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**NOTE:**

*This newsletter and all previous issues of the newsletters can be found on the following web site: this is a new change for retiree page*

<http://www.me.ngb.army.mil/resources/retiree/>

We are continuing to update our mailing list to include all MEARNG retirees. **If you know any retiree(s) who are not receiving the newsletter, please send their name and address to a member of the Retiree Council or e-mail us.**

Please advise us of mailing address changes . If you do **not** wish to continue receiving the newsletter, contact a council member

**Continuation of Newsletter**

**The retiree council has decided to continue the Retiree Newsletter to spouses of deceased retirees when the spouse requests it.** Many items in the newsletter may prove valuable to the surviving spouse.

**COMMENTARY** This is the forty-third Retiree Newsletter, normally published in Apr, Aug and Dec. Our purpose is to keep you informed and provides you a continuing sense of belonging to the Guard after retirement. We hope the newsletter helps accomplish that purpose.

Information is furnished through various sources, and is only made available in this newsletter for your information. Information and comments contained in this newsletter is intended solely for the personal interest of the recipient and should not be considered as an endorsement. If you have an item you would like considered for publication, please send it to the MEARNG Retiree Council, Camp Keyes, Augusta, Maine 04330

*New Members:* Membership is open to retirees of all ranks and gender from all parts of Maine. If you or a retiree you know are interested, please contact a Council member. Retired NCOs should consider getting involved to have their concerns surfaced and to demonstrate they are still an active member in military affairs

**\*\*RETIREMENT BENEFITS  
AND\*\* \*\*SERVICES\*\***

**Shop on line at military exchanges: [aafes.com](http://aafes.com) or [usma-mccs.org](http://usma-mccs.org) or [ornavy-nex.com](http://ornavy-nex.com) or [cg-exchange.com](http://cg-exchange.com)**

**Pickings from the grape vine. or odds and ends.**

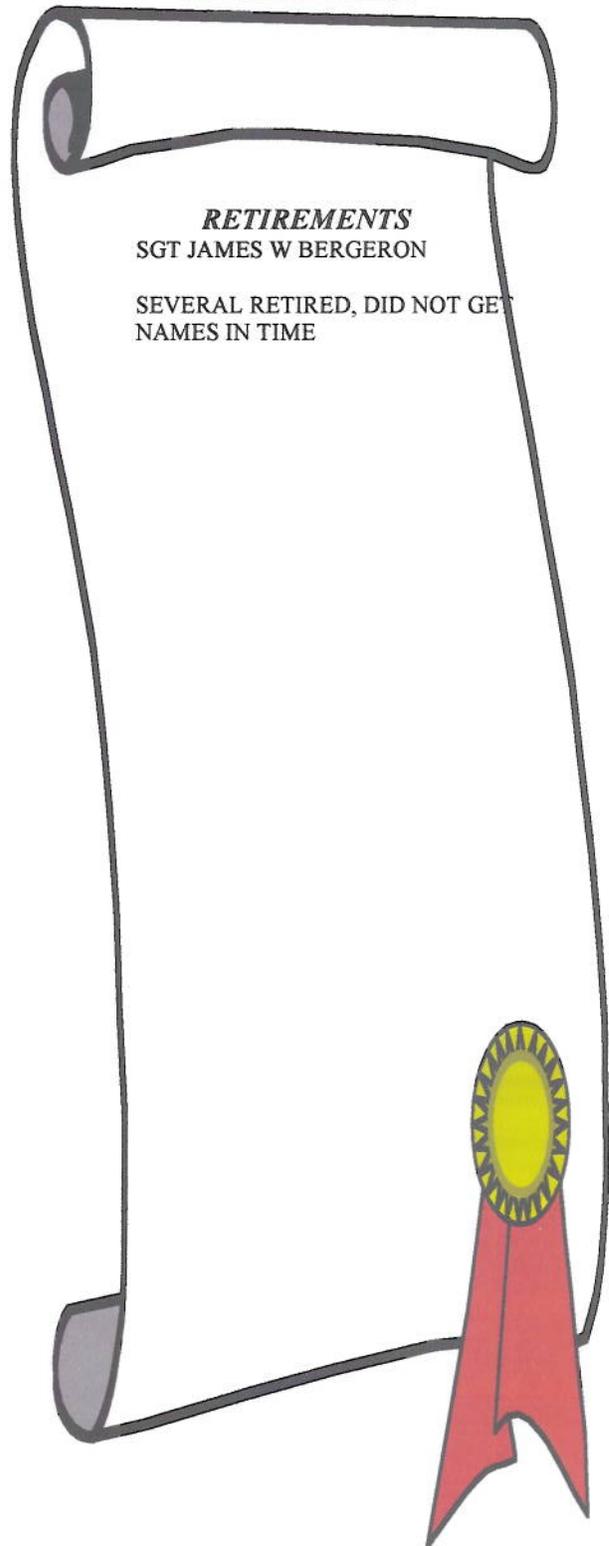
**Correction from item last newsletter. This is web site for free glasses for retirees:**

