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82nd Airborne Div. Assoc.
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82nd Airborne Division Association, Inc.

NORTH JERSEY "All Airborne" CHAPTER, Inc.

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Enclosed is \$35.00 membership dues for the year _____, subscription to THE PARAGLIDE included.
Enclosed also is my donation to the 82nd Airborne Div. Assoc.]
Enclosed is _____ for Life Membership (\$250 if under 50 yrs of age / \$175 if over 50. DOB: (_____))
A little extra for the Mail Fund to keep this newsletter First Class. _____
(PLEASE PRINT) TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED _____
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NAME _____ STREET OR RFD _____
CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____
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AIRBORNE UNIT (Be Complete – Co, Bn and Div) _____
DATE OF AIRBORNE SERVICE: FROM (mo) _____ (yr) _____ TO (mo) _____ (yr) _____
COMBAT TOUR: LOCATION: _____ FROM _____ TO _____
PRESENT OCCUPATION _____ SINGLE _____ MARRIED _____ CHILDREN _____
SPOUSES NAME _____ E-mail _____
Chapter Preference _____

Make Check Payable to: North Jersey Chapter, 82nd ABN. DIV. ASSOC.
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North Jersey "All Airborne" Chapter
19 YEAR NATIONAL AWARD WINNING NEWSLETTER



The "JUMP IN"

Fall Issue Oct2016

The Lifeline for Paratroopers and Glidermen

Bob Dritschel, Editor

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North Jersey "All Airborne" Annual Christmas Luncheon



The North Jersey Chapter Christmas luncheon is scheduled to be held immediately after the Chapter meeting on December 17. The luncheon is free and open to all members of the Chapter and their spouses. It is asked that you inform one of the Chapter officers so that we may have an accurate headcount for the catering. Please make an effort to attend the meeting and luncheon to support your chapter.

A Facebook page has been created; please visit the "82nd Airborne Division North Jersey Chapter" Facebook page.

The North Jersey Chapter is requesting donations from its members to support the 82nd Airborne Association's Wounded Warrior's fund. A donation from each active member who receives this newsletter is appreciated. Please contact Rich Allen for further information

NATIONAL MEMBERSHIP

#1-Fayetteville 1472 AAM 1427	#2-Washington DC 419 AAM 408	#3-North Jersey 359 AAM 348
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AIRBORNE LICENSE PLATES (731 Issued)



Call **Henry Moe** for information

2017

82nd Airborne Division 100th Anniversary
There will be special events planned for All American Week and the Convention to celebrate the Anniversary so this is going to be a great year to attend these events. Look for

**CHAPTER
MEETING PLACE**
AMERICAN LEGION
POST #324
Brower St & Amboy Ave
Edison, NJ

Located just off Route 1 in
Edison, east of Tano Mall

MEETING TIME
12:00 pm-Officers Meeting
12:30 pm-Regular Meeting

MEETING DATES 2016
November 19
December 17

MEETING DATES 2017
January 21
February 18
March 18
April 15
May 20
June 17
July 15
August 19
September 16
October 21
November 18
December 16

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

National Airborne Day
August 16, 2016

**Annual Veteran's Day
Activities**
November 9-13, 2016
Washington, DC

**North Jersey Chapter
Christmas Party**
December 17, 2016
Edison, NJ

CHAIRMAN’S MESSAGE

Troopers of the NJC,
Hope all troopers and their families had a great summer with everyone enjoying good health. This will be our last newsletter of 2016 and I want to recognize the great job our editor, Bob Dritschel has done in putting it together. Also, I want to thank the officers and those troopers that have been actively support- ing our efforts this year. Without you, there is no chapter.
All of us are sorry that we had to cancel our picnic in Septem- ber. As you know, we have been having a joint picnic the last few years with American Legion Post 324. They had to change the date to October and we were not able to reschedule. At the time we had very few members indicating they would be attending or not able to help us with the picnic logistics. Therefore, we can- celled and hope for a more positive response next year.
One problem of not having a picnic is we lost our main source of revenue. As a result, our financial situation is critical. You can help your chapter by making a donation to: "NJC - 82nd ABN DIV ASSOC". It can be mailed to our Treasurer, Rich Allen. The ad- dress for our PO Box can be found in this newsletter. Thank you in advance for whatever you can give.
You can vote for the 2017 slate of officers at the November 19th meeting. The new officers will be sworn in at the December 17th meeting. A lunch will follow at a local restaurant. All are wel- come. I hope to see many of you there.
The chapter needs you to become involved. Attendance at our monthly meetings is dismal. There are things we should be doing but cannot. We could be helping our veterans in many ways. We could be "showing the colors" by having our color guard again marching in area parades. We can't do these things without your participation. We have lost our most active members the last few years. You can replace them. Stand-in-the-door!
As always, keep our military, their families, and our Gold Star Mothers in your prayers. And take the time to get in touch with our brothers on "sick call". Don't forget to vote!
Airborne! Don

