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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

GREETING VFW NATIONAL COMMANDER, NATIONAL OFFICERS,  
AND VOICE OF DEMOCRACY SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM WINNERS

DATE: March 31, 1982  
LOCATION: Rose Garden  
TIME: 11:30 a.m. - 11:40 a.m.  
FROM: ELIZABETH H. DOLE 

I. PURPOSE:

To greet the VFW National Commander-in-Chief and national officers and to recognize the 52 winners of the Voice of Democracy Scholarship Program.

II. BACKGROUND:

The 1.7 million member Veterans of Foreign Wars actively supported your candidacy, Economic Recovery Program and AWACS sale. They are in town this week for their annual Washington Conference.

The VFW and its Ladies Auxiliary have sponsored the Voice of Democracy Scholarship program for the past twenty years. This year more than 250,000 students participated in the program from over 8,000 U.S. and U.S. overseas schools. Student involvement has tripled and school participation has doubled since last year. Over four and one-half million students have competed and awards totaling more than \$2,500,000 have been granted. Students compete by writing an essay on democracy and this year's winner is Scott Baker of Mitchellville, Maryland.

III. PARTICIPANTS:

Arthur Fellwock, National Commander-in-Chief  
James R. Currieo, Senior Vice Commander-in-Chief  
Clifford G. Olson, Jr., Junior Vice Commander-in-Chief  
Howard Vander Clute, Jr., Adjutant General  
James A. Cheatham, Quartermaster General  
Mrs. Marion Watson, Ladies Auxiliary President  
Cooper T. Holt, Executive Director  
52 Voice of Democracy Scholarship Program winners (list attached)

IV. PRESS PLAN:

Open Press Coverage

V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS:

- 11:30 a.m. On announcement, you proceed to the podium and offer brief remarks.
- 11:34 a.m. On conclusion of your remarks, you are presented with a set of flags by Arthur Fellwock and Scott Baker.
- 11:40 a.m. You offer thanks and shake hands as you depart.

ATTACHMENTS: Talking Points  
List of Participants

SUGGESTED TALKING POINTS

- I would like to begin by expressing my gratitude to the Veterans of Foreign Wars for their active support of my Administration's Economic Recovery Program and other vital issues.
- Commander Fellwock, please extend my personal welcome to your 2,000 state and local VFW officials who are in town for your annual Washington Conference. Our country is deeply indebted to each of your 1,700,000 members.
- I am especially pleased to be able to welcome these 52 high school student winners of your Voice of Democracy Scholarship Program. I understand that more than one-quarter million students participated in this year's program from over 8,000 U.S. and U.S.-overseas schools. I hear this is a tripling of student involvement and a doubling of school participation over last year. I cannot think of a place I would rather be than here to share in honoring each of you for your achievement and to pass along my congratulations to Scott Baker, this year's national winner.
- I compliment the VFW and Ladies Auxiliary for your outstanding sponsorship of this program. During its twenty years, over four and one-half million students have participated and awards totaling more than two and one-half million dollars have been given to winners at all levels.
- I hope we can count on each of you to continue your fine example as you move to leadership positions within your generation. God bless you.

NOTE: Commander Fellwock and Scott Baker step forward to present you with a set of flags (US, VFW and Voice of Democracy).

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THE WHITE HOUSE


WASHINGTON

March 31, 1982

MEETING WITH: National Arthritis Foundation

LOCATION: Oval Office

TIME: 11:45 a.m. - 11:50 a.m.

FROM: ELIZABETH H. DOLE 

PURPOSE: To be photographed with the National Arthritis Month Poster Children.

BACKGROUND: Founded in 1948, the Arthritis Foundation provides research, education, and patient services to the 31 million Americans affected by the disease. During May, the Foundation will conduct its national education and fund-raising campaign. This year's theme is "It's time we took arthritis seriously." Funded entirely by public donations, in 1980 it raised \$18.4 million. Foundation poster children, Amy and Lisa Keen, are five-year old twin kindergarteners. From Dorothy, New Jersey, they were stricken with rheumatoid arthritis at two years of age, thus joining the quarter of a million children with arthritis. The girls' parents are David and Nancy Keen. He is a high school business education teacher and she is a housewife coping with multiple sclerosis. The twin girls will present you with a 36" doll in your likeness so you can "enjoy a twin" like they do.

PARTICIPANTS: Poster twins, their family, and Arthritis Foundation officials.

PRESS COVERAGE: Press pool photo coverage.

SEQUENCE OF EVENTS:

11:45 a.m. You and Mrs. Reagan will be joined in the Oval Office by the twins, their family and Foundation officials for photographs. The twins will present you with the doll. You express your appreciation and support for the Arthritis Month campaign.

11:50 a.m. The group departs the Oval Office.

Attachments: Participants/Talking Points



LIST OF PARTICIPANTS -- NATIONAL ARTHRITIS FOUNDATION

PARTICIPANTS

KEEN, Amy (Poster Child)

KEEN, Lisa (Poster Child)

KEEN, David (Father of Poster Twins)

KEEN, Nancy (Mother of Poster Twins)

KEEN, Kristen (Daughter)

CLARKE, Clifford M. (President, National Arthritis Foundation)

MATHON, Peter (Vice President, National Arthritis Foundation)

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ADMINISTRATION OFFICIALS

The President

The First Lady

Virginia H. Knauer

SUGGESTED TALKING POINTS FOR MEETING WITH  
NATIONAL ARTHRITIS FOUNDATION

--I am pleased to welcome you to the White House today to prepare for the May observation of National Arthritis Month.