**[www.med.navy.mil/sites/nostra/order/pages/retiree.aspx](http://www.med.navy.mil/sites/nostra/order/pages/retiree.aspx)**

**If you want to be informed of events in a timely manner please send me your e-mail address. Once you do that please keep me informed of any e-mail changes.**

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**\*\*TRANSITIONS\*\***



(\*\*Any names that are not on this list, was not done intentionally, please advise.)



TAPS  
LTC ADREIN E DUFOUR

*It is suggested that the Headquarters at Camp Keyes, Augusta, Maine be made aware of a deceased retiree. Upon receiving notification, word will be disseminated to Staff and Units of the Maine Army National Guard. This will enable any active guard member who may have served with the retiree to pay their condolences. Person to call is the Directorate of Personnel at 207-626-4536*



**We will never forget**

**MISCELLANEOUS**

**WEB SITES YOU NEED TO HAVE**

**FOR INFO ON MEARNNG RETIREES TO INCLUDE NEWSLETTERS go TO:**  
[www.me.ngb.army.mil/resources/retiree/](http://www.me.ngb.army.mil/resources/retiree/) then click on archives newsletters under the related links in the sidebar.

**For National Guard Association of Maine "NGAME go to:** <http://www.ngame.us/>

**For Maine Army National Guard go to:** <http://www.me.ngb.army.mil/default.htm>

**For Maine National Guard Family Assistance go to:** <http://www.me.ngb.army.mil/family/default.htm>

**\*\*UPCOMING EVENTS\*\***

**MeARNG Retiree Council Meeting Dates for 2010:**

The Council meets on Tuesdays at 0900 in the TAG conference room, Camp Keyes, Augusta. Any retiree or non-retiree is welcome to attend.

<u>DATE</u>	<u>DAY</u>
April 6 2010	Tuesday
June 08 2010	Tuesday
August 10 2010	Tuesday
October 12 2010	Tuesday

*All meetings at 0900 hours – TAG conference room  
Jim Laflin, Chairman*

**Maine Army Retiree Council Meetings – Calendar Year 2010:**

*(Not to be confused with the MEARNNG Retiree Council. This council is for all branches of service in Maine).*

The Maine Army Retiree Council conducts meetings, at various times, which imparts information of interest to all military retirees. Retirees of all military services, and their spouses, are invited and encouraged to attend. Scheduled meetings for 2010 are as follows:

- 02 Apr 10, 1930 hrs, Air National Guard Base, 514 Mainiac Ave., Bangor, Me 04401

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- 02 Jun 10, 1930 hrs, Post #31 American Legion Post, Washington St., Auburn, Me 04210
- 05 Aug 10, 1930 hrs, Maine Veterans Home, Scarborough, Me 04074
- 08 Oct 10, 1930 hrs, Post #40, American Legion Post, Winthrop, Me 04364

For additional information relative to these meetings, contact either of the following individuals:



- CSM Edward L. Davis, AUS (Ret) (207) 469-7918, PO Box 50, East Orland, Me 04431
- CSM Estol R. "Mac" McClintock, USA (Ret), (207) 683-6121, 59 Huff Corner road, Wellington, Me 04942-8709
- SFC Harold L. Ware, AUS (Ret) (207) 642-2757, 110 Fort hill Road, Standish, Me 04084

### Maine Military Historical Society Board of Directors and annual meeting dates:

The Society is looking for additional board members. If you are interested contact the Society president Dwaine Drummond at 626-4220. All members or friends are welcome to attend board meetings.

