

Area V Is Alive!

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Greetings from the editors:

New challenges in an ever changing world,... can be unsettling at best.

It is important to realize YOU are not alone. There are resources available for individuals, families, Units, State and Area Organizations. If you need help with health, family, education, or other issues, seek help from your military leadership and find out what is available in your area. The EANGUS website, your state association websites, The New Patriot and newsletters such as this are provided to disseminate information and be an important resource to all.

We invite any ideas and/or submissions from your state members. Of particular interest are happenings and news from your state, pictures, interesting people and noteworthy deeds.

Please send your articles, pictures, etc. to:

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We will do our best at keeping the outstanding AREA V is ALIVE newsletter packed full of information.

Deadlines:

Nov/Dec	Nov 30
Jan/Feb	Jan 30
Mar/Apr	Mar 30
May/Jun	May 30
Jul/Aug	Jul 30
Sep/Oct	Sep 30

Reminder from EANGUS Aux. Treasurer:

Membership transmittal materials were distributed to all states in attendance at the conference in South Dakota. Electronic membership transmittal materials have been sent out to the Executive Board, and state treasurers on file. If for some reason you have not received the information, please contact Cora Sower, sowertuba@juno.com Suspense date for sending in membership information is Dec. 31st.

There is an additional NEW form this year for ASSOCIATE LIFE membership. One time fee of \$100 paid to EANGUS Auxiliary. These members will appear on your spreadsheet(EANGUS Aux) with the other Associate membership. They do not have a vote and cannot hold an office.

We are sharing the **Military Children and Families** digital publication with our MCEC members. In addition, Military Installation, School District, and Individual Lifetime members received the print version of the full publication and policy brief by mail. The full publication is also available on the 'Policies and Initiatives' page of the MCEC website (click here).



Dear Sir or Madam,

October 7, 2013

I am happy to present this copy of *Military Children and Families*, a Princeton-Brookings publication of The Future of Children journal.

The Future of Children and the Military Child Education Coalition jointly developed this edition to promote effective policies and programs for military-connected children and their families.

We hope you will find this journal informative and useful in your professional endeavors. Perhaps even more so, we hope you will come away with an even greater respect and appreciation for not only those who serve our nation, but for their families and children as well. Respectfully,

Michael L. Gravens Director, Strategic

Communications & Outreach

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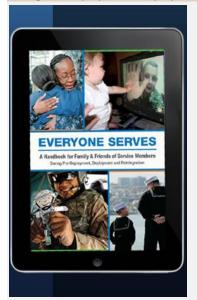
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EVERYONE SERVES

A Handbook for Family & Friends of Service Members During Pre-Deployment, Deployment and Reintegration



"No matter if this is your first, third or seventh time, deployment is an intense and unusual part of our lives. I urge you to spend time with this great resource, and take care of yourself."

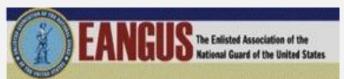
— Kathy Roth-Douguet, CEO, Blue Star

This FREE guide helps you:

- Build resilience
- Strengthen relationships
- Learn coping strategies
- Prepare for and manage reunion and reintegration
- Includes video, checklists and resources

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Photos from the 2013 National Conference, Sioux Falls, SD





SIOUX FALLS, S.D. - - A runner carries the American Flag across a bridge onto Veterans' Memorial Park during the opening ceremonies for the 42nd Annual National EANGUS Conference in Sioux Falls, S.D. Aug 18, 2013. (SDARNG photo by Sgt. Charlie Jacobson)



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Corn on the cob was a double treat for many!



EANGUS President John Helbert and Auxiliary Vice President Judy Wood spoke to members at the opening session.



South Dakota Army Band performed for an outdoor welcoming ceremony.



Wisconsin Cheese at States Night food fest.

EANGUS Auxiliary First-timers all pretty in PURPLE!



THANK-YOU South Dakota, Edna and Judy for a great conference!



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EANGUS AUXILIARY LIFE NATIONAL ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Life National Associate Membership may be issued to individuals who support the objectives of the ENLISTED ASSOCIATION OF THE NATIONAL GUARD OF THE UNITED STATES AUXILIARY but do not otherwise qualify for annual or lifetime membership. A national life associate member shall not be a voting delegate, eligible for scholarships, or qualified to hold office in the AUXILIARY. Dues are \$100. This is a onetime non-refundable payment.

Request for Life National Associate Membership					
Date	Member ID	(Member ID will be assigned)			
State Auxiliary affiliation	(If applicable)				
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Company/Corporation Name	(If applicable)				
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City	State	Zip			
Home Phone	Cell Phone				
Email Address					
Signature					
Hard copy membership applications may be mailed: Cora Sower, 9297 Kolander Rd., Siren, WI 54872. I applications.					
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Enlisted Association National Guard of the United States 43rd Annual Conference We've Got Your Back in Arizona!

~ 2014 ~

Phoenix, Arizona August 10 - 13, 2014



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Do you require Handicap Transportation? YES NO Do you require a Wheel Chair? YES NO									
Mailing address for registration submission is: EANGUS, 3133 Mount Vernon Avenue, Alexandria, VA 22305									

Email address: <u>eangus@eangus.org</u> (credit card information must be included for electronic registration to be processed).

On line registration is also available at - www.eangus.org and click on National Conference

"2013 EANGUS Conference Attendance Information"

"The Department of Defense/National Guard Bureau has found this event meets the minimum regulatory standards for attendance by DoD employees. This finding does not constitute a blanket approval or endorsement for attendance. Individual DoD Component commands or organizations are responsible for approving attendance of its DoD employees based on mission requirements and DoD regulations. The Department of Defense has no legal objection to individual DoD Component commands or organizations approving the attendance or participation of its DoD employees at this Annual Membership Meeting. DoD Component commands or organizations may also approve the acceptance of reduced fees or free attendance by their employees in accordance with 31 U.S.C. 1353, Acceptance of Travel and Related Expenses from Non-Federal Sources.

This determination for official attendance by DoD personnel is not extended to the EANGUS golf tournament. If DoD personnel want to attend the EANGUS golf tournament, in a personal capacity, on offduty time and at their own cost, they may do so. "No Federal endorsement is intended" by any approval for official DoD participation in this event."