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NORTH JERSEY "All Airborne" CHAPTER, Inc.

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Telephone Number _____ New Member _____ Renewal _____ Reinstatement _____
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. Education Fund
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. _____
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NEW MEMBER MUST INCLUDE PROOF OF GLIDER/AIRBORNE QUALIFICATIONS OR SERVICE WITH THE 82ND

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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 _____
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Chapter Preference _____

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



The "JUMP IN"

The Lifeline for Paratroopers and Glidermen

Bob Dritschel, Editor

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Joint North Jersey "All Airborne" Chapter/Edison VFW Picnic



The picnic is scheduled for September 19, 2015.
The picnic will run between 12:00 and 5:00
Tickets for the picnic are \$20.00 and can either
be purchased prior to the picnic or upon entry.
There will also be a 50/50 raffle to be pulled at
the picnic. Contact the Chapter Officers for
information on pre-purchasing picnic tickets.

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

A new North Jersey Chapter webpage in under design.
Look for it in the near future.

The North Jersey Chapter is requesting donations from its
members to support the Wounded Warrior's fund. A dona-
tion from each active member who receives this newsletter
is appreciated. Please contact Rich Allen for further infor-
mation

NATIONAL MEMBERSHIP
#1-Fayetteville 1472 AAM 1427
#2-Washington DC 419 AAM 408
#3-North Jersey 354 AAM 348

AIRBORNE LICENSE PLATES



Call **Henry Moe** for information

New Chapter Members:
**Dan Magieri has renewed his membership in
the North Jersey Chapter. Dan had previously
served in the 82nd Airborne Division.**

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

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

MEETING DATES - 2015

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

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

All American Week
May 18 – 21, 2015
Fort Bragg, NC

**82nd Association
National Convention**
August 12 – 15, 2015
Orlando, FL
The Rosen Centre Hotel
9840 International Drive
Orlando, FL
800-204-7234

National Airborne Day
August 16, 2015

**Annual Veteran's Day
Activities**
November 7-11, 2015
Washington, DC

CHAIRMAN’S MESSAGE

Troopers of the NJC,

I hope this message finds all of you and your families in good health.

“Stand-In-The-Door”! You are familiar with that command from the jumpmaster. This is what your chapter needs you to do. We are short-handed. We need you to attend our monthly chapter meetings and get active. Many things are on hold because of lack of support. Out color guard is inactive. There are things we can do to support our veterans at VA facilities, etc. I urge you to get out and support your chapter.

One of our major events is the annual picnic. Chapter officers and members are busy working on having a successful one on September 19th. Mark your calendars and attend. Many of us are having major and minor health issues. Our “Sick Call” lists some with their contact information. Give them a call or drop a line. They will appreciate your effort. If you have information on others on sick call contact a chapter officer and update us so we can get the word out.

May 8, 1945 was a historical day. It marked the end of the war in Europe. The C-47 Club held their annual reunion on May 8th with a visit to West Point. Henrik Moe and I attended and wreaths were placed on several graves including Gen. Gavin and Gen. Norton. General Gavin’s daughters Barbara and Chloe were in attendance. On Memorial Day, NJC member Steve Fraunberger and I placed the 82nd wreath at the New Jersey Vietnam Veterans Memorial. The museum at that location is well worth a visit.

As always, keep our active military, veterans, families and our Gold Star Mothers in your prayers. They have sacrificed much.

Airborne!
Don

New & Views from the Secretary

From your Secretary:

WWII veteran Pat Casanova has moved to Florida to be with his daughter. This leaves only Pete DeVries, Timothy Dyas, Teddy Fahrenholz, Ed Busch and Mike Rock as active members from the Second World War era.

Like it or not, we are becoming the “Last Man Club” unless we start to attract younger members and get greater participation from our present membership.

As a first step, the August 15th meeting will be “Meet and Greet” day. FREE LUNCH AND DRNKS FOR ALL!