The annual meeting of the Society is set for Saturday evening 23 October at the Augusta Armory. The theme is for the Society to honor Maine's Military Service Organizations "Service for life" See pages 17-19 for an invitation to attend. All are welcome!

### Retiree E-Mail Addresses\*\*

Listed below are e-mail addresses of some of our retirees. This is a way of keeping in touch, providing upcoming events and news of interest between regular issues of the newsletters. If you would like to have your e-mail address included in this list, contact al white at [albertwhite@suscom-maine.net](mailto:albertwhite@suscom-maine.net)

If you change your e-mail address you will need to provide me with the change. An incorrect e-mail address can affect my distribution group for sending out e-mails. One bad address can affect the entire group. This is also a way of keeping you informed of deaths, legislative issues, family support, etc.

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## Correct Mailing Address

# HELP!!!!

It is imperative that we have your correct mailing address in order for you to receive your newsletter.

Please provide your correct mailing address by contacting a member of the Retiree Council or mailing it to:

Dept. of Def., Vet. & Emerg. Mgmt.  
 33 State House Station  
 ATTN: MS. Lori Jones  
 Augusta, Maine 04333-0033

We are now up to 1,520 members str  
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### Funeral Honors Ceremonies

The POC is:  
Mr. Frank R. Norwood, MSG (Ret)  
Maine Military Funeral Honors Coordinator  
1-800-958-5967  
207-626-7822/7805  
[www.funeralhonors.org](http://www.funeralhonors.org)

Since October 2004, the Maine Military Funeral Honor Program has performed over 1,088 Military Funerals for the Veterans of Maine. According to the Maine Veteran's Administration, Maine will lose nearly 4000 Veterans (all branches) per year through the year 2030. Retirees are welcome to participate in providing Military Funeral Honors for Maine's Veterans.

The rendering of Military Funeral Honors is a way to show our Nation's deep gratitude to those who, in times of war and peace, have faithfully defended our country.

Funds are available to compensate certain categories of retirees and buglers. When requested, Retirees, in class A or dress blue uniform will receive a per day stipend, (whether training or performing a Military Funeral). This stipend is intended to offset the cost of gasoline, meals and other authorized expenses. To perform Military Funerals you will need to train with the team. This would be a 4 hour, hands on session. **You will not put you on the spot.** You will not be asked to present a flag to the next of kin until you are comfortable.

If you have any questions please contact me at the above numbers or stop by my office here at the Augusta Armory. You may also visit our web site at [www.funeralhonors.org](http://www.funeralhonors.org)

IMPORTANT INFO ON THE  
MILITARY FAMILY ASSISTANCE  
CENTER. THE MeARNG Retiree Council recently had an excellent briefing by members of the Military Family Assistance Center. They are located in the old Buker School across the street from the Augusta

Armory. They service all military branches located in Maine. IF YOU KNOW OF SOME MILITARY FAMILY WHO NEEDS ASSISTANCE (IN ANY AREA) WHILE THE SERVICE MEMBER IS DEPLOYED have them call 1-888-365-92867. Someone will answer the phone 24/7. Remember this is just not for the Guard but all services. You can check more info on [www.me.ngb.army.mil/family](http://www.me.ngb.army.mil/family)

Here is the exact reading...

SEC. 594. CONDUCT BY MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES AND VETERANS OUT OF UNIFORM DURING HOISTING, LOWERING, OR PASSING OF UNITED STATES FLAG.

Section 9 of title 4, United States Code, is amended by striking all persons present and all that follows through the end of the section and inserting the following: all persons present in uniform should render the military salute. Members of the Armed Forces and veterans who are present but not in uniform may render the military salute. All other persons present should face the flag and stand at attention with their right hand over the heart, or if applicable, remove their headdress with their right hand and hold it at the left shoulder, the hand being over the

heart. Citizens of other countries present should stand at attention. All such conduct toward the flag in a moving column should be rendered at the moment the flag passes.

