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## **Elitch Gardens Welcomes Active Military on Military Appreciation Day**

*Active military to enjoy a complimentary day of fun  
on Memorial Day Monday, May 25th*

DENVER - Elitch Gardens will welcome active military on Memorial Day Monday, May 25th, free of charge. Service men and women can enjoy the entire park including unlimited rides, live entertainment, stage shows and attractions. Each active military member can also purchase up to six \$15 tickets for friends and family.

"Elitch Gardens is proud to support the United States Military and is thankful for their service to our country," said Elitch Gardens General Manager John Riggleman.

Active members of the military can present current identification cards at any ticket window and receive complimentary admission for themselves and up to six \$15 tickets for friends and family. Spouses of military personnel deployed during May 25<sup>th</sup> can still receive the complimentary admission and up to six \$15 tickets for friends and family by presenting a current military identification card. All other military ID's, including Dependent and Veteran ID's, can be used to purchase a \$15 ticket.

This offer is valid only on May 25, 2009 at any Elitch Gardens ticket window. For more information please call 303-595-4386 ext.162.

Hurry in – at 9:45 A.M. we will sing the National Anthem and the first 500 people in the park will receive a mini American flag for the opening of the park!

Located in downtown Denver, Elitch Gardens is a 119-year-old tradition of affordable family fun and entertainment offering two parks in one, a family theme park and the Island Kingdom Water Park. New for 2009... Extended Summer Concert Series! 14 concerts every Saturday beginning March 9<sup>th</sup> and highlighting talent like Loverboy, Sara Evans and Raven Symone!...three new live shows: *Survivor Live!*, *Bob the Builder Live at Elitch Gardens* and *Sea Lion Splash*, something for everyone to enjoy!