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Badger Honor Flight Saturday, September 16, 2017 TENTATIVE Itinerary

4:30 a.m. – 5:30 a.m. CST	Check-in, Veteran photo taken, Canteen by Red Cross – pastries, fruit and coffee
5:30 a.m.	Send-Off Ceremony
6:00 a.m.	Boarding
7:00 a.m.	Depart Dane County Regional Airport via American Airlines Charter
10:02 a.m. EST	Arrive in Washington DC at Reagan National Airport
10:02 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Deplane, bathroom break, board buses
11:00 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.	Drive to Arlington National Cemetery
11:15 a.m. – 12:00 Noon	Walk around Arlington grounds/Get in place for viewing Changing of the Guard (Bathrooms available under the Amphitheatre)
12:00 Noon	View the Changing of the Guard Ceremony – Arlington National Cemetery
12:15 p.m.	Wreath Laying at the Tomb of the Unknowns – Arlington National Cemetery
12:30 p.m.	GROUP PHOTO on steps of the Amphitheatre – Arlington National Cemetery
12:45 p.m. – 1:05 p.m.	Board buses
1:05 p.m. – 1:20 p.m.	Drive to Air Force Memorial
1:20 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.	Visit Air Force Memorial/Lunch delivery (Bathrooms available here)
2:00 p.m. – 2:20 p.m.	Board buses
2:20 p.m. – 2:35 p.m.	Drive to Korean War/Vietnam Veterans/Lincoln Memorials
2:35 p.m. – 4:05 p.m.	Tour Korean War/Vietnam Veterans/Lincoln Memorials (Bathrooms available below Lincoln Memorial)
4:05 p.m. – 4:25 p.m.	Board buses
4:25 p.m. – 4:40 p.m.	Drive to WWII Memorial
4:40 p.m. – 5:40 p.m.	Tour WWII Memorial (Bathrooms available here)
5:40 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	Boarding
6:00 p.m. – 6:15 p.m.	Drive to FDR Memorial
6:15 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	Visit FDR Memorial
6:30 p.m. – 6:45 p.m.	Board buses and drive back to Reagan National Airport
6:45 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	Offload, bathroom break, boarding
8:00 p.m. EST	American Airlines charter departs Reagan National Airport for Madison
9:15 p.m. CST	Flight arrives in Madison Please allow 30 minutes after arrival for unloading the airplane

* This is a tentative agenda and subject to change. Please visit our website and Facebook page for updates to this itinerary. Like us on Facebook to see our posts throughout the day!

The following items are available from your Bus Captain, or any Badger Honor Flight representative:

- hand wipes
- rain poncho
- snacks(granola bars, hard candy, chocolate, crackers, etc)
- water/juice
- sunscreen
- kleenex
- hand sanitizer
- garbage bag



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GUARDIAN KEY DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

This is your primary job!

1. **SAFETY** is our main concern. Assist the Veterans in getting around the airports, on and off the bus, and around the memorials. You will have to watch some Veterans closer than others. Be particularly alert for this toward the end of the day when fatigue is high.
2. **NEVER** leave your Veteran unaccompanied!
3. **INFORM** your Bus Captain or Medical Staff immediately if any Veteran has a medical issue. Including but not limited to a fall, complaining of fatigue, chest pain, shortness of breath, dizziness, or seems confused. Watch for symptoms – some Veterans will not tell you until it is too late!
4. **CHECK** the bus, airplane, waiting areas, and wherever the Veterans sit, to make sure that they do not accidentally leave their wallet, glasses, cell phone, camera, etc. behind.
5. **LISTEN** and provide a sympathetic ear.
6. **DO NOT** stray from the group. Stay at the memorial currently being visited.
7. You should encourage them to drink plenty of fluids and eat throughout the day. Inform them that bathrooms are available on the airplane, on the bus, at the memorials and throughout the airports. Personal hygiene items (wipes, Depends, etc) are also available to Veterans and Guardians.

If you have additional questions, please contact Kelly McMillan at kellymac303@hotmail.com or at 920-382-2111 5 – 8 PM.

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