

INNG PAO Weekly Newsletter

June 1-7, 2014

1. MWR

a. Indianapolis Blue Star Salute: On June 21 2014, the 9th Annual Indiana Blue Star Salute will be taking place at the Hendricks County Fairgrounds in Danville, IN. This is an event dedicated to honoring our Military Families and those who serve our country. This is a FREE event for ALL Military Families regardless of their rank and branch of service! Various entertainment opportunities, raffle prizes and local mascots will be in attendance.

To attend and have you or your family honored at this event, register at: <http://www.indianabluestar.org/>

Follow the Indiana Blue Star Salute on Twitter @INBlueStar or

Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/indianabluestarsalute?ref=br_tf

b. Knightstown Jubilee Days: Knightstown, Ind. will host a parade for the community along U.S. Highway 40 on Saturday, June 6, 2014. The parade starts at 1 P.M. Come enjoy the parade and also see the Indiana National Guard's Caisson Platoon Mounted Color Guard.

c. Columbus Municipal Airport Aviation Day: The Columbus Municipal Airport air show is scheduled for Saturday, June 7, 2014 from 6:30 A.M. to 6:00 P.M. Admission is free.

https://www.in.ng.mil/Portals/0/PageContents/ForMedia/Events/June_07_AviationDayPoster.pdf

2. Promotions/Retirement

a. LTC John Silva: Join LTC Silva as he is promoted to Colonel on Friday, June 13, 2014 during his promotion ceremony at the Camp Atterbury Conference Center. The ceremony is scheduled to begin at 10:30 A.M.

b. LTC Felicia Brokaw: You are cordially invited to a ceremony in honor of LTC Brokaw on the occasion of her promotion to Colonel on Saturday, June 21, 2014 at 2:00 P.M., 38th Infantry Division Armory, Classroom 1, 3912 W. Minnesota St., Indianapolis. RSVP by June 13, 2014 at 317-247-3159. https://in.ng.mil/Portals/0/PageContents/ForMedia/Events/June13_LTC_Brokaw_Promotion.pdf

3. Misc: GoArmyEd to Recognize Outstanding Soldiers/Students: GoArmyEd is going to recognize outstanding students. Nominations must be made by 6 June. If you know of a deserving Soldier who successfully balances work, school, and/or family and meets the nomination requirements.....feel free to forward their name to the education office, at ng.in.inarng.list.j1arp-eds@mail.mil

. Nomination criteria are shown below:

*Student Recognition Nominations: GoArmyEd is seeking Soldier nominations to be featured in GoArmyEd's Student Recognition. This is a wonderful opportunity to spotlight Soldiers on their accomplishments and hard work.

*Rising to the Challenge: Successfully completed nine semester hours (SH) with a TA GPA of at least a 2.0 or higher

*Making the Grade: Successfully completed at least two courses within a 6 month period and maintained a TA GPA of 3.5 or higher

*Crossing the Finish Line: Recently graduated GoArmyEd Soldier

4. Job Announcements

These are the latest vacancies announced this week. For a complete listing of vacancies visit the Human Resources Page: <https://www.in.ng.mil/Careers/HumanResources.aspx>

6/3/2014	Human Resources Assistant - Employee Benefits	Human Resources Office (HRO)	Full-Time	\$39,357 to \$51,164 annually
6/2/2014	Education Services Specialist	J1 - Personnel	Full-Time	\$47,923 to \$62,297 annually
6/2/2014	Aircraft Mechanic	122nd Fighter Wing	Full-Time	\$25.87 to \$30.19 per hour

5. Indiana National Guard News

Latest news posted, visit our News and Media Page: <https://www.in.ng.mil/NewsandMedia.aspx> for the latest news regarding the Indiana National Guard.

[Story of the Patch](#) posted on 5/29/2014 12:21:00 PM

Soldiers with the 76th Infantry Brigade Combat Team wear a unit patch born during the years following the Cold War when restructuring took the 76th from the 38th Infantry Division and made it one of 15 separate infantry ...brigades within the Army National Guard.

[Video - Memorial Day Ceremony](#) posted on 5/27/2014 1:34:00 PM

The Fallen are honored at Washington Park East and Crown Hill Cemeteries in Indianapolis, Indiana with remarks by Major General R. Martin Umbarger.

[Hoosiers, Slovaks celebrate 20-year partnership](#) posted on 5/22/2014 4:32:00 PM

Indiana's Adjutant General, Maj. Gen. R. Martin Umbarger, and the Indiana National Guard hosted senior leaders of Slovak Republic to commemorate the 20th anniversary of the Partnership for Peace Program.

[Hoosiers, Israelis hone search and rescue techniques.](#) Posted on 5/21/2014 2:33:00 PM

Indiana National Guardsmen flew to Israel to participate in a multinational search and rescue training event near Tel Aviv. This marked the third exchange between Indiana and Israel; strengthening ties between the nations.