

SUPERVISOR JUDI BOSWORTH, THE NORTH HEMPSTEAD TOWN BOARD, AND THE VETERANS ADVISORY COMMITTEE PRESENT:

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VETERANS SERVICES

IN THE TOWN OF NORTH HEMPSTEAD

SALUTE TO VETERANS & DD214 CARD SIGN-UP

MONDAY, AUGUST 24, 2015 (10 A.M. - 2 P.M.) AT NORTH HEMPSTEAD BEACH PARK

This year, the Town's Annual Salute to the Armed Forces at the FunDay Monday senior event will include a partnership between the Town and the Northport Veterans Affairs (VA) Medical Center, where veterans will have the opportunity to sign up for their DD214 card. The DD214 card gives those discharged from military service access to veterans' health care, education benefits, and more.



ANNUAL VETERANS BREAKFAST

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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 8, 2015 (9 A.M.) AT CLINTON G. MARTIN PARK



The Town will be holding its annual FREE breakfast for veterans from all branches of the military in appreciation of the men and women who courageously put themselves in harm's way to protect our freedom. Please call 311 today to reserve your seat.

VETERANS' SCHOOL TAX EXEMPTION

All school districts in the Town of North Hempstead adopted the Alternative Veterans' Exemption, which will be applied on your 2015-2016 school tax bill. We would be happy to explain your eligibility.

Please call 311 to be put in touch with Receiver of Taxes Charles Berman.



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MESSAGE FROM SUPERVISOR JUDI BOSWORTH



In June 2014, the Town Board and I re-established the Town of North Hempstead Veterans Advisory Committee with the purpose of ensuring that veterans in our Town are receiving the benefits and services that they so rightly deserve. Since that time, our committee has met several times and decided that the thing most needed by our veterans is the resources and contact information they require to get answers to their questions on medical benefits, social services, and more. That's why we are providing all of that information in this newsletter, and giving you details on upcoming Town-sponsored events. We hope you find this guide helpful and informative. I look forward to seeing you at the next Town veterans event!

IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS FOR VETERANS

- Nassau Co. Veterans Service Agency: **(516) 572-6560** VA Life Insurance: **1-800-669-8477**
- VA Hospital in Northport: **(631) 261-4400** VA National Office: **1-800-827-1000**
- Long Island State Veterans Nursing Home: **(631) 444-8500**
- U.S. Veterans Affairs - Veterans Resource Center: **(516) 348-0088**
- Nassau Co. Department of Social Services: **(516) 227-8519**; After Hours: **(516) 573-8626**
- Long Island Crisis Counseling and Referral Center Hotline: **(516) 679-1111**
- SAFE Center of Long Island: **(516) 542-0404**
- Nassau University Medical Center: **(516) 572-0123**
- Long Island Coalition for the Homeless: **(631) 464-4314**

2015 VETERANS DONATION DRIVE

The Town has begun accepting donations as part of the 2nd Annual veterans donation drive benefitting the Northport VA Medical Center. Requested items include liquid body soap, combs, deodorant, powdered laundry detergent, and more. Please drop off donations at Town Hall, located at 220 Plandome Road in Manhasset.

Do you have any suggestions for the Veterans Advisory Committee?
We welcome any feedback as we work together to serve our veterans community. Call 311 if you would like to help.

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