



October 2012

ACTIVITIES CALENDAR

Armed Forces Retirement Home - Gulfport



TRIP INFORMATION (Continued)

MONDAY 22 OCT.

Depart AFRH – 1300
Depart Biloxi VA – 1530

“RE-CREATION” MUSICAL PERFORMANCE
Re-Creation's 38th edition presents "AMERICAN GOLD" -- a grand celebration highlighting the most popular show songs of all time! And every show includes rousing Patriotic music...in honor of America's hospitalized veterans and troops! Seating provided by the Biloxi VA.

Resident Cost: Free (Only 30 Spots)

(Sign up by 19 OCT in Bocce)

Arrive at Biloxi VA – 1330
Return to AFRH – 1600



TUESDAY 23 OCT.

Depart AFRH – 1700
Depart Coliseum – 2200*

34th ANNUAL SALUTE TO THE MILITARY
Featuring Hon. Michael B. Donley, Secretary of the US Air Force, Sen. Roger Wicker, Rep. Steven Palazzo, Music by the Air Force Reserve Command Band. Formal Dress is preferred, business dress is acceptable. Space is limited to the first 30 residents to sign up. Tickets are donated by sponsors.

Resident Cost: Free Tickets for first 30

(Sign up by 19 OCT in Bocce)

Arrive at Coliseum - 1730
Arrive at AFRH – 2230



TUESDAY 30 OCT.

Depart AFRH – 0700
Depart NAS – 1430

BLUE ANGELS PRACTICE & NAS MUSEUM
Witness the Blue Angels practice at Pensacola NAS and then enjoy the exhibits of the National Naval Aviation Museum. Lunch is on your own at the Cubi Bar Café. Breakfast snacks will be provided. This is the last practice session for the Blue Angels for the 2012 season.

Resident Cost: Free Admission – Lunch is "On your own" **(Sign up by 26 OCT Bocce)**

Arrive at NAS - 0900
Arrive at AFRH – 1700



WEEKLY RECREATIONAL VAN TRIPS

Monday – Keesler AFB Exchange & KFCU
Tuesday – Gulfport NCBC Exchange
Wednesday – Edgewater Mall
Thursday – Target Store at the Promenade

Depart AFRH: 1000	Depart Location: 1145
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RESIDENT DRIVER VAN TRIPS

OCT 6 – Mobile Greyhound Track Gaming and Food is "on your own". Facility is located in Mobile, AL. Enjoy the thrill of live greyhound racing at Mobile Greyhound Park. No Admission is charged.	Depart AFRH: 1000	Depart Location: 1630
OCT 6, 20, 27 – Square Dancing Square Dance with the "Belles & Buoy" at the Lyman Senior Citizen Center. Admission is \$5 per dancer.	Depart AFRH: 1800	Depart Location: 2130
OCT 7 – Discover the Dinosaurs at the Coliseum Dinosaurs come to life in this spectacular interactive display. Cost is: \$11 for Seniors.	Depart AFRH: 1300	Depart Location: 1600
OCT 21 – Fall Muster at Beauvoir Enjoy the sights and sounds of the Civil War era as it is relived through re-enactments and various weapon demonstrations. This event is held at the historic last home of Jefferson Davis (Beauvoir). (Admission Charged)	Depart AFRH: 1230	Depart Location: 1530
OCT 25 – American Thrift Store Visit the coast's largest thrift store in Ocean Springs. Shopping is on your own.	Depart AFRH: 0930	Depart Location: 1130
OCT 27 – New Orleans Fairgrounds OTB Gaming and Food is "on your own". No Entry Fees.	Depart AFRH: 1000	Depart Location: 1630
OCT 28 – Joppa Temple Gun & Knife Show	Depart AFRH: 1200	Depart Location: 1600
OCT 30 – Old Biloxi Cemetery Tours Event Each year local historians and drama enthusiasts put together a living history of the coast through the guided cemetery walking tours. Enjoy re-enactments and skits of local personalities from the coast. No Admission.	Depart AFRH: 1530	Depart Location: 1800



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TUESDAY 2 OCT.

Depart AFRH– 1800
Depart Coliseum – 2100

COLE BROTHERS CIRCUS BUS TRIP
Join the Patriot Guard as they sponsor 25 residents to attend the famous Cole Brothers Circus held under the big top at the Coast Coliseum. The Guard will ride their motorcycles in a convoy with the bus to the event. There is no admission cost for the 1st 25 to sign up and attend. Snacks and souvenirs are "on your own". **Special Thanks to the Patriot Guard Riders**

Resident Cost: Free (For Only First 25 Spots)

Arrive at Coliseum – 1830
Return to AFRH – 2130

(Sign up ASAP in Bocce)



FRIDAY 5 OCT.

Depart AFRH– 0930
Depart Mary C. – 1200

MARY C. O'KEEFE CULTURAL CENTER TOUR TRIP
Take a tour of the magnificent facility and learn about all the programs and services available there. Everyone will assemble their own lunch to be cooked in parchment paper from a smorgasbord of proteins, vegetables, fruits, nuts, spices and sauces. They will only take a few minutes to cook in one of the five Viking ovens we have in our Viking Equipped Culinary Arts Cafe. Your creative papillote dish will be served with rice and a salad. The cafe will have a selection of Dessert Tartlets to end your culinary adventure in the cafe.

Resident Cost: Lunch is \$15

Arrive at Mary C. – 0900
Return to AFRH – 1230

(Sign up by 4 OCT in Bocce)



THURSDAY 11 OCT.

Depart AFRH– 0830
Depart Wal-Mart – 1030

WAL-MART IN PASS CHRISTIAN TRIP
Take care of your shopping needs for the month at the Pass Christian Super Wal-Mart. Enjoy the peaceful and serene setting as you drive down US 90 to Pass Christian.

Resident Cost: Shopping "On your own"

Arrive at Wal-Mart – 0900
Return to AFRH – 1100

(Sign up by 9 OCT in Bocce)



THURSDAY 11 OCT.

Depart AFRH – 1130
Depart Restaurant – 1330

MCELROYS IN BILOXI LUNCH TRIP
Enjoy the delicious seafood menu the restaurant is known for but in its new Biloxi location.

Resident Cost: "On your own" (\$7-\$14 Range)

Arrive at Restaurant – 1200
Arrive at AFRH – 1400

(Sign up by 9 OCT in Bocce)



THURSDAY 18 OCT.

Depart AFRH – 0830
Depart New Orleans – 1500

NEW ORLEANS FRENCH QUARTER TRIP
On our way to the Big Easy, enjoy a stop at the Bayou Country Store for a quick free coffee and browse the gift shop. Upon arriving in New Orleans, enjoy the sights and sounds of the New Orleans French Quarter. Lunch is on your own. *Trip may involve extensive outdoor walking.

Resident Cost: "On your own"

Arrive at New Orleans - 1030
Arrive at AFRH – 1700

(Sign up by 16 OCT in Bocce)



TUESDAY 20 OCT.

Depart AFRH – 0800
Depart Ingalls – 1200*

LHA-6 "AMERICA" CHRISTENING AT INGALLS
AFRH Residents have been invited to sign up to RSVP and attend the christening of the Navy's newest amphibious assault ship, the "America" at Ingalls Shipbuilding in Pascagoula. A reception will follow immediately. Attire for civilians is Business Attire, for Military it is Full Dress White. Residents must sign up by October 8th to attend.

Resident Cost: Free

Arrive at Ingalls - 0840
Arrive at AFRH – 1240

(Sign up by 8 OCT in Bocce)

