

# RAVENS IN OUR COMMUNITY



## HONOR ROWS



The Baltimore Ravens, the Governor's Office on Service and Volunteerism and M&T Bank present the 17th annual Honor Rows program. Throughout the 2016 regular season, local youth-led service organizations will be honored for their commitments to the community. For each home contest, a different group of Maryland youth will receive up to 100 tickets to a game, Honor Rows t-shirts and pre-game sideline passes. In addition, groups will be recognized on the RavensVision boards during the game. In order to be selected for the program, youth must demonstrate their dedication to serving and meeting the needs of their community while developing leadership, personal and social skills. A number of honorees also have the opportunity to be featured on WBAL-TV before the game to highlight their outstanding service.



## HOMETOWN HERO

Through the Hometown Hero program, the Baltimore Ravens and Dietz & Watson are honoring active military and veterans on gameday. Friends and families have the chance to nominate someone who is currently serving or has retired from the armed forces. Each week, service members who are chosen to be recognized as the Hometown Hero will win tickets to the game, pre-game sideline passes and the opportunity to personally deliver the game ball to the NFL referee before the game. The program is one way the Ravens salute those who serve in every branch. Nominations are accepted on a rolling basis throughout the regular season. To submit a nomination, visit our website: [www.baltimore Ravens.com/hometownhero](http://www.baltimore Ravens.com/hometownhero).



## SCHOOL SUPPLY DISTRIBUTION

On Aug. 30, members of the All Community Team (ACT), sponsored by M&T Bank, volunteered to fill backpacks with school supplies to equip students for the upcoming academic year. The group stuffed 250 backpacks to be distributed the following week at Violetville Elementary School (Baltimore City). The donations provided the entire student body with the tools necessary to prepare the children for school. Members of the ACT were also joined by cheerleaders and mascot Poe to help get the students excited for their return to school. The ACT is a partnership among the Ravens organization, players and members of the corporate community who provide financial and volunteer support for many Ravens' service projects.

