



In a New York Minute

“All the News you Need to Know – In a NY Minute”

June 21, 2013

**THIS IS YOUR REQUIRED
ANNUAL TRAINING**

REGIONAL VOLUNTEER, COMMANDER & MPOC FAMILY READINESS TRAINING

Volunteer Training Dates

13 July Jamestown

<https://www.jointservicessupport.org/Events/EventRegistrationRequest.aspx?Mode=AddNew&Id=af924ef8-2ccc-47e8-bbdd-35af3dbc9e60>

20 July Camp Smith

<https://www.jointservicessupport.org/Events/EventRegistrationRequest.aspx?Mode=AddNew&Id=a9cf3678-f4bc-44cf-afd9-4d0327d44a2d>

3 August Rochester

<https://www.jointservicessupport.org/Events/EventRegistrationRequest.aspx?Mode=AddNew&Id=A3EE5CE9-D48F-4943-8646-D42D92B4DB47>

17 Aug Farmingdale Reserve Center

<https://www.jointservicessupport.org/Events/EventDetails.aspx?Id=0d925215-8002-4a1d-9ef2-75ec9e490a00>

Command & MPOC Training Dates

21 July Camp Smith

<https://www.jointservicessupport.org/Events/EventRegistrationRequest.aspx?Mode=AddNew&Id=e4f2da00-a8d6-4ce0-97ab-96f6f6d916d3>

4 August Rochester

<https://www.jointservicessupport.org/Events/EventRegistrationRequest.aspx?Mode=AddNew&Id=dc481120-5898-4b4d-8ba3-ee63517340a5>

TEEN REGIONAL TRAININGS

Register your 12-18 yr old while there are still available spaces to attend. Join our Youth Program and Operation Military Kids for our 1 day training, including a combination of:

[Life Skills](#) ~ [Workforce Development](#) ~

[Child Care](#) ~ [Healthy Habits](#) ~ [Leadership](#)....

July 13 – Jamestown

July 20 – Camp Smith

August 17 – Farmingdale

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Identity theft happens when someone steals your personal information and uses it without your permission. This can lead to tremendous financial difficulties, can damage your reputation, and increase stress levels affecting every aspect of your life. In response to the threat of Identity Theft facing Guardsmen and their Families, our Personal Financial Consultant Adam Stevens recently had a conversation with Aiesha L. Battle regarding some resources available in NY. Ms. Battle serves as the Director of the Division of Consumer Protection (DCP) at the NY Department of State. Over the next few weeks you can review the important information she shared on how we can protect ourselves from Identity Theft. Starting with warning signs for identity theft :

- You receive bills for purchases you never made or collection notices regarding debts you did not incur.
- You are denied credit for no apparent reason
- You stop receiving monthly bank or credit card statements
- Your credit report contains inaccurate information.

What should service members and their families do if they think that they have been victims of identity theft? We suggest you:

- Contact the three major credit bureaus to place a “Fraud Alert” or “Credit Freeze” on your credit reports,
- Ask for free copies of your credit reports and review them for inquiries from companies you haven’t contacted, accounts you didn’t open, and debts on your accounts that you can’t explain.
- Close any accounts that have been tampered with or established fraudulently and submit an [ID Theft Affidavit](#) (found on the FTC website) to support your claim.
- Explain the situation to your commanding officer. You may want a referral to a legal assistance office.
- File a report with military law enforcement and the local police, their reports will help you with creditors who may want proof of the crime. Make sure you maintain a copy of the report for your own records and for future use, if necessary.
- Report scam/fraud complaints to the special FTC site: [The FTC’s Consumer Sentinel/Military](#). This site provides a secure online database for the military community to report concerns about identity theft, deceptive lending or mortgage practices, debt collection problems, phone frauds, or other scams. The FTC and the Department of Defense use this information to identify and target problems affecting the military community. POC for this information is Adam R. Stevens, JFSAP Personal Financial Counselor (518)786-0406 astevens@mflc.zeiders.com

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

22 June	3/126 30 Day Yellow Ribbon Event, Henrietta POC YR Team ng.ny.nyarnq.list.yellowribbon@mail.mil
24-25 June	ASIST Workshop Rochester POC SFC Bucher shaun.c.butcher.mil@mail.mil
24-28 June	Veterans Opportunity to Work Dept of Labor Employment Workshop, Tarrytown POC John Willsey john.j.willsey.ctr@mail.mil
26-27 June	ASIST Workshop Buffalo POC SFC Bucher shaun.c.butcher.mil@mail.mil
4 July	FIND A JULY FOURTH FIREWORKS DISPLAY NEAR YOU! http://nysparks.com/events/event-results.aspx?sdt=6%2f29%2f2013&edt=7%2f8%2f2013&ft=24&tab=2 
8-12 July	Veterans Opportunity to Work Dept of Labor Employment Workshop, Tarrytown POC John Willsey john.j.willsey.ctr@mail.mil
13 July	VOLUNTEER REGIONAL FAMILY READINESS TRAINING Jamestown POC Bonnie Deiter bonnie.l.deiter.ctr@mail.mil
13 July	REGIONAL TEEN TRAININGS Jamestown POC Colleen Casey colleen.e.casey.ctr@mail.mil / Keri O'Neil keri.j.oneil.ctr@mail.mil
13 July	3/126 Yellow Ribbon 60 Day event Rochester POC YR Team ng.ny.nyarnq.list.yellowribbon@mail.mil
20 July	VOLUNTEER REGIONAL FAMILY READINESS TRAINING Camp Smith POC Marcus Dacis marcus.dacis.mil@mail.mil
20 July	REGIONAL TEEN TRAININGS Camp Smith POC Colleen Casey colleen.e.casey.ctr@mail.mil / Keri O'Neil keri.j.oneil.ctr@mail.mil
21 July	Regional MPOC Training Camp Smith POC Marcus Dacis marcus.dacis.mil@mail.mil
27 Jul	642 ASB (HSC & A Co) Pre-Mob Yellow Ribbon Event Rochester POC YR Team ng.ny.nyarnq.list.yellowribbon@mail.mil

The Military Saves Campaign partners with the Department of Defense to encourage Service Members to increase savings and reduce debt. **The first National Guard Summer Savings Drive is currently being held in June 2013.** As a part of the Savings Drive, please encourage individuals to sign the military saves pledge at <http://www.militarysaves.org/take-the-pledge>. Taking the pledge is seen as a first step in taking action to improve financial security. As of 6/11/13 a total of 288 National Guard members have taken the Military Saves pledge during the National Guard Summer Savings Drive. 50 NY National Guard Members have signed the pledge. Individuals that sign the pledge are eligible to receive free electronic information and a free Myfico Credit Score Analysis. If you have questions on how to get involved please contact Adam R. Stevens, Personal Financial Counselor (518)786-0406 AStevens@mflc.zeiders.com



Do you or your dependents need a new ID card?
Want to update your information in DEERS
There are many locations State/Nationwide where you can go to accomplish this:
<http://www.dmdc.osd.mil/rs/appj/site?execution=e2s1>

- CLASSIFICATIONS: # of correct answers**
- 8 Master Patriot 5-7 Expert Patriotic 4-6 Intermediate Citizen 0-3 Novice Citizen
- False**
8. There are 52 stars and 13 stripes on the U.S. flag? **answer -**
 7. Who was nicknamed "Father of Flag Day" for helping to bring about the holiday? **answer - e) Bernard Cigrand**
 6. Which state was the first to declare Flag Day a holiday? **answer - a) Pennsylvania**
 5. Who signed the proclamation that established Flag Day? **answer - b) Woodrow Wilson**
 4. Which country does NOT observe Flag Day? **answer - d) France**
 3. What is Flag Day's most popular activity? **answer - c) Public and private display of flags**
 2. Is Flag Day a federal holiday in the United States? **answer - b) No**
 1. Why do we celebrate Flag Day? **answer - a) To honor the country's heroes and history**
- FLAG DAY TRIVIA ANSWERS**

Weekly Job Update

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



NYNG Job Zone FREE I Phone app

<https://itunes.apple.com/us/app/new-york-national-guard-job/id651702318?mt=8>