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In times of triumph and through adversity, Coast Guard Foundation programs focus on the well-being, education, and morale of the men and women of the Coast Guard and their families. We enhance their service by providing critical support especially during times of injury and loss. Founded 45 years ago, the Foundation is governed by 100 volunteer board members, all over the country. The Coast Guard Foundation is headquartered in Connecticut and regionally in Texas, New York and Florida.

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EDUCATION ▸ We provide scholarships and grants to help make college dreams a reality for enlisted Coast Guard members, their spouses and their children. At the United States Coast Guard Academy, we support the future officer corps through grants to academics, athletics, cadet activities, waterfront programs and leadership development. The Foundation's boat donation program provides sailboats for the Academy's offshore sailing team.

SUPPORT ▸ We support Coast Guard members onshore and at sea, by providing equipment to promote fitness, morale and health. We build playgrounds, community centers and workout facilities to enhance the lives of Coast Guard members and their families where they live and serve. We're partners with the Coast Guard Auxiliary, supporting local flotillas throughout the country, and at the national level with important programs and projects, including donated boats for use on patrol.

RELIEF ▸ When the unthinkable happens, and a Coast Guard member dies or is critically injured while on active duty, we offer comfort and relief to family and friends of the fallen. The Fallen Heroes Fund provides emergency assistance to the families, friends and shipmates of Coast Guard heroes who make the ultimate sacrifice in service of our country. The Foundation helps pay for immediate and ongoing needs of the families of the fallen, including the cost of college for the children of those who have died in the line of duty. Our support helps families grieve fully without having to worry about money during these difficult, heart-wrenching situations.

/ SUPPORT AT THE COAST GUARD ACADEMY:

Supporting the future officer corps of the United States Coast Guard through academic enrichment, athletics, extra-curricular clubs and activities and leadership development initiatives at the Coast Guard Academy is part of our mission to turn cadets into leaders.

/ SCHOLARSHIPS FOR ENLISTED COAST GUARD MEMBERS AND THEIR FAMILIES:

The Foundation provides scholarships and grants to assist enlisted Coast Guard members, their spouses and their children in achieveing their higher education goals. Our robust and wide-ranging scholarship program helps make their dreams of a college degree a reality.

/ A NEW COMMUNITY CENTER FOR "SOO":

The new Sault Ste Marie Community Center in the upper peninsula of Michigan will service 600 active, reserve and auxiliary members of the Coast Guard and their families stationed in the area. Pictured is one of the Coast Guard families who participated in the Community Center's groundbreaking ceremony.

/ A NEW PLAYGROUND FOR STATEN ISLAND:

A new playground for Coast Guard families stationed in Staten Island, New York was installed near Coast Guard housing, giving families a safe place to play, gather and build community.

/ RELIEF IN TIMES OF NEED

The Foundation assists units and families of those lost in the line of duty, or who suffered critical injury. We host memorial services, arrange travel for crewmembers attending services, and assist the Coast Guard with support to the families so they can attend the services or be near an injured family member.

/ COAST GUARD RECOGNITION EVENTS:

At our special events, we honor Coast Guard heroism and mission excellence. The 2014 New Orleans dinner recognized seven "super spouses" for their contribution to the Coast Guard and support of fellow members and families in the area.

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