



## DISTRICT NEWS

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### Iraq Bound

William "Jerry" Swean, a geologist with the Norfolk District Hydrology and Hydraulic Section, deployed on a six-month tour to Iraq, Oct 28. ([more](#))

### District to hold blood drive

During the holiday season, the Red Cross becomes critically short on blood donations. With that in mind, The Norfolk District will be holding a winter blood drive on Dec. 9 from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. ([more](#))

### Sentara mammography van to visit district

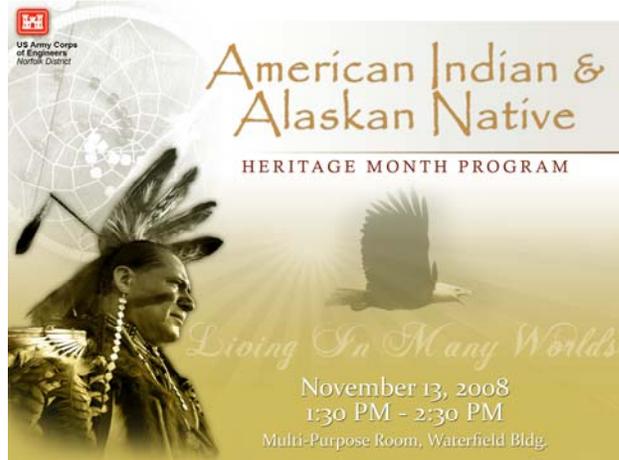
The Fort Norfolk Chapter of Federally Employed Women (FEW) is sponsoring a mammography screening for Norfolk District employees on Dec. 1. ([more](#))

### District honors Native-American heritage

The Norfolk District is hosting an American Indian and Alaskan Native Heritage Month Program today at 1:30 p. m. in the Waterfield Building. [Click here for more information about American Indian and Alaskan Native Heritage Month.](#)

### Changes planned for the Fort

Plans are in the works to enhance Fort Norfolk, making it a historical treasure for the entire Hampton Roads region. Keep an eye on future editions of the District Update to find out about the history of Fort Norfolk, as well as the plan ahead to bring this little known historical site to a more prominent position in the tapestry that makes up Hampton Roads.



## USACE/VA/DOD NEWS

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### Law authorizes vets' salutes during national anthem

Veterans and active-duty military not in uniform can now render the military-style hand salute during the playing of the national anthem, thanks to changes in federal law that took effect in October. ([more](#))

### Ad campaign launched on Veterans Day

The Army launched three new nationally televised advertisements on Veterans Day with the theme "Strength like no other." ([more](#))

## NORFOLK DISTRICT IN THE NEWS

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Oyster EIS ([The Virginian-Pilot](#)) ([Southern Maryland](#)) ([The Daily Times](#)) ([Capital Gazette](#)) ([Baltimore Sun](#))

## PUBLIC NOTICES

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Proposal to develop two sites to be included in an umbrella wetland and stream mitigation bank to be known as the Middle James Regional Environmental Bank. ([more](#))

