



SGT Samuel Nutter Organization
C/O DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY HEADQUARTERS
254TH REGIMENT
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SUBJECT: Requesting your generous support for the 16th Annual SGT Samuel Nutter Run

Salutations,

On Saturday, June 20 2020, Class 63 of the New Jersey Army National Guard Officer Candidate School (NJOCS) in Sea Girt, NJ will host the 16th Annual Sergeant Nutter 5K Run. This event is organized by the Sergeant Samuel Nutter Organization (SSNO) in memory of the late SGT Samuel Nutter, to benefit the men and women currently serving in the Armed Forces of the United States. We are asking for your help in aiding our Soldiers and their families in their time of need.

We are honored to announce that this year's beneficiaries will be the children of Captain Joseph Sebastian Cecere III of the NJ Army National Guard who passed away on Monday, July 29th, at Walter Reed National Military Medical Center, Bethesda, MD. Captain Cecere served in the US Navy from 1996-1999, the US Army Reserve from 1999-2004 and the US Army National Guard from 2006-2019. In March 2019 he was deployed to Djibouti, Africa where he was Charlie Company Commander of the 2nd Battalion 113th Infantry Regiment.

To his peers and subordinates he was known as a leader. To his children, Zoe and Eva, he was a hero. It is our sincere hope that with your assistance we will be able to show Zoe and Eva how a community can come together to thank a fallen hero by being there for his children. The 5K race event will take place on June 20, 2020 at the Army National Guard Training Center in Sea Girt, New Jersey.

On behalf of the Sergeant Samuel Nutter Organization, we encourage you to support the Cecere family and thank you for being an invaluable part of this cause. You can participate and support by running in the race, making a donation, becoming a sponsor, or volunteering to help race operations. Whichever you choose to do, please choose to take action in honoring the legacy of SGT Nutter, during this year's 16 Annual Sergeant Nutter 5K Run. SSNO is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization and 100% of the proceeds will go to the children of CPT Joseph Sebastian Cecere III.

With Thanks and Appreciation
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