



## ARMED FORCES FOUNDATION

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### **Armed Forces Foundation and Norwegian Cruise Line Partner to Provide a 7-day Cruise Getaway to a Wounded Warrior**

Complimentary Cruise to Include VIP treatment for Service Member and Spouse

**WASHINGTON, DC / June 20, 2008** – In recognition of the tremendous sacrifices made by our military community, Norwegian Cruise Line (NCL) have donated a 7-day cruise to the Armed Forces Foundation (AFF) to be raffled off to a military family.

Patricia Driscoll, President of the Armed Forces Foundation, said she feels the cruise will be an excellent form of therapeutic rehabilitation for an injured Service Member and spouse. “These families have been through so much in terms of being separated, dealing injuries, and for some the rehabilitation process. We are proud to partner with Norwegian Cruise Line (NCL) to provide such a well-deserved week of recreation and relaxation.”

The recipient of the donated 7-day cruise for two will enjoy an ocean-view cabin and VIP treatment for the duration of the cruise. The lucky family will have the opportunity to choose from an array of 7-day itineraries including Caribbean, Bermuda, Bahamas, Canada/New England, Alaska, Hawaii and Mexican Riviera. NCL has the youngest fleet in the industry, providing guests the opportunity to enjoy the flexibility of Freestyle Cruising on the newest, most contemporary ships at sea.

#### **About Armed Forces Foundation:**

In 2001 the Armed Forces Foundation (AFF) was established as a 501(c)3 organization under the U.S. Department of Defense’s *America Supports You* program. AFF offers vital assistance to active-duty and retired personnel, National Guard, Reserve Components and military families as they cope with difficult circumstances. Through a multitude of programs the Armed Forces Foundation assists military families with utilities and rent; hotel and travel costs; holiday gifts for military children; and therapeutic recreational activities. The Armed Forces Foundation has been recognized by the President of the United States, the Department of Defense, the Department of Veterans Affairs, the Department of Education and the Department of Energy for its dedication to America’s Service Members.