

The background of the image is a stylized American flag with red and white stripes and a blue field with white stars. Overlaid on the flag are three dark silhouettes: a soldier in full combat gear on the left, a dog on a leash in the center, and a child on the right. The silhouettes are positioned behind the main text.

# HOSTING A HERO

**For a Holiday with Remember Our Military**

# Host Expectations:

- **Kindness Matters:** Everyone benefits when we are kind
- **Be Respectful:** Welcome them to a relaxed atmosphere that reminds them of home.
- **Pets:** If your hero is allergic or afraid, please make accommodations for your pet not to be too close.
- **Dietary Restrictions:** Please ask your Hero if they have any dietary restrictions.
- **Alcohol:** Our heroes will **NOT** participate in the consumption of alcohol.
- **Politics:** Please do not engage in political conversations.
- **Diversity and Inclusion:** Please be mindful that everyone comes from a diverse background so please remain inclusive and respectful.



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- **Be Respectful: Be mindful of their house rules.**
- **Time Expectations: If your host has given you a time frame to abide by, please respect their set hours.**
- **Dietary Restrictions: If you have a dietary restrictions, please inform your Host in advance of your arrival.**
- **Alcohol: You are not allowed to partake in consumption of alcohol.**
- **Politics: Please do not engage in political conversations.**
- **Diversity and Inclusion: Please be mindful that everyone comes from a diverse background so please remain inclusive and respectful.**

# Transportation

This is our first year running Host Our Heroes, please be patient as we continue to make sure that we have appropriate transportation. We are diligently working on making sure everyone has a ride, is on time, and is where they need to be for the holiday.



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# Spread the Word

If you are a host or hero and do not mind sharing your experience please let us know! Feel free to take pictures of your time with each other and use the hashtags #hostourheroes #22istoomany

If you are willing to be featured on our website please contact Shawn Bertholf a: [shawn.m.bertholf@rememberourmilitary.com](mailto:shawn.m.bertholf@rememberourmilitary.com)

# Troubleshooting Day of Event

Remember Our Military is off to a new start with Hosting Our Heroes so if you have a pressing matter during the day of your scheduled time to either Host a Hero or are a Hero who needs assistance, please contact Shawn Bertholf or Janice Whited via text.

They will call you as soon as they are able to respond to assist.

**Shawn Bertholf: (215) 906- 3994**

**Janice Whited: (325) 450-5009**

# Covid-19

We all are suffering from Covid-19 fatigue and long to return to normal. We pray that is sooner rather than later, but until then we must respect the risks of hosting a guest or visiting a home.

If you have a high-risk family member, an open seat at your holiday table, and a heart big enough to host a guest, please don't this year. Your health and safety and the health and safety of your loved ones come first.

If you are willing to host a guest let them know what your house rules are. Our founder lives in New York City and rides in elevators and the subway. They have no house rules. Others on our TEAM are far more careful, in part because their routine exposure to Covid-19 is far lower, more controlled.

**We are operating under the assumption that all who participate in this expression of gratitude are fully vaccinated. No one will be offended if you ask their vaccination status or for their vaccine card, military ID, or driver's license in advance via email and again in person. If they are, refer them to our founder.**

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The image features a background of the American flag, with the stars and stripes clearly visible. In the foreground, the silhouettes of three people are shown holding the flag. The person on the left is holding the top edge, the person in the middle is holding the bottom edge, and the person on the right is holding the flagpole. The text is overlaid in the center of the image.

**THANK YOU  
FOR  
MAKING  
A DIFFERENCE  
IN A  
HERO'S LIFE**