

Veterans and their Spouses Celebrate Armed Forces Day by Giving Back

On Saturday, May 21st, residents of Spring Mill Senior Living celebrated Armed Forces Day by making care packages for soldiers overseas. Wrapping up Armed Forces Week, this day was a time to honor Americans serving in all five branches of the military – Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, and Coast Guard. Many residents of Spring Mill Senior Living in Phoenixville are veterans (or spouses of veteran's), therefore they sought to thank those serving overseas for their dedication and sacrifice for our country.

Throughout Armed Forces Week (starting on May 15th and ending on May 22nd) residents, families, friends, and staff at the community generously donated non-perishable food and toiletries to send overseas. Residents very much enjoyed putting these packages together and were thankful for the opportunity to show their appreciation for the service and sacrifice of many.

“Thank you for defending and fighting for our country and keeping us safe... We thank you for your service, your dedication, and the sacrifice you and your families have made on behalf of us, our country and our Freedom,” residents said in a letter enclosed in each package.

Soldiers receiving the care packages were found on AnySoldier.com and are stationed in Afghanistan and Kuwait. It is easy for anyone to pick a soldier receive a care package. Those in the armed forces need our support every day of the year – not just Armed Forces Day – The veterans and their spouses at Spring Mill Senior Living encourage everyone in the community to visit this site and select a unit to express thanks appreciation.

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