

# 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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COOKIE COUNTER

22580

2023 Boxes Sent

011

Goal = 15 Boxes per month



"Hello there Combat Cookies Team! I would like to say thank you on behalf of the boat teams at MSRON 4! It was a very sweet surprise and everyone loved their cookie! The Stars for our Troops was another really touching gift and we appreciate what you do for us and for other units away from home. Deployment is often more difficult than people let on, regardless of what your mission is, one thing we all have in common is being away from home and missing family. Care packages such as this can really brighten our spirits for a bit. Thank you again!"

**MISSION:  
ACCOMPLISHED**



"Hello, I just wanted to say thank you for the cookies! I received some just after Christmas and was able to pass them out to all of my Soldiers! I also wanted to say thank you to Elias, Haven, Andrew, Mikayla, Selah, and Trinity Spence for the cards! Thank you again!"

Attention parents, guardians, and teachers! Your cards/letters do make a difference! Keep them coming! Visit this link for more details on how to send us cards/letters to add to our morale boosting cookie boxes <https://www.combatcookies.org/get-involved>



## January Sponsors

Jeff & Kim Oliver

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



Get your Girl Scout Cookies at Combat Cookies! We have some exciting news! One of our favorite local nonprofits is Courage Rock in Monticello, IN. They are an equine therapy organization that focuses on our veterans. This young lady, Liz, has chosen to help Courage Rock build an indoor horse arena for our veterans by raising funds. Liz is a Girl Scout and impressively holds the record for selling the most amount of Girl Scout cookie boxes in the state of IN at 10,000 boxes in one season!! She has also sent a total of 8,000 boxes of Girl Scout Cookies to our military members over the course of her Girl Scout career. Way to go Liz!!! So, if you are interested in buying Girl Scout cookies this year, please consider purchasing your boxes from Liz. For every box she sells, \$1 will be donated to the Courage Rock arena! Let's help Courage Rock make their dream come true of providing the best equine therapy possible to our veterans!

Cookies are \$6 per box. You can get your cookies 1 of 2 ways:

1. A limited number of boxes will be available to you at Combat Cookies each Saturday.
2. You can use this link <https://digitalcookie.girlscouts.org/scout/liz546744> to order your cookies and have them directly shipped to Combat Cookies or to your home. These will be delivered after Feb 20. You can pick up your order at Combat Cookies on Saturdays between 10-2 when we are open. If you cannot make that time, we are there most days of the week and can arrange for another time during the day. Our address for the shipping form is 294 Market St Dayton, IN 47941. You can also have them shipped to your home if you are not local, but you cannot place the order until Feb 27 if you choose this option.

If you're planning to get Girl Scout cookies this year, why not help out a veterans organization at the same time?



## Special Mission Complete!

We wanted to share this story with you from an extraordinary airman who sent in a box request for his own wingmen. Not only did he request a box of cookies, but he's having it sent to another airman who hasn't received any mail since they have been deployed. How awesome is that? Love seeing this! Thank you for putting the reality of a deployment into words for all to hear.

"I've been in the Air Force for just about 3 years now. This is my first deployment, and so far, I am enjoying it. However, for some people I came with, it's the opposite. I'm a single guy, who didn't leave much behind. Others in my flight, however, aren't having the greatest time being away from home, family, pets, you name it. I was hoping to share this message with y'all in hopes of getting them a reason to come to work with a smile. I'm going to be honest, many of us have not received any mail in the time that we've been here, while others have boxes coming every other day. They don't even have to be top of the line boxes. Just something to brighten a few faces. Appreciate y'all with everything you do. Hope this message finds you well!

Combat Cookies shared this story on facebook and the response and generosity was overwhelming. Here is a photo of all of the things you guys donated!!! Amazing!! Thank you so much! We also received just over \$350 in cash donations!! We will be shopping to spend a portion of your donations on more goodies and the rest will go to shipping this week. Shipping all of that Sriracha is going to be pricey, but you guys have us covered! Thank you so much for your support!



## Cookies with Combat Cookies



Come join us for cookies and conversation and see what it takes to operate the bakery, prepare the boxes for mailing to the troops, and manage volunteers and events. Whether you are interested in volunteering, or just want to learn more about us, come join this event. We are looking for enthusiastic individuals who love our troops and our mission! Sign up for this event by March 5th via facebook or by emailing [combatcookies2017@gmail.com](mailto:combatcookies2017@gmail.com).

## SPECIAL ORDERS

Allow Combat Cookies to cater your desserts for you. Not only are you indulging in some delicious desserts, but you are supporting our troops at the same time! We have cookies and cupcakes available for your corporate or social gatherings within the Tippecanoe County, IN area.

[www.combatcookies.org/specialorders](http://www.combatcookies.org/specialorders)



# February 2023



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3	4 Bakery Hours 10:00 am -2:00pm Tractor Supply 9:00am-1:00pm
5	6	7	8	9	10	11 Bakery Hours 10:00 am -2:00pm
12	13	14 	15	16 Bakery Hours 2:00pm-6:00pm	17	18 Bakery Hours 10:00 am -2:00pm 40 & 8 3:00pm-8:00pm
19	20	21	22	23	24	25 Bakery Hours 10:00 am -2:00pm
26	27	28				