

MONDAY, JUNE 15, 2026

9:00am – 10:00am	Check in & Packet Pick-up (breakfast snacks provided)	Airport Hotel
10:00am – 10:30am	NMRECA - Introductions, Code of Conduct, and Orientation	
10:30am – 11:15am	Shuttles to ABQ International Airport	
12:34pm (flight 1)	Depart United Airlines Flight #3441 to Washington, DC (IAD) 8 Delegates and 2 Chaperones	Albuquerque, NM
1:33pm (flight 2)	Depart United Airlines Flight #2254 to Washington, DC (IAD) 42 Delegates and 3 Chaperones	Albuquerque, NM
Arrive 4:49pm (flight 1)	Layover in Chicago – Depart 6:12pm	Chicago, IL
Arrive 3:03pm (flight 2)	Layover in Denver – Depart 3:50pm	Denver, CO
9:22pm (flights 1&2)	Arrive at IAD, Claim Luggage, Load Shuttle	Dulles, VA
9:50pm	Shuttle from IAD to Gaylord National Resort (Tour guide to pick up bus pass & room keys prior to arrival)	National Harbor, MD
	Dinner TBD (boxed on shuttle, airplane, or at airport)	
10:15pm	Room Assignments and Check-In	
10:45pm	Room Checks and Lights Out	

TUESDAY, JUNE 16, 2026

6:30am - 7:00am	Wake Up Calls	National Harbor, MD
8:00am - 8:30am	Breakfast - Potomac District Cafe & Market	
8:30am	NRECA Youth Tour Greeting – Wrist Bands and App Check-In	
8:45am	Load Shuttle - Depart to Monument Tour	
9:15am	Jefferson, Franklin D. Roosevelt, MLK Jr. Memorials	Washington, DC
12:00pm	Load Shuttle - Depart to Lunch	
12:15pm	Scatter Lunch - \$20.00 Cash Each (Potomac Yard area)	
1:15pm	Load Shuttle – Depart to Mount Vernon	
2:00pm	Mount Vernon, Washington’s Home, Plantation, and Grounds	Arlington, VA
3:45pm	Load Shuttle - Depart to World War II Memorial	
4:15pm	World War II Memorial	
4:40pm	YLC Candidate Presentations (shaded area near memorial)	
5:10pm	Load Shuttle - Depart for Sunset Parade	
6:00pm	Boxed Dinner at Sunset Parade	
7:00pm	Sunset Parade at USMC Marine Corps War Memorial	
8:15pm	Load Shuttle - Depart to Gaylord National Resort	
8:45pm	Youth Tour Camp Coop (store, game room) or Down Time	National Harbor, MD
10:00pm	Room Checks and Lights Out	

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 17, 2026

6:00am - 6:30am	Wake Up Calls	National Harbor, MD
7:00am - 8:00am	NRECA Coop101: Advocacy in Action – Capitol Hill Prep	
8:00am - 8:45am	Breakfast - Potomac District Cafe & Market	
8:45am	Load Shuttle - Depart to Lafayette Square	
9:15am	Lafayette Square & White House	Washington, DC
9:45am	Load Shuttle to Holocaust Museum	
10:00am	Holocaust Museum	
12:15pm	Lunch on the National Mall - \$20.00 Cash Each	
	Museum Drop Offs	
	Free Range: Time to Visit Smithsonian Museums on the National Mall	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • National Museum of African American History <i>(time entry 2:15pm)</i> • National Museum of American History • Hirshhorn Museum & Sculpture Garden • National Museum of the American Indian • National Museum of Natural History • American Art Museum & Renwick Gallery • National Museum of Asian Art • National Portrait Gallery • National Air and Space Museum <i>(time entry 1:00pm)</i> • Many more museums on/near National Mall <i>(some require admission fee)</i> 	
3:45pm	Load Shuttle - Depart to Gaylord to Change Clothes	National Harbor, MD
5:15pm	Load Shuttle - Depart to Wharf DC Pier 4 (Maine Ave. SW)	Washington, DC
6:15pm - 9:30pm	Board Potomac River Cruise – Includes Dinner & Dance	
9:30pm	Load Shuttle – Depart to Gaylord National Resort	
10:00pm	Room Checks and Lights Out	National Harbor, MD

THURSDAY, JUNE 18, 2026

6:30am - 7:00am	Wake Up Calls	National Harbor, MD
7:30am - 8:00am	Breakfast - Potomac District Cafe & Market	
8:00am	Load Shuttle - Depart to Lincoln, Korean War Veterans, Vietnam Veterans Memorials	
8:30am	Lincoln, Korean War Veterans, Vietnam Veterans Memorials	
9:45am	Load Shuttle – National Archives	
10:00am	National Archives then WALK to Carmines	
11:15am	Lunch at Carmine’s Italian Restaurant	Washington, DC
12:20pm	Load Shuttle – Depart to Arlington National Cemetery	
12:40pm	Arlington National Cemetery (Check-In with Security at Gate and Load Trolley) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kennedy Family Gravesite • Check-In with Tomb Guards, Sentinels • Wreath Laying Ceremony at the Tomb of the Unknowns • Arlington House – Robert E. Lee Memorial 	Arlington, VA
1:15pm	Wreath Laying Ceremony	

