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New Jersey Gov. Chris Christie reviews the troops of the New Jersey National Guard during the 2016 New Jersey National Guard Military Review at the National Guard Training Center in Sea Girt, N.J., Oct. 30, 2016. (NJDMAVA-PA photo by Mark C. Olsen)





**Drum Major 1st Sgt. Marc Winans directs the 63rd Army Band during the 2016 New Jersey National Guard Military Review at the National Guard Training Center in Sea Girt, N.J., Oct. 30, 2016.**

**Soldiers of A Battery, 3-112th Field Artillery, fire M20A1 howitzers during to the 2016 New Jersey National Guard Military Review at the National Guard Training Center in Sea Girt, N.J., Oct. 30, 2016.**



**New Jersey Gov. Chris Christie reviews the Soldiers and Airmen of the New Jersey National Guard during the 2016 New Jersey National Guard Military Review at the National Guard Training Center in Sea Girt, N.J., Oct. 30, 2016.**



# MILITARY REVIEW 2016



New Jersey Governor Chris Christie thanks 2nd Lt. Jennifer Wain, A Battery, 3-112th Field Artillery, after receiving an engraved artillery shell during the 2016 New Jersey National Guard Military Review at the National Guard Training Center in Sea Girt, N.J., Oct. 30, 2016. The Military Review is a long-standing tradition that allows the governor – the commander-in-chief of the state militia – the opportunity to review the Soldiers and Airmen of the New Jersey National Guard.

(NJDMAVA-PA photos by Mark C. Olsen)



# NATIVE AMERICAN AIRMAN AWARDED

Photo and story by Tech. Sgt. Matt Hecht, NJDMAVA- PA

Staff Sgt. Thereasa Barker-Figueroa, a 108th Wing Airman, was recognized by the Society of American Indian Government Employees, as one of six service members selected for the 2016 Military Meritorious Service Award at a banquet in Catoosa, Oklahoma, June 9, 2016.

Formed in 2002, the Society is the first national non-profit organization representing American Indian and Alaska Native Federal, Tribal, State, and local government employees. It provides a forum on the issues, challenges, and opportunities of Native Americans in the government workforce.

"It was an absolutely amazing experience," said Barker-Figueroa. "I received the award from three Native American Generals, including retired Maj. Gen. Rita Aragon, who was the first female Native American General in the Air National Guard."

The Society selected Barker-Figueroa based on her volunteerism and community service with the Air National Guard. She was bestowed with an additional award at the event: induction into the Warrior Society, an elite honor for military veterans.

Barker-Figueroa traces her lineage to the Lenni-Lenape, a group of Native American people from the Algonquin nation who populated New Jersey as well as parts of Pennsylvania and New York. In the 18th Century, the Lenape were displaced to reservations in Ohio and Oklahoma.

It was while growing up in a Cleveland suburb that Barker-Figueroa learned about her heritage.

"When I was a little girl, I found a statue of a turtle, and for some reason I felt connected to it," said Barker-Figueroa. "My grandmother told me to remember the turtle, that it would be important. I remembered, but I didn't understand."

For years, the family heritage had been kept secret.

"Once my grandfather passed away, my grandmother got back into events on the Reservations, and told me the full story about our heritage when I was 17. I was shocked, and confused that our family wasn't more excited about our past. There were parts of my family that felt embarrassed about a mixed-race marriage between my grandfather and grandmother," said Barker-Figueroa.

It was during this time that Barker-Figueroa learned that she was part of the Lenape Unami-Turtle Clan, and that the turtle also was featured prominently on the clan's flag.

"It felt like things coming full circle from when I was a child, and I found that hidden meaning in the turtle statue," said Barker-Figueroa.

Barker-Figueroa stays active in the Native American community, attending Pow Wows and other cultural events. Pow Wows are the Native American people's way of meeting together, to join in dancing, singing, visiting, renewing old friendships, and making new ones.

"This was a tremendous honor and I was completely star-struck, it was a humbling experience," said Barker-Figueroa. "I don't want the awards to be about me, I want it to be a conduit for education and bringing awareness to current Native American issues."



U.S. Air Force Staff Sgt. Thereasa Barker-Figueroa from the New Jersey Air National Guard's 108th Wing holds her 2016 Military Meritorious Service Award she was presented by the Society of American Indian Government Employees, Joint Base McGuire-Dix-Lakehurst, N.J., Oct. 4, 2016. Barker-Figueroa traces her lineage to the Lenni-Lenape, a group of Native American people from the Algonquin nation who populated New Jersey as well as parts of Pennsylvania and New York. (NJDMAVA-PA photo by Tech. Sgt. Matt Hecht/Released)





A U.S. Air Force Airman from the New Jersey Air National Guard's 108th Wing waits for an inspection of his Joint Service Lightweight Integrated Suit Technology (JSLIST) during an Ability to Survive and Operate Rodeo at the 108th Wing, Joint Base McGuire-Dix-Lakehurst, N.J., Oct. 30, 2016.

