

## ***New Cumberland employees volunteer at Young Eagles Flying Party***

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More than 800 special needs children invited through 20 organizations including Easter Seals, Muscular Dystrophy Association, Make-A-Wish Foundation, and Caring Place attended the Young Eagles Flying Party held at Capitol City Airport in New Cumberland, Pa., May 6. The airport borders the Defense Distribution Depot Susquehanna, Pa. (DDSP). The airport and DDSP partner in military projects, emergencies, and community events throughout the year.

The Young Eagles Flying Party is an annual event that gives special needs children the opportunity to see that there are careers and hobbies they can pursue, even with physical challenges. The event also allows them to meet some of their heroes and role models.

“I admire federal employees who give their time and talents to the community and take seriously the impact they can have as role models to children,” said DDSP Commander CAPT Jim Naber, SC, USN.

