

RAVENS IN OUR COMMUNITY



MILITARY APPRECIATION DAY & FIREWORKS NIGHT

The Ravens held their annual Military Appreciation Day on Monday, Aug. 1 at the team's open training camp practice at M&T Bank Stadium. Special seating was reserved for approximately 3,000 active service members, veterans and their families to enjoy practice. These service members and their families were given a special edition Ravens camouflage hat upon entry. Head coach **John Harbaugh** (pictured below) took photos, signed autographs and thanked military members and families for their service and sacrifices. After practice, players stayed on the field to sign autographs for members of the Ravens Flock.



The second stadium practice open to all fans provided an opportunity to see the 2016 Ravens compete in a series of drills and game-like situations. Prior to practice, youth football players and cheerleaders participated in a free clinic and welcomed Ravens players onto the field. Ravens cheerleaders and mascot Poe made appearances, signed autographs and took pictures with fans. There were also best poster, dance and beard contests for fans to compete in throughout the night. The winners were awarded post-practice access to the field to meet with the players. Approximately 25,000 fans came out to watch practice and the fireworks show/laser spectacular to follow, serving as the perfect end to a fun-filled night.



RAVENS YOUTH FOOTBALL GRANT

On Sunday, July 31, the Ravens hosted their second-annual Youth Football Grant distribution event at M&T Bank Stadium. Funded by the Ravens Foundation Inc., grants of more than \$1,000 in Under Armour jerseys, cleats and accessories were announced this past June to 23 different teams. All grant recipients were invited to pick up their new gear and be introduced on the field as a team through the Ravens' tunnel. As a continuation of their partnership, the Ravens and Under Armour join together annually to donate over \$25,000 worth of equipment and apparel to local youth football teams through the Ravens Youth Football Grant.