U.S. Air Force Staff Sgt. Melissa Isidro, an Emergency Management specialist with the 108th Civil Engineering Squadron teaches Airmen how to properly wear the Joint Service Lightweight Integrated Suit Technology (JSLIST) during an Ability to Survive and Operate Rodeo at the 108th Wing, Joint Base McGuire-Dix-Lakehurst, N.J., Oct. 30, 2016.

A U.S. Air Force Airman from the New Jersey Air National Guard's 108th Wing puts on the Joint Service Lightweight Integrated Suit Technology (JSLIST) during an Ability to Survive and Operate Rodeo at the 108th Wing, Joint Base McGuire-Dix-Lakehurst, N.J., Oct. 30, 2016.





# 108TH WING: OPERATION RODEO



U.S. Air Force Airman 1st Class Dannielle Garcia, right, from the New Jersey Air National Guard's 108th Wing Emergency Management office, assists Airman 1st Class Jacqueline Garcia, her sister-in-law, with displaying how to properly wear the Joint Service Lightweight Integrated Suit Technology (JSLIST) during an Ability to Survive and Operate Rodeo at the 108th Wing, Joint Base McGuire-Dix-Lakehurst, N.J., Oct. 30, 2016. (NJDMAVA-PA photo by Tech. Sgt. Matt Hecht/Released)

# COMMANDERS CALL

**New Jersey Governor Chris Christie, right, shakes hands with state veteran organization members at the 2016 New Jersey National Guard Military Review at the National Guard Training Center in Sea Girt, N.J., Oct. 30, 2016. The Military Review is a long-standing tradition that allows the governor – the commander-in-chief of the state militia – the opportunity to review the Soldiers and Airmen of the New Jersey National Guard.**







**Brig. Gen. Michael L. Cunniff, the Adjutant General of New Jersey, addresses leaders from various state's veteran organizations during the Deputy Commissioner of Veterans Affairs Veterans Commanders' Call at the National Guard Training Center in Sea Girt, N.J., Oct. 30, 2016. The commander's call provides the leaders with updates on the New Jersey Department of Military and Veterans Affairs various programs, services, and benefits, as well as future plans. (NJDMAVA-PA Photos by Mark C. Olsen)**

## VETERANS AFFAIRS



## ORAL HISTORY LUNCHEON



The New Jersey National Guard Militia Museum held a luncheon Wednesday to honor nearly two dozen Veterans who, over the past year, told the story of their wartime service as part of the Veterans History Project. Since 2001, the museum has collected 557 oral histories of Garden State veterans who service ranges from World War II to current operations around the world. The Veterans History Project is led by assistant museum Carol Fowler and is a partnership with the U.S. Library of Congress. (Photo by Sgt. 1st Class Wayne Woolley, NJDMAVA-PA)

## VETERANS OUTREACH SCHEDULE

**NOVEMBER 7, 2016**

**"BOOTS TO BUSINESS"**

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**VETERANS RESOURCE FAIR**

**AT CITY HALL IN JERSEY CITY**

**1:00p.m. – 2:00p.m.**

(Veterans Parade begins at 12 Noon at Harsimus Cemetery – ends at City Hall)

(Military Art Exhibit and Veterans Resource Fair to follow)

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280 Grove Street, Jersey City, NJ 07303 (Hudson County)

**NOVEMBER 17, 2016**

**VETERANS BENEFIT PRESENTATION**

**AT THE SALVATION ARMY KROC CENTER**

**– CAMDEN**

**12:15p.m. – 2:00p.m.**

**A DMAVA VSO WILL MAKE A VETERANS BENEFIT**

**INFORMATION PRESENTATION**

1865 Harrison Avenue, Camden, NJ 08105 (Camden County)

**DECEMBER 7, 2016**

**"PATRIOT'S PRIDE DAY CEREMONY"**

**HOSTED BY THE MONMOUTH COUNTY**

**SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT**

**A DMAVA MEDAL CEREMONY WILL BE**

**CONDUCTED AT THIS EVENT**

**10:00a.m. – 2:00p.m.**

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2500 Kozloski Road, Freehold, NJ 07728 (Monmouth County)



# HELPFUL INFORMATION

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  - Supplier Diversity Programs
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at  
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108th Wing Airman & Family Readiness Ctr.....	609-754-4479
108th Wing Director Of Psychological Health.....	609-754-2159
177th Wing Airman & Family Readiness Ctr.....	609-761-6248
177th Wing Director of Psychological Health.....	609-761-6871
DDD Sexual Assault Hotline .....	1-877-995-5247
Employer Support for Guard & Reserve (ESGR) .....	609-562-5550
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National Suicide Prevention Lifeline.....	1-800-273-TALK
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National Resource Directory .....	www.nrd.gov
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