

# D.O.V.E. Fund Vietnam Trip-2024 Itinerary

## Updated: February 7<sup>th</sup>, 2024 – Rev 1.11

### March 1-Friday

- Arrivals

Traveler(s)	Total	Flight Info	Arrival Date/Time
Dan Gregg and Linda McConville	2	UA 7913	3/1 – 12:15 AM
Fred and Jill Grimm	2	QR 788	3/1 – 7:15 AM
Joel and Judith Gardiner	2	QR 788	3/1 – 7:15 AM

- Hotel – Saigon Continental – (3 Double / 0 Single, 6 Guest)

### March 2-Saturday

- Arrivals

Traveler(s)	Total	Flight Info	Arrival Date/Time
Gregory Fess	1	Delta 2741	3/2 – 10:00 AM
Steve and Lisa Sczesny	2	Delta 0197	3/2 – 9:45 PM
Kirk and Ann Febus	2	Korean Air 3945	3/2 – 9:45 PM
Dianne Van Voorhis	1 *	EVA Air	3/2 – 10:00 PM

- Hotel – Saigon Continental – (5 Double / 1 Single, 11 Guest)

\* Room Reservations made by Dianne – Not Included in Room/Guest Counts

### March 3-Sunday

- Van – Abbey Group (10) Pickup at Airport – 11:30 PM
- Arrivals

Traveler(s)	Total	Flight Info	Arrival Date/Time
John and Julie Abbey	2	Delta 0159	3/3 – 11:20 PM
Bonnie Oswald	1	Delta 0159	3/3 – 11:20 PM
Dennis and Jan Metzger	2	Delta 0159	3/3 – 11:20 PM
Michele Free	1	Delta 0159	3/3 – 11:20 PM
Debora Peters/ Barbara Metcalf	2	Delta 0159	3/3 – 11:20 PM
Bonnie Coyle	1	Delta 0159	3/3 – 11:20 PM
Sylvia Washburn	1	Delta 0159	3/3 – 11:20 PM
Robert and Robert Yaap Jr	2	VN 0650	3/3 – 2:45 PM
Elizabeth Yaap	1	VN 0650	3/3 – 2:45 PM
Thomas and Barbara Ames	2	American 2283	3/3 – 1:10 PM
Do and Theresa Nguyen	2		Feb 19 <sup>th</sup> , 2024

- Hotel – Saigon Continental – (11 Double / 6 Single, 28 Guest)

### March 4-Monday

- Arrivals

Traveler(s)	Total	Flight Info	Arrival Date/Time
Timothy and Constance O'Connell	2	Angkor Air 808	3/4 – 11:10 AM

- Explore Saigon on your own time
- Hung, Do, Dan, Dianne will travel to Vung Tau for a day trip
- 4:30 PM – Trip Launch Meeting – At Hotel – Location TBD
- 6:00 PM – Vespa Food Tour of Saigon at Night (ViaTour)
  - Grimm's are organizing this evening tour
- Hotel – Saigon Continental – (12 Double / 6 Single, 30 Guest)

### March 5-Tuesday

- Explore Saigon on your own time
- 5:30 – Charter Bus to Ho Chi Minh City – University of Technology
  - 6:00 PM – Dinner at HCMCUT
- Hotel – Saigon Continental – (12 Double / 6 Single, 30 Guest)

### March 6-Wednesday

- 6:00 AM – All Luggage and Travelers in Hotel Lobby
- 6:30 AM – Departure for airport – Charter bus transport
  - 8:45 – Flight Departs on Vietnam Air #6210
- 10:30 AM – Travel by vans directly to visit Quang Tri Projects
- 12:00 PM – 3:00 PM – Lunch with Hai Lang High School D.O.V.E. Fund Scholars and presentation of Scholarships with Students – Social Time to follow
- 3:30 PM – 4:00 PM – Distribution of Glasses at school in Hai Lang District
- 5:00 PM – Check into hotel in Dong Ha, and Relax
- Group Dinner – Time and Location to be arranged
- Good day to send out Laundry
- Hotel – Sai Gon Dong Ha – Dong Ha – (12 Double / 6 Single, 30 Guest)

## March 7-Thursday

- Group's A and B to be identified in the morning
  
- 7:30 AM – Meet in the Hotel Lobby for days traveling
- 8:00 AM – 9:00 AM – Entire Delegation dedicates the Trung Hai Kitchen Project
  
