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# **Monthly News & Updates**

I hope you all have had a great Summer! I apologize for not getting an update out last month. Please be safe this holiday weekend! In this edition we have our Community Involvement, our Local Supporting Local and a Special Request section. As always, we cannot thank you enough for your continued support! With A Grateful Heart,

Angie

### **Important Dates:**

August 04, 1790 - U.S. Coast Guard established August 07, 1964 - Congress approves "all necessary action" in Vietnam August 11, 1972 - U.S. combat troops leave South Vietnam August 14, 1945 - V-J Day September 11 - Patriot Day September 17 - Constitution Day and U.S. Citizenship Day September 18, 1947 - U.S. Air Force Established September 21 - POW / MIA Recognition Day

## **Our Community**

A special thank you to these schools, businesses & clubs for their continued support of our mission: To Support the Men & Women of Our Armed Forces

- Cape Coral Charter School
- Caloosa Elementary
- Zion Lutheran Early Childhood Center
- Lee Co. Public Schools Transportation - West Zone

- Dorcey Law Firm
- Florida Cancer Specialist
- Positively Plantation
- Bridgetown Veterans Club
- Homes for Heroes
- Zonta
- Black Rifle Coffee





#### **OPERATION BACKPACK: COMPLETE!**

We were blown away by the amount of donations received for our USO Backpack donation drive for our local Coast Guard and 3-265th Air Defense Artillery Families!! The pictures below don't even come close to showing the amount of donations received. Not only were we able to fill the backpacks of the 32 local kids, but we were able to pay it forward to 3 local schools/outreach programs! Thank you to all who donated items and those that were able to help fill the backpacks!!













On Saturday, August 3rd, I had the opportunity to visit MacDill Air Force Base to volunteer for their Back To School Fair with the USO! I had such a great time seeing all the smiles on the kids faces as they filled their backpacks. So many military families impacted by this great event!



## **Special Request**

Military Support is looking for a permanent/semi-permanent space to store our inventory, meet to pack boxes and hold our packing supplies. If you, or someone you know has a space they are not using and would be willing to let us use,



