

“The Wall That Heals”

Event Schedule

subject to change

McHenry Township Park, 3703 N. Richmond Road, Johnsburg, IL

The Wall That Heals will be open 24 hours a day to veterans, their families and the general public.

McHenry Township thanks all the Volunteers who have given their time to make this a wonderful tribute to all our Veterans. Whenever you see a Veteran, say “Thank You”.

Wednesday – May 23, 2018 —THE ARRIVAL

- The Wall will arrive with police and motorcycle escort at McHenry Township Park approximately 10:00 a.m.; Wall set up to begin around 12:00 p.m. Wall set up will take about 4 to 6 hours.
- **7:00 p.m.—OPENING CEREMONY**
 - Lovell Color Guard
 - National Anthem* – sung by Ava Snider
 - Pledge of Allegiance – TBA
 - Welcome – Craig Adams, McHenry Township Supervisor
 - Prayer Service – Pastor Robert Milliman; Assembly of God
 - Wreath Ceremony – McHenry Garden Club
 - Taps Ceremony

Thursday – May 24, 2018 —WELCOMING CEREMONY

- First official full day of honoring our Vietnam Veterans with “The Wall That Heals”
- **9:00 a.m.**
 - Presentation of Colors
 - National Anthem* – sung by Audry Putman
 - Pledge of Allegiance – TBA
 - Welcome – Craig Adams, McHenry Township Supervisor
 - Prayer Service – Pastor Dan Cox; Wonder Lake Bible Church
 - God Bless America – sung by Audrey Putman
 - Escorted school visits
 - **7:00 p.m.**
 - Scout Night
 - Taps Ceremony

Friday – May 25, 2018 —MORNING CEREMONY

- **9:00 a.m.**
 - Presentation of Colors
 - National Anthem* – sung by Audrey Putman
 - Pledge of Allegiance – TBA
 - Welcome – Craig Adams – McHenry Township Supervisor
 - Prayer Service – Pastor Tom Rogers; Shepherd of the Hills Lutheran Church
 - Comfort Dogs
 - Escorted school visits
 - Bar-B-Que Night for First Responders
- **7:00 p.m.**
 - Taps Ceremony

Saturday – May 26, 2018 —RADIO 105.5 RAFFEL

- **9:00 a.m.** Presentation of Colors – TBA
National Anthem – sung by Audrey Putman
Pledge of Allegiance – TBA
Welcome – Craig Adams, McHenry Township Supervisor
America the Beautiful – sung by Audrey Putnam
- **12:00 p.m.** 4th Degree Knights of Columbus Prayer Service
- **7:00 p.m.** Taps Ceremony

Sunday – May 27, 2018 —WELCOME HOME CEREMONY

- **10:00 a.m.** *Operation Wild Horse* with riderless horse & Lovell Color Guard
National Anthem – sung by Ava Snider
Pledge of Allegiance – TBA
Welcome – Craig Adams, McHenry Township Supervisor
Blessing of the Wall /prayer service by Chaplin Robert Milliman (Vietnam Vet)
You Raise Me Up – sung by vocalist Ava Snider & McHenry West High School Choir
Guest Speakers:
 - Ed Hetterman, Johnsburg President
 - Col. Craig Wilcox
 - Col. George Braun
 - Col. Lee Lexow
 - Missy Robel, Veterans of ValorSpecial Guest Speaker: ➤ Capt. James A. Lovell
God Bless America sung by McHenry West High School Choir
White Dove Release from Wall
- **7:00 p.m.** Surround Taps
Dismissal

Monday – May 28, 2018 —CLOSING DAY CEREMONY

- **9:00 a.m.** Presentation of Colors – TBA
National Anthem – sung by Ava Snider
Pledge of Allegiance – TBA
Welcome – Craig Adams, McHenry Township Supervisor
Prayer Service – TBA
- **3:00 p.m.** Retiring of “The Wall That Heals”

McHenry Moose Lodge Venue

Food Served at McHenry Moose Lodge, 3535 N Richmond Road

Wednesday Night.... 5/23	5:00 p.m. until 10:00 p.m.	
Thursday Night..... 5/24	5:00 p.m. until 10:00 p.m.	
Friday Night.....5/25	1:00 p.m. until 10:00 p.m.	<u>Entertainment offered by McHenry Moose Lodge</u>
Saturday.....5/26	Noon until 10:00 p.m.	Saturday...noon - 4 p.m. Horseshoe Tournament
Sunday Breakfast.....5/27	9:00 a.m. until 12:00 p.m.	1:00 p.m. Kids Crafts
Sunday Afternoon....5/27	1:00 p.m. until 10:00 p.m.	Sunday.....1:00 p.m. Kids Crafts
Monday.....5/28	10:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m.	

McHenry Moose Lodge has graciously offered proceeds from these events to “The Wall That Heals”