

THE WHITE HOUSE		THE DAILY DIARY OF PRESIDENT GERALD R. FORD	
PLACE DAY BEGAN		DATE (Mo., Day, Yr.)	
THE WHITE HOUSE		DECEMBER 19, 1976	
WASHINGTON, D.C.		TIME	DAY
		7:17 a.m. SUNDAY	
TIME		PHONE	
In	Out	P=Placed R=Rec'd	ACTIVITY
7:17		P	The President telephoned his son, Jack. The call was not completed.
7:21	?	R	The President talked with White House Usher Stephen P. Harris.
7:24	?	R	The President talked with Mr. Harris.
7:25			The President and the First Lady had breakfast.
8:18			The President went to the Oval Office.
8:26			The President returned to the second floor Residence.
8:40			The President went to the South Grounds of the White House.
8:42	8:48		The President flew by helicopter from the South Grounds to Andrews AFB, Maryland. For a list of passengers, see <u>APPENDIX "A."</u>
8:55	10:01		The President flew by the "Spirit of '76" from Andrews AFB to Willow Run Airport, Ypsilanti, Michigan. For a list of passengers, see <u>APPENDIX "B."</u>
10:05			The President and the First Lady were greeted by: William F. McLaughlin, Chairman of the Michigan Republican State Committee Peter B. Fletcher, Republican National Committeeman for Michigan Richard L. Kennedy, Vice President for State Relations and Secretary of the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan
			The President and the First Lady went to their motorcade.
10:10	10:33		The President and the First Lady motored from Willow Run Airport to the Michigan League Building, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.
			The President and the First Lady were greeted by: Robben W. Fleming, President of the University of Michigan Mrs. Robben W. Fleming

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10:35			The President and the First Lady, escorted by Mr. and Mrs. Fleming went inside Michigan League to the Hussey Room.
10:35			The President and the First Lady greeted University of Michigan officials associated with the Gerald R. Ford Library project. For a list of attendees, see <u>APPENDIX "C."</u>
10:35	11:03		The President met with University of Michigan officials associated with the Gerald R. Ford Library project. The President, escorted by Mr. Fleming went to the holding room.
11:03			The President, escorted by Fleming went to the Vandenberg Room.
11:05	12:07		The President and the First Lady attended a luncheon honoring Wilbur D. Pierpont, Vice President and Chief Financial Officer for the University of Michigan and Honorary Degree recipients. For a list of attendees, see <u>APPENDIX "D."</u>
12:02			The President was introduced by Mr. Fleming.
12:03	12:04		The President addressed approximately 75 guests attending the luncheon.
12:08			The President and the First Lady, escorted by Mr. and Mrs. Fleming returned to their motorcade.
12:15	12:21		The President and the First Lady motored from the Michigan League Building to Crisler Arena. They were accompanied by: Mr. Fleming Mrs. Fleming
12:25			The President and the First Lady, escorted by Mr. and Mrs. Fleming went to the robing room (Michigan Lounge). The President and the First Lady participated in Commencement exercises. The President and the First Lady greeted approximately 58 platform guests. For a list of platform guests, see <u>APPENDIX "E."</u>

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12:53				The President and the First Lady, escorted by Mr. Fleming and Mr. Pierpont went to an offstage announcement area.
12:57				The President and the First Lady, escorted by Mr. Fleming and Mr. Pierpont went to the platform.
1:17?		P		The President telephoned Glenn E. "Bo" Schembechler, head football coach at the University of Michigan. The call was not completed.
1:23				The First Lady received an Honorary Doctor of Law degree presented by Mr. Fleming.
1:25				The President and the First Lady, escorted by Mr. Kennedy returned to the Michigan Lounge.
1:30				The President and the First Lady participated in a photo opportunity with: Michael Ford Susan Ford
1:33				The Presidential party went to their motorcade.
1:36	1:56			The Presidential party motored from Crisler Arena to Willow Run Airport.
<u>EST</u> 2:06	<u>MST</u> 3:13			The President and the First Lady flew by the "Spirit of '76" from Willow Run Airport to Walker Field, Grand Junction, Colorado. For a list of passengers, see <u>APPENDIX "F."</u> (Actual flying time: 3 hours, 7 minutes)
3:20				The President and the First Lady were greeted by: Maxine Albers, Member of the County Board of Commissioners, Mesa County, Colorado James W. Spelman, Airport Manager for Walker Field
3:28	4:30			The President and the First Lady flew by helicopter from Walker Field to Nottingham Farm helipad. For a list of passengers, see <u>APPENDIX "A."</u>
4:30				The President and the First Lady were greeted by: William Nottingham, owner of Nottingham Farm Members of the Nottingham Family

