

Earth Day

Saturday, April 20 | 11AM-3PM

McDade Park, 1 Bald Mountain Rd, Scranton
Pavilion #2

**Join us for a pre-event
cleanup from 9am to 11am!**

Registration is required for those who wish to participate in the clean-up.

Scan the QR code to
register for the clean-up!



Bring your
plastic
bags/film to
be recycled!

FREE
AND FUN
FOR ALL
AGES!

**Stop by for arts and crafts with local
artists, music, and to interact with local
organizations and businesses!**



@Lackawanna County Environmental Office





RIVERFRONT SPORTS **WELLNESS EXPO**

FREE FAMILY FUN DAY!

Free and open to the public. Join us and our community partners as we support and celebrate family wellness!



EVENT DETAILS

LOCATION

Riverfront Sports
5 W Olive St, Scranton, PA 18508

DATE & TIME

April 27th 12-2PM

ADMISSION PRICE

FREE AND OPEN TO THE PUBLIC!

www.riverfrontsports.com

(570) 347-0797

5 W Olive St, Scranton, PA 18508



PRESENTS:

NORTHEAST PENNSYLVANIA
ARMED FORCES DAY
Parade

MAY 18, 2024

COURTHOUSE SQUARE - SCRANTON

*THE PARADE BEGINS AT THE GINO MERLI CENTER

9:00AM - HEROES OF ALL KINDS 5K

11:00AM - ARMED FORCED DAY PARADE*

Join us to celebrate our nation's heroes!

EMAIL NEPAARMEDFORCESPARADE@GMAIL.COM FOR MORE INFORMATION ON VETERAN ORGANIZATION PARTICIPATION.



NORTHEAST PENNSYLVANIA
ARMED FORCES DAY PARADE ASSOCIATION

3401 OLYPHANT AVENUE
SCRANTON, PA 18509
nepaarmedforcesparade@gmail.com

December 19, 2023

Dear potential sponsor,

In 2023, a group of individuals from the PA National Guard, Veterans, and Community leaders came together to form the Northeast Pennsylvania Armed Forces Day Parade Association (NEPAAFDPA). This organization will soon be an IRS-recognized 501(c)(3) public charity with the intent to raise funds to help support the Parade Association.

The mission of NEPAAFDPA is to gather and provide support for our armed forces, as well as those who have honorably served our nation, through fundraising and parade attendance. The intent is to do so while offering service members, veterans and those who support the armed forces the opportunity to stay connected with the local military and veteran community.

The Northeast Pennsylvania Armed Forces Day Parade will be held on May 18, 2024, in downtown Scranton, beginning at 12:00 p.m. at the Gino Merli Veterans Center, located at 401 Penn Avenue. The Armed Forces Day Luncheon will be held on Thursday May 16, 2024, from 12-2PM, at a location to be determined.

We ask that you please consider sponsoring the event so that we can show support for our armed forces, local military and veterans. The attached sponsorship form highlights the various levels of support, and the advertising opportunity that goes with your contribution.

Thank you in advance for your anticipated support of the Northeast Pennsylvania Armed Forces Day Parade Association. Sponsorship signs will be the same size as political yard signs and will include your name and/or business name in large, bold letters. Signs will be displayed so they can be seen easily by our guests. Please do not hesitate to contact us at the above email address with any questions or comments.

Sincerely,

Northeast Pennsylvania Armed Forces Day Parade Association (NEPAAFDPA)

COMMANDER

\$7,500 PRESENTING SPONSOR

Presenting Sponsor ("BUSINESS XYZ" 'Presents' The 2024 NEPA Armed Forces Day Parade) Your name/business (logo) will be displayed on all signage, logo/name on all branding/flair, media publications, luncheon programs, etc. Your name will be synonymous with the Armed Forces Day Parade. You or a representative will have the opportunity to speak at the event and will receive a table (10 seats) at the luncheon two days prior to the parade. Your business logo will be on step and repeat photo backdrop, will receive sponsored gift, and will be the first business/sponsor leading the parade.

4 STAR

\$5,000 LUNCHEON SPONSOR

Your name/business (logo) will be displayed throughout the 2-day event at the entrance of luncheon and all tables at the Armed Forces Day Luncheon, as well as a table (10 seats). Your name will be announced throughout the 2-day event, along with your business logo on the step and repeat photo backdrop and in the program, sponsored gift, and a reserved spot for your business in the parade.

