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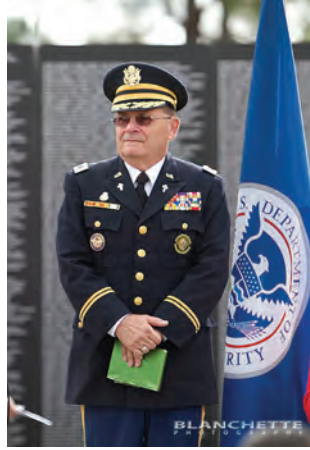


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Bryan Smith

Our Volunteer, Event Director
welcomes guests to the American Heroes Air Show
held at the Lee County Sports Complex in Fort Myers,



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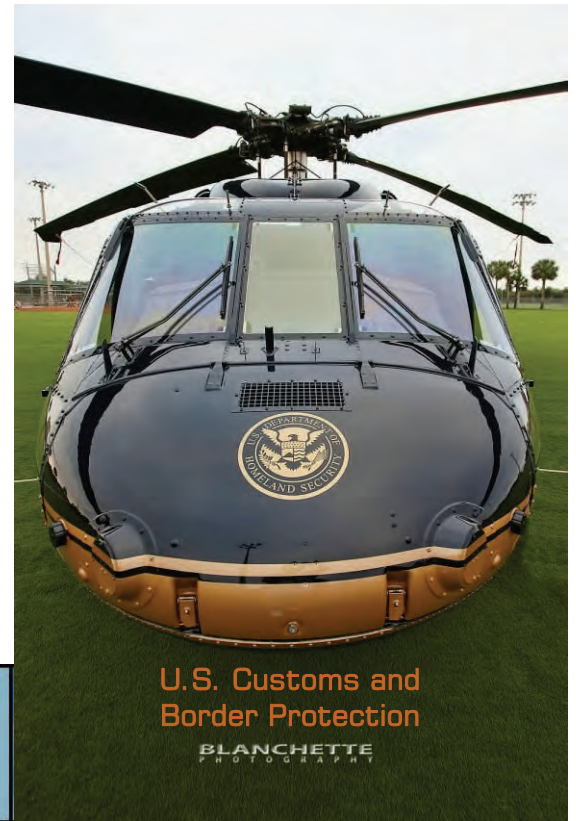
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The American Heroes Aviation Network is proud to be an Affiliate member of HAI and participate in a mission to educate the community as to the value of helicopters' service.



U.S. Navy arrives from Norfolk, VA in a Sikorsky CH-53



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Photo courtesy of Giorgio Gherbassi
Torino, Italy



Giorgio Gherbassi— Torino, Italy

The American Heroes Air Show is the nation's premier admission-free, helicopter-only aviation event and strives to offer the public an up-close look at rotary wing aviation from local law enforcement, public safety, Federal and DOD / military — on behalf of Bryan Smith and his entire volunteer event team, our thanks to all the crews that brought aircraft to the Heroes event in Fort Myers Florida in 2011 .



Our thanks to George Blanchette for providing many of the outstanding photos



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Once again it is our privilege to welcome the American Veterans Traveling Tribute organization to team up with the Heroes Air Show. The American Veterans Traveling Tribute (AVTT) travels the USA with the Cost of Freedom Tribute to provide a forum for the members of the community to come together to Honor-Respect-Remember all those whom we have asked to stand in harm's way to protect and defend our great country and freedom as our way of life.



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Lee County Sheriffs Honor Guard



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American Anthem Event Element

It is our honor to team up with U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Service as they present a special Naturalization Ceremony for serving military and others as they stand up to recite the Oath of Allegiance and become our newest U.S. citizens.

The Naturalization Ceremony takes place in the shadow of the imposing scale replica of the Vietnam Memorial Wall provided by the American Veterans Traveling Tribute.



The Oath of Allegiance taken by all naturalized citizens of the United States:

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty of whom or which I have heretofore been a subject or citizen; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; that I will bear arms on behalf of the United States when required by law; that I will perform noncombatant service in the armed forces of the United States when required by the law; that I will perform work of national importance under civilian direction when required by the law; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion; so help me God.

BACKGROUND

U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) conduct naturalization ceremonies at public locations, such as the American Heroes Air Show, to reinforce the value and meaning of the process through which the United States naturalizes citizens.

USCIS manages the process whereby immigrant members become citizens. As part of the Department of Homeland Security, (DHS), USCIS naturalized 10,505 members of the military in fiscal 2009, with 1,655 of those men and women taking the Oath of Allegiance at ceremonies overseas. Since 2001 USCIS has naturalized more than 55,000 soldiers, sailors, airmen and Marines at ceremonies across the country and in 17 nations around the world.



From left to right, : Acting Field Office Director Brett Rinehart, Acting Southeast Region Director Kathy Redman, Acting District 10 Director Ruth Dorochoff, District 10 Community Relations Office Kristen Smith, Public Affairs Officer Chris Rhatigan, Tampa Senior Officer Kenneth Ellis.

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CODE3 Career Fair



Across the country our **CODE3 Career Fair** element of the Heroes Air Show offers free presentation space to public agency recruiting teams in order for them to educate the public about careers in law enforcement, aviation, public safety, homeland security and the military.

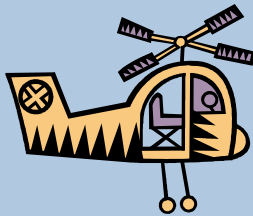
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Since 1993 at sites from Coast to Coast volunteers with a passion for aviation, law enforcement, public safety and community service have produced the American Heroes Air Show.



Our corporate sponsors provide financial support to achieve our non-profit goal of delivering our admission-free educational events.



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A 501 c.3 non profit organization.

Across the country many of our fans with cameras and video equipment post their work on the internet.

Link to the Heroes event on the Fire Dept News Network at <http://www.fdnntv.com/American-Heroes-Air-Show>

Paul Dunn attended the Los Angeles event from the UK and he writes for an aviation website www.globalaviationresource.com

His report on the show, can be found at:
<http://www.globalaviationresource.com/reports/2009/heroesshow090711.php>

Chris Shaw is one of our favorite guests – Check out his event profiles on Youtube.com
<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=A90kLIBRCIw>

Notes and pix from Ralph Duenas – who visits us from my home town Tulsa, OK.

"Jim, well done again this year. People think I'm nuts for flying out for just a helo show but I love it every year. Just minutes ago I started adding pics to our website. Here is the link, I have many more to add and will send them to you as I edit them. Thanks and see you next year "

<http://www.jetwashimages.com/gallery/thumbnails.php?album=368>

Go to www.Flickr.com and search box for "American Heroes Air Show " several hundred pix are now up from various photographers that have visited our events from coast to coast.

The American Heroes Air Show event promise:

- Safety for guests, participants and volunteers will be first priority
- The Heroes Air Show will be admission free at all sites.
- The Heroes Air Show will not be associated with organizations that produce / distribute alcohol or tobacco products.

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For 2011 the American Heroes will be produced in the following communities

- Los Angeles CA
- Canton GA
- Fort Myers FL
- Seattle WA
- U.S. Air Force Academy Colorado Springs, CO
- St. Louis MO
- Austin TX
- Lake Havasu City AZ



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