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In	Out		
4:35			The President and the First Lady went to their motorcade.
4:35	4:53		The President and the First Lady motored from the Nottingham Farm helipad to Vail Village, Vail, Colorado.
			The President and the First Lady were greeted by John A. Dobson, Mayor (Independent-Vail, Colorado).
			The President and the First Lady, escorted by Mayor Dobson walked to the Vail Town Square.
			The President and the First Lady participated in a Christmas Tree Lighting ceremonies.
			The President pulled a lever to activate the tree lights.
5:09	5:10		The President addressed the crowd gathered for the ceremonies
			The President and the First Lady went to their motorcade.
5:10	5:13		The President and the First Lady motored from Vail Town Square to the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bass, Mill Creek Circle, Vail, Colorado. Mr. Bass is General Partner of Snowbird, Limited, of Utah and owner of the Presidential vacation residence.
7:21	7:22	P	The President talked with his Executive Assistant, Robert E. Barrett.
7:30	8:40		The President and the First Family had dinner.
9:00	9:45		The President and the First Lady met with: Pepi Gramshammer, restaurant and lodge owner, Gasthof Gramshammer Incorporated, Vail, Colorado Mrs. Pepi (Sheika) Gramshammer Charles E. "Ted" Kindel, Member of the Board of Directors of Vail Associates Mrs. Charles E. "Ted" (Nancy) Kindel Henri J.F. Patty, Vice President of Marketing, Rosignol Ski Company, Incorporated, Williston, Vermont Mrs. Henri J.F. (Cheryl) Patty
			The President and the First Lady were overnight guests at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Bass, Vail, Colorado.
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HELICOPTER MANIFEST

December 19, 1976

FROM: South Grounds, The White House

TO: Andrews AFB, Maryland

The President
The First Lady
Susan Ford
Jack Ford
Michael Ford
Richard B. Cheney, Assistant
Ronald H. Nessen, Press Secretary
Lt. Gen. Brent Scowcroft, Assistant for National Security Affairs
Capt. Walter L. Domina, Marine Corps Aide
Rear Adm. William M. Lukash, Physician
2 United States Secret Service Agents

FROM: Willow Run Airport, Grand Junction, Colorado

TO: Nottingham Farm, Avon, Colorado

The President
The First Lady
Susan Ford
Mr. Cheney
Rear Adm. Lukash
Capt. Domina
2 United States Secret Service Agents

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 MISSION #1459
 Andrews AFB, Maryland to Ypsilanti, Michigan
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The President

The First Lady

Michael Ford

Jack Ford

Susan Ford

Philip W. Buchen, Counsel

Richard B. Cheney, Assistant

Lt. Gen. Brent Scowcroft, Assistant for National Security Affairs

Ronald H. Nessen, Press Secretary

James H. Cavanaugh, Deputy Assistant

Terrence O'Donnell, Aide

Byron M. Cavanaugh, Jr., Special Assistant

Rear Adm. William M. Lukash, Physician

Lt. Col. Robert C. McFarlane, Military Assistant for National Security Affairs

Col. Edwin Cantrell, Executive Officer, White House Communications Agency

Capt. Walter Lee Domina, Marine Corps Aide

Sheila R. Weidenfeld, Press Secretary to the First Lady

Carolyn K. Porembka, Personal Secretary to the First Lady

Karl Schumacher, photographer

Kathie Berger, Secretary to Mr. Cheney

Marilyn Biery, Secretary, National Security Council

MSG Herbert Oldenberg, Baggage handler

MSCS Arturo Bautista, valet

SGT Patricia Jones, stenographer

SA Brnie Luzania

SA Warren Taylor

SA Robert Twynham

SA Ronald Johnston

SA Paul Ragland

USSS

SA Robert Pawson

SA Garry Sorrells

SA Frank Domenico

SA Peter Donald

SA Tom McCarthy

Fran Lewine, Associated Press (AP)

Richard Growald, United Press International (UPI)

Charles Harrity, AP Photo

Ron Bennett, UPI Photo

Terry DeWitt, ABC Film Crew

Charles Warner, ABC Film Crew

John Cochran, NBC Correspondent

APPENDIX "C"

Attendance confirmed by
Eva Daughtrey, Office of
Philip W. Buchen. All present.

