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Wounded Warriors Among Country Music Fans at Westchester Trace Adkins Concert

Yonkers, New York - Country music legend **Trace Adkins** packed the track Sunday at a performance at **Empire City Casino**. The sensational performer is a devoted supporter of veterans, and a spokesman for the **Wounded Warrior Project® (WWP)**. Therefore, it was fitting to have a group of military service members from WWP in the audience when the Grammy-nominated artist brought down the house at the August 9th outdoor summer concert.

In recognition of the immeasurable debt owed to these brave men and women, Empire City Casino hosted 40 WWP veterans and their guests in a community effort to assist the recovery process of soldiers injured in the line of duty.

“Trace’s involvement with the program made it a perfect opportunity to bring the group here to Empire City,” said **Taryn Duffy**, director of public affairs at Empire City. “It’s a small gesture towards a debt we’ll never be able to repay.”

The mission of WWP is to honor and empower Wounded Warriors. WWP’s purpose is to raise awareness and to enlist the public’s aid for the needs of injured service members, to help injured servicemen and women aid and assist each other, and to provide unique, direct programs and services to meet their needs. WWP is a national, nonpartisan organization headquartered in Jacksonville, Florida. To get involved and learn more, visit woundedwarriorproject.org.

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Empire City Casino, one of the largest entertainment and gaming destinations in the northeast, features 5,300 of the hottest slots, electronic craps, roulette, baccarat and sic bo; year-round harness racing & International simulcasting; live entertainment including the best party, tribute and Latin bands, comedy, & more. A plethora of dining options will satisfy even the most discerning palate with Italian cuisine at *Nonno’s Trattoria*; trackside dining with live betting at *Empire Terrace Restaurant*; and convenient delicious options at the International Food Court or Lil’ Cocina. A new \$50 million expansion added *Dan Rooney’s*, a high-energy sports bar, and *Alley 810*, a craft cocktail lounge rounds out the entertainment options with retro bowling lanes. Empire City Casino at Yonkers Raceway is located at 810 Yonkers Avenue (off I-87 at Central Avenue) Yonkers, NY, Westchester County, open seven days a week from 10:00am to 6:00am. Visit www.empirecitycasino.com or call 914.968.4200 for information.

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