

# JOHN CARROLL UNIVERSITY

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Dear John Carroll University Army ROTC Alumni and Friends,

The John Carroll University Wolfpack Army ROTC Battalion is seeking support for our ROTC Alumni Endowment Fund to provide our Cadets with additional training, recognition and professional opportunities. This is an excellent way for alumni to give back to the program that provided a solid military and leadership foundation which contributed to their success.

The spirit and excellence of the John Carroll Army ROTC program is alive and well. We have broadened our enrollment base to include more colleges and universities throughout the Greater Cleveland metro area. The university has increased the credit hours for Military Science courses and also endorsed the addition of new courses to include orienteering and physical conditioning.


We continue to pursue additional training opportunities for our Cadets, as well as other professional development activities. To enhance our Cadets' BRM and confidence skills, we would like to purchase a virtual weapons training system (Beam Hit) and a certified rappelling tower. Professional development opportunities our Cadets have recently enjoyed include Battle Staff Rides to Gettysburg and Antietam; a visit to Arlington Cemetery and the World War II Memorial in Washington, DC; and a tour of Greys Armory in downtown Cleveland. Upcoming events include Rifle Marksmanship and Field Leadership Reaction Course training at Camp Perry, OH, and a week of training in Kentucky for the Military Science III class in preparation for the 32 days at the Leadership Development and Assessment Course at Fort Lewis, WA (many of the Alums will remember when this was called "Advanced Camp"). All of these activities (not LDAC) are funded through our alumni support fund. Without your continued support, many of these opportunities will not exist in the future for our Cadets.

Our greatest reward is to see confident, well-developed, and intelligent young men and women receive their commission into the United States Army from John Carroll University. At this critical time, these young adults swear an oath of office knowing that in a very short time they may well be placed in harm's way. Working together as a team, the John Carroll University Army ROTC Alumni Endowment Fund will enable our program to create more effective training environments and generate more opportunities for our exceptional Cadets.

If you are on campus or planning to visit the campus, please stop by the office or call (216) 397-4421. You are welcome to share your experiences with the Cadets; they will appreciate your time and interest in them and their program. Please forward your gift to: **John Carroll University ROTC, Account #225101** and mail it to the above address. Please be sure to write the account number on your check.

Please accept our thanks for your service to our nation and your continued support of the JCU Army ROTC program. If you have not visited our website recently, please take a few minutes to preview it at [www.jcu.edu/rotc](http://www.jcu.edu/rotc) and let us know what you think of it. We hope you share our pride in the program and visit us soon and witness first hand the continuous improvements we are making to our leadership training program!

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YOUR CONTINUED  
GREAT SUPPORT!  
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