



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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2012 VOLUNTEER AND YOUTH WORKSHOP

Friday April 13 – Saturday April 14 at the Gideon Putnam Hotel in Saratoga Springs The Theme of this years workshop is “**Stay In Focus**” Appointed Volunteers are encouraged to attend. Families attending the workshop can join us for our social on Friday evening: “*Can you stay in Focus? – A Hypnotic evening.*”

Youth attending ages 6-18 will spend Saturday at **The Edge Adventure Center** in Clifton Park.
For more information please contact your Family Readiness Support Assistant
Youth and Adult registration can be accessed : <http://dmna.ny.gov/family/symposium/regover.html>

REGIONAL READINESS VOLUNTEER TRAINING APPOINTED FRG VOLUNTEERS & MPOC

One day training to attend locally no overnight required. Childcare (all ages), breakfast, and lunch will be provided.

NYC/Long Island: March 24, 2012 @ NYNG Armory Lexington Ave:
<https://www.jointservicessupport.org/Events/EventDetails.aspx?Mode=ReadOnly&Id=d770453f-2985-4150-aea8-4e58c4137238>

Syracuse: June 9, 2012 @ NYNG Armory Thompson Rd:
<https://www.jointservicessupport.org/Events/EventRegistrationRequest.aspx?Mode=AddNew&Id=37C6D7F3-F6CF-4B29-AD55-51A98674C991>



Living in the New Normal Institute: Helping Children Thrive in Good and Challenging Times

Date: May 1-2, 2012 Elmsford, NY
Registration and Breakfast: 8:00 a.m.—8:30 a.m.
Institute Training: 8:30 a.m.—4:00 p.m.
95% attendance is required to receive institute credit and course materials. No cost to participants.
For information : Myriam Virella at 254-953-1923 or myriam.virella@MilitaryChild.org
Register: www.MilitaryChild.org click Upcoming Trainings

COUPLES STRONG BONDS WEEKENDS MAR 31-APR 1 Uniondale Long Island

Register at www.strongbonds.org



Military Community and Family Policy (MC&FP)
Weekly eNewsletter
<http://apps.mhf.dod.mil/mcfp/weekly>

NYS Operation: Military Kids and Chenango County American Legion Auxiliary

invite military youth and families on
Sat April 21st, 12:00-4:00 PM
American Legion Post 189 Norwich, NY
for an afternoon of community networking.

****Hero Packs will be available for youth ages 4-18
** RSVP to ensure packs are still available**

Questions: 607-334-9194
Please RSVP by April 7th bdk49@cornell.edu

NYS Operation: Military Kids 2012
OMK Camp – Mission: Summer Discovery!



Who: Military youth Age 10-14 Where: Redwood, NY
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March 20	SPRING
March 21	Job Fair Albany VA- POC Bob Van Pelt robert.w.vanpelt@us.army.mil
March 21	Job Fair Fort Hamilton POC robert.w.vanpelt@us.army.mil
March 22	Job Fair West Point POC robert.w.vanpelt@us.army.mil
March 24	FRG regional Training – NYC/Long Island -POC Laraine Figliuolo laraine.figliuolo@us.army.mil
March 28	Job Fair Intrepid POC robert.w.vanpelt@us.army.mil
March 31-Apr 1	Couples Strong Bonds Event- <i>Uniondale</i> –POC Chaplain Olsen eric.w.olsen2@us.army.mil
April 7 	Easter Egg Hunt Canandaigua American Legion 454 North Main St. RSVP to omk-ny@cornell.edu By April 1
April 8	
April 21	Veterans Helping Veterans 9am -2pm American Legion Open House Post 256 - 454 North Main St. Canandaigua

ONGOING DEAL\$ & DI\$COUNT\$

Busch Garden Entertainment www.herosalute.com/states/index.html

Disney World Armed Forces Salute www.shadesofgreen.org/salute.htm or www.disney.com

Bronx Zoo and New York Aquarium <http://www.bronxzoo.com/> www.nyaquarium.com

Beaches Resort Salute Our troops <http://www.beaches.com/military>

Six Flags Great Escape <http://www.sixflagsgreatescapelodge.com/plan-your-stay/specials-packages/november/>

United States Tennis Association FREE one-year junior memberships to Military kids. POC sheppard@usta.com



<http://www.vets4warriors.com/>