



Army Heritage Weekend on Governors Island: Saturday, June 21, 2008

Explore the ways in which the U.S. Army
has evolved over the course of our nation's history.

All Day Saturday

(10:30 AM—4:00 PM)

- ★ Introduce yourself to Revolutionary & Civil War soldiers.
- ★ Meet the mascots of the U.S. Military Academy at West Point.
- ★ 45-minute walking tours with a National Park Ranger :25 after the hour from 10:25 AM to 3:25 PM starting at Fort Jay.
- ★ Kids — Play with 18th century toys or become an official Junior Ranger (ask a National Park Ranger for details).



Schedule of Special Events for Saturday

(Flip Over for Schedule Events for Sunday, June 22, 2008)

- 11:00** Join members of Colonel Albert Pawling's Levies and Company H 119th NY Volunteers Historical Association for drilling demonstrations that reveal the differences between the soldier of the Revolution and that of the Civil War.
Please meet at the Historic Weapons Field.
- 11:30** Experience a soldier's life: Learn how to march with Colonel Albert Pawling's Levies.
Please meet at the Historic Weapons Field.
- 12:30 & 3:30** Historic Weapons Firing Demonstration of Revolutionary and Civil War era firearms.
Please meet at the Historic Weapons Field.
- 1:25 Walking Tour: "Non-traditional Roles of Women During the Civil War."**
Join Park Rangers Lisa Martens and Jessica Perkel as they uncover lost histories of brave women as soldiers and spies.
Please meet at Fort Jay.
- 2:30** Lecture and book signing with West Point English Professor Elizabeth D. Samet, the author of *Soldier's Heart: Reading Literature at West Point*.
Please meet at Pershing Hall.
- 2:30** The U.S. Army Statue of Liberty Band — the 319th Army Reserve Band of Fort Totten. The band will perform a variety of patriotic music on Colonel's Row Green.



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12:30 & 3:30 Participate in an army drill just like a new recruit! Historic weapons firing demonstration to follow.

Please meet at the Historic Weapons Field.

1:30 Special Presentation: “Women’s Army Corps — The Fight to Establish an Army Women’s Corps.” Join Park Ranger Jessica Clough to rediscover the strength and dedication of these pioneering women.

Please meet at Pershing Hall.

2:25 Walking Tour: “Prisoners of War.” Join Park Ranger Collin Bell to explore the prison history of Governors Island.

Please meet at Fort Jay.