

SUPPORT OUR TROOPS WHO HAVE SACRIFICED SO MUCH



SO THAT WE CAN ENJOY OUR CORVETTES IN COMPLETE FREEDOM

“Vettes to Vets”

Sunday, September 27, 2009

Honor our Veterans by joining in the 6th Annual Vettes to Vets Day

- Date:** Sunday, September 27, 2009 – Rain or Shine
- Time:** 9:00 am – 3:00 pm (Meet at 11:30 – Caravan to hospital departs at 11:45)
- Meet At:** Marriott Hotel* – Billerica, MA 270 Concord Rd, Billerica, MA • 978.670.7500
*same location as last year

The hotel is offering a **fantastic rate** for those who wish to stay Saturday night - \$59/night! Call the Marriott at 978-670-7500 and mention Vettes to Vets when reserving your room. In addition, the hotel is offering a special rate on their Saturday evening buffet for \$15 and Sunday Breakfast for \$7.95/pp (which is half price for Vettes to Vets attendees). Please be at your car at 11:30 for a drivers meeting. We will depart for the Veterans Hospital at 11:45.

- Directions:** ***From the South**, take 128/95 to Rte 3 North to Concord Rd, exit 27
Left at end of ramp, left at 2nd light toward Marriott Hotel/Gentronics/Millipore
Follow road to back side of Marriott Hotel
- *From the North**, take Rte 3 South to Concord Rd, exit 27
Left at end of ramp, left at next light toward Marriott Hotel/Gentronics/Millipore
Follow road to back side of Marriott Hotel

Show Site: Bedford Veterans Hospital, Bedford, MA • Gold Star Mother’s Day

Over 200 cars came out last year to show their respect and support for our Veterans!

- Veteran’s Choice Trophy presented to one lucky car.
- One Commemorative Pin given to every car.
- Honor Guard – Live Music – Chow Line

There is no admission fee, but we ask each car to prepare a ‘goodie bag’ of items that will make the veterans comfortable on a daily basis. If possible, please bring an American flag to wave on the caravan to the hospital.

**These veterans have given up a significant part of their lives
so we may enjoy ours in complete freedom.**

“Come and show your appreciation to those who served”

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www.vetestovets.org

Items Needed by Men and Women Veterans

- Full sized afghans
- Bibs
- Wheelchair bags
- Board games
- Chess / Checker sets / Cribbage boards
- Men's clothing: New sweatpants / sweatshirts, white socks, underwear, sweaters, washable slippers, sneakers with Velcro laces, hats, gloves, Winter or Spring jackets, scarves
- Women's clothing: knee socks, washable slippers, sweaters, jogging or warm-up suits, colored T-shirts, walking shorts, hats, gloves, scarves, belts, Winter or Spring jackets
- Overnight bags / suitcases
- Deodorant
- Shampoo
- Toothpaste / Toothbrushes
- Denture cleaner
- Poligrip
- Body wash liquid soap
- Baby shampoo
- Disposable razors
- Electric razors (rechargeable, new only)
- Electric pre-shave lotion – alcohol free
- Aftershave lotion
- Cosmetics
- Hand and body lotion
- Hair dryers
- Hair brushes / combs
- Electronics – TV's, stereos, Walkman radios

Check donations are accepted as well.

Please make checks payable to **Vettes to Vets** and note 'GPF 9001' in the memo section of the check.

Your Freedom Is Protected By the U.S. Armed Forces.

It is the soldier, not the bishop, who gave us freedom of religion.

It is the soldier, not the reporter, who has given us freedom of the press.

It is the soldier, not the poet, who has given us freedom of speech.

It is the soldier, not the campus organizer, who has given us freedom to demonstrate.

*It is the soldier who salutes the flag, and whose coffin is draped by the flag,
who allows the protester to burn the flag.*