



NJDMAVA HIGHLIGHTS

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Video: Veterans Haven North, NJ Army National Guard serves 1M served - Staff Sgt. Jorge Morales



Congratulations to the employees and New Jersey National Guard Soldiers assigned to Veteran's Haven North for making their millionth meal together! The Citizen-Soldiers are assisting the kitchen staff at Glen Gardner, which not only feeds the Veterans, but also supports other state facilities. Veteran's Haven North is a transitional housing program for displaced Veterans.

<https://fb.watch/becd0jqBhW>

**Article: 108th Wing Diversity Council hosts Black History Month discussion panel -
Senior Airman Julia Santiago**



The 108th Wing Diversity Council hosted an open forum discussion panel Feb. 13, 2022 at Joint Base McGuire-Dix-Lakehurst, NJ. In line with the annual observation during the month of February, panelists fielded questions on topics surrounding Black History Month and offered their thoughts and experiences of being a black person in the military.

<https://www.ang.af.mil/Media/Article-Display/Article/2938488/108th-wing-diversity-council-hosts-black-history-month-discussion-panel/>

2 Videos: NJANG leaders talk about Jersey ACEs



The New Jersey Air National Guard's 108th Wing and 177th Fighter Wing completed their first Agile Combat Employment (ACE) exercise, Jan., 2022. The training was designed for 108th's KC-135R Stratotanker crews from Joint Base McGuire-Dix-Lakehurst, and the 177th's F-16C Fighting Falcon maintenance crews, pilots, and logisticians from the Atlantic City Air National Guard Base to practice new techniques for threats of future conflict.

<https://www.dvidshub.net/video/831313/jersey-aces-re-fueling-operations> :: **Shaner Brown**

https://www.facebook.com/108thwing/videos/315036404008773/?extid=NS-UNK-UNK-UNK-IO5_GK0T-GK1C :: **Senior Airman Maria Rella**

Photo Album: Farewell Lt. Col. Gagnon IV, inspector general, New Jersey Army National Guard – Mark Olsen



Brig. Gen. Lisa J. Hou, D.O., The Adjutant General of New Jersey, presented Lt. Col. Joseph O. Gagnon IV, inspector general, New Jersey Army National Guard, the Meritorious Service Medal and the New Jersey Global War on Terrorism Medal during a farewell ceremony held at the New Jersey Department of Military and Veterans Affairs, Lawrenceville, N.J., Feb. 22, 2022. The inspector general's office conducts impartial inspections, investigations, and training in order to provide advice and oversight to commanders.

<https://flic.kr/s/aHBqjzDmpm>

Social Media: Paramus residents exercise and play bingo! - Liberty Unit Recreation Staff



Liberty Unit residents enjoy morning exercise and play bingo sponsored by the Lodi High School Junior Student Council at the New Jersey Veterans Home at Paramus.

<https://twitter.com/NJDMAVA/status/1496950309356195850>

Public Service Announcement: COVID-19 vaccines and boosters available – State of NJ



-Make a plan today to get your booster shot as part of Boost NJ2 Week!

-Boost NJ2 Week is running from Wednesday, February 23rd through Tuesday, March 1st.

-All clinics listed below have walk-in availability to help make booster doses as available and accessible as possible. <https://covid19.nj.gov/pages/boostnj>