

ACADEMY FAMILY TRAVEL

Class of 2028 2/C Parents' Weekend

Detailed family itinerary | September 3-7, 2026

TIME	OFFICIAL EVENT / FAMILY PLAN	AGENDA TIP
Official weekend	Friday, September 4 - Sunday, September 6	Confirmed by USNA.
Practical stay	Thursday, September 3 - Monday, September 7	Protect Friday morning and Sunday evening.
Football	Navy vs. Towson Saturday, September 5	Kickoff listed at 3:30 p.m.

Open the live Academy Family Travel guide

Hotel strategy, agenda tips, and current source links.

Request guidance through Fora

Share dates, travelers, room needs, budget, and game plans.

FRIDAY

Classes, briefings, rooms, and parade

Arrive Thursday. Midshipmen attend classes from 7:45 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

TIME	OFFICIAL EVENT / FAMILY PLAN	AGENDA TIP
6:00 a.m.-10:00 p.m.	Official: Stadium shuttle listed.	Confirm stops and day-of operation.
9:55-10:30 a.m.	Official: Superintendent's welcome.	Avoid a Friday morning arrival.
10:30-10:45 a.m.	Official: Service-assignment brief.	Keep the morning unscheduled.
11:55 a.m.-12:30 p.m.	Official: Formation and King Hall lunch.	\$7.10 guest ticket purchased by MIDN.
12:30-3:30 p.m.	Official: Room visits.	Follow company directions.
12:40 / 1:40 p.m.	Official: Two ring Q&A; sessions.	Choose one; they overlap room visits.
4:10 p.m.	Official: Formal parade.	Allow walking time; verify weather.
7:00 / 7:15 p.m.	Official: Band concert / Shabbat.	Choose intentionally; they overlap.
11:59 p.m.	Official: Listed 2/C expiration without overnight.	Verify actual MIDN status.

Official 2/C schedule

Primary source for times, locations, liberty, shuttles, and changes.

SATURDAY

March-On and Navy-Towson

The fixed family deadline is the 2:00 p.m. return before football movement.

TIME	OFFICIAL EVENT / FAMILY PLAN	AGENDA TIP
8:00 a.m.	Official: Liberty begins.	Keep breakfast flexible and nearby.
8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.	Suggested: Breakfast, family time, early lunch.	Do not plan a distant activity.
By 1:15 p.m.	Suggested: Begin return plan.	All MIDN liberty expires at 2:00.
2:15 / 2:30 p.m.	Official: Formation / March-On step-off.	Family follows confirmed entry plan.
3:30 p.m.	Official: Navy vs. Towson kickoff.	Tickets and parking are separate.
After Blue and Gold	Official: Liberty resumes.	Keep dinner timing flexible.
11:59 p.m.	Official: Listed 2/C expiration without overnight.	Verify actual MIDN status.

Optional activity guardrails

- Choose one short, nearby option only if your MIDN wants it.
- Confirm duration, mobility, weather, transportation, and cancellation terms.
- Finish early enough to eat and return without rushing.

Browse Academy Family Travel's Viator suggestions

Optional and separately booked; live supplier terms control.

SUNDAY AND MONDAY

Protect the final family day

Sunday liberty is listed through 8:00 p.m.; Monday travel avoids an early goodbye.

TIME	OFFICIAL EVENT / FAMILY PLAN	AGENDA TIP
8:00 a.m.	Official: Liberty begins.	Confirm pickup and meeting point.
9:00 / 11:00 a.m.	Official: Worship services listed.	Verify service and location.
8:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m.	Suggested: Food, rest, photos, family time.	Let your MIDN set the pace.
By 7:00 p.m.	Suggested: Begin final return plan.	Listed expiration is 8:00 p.m.
Monday morning	Hotel checkout and departure.	A Monday flight protects Sunday.

Hotel and family checklist

- Reserve September 3-7 when practical.
- Confirm bedding, occupancy, parking, deposit, and cancellation deadline.
- Confirm game tickets, stadium entry, transportation, and every traveler.
- Use one decision-maker and one current itinerary.

Start the secure Fora trip inquiry
Request hotel research and a coordinated family plan.

SOURCES AND RESPONSIBILITY

Verify before you travel

Weather, security, military requirements, and later USNA updates can change the plan.

Official 2026 event page

USNA source confirming September 4-6, 2026.

Official schedule of events

Primary agenda and liberty source.

Academy Family Travel 2/C guide

Independent lodging and coordination guidance.

Contact Academy Family Travel through Fora

Use the existing secure trip inquiry.

Responsibility split

- **Fora:** eligible hotel booking, secure authorization, itinerary tools, and price-drop alerts.
- **Advisor:** hotel comparison, cancellation review, traveler coordination, and itinerary updates.
- **Family:** USNA instructions, access, tickets, liberty status, final decisions, and timely return.
- **Separate:** football tickets, parking, stadium entry, and third-party activities.

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