

Annual Missouri VFW and Auxiliary National Home 2024 Trip Agenda

****TIMES ARE ALL APPROXIMATE AND MAY CHANGE DUE TO TRAVEL OR ROAD CONDITIONS.**

Friday 10/25/24

0430 hrs. (4:30AM **PICKUP LOCATION: VFW Post 3404, 1136 E Atlantic Springfield MO**

0445hrs. (4:45AM) – Depart Springfield, Missouri

PICKUP LOCATION: VFW Post 2591, 29451 US HWY 50 East. Sedalia MO (Next to 7th Day Adventist Church)

Will be arranged and picked up by Department President so that they meet the van at Department Headquarters at 0700 (7:00AM)

0700hrs. (7:00AM) – **PICKUP LOCATION: VFW Department HQ to get 2nd Van**

0710hrs. (7:10AM) – Depart Jefferson City

0745hrs. (7:45AM) – **PICKUP LOCATION: McDonald's 3301 County Rd 211 Kingdom City MO** (Exit #148)

0800 hrs. (8:00AM) – Depart Kingdom City

0915hrs. (9:15AM) – **PICKUP LOCATION: VFW Post 2866, 66 VFW Lane, St. Charles, MO**

0930 hrs. (9:30AM) – Depart St Charles

****Time Change to Eastern Time****

1300hrs. (1:00PM) – **Lunch stop at Plainfield, IN** (SEVERAL RESTAURANTS TO CHOOSE FROM)

1330Hrs (1:30AM) – Depart Ft. Plainfield, IN

1730hrs. (5:30 PM) – Arrive at Hotel: **Quality Inn Suites 901 Delta Commerce Dr. Lansing, MI**

1900hrs. (7:00 PM) VOLUNTARY - Walk to dinner at the 'Tangy Crab' across the street from hotel. (Within Walking Distance)

TANGY CRAB HAS BEEN A CROWD FAVORITE: Reservation will be made for the group at Tangy Crab when number is known. This is done on a Free-Will basis. OTHER RESTAURANTS ARE WITHIN WALKING: You are more than welcome to choose to go to or order from.

Saturday 10/26/2024

Breakfast at the hotel (0600-0745)

0800hrs. (8:00AM) – Depart for **VFW National Home 3573 S Waverly Rd. Eaton Rapids, MI**

0830 (8:45AM) – Arrive National Home

Life Members meeting (approx. 10AM), and 'Parade of Checks' will be held. Following the meeting we will have a tour of the grounds.

1200hrs. (12:00 noon) – Lunch at National Home followed by the Annual Halloween Party. Wisconsin is hosting the party this year. Bring your costumes with you, there will be costume contests for children and adults. NO CLOWNS PLEASE. This year's theme is Hotel Transylvania for Missouri.

1500hrs. (3:00PM) – Depart for Hotel

1545hrs (3:45PM) – Arrive at Quality Inn

1800hrs. (6:00PM) – Depart for **Applebee's 1642 Packard Hwy, Charlotte, MI**

~2000hrs. (8:00PM) – Depart for Charlotte **VFW Post 2406 695 Lansing Rd Charlotte, MI** for evening events with Wisconsin, and the members of the Charlotte Post. (Subject to change)

2200hrs. (10:00PM) – Depart for Hotel

2230hrs (10:30PM) – Arrive at Quality Inn

Sunday 10/27/24 *RETURN TRIP HOME*

0700hrs. (7:00 AM) – Depart Quality Inn

1100hrs. (11:00AM) – **Brunch/Lunch stop at Indianapolis, IN** (THIS STOP WILL BE AROUND AN AREA WITH SEVERAL RESTAURANTS TO CHOOSE FROM)

1200hrs (1:00PM) – Depart Indianapolis, IN

****Time Change to Central Time****

1500hrs. (3:00PM) – Dinner Stop Effingham, IL. (POSSIBLY)

1700hrs. (5:00PM) – **DROP OFF: VFW Post 2866. 66 VFW Lane, St. Charles** (Bus Driver Change)

1730hrs. (5:30PM) – Depart Post 2866

1900hrs. (7:00PM) – **DROP OFF: McDonald's 3301 County Rd 211 Kingdom City MO** (Exit #148)

1915hrs. (7:15PM) – Depart Kingdom City

2000hrs. (8:00PM) – **DROP OFF: 2nd Van Jeff City MO**

2015hrs. (8:15PM) – Depart Jefferson City

2115hrs. (9:15PM) – **DROP OFF: VFW Post 2591, 29451 US HWY 50 East, Sedalia, MO**

2130hrs. (9:30PM) – Depart VFW Post 2591

23:45hrs. (11:45PM) – **DROP OFF: VFW Post 3404, 1136 E Atlantic Springfield MO**

TRIP COMPLETE.

PLEASE KEEP IN MIND THAT OUR VANS, MAY MAKE ADDITIONAL

STOPS FOR DRIVER SWITCHES FOR PASSENGER SAFETY.