

# Fort Necessity Friendship Hill

National Park Service  
U.S. Department of the Interior

Friendship Hill  
National Historic Site



## 2012 Calendar of Events

**February 25**  
Fort Necessity

***George Washington Birthday Art Contest Ceremony***  
Announcement of winners at 2:00 p.m.



**April 21 -29**  
FEE FREE WEEK

***National Park Week***  
All National Park Service sites across the country will waive entrance fees.



**April 21**  
Fort Necessity

***Opening of Traveling Exhibit - "Emissaries of Peace – the 250<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Exhibit The 1762 Cherokee & British Delegations"***  
A "We the People" Exhibit Created by the Museum of the Cherokee Indian



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***Junior Ranger Day***  
Explore your National Parks with special activities designed for children to learn about these special places

**May 6**  
Friendship Hill

***Friendship Hill Spring Concert***  
Enjoy an afternoon of music by the Albert Gallatin South Middle School Band.

**May 19**  
Mt. Washington Tavern

***National Road Festival***  
Enjoy the heyday of the National Road.

**May 26 - 27**  
Fort Necessity

***Encampment at the Great Meadows***  
The Maryland Forces will present musket firing and demonstrations to commemorate the 1754 battle

**June 2 - 3**  
Fort Necessity

***Encampment at the Great Meadows***  
Trent's Company encampment at the Great Meadows.



**June (date TBA)**  
Friendship Hill

***Exhibit Opening – "Gallatin's Geneva"***  
*On loan from the Library of Geneva, Switzerland this exhibit celebrates Albert Gallatin's life and includes rare photos, artifacts and artwork.*

**July 3**  
Fort Necessity

***Battle Anniversary Commemoration***  
Join park staff as we honor the soldiers and warriors who fought in the first battle of the French and Indian War in 1754.

**July 7 & 8**  
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***Cherokee Cultural Heritage Festival***  
Members of the Eastern Band of the Cherokee will present cultural heritage programs including a dance performance by the "Warriors of AniKituhwa."



**September 22 & 23**  
Friendship Hill

***FestiFall & Market Fair***  
The Friendship Hill Association commemorates the life of Albert Gallatin with historic crafts, food and music.

**October 13**  
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***Legends of the Mount Washington Tavern***  
Take a look at some of the more mysterious history of the Mount Washington Tavern handed down by local tradition.



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