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## Farrell's September 11<sup>th</sup> Grand Opening to Benefit Wounded Service Members

WEST ISLIP, NEW YORK, August 27<sup>th</sup>, 2009 - On Friday, September 11<sup>th</sup>, Farrell's Restaurant will show its support of the nation's wounded service members as they host a fundraiser at the Grand Opening of their new restaurant located at 263 Higbee Lane, West Islip, NY. Hope For The Warriors™, a national non-profit organization that assists wounded service members and their families as well as families of the fallen, will receive all funds from the night's \$10.00 cover charge donation.

Monies raised from the evening will allow Hope For The Warriors™ to transport wounded service members from across the nation to New York City for Veterans Day 2009 Weekend Events. One highlight will include the arrival of the newly commissioned LP Naval Craft, *USS New York*, which was fashioned from steel that came from the World Trade Center. Additionally, the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Run For The Warriors™ Road Race, a 10k, 5k and 1 mile fun walk, will take place in the Town of Babylon as the folks from Long Island come out to honor the heroes.

“The New York communities continue to provide unwavering support to our nation's wounded and their families,” states Tina Atherall, Hope For The Warriors™ Vice President. “After the events on 9/11/, the flag was carried by our nation's military to continue to defend our freedom. It is wonderful to be a part of an event that will provide funding for those that have sacrificed so much to defend this freedom and allow them the opportunity to be a part of a NYC weekend where they will be honored.”

The evening at Farrell's kicks off at 7:00 pm with the live band, “Beer Nuts.” The \$10.00 cover charge donation will allow patrons to receive a free drink voucher.

To learn more about Hope For The Warriors™ and their programs, visit their website at [www.hopeforthewarriors.org](http://www.hopeforthewarriors.org). To register for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Long Island Run For The Warriors™ visit: <http://www.hopeforthewarriors.org/r4w.html>.

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