

FUNDRAISERS

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FUND FOR MILITARY FAMILIES

In partnership with the North Jersey Media Group Foundation and 2-1-1, Bergen County's **United Way** has created a direct assistance fund specifically to help military families in New Jersey. At press time, more than 5,000 National Guard reservists have been deployed from the Teaneck Armory.

The Fund for Military Families helps pay for utility bills for families left without adequate income, or help covering unexpected car repairs, sudden child care costs, and counseling and support services for family

and soldiers alike. Funds are preventing foreclosures and evictions and have helped to relocate families closer to support systems when they have experienced a loss.

Residents interested in joining the assistance effort should call Sharon Boss, director of sponsorship sales, at 201-986-7723. Contributions may also be sent to The Fund for Military Families c/o The North Jersey Media Group Foundation, 150 River St., Hackensack, NJ 07601. To make a credit card contribution, visit www.njmfgf.org.

WALK TO DEFEAT ALS

On Sunday, June 7 at 10 a.m., the ALS Association will hold its annual Walk to Defeat ALS™ at Saddle River County Park in Saddle Brook.

To participate in the Walk, make a donation, or for more details on the Walk, visit the ALS Web site at www.alswalks.org.