New & Views from the Secretary

From the Secretary’s desk.....
The Magnificent Seven or is it Five? No, I'm not talking about the movie, I'm talking about your Chapter's officers. We are trying to hold it together, however we need your support! **ATTEND one(1) meeting before the end of the year. PLEASE!**
I attended my first North Jersey Chapter picnic in 1963. In 2016, we canceled the picnic because of the lack of interest from the membership. Our record of 53 years of picnic's has stopped. As they say in baseball, "Maybe next year!"
Show some interest and maybe we will have a **CHRISTMAS PARTY!**
The chapter's RAFFLE was won by Ron Rao. Thanks for your sup- port!
Election for a new slate of chapter officers for 2017 will be held in November. **VOTE!** AATW, Dave

2016 John Basilone Parade



The parade was held on Sept. 18 in Raritan. The grand marshall for the parade is John Sturges, a World War II veteran. John Basilone, of Raritan, was the only enlisted Marine to be awarded the Congressional Medal of Honor and the Navy Cross, and was the only one to re- turn to action after winning the Medal of Honor and be killed in action.

173 Airborne Brigade recognized on NJ Road



Highway took place at the Lebanon Township's Memorial Park. The above picture is one of the signs that had been placed along the highway. Sen. Michael Doherty (R-23rd), sponsor of legislation to rename the highway in commemoration of the brigade, also took part, as did Congressman Leonard Lance (R-7th).

EDITOR’S MESSAGE

Please contact me with any information pertinent to the chapter. The chapter newsletter will be distributed three times per year, as follows: February, June & October. Updates of the Chapter records can be made by using the membership application on the back page.

SICK CALL

Please take time to call or write your Airborne Brothers:
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TAPS

A Final Salute to our departed Airborne Brothers:
No Recent Events to Report.

North Jersey Chapter Raffle

The second annual chapter raffle had been conducted at the September Chap- ter meeting due to the cancelled Chapter picnic. The raffle winner was Ronald Rao and his winnings amounted to \$350 winner. Please look for the 2017 raffle that will be included in the first newsletter of 2017. Thanks to all who had supported the Chapter by purchasing the raffle tickets.

Division E-News Bulletin

By subscribing to the Division E-News bulletin, you will receive articles of interest concerning Fort Bragg, the 82nd Airborne Division, Veteran’s issues and other information from around the military. You can subscribe by going to the Association’s webpage “What’s New” link and entering your information.
The website is <http://www.82ndairborneassociation.org/what-s-new.html>

North Jersey Chapter 82nd Airborne Division Association Election of Officers

At the September meeting, the 2016 meeting attendees had proposed the following slate of officers for the 2017 year.
Chairman—Don Martin
Vice Chairman—Richie Allen
Secretary—Dave Perry
Treasurer—Dave Perry
Chaplain—Charlie Moe
Sgt at Arms—Henry Moe

Please submit your vote for the above individuals or if you have another chapter member that would be able to fulfill the role, please submit your write-in vote for them. The voting is to take place at the November chapter meeting. In the event you cannot attend the November meeting, please submit your vote by email or regular mail. Your participation is very important for the chapter.

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www.82ndairborneassociation.org/paraglide.html

Paratroopers Participate in World Wide Events

The paratroopers of the 82nd Air- borne Division are currently plan- ning to participate in US Army's International Exercise—Europe Swift Response 16. Troopers of the 504th will join exercises in Po- land and 1st BCT will conduct air- borne exercises with their German counterparts.

Army Times Statistics

Global War on Terror
KIA – 2,352
WIA - 20,065
As the Army Times does not up- date these figures due to the for- mal notice of conclusion of the War on Terror, these numbers will remain the same until such time information is provided.

Chapter News

The North Jersey Chapter is look- ing at several ways to increase attendance at its scheduled meet- ings. Please support your chapter and attend the meetings as they are listed on the front page of the newsletter. The November meet- ing will include the election of officers for 2017. The slate of of- ficers will be presented in the this newsletter and votes shall be counted by email and regular mail submittals along with the in-person vote count. Come out and support your chapter.