

Dear Faculty & Students at Wilbur Pence Middle School,

My name is Captain Andrew Marsh and I am the Commander of Charlie Company, 52<sup>nd</sup> Infantry Regiment. My soldiers and I recently received all of the packages you sent. They enjoyed getting to open up the coffee and supplies and have already started chipping away at the huge quantity you so graciously sent. We are the envy of the other companies here and it is all because of your generosity!

Though this is my third deployment in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom I never cease to be amazed and humbled by the support of citizens like you. It is because of your support and selflessness that we serve—and serve willingly.

I look forward to visiting Wilbur Pence when my company and I return and having the ability and opportunity to thank you personally. I must admit that each soldier in the company could avoid sleep for a solid two weeks with the amount of coffee you sent! The bad guys had better watch out!

Again on behalf of my soldiers, I humbly thank you all.

At Your Service,  
Captain Andrew Marsh