- Delegation splits into Group A and Group B
- Group A
  - 9:15 AM – 10:00 AM – Visit DMZ School – Dave Ryerson School
  - 10:00 AM – 10:30 – Visit DMZ site near the school
  - 10:45 AM – 11:45 AM – Visit Gio Chau ELS (Dining area Project)
  - 12:00 PM – 1:30 PM – Lunch at Gio Chau ELS (Prepared by Gio Chau ELS)
  - 2:00 PM – 3:00 PM – Visit Phong Binh ELS (Computer Project)
  - 3:30 PM – 16:30 PM – Dedication Trung Giang ELS (Boeing Project)
  
- Group B
  - 9:45 AM – 10:30 AM – Visit DoFA, Sign Memorandum of Understanding
  - 11:00 AM – 12:00 PM – Scholarship Program in Quang Tri High School
  - 12:30 PM – 1:30 PM – Lunch at Quang Tri (Prepared by the Quang Tri High School)
  - 2:00 PM – 2:45 PM – Trieu Giang Elementary Schol (Latrines)
  - 3:00 PM – 4:00 PM – Dedicate Trieu Long Day Care Center
  
- Hotel – Saigon Dong Ha – Dong Ha – (12 Double / 6 Single, 30 Guest)

## March 8-Friday

- 7:00 AM – Check out of Hotel – Luggage in Lobby to be loaded into vans
- 7:45 AM – Meet in the Hotel Lobby for days traveling
  
- 8:30 AM – 9:30 AM – Dedicate Trieu Phuoc Daycare Center
- 10:00 AM – 11:00 AM – Visit Dai Hao Kitchen
- 11:30 AM – 1:00 PM – Lunch at Ai Tu Township
- 1:30 PM – 2:00 PM – Visit Trieu Phong District Hospital
- 2:15 PM – 3:00 PM – Visit Trieu Phong Blind Association
- 3:40 PM – 4:30 PM – Visit Hai Truong Water Tower and Hai Truong Daycare Center
- Group Dinner – Location and Time to be determined
  
- Hotel – Saigon Morin – Hue – (12 Double / 6 Single, 30 Guest)

### **March 9-Saturday**

- Dianne Van Voorhis – To Hoi An by Car
- 8:00 AM – 9:00 AM – Visit Phu An (Dodie Gaines School) computer Project
- Explore Hue – Reminder of the Day is for you to enjoy Hue
  
- Hotel – Saigon Morin – Hue – (12 Double / 6 Single, 30 Guest)

### **March 10-Sunday**

- 7:30 AM – 10:00 AM – Travel to A Luoi
- 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM – Meeting with A Luoi Medical Director and Agent Orange Association (Part of AO Project).
  - Visit about five (5) Agent Orange Families in A NGO
  - View Potential Future Projects
  
- 12:00 PM – 1:30 PM – Lunch in A Luoi
- 1:30 PM – 4:00 PM – Main Group Travel to Hue
  - Relax and enjoy Hue – No formal group activities
  
- 1:30 PM – 7:00 PM – Small group to visit Hong Bac's Commune
  
- Hotel – Saigon Morin – (12 Double / 6 Single, 30 Guest)

### **March 11-Monday**

- 7:00 AM – Meet in Lobby for daily activities
- 8:00 AM – 11:00 AM – Visit Eye Care Project in Nam Dong District
- 11:00 AM – 1:00 PM – Lunch at the Hotel or outside restaurants
- 1:30 PM – 3:00 PM – Hand Washing Station Program in Huong Tra Tay Xuan kindergarten in afternoon
  
- 3:00 PM – 4:30 PM – Small Group to Visit Hue Central Hospital and have meeting Doctor and Program Manager of Cancer Department
  
- Explore Hue in evening
  
- Hotel – Saigon Morin – (12 Double / 6 Single, 30 Guest)

### **March 12-Tuesday**

- 7:00 AM – Meet in Lobby for project visits
- 7:30 AM – 9:00 AM – Visit Hue Social Center projects
- 9:00 AM – 10:00 AM – Visit Microfinance projects in Quang Phu commune, Quang Dien district.
  
- 11:00 AM – All Travelers check out of the hotel – Luggage in Van
- 11:30 AM – Group Travels to Hoi An by Van
- 1:30 PM – Arrive in Hoi An and check into hotel
  
- 6:00 PM – Group Dinner – Cargo Club / Good Morning Vietnam
- Hotel – Bel River Marina Resort – Hoi An – (10 Double / 6 Single, 26 Guest)
  
- Dan/Linda/Do/Theresa to Hanoi – Vietnam Air #0140 – 10:00 AM
  
- Hotel – Hanoi – (2 Double / 0 Single, 4 Guest)

### **March 13-Wednesday**

- Explore Hoi An/Da Nang
- Yaap Jr to Da Nang, Leaving the Group
- 6:00 PM – Group Dinner – Location to be selected once in Hoi An
  
