



In a New York Minute



"All the News you Need to Know – in a Minute"

A Weekly Update for New York National Guard Service Members & Families

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PENCIL US IN YOUR CALENDARS/TENTATIVE DATES

2012 NY NG FAMILY PROGRAMS Joint Volunteer and Youth Workshop/Awards Ceremony
TENTATIVELY scheduled for 13-15 April 2012



HireDS Announces Virtual Job Fair as part of its "Be A Hero, Hire A Hero" Career Expo <http://www.beahero-hireahero.com/virtual-expo.html>

Please Join Our Youth Program in Assembling The 27th BCT Youth Quilt
NOVEMBER 11TH, 2011
10:00 AM TO 2:00PM
DIVISION OF MILITARY AND NAVAL AFFAIRS

POC; Colleen Casey colleen.e.casey@us.army.mil
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VIRTUAL LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

For demobilizing Service Members of the National Guard, Reserve, Wounded Warriors, and their Families!

Federalizing Your Resume

October 13th, 8:00 pm Eastern

<http://zeidersevents.refineddata.com/course/webinar.php?id=36%20>

Stepping Stones on Your Career Path

October 17th, 8:00 pm Eastern

<http://zeidersevents.refineddata.com/course/webinar.php?id=38%20>

Decoding Military Skills for Civilian Employers

October 20th , 9:00 am Eastern

<http://zeidersevents.refineddata.com/course/webinar.php?id=31%20>

Salary Negotiation

October 25th, 11:00 am Eastern

<http://zeidersevents.refineddata.com/course/webinar.php?id=37%20>

The Latham (JFHQ) ID Card

Office has temporarily changed hours, Tuesdays and Thursdays mornings. **BY APPOINTMENT ONLY** Call Sandra Schlotter ;518-786-0390

For your convenience a complete list of other available ID Card offices can be found here

www.dmdc.osd.mil/rsl/appj/site?execution=e1s1

The Home Depot Foundation is running a special program to commemorate the 10th anniversary of 9/11. From 11 Sep 11 through Veteran's Day (11 Nov 11), Home Depot is offering to conduct work projects on military members'... Personal homes. Home Depot will provide the materials, labor and contractors. Projects will include repairs and installations. The priority is as follows:

- Wounded warriors & disabled veterans
- Members returning from deployment
- Members with special needs (either themselves or family members)
- All others

For Details See: <http://homedepotfoundation.org/See>

Reminder

➤ **Soldiers' are responsible to keep their dependants information updated in DEERS?**

More than your link to Medical coverage, Many benefits and entitlements are tied to DEERS verification. any questions contact the nearest RAPIDS site

www.dmdc.osd.mil/rsl/appj/site?execution=e1s1 or

the State Family Programs Office

1-877-715-7817

Military Report The Military Community's FREE Benefits & Quality of Life Newsletter

http://www.military.com/NL_MR/1,14852,9654,00.html

If you or your spouse are in the National Guard or Reserves and are deployed overseas, Our Military Kids can help pay for sports, fine arts and tutoring programs for your children.

<http://www.ourmilitarykids.org/>



Wounded Warriors Project and Veterans Day Parade 2011

Marchers wanted ...interested?

contact Tony Ntellas, WWP Events Coordinator

ntellas@woundedwarriorproject.org

Domestic Violence Awareness

OCTOBER IS DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AWARENESS MONTH

New York State's 24-hour Domestic Violence Hotline: (800) 942-6906 (English) / (800) 942-6908 (Spanish)

For more information visit www.ncdsv.org



EVENTS CALENDAR

OCT 9	A Troop 101 CAV fall family outing to the Pick 'n Patch! Sunday, October 9th from 2:30-4:30pm. POC Joey Norsen / Karen Fuller atrop2101frg@yahoo.com
OCT 14	Suffolk County Veterans Employment Fair For information - please contact David Rivera at Suffolk County Veterans Service Agency 631-853-8387
OCT 16	107 MP FRG meeting Utica POC Bonnie Deiter bonnie.deiter@us.army.mil
OCT 22	A Co 2nd 108th FRG Honor Our Soldiers Walk A Thon 9:30 am Henpeck Park, Rochester POC Deb Davis debDavis1096@dishmail.net
Oct 22	Yellow Ribbon During Deployment, 105th MP Co, Rochester POC YRR yellowribbonny@ng.army.mil
OCT 25	204TH FRG-Veterans Information Night 6:30 topic: Family Reintegration/Homecoming POC Amy Hibbard amy.hibbard@us.army.mil
OCT 28	A co 101 SIG Halloween Party for children POC k.santana.33@hotmail.com
OCT 29	Yellow Ribbon Pre Deployment, 27th BCT, Tarrytown, POC YRR yellowribbonny@ng.army.mil
OCT 29	Children's Halloween Party 204TH FRG-Children's Halloween Party POC Amy Hibbard amy.hibbard@us.army.mil
OCT 30	Yellow Ribbon Pre Deployment 27th BCT, Uniondale, POC YRR yellowribbonny@ng.army.mil
NOV 5	27th Pre YR Event Makeup Syracuse POC YRR yellowribbonny@ng.army.mil
NOV 12	Craft fair for A CO 101 SIG hosted by the Hopewell Reformed Church POC k.santana.33@hotmail.com
NOV 16	Hiring Our Heroes job fair American Legion Zaloga Post 1520 POC Bob Van Pelt robert.w.vanpelt@us.army.mil
On-Going Events	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Busch Garden Entertainment</u> www.herosalute.com/states/index.html (FREE admission, 1 day passes available) • <u>Disney World Armed Forces Salute Ticket</u> www.shadesofgreen.org/salute.htm or www.disney.com • <u>FREE admission Bronx Zoo and New York Aquarium</u> http://www.bronxzoo.com / www.nyaquarium.com • <u>Beaches Resort Salute Our troops</u> Http://www.beaches.com/military • <u>Six Flags Great Escape</u> http://www.sixflagsgreatescapelodge.com/plan-your-stay/specials-packages/november/