty in the Iraq war.

Directed by Chicago-based producer Civia Tamarkin and produced with the help of Iraq and Afghanistan Veterans of America, the film features many unpublished photos of Jerabek and his family.

The movie will premiere at 5:45 p.m. Sunday at the Bartell Theater, 113 E. Mifflin St., Madison.

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