Mr. Frank R. Norwood  
Maine Military Funeral Honors

The undersigned and 6 others ran the registration table at the RAD. We received 264 registration cards. I believe that at least 40 patrons of the RAD skipped registration and went directly to get ID cards /JAG support etc.

A review of the 264 cards show that: 179 retired service members were present, 85 dependents were present, 10 widows were present.

Of those present 115 were Army, 27 Navy, 27 Air Force, 10 Marine Corp 0 Coast Guard.

Of those present 135 were from NH, 1 NJ, 5 Mass, 11 NY, 9 VT, 17 Maine

Most learned of the RAD through a service bulletin.

I think the 2010 RAD at NH was outstanding, well planned and organized.

The lunch was excellent

The coffee and goodies for the registration time was excellent

The NH Governors Horse Guards added a great touch during opening ceremonies and the demonstration of the rides was very interesting.

The vendors had plenty of goody handouts for those who cared, (Excellent)

For the first time in 13 RADS I received no complaints, nor was I aware

of any!

The attention of the State Aviation Officer during the RAD was outstanding.

Congratulations to Colonel (RET) Frank Musmanno for his outstanding leadership and organization of this 2010 RAD!

The Maine National Guard provided several JAG's to help prepare simple wills and legal issues. They also provide ID Card personnel to renew ID cards as necessary. The 2011 RASD will probably be held in the Burlington VT Area.

Best Regards

Al White

BG MeNG Ret

Togus VA Recreation Therapy  
Adaptive Sports Air Rifle Program  
Notes:

We now meet at the Augusta American Legion Post 205 Hall on RT 17 not far from the Togus Gate the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday mornings each month.

We shoot in the Legion Hall basement (enter on left side of hall). Setup starts at about 0900 and tear down is 1145. Veterans are welcome to shoot with us and non veterans are welcome to watch and/or help.

**However we desperately need 1 or 2 volunteers to set up and assist the Veterans at least two Wednesdays a month. We could have folks do just the 1<sup>st</sup> or the 3<sup>rd</sup> WED.**

We are pretty good shape for rifles and equipment but there is a rifle and a few items we need SOON. I have

researched the best rifles and equipment at the best prices. I have a list the specific Air Rifles and equipment we need to run and expand the ongoing program.

To find out how you can help contact Ed Stanhope at 207-786-2542 (h) or 207-576-3871 (c) or E-mail [StanhopeRT@aol.com](mailto:StanhopeRT@aol.com) with any questions about equipment and marksmanship. Or call the Togus Adaptive Sports Recreation Therapist Teri Olsen [terisa.olson@med.va.gov](mailto:terisa.olson@med.va.gov) with program questions at 207-623-8411x5369.

The final stages of life can be difficult for patients and their families. To make these last days easier, TRICARE and Martin's Point hospice care benefit is a service focused on patients to give them the supportive services they need near the end of life.

1. Tricare

Hospice is a zero-deductible benefit and it gives TRICARE beneficiaries access to personal care and home health aide assistance. It initially provides two 90-day periods of care, followed by an unlimited number of 60-day periods. Each period requires prior authorization from the regional health care contractor.

Not all care is covered by the hospice benefit. Individual hospices may charge for some items, such as outpatient medications or inpatient respite care. Charges for medical care not related to the terminal illness fall under the beneficiary's basic TRICARE benefit. Other items not covered include room and board for hospice care received at home; room and board related to custodial care; and any treatments to cure the terminal illness.

Hospice benefits can be initiated by a patient, their family or the patient's primary care manager (PCM). Before hospice can begin, four requirements must be met. First, the patient's the eligibility information must be current. The patient also needs to obtain a referral for hospice from their PCM and get prior authorization from their regional health care contractor. Finally, a certification of terminal illness must be obtained.

There are four levels of hospice care to meet the varying needs of each patient: routine home care, continuous home care, inpatient respite care, and

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general hospice. If necessary, patients can switch between the four levels of care.

For more information about the TRICARE hospice benefit, visit [www.tricare.mil](http://www.tricare.mil), contact TRICARE For Life, the regional managed care support contractor or TRICARE Area Office.

