

URGENT MESSAGE FROM BOB WHITE, NATIONAL HOME DIRECTOR

Monday, September 14th, 2009

We are busy making plans for Illinois Day at the VFW National Home For Children in Eaton Rapids, Michigan the weekend of Friday, October 2nd and Saturday, October 3rd. As you know, we are planning a Picnic for Friday evening (5:00 P.M. be sure to bring your own lawn chairs) and we need to have a Head Count for that as well as for those of you who are planning to be at the National Home on Saturday, October 3rd for lunch.

Registration fee and Coffee, games & Tours for adults is \$6.00 and Kids 12 & under is \$3.00.

I need to know how many busses are coming and have an approximate number of people on those busses. Parking for busses must be allocated in advance.

Response to this Illinois Day visit has been terrible and the final cut-off day for receiving your head count is **MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 28TH!!** Please email me at rfwhite53@comcast.net or call me at (708) 385-8522 letting me know how many are coming.

This information was included in the September General Orders which are available online at www.vfwil.org.

Let's make a strong effort to attend and show the kids at our VFW National Home For Children that the Department of Illinois, VFW supports them and that we care about them! Thank you for your prompt attention to this request.

Robert F. White
National Home Director