SPECIAL OPS

\$2,500 SUPPORTING SPONSOR

Your name/business (logo) will be on step and repeat photo backdrop, highlighted at the luncheon, in the program, sponsored gift, 5 tickets to The Armed Forces Day Luncheon and a reserved spot for your business in the parade.

CAPTAIN

\$1000 SUPPORTING SPONSOR

Your name/business (logo) will be on step and repeat photo backdrop, an individual yard sign, sponsored gift, 2 tickets to The Armed Forces Day Luncheon, sponsor name in program and a reserved spot for your business in the parade.

PATRIOT

\$500 PARADE SPONSOR

Your name/business (logo) on an individual yard sign, sponsored gift, 2 tickets to The Armed Forces Day Luncheon, sponsor name in program and a reserved spot for your business in the parade.

SCRANTON CITY GUARD

\$300 LUNCHEON TABLE SPONSOR

Your name/business (logo) on an individual yard sign, 2 tickets to The Armed Forces Day Luncheon a sponsor gift pack, sponsor name in program and a reserved spot for your business in the parade. This sponsorship provides for 1 table of 8 seats for currently serving military personnel or veterans at The Armed Forces Day Luncheon and joins them at the table for lunch.

FIRE SUPPORT

\$100 SPONSOR

Your name/business listed on an individual yard sign in courthouse square and the program in support of The Armed Forces Day Parade.

Please circle the sponsorship amount you choose to participate in and clearly write or email what you'd like your sign to say.

Sponsorships, CIRCLE ONE: \$7,500 \$5,000 \$2,500 \$1,000 \$500 \$300 \$100

Sponsor Name: _____

Wording on Sign: _____

Sponsor's contact person: _____

Sponsor's phone #: _____

Sponsor's e-mail address: _____

Please include a check payable to "**Northeast Pennsylvania Armed Forces Day Parade Association**" and mail it to our address at the head of this packet or give it to the board director of your choice.



Mental Health FIRST AID

from NATIONAL COUNCIL FOR MENTAL WELLBEING

MENTAL HEALTH FIRST AID

LEARN HOW TO SUPPORT YOUR FRIENDS, FAMILY AND NEIGHBORS

Mental Health First Aid (MHFA) teaches you how to identify, understand and respond to signs of mental health and substance use challenges among adults.

You'll build skills and confidence you need to reach out and provide initial support to those who are struggling. You'll also learn how to help connect them to appropriate support.

AFTER THE COURSE, YOU'LL BE ABLE TO:

- Recognize common signs and symptoms of mental health challenges.
- Recognize common signs and symptoms of substance use challenges.
- Understand how to interact with a person in crisis.
- Know how to connect a person with help.
- Use self-care tools and techniques.

Join the more than

2.6 MILLION

***First Aiders who
have chosen to be
the difference in
their community.***

REGISTER TODAY!

Delivery Format:

This is an in-person class. You will need to be present for both

sessions, 8 hours total, to receive credit for the course.

Date and Time:

April 16, 2024 AND April 17, 2024, 6:00 PM - 10:00 PM

Location:

Clarks Summit Fire Company Hall, 321 Bedford St, Clarks Summit, PA,

Where to Register:

Cherianne@theadvocacyalliance.org

Learn how to respond with the Mental Health First Aid Action Plan (**ALGEE**):

- A** ssess for risk of suicide or harm.
- L** isten nonjudgmentally.
- G** ive reassurance and information.
- E** ncourage appropriate professional help.
- E** ncourage self-help and other support strategies.



For more information, visit MHFA.org



LACKAWANNA COUNTY EVENTS

Spring into the Trolley

March 24 **Easter Bunny** on the **Trolley**

March 30 **Easter Bunny** on the **Trolley**

April 20 **An Afternoon Tea** at the **Trolley Museum**

May 4 **Star Wars Day** at the **Trolley Museum**

May 25 **Mother Goose** on the **Trolley**

OTHER GREAT EVENTS COMING UP!!

March 9 **St. Patrick's Day Parade**

April 8 **2024 Grant Award Ceremony**
at Scranton Cultural Center

April 20 **Earth Day at McDade Park**

May 11 **Mother's Day Pot & Plant Sale**
at ArtWorks Gallery & Studio

For more information contact the Lackawanna County Arts and Culture Department
at 570.496.1724 or arts-culture@lackawannacounty.org



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