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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

December 20, 1982

TO: MICHAEL K. DEEVER

FROM: Bill Sittmann 

TALKING POINTS -- Queens Visit

1. Michael K. Deaver will be the President's official host.
2. White House Advance team will do all the advance work and report to Bill Henkle.
3. Eric Rosenberger will coordinate all press needs, foreign and domestic.
4. We would like Mary Massarini to work with Eric.
5. We would like Gahl Bøthe to work out of the advance office starting mid-January to work on the schedule and to liaison with the embassy for Bill Henkle.
6. It is expected Protocol will pay for those expenses that they normally provide for a foreign visitor.
7. A/EX will handle logistics and funding for White House personnel thru Jeanne Bull.
8. The White House is going to handle the visit to the West Coast as though it were a foreign trip.
9. All information pertaining to the visit should go through Bill Sittmann who will act as coordinator.
10. Bill Henkle/Gahl Bøthe will provide the schedule and perform a pre-advance mid January.

MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

December 20, 1982

TO: MUFFIE BRANDON
FROM: KEN DUBERSTEIN *Ker D.*
SUBJECT: March 3 Dinner for the Queen of England

Muffie, since my last memo on subject dinner, I've learned that the dinner will be at the DeYoung Museum. The site of the dinner is in Phil Burton's Congressional District.

I would therefore, request that you delete the request for Congresswoman Boxer, and in her place put Congressman and Mrs. Carlos Moorhead.

Mr. Moorhead, in the new Congress, will be the Dean of the California Republican delegation.

Many thanks.

cc: Jim Baker
Mike Deaver
Pam Turner
M.B. Oglesby
Nancy Risque

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

December 21, 1982

MEMORANDUM FOR: MICHAEL DEEVER
THROUGH: JAMES ROSEBUSH
FROM: MUFFIE BRANDON
SUBJECT: FORTHCOMING VISIT OF H.R.H. QUEEN ELIZABETH II

*accorded to Muffie
you asked her
for her proposal. JSR*

JSR

Muffie Brandon

SUGGESTIONS FOR MRS. REAGAN'S PARTICIPATION:

I would like to offer the following suggestions for Mrs. Reagan, as the hostess of this official visit:

1. I think it would be most appropriate if Mrs. Reagan escorted the Queen to visit either an outstanding Drug Rehabilitation clinic or a Foster Grandparent program.
2. I would recommend that Mrs. Reagan accompany the Queen when she visits the pediatric clinic.
3. Would it not be possible for Mrs. Reagan to arrange a visit by a group of Foster Grandparents and their children to the royal yacht BRITANNIA?

I know a great many people are giving advice about this visit, but my great concern is the British Press and their reaction to the visit which might trigger a similar reaction in our own Press Corps. It might be well to have one serious visit per day by Mrs. Reagan to offset the "glittery" nature of this week and help bring some substance into focus.

P.S. During the Bicentennial in the Ford Administration the Official Dinner for the Queen was televised to all PBS stations. I would think we might look into the idea of cable coverage of the entertainment from the Los Angeles dinner. This way ALL Americans would have the opportunity of participating in some part of the Queen's visit. As I remember, the PBS rating for the coverage of the Ford's dinner were staggeringly high.



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Mr ~~W~~ Sittmann

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Date 23 December 1982

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Yours,

Stephen
J S Wall

cc: Ms Gahl Bothe,
Protocol Dept, State Dept

VISIT TO THE WEST COAST OF HM THE QUEEN AND HRH THE DUKE OF EDINBURGH
26 FEBRUARY TO 7 MARCH 1983

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THE WHITE HOUSE

Office of the Press Secretary
(Phoenix, Arizona)

FOR RELEASE AT 9:30 am MST (11:30 am EST)
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1982

At the invitation of the President, Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II and His Royal Highness The Duke of Edinburgh will pay an official visit to the United States from February 26 to March 7, 1983. The following is an outline of the schedule, final details of which are still being worked out. This information is being released simultaneously at Buckingham Palace and in Washington.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1983 - San Diego

