

REENACTMENT REGISTRATION, RULES, & REGULATIONS

REGISTRATION:

1. Adults - \$5.00, Ages 7-15 - \$2.50, Ages 7 & under free.
2. Registration will open Friday at noon and remain open until 10:00pm.
3. Registration will re-open Saturday morning at 7am and remain open until 11:00am.
4. Registration will be in front of the visitor's center.
5. No cars or trailers will be allowed on site. They will be parked in the Reenactor Parking Area. **PLEASE DO NOT BLOCK ANY GATES.**
6. Sutlers will be allowed to drive on site, but cars will not be allowed to stay. Cars must be off site once unloaded and before 9am Saturday. Sutlers will be allowed to camp by their sutlery in period tents, only. **NO RVs, ETC.**
7. **NO MODERN CAMPING AT ALL.**

RULES & REGULATIONS:

1. **NO ALCOHOL OR ILLEGAL DRUGS. THIS WILL NOT BE TOLERATED.**
2. All's quiet in camp at midnight. Noise must be kept to a minimum between 12 midnight and reveille – **DRUNKENNESS WILL NOT BE TOLERATED.**
3. Due to space limitations, campaign style camping is preferred but not required. There will be a limited amount of camp space available to military and civilians. Camp in your designated areas only.
4. No modern items will be visible to the public, including modern food containers/wrappers. If you want to have a cooler, keep it in your car or hidden in your tent.
5. No modern glasses, shoes, watches, or any other item of clothing will be allowed.
6. All participants of the event (military, artillery, and civilians) will be pre-registered. **NO WALK ONS ALLOWED**
7. All participants portraying specific individuals must get prior approval from the event staff. This includes Lee, Grant, Davis, Lincoln, women of ill-repute, etc.
8. Unit Commanders will be held responsible for actions of their troops, both on and off the field.
9. All civilians will comply with the civilian coordinator on site.
10. Period dress will be worn from 7 a.m. Saturday morning until the battle on Sunday.
11. Camps will be inspected by Provost Marshals.
12. Sod from the pits must be rolled back when dug and then replaced after breaking camp. Do not use pits as trash dumps.
13. Place all garbage/trash in bags and leave them with the staff for disposal.
14. No one under the age of 16 may carry a weapon onto the battlefield or in any tactical unless they are at least 14 years of age and part of a formalized program (i.e. Venture Crew Scouts.) If you do not meet these requirements, then you **WILL NOT** be able to participate as a soldier on the battlefield.
15. **DO NOT AT ANY TIME FEED, INTERFERE WITH, TAUNT, OR OTHERWISE DISTURB THE ANIMALS ON THIS PLANTATION. You**

and/or your dependants will be held liable for provoking and/or endangering said animals. Latta will not be held responsible for injury caused by animals.

DUTIES:

1. Unit Commanders will:
 - Make sure unit members are properly registered for the event. If a member shows up at night after registration closes, please check-in in the morning.
 - Ensure unit members are aware of all rules and regulations.
 - Organize and supervise the execution of firearms safety briefings and inspections for all unit members before attending a combat scenario.

2. All event participants will:
 - Be familiar and comply with contents of these rules and regulations.
 - Comply with directions of Unit Commanders and Latta Staff in matters pertaining to event rules and regulations.
 - Ensure they attend unit firearms inspections prior to taking part in any combat scenario.
 - Enact battles with good judgment and safety.

WEAPONS:

1. By approved ordinance, NO live ammunition will be allowed in any camps, on the battle areas, or at the tactical.
2. Edged weapons and bayonets may be carried, but unsheathed only after approval of event host commander.
3. Ramrods may be carried, but are never drawn except by personnel in the performance of their duties. Ramrods may also be drawn during safety inspections of arms prior to each firing of rifles.
4. Only period weapons fitting your impression will be allowed.
5. Infantry may carry 3 band or 2 band rifles. Only officers will carry swords and revolvers. Artillery may not have scale pieces.
6. Powder must be carried at all times in pre-rolled cartridges. No penny wrappers, staples, tape, or aluminum foil allowed for small arms.
7. No more than allotted black powder grains per weapon.
8. Full Safety Inspections will occur before taking the field each day of battle. No exceptions. No firing of weapons in camp... see Event Commander or designee ONLY for any exceptions.
9. No one under the age of 16 may carry a weapon onto the battlefield or in any tactical unless they are at least 14 years of age and part of a formalized program (ex. Venture Crew Scouts.)
10. No antique weapons are allowed on the battlefield.

MISCELLANEOUS:

1. Children must be under adult supervision at all times. Animals on this plantation can be dangerous to the unaware.
2. An adult should remain in camp at all times. This is for safety and security.
3. Dogs must remain on a leash at all times, and may at no point enter the historic home. Injuries caused by participant's animal are that owner's responsibility.
4. Injuries will be reported to staff and handled by a 911 call if necessary. All fees for medical care are the responsibility of the injured party.
5. Latta Plantation is located in a 1340 acre nature preserve. **Participants are NOT ALLOWED to leave the historic site with weapons or during any battle scenario.** The site consists of the immediate area and will be addressed with unit commanders. The nature preserve is off-limits to any reenacting scenarios or the carrying of weapons. You could be cited for carrying arms in the preserve.
6. Please make sure your belongings are secured and that all valuables are out of site.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS OR COMMENTS, PLEASE FEEL FREE TO CONTACT MATTHEW WAISNER AT HISTORIC LATTA PLANTATION:
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