## **Clubs/Recreation/Support**

174<sup>th</sup> Alumni http://174thalumni.org/index.php/membership-form

**Clear Path for Veterans** welcomes VETs to heal, grow, and become the best version of themselves. <u>https://www.clearpath4vets.com/</u>

**Team Red, White, and Blue** – exists to guide VETs through the move to civilian life with real-life and virtual opportunities focuses on building a healthier lifestyle. <u>https://about.teamrwb.org/mission</u>

**New York Department of Environmental Conservation Military and Veterans Benefits** The New York Department of Environmental Conservation offers several benefits to Veterans and Service members. Patriot Plan, Free Hunting, Fishing and Trapping Licenses for Service Members: New York resident Service members serving on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces stationed outside New York who are home on leave for 30 days or less are eligible to free hunting, fishing or trapping licenses.

New York Resident Service members serving in the New York National Guard or the U.S. Armed Forces Reserves (stationed in or living in New York) are also eligible. https://myarmybenefits.us.army.mil/Benefit-Library/State/Territory-Benefits/New-York#Recreation

American Legion https://www.legion.org/

Veterans of Foreign Affairs (VFW) https://www.vfw.org/about-us

Free Onondaga County Parks https://onondagacountyparks.com/about/veteran-and-military-discounts/

**Liberty Pass** This pass permits qualified New York State veterans with disabilities discounted use of state parks, historic sites, and more. <u>https://parks.ny.gov/admission/lifetime-liberty-pass.aspx</u>

**National Parks** free pass: Available for current US military members and their dependents, <u>https://www.nps.gov/planyourvisit/passes.htm</u>

Free NYS Park passes http://www.nysparks.com/passport

Free hunting & fishing licenses Free/Reduced Fee Sporting Licenses - NYDEC

**Ft Drum Leisure Travel Services** The travel center can offer information and discounted tickets. Discounted tickets for various places: 315-772-5169 <u>https://www.va.gov/syracuse-health-care/</u> Niagara Falls Information, Tickets & Tours: 716-236-3367 <u>https://niagarafss.com/itt/</u> **NAS Saratoga** Tickets & Travel: 518-886-0200 ext. 126 <u>https://www.navymwrsaratoga.com/programs/c2a48510-2cd7-4abd-b0f2-886f08725966</u> **Military Discounts** <u>https://www.military.com/discounts</u>

Shades of Green Hotel Resort for military personnel and their families shadesofgreen.org

Disney Discounted Tickets <u>https://disneyworld.disney.go.com/special-offers/military-multi-day-tickets-</u>2023/

MWR Recreational Lodging is offered around the world for service members. <u>https://www.militaryonesource.mil/benefits/mwr-lodging/</u> **Waves of Honor** <u>https://seaworldentertainment.com/programs/waves-of-honor/?tab=active-duty</u>

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**Blue Star Museums** Blue Star Museums is a partnership between the National Endowment for the Arts and Blue Star Families, in collaboration with the Department of Defense and museums across America, offering free admission to the nation's active-duty military personnel and their families, including National Guard and Reserve. <u>https://www.arts.gov/initiatives/blue-star-museums</u>

## Armed Force Vacation Club <a href="https://www.afvclub.com/">https://www.afvclub.com/</a>

American Forces Travel program helps eligible service members and families access great discounts on air fare, cruises, hotels, trip packages, event tickets and more. https://www.militaryonesource.mil/recreation-travel-shopping/travel-lodging/american-forces-travel/

**Space A Travel** Space Available (Space-A) travel allows authorized passengers to occupy Department of Defense (DoD) aircraft seats that are surplus after all Space Required (Space-R) passengers have been accommodated. Space-A travel costs nothing but is allowed only on a non-mission interference basis. https://www.myairforcebenefits.us.af.mil/Benefit-Library/Federal-Benefits/Space-Available-Travel-(Space-A-Travel)?serv=27

**Camp Corral** is a FREE, on-of-a-kind summer camp for children of wounded, disabled or fallen military service members. Although any child from a military family is eligible, registration priority is given to children of wounded, disabled or fallen military service members. To see a listing of camps or register, go to <a href="http://www.campcorral.org">http://www.campcorral.org</a>

Air Force Reserve/Air Nation Guard Teen Leadership Summits are weeklong camps for 14-18 year old dependent teens of current AFR or ANG military members. Teens will focus on leadership development and self-confidence, learn about programs and services available to AF dependents, and build an appreciation for and sence of belonging to the AF community. To see alisting of camps or register, go to <a href="http://www.georgia4h.org/afrangteensummit/">http://www.georgia4h.org/afrangteensummit/</a>

**Purdue Extension Military Teen Adventure Camps** include white water rafting, hiking, rock climbing, winter camping, backpacking, exploring rhe environment, running ropes courses, or practicing widerness skills? Military teens (14-18 years old of Active Duty, Guard, Reserve, and retire personnel) will have an opportunity to participate in adventure camps at little to no cost. Camps have funding available to assist with transportation costs. Learn about various locations at: <u>https://extension.purdue.edu/4-H/get-involved/military-teen-adventure-camps/index.html</u>

**United Service Organizations (USO)** is a private, nonprofit organization whose mission is to support the troops by providing morale, welfare, and recreation-type services to our men and women in uniform. <u>http://www.uso.org</u>

**Boys and Girls Clubs of America (BGCA)** Air Force Youth Programs and BGCA began their partnership in 1995 to provide a variety of programs, training, and grant opportunities to installation youth programs. BGCA programs also support AFR/ANG families who do not live near a military installation, and those who move to off base locations during the deployment of their parents. <u>http://www.bgca.org</u>

**Military Child Coalition** a non-profit, worldwide organization focused on ensuring quality educational opportunities for all military children affected by mobility, family separation and transition. <u>http://militarychild.org</u>