

COMBAT COOKIE CONNECTIONS

Our Mission

We are a veteran owned and operated 501(c)3 non-profit organization. We bake and ship fresh from the oven cookies to U.S. military members who are deployed overseas with a mission to increase their morale. Being away from the comforts of home can be emotionally challenging. Sending cookies is one way to bring the feeling of home to a deployed military member.



We aren't here to sugar coat the military...oh wait, yes we are!

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WELCOME HOME, SOLDIER!

We had a special guest stop by our booth at the Rookies Car Show on August 27th. Corey Brown, a US Army National Guard member, had recently returned from a 14-month deployment to Iraq. Combat Cookies had received his name and we shipped him a box of cookies during his deployment. We were so pleased that Corey and his wife, Ashley, and their daughter stopped by to personally thank us. Thank you for your service Corey!



Just a reminder, we are always looking for names and addresses of military members who are deployed overseas, so that we can send them free cookies! A deployment can be to any foreign country. Sorry we DO NOT consider Hawaii or Alaska as overseas.

It is a simple process, just visit our website:
[www.combatcookies.org/contact us](http://www.combatcookies.org/contact-us)
and submit their information.

2018 - 2023
COOKIE COUNTER

26500

2023 Boxes Sent

085

Goal = 15 Boxes per month

In the Spotlight



Evie McCord

We would like to thank Evie McCord by putting her in the donor spotlight for September. Evie has been a monthly sponsor since May of 2022!

Evie heard about Combat Cookies from a former co-worker and wanted to become a sponsor to honor several of her relatives who have served. Evie's grandfather served in WW1 overseas; her father served in WWII. Her uncle died while stationed on Iwo Jima. Evie's husband served in Vietnam and Germany during his tour of service. Her daughter also serviced in the Army.

Evie knows how important it is to boost the morale of those serving overseas who are away from friends and family. Soldiers, both men and women, deserve our support in whatever way we can provide.

Evie is retired. She enjoys working in her flowerbeds. She and her daughter share a business and participate in art shows. Evie handsaws 20-gauge copper and her daughter enamels the pieces. They also knit chemo and preemie hats to donate each year. Their goal is to send these hats to all 50 states and Washington, DC! Thank you for your support Evie!

HELPING A DISABLED VETERAN IN NEED!

In August we were learned of a disabled veteran and his family who were living in a tent in Cutler, Indiana from the Mary T. Klinker Veterans Resource Center. Combat Cookies sent out a message and our supporters stepped up to help. Christine, Kate, Sherry, Rachael and the Purdue Federal Credit Union Audit Department donated clothes and cash to this family (see the picture of donations below). This family had never experienced homelessness before and are only in this situation because of the high strain on the housing market, after their landlord of five years sold the property. The Mary T. Klinker Resource Center is helping this family find a permanent home and we hope our donation can help this family in the meantime.

Thank you our supporters for the donations and to Sue and Jim for taking our donation to Cutler to help this family.



THANK YOU!

Box Sponsors for August!

Danny & Kerri

Sharon

Barb

Box sponsorship is \$35. Go to our website www.combatcookies.org for more information or stop in the bakery on Saturday between 10:00am and 2:00pm



August was a busy month!



September 2023



Sun

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Sat

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3	4	5	6	7	8	9	9 Bakery Hours 10:00a-2:00p Tractor Supply 9:00a-1:00p Car Show at Southfolk, Mulberry 10:00a-2:00p
10	11	12	13	14	15	16	16 Bakery Hours 10:00a-2:00p 40 & 8 Bingo 3:00p-8:00p
17	18	19	20	21	22	23	23 Bakery Hours 10:00a-2:00p De- pot Days in Flora 3:00p- 8:00p
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	30 Bakery Hours 10:00a-2:00p