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3,000 Free Tickets For “Salute to the Military” Distributed – And CCRA Has New Offer For Military Guests

CAMDEN, SC – The Carolina Cup Racing Association’s (CCRA) announced that all of the 3,000 free tickets for its “Salute to the Military” event have been distributed, but the organization has another new offer for military guests who would like to attend the November 13th Colonial Cup.

After the initial 3,000 tickets were quickly snapped up, CCRA began offering a 50 percent discount on both infield reserved parking and general admission tickets to those who have served, or are serving in the U.S. Military.

That means troops and their families can get reserved parking spots in the infield for the day-long event for just \$67.50 – which includes two general admission tickets – and general admission tickets for \$10 before Oct. 30 and \$15 after Oct. 30. Children under 12 will be admitted free with an adult.

“It’s just another way for us to say ‘thanks’ to the troops and their families for all they do to protect and support our country, our state, and our community,” said Terri Teed, Assistant Director of the CCRA.

In addition to celebrating the courage and contributions of American troops, the “Salute to the Military” will also include a range of infield entertainment that includes Jack Russell Terrier Trials, wagon rides, a carousel, and a specially-designed mural of the American flag where adults and children can write notes of thanks to our troops. The patriotic day kicks off with a pre-race ceremony at 11:15 am.

Teed said that the military ticket reservation cards are valid for the discount. Holders simply need to take 50 percent off the parking or ticket prices. CCRA will accept cash, checks or MasterCard and Visa.

About the Carolina Cup Racing Association

The Carolina Cup Racing Association relies on the Carolina Cup and the Colonial Cup races to fulfill its mission of operating Springdale Race Course as both an equestrian and tourism center. Springdale Race Course is a world-renowned, 600 acre European style Thoroughbred racehorse training center that operates year round and is home to Hall of Fame trainers Jonathan Sheppard and Janet Elliot. Famous equine residents have included Flat Top, Storm Cat, Forever Together, Zacchio and Ruffian. Learn more at www.carolina-cup.org.

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