TRICARE North Region  
Health Net Federal Services, LLC  
1-877-TRICARE (1-877-874-2273)

TRICARE For Life  
1-866-773-0404  
1-866-773-0405 (TTY/TDD)  
[www.TRICARE4u.com](http://www.TRICARE4u.com)

2. Martin's Point, USFHP

USFHP Hospice care is a similar program that provides an integrated set of services and supplies designated to care for the terminally ill. This type of care emphasizes palliative care and supportive services, such as pain control and home care. The benefit provides coverage for a humane and sensible approach to care during the last days of life for some terminally ill patients. Note: Eligibility determination and referrals to approved hospice care providers must be made by Primary Care Physicians or specialists using established medical criteria.

For more information contact member services at 1-888-674-8734.

**Subject: Fwd: Update (UNCLASSIFIED)**

1. Tricare - How well do you understand your Tricare benefit?

Tricare is the name of the health care benefit provided to service members and their families and military retirees and their families. Tricare is named such because it provides three levels of coverage based on the eligible member's choice. Two companies provide services, Health Net and Martin's Point.

Who is eligible to receive a Tricare benefit?

- a. The service member who is:
  1. serving on Active Duty (including AGR)
  2. National Guard and Reserve service members on extended tours of active duty of more than 30 days
  3. Service members who are deployed

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4. Service members in the pre-deployment phase - under specific limited circumstances
  5. Service members who have completed their deployment are eligible for 180 days of Tricare benefits following their last day of terminal leave.
  6. Service members who have completed their deployment, exhausted their TAMP entitlement but have a verified medical issue resulting from deployment - limited conditions
  6. Active duty (including AGR) retirees
  7. National Guard and Reserve retirees at age 60.
  8. Active traditional National Guard and Reserve drilling members and their families - premium based
  9. COMING SOON! Retired Reserve Tricare for the Gray Area Retirees - premium paid by service member
- b. All eligible dependents of service members shown above who are enrolled in DEERS (Defense Enrollment Eligibility Reporting System).

What Tricare benefit choices does the active duty service member have?

The active duty/extended tour of duty/deployed or pre-deployment phase service member MUST be enrolled in the Tricare Prime/Tricare Prime Remote benefit. Their care is provided by the Tricare provider Health Net. The service member must be assigned to a Tricare Network Primary Care Provider (PCP) who will oversee their medical care.

What Tricare benefit choices does eligible active duty dependents have?

Eligible dependents may choose from one of the following:

1. Tricare Standard - enrollment is automatic- no enrollment fee
  - offers dependent the most options of participating physicians
  - member pays the most out-of-pocket

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expenses

- limited access to military

treatment facilities, when available (none in Maine)

- Plan administered by Health Net

2. Tricare Extra - Enrollment is automatic - no

enrollment fee

- dependent uses a Health

Net network provider

- reduces out of pocket

expenses (Standard out of pocket expense reduced by 5%)

- limited access to military

treatment facilities, when available (none in Maine)

- plan is administered by

Health Net

3. Tricare Prime - \*\*\*\*\* 2 OPTIONS

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Martin's Point US

Family Health Plan or Health Net

- must enroll (no enrollment

fee to active duty family members, extended order

family members, pre-deployment

family members, deployed family members and those

using the 180 day TAMP post

deployment benefit.

- HMO product requires

each family member chose a Primary Care Provider

- Least out of pocket expense

- No access to military treatment

facilities

What Tricare benefit choices do retirees and their dependents have?

Eligible retirees and their dependents may choose from all of the same options as those shown above in b. for dependents. Options include Standard, Extra, Martin's Point - US Family Health Plan Prime option and Health Net Prime option. There is an annual enrollment fee of \$230 for the service

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member and a \$230 annual enrollment fee for all (not each) family members until age 65.

What Tricare benefit choices do active traditional National Guard and Reservist have?

Tricare Reserve Select (TRS) is a premium based option available to actively drilling members of the National Guard and Reserves. The plan is administered by Health Net. The coverage is similar to Standard and Extra. The service member is responsible to pay the 2010 monthly premium of \$49.62 for self and \$197.65 for family. Service members eligible for coverage under a Federal Employee Health Plan are not eligible to enroll in TRS.

