



# Mission Report 2024

"To inspire patriotism in fellow youth and across generations by volunteering on behalf of service members and veterans through community service, advocacy, and education."



**16,547 Care Packages**  
shipped to  
Deployed Troops  
since January 2018



**2025 Goal:** An additional  
**4,500 care packages** to  
be shipped in 2025

**\$248,205**  
raised to cover  
shipping expenses alone  
since January 2018



**2025 Goal:**  
Raise **\$94,000**  
in 2025 to support  
**all** of our projects

**Total of  
1,072 Plastic Mats**  
delivered to homeless  
veterans in Arizona  
since 2017



**2025 Goal:**  
Deliver a total of  
**1,200 plastic mats**  
by the end of 2025

2017	2018	2019
Volunteer Shifts: almost <b>1,300</b>	Volunteer Shifts: almost <b>2,750</b>	Volunteer Shifts: almost <b>2,980</b>
Volunteer Hours: almost <b>3,050</b>	Volunteer Hours: almost <b>5,900</b>	Volunteer Hours: over <b>9,300</b> hours
The Y4T Mission was shared with about <b>5,400</b> people at events, schools, businesses, and presentations.	The Y4T Mission was shared with about <b>7,000</b> people at events, schools, businesses, and presentations.	The Y4T Mission was shared with about <b>13,000</b> people at events, schools, businesses, and presentations.
2020	2021	2022
Volunteer Shifts: almost <b>1,150</b>	Volunteer Shifts: almost <b>3,386</b>	Volunteer Shifts: almost <b>3,928</b>
Volunteer Hours: over <b>3,500</b> hours	Volunteer Hours: almost <b>11,273</b>	Volunteer Hours: almost <b>12,149</b>
The Y4T Mission was shared with about <b>4,200</b> people at events, schools, businesses, and presentations.	The Y4T Mission was shared with about <b>22,000</b> people at events, schools, businesses, and presentations.	The Y4T Mission was shared with about <b>31,830</b> people at events, schools, businesses, and presentations.
2023	2024	
Volunteer Shifts: almost <b>4,309</b>	Volunteer Shifts: <b>5,480</b>	
Volunteer Hours: almost <b>13,162</b>	Volunteer Hours: <b>15,270</b>	
The Y4T Mission was shared with about <b>43,700</b> people at events, schools, businesses, and presentations.	Care Packages Shipped: <b>3,543</b>	
	The Youth for Troops Mission was shared with about <b>38,795</b> people at events, schools, businesses, and presentations, as well as through articles and interviews this year. We have now shared our mission with over <b>165,895</b> people.	

Since 2017, our amazing volunteers have accomplished...



Care Packages  
for Deployed  
Troops Shipped:

**16,547**



Plastic Mats for  
Homeless  
Veterans:

**1,072**



Back-to-School  
Backpacks for  
Children of  
Deployed &  
Veterans:

**457**



Care Bags for  
At-Risk Veterans:

**860**



Mission Shared:

**165,895**



Move-In Baskets  
for Veterans  
Transitioning from  
Homelessness:

**196**



Volunteer Shifts:

**25,283**



Volunteer Hours:

**73,397**

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## WE GOT MAIL!

I am writing to express my heartfelt appreciation for the incredible work you do in support of our Troops and their families. Your generosity and unwavering patriotism shine through in every initiative you undertake, making a significant impact on our soldiers.

Your commitment to honoring those who serve our country is truly inspiring. Whether it's through fundraising efforts, sending care packages, or volunteering your time, you embody the spirit of gratitude and support that our service members deserve.

The periodic care packages throughout our deployment symbolized the generosity and dedication from individuals of the American public. The token of your gifts symbolize what every member of our organization has and is willing to sacrifice for. We thank you again for all your generosity.



## WE GOT MAIL!

...I want to say thank you so much for all your love and support. We have all been enjoying the delicious treats and cards. It's people like you that give our soldiers something to smile about. We appreciate all that you do for us. Being away from friends, family and home for the holidays can be really hard but it feels that much easier when we receive the support from our community.



## WE GOT MAIL!

I just wanted to let you all know how much I appreciate what you do. My son is a Marine in \_\_\_ and received one of your care packages. He really enjoyed it. It makes me happy to know that there are wonderful people out there that are looking out for my son!



## WE GOT MAIL!

Thank you so much for the cards. I really appreciate them. It cheered me up to know there is someone out there thinking & praying for us!



## WE GOT MAIL!

On behalf of the soldiers deployed at \_\_\_, I want to express our deepest gratitude for the incredible military care packages you have sent. Your thoughtfulness and generosity have truly made a difference in our day-to-day lives here. Each package was not just a collection of items but a heartfelt reminder that we are supported and appreciated by people back home. The snacks, personal care items, and notes of encouragement uplifted our spirits and brought smiles to many faces. Your unwavering support means the world to us, strengthening our resolve to continue serving with pride. Knowing that there are people like you thinking of us and standing behind us is an inspiration. Thank you again for your kindness, care, and dedication to the troops. You have positively impacted our deployment experience, and we will carry your support with us every step of the way.



## WE GOT MAIL!

From those of us with the \_\_\_ Regional Support Group here in \_\_\_. We would like to thank you so very much for your thoughtful care packages that were received.

Each package and every item in them are greatly appreciated, and it really uplifted our Holidays!!

Thank you so very much for the support and all your kindness.



## WE GOT MAIL!

Thank you for all the wonderful supplies. These help with our daily life here in \_\_\_. We are here supporting our European partners on a border where there is active conflict. Your package and letters remind us of home and the freedom we are here to protect. Again thank you.



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Your care packages have meant an incredible deal to the Troopers of \_\_\_ Cavalry Regiment during our period away from loved ones.

I want to also express my sincere appreciation for the efforts and gifts of America's finest youth.

It is truly inspiring to acknowledge the patriotism of America's young generations and remind ourselves what we are willing to make sacrifices for.



## WE GOT MAIL!





Thank you to the sponsors and volunteers that make our mission possible!  
We could not impact our community through service opportunities and show appreciation to our heroes globally without your generous support!



#### Awards and Recognitions:

2024 Special Congressional Recognition from  
United States Representative Andy Biggs

2022 Hulafrog Most Loved Local Charity

2021 Lincoln Award  
from Southwest Veterans Foundation

2021 Community Service Award  
from Daughters of the American Revolution

2020 Anthem Veterans Service Award  
from Anthem Community Council

Arizona District 8 Congressional Recognition  
from Congresswoman Debbie Lesko

Proclamation read in to the Congressional Record  
in the US House of Representatives

2018 Nonprofit of the Year  
from Anthem Area Chamber of Commerce

Hulafrog 2019 Most Loved Local Charity



Do you have a family member  
or friend deployed?

We would be **honored**  
to ship care packages  
to your hero each month!

It is **FREE** to you and we look  
forward to showing your hero  
they are appreciated!

Email [youth4troops@gmail.com](mailto:youth4troops@gmail.com)  
to add a hero to our list!

Thank you for making 2024 a successful year for Youth  
for Troops. We appreciate all the donors, sponsors, and  
volunteers that support our mission. You make it possible to  
serve veterans and active duty heroes with your generous  
support of time and finances. We look forward to serving  
with you in 2025 in our recently expanded space  
Suite 202 in the Anthem Civic Building!

-The Youth for Troops Youth Board and Advisors

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