



Backus Heritage Conservation Area Port Rowan

WAR OF 1812 RE-ENACTMENT

Schedule of Activities

September 10th & 11th, 2011



Saturday September 10th, 2011

- 10:00 am Encampments, Sutlers Row & Heritage Village Open
- 10:00 am Conservation Education Centre & Backhouse Mill Open
- 11:00 am Artillery Competition - Cherry Valley School
- 12:00 pm Noon Gun - Cherry Valley School
- 12:30 pm Children's Mini Militia - Forbes Barn
- 1:00 pm Musket Demonstration - Field in front of Militia Cabin
- 1:00 pm Grinding Demonstration - 1798 Backhouse Mill
- 2:00 pm Battle Re-enactment - Heritage Village
- 3:00 pm Grinding Demonstration - 1798 Backhouse Mill
- 3:00 pm British Native Allies - Trade Blanket Display
- 4:00 pm Backhouse Mill, Homestead, Museum & Conservation Education Centre Close
- 7:00 pm Encampments, Sutlers Row & all Buildings Close
- 7:00 pm **NEW** Dusk Battle



Sunday September 11th, 2011

- 10:00 am Encampments, Sutlers Row & Heritage Village Open
- 10:00 am Morning Parade & Inspection
- 10:00 am Conservation Education Centre & Backhouse Mill Open
- 10:00 am Church Service led by Pastor Marc Bertrand, 41st Regiment of Foot - Large Pavilion
- 11:00 am Speed Loading Competition - Field in front of Militia Cabin
- 12:00 pm Noon Gun - Cherry Valley School
- 12:30 pm Children's Mini Militia - Forbes Barn
- 1:00 pm Grinding Demonstration - 1798 Backhouse Mill
- 1:00 pm Musket Demonstration - Field in front of Militia Cabin
- 2:00 pm Battle Re-enactment - Heritage Village
- 3:00 pm Grinding Demonstration - 1798 Backhouse Mill
- 4:00 pm Encampments, Sutlers Row & all Buildings Close



WATCH FOR OTHER SPECIAL ACTIVITIES TAKING PLACE THROUGHOUT THE WEEKEND INCLUDING:

- Meet the Surgeon
- Evelyn Franklin Weavers' Guild spinning and weaving demonstrations in the Weaving Shoppe
- Visit the soldiers guarding the Mill
- Refreshments and light snacks in Aunt Erie's Kitchen
- Visit the Cavalry in the Suderman Barn (Blacksmith Shop)
- Shop in the 1812 Sutlery

*** Please be advised that some buildings will be closed during battle re-enactments ***



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