What Tricare benefit does a Gray Area Retiree have?

Coming this fall is a new premium based option for service members who have received their 20 year retirement letter, are no longer drilling but unable to draw retirement pay until age 60. More information will be published as it becomes available. Premium rates are not known at this time.

For more information about each plan go to:

Health Net (including Standard, Extra and Prime/Prime Remote, Tricare Reserve Select) <https://www.hnfs.net/bene/home/>

Martin's Point- US Family Health Plan (Prime option)  
<http://www.martinspoint.org/homepage.cfm?id=20&oTopID=20>

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"Subject: Army Retroactive Stop-loss Pay Announcement DEADLINE 21 OCT 2010

In accordance with HR 2346 War Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2009, Public Law 111-32, Section 310, the Army has announced retroactive Stop Loss special pay for select Soldiers whose Active Duty military service was involuntarily extended between 11 September 2001 and 30 September 2009. If you served involuntarily during this time period you may be eligible for compensation. To submit a claim, go to <https://www.stoplosspay.army.mil>. If you prefer to submit a hardcopy request you can download the application on this website and mail it to the US Army Stop Loss Program Office.

Applications will require the following documents:

Enlisted Soldiers:

- 1) DD Form 214 (Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty)
- 2) DD Form 4 (Enlistment/Reenlistment/Extension Contract)
- 3) DD Form 1966 (Separation Document)
- 4) DA Form 4187 for Stop Loss Adjustment of ETS
- 5) Separation Document NGB 22

Officers:

- 1) DD Form 214 (Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty)
- 2) Memorandum showing approved retirement was denied or suspended.

If you do not have these records and are currently still serving in the Maine Army National Guard, contact your unit personnel NCO for assistance. If you are a retired Maine Guard Soldier, contact CW2 Andrew Cook at 207 430-5000 for out-of-service record support.

The deadline for application submission is 21 October 2010."

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End of message.

Michael Pooler  
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**Maine Military Historical Society, Inc.**  
**33 Statehouse Station - Camp Keyes**  
**Augusta, ME 04333-0033**

**APPLICATION FOR MAINE MILITARY HISTORICAL SOCIETY MEMBERSHIP**

**YES!** I want to become a member of the Maine Military Historical Society! *Please check the appropriate boxes below.*



NEW MEMBERSHIP

RENEWAL MEMBERSHIP

<input type="checkbox"/> Individual Membership	\$15	<input type="checkbox"/> Lifetime Membership	\$250
<input type="checkbox"/> Senior/Student Membership	\$10	<input type="checkbox"/> Corporate Membership	\$500
<input type="checkbox"/> Family Membership	\$20	Description of levels on reverse.	



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EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE \_\_\_\_\_



Are you currently Reserve or National Guard (circle one)

If Yes, what Branch? \_\_\_\_\_ Rank/Rate \_\_\_\_\_

Are you Retired Military?  Yes  No      Are you prior service?  Yes  No



Are you currently Active Duty?  Yes  No

If Yes, what Branch? \_\_\_\_\_ Dates of Service \_\_\_\_\_

Rank/Rate \_\_\_\_\_



**HOW WOULD YOU LIKE TO RECEIVE YOUR NEWSLETTER?** (check one)

BY EMAIL    BY US MAIL    FROM THE WEBSITE ([www.mainemilmuseum.org](http://www.mainemilmuseum.org))



**We need volunteers to assist in running various activities in support of the museum.**

\_\_\_\_ Please call me. I want to be active in the organization.

\_\_\_\_ I can't join now, but would like to help. I am enclosing a check for \$ \_\_\_\_\_



**Donations of Military Artifacts:**

If your military memories are packed away, taking up storage space, where no one else can appreciate their historical value, consider donating them to the museum. We are continuously looking for military-related artifacts of any size, shape or description. Not only will we help you preserve your artifacts, but you may be eligible to receive a tax deduction for your contribution.



