

Rockport Warriors United 1130 E. Linden Street Rockport, Texas 78382 (361) 737-2682 www.rockportwarriorsunited.com



We are dedicated to empowering military personnel and 1st responders to lead high-quality lives with dignity and hope by providing structured therapeutic activities that positively affect their lives. If you are active duty, honorably discharged veteran, or 1st responder go to our website and register to be apart of one of our retreats

- \* Soldier Hour at 7pm every Wednesday
- \* Equine Therapy group & individual sessions
- \* Jujitsu for children to adults
- \* 3-Day weekend retreats
- \* Volunteer opportunities

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## Coast2capital.com

Rockport Warriors United Coast To Capital Bike Ride 2020. David Jones and Hershel Shoats will be riding bicycles from Rockport Warriors United Retreat (RWU) center in Rockport, Texas to the capital steps in Austin, Texas. This is an 218 mile endeavour to bring awareness to the epidemic of veteran suicide. Veterans Affairs has been stating that 22 men and women veterans take their lives everyday but now they have increased that to 24. Rockport Warriors United offers alternative types of therapies for PTSD, TBI, and suicide Prevention. Some of our therapies include Equine Assisted Learning, Jujitsu, Yoga, Meditation, Acupuncture, and more. The monies earned from this bike ride will support these programs that are not funded by Veterans Affairs, TRICARE or TriWest. These programs have been proven to help men and women become "present" which helps the brain function properly which helps with PTSD, TBI, and Depression. Our veterans have sacrificed so much for you and I and deserve to live a life of peace and health.

Coast 2 Capital Veterans Suicide Awareness Bike Ride will have 2 riders, David Jones and Hershel Shoats both Navy Veterans. David Jones was in a horrific automobile accident in 2013 that left him unable to walk because of the damage to his neck, back, and left leg. Since then this Navy Veteran thru 3 years of therapy and much determination is not only walking but has decided to take on this incredible journey to help the men and women from our military. Hershel Shoats also has life altering situations, he has recently been diagnosed with Multiple Sclerosis. These 2 men had to bury a brother in arms in November of 2019 which sparked this idea for a bike ride from the RWU Retreat center to the Capital Steps in Austin, Texas to bring awareness as well as train everyone and anyone on Suicide prevention and awareness. The more we can give knowledge to, the more we can help. Please choose to help us with this endeavour and help save lives. Currently the men are in need of 2 matching road bikes and all the equipment the bikes will need for this journey as well as all of the equipment the men will need for this journey like shoes, shorts, jelly, etc. They are also in need of sponsors and donors. There are many ways to help. On the road to the capital there will be stops made in every town along the way. In each town veterans and representatives of RWU will hold an informal town type meeting discussing Coast 2 Capital Veteran Suicide Awareness Bike Ride. In each town there will be media coverage as well as the support from the leaders of every town. 2 Large recreational vehicles will be driving along the route stopping at all of the towns. The RV's will be wrapped with all of the different "Brigade" sponsors. Also, there is a crew truck that will follow the riders throughout their ride. This truck will have magnets on it along with the "Battalion" sponsors. There are many different other ways to help. Please see attached sponsorship form. When the riders reach the capital we anticipate over 10,000 people lined up at the capital to help bring awareness to the veteran suicide epidemic. It takes a village to make changes, please help us to help many. There are many ways to help, please see attached sponsor form. God Bless You & Yours!

Sincerely, Rockport Warriors United 361-460-2317 rockportwarriorsunited@gmail.com 82-4309313 EIN Number

## Coast 2 Capital veteran suicide awareness Bike Ride List of towns

March 20,2020: Leave Rockport Warriors United Retreat Center at 08:30 am Arrive in Sinton at Noon- Rockport Warriors United Representative will talk to citizens Stop in Beeville for the night. Dinner at the VFW at 6pm

March 21,2020 Leave Beeville at 08:30 in the morning Arrive in Goliad Rockport Warriors United Representative will talk to citizens Stop in Cuero for the night. Meet at VFW at 6pm

March 22,2020 Leave Cuero at 8:30 in the morning Arrive in Gonzalez at Noon- Rockport Warriors United Representative will talk to citizens at Texas Memorial Museum Stop in Lulling for the night. Dinner at the American Legion at 6pm

March 23,2020 Leave Lulling at 08:00 in morning Arrive in Lockhart at 10:30 Rockport Warriors United Representative will talk to citizens Arrive at Capitol Steps at 4:00-4:30 pm- public address all attendees and leaders of the great State of Texas

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Bringing awareness to the 22 who commit suicide daily Sponsorship Packages Available

## Be a part of the BRIGADE with a \$10,000.00 donation

Logo(3'x4') on RV Support Vehicle going behind riders. Logo on Back of T-shirts worn by riders Logo on Event Website, Press Releases and speaking engagements

#### Be a part of the BATTALION with a \$5,000.00 donation

Business magnet on the Support Truck that follows the riders Logo on T-shirt, Website. Name mentioned in all media outlets

#### Be a part of the **GARRISON** with a \$1,000.00 **donation**

Logo on all marketing materials, Website, and speaking engagements

#### Be a part of the **REGIMENT** with a \$500.00 donation

Sponsor a day of the ride. Covers fuel, food and lodging for riders and support staff and support vehicles.

#### Be a part of the **PLATOON** with a \$ 150.00 donation

Sponsor a memorial photo of a suicide victim

#### Sponsor a Rider for \$1.00 a mile = \$ 220.00 donation

#### Please make checks payable to: Rockport Warriors United

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