- The Queen and The Duke of Edinburgh will arrive in HMV Britannia from Mexico, and will tour U.S. Naval Ships and attend a lunch in their honor on board a U.S. Navy aircraft carrier. They will visit the Scripps Institution of Oceanography. The Queen will tour the Old Globe Theatre and The Duke of Edinburgh will visit the San Diego Zoo. The Queen and The Duke of Edinburgh will host a dinner on board HMV Britannia.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1983

- The Queen and The Duke of Edinburgh will fly to Palm Springs where they will be the guests at lunch hosted by Ambassador and Mrs. Walter Annenberg. They will later fly to Los Angeles, where they will attend a gala dinner at the 20th Century Fox Studios.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1983

- Engagements will include a visit to the Rockwell Plant where the space shuttle is manufactured, a civic reception by the City of Los Angeles and a visit by The Queen to the British Home at Sierra Madre and to the Lee British Pediatric Center at the City of Hope. The Queen and The Duke of Edinburgh will host a dinner on board HMV Britannia.

TUESDAY, MARCH 1, 1983 - Santa Barbara

- The Queen and The Duke of Edinburgh will visit the Court House and the Old Spanish Mission, after which they will be guests of the President and Mrs. Reagan at the President's ranch. In the evening, The Queen and The Duke of Edinburgh will host a private dinner on board HMV Britannia. Mrs. Reagan will remain on board HMV Britannia and will sail with The Queen and The Duke of Edinburgh en route San Francisco.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 2, 1983

- The Queen and The Duke of Edinburgh, with Mrs. Reagan, will be on board HMV Britannia between Santa Barbara and San Francisco.

THURSDAY, MARCH 3, 1983 - San Francisco

- Engagements will include a civic reception by the City, lunch hosted by the President of Stanford University and a visit to the Hewlett Packard Company in Silicon Valley. In the evening, the President and Mrs. Reagan will host a dinner in honor of The Queen and The Duke of Edinburgh at the De Young Museum.

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FRIDAY, MARCH 4, 1983 - Sacramento and San Francisco

- The Queen and The Duke of Edinburgh will fly to Sacramento where they will be guests at a lunch given in the State Capitol. On their return to San Francisco in the afternoon, The Queen and The Duke of Edinburgh will attend a reception for members of the British community in San Francisco. In the evening, The Queen and The Duke of Edinburgh will host a dinner in honor of the President and Mrs. Reagan on board HMY Britannia. The President and Mrs. Reagan will spend the night of March 4 (their 31st wedding anniversary) on board HMY Britannia.

SATURDAY, MARCH 5 - SUNDAY, MARCH 7, 1983

- The Queen and The Duke of Edinburgh will spend the weekend at Yosemite National Park.

MONDAY, MARCH 7, 1983

- The Queen and The Duke of Edinburgh will fly to Seattle where they will visit the Children's Orthopedic Hospital and Medical Center and attend a convocation of Universities organized by the University of Washington. The Queen and The Duke of Edinburgh will pay a brief visit to the Seattle Center, and will be guests at a civic reception. They will sail in HMY Britannia en route Victoria, British Columbia, at the end of their stay.

Apart from their visit to Yosemite, The Queen and The Duke of Edinburgh will spend each night on board HMY Britannia throughout their stay in the United States. Except where otherwise indicated they will travel on board HMY Britannia from city to city during their tour.

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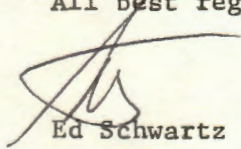
December 29, 1982

David Berkeley
Corti Brothers
2857 Fourth Avenue
Sacramento, CA 95818

Dear David:

This letter confirms our phone conversation today, that we would be pleased and privileged to supply Piper Sonoma for the State Dinner honoring Queen Elizabeth on March 3rd. If you thought it were fitting and appropriate, we also would be pleased to provide a very special label for the occasion.

