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**RAMAPO STUDENTS SUPPORT FIVE OF THEIR OWN SERVING IN IRAQ**

MAHWAH - The Computer and Technology Club of Ramapo College of New Jersey will bring cheer this holiday season to soldiers serving in Iraq by coordinating an Adopt-A-Ramapo-Soldier Program. There are five currently enrolled Ramapo College students serving in Iraq and items will be collected for them and other soldiers in their units. The public is invited to participate.

Club members will collect personal care products, food, CDs, books, phone cards and other items requested by soldiers. “The club has set a minimum goal of collecting 2,500 items, one for each of the soldiers serving in these five units, says Kathleen Walsh, a resident of Point Pleasant and president of the Computer and Technology Club. Among the items requested:

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| AT&T phone cards  | Candy (no chocolate) and gum |
| Cereal  | Chap sticks                  |
| Coffee, tea bags, juice pouches and instant hot chocolate packets |                              |
| Cotton swaps  | Deodorant                    |

Hairbrushes and combs                          Hand sanitizer

New CDs, DVDs, paperback books and car and truck magazines

Pens, pencils

Pringles, trail mix, protein bars, peanuts and trail mix

Playing cards and puzzle books                  Razors and nail clippers

Small packages of facial tissue                  Sunscreen with SPF 30

Towels, face cloths and wet wipes

Tubes of toothpaste, toothbrushes, mouthwash and dental floss

People wishing to donate money may write a check payable to SARM (Student Activities Revenue Management) and mail it to 505 Ramapo Valley Road, Village Box #7188, Mahwah, NJ 07430.

The collection period runs from October 27 through November 14. Items may be dropped off at the Cahill Center, Room C-209; the Office of Student Activities, SC-200; J. Lee’s and the Women’s Center, SC-214, all on the campus of Ramapo College, 505 Ramapo Valley Road, Mahwah. For additional information, please contact Kathleen Walsh at [kwalsh@ramapo.edu](mailto:kwalsh@ramapo.edu).

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