# **RAVENS IN OUR COMMUNITY**



#### **2016 SALUTE TO SERVICE GAME**



The Baltimore Ravens annually honor current military members and veterans. At the Salute to Service game on Nov. 6, service members from all branches were recognized for their selfless sacrifice and commitment to the country. Upon arrival, fans had the opportunity to see a Presidential Battery Salute outside of the stadium and experience a pre-game ceremony, where players and service members from each branch ran out of the home tunnel with American flags. Seventy members of the Maryland National Guard also made an appearance to roll out the ceremonial field-sized American flag during the national anthem. Then, just before kickoff, the Maryland Air National Guard flew over M&T Bank Stadium in two A-10s. Finally, during the game, five service members were honored in remembrance of those troops who were POW and/or MIA.





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### **2016 SALUTE TO SERVICE CARAVAN**

In conjunction with Veteran's Day, the Ravens partnered with Leidos, a global science and technology company, to present the 2016 Salute to Service Caravan. Through the caravan, the Ravens showed both appreciation and support to military members stationed all across the state of Maryland. On Nov. 14, the caravan made stops at Joint Base Andrews and Walter Reed National Military Medical Center to visit active duty and civilian service members, as well as wounded warriors from all branches. Ravens players TE Crockett Gillmore, DE Lawrence Guy, G/C Ryan Jensen, DE Bronson Kaufusi and DT Brandon Williams (pictured right), along with Ravens cheerleaders and mascot Poe, were on-hand to honor the servicemen and servicewomen who have sacrificed their lives for our nation.



United States Air Force Wounded Warriors taught Ravens DT Brandon Williams wheelchair rugby basics.