*Your Support is Greatly Appreciated! Remember memberships & Gifts are 100% tax deductible*

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**MEMBERSHIP LEVELS:**

<b>Individual Membership</b> \$15  Receive Quarterly News letter, 10% discount on museum store purchases, 1 vote at member meetings. Invitation to museum functions.	<b>Lifetime Membership</b> \$250  Receive Quarterly News letter, 10% discount on museum store purchases, 1 vote at member meetings. No annual dues. Invitation to museum functions.
<b>Senior/Student Membership</b> \$10  Receive Quarterly News letter, 10% discount on museum store purchases, 1 vote at member meetings. Invitation to museum functions.	<b>Corporate Membership</b> \$500  Receive Quarterly News letter, 10% discount on museum store purchases, 1 vote at member meetings. Invitation to museum functions. Free advertising in all museum publications and events. Listed in our preferred vendors section of our newsletter.
<b>Family Membership</b> \$20  Receive Quarterly News letter, 10% discount on museum store purchases, 1 vote at member meetings. Invitation to museum functions.	<b>Memberships are valid for 1 calendar year.</b> <b>(Lifetime members excluded)</b>

**Note:** Museum Store not yet available

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FROM THE PRESIDENT OF THE SOCIETY:

August 25, 2010

To Our Friends and Members,

The Board of Directors of the Maine Military Historical Society extends a special invitation to you and your family and friends to attend our Annual Meeting. It is scheduled for the evening of October 23, 2010 at the Augusta Armory in Augusta, Maine. The program and gathering make this an event you should not miss.

This year the Society honors "Maine's Military Service Organizations - Service for Life". We expect many members of the State's 20 service organizations to attend. We also expect it will be a very colorful event as each organization will be invited to have a display table and a special area at the head table area to display their color and banners.

We look forward to joining with you and other members and friends of the Maine Military Historical Society as we continue to honor and remember the sacrifices made for freedoms sake. As you respond to this invitation, please consider joining or renewing your membership in the Maine Military Historical Society. Your continuing support is vital in preserving our rich military heritage for the future generations of Maine citizens.

Sincerely,

DWAINE E. DRUMMOND  
Lieutenant Colonel, MEARNG  
President, MMHS



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## Invitation to the MMHS Annual Meeting

October 23, 2010

Please join us for an enjoyable evening at the Augusta Armory on Western Ave, Augusta, Maine. The Augusta Armory has a great history of hosting outstanding events. This will be one too. The evening starts with outstanding music by a combo of the 195<sup>th</sup> Army Band, reasonable cash bar prices, a great buffet and in a military atmosphere which we will certainly enjoy.

### Schedule of Events:

6:00PM Social Hour with live music & hors d'oeuvres  
7:00 Seating, National Anthem and Colors posted  
7:30 Dinner  
8:30 Guest Speaker  
9:30 Short Business meeting  
9:50 Evening Ends

Cost is \$25 per person and includes extensive buffet, tax, & gratuity.

RSVP by filling out the attached Registration Form with check no later than Monday, October 12<sup>th</sup> to:

**Treasurer, Maine Military Historical Society  
33 Sate House Station, Camp Keyes, Augusta, Maine 04333**

Tickets will not be mailed; a guest list at the door will track attendees. Casual Civilian or Business casual attire is appropriate.

Please consider making a donation to museum or joining the Society by completing the attached membership form.

Contact Mrs.. Soraya Umphrey at (207) 626-4243 with questions or for more information.

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Encourages & promotes historical research of Maine's military history and operates a public museum for education outreach.



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**2010 ANNUAL MEETING REGISTRATION**

**TO: Maine Military Historical Society, ATTN: Treasurer  
33 State House Station- Camp Keyes  
Augusta, Maine 04333-0033**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Please print or letter clearly (Please do not write in cursive))

Mr.  Mrs.  Miss  MS  Military Rank \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

NUMBER OF PEOPLE ATTENDING \_\_\_\_\_ X \$25 PER PERSON

I/WE cannot attend but want to help the Society, please find my/our check enclosed in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_

I/We would like to be listed in the annual report as a "Patron(S)". Here is my check for a minimum of \$10. If attending the meeting amounts may be combined in one check.

How would you like to be listed in the report: e.g. Col and Mrs. Robert Jones or SGM Bob Jones.