MEETING TO DISCUSS THE GERALD R. FORD LIBRARY PROJECT

Hussey Room
University of Michigan
Ann Arbor, Michigan
December 19, 1976

The President

Robben W. Fleming, President of the University of Michigan

Carl H. Morgenstern, Gerald R. Ford Commemorative Committee

Michael Radock, Vice President for University Relations and Development,
University of Michigan

James Brinkerhoff, Vice President and Chief Financial Officer-elect,
University of Michigan

Robert M. Warner, Director of the Michigan Historical Collections,
Bentley Historical Library, University of Michigan

David S. Ketchum, President of Ketchum, Inc., Fund Raising Counsel for
the Gerald R. Ford Library, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

R. Blair Schreyer, Vice President of Ketchum, Inc.

Philip W. Buchen, Counsel to the President

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN COMMENCEMENT
Crisler Arena, University of Michigan
Ann Arbor, Michigan

WINTER COMMENCEMENT
Platform Group
December 19, 1976

President Fleming

Regents:

Deane Baker
Paul Brown
Gerald Dunn
David Laro
Robert Nederlander
Sarah Power
Thomas Roach
James Waters

Regents Emeriti:

Robert Briggs
Robert Brown
Gertrude Huebner

Irene Murphy
Eugene Power

Executive Officers:

Leonard Goodall
William Moran
Henry Johnson
Richard Kennedy
Charles Overberger
Michael Radock
Frank Rhodes

Hooders:

Robert Haugh
Nellie Varner

Minister:

Reverent Erwin Gaede

Master of Ceremonies

Brymer Williams

Honorary Degree Recipient

Elizabeth Bloomer Ford

Special Guest

Gerald R. Ford

Speaker:

Wilbur K. Pierpont

Alumni Association

Margaret Host

WINTER COMMENCEMENT
Deans' Group

Alfred S. Sussman	Graduate School
Billy E. Frye	Literature, Science and the Arts
Charles L. Votaw	Medical School
Theodore J. St. Antoine	Law School
Robert E. Doerr	Dentistry
James W. Richards	Pharmacy
Joe G. Eisley	Engineering
Robert C. Metcalf	Architecture and Urban Planning
Wilbur J. Cohen	School of Education
Floyd A. Bond	Business Administration
William J. Johnson	Natural Resources
Allen P. Britton	Music
Mary Lohr	Nursing
Richard D. Remington	Public Health
Sheila C. Feld	Social Work
Russell E. Bidlack	Library Science
George V. Bayliss	Art

Graduate School Hooders:

Nellie Varner (also Honorary Degree hooder)
Robert E. Doerr (presenting Dental School graduates)

Albert Storey	Extension Service will attend Commencement
Howard Peckham	Director, Clements Library

WINTER COMMENCEMENT
Faculty Representatives
December 19, 1976

Baler, Lenin A.	Public Health	M5112 SPH II
Bernstein, Isadore A.	Public Health	1620 SPH I
Blos, Joan	Education	2610 School of Ed. Bldg.
Boylan, Paul	Music	2308 Moore Building
Carpenter, Finley F.	Education	3113A School of Ed. Bldg.
Carrington, Paul D.	Law	330 Hutchins Hall
Cohen, Carl	LSA, Residential College	139 East Quad
Cooper, Edward H.	Law	935 Legal Research
Creason, Nancy	Nursing	M5120 School of Nursing
Crichton, Mary	LSA, German	3140 MLB
D'Arms, John	Classics, LSA	2014 Angell Hall
Doerr, Robert E.	Dentistry	1228 Dental Bldg.
Durrance, Raymond E.	Library Science	211 Winchell, West Quad
Farris, Hansford	Engineering Electrical	2040 East Engineering
Galler, Bernard	LSA, Assoc. Dean	2520 LSA Building
Haber, William	LSA, Dean Emeritus	2009A LSA Building
Hatfield, George M.	Pharmacy	4002 Pharmacy Building
Hord, Robert	Music	3034 Moore
Horn, Barbara	Nursing	M3057 SPH II
Kaufman, Peter	LSA, Biological Sciences	4040 Natural Science Bldg
Keller-Cohen, Deborah	LSA, Linguistics	1092 Frieze
Koran, Andrew, III	Dentistry	2305 Dentistry Bldg.
Krause, Eugene	Mathematics, LSA	3221 Angell Hall
Lang, Brian R.	Dentistry	2029 Kellogg
Lawrence, Harry	Social Work	4081 Frieze

