

NATIONAL COMMANDER TRAVEL
12-15 NOVEMBER 2024
OFFICIAL VISIT TO DEPARTMENT OF
ARKANSAS

Friday, November 8

Commander James LaCoursiere, Jr.
Aide to the National Commander Butch Hansen

5:38p.m. Arrive United Airlines, Flt # 5573, Bentonville Airport
6.:00 p.m. Depart for Homewood Suites by Hilton, Fayetteville
6:45 p.m. Arrive Homewood Suites by Hilton, Fayetteville
Pick up at Airport: Tony Gordon, Department Commander – Cell 501-772-0795
Michael Westergren. Alternate National Executive Committeeman– Cell
501-765-4663
Bob Renner, Department Adjutant – Cell 703-625-5633

Saturday, November 9

9:00 a.m. Depart for Post 27, Fayetteville – Breakfast
(dress: Polo and Trousers)

9:15 a.m. Arrive Post 27, Fayetteville - Commander Dave Benson

10:30 a.m. Depart for Post 27, Fayetteville 27 to Siloam Spring First Christina Church,
Jefferson Street, Siloam Springs

11:30 a.m. Arrive Siloam Spring First Christian Church, Jefferson Street for Meet and Greet
– Post 29 Commander Charles Ricks

1:00 p.m. Depart for Post 139 Springdale

1:45 p.m. Arrive Post 139 Springdale – Commander Albert Wille - Light hors d'oeuvres

3:15 p.m. Depart for Homewood Suites by Hilton, Fayetteville

4:00 p.m. Arrive Homewood Suites by Hilton, Fayetteville

4:30 p.m. Depart for Dinner – To be Determined

7:00 p.m. Arrive Homewood Suites by Hilton, Fayetteville

Sunday, November 10

8:00 a.m. Depart Homewood Suites for Wyndham Riverfront Hotel Little Rock
(dress: Polo and Trousers)

- 11:00 a.m. Arrive Wyndham Riverfront Hotel Little Rock
- 11:30 a.m. Depart Wyndham Riverfront Hotel for War Memorial Stadium, Little Rock
(dress: Polo and Trousers)
- 12:00 p.m. Arrive War Memorial Stadium, Little Rock for Corvettes for Veterans Program
- 4:00 p.m. Depart Corvettes for Veterans Program for Wyndham Riverfront Hotel Little Rock
- 4:30 p.m. Arrive Wyndham Riverfront Hotel Little Rock
- 5:30 p.m. Depart for Dinner – (To be determined)
- 7:00 p.m. Arrive Wyndham Riverfront Hotel Little Rock

Monday, November 11

- 8:00 a.m. Depart Wyndham Riverfront Hotel Little Rock for Hot Springs Ceremony
(dress: Business Dress)
- 10:00 a.m. Arrive Hot Springs for Garland Country Veterans Day Ceremony
- 12:30 p.m. Depart Hot Springs Garland Country Veterans Day Ceremony Post 71, Cabot
- 1:30 p.m. Arrive Post 71 for meet and greet and lunch – Commander Chuck Eick
- 3:00 p.m. Depart for Wyndham Riverfront Hotel
- 4:00 p.m. Arrive Wyndham Riverfront Hotel
- 5:00 p.m. Depart for Dinner – (To be determined)

Tuesday, November 12

- 8:45 a.m. Depart for McLellan VA for meet and greet with Acting Director Dr. Michael Moore and topping off ceremony for the new Fisher House
- 9:15 a.m. Meet and greet with acting Director Dr. Michael Moore and topping of ceremony for the new Fisher House
- 11:00 a.m. Depart McClellan VA for City Hall, Sherwood to meet with Mayor Mary Jo Heye-Townsell
- 11:30 a.m. Arrive City Hall, Sherwood to meet with Mayor Mary Jo Heye-Townsell

- 12:00 p.m. Depart for Post 308 Jacksonville for lunch and meet and greet
- 12:30 p.m. Arrive Post 308 Jacksonville for lunch and meet and greet. Commander Ronnie Smith
- 2:30 p.m. Depart Post 308 for Wyndham Riverfront Hotel Little Rock
- 3:15 p.m. Arrive Wyndham Riverfront Hotel Little Rock
- 5:00 p.m. Depart for Dinner – To be determined
- 6:30 p.m. Return to Wyndham Riverfront Hotel Little Rock

Wednesday, November 13

- 8:45 a.m. Depart for Little Rock Veterans Home
- 9:00 a.m. Arrive Little Rock Veterans Home for meet and greet and tour – Director Don Johnson
- 10:00 a.m. Depart for Wyndham Riverfront Hotel Little Rock
- 10:15 a.m. Arrive Wyndham Riverfront Hotel Little Rock
- 11:00 a.m. Depart for lunch – To be Determined
- 12:30 p.m. Return to Wyndham Riverfront Hotel Little Rock – Admin Time
- 3:15 p.m. Depart Wyndham Riverfront Hotel for Post 343 Redfield (dress: Polo and Trousers)
- 4:00 p.m. Arrive Post 343, Redfield for supper and meet and greet
- 6:00 p.m. Depart Post 343, Redfield for Wyndham Riverfront Hotel
- 7:00 p.m. Arrive Wyndham Riverfront Hotel

Thursday, November 14

- 8:00 a.m. Depart for Wyndham Riverfront Hotel for Post 58 Texarkana (dress: Polo and Trousers)
- 10:30 a.m. Arrive Post 58, Texarkana for lunch and meet and greet Commander Dr. Anthony Stevenson
- 1:00 p.m. Depart Post 58, Texarkana for Wyndham Garden?

1:30 p.m., Arrive Wyndham Garden – Admin Time

Friday, November 15

7:00 a.m. Depart Wyndham Garden for Post 3, Alexandria, LA
(dress: Polo and Trousers)

11:30 a.m. Arrive Post 3, Alexandria for hand off to Department of Louisiana