All you have to do is show up! However for head count, please call me @ 973-477-0176.

Looking forward to meeting all of you!

AATW,
Dave

2014 VETERANS DAY ACTVTITIES



The picture above shows Chapter Chair- man Don Martin and Steve Fraunberger placing a wreath at the monument.

John Basilone Parade
Raritan, NJ Sept. 20, 2015

On Sunday, September 20t, 2015, the bor- ough of Raritan will host the annual John Basilone Memorial Parade. This parade honors World War II hero, Marine Sargeant John Basilone. John Basilone recived the Medal of Honor and the Navy Cross for his heroic actions during World War II. Please join the North Jersey Chapter at the parade to honor this American Hero.

Veterans of America Day

TD Bank Ballpark Bridgewater, NJ
Sunday, August 30, 2015

FREE TICKETS FOR ALL VETERANS
Tickets for Family & Friends \$5.00/ticket

Vietnam Veterans of America Chapter 452 proudly hosts the 13th annual Veterans of America Day at TD Bank Ballpark.

Guest of Honor will be Medal of Honor Recipient Colonel Jack H. Jacobs

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SICK CALL

Please take time to contact your Airborne Buddies:

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Steve Fraunberger 4 Castleton Dr
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TAPS

A Final Salute to our Airborne Brothers:

Paul, Ronald E., Wickoff, NJ; he served in the 82nd Airborne Division.

Hogan, Joseph Parlin, NJ , born on 1950, he served in the 82nd Airborne Division during the Vietnam war.

82ndAirborne Association
North Jersey Chapter Raffle

In an effort to bolster the finances of the North Jersey Chapter, it was decided to offer a raffle to the chapter membership. This raffle will help fund the continued mailing of the chapter newsletter in addition to other chapter endeavors such as Wounded Warrior donations and the annual chapter picnic. Enclosed is a page of raffle tickets; please fill out the identifying information and return to the Chapter PO Box as indicated. If you would like more tickets, please contact Bob Dritschel.

National 82ndAirborne Association
New website & email Addresses
Please take note of the new information

Website: www.82ndairbroneassociation.org
Email: execdir@82assn.org
execsec@82assn.org

EDITOR’S MESSAGE

Please contact me with any information pertinent to the chapter.

The chapter is also asking for emails addresses to be able to keep in touch with the members. Please forward your email addresses to me at the email below.

The chapter newsletter will be distributed three times per year, as follows: February, July & December.
Bob Dritschel – Editor
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Last of 82nd Combat
Aviation Brigade
deployed troops
return to Fort Bragg

After a nine-month deployment in Afghanistan, the last troops of the 82nd Combat Aviation Bri- gade, 82nd Airborne Division returned home to Fort Bragg.

In September 2014, 1,700 paratroopers from the 82nd Airborne were deployed to serve in Opera- tion Enduring Freedom. At the start of the troop drawdown in December 2014, 1,000 soldiers came back. The rest stayed to support Afghan security forces in Operation Freedom's Sentinel.

The last 120 troops with 82nd CAB came home to their families, who were anxiously awaiting their return at Simmons Army Airfield. During their deployment, the 82nd CAB carried out combat aviation operations, provided aerial medical evacuation support, and overhead re- connaissance with air weapons teams.

82nd Headquarters to
Deploy to Iraq

Going into its nine-month deployment, soldiers in the 82nd Airborne Division headquarters must understand the nature of their mission, Brig. Gen. Brian Winski said.

The 82nd Airborne headquarters last deployed to Iraq in 2006, and the mission there today is different from the mission then, he said.

Army Times Statistics
Global War on Terror
KIA – 2,352 WIA - 20,065

Central Jersey Chapter
Meeting Time Survey

The current meeting times of the chap- ter are the third Saturday of the month at 12:30 PM. If anyone has a suggestion that may increase member participa- tion, please forward your request or suggestion to the newsletter editor, Bob Dritschel.