Michael, Donald	Natural Resources	2044 Dana Building
Miller, James L., Jr.	Education	2007 School of Ed. Bldg.
Morgan, Raleigh	LSA, Romance Lang.	4132 MLB
Noonan, Francis	Engineering Industrial & Eng. Sciences,	232C West Engineering
Nowak, Paul	Natural Resources	2033 Dana Building
Odbert, John T.	Education	4003 School of Ed. Bldg.
Olds, Clifton C.	LSA, History of Art	208 Tappan Hall
Olencki, Edward V.	Architecture	3118 Art & Arch. Bldg.
Owen, Norman	LSA, History	4416 MLB
Parravano, Guiseppe	Chem. Engineering	3223 East Engineering
Pike, Kenneth	LSA' Linguistics	1072 Frieze
Proffitt, Roy F.	Law	328 Hutchin Hall
Radin, Norma L.	Social Work	2068D Frieze
Rauch, Lawrence	Eng. Aerospace	1520 East Engineering
Rice, Jacquelyn	Art	1260 Art & Arch.
Smith, Hadley	Eng., Applied Mech. & Eng. Sci.	202 W. Engineering
Tien, Tseng-Ying	Material Engineering	4223 East Engineering
Troesch, Armin W.	Naval Architecture	445 West Engineering
Varner, Nellie M.	Grad. School	164 Rackham
Warner, Katherine P.	Architecture	3110 Art & Architecture
Warner, Robert	Music	2277 Moore
Weisfeld, Zelma	LSA, Speech	2020 Frieze
Whiting, Allen	LSA, Pol. Sci.	5619 Haven Hall
Witke, Charles	LSA, Greek & Latin	2019 Angell Hall
Yaco, Rosemary	LSA, English	7602 Haven Hall

Vandenberg Room
Crisler ArenaWINTER COMMENCEMENT
Brunch Guests
December 19, 1976

Robben W. Fleming	President, The University of Michigan
Mrs. Robben W. Fleming	Wife of President
Mr. Deane Baker	Regent, The University of Michigan
Mrs. Deane Baker	Wife of Regent
Mr. Paul Brown	Regent, The University of Michigan
Mr. Gerald Dunn	Regent, The University of Michigan
Mr. David Laro	Regent, The University of Michigan
Mrs. David Laro	Wife of Regent
Mr. Robert Nederlander	Regent, The University of Michigan
Mrs. Robert Nederlander	Wife of Regent
Ms. Sarah Goddard Power	Regent, The University of Michigan
Mr. Philip Power	Husband of Regent
Mr. Thomas Roach	Regent, The University of Michigan
Mrs. Thomas Roach	Wife of Regent
Mr. James Waters	Regent, The University of Michigan
Mrs. James Waters	Wife of Regent
Mr. Robert Brown	Regent Emeritus, The University of Michigan
Mr. Robert Briggs	Regent Emeritus, The University of Michigan
Mrs. Robert Briggs	Regent Emeritus, The University of Michigan
Mrs. Gertrude Huebner	Regent Emeritus, The University of Michigan
Mr. George Huebner	Husband of Regent Emeritus
Mr. Lawrence Lindemer	Regent Emeritus, The University of Michigan
Mrs. Lawrence Lindemer	Wife of Regent Emeritus
Mrs. Irene Murphy	Regent Emeritus, The University of Michigan
Mr. Eugene Power	Regent Emeritus, The University of Michigan
Mrs. Eugene Power	Wife of Regent Emeritus

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Mr. Leonard E. Goodall	Chancellor, Dearborn Campus University of Michigan
Mr. William Moran	Chancellor, Flint Campus University of Michigan
Mrs. William Moran	Wife of Chancellor
Mr. Henry Johnson	Vice President for Student Affairs, The University of Michigan
Mr. Richard Kennedy	Vice President and Secretary, The University of Michigan
Mrs. Richard Kennedy	Wife of Vice President
Mr. Charles Overberger	Vice President for Research The University of Michigan
Mrs. Charles Overberger	Wife of Vice President
Mr. Wilbur K. Pierpont	Vice President and Chief Financial Officer The University of Michigan Speaker for the Commencement Exercises
Mrs. Wilbur K. Pierpont	Wife of speaker
Mr. James Pierpont	Son of speaker
Mrs. James Pierpont	Daughter-in-law of speaker
Mr. Scott Pierpont	Grandson of speaker
Mr. Jonathan Pierpont	Grandson of speaker
Mrs. Kenneth Mack	Daughter of speaker
Mr. Kenneth Mack	Son-in-law of speaker
Mr. Michael Radock	Vice President for University Relations The University of Michigan
Mrs. Michael Radock	Wife of Vice President
Mr. Frank H.T. Rhodes	Vice President for Academic Affairs
Mrs. Frank Rhodes	Wife of Vice President
Mrs. Marilyn Mason Brown	University Organist
Mr. Richard K. Brown	Husband of Organist and Marshal in Commencement Exercises
Ms. Nellie Varner	Hooder for Commencement Exercises

