

Grand Portage Rendezvous 2016

Schedule of Activities, Events, and Workshops

Celebrate the Rendezvous and the National Park Service's 100th year! This year's event will feature over 300 volunteer re-enactors and the tall ship *Mist of Avalon*. The *Mist* will be at anchor in the bay throughout the event. Join a tour of the historic encampment or participate in the contests. There is something for everyone! This schedule is subject to change.

Friday, August 12

9:00am – 5:00pm	Historic Cooking & Baking	North West Company Kitchen
10:00	Stone Bridge Singers Drum Ceremony	Great Hall Lawn
11:00	NWCo Partners Arrival Ceremony	Begins at the Dock
11:30	Dainty Voyageur Contest	West Lawn
12:00	Historic Encampment Tour	Meet at North Gate Information Tent
1:00	18th Century Puppet Show: Punch & Judy	Historic Encampment
2:00	18th Century Music Jam	Great Hall porch
3:00	Historic Encampment Tour	Meet at North Gate Information Tent
3:00	Throw the "Dough" Contest	Great Hall Lawn
5:30	Historic Encampment Tour	Meet at North Gate Information Tent
Workshops		
10:00	18th Century Clothing Mending & Patching	Workshop Tent
11:30	Cornhusk Dolls/Voyageurs For Young'uns	Workshop Tent
11:30	Scottish Music & Haggis Making	Historic Encampment
1:00	French Spool Knitting for Kids	Workshop Tent
1:30	Tinsmithing for Kids	Demonstration Area Inside Stockade
2:30	Basic Blacksmithing Techniques for Men	Demonstration Area

Saturday, August 13

9:00am – 5:00pm	Historic Cooking & Baking	North West Company Kitchen
9:30	Scavenger Hunt for Young'uns	Historic Encampment
10:30	NWC Gentlemen Conduct a Business Meeting	Great Hall
11:00	18th Century Lacrosse Demonstration	Great Hall Lawn
11:30	Lacrosse Match	Great Hall Lawn
12:00	18th Century Puppet Show: Punch & Judy	Workshop Tent
1:00	Historic Encampment Tour	Meet at North Gate Information Tent
2:00	Rugged Voyageur Contest (Reenactors only)	West Lawn
2:00	Voyageur Storytelling and Song	Historic Encampment
3:00	Historic Encampment Tour	Meet at North Gate Information Tent
3:00	Music by "Over the Waterfall"	Great Hall Lawn
5:30	Historic Encampment Tour	Meet at North Gate Information Tent
8:00	Live Music & Dance, open to the public	Great Hall Lawn
10:00	Music & Dancing conclude	
Workshops		
10:00	Turning a Sailor's Fid-18th Century Style	Demonstration Area
10:30	Basic Blacksmithing Techniques for Women	Demonstration Area (\$ fee)
11:00	Make and Stamp a Vermillion Packet	Workshop Tent

Sunday, August 14

10:00	Flint & Steel Fire Starting Contest	Historic Encampment
11:00	Bead Hunt for Young'uns	Historic Encampment
11:30	The Yoke's on You! Water Lifting Contest	Warehouse Yard
1:00	Fiddling in the Fur Trade	Workshop Tent
2:00	Bagpipes of the NWCo	Great Hall Lawn
Workshops		
10:00	Tinsmithing for Adults	Demonstration Area Inside Stockade
11:00	Branding the Phyn & Elice Shipment Mark	Historic Encampment