

5:00 P.M.

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NOTICE TO THE PRESS

The President plans to visit Tom DeFrank's apartment at the Village Center this evening. He plans to leave the Bass residence about 6:45 p.m. The protective pool, as posted, should assemble in the Press Center at 6:30 p.m.

Following his visit to the DeFrank apartment, the President will return to the Bass residence, where he and Mrs. Ford will have dinner. About 10:00 p.m. they will be joined by a group of friends and senior staff members to celebrate New Years Eve.

On New Years Day, the President plans to ski earlier in the day than has been customary. The protective pool, as posted, should assemble in the Press Center at 8:45 a.m.

After skiing, the President expects to spend a good deal of the day watching the football bowl games.

There will be a 10:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. posting as usual Saturday.

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