--Amy and Lisa, I am honored to now have a "twin." Thank you.

--But I'd like to say that all Americans should be honored to have you representing the quarter of a million children in our country with arthritis. You inspire us to work even harder in our battle against this disease.

--With a million new victims each year, "It is time we took arthritis seriously."

--But we know that for over thirty years, the Arthritis Foundation has been doing just that. And with the thousands of volunteers committing their time, money and heartfelt concern, we are making progress in reducing pain and suffering.

--With this kind of dedication and perserverance, I feel certain that someday we'll also have a cure for this most disabling disease.

*Handwritten initials*

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APPOINTMENTS FOR MAR 30 82

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1 Subject: Meeting with the Veterans of Foreign Wars to recognize the winners of the Voice of Democracy Scholarship Program.

2 Meeting with the National Arthritis Month Foster Children, Amy and Lisa KEEN

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PR 005 \_\_\_\_\_  
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3 Meeting with the U.S. official election observers Delegation to El Salvador

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THE WHITE HOUSE

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THE PRESIDENT'S SCHEDULE  
Wednesday, March 31, 1982

9:00 am (30 min)	<u>Staff Time</u> (Baker, Meese, Deaver)	Oval Office
9:30 am (15 min)	<u>National Security Briefing</u>	Oval Office
9:45 am (15 min)	<u>Senior Staff Time</u>	Oval Office
10:00 am (30 min)	<u>Personal Staff Time</u>	Oval Office
10:30 am (30 min)	Meeting with Secretary Haig, Amb. Paul Nitze & ACDA Director Eugene Rostow <sup>per Lehman</sup> (William P. Clark) (distributed separately)	Oval Office
11:00 am (15 min)	Meeting with Sen. Nancy Kassebaum <sup>V.P.</sup> (William P. Clark) (distributed separately)	Oval Office
11:30 am (10 min)	Greet VFW National Commander and Voice of Democracy Scholarship Program Winners (Elizabeth Dole) (Tab A)	Rose Garden
11:45 am (5 min)	Photo with Poster Children for National Arthritis Month (Elizabeth Dole) (Tab B)	Oval Office
12:00 m (90 min)	<u>Lunch and Personal Staff Time</u>	Oval Office
1:30 pm (2 hrs)	<u>Pre-News Conference Briefing</u> (David Gergen/Larry Speakes)	Family Theater
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9:00 am (30 min)	<u>Staff Time</u> 9:08 — (Baker, Meese, Deaver)	Oval Office
9:30 am (15 min)	<u>National Security Briefing</u> — BUSH, CLARK, McFARLANE, GREGORY — 9:34 — 9:45	Oval Office
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11:00 am (15 min)	Meeting with Sen. Nancy Kassebaum (William P. Clark) 11:05-11:25 (distributed separately)	Oval Office
11:30 am (10 min)	Greet VFW National Commander and Voice of Democracy Scholarship Program Winners (Elizabeth Dole) — 11:40 (Tab A)	<del>Rose Garden</del> STATE DINING Rm.
11:45 am (5 min)	Photo with Poster Children for National Arthritis Month 11:50-11:58 (Elizabeth Dole) (Tab B)	Oval Office
12:00 m (90 min)	<u>Lunch and Personal Staff Time</u> —	Oval Office
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WEDNESDAY, March 31, 1982 -- 10:30 a.m. -- Oval Office

MEETING WITH THE PRESIDENT

Participants:

Eugene Rostow  
Paul Nitze

Secretary Haig  
William P. Clark

## THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

MEETING WITH OFFICIAL ELECTION OBSERVERS  
DELEGATION - EL SALVADOR

DATE: Wednesday, March 31, 1982

LOCATION: The Oval Office

TIME: 11:00 A.M.

FROM: WILLIAM P. CLARK

I. PURPOSE

To thank Senator Kassebaum and the members of the official delegation for their efforts; continue the favorable momentum generated by the successful conduct of the elections.

II. BACKGROUND

Senator Kassebaum and the delegation accepted the onerous task of being the official U.S. observers to the elections in El Salvador held on March 28. The elections were characterized by a massive turnout of the electorate and a genuine step forward in the democratic process.

III. PARTICIPANTS

- ✓ Senator Nancy Kassebaum
- ✓ Congressman Robert Livingston
- ✓ Congressman John Murtha
- ✓ Father Theodore Hesburgh, President of Notre Dame University  
(Has returned to Notre Dame, attendance not yet confirmed)
- ✓ Mr. Richard Scammon, Election Expert *analyst*
- ✓ Mr. Howard Penniman, Election Expert (AEI)
- ✓ Alexander Haig, Secretary of State
- ✓ Mr. Thomas Enders, Assistant Secretary of State
- ✓ Mr. Everett E. Briggs, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State
- ✓ Mr. Jeremiah O'Leary, Special Assistant to William P. Clark

IV. PRESS PLAN

After the visit in Oval Office, delegation will depart and have media opportunity outside West Lobby.