All best regards,


Ed Schwartz

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

TO:

Bill Sittman

FROM:

MICHAEL K. DEAVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

Information

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Bill Sutton

December 30, 1982

Mr. Michael K. Deaver
The White House

Dear Mr. Deaver,

I was recently informed by Buckingham Palace that you are presently working on the plans for the visit of Queen Elizabeth and Prince Philip to the West Coast in February, 1983.

Recently I returned from England where I was given a trip on the QE II to lecture on Naval Art of the U.S. Navy and the Naval Paintings of Arthur Beaumont, for 45 years the Official Artist for the U.S. Navy.

While there in England we were invited to Lunch with Prince Charles in Wrexham, Wales where we discussed his Mary Rose project, the raising of the King Henry VIII ship in Portsmouth Harbor. They wish our help in raising funds with our paintings by my father Arthur Beaumont. We agreed to help. We were then invited to Buckingham Palace where Prince Philip directed that we visit Sir Basil Greenhill director of the National Maritime Museum in Greenwich. He had the appointment set up by his secretary Mr. Brian McGrath. The result was that the Museum would love to have an original of a U.S. Naval Ship by Arthur Beaumont. The painting thought most appropriate was the one of the USS England, probably the finest my father ever painted and valued at \$90,000.00

We have agreed to present this painting, and since we live in Tustin, Calif. not too far from San Diego, The Navy Base in San Diego during his tour of the base would be the most logical place, unless you can suggest another more appropriate location. Admiral James Watkins, a close personal friend and I are having lunch on January 3, 1983, and will discuss the matter.

I thought it best that you should know, so that this can be fit into the schedule. We know most of the Admirals in San Diego as I am doing Navy League liason with them all the time.

Enclosed is some data about Arthur Beaumont, and a sample of his work, although this is not the USS Wngland, but very similar.

I would appreciate hearing from you directly on this matter.

With warm regards,

Dean Beaumont
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Arthur Beaumont

1890 - 1977

“Artist Laureate of the U.S. Navy”



*It has been said that **Arthur Beaumont** must have had salt water in his veins, for he deeply loved the sea and all the ships that sailed upon her. He was a serious student of naval history, and before painting a ship, he needed to know all about her present existence and past lore. The unique combination of love, dedication, and tremendous talent in his eyes and hands, resulted in watercolor paintings acclaimed world wide for their unbelievable realism and beauty.*

***Arthur Beaumont** was born in England but made Southern California his lifetime home. Rear Admiral Leahy, while sitting for his portrait aboard the USS Raleigh, convinced “Beau” to use his talent as an artist within the U.S. Navy. He was commissioned in the Naval Reserve in 1932.*

Beau’s accomplishments in this capacity were numerous — he recorded the atom blasts and Bikini Atoll — he holds the unique distinction of being the only artist in the world to paint at both the North and South Poles — he sketched the great naval battle scenes of WW II, Korea, and Viet Nam, including war news release

pictures — he sailed with and painted the Seventh Fleet in the Orient and the Sixth Fleet in European waters.

*In 1968 **Arthur Beaumont** received from the Secretary of the Navy the highest honor bestowed upon a civilian — the Meritorious Public Service Citation. His originals hang in the White House, Pentagon, Naval Academy, National Museum of Art, numerous Embassies, Naval Bases, and other places of honour. In 1978 he was honored posthumously when his family formally dedicated the Arthur Beaumont Naval Art Collection aboard the Queen Mary berthed in Long Beach California.*

*Probably more important than his unlimited artistic talent was the fact that “Beau” was regarded as an exceptional human being — a warm, concerned, and wonderful person. Possessing one of his works will give you both a ship rendition to be proud of and a personal remembrance of a truly great artist — **Arthur Beaumont** — the “Artist Laureate of the U.S. Navy.”*

Transport & Baggage Requirements:- Subject to alteration

March 5th: 2 or 3 Army Vehicles (covered & locked.)
to transport baggage from H.M.Y Britannia
to Airport:-
Depart from 7.30 a.m. (With Escort)

Cars for Suite, Members of Household as usual:-

1 Car for Queens Dresser, Queens Footman
+ light luggage.

1 Car for Queens Page, H.R.H's Valet
+ light luggage.

Both to Depart at 8.50 onwards.

