VFW National Home

The VFW National Home is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization (EIN 38-1359597) that was established in 1925 and located in Eaton Rapids, Michigan. Their tranquil 80-acre neighborhood is home to tree-lined streets that connect 42 single-family homes with facilities consisting of a gym, library, computer and science labs, playgrounds, fishing pond, hiking trails, and more. It is a place that provides children and families with a safe and comforting place to live through a crisis by volunteers and professional staff members.

For those seeking assistance, the Military and Family Helpline is 800-313-4200. Phones are answered by experienced problem-solvers who can provide the knowledge, contacts, and connections that families need.

The VFW National Home provides free housing and professional case management services for deserving military and veteran families for up to four years, along with educational, recreational and enrichment opportunities. It is a place where Veterans and their families can rebound from a time of crisis while living at the National Home and learn how to rebuild their lives. Whether the crisis is triggered by financial problems or by the lingering effects of wartime service such as post-traumatic stress, their warm and welcoming community helps the entire family to heal. The National Home community is also open to members of the VFW and its Auxiliary, as well as their descendants.

Our Post and other Posts throughout the world help support the National Home via donations and purchasing a life membership for deserving members. Others, whether they belong to the VFW or not, also donate and sign-up for life membership that costs only \$50.00. For routine information including membership, their phone number is 517-663-1521.

Attached you will find members, some of whom are deceased, that are affiliated with our Post 5985 and the Posts that no longer exist since they have consolidated with our Post.