Please list me /us as: \_\_\_\_\_

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State of Maine  
(207) 287-3531



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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE, VETERANS AND EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT  
FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 30, 2010 THRU SEPTEMBER 05, 2010

MAINE ARMY NATIONAL GUARD INDIVIDUAL DEPLOYMENTS				
Unit	Mission	Personnel	Location	Status
Detachment 3, Medical Detachment	Community-Based Health-Care Organization (CBHCO)	2	Hanscom Air Force Base, Massachusetts	Deployed
Joint Force Headquarters	Operation Iraqi Freedom	1	III Corps	Deployed
Joint Force Headquarters	Operation Iraqi Freedom	2	Iraq	Deployed
Joint Force Headquarters	Operation Enduring Freedom	4	86 Infantry Brigade Combat Team (IBCT)	Deployed
Joint Force Headquarters	Operation Enduring Freedom	1	Kabul Military Training Center (KMTC), Kabul	Deployed
<b>Total:</b>		<b>10</b>		

MAINE ARMY NATIONAL GUARD UNIT DEPLOYMENTS				
Unit	Mission	Personnel	Location	Status
Bravo Company, 3rd Battalion, 172nd Infantry (Mountain)	Operation Enduring Freedom	157	Afghanistan	Deployed
1136th Transportation Company	Operation Enduring Freedom	173	Afghanistan	Deployed
<b>Total:</b>		<b>330</b>		

MAINE AIR NATIONAL GUARD DEPLOYMENTS				
Unit	Mission	Personnel	Location	Status
101 <sup>st</sup> Air Refueling Wing, Bangor	Operation Iraqi Freedom, Operation Enduring Freedom, and AEF	1	Al Dhafra, United Arab Emirates	Deployed
101 <sup>st</sup> Air Refueling Wing, Bangor	Other/Air Reserve Component Volunteer	1	Keesler Air Force Base, Mississippi	Deployed
101 <sup>st</sup> Air Refueling Wing, Bangor	Operation Iraqi Freedom, Operation Enduring Freedom, and AEF	1	Kuwait	Deployed
101 <sup>st</sup> Air Refueling Wing, Bangor	Operation Iraqi Freedom, Operation Enduring Freedom, and AEF	1	Manas, Kyrgyzstan	Deployed
101 <sup>st</sup> Air Refueling Wing, Bangor	Other/Air Reserve Component Volunteer	1	National Guard Bureau, Andrews Air Force Base	Deployed
101 <sup>st</sup> Air Refueling Wing, Bangor	Other/Air Reserve Component Volunteer	1	Royal Air Force Lakenheath, United Kingdom	Deployed
101 <sup>st</sup> Air Refueling Wing, Bangor	Other/Air Reserve Component Volunteer	1	Shaw Air Force Base, South Carolina	Deployed
101 <sup>st</sup> Air Refueling Wing, Bangor	Operation Iraqi Freedom, Operation Enduring Freedom, and AEF	2	Balad, Iraq	Deployed
101 <sup>st</sup> Air Refueling Wing, Bangor	Operation Iraqi Freedom, Operation Enduring Freedom, and AEF	2	Incirklik, Turkey	Deployed
101 <sup>st</sup> Air Refueling Wing, Bangor	RAVEN Mission	3	Classified	Deployed
101 <sup>st</sup> Air Refueling Wing, Bangor	Operation Iraqi Freedom, Operation Enduring Freedom, and AEF	5	Al Udeid, Qatar	Deployed
101 <sup>st</sup> Air Refueling Wing, Bangor	Operation Iraqi Freedom, Operation Enduring Freedom, and AEF	6	Baghdad, Iraq	Deployed
101 <sup>st</sup> Air Refueling Wing, Bangor	Operation Iraqi Freedom, Operation Enduring Freedom, and AEF	169	Bangor International Airport, Maine	Activated – Home Station
JFHQ MeANG, Augusta	Operation Iraqi Freedom, Operation Enduring Freedom, and AEF	1	Balad, Iraq	Deployed
JFHQ MeANG, Augusta	Operation Iraqi Freedom, Operation Enduring Freedom, and AEF	1	Moron, Spain	Deployed
<b>Total:</b>		<b>196</b>		