- Hotel – Bel River Marina Resort – Hoi An – (10 Double / 5 Single, 25 Guest)
- Hotel – Hanoi – (2 Double / 0 Single, 4 Guest)

### **March 14-Thursday**

- Dan/Linda/Do/Theresa return from Hanoi
- Dan/Linda/Do/Theresa from Hanoi – VN#0173 – Depart 2:00 PM
- Explore Hoi An/Da Nang
  
- Hotel – Bel River Marina Resort – Hoi An (12 Double / 5 Single, 29 Guest)

### **March 15-Friday**

- Very early hotel departure – (~5:00AM) via charter coach
- Fly to Nha Trang out of Da Nang airport – Vietnam Air flight #1947 Departs at 7:00 AM Only Flight of the day
- Relax, Take a nap by the pool or on the beach
  
- Hotel – Anam Resort – Nha Trang – Hoi An – (12 Double / 5 Single, 29 Guest)

### **March 16-Saturday**

- Explore Nha Trang
  
- Hotel – Anam Resort – Nha Trang – (12 Double / 5 Single, 29 Guest)

### March 17-Sunday

- 9:00 AM – Abbey Group (8) departs by van to Quy Nhon
  - Abbey – (2)
  - Oswald – (1)
  - Coyle – (1)
  - Metcalf/Peters – (2)
  - Sczesny – (2)
- Hotel – Fleur De Lys – (3 Double / 2 Single, 8 Guest)
- Enjoy Nha Trang – Anam Resort Area
- Hotel – Anam Resort – (9 Double / 3 Single, 21 Guest)

### March 18-Monday

- Groups begins travel home/beyond via Saigon/Hanoi/Da Nang
- Group to Hanoi – Flight on VietJet 774 – Departs 9:00 AM
  - O’Connell – (2)
  - Febus – (2)
- Group to Hanoi – VN#1552 – Departs 12:35 PM – Arrival 2:35 PM
  - Grimm – (2)
  - Gardiner – (2)
  - Yaap – (2)
  - Ames – (2)
  - Free – (1)
  - Washburn – (1)
- Group to Hanoi – VN#1622 – Departs 1:40 PM – Arrives 3:20 PM
  - Abbey – (2)
  - Oswald – (1)
  - Coyle – (1)
  - Metcalf/Peters – (2)
  - Sczesny – (2)
- Hotel – Silk Path – (5 Double / 0 Single, 10 Guest)
  - Grimms – (2)
  - Gardiner – (2)
  - Yaap – (2) – Two beds in Room
  - Ames – (2)
  - O’Connell – (2)

### March 18-Monday (Cont.)

- Hotel – Anatole – (3 Double / 4 Single, 10 Guest)
  - Abbey – (2)
  - Oswald – (1)
  - Free – (1)
  - Washburn – (1)
  - Coyle – (1)
  - Metcalf/Peters – (2)
  - Sczesny – (2)
  
- Group to Saigon – **VN#0173 – Departs 2:40 PM – Need confirmation**
  - Metzger – (2)
  - Fess – (1)
  - Nguyen – (2)
  
- Hotel in Saigon – Continental – (1 Double / 1 Single, 3 Guest)
  - Metzger – (2)
  - Fess – (1)

### March 19-Tuesday

- Hotel – Silk Path – (3 Double / 0 Single, 6 Guest)
  - Gardiner – (2)
  - Ames – (2)
  - Yaap – (2) – **Two beds in Room**
  
- Hotel – Continental – (0 Double / 1 Single, 1 Guest)
  - Fess – (1)
  
- Mon Cheri Cruise Ship – No Hotel Rooms Needed
  - Grimm (2)
  - Gardiner – (2)
  - Ames – (2)
  - Yaap – (2)

### March 20-Wednesday

- Hotel – Silk Path – (5 Double / 0 Single, 10 Guest)
  - Grimms – (2)
  - O’Connell – (2)
  - Gardiner – (2)
  - Yaap – (2) – **Two beds in Room**
  - Ames – (2)

### **March 21-Thursday**

- Hotel – Silk Path – (2 Double / 0 Single, 4 Guest)
  - Yaap – (2) – Two beds in Room
  - Ames – (2)
- No Hotel needed in Ninh Binh
  - Grimms – (2)

### **March 22-Friday**

- Hotel – Silk Path – (2 Double / 0 Single, 4 Guest)
  - Yaap – (2) – Two beds in Room
  - Ames – (2)

### **March 23-Saturday**

- Hotel – Silk Path – (1 Double / 0 Single, 2 Guest)
  - Grimms – (2)

### **March 24-Sunday**

- Hotel – Silk Path – (1 Double / 0 Single, 2 Guest)
  - Grimms – (2)