



# ***Annual VFW National Home for Children Trip Agenda***

**COVID GUIDELINES PER ARROW STAGE LINES: MASKS ARE REQUESTED BUT NOT REQUIRED AT THIS TIME, THIS IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE PER THE CDC GUIDELINES.**

**Thursday 10/20/2022 – 2000 hrs. (8:00PM)** Depart VFW National HQ, KC, MO.

For parking at the VFW National compound must furnish car model, make, license plate number & state to Department:

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Parking is at a premium at National Headquarters, please carpool if possible.

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

**2130hrs. (09:30PM)** Pick up at Marshall Junction commuter lot (I-70&US65) Just north of I-70.

**2230hrs. (10:30PM)** Pick up at VFW Post 280, Columbia; 1509 Ashley Dr. Columbia, MO.

**2300hrs. (11:00PM)** Pick up at Kingdom City McDonald's Exit #148

**A.M. FRIDAY 0030hrs. (12:30AM)** Pick up at VFW Post 2866, 66 VFW Lane, St. Charles, MO

**FRIDAY 10/21/2022 – 0700hrs. (7:00AM)** Breakfast stop at Ft. Wayne, IN (THIS STOP WILL BE AROUND A STRIP MALL AREA WITH SEVERAL RESTAURANTS TO CHOOSE FROM)

**1300hrs. (1:00 PM)** Arrive at Quality Inn Suites, 901 Delta Commerce Dr. Lansing, MI

**1800hrs. (6:00 PM)** Depart for Lansing, MI VFW Post 701.

**SATURDAY 10/22/2022 – Breakfast at the hotel (0600-0745)**

**0800hrs. (8:00AM)** – Depart for VFW National Home for Children. We will attend the Life Members meeting, a 'Parade of Checks' will be held. After the meeting we will have a tour of the grounds including the chapel, the childcare center, a Home, guest house, and gift shop.

**1200hrs. (noon)** Lunch at National Home followed by the Annual Halloween Party. Missouri is hosting the party this year. Bring your costumes with you, there will be costume contests for children and adults. **NO CLOWNS PLEASE.**

**1500hrs. (3:00PM)** Leave National Home to return to Hotel.

**1800hrs. (6:00PM)** The bus will depart to Lansing, MI Post 701 for the evening Events . Hot Dogs & Sloppy Joe's and Halloween Party, then to hotel in Lansing.

**2200hrs. (10:00PM)** Bus returns to VFW Post 701 For pick-up back to hotel.

**Sunday, 10/23/2022 – 0700hrs. (7:00 AM) BUS LEAVES LANSING COMFORT INN SUITES FOR RETURN TRIP HOME.**

**0900hrs. (9:00AM)** Brunch stop at Ft. Wayne, IN (THIS STOP WILL BE AROUND A STRIP MALL AREA WITH SEVERAL RESTAURANTS TO CHOOSE FROM)

**1700hrs. (5:00PM)** Dinner Stop at Effingham, IL.

**1900hrs. (7:00PM)** Drop off at Post 2866. 66 VFW Lane, St. Charles

**2015hrs. (8:15PM)** Drop off at Kingdom City exit, McDonald's

**2145hrs. (9:45PM)** Drop off at Post 280, 1509 Ashley Rd. Columbia.

**2245hrs. (10:45PM)** Drop off at Marshall Junction commuter lot, north side of I-70

**0045hrs. (12:45AM)** Welcome back! Arrive at VFW National Headquarters

**\*\*PLEASE KEEP IN MIND THAT OUR CHARTER, ARROW STAGE LINES WILL MAKE ADDITIONAL REQUIRED STOPS PER THEIR D.O.T. REGULATIONS FOR DRIVER AND PASSENGER SAFETY.**