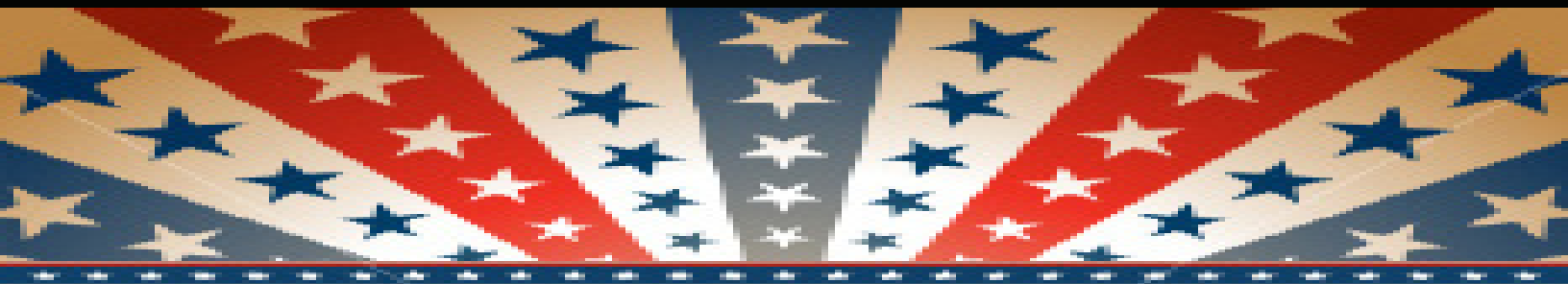


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A Star-Spangled Summer The War of 1812 Comes to Mount Welby

Sunday, August 25, 2013

12:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

All ages

Reservations required

Calling all War of 1812 connoisseurs, American history buffs, and citizens of all ages! Come out to Oxon Hill Farm, step back in time and experience the breath-taking events of the summer of 1814 when the British invaded Maryland, both by foot and by water. Through a series of dramatic vignettes, on a one-hour tour, you will encounter a run-away slave, the English born mistress of Mount Welby and her American born son, a member of the 16th Regiment of the Maryland Militia, a citizen soldier, and a Royal Marine Officer. You will even come face-to-face with members of the U.S. Artillery!

Meet all actors after the program for a one-on-one question and answer session.

The program will conclude with popular music from the War of 1812 era, performed by noted music historian, David Hildebrande, PhD.

For the walking tour, be prepared to walk about 1/4 of a mile. Please remember to wear comfortable shoes and to bring along a bottle of water. Reservations are required. Please call 301.839.0503 to reserve your space. This event is free.



Oxon Cove Park is located at 6411 Oxon Hill Road, Oxon Hill, Maryland. Please call 301.839.0503 for more information or to make your reservation. Visit our webpage at www.nps.gov/oxhi.