



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

SINGLE SOLDIERS GET-AWAY

About 50 percent of the Army’s Soldiers are single. If you’re a single Soldier, you may at times be far from home, lonely, and faced with the uncertainty of imminent deployment. These pressures can lead to hasty decision-making when choosing a life partner. A supportive mate is extremely important — so the Army is committed to helping you learn how to make good relationship choices by offering the Strong Bonds Single Soldier program. With this program, you and other Soldiers will attend training off-site for a retreat weekend. In addition to relevant teaching and skills training, Strong Bonds weekends include time for relaxation, recreation, fellowship, and fun. You’ll gain practical, useful information based on a nationally recognized curriculum that’s been carefully chosen. You’ll learn to examine priorities, manage mate-choices patterns, and learn to evaluate a relationship’s potential for long-term success.

June 9-10

Alexandria Bay Edgewood Resort

Register today www.strongbonds.org

More info: maurice.cousineau@us.army.mil

June edition of the Military Community & Family Policy eMagazine! <http://apps.mhf.dod.mil/mcfp/emag>

Military OneSource Tax Services... H&R Block At Home tool has been extended through June 30
<https://www.militaryonesourceeap.org/achievesolutions/en/militaryonesource/Topic.do?centerId=1&topicId=1583>

REGIONAL READINESS VOLUNTEER TRAINING

Syracuse: June 9, 2012

APPOINTED FRG VOLUNTEERS & MPOC One day training to attend locally, no overnight. Childcare (all ages), breakfast, and lunch provided.

<https://www.jointservicesupport.org/Events/EventRegistrationRequest.aspx?Mode=AddNew&Id=37C6D7F3-F6CF-4B29-AD55-51A98674C991>

SUMMER CAMPS

July 8-13: Pioneer Camp, Angola

www.militaryfamily.org/our-programs/operation-purple/

July 22-27: Camp Wabasso

July 29-Aug 3: Camp Wabasso

<http://www.militaryfamily.org/our-programs/operation-purple/>

Aug. 8-21: Camp Tranquility

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Kamp Kiwanis, Taberg, NY 2012 Schedule

Week 1: July 8-14

Week 4: July 29-Aug. 4

Kamp Kiwanis registration call (315) 336-4568 *Be sure to mention you are registering a military Youth.

AMC Theaters present “sensory friendly” showings of movies for young children. Please see the information and links below for showings in your local area.

<http://www.amctheatres.com/programs/sensory-friendly-films>



**New York National Guard
The JOB ZONE**

<https://dmna.ny.gov/jobs/jobs.php?id=nyng>

Weekly Update



http://vaforvets.va.gov/veterans/aboutva/hiringevents/Pages/EVENT_Detroit_June2012.aspx

?? What's missing on the events calendar?
 Hint: see below.....

	YOUR CALENDAR OF EVENTS
June 2	FREE TO ALL MILITARY FAMILIES! Family Fun Day by North East District Elks Lodges Reservations Required. POC Regina Hogan 518-237-4986 hoagie_1@msn.com FREE TO ALL MILITARY FAMILIES
June 9	FRG regional Training – <i>Syracuse</i> -POC Kelly Oram kelly.m.oram@us.army.mil
June 9-10	Strong Bonds Singles Weekend Alexandria Bay Edgewood Resort “How to Avoid Falling for a Jerk” Register www.strongbonds.org POC SSG Cousineau maurice.cousineau@us.army.mil
June 23	Pre-Deployment: 101st ESB (HHC & A Co) – Tarrytown, Register at: https://www.jointservicessupport.org/Events/EventDetails.aspx?Mode=ReadOnly&Id=c68fe67d-e889-45f0-a5d0-e48f78e0ed3a POC Yellow Ribbon Team yellowribbonny@ng.army.mil
June 24	Pre-Deployment: 101st ESB (B Co & C Co) – Tarrytown, Register at: https://www.jointservicessupport.org/Events/EventDetails.aspx?Mode=ReadOnly&Id=8bec0ce7-3cf0-489d-afa5-a0e091bf80f9 POC Yellow Ribbon Team yellowribbonny@ng.army.mil
July 21-22	Post-Deployment 30 day: 107th MP – Albany, Register at: https://www.jointservicessupport.org/Events/EventDetails.aspx?Mode=ReadOnly&Id=e7817e4d-a927-4094-99f4-1f20b16b2ae4 POC Yellow Ribbon Team yellowribbonny@ng.army.mil

In Honor of Military Appreciation:

- Great Escape/Splash Water Kingdom: \$7 discount on general admission up to 6 people
- Home Depot: 10% everyday military discount
- Lowe's: 10% everyday military discount
- Flowershop.com In honor of your service to our country, save 15% on all purchases enter promo code “USA”
- JC Penney Portrait Studio: 1 FREE 8x10, FREE sitting fees, 50% off your entire purchase
- American Lube Express Oil Change: \$3 off oil changes for members of the military with ID.

Answer: YOUR FRG MEETING OR EVENT!

For more information on items featured in or to POST your news/events in the “In a NY Minute”
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