1 Car for Lady's Maids (2) + 1 Footman
+ light luggage.

1 Car for 3 Footmen + Mr Martyn.

2 Cars Required for 6 officials.

Arrival At Cattle Air-force Base:-

Transport for Baggage:- 2 or 3 trucks (covered
& locked) With Escort.

Cars for Suite, Members of the Household as usual.

1 Car for Queens Dresser, Queens Footman
+ light luggage.

1 Car for Mr Taylor, H.R.H's Valet
+ light luggage:-

Staff & Officials by Coach:- + light luggage:-
Number In total:- 16 plus:-

Departure from Yosemite to Castle base Airport:

Queen departs at 10 a.m.

Heavy luggage (Mr Crocodile.) 2 or 3 Army Vehicles
Covered & locked to leave from 8 a.m.

Transport for Officials & Staff (Coach) to leave
from 9 a.m.:-

1 Car for Queens Diener & Queen's Footman
+ light luggage from 9 a.m. - 9.15 a.m.

1 Car for Queens Page & H.R.H's Valet + light luggage
to leave from 9 a.m. - 9.15 a.m.

Monday 7th March:-

On arrival at Seattle:-

Heavy Baggage (2 or 3 Army Vehicles) Covered &
locked to H.M.Y Britannia:

- 1 Car:- Queens Diener, Queens Footman + light luggage
 - 1 Car:- Queens Page, H.R.H's Valet
 - 1 Car:- Lady's Maids (2) + 1 Footman.
 - 1 Car:- 3 Footmen + Mr C. Martyn. on the Westin
Hotel.)
 - 2 Cars:- Transport Six officials
- * All to go directly to H.M.Y Britannia

Yosemite :- Possible Accommodation for March 1983:

Subject to alteration -

Floor 6 (Suite.) H.M. Queen } 650
H.R.H.

644 :- H.R.H.'s Dressing Room.

601 :- Queen's Dresser.

617 :- Queen's Page & Queen's Footman.

Rest of Party :-

Suites for :-

Sir Olivier & Lady Wright

Duchess of Grafton

Lady Susan Hussey.

Sir Philip Moore

Mr Fellowes.

* General Office :-
Requirements Attached
'Colonial Rooms'.

Single Rooms :-

Mr Shea

Surgeon Capt Blacklock.

Air Vice Marshall Severne.

Deputy Commissioner Smith

H.R.H.'s Valet

Superintendent Hagon:

Chief Inspector Jeffery

Mrs Bowlby

Mrs Pearce.

Mrs Adams.

Mrs Brennan.

A.N. Other.

S. Crossdale.

Mrs Robinson

Mrs Major
A.N. Other.
Mr Magloire
Mr Absalom.
Mr Ely.
Mr Elcomb.
Mr Martyn.

* Full Valeting requirements
for Queen's Dresser & H.R.H.'s
Valet please.

OFFICE REQUIREMENTS

for Yosemite

1 very large or 2 adjoining rooms

5 tables and chairs for typing at

2 long tables

2 spare tables

Plenty of lighting for typing

2 telephones with direct line to Royal Visit
Office and Embassy

Photocopier with photocopying paper

5 wastepaper baskets

List of room nos. and telephone nos. of
Royal Party

YOSEMITE



Shrine of the Sierra

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*Yosemite — "... grandest of all
the special temples of nature
I was ever permitted to enter..."*

— John Muir

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