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### **Luke's Wings Plans "Red, White and Blue Summer Closer" with Several More Fall Fundraisers in the Works**

Rockville, MD, (August 11, 2008) – On Thursday August 21st, Luke's Wings will end the Summer and gear up for fall fundraising with a party at the Rookery in Georgetown, Washington, D.C.

The "Red, White and Blue Summer Closer" Party on Thursday, August 21<sup>st</sup> has been designed to raise enough money to purchase airplane tickets and travel planning services for Luke's Wings second and maybe third family.

**DETAILS: Join Luke's Wings in closing summer and continuing fundraising efforts on August 21st at 8:00 p.m. at the Rookery located at 2519 Pennsylvania Avenue. Come and enjoy the signature cocktail of the night 'The Hero' and help bring recovering troops families to Walter Reed.**

This last June, Luke's Wings, in conjunction with the Red Cross, transported the Madison family to Washington DC to visit their brother and son Patrick. By bringing families, like the Madisons, to the area to visit their wounded service members, Luke's Wings supports and encourages the service member's road to recovery.



*"Luke's Wings understands the incredible sacrifice that our troops and their families make, it was an honor to help the Madison family travel to Washington DC to support Patrick's recovery" stated Co-Founder of Luke's Wings Sara Wingfield. "Luke's Wings will be hitting the airwaves, newspapers and neighborhoods spreading the word*

*about our message and mission so that we can assist as many families as possible to visit their loved ones and support their recovery at Walter Reed and Bethesda Naval.”*

Also this summer, the organization was named “Organization of the Week” by America Supports You, attended a Washington Kastles Tennis Tournament with 25 complimentary tickets for our wounded service members, and was featured in the Alexandria Times New Paper on August 7th.

<http://www.alextimes.com/article.asp?article=10571&paper=1&cat=149>

Luke’s Wings is a 501c3 nonprofit organization dedicated to the support of service members who have been wounded while fighting for our country. Recognizing the immediate need for families to be with their loved ones at such a difficult time, Luke’s Wings provides families with the means to visit service members during their hospitalization and rehabilitation. By purchasing travel agency services and travel tickets for service members loved ones, Luke’s Wings provides an immediate and invaluable service to families of our men and women at arms. For additional information or to make a donation please visit [www.lukeswings.org](http://www.lukeswings.org) or mail checks to Luke’s Wings Inc. at 20 Ritchfield Court, Rockville, MD, 20850.