2:00pm	Load Shuttle – Depart to Washington Monument	
2:30pm	Washington Monument Tour TBD	
4:00pm	Load Shuttle - Depart to Gaylord National Resort	
5:30pm	NRECA Youth Day Dinner	National Harbor, MD
7:30pm	NRECA Youth Day Event	
10:00pm	Room Checks and Lights Out	

FRIDAY, JUNE 19, 2026

6:30am - 7:00am	Wake Up Calls	National Harbor, MD
7:30am - 8:00am	Breakfast - Potomac District Cafe & Market	
8:00am	Load Shuttle - Depart to US Capitol Building	
8:30am	U.S. Capitol Building - Youth Tour Delegate Photos	Washington, DC
10:30am TBD	<p>Group Appointments New Mexico Congressional Delegation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Senator Martin Heinrich 709 Hart Senate Office Building, 202-224-5521 • Senator Ben Ray Lujan 498 Russell Senate Office Building, 202-224-6621 • Congresswoman Melanie Stansbury 1421 Longworth House Office Building, 202-225-6316 • Congressman Gabe Vasquez 1517 Longworth House Office Building, 202-225-2365 • Congresswoman Teresa Leger Fernandez 1510 Longworth House Office Building, 202-225-6190 	
12:30pm	Lunch - U.S. Capitol Café - \$20.00 Cash Each	
1:30pm	U.S. Capitol Building Tour (No food or drink)	
3:00pm	Change Clothes – Load Shuttle to Ford’s Theater	
3:30pm	Ford's Theatre & Peterson House Optional – Souvenir Shopping	
5:30pm	Dinner - Hard Rock Café	
6:30pm	Load Shuttle - Depart to Gaylord National Resort	
7:00pm	NRECA Coop Connections Fair - Dance and Down Time Optional – National Harbor Tour (Ferris wheel)	National Harbor, MD
10:30pm	Room Checks and Lights Out	

SATURDAY, JUNE 20, 2026

4:45am - 5:00am	Wake Up Calls	National Harbor, MD
5:20am	Hotel Check Out and Load Luggage on Shuttle	
	Breakfast (boxed burritos from Potomac or at airport)	
5:30am	Load Shuttle - Depart to Washington Dulles International Airport (IAD)	
6:15am	Arrive at IAD, Check Luggage, and TSA Security Screening	Dulles, VA
8:15am (EST)	Depart United Airlines Flight #2768	
Arrive 10:10am (MST)	Layover in Denver – Depart 11:15am	

12:37pm (MST)	Arrive ABQ and Collect Luggage	Albuquerque, NM
1:00pm	Release Youth Tour Delegates to Family Members and Coop Chaperones	

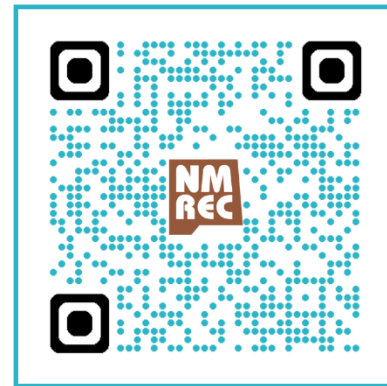
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

We will provide each Youth Tour delegate with a Youth Tour drawstring bag, a Youth Tour name badge and lanyard with New Mexico trading pins, a Youth Tour polo shirt, three Youth Tour t-shirts to be worn on specific days.

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YOUTH TOUR WEBSITE QR CODE



Gaylord National Resort & Convention Center

201 Waterfront St, National Harbor, MD 20745
 (301) 965-4000

DRESS CODE		
Casual	Business Casual	Business Professional
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tops – NMREC provided t-shirts, casual tops, t-shirts (no slogans), polo shirts, casual blouses (no spaghetti strap tank tops) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tops – collared shirts, button downs or polos, blouses, dress tops, sweaters, dresses (no t-shirts or spaghetti strap tank tops) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Suits – matching jackets and pants, collared dress shirt, ties • Pantsuit or skirt suit – matching bottom and jacket with dress shirt or blouse
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bottoms – cargo, khaki or Bermuda shorts (no basketball or workout shorts), short or long skirts, skorts, jeans (no holes), capris, joggers, leggings 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bottoms – slacks, chinos, khakis, short or long skirts, skorts, capris (no jeans) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dresses – professional length (knee length or longer), often paired with blazer or cardigan
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Other – sundresses, cardigans, jackets, zippered hoodies 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Optional Layer – cardigans, blazers or sport coats 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Optional – dress vest, belts, jewelry • No t-shirts, no jeans
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Shoes – casual high or low top sneakers, sandals, boots 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Shoes – low top sneakers, flats, loafers, dress shoes, dress sandals, boots 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Shoes – low top sneakers, flats, loafers, dress shoes, dress sandals, boots
<p>NO HEELS! Comfortable shoes are of the utmost importance. Please try to break in new shoes prior to the trip. Pack extra shoes in case one pair is not as comfortable as expected. Shoes are the most important part of the dress code, but are the least important part of the attire (i.e. if they are comfortable – wear them for any function)</p>		
<p>No pajama bottoms, sweatpants, workout shorts, inappropriate language/logos, torn or tattered, dirty, inappropriate length or revealing clothing allowed. If a chaperone does not approve of your clothing, you will be asked to change.</p>		