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Mr. Robert Haugh	Hooder for Commencement Exercises
Mrs. Robert Haugh	Wife of Hooder
Reverend Erwin Gaede	Minister to deliver Invocation and Benediction at Commencement Exercises (They will be unable to get to brunch until approximately 11:35 because of church service.)
Mrs. Erwin Gaede	Wife of Minister
Mrs. Margaret Host	President Alumni Association, The Univer of Michigan
Mr. Norris Host	Husband of President of Alumni Associa
Mr. Brymer Williams	Master of Ceremonies, Chairman of SACUA The University of Michigan
Mrs. Brymer Williams	Wife of Master of Ceremonies
Mr. Donald Wendel	Director, Plant Department The University of Michigan
Mrs. Donald Wendel	Wife of Director of Plant Department
Mr. Robert Harris	Chief Marshal, Commencement Exercises
Mrs. Robert Harris	Wife of Chief Marshal
Mr. Robert Bartels	Assistant Chief Marshal, Commencement Exercises
Mrs. Robert Bartels	Wife of assistant Chief Marshal
Mr. Thomas Sawyer	Assistant Chief Marshal, Commencement Exercises
Mrs. Thomas Sawyer	Wife of Assistant Marshal
James D. Shortt, Jr.	Assistant to Vice President in charge of Special Events, The University of Michigan
Kathryn West	Secretary to Mr. Shortt

Other secretaries who will assist in gowning:

Dorothy H. Parker
Gloria Crosswait
Doris Estep

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Mr. Carl Morgenstern	Grand Rapids, Michigan
Mrs. Carl Morgenstern	Grand Rapids, Michigan
Mr. Philip Buchen	Washington, D.C.
Mr. David Ketchum	
Mr. Blair Schrayner	
Mr. Marvin Esch	
Mrs. Marvin Esch	
Mr. L. William Cash, Jr.	Assistant to the President, The University of Michigan
Mr. James Brinkerhoff	Vice President-Elect, The University of Michigan
Mrs. James Brinkerhoff	Wife of Vice President-Elect
Dr. Harry Towsley	
Mrs. Harry Towsley	
Mr. Peter Fletcher	County Republican Party
Mr. William McLaughlin	City Republican Party
Mr. Allan F. Smith	Professor of Law, The University of Michigan
Mrs. Allan F. Smith	
Mr. William Gudenau	
Mr. Carl Pursell	
Mrs. Carl Pursell	
Mr. Calvin Luker	President MSA
Mr. Luker	Father of Calvin
Mrs. Luker	Mother of Calvin
Mr. Jay VanAndel	Friends of the Fords from Ida, Mich.
Mrs. Jay VanAndel	

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 Jack Ford
 Susan Ford
 Richard B. Cheney, Assistant
 Ronald H. Nessen, Press Secretary
 Lt. Gen. Brent Scowcroft, Assistant for National Security Affairs
 James H. Cavanaugh, Deputy Assistant
 Terrence O'Donnell, Aide
 Byron M. Cavaney, Jr., Special Assistant
 Rear. Adm. William M. Lukash, Physician
 Lt. Col. Robert C. McFarlane, Military Assistant for National Security Affairs
 Col. Edwin Cantrell, Executive Officer, White House Communications Agency
 Capt. Walter Lee Domina, Marine Corps Aide
 Sheila R. Weidenfeld, Press Secretary to the First Lady
 Carolyn K. Porembka, Personal Secretary to the First Lady
 Karl Schumacher, photographer
 Kathie Berger, Secretary to Mr. Cheney
 Marilyn Biery, Secretary, National Security Council
 MSG Herbert Oldenburg, baggage handler
 MSCS Arturo Bautista, valet
 SGT Patricia Jones, stenographer
 SA Ernie Luzania
 SA Warren Taylor
 SA Robert Twynham
 SA Ronald Johnston
 SA Paul Ragland USSS
 SA Robert Pawson
 SA Garry Sorrells
 SA Frank Domenico
 SA Peter Donald
 SA Tom McCarthy
 Fran Lewine, Associate Press (AP)
 Richard Growald, United Press International (UPI)
 Charles Harrity, AP Photo
 Ron Bennett, UPI Photo
 Terry DeWitt, ABC Film Crew
 Charles Warner, ABC Film Crew
 William Barry, ABC Radio Technician
 Tom DeFrank, Newsweek