# SIGN-ON FOR OPERATION AUGUST ACTION

## SUPPORT OUR TROOPS



**WE JUST BEMOANED** our recent hot weather – but it was nothing compared to the conditions faced by those deployed in some of the hottest areas in the world for months at a time.

**AND REMEMBER** – they don't get to wear shorts, tank tops and flip flops.



**SUPPORT AND ENCOURAGE** the men and women sent abroad to help keep our country safe by helping us fill some care packages with goodies, needed supplies and comforts from home, and be sure to add a short note to let them know they are remembered, prayed-for and appreciated.

**DURING AUGUST** we will be collecting items for care packages to be sent out after the Labor Day Weekend.

**DROP OFF** your donations and notes at any of the listed locations by August 31st.

THEY WILL BE SHIPPED out shortly thereafter to the

VFA 81 Sunliners onboard the USS Harry S. Truman, Army 101st ESB Unit, and Naval Unit 200208.

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Here is a list of requested items:

**CARDS, NOTES, LETTERS** (sign with only your first name)

#### PERSONAL CARE

Toothpaste, floss, mouthwash, toothbrushes

Baby wipes

Foot powder/spray, anti-fungal cream

Body powder

Q-tips

Shampoo & Conditioner (both genders)

Deodorant (both genders)

Shaving Gel/cream (non- aerosol, both genders)

Razors (both genders)

Bar soap & shower gel (both genders)

Lotions (no larger than 15 oz)

Aftershave

Feminine hygiene products

Eye drops, lip balm

Sunblock

Tylenol/pain relievers

#### FOOD ITEMS

Cookies/ Rice Krispie Treats

Nuts/sunflower seeds

Potato chips/snacks (individual bags are best)

Microwave soups/popcorn

Beef Jerky (no pork)/Slim Jims

Assorted candy (types that do not melt)

Granola/protein bars

Water enhancer powders/liquids, powdered drink mixes

Little Debbie snack items

Peanut butter, marshmallow fluff, jelly, jam (no glass jars)

Hot Sauce/dipping sauces (plastic bottles if possible)

Cereal (individual boxes)

Instant Coffee, plain & flavored

Tuna Fish (flip top cans or foil packets)

Kraft Easy Mac

Gum

#### MISC.

Batteries AA, AAA, C, D, & 9 Volt Glade air fresheners (non-aerosol) Gain/Tide pods Gain dryer sheets Cleaning supplies/Clorox wipes

Paper, business envelopes, pens Magazines & books (non political) Game books, small board games, cards, card games
Zip Lock Bags Socks Boxers Frisbees CDs & DVDs Stress Balls

Cash donations will also be accepted to help defray shipping costs or to purchase items.

Contact Karen Finnessey at Village Hall 518-765-2692

### **DROP OFF LOCATIONS**

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