



HQ, ARMY SUPPORT ACTIVITY FORT DIX
FORT DIX, NEW JERSEY 08640

TEAM DIX RETIREE NEWSLETTER



DEAR MEMBER OF THE RETIRED COMMUNITY:

I cordially invite you, your Family and friends to attend the Army Support Activity (ASA) Fort Dix, Annual Retiree Appreciation Day (RAD) on Saturday, September 29, 2012 at the Timmermann Conference Center which is located at Pennsylvania Avenue and 8th Street, Fort Dix, New Jersey. The day's events will begin with light refreshments at 0830 hrs. The formal ceremony will commence at 1000 hours.

Our RAD has been planned with you in mind. We sincerely hope to provide you and your Family with pertinent information and an enjoyable day. Our "County Fair" of information booths, will provide you with publications and answers to your individual questions. In addition, a team of medical personnel will be available to answer medical questions and provide limited medical screenings.

The RAD's luncheon will be held at the Dining Facility, located, in building 5610 on Rhode Island Ave. the cost is \$4.55 per person. If interested please fill out the reservation form attached.

The Identification Card work centers located in the Human Resources-Military, Building 5418 and the Welcome Center at the Main Gate on route 68, will be open from 0800-1600 hours, for those who need to renew their ID Cards and/or enroll in DEERS. In addition, the Post Exchange (PX) and Commissary will feature special sale items throughout the day.

I feel that you will find our program both informative and enjoyable. Please mark Saturday, September 29, 2012 on your calendar and plan to attend.

Sincerely,

JEFFERY DOLL
Colonel, US Army
Commanding

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**RETIRED,
AND STILL
SERVING**





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ARMY SUPPORT ACTIVITY FORT DIX RETIREE COUNCIL

The Army Support Activity Fort Dix Retiree Council, is the voice of the retired community. If you have concerns, you would like the council to address you may contact the council through the Retirement Services Office at (609) 562-2666. Council Chairman MAJ (RET) BARRENTINE invites you to attend the next meeting which will be held November 17, 2012 at 0930 in Building 5345, 6TH Ave. If you would like additional information, please contact the RSO.

“STILL SERVING”

RETIREMENT APPRECIATION DAY KEY SPEAKERS ARE

- COLONEL RALPH W. LUNT - The Defense Finance and Accounting Services Deputy Director for Retired and Annuitant Pay.
- LTC (RET) RAY RUSSEL - Military Officers Association , who will present a legislative update.

JBMDL COMMISSARY AND EXCHANGE INFORMATION

Commissary-Broidy Road, McGuire AFB, NJ 08641. Phone: (609) 754-2153 EXT 3102

Hours of Operations: SUN: 1000-1900 , MON—SAT 0900 –2000

Exchange-Broidy Road, McGuire AFB, NJ 08641, Phone (609) 723-6100

Hours of Operations: SUN-1000-2000, MON-SAT 0900-2000

Barber Shop– Main Exchange, Phone (609) 723-5190 , SUN– 1000-1600, MON-SAT 0800-2000



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AGENDA

***RETIREE APPRECIATION DAY
FORT DIX, NEW JERSEY
29 SEPTEMBER 2012***

0830 - 1215	COUNTY FAIR BOOTHS
0830 - 0950	REFRESHMENTS SERVED
0900 - 0945	ENTERTAINMENT
0955 - 1000	CALL TO ORDER
1000 - 1145	POSTING OF THE COLORS
	INVOCATION
	NATIONAL ANTHEM
	PLEDGE OF ALLIGENCE
	WELCOME: COUNCIL CHAIRMAN
	INTRODUCTION OF PODIUM GUESTS
	WELCOME: ASA COMMANDER
	INTRODUCTION: KEYNOTE SPEAKER
	KEYNOTE SPEAKER'S ADDRESS
	LEGISLATIVE UPDATE
	PRESENTATION TO SPEAKER
	CLOSING REMARKS
	TAPS
	BENEDICTION
	RETIREMENT OF THE COLORS
1145 - 1215	DOOR PRIZE DRAWINGS
1230 - 1400	RAD LUNCHEON



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ARMY SUPPORT ACTIVITY FORT DIX, ID CARD WORK CENTER

The Human Resources Military, primary Identification Card work center is located at Building 5418, First Floor, Center Wing, Room 125, Delaware Avenue, and South Scott Plaza, ASA Fort Dix, Fort Dix, New Jersey.

The ID card work center is responsible for the update of the Defense Enrollment Eligibility Reporting System (DEERS); provide Official Identification Cards to Soldiers, Family Members and retirees.

Applicants must have two (2) forms of identification, including one (1) photo ID.

➤ Acceptable forms of primary photo ID (must not be expired) are:

- Military ID
- Driver's license
- Passport
- State, Federal, or local government I.D. card

➤ Acceptable forms of secondary forms of identification are:

- Social Security Card
- Birth Certificate
- Voter's Registration card
- Permanent Resident card

The ID card work center hours of operations are Monday through Friday from 0800 – 1600. Services are available on the third Saturday of the month from 0800 – 1600.

For additional Information you may contact the ID card work center at (609) 562-2177.



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ARMY CAREER AND ALUMNI PROGRAM (ACAP)

The Army Career and Alumni Program (ACAP) provides transition assistance to Soldiers who are separating from active duty, retirees and Family Members.

Pre-separation planning includes benefits information, job search skills, career guidance, job search assistance and other guidance relevant to a thorough transition.

For more information contact the ACAP office at (609) 562-1761 or the ACAP homepage at: www.acap.army.mil to learn more.

ARMY EMERGENCY RELIEF (AER)

Army Emergency Relief is the Army's own emergency financial assistance organization and is dedicated to "Helping the Army Take Care of Its Own"

AER funds are made available to Commander's having AER Section's to provide emergency financial assistance to Soldiers—active & retired and their dependents when there is a valid need.

➤ Who are eligible:

Soldier retired from active duty because of longevity or physical disability, or retired upon reaching age 60 (Reserve Components) and their dependents.

Widows(ers) and orphans of Soldier who died while on active duty or after they retired.

➤ Types of services:

- Food, rent or utilities
- Emergency transportation and vehicle repair
- Funeral expenses
- Medical/dental expenses

AER Office is located at 5428 Delaware Ave. For more information call (609) 562-4245



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DIRECTIONS TO BUILDING 5610 "DINING FACILITY"

➤ PENNSYLVANIA AVE SIDE OF THE PARKING LOT:

Make a left onto Pennsylvania Ave proceed to 8th St. Make left onto 8th Street.

Park in the Rhode Island Ave Parking lot (on your right) Building 5610 is located next to the Military Clothing Store.

➤ DELAWARE AVE SIDE OF THE PARKING LOT:

Make a right onto Delaware Ave proceed to 8th St. Make a left onto 8th St.

Park in the Rhode Island Ave Parking lot (on your right) Building 5610 is located next to the Military Clothing





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Retirement Appreciation Day Luncheon 29 September 2012

This year's luncheon will give you the opportunity to relive your military service days as you go through the line at the Military Dining Facility. Select a tray, move through the line and enjoy a great military meal for lunch. The luncheon will be held in Building 5610 beginning at 1230 hours and the cost of \$4.55 per person, pay at the door. Please have exact change so we can speed up the line.

You must have prior reservations to eat in the dining facility. There will be no reservations accepted on 29 September 2012.

To make reservations, complete this form and return it to the below address before
14 September 2012:

Directorate, Human Resources Military
ATTN: Retirement Service Officer
Building 5418 Delaware Ave.
Fort Dix, New Jersey 08640-5089

NAME: _____

Number of Additional Guest: _____





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**DIRECTIONS TO TIMMERMANN CENTER AT 8TH STREET AND
PENNSYLVANIA AVE**

RT 68 MAIN GATE:

**HALF WAY AROUND CIRCLE MAKE RIGHT ON 4TH ST
GO TO FLASHING LIGHT MAKE RIGHT ON TO NEW JERSEY
NEXT MAKE A LEFT ON TO 8TH STREET
STAY ON 8TH STREET UNTIL YOU SEE TIMMERMANN CENTER
ON YOUR LEFT**

BROWNS MILLS GATE:

**TEXAS AVE TO 8TH STREET
MAKE A LEFT ON 8TH STREET (AT RED LIGHT)
FOLLOW 8TH STREET UNTIL YOU SEE TIMMERMAN CENTER ON
YOUR RIGHT**

WRIGHTSTOWN GATE:

**HALF WAY AROUND CIRCLE MAKE RIGHT ON DELAWARE AVE
DELAWARE AVE TO 8TH STREET, TIMMERMAN ON YOUR RIGHT**

ARMY ECHOES

The Army is asking for your support in these difficult fiscal times. We need you to consider signing up for e-Echoes. With very limited funding available we need to greatly increase the number of Retiree's reading the Echoes on-line. Our goal for FY 12 is to increase our on-line volunteers to 150,000. To ensure you receive the most updated information, we request that you visit the RSO website at:

<http://www.armyg1.army.mil/rso/echoes.asp> and register to get your Echoes on-line.

If you have already volunteered for e-Echoes, we thank you.

FOR THE COMMANDER

HENRY MELON LOPEZ
Director, Human Resources
Military

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