

NCWM UPDATES THE 2017 SUMMER LIVING HISTORY SCHEDULE: AUGUST & SEPTEMBER

(Harrisburg, PA) - The National Civil War Museum announces their living history schedule for the 2017 summer season. Encampments include Confederate infantry units, loading and firing demonstrations and much more!

Living history schedule*:

August 12-13 14th Tennessee, Co. B
September 9-10 1st Maryland Battalion
September 16 -17 Thompson's Battery C

Museum visitors will see the flash and smell the smoke of Civil War muskets and rifles. Visitors are encouraged to visit the camps and ask living historians questions about their attire, food rations and daily life. Most infantry groups perform loading and firing demonstrations each day. Saturday demonstrations are at 11am, 1pm & 3pm and Sunday demonstrations are at 1pm & 3pm.

The 2017 summer living history program is free to the public. Regular museum admission applies for entrance to the museum galleries.

*Programs are weather contingent. Visitors should check the Museum's website for more information and updates to this schedule, as they are subject to change. Firing demonstration times may change due to other scheduled Museum activities.

About The National Civil War Museum

*Opened in February 2001, The National Civil War Museum, a member of the Smithsonian Institution Affiliations Program, is a non-profit private educational institution dedicated solely to the American Civil War. It is one of the largest museums in the world which interprets the entire American Civil War from a military and civilian perspective. The Museum preserves and exhibits some of the nation's treasures, including General Robert E. Lee's personal Bible, and more than 24,000 artifacts, documents and photos. Admission to the Museum is \$12.00 for adults, \$11.00 for seniors, and \$10.00 for students with reduced rates for children and families. The Museum offers complimentary ample parking. For more information, please call 717.260.1861, or visit the Museum's website at www.nationalcivilwarmuseum.org. **Connect with us!** [Facebook.com/TheNationalCivilWarMuseum](https://www.facebook.com/TheNationalCivilWarMuseum); [Twitter.com/NCWM](https://twitter.com/NCWM); and [FourSquare.com/NationalCivilWarMuseum](https://www.foursquare